

Kingston Duplicate Bridge Club & Seaway Bridge Club ~ January 2022

The Annual Milestones Issue

This is the newsletter when we pause for a moment to reflect on the past year...our Club's successes, challenges and, sadly, losses.

2021 was the first year in which **ALL** KDBC club games were held on BBO. Fingers crossed, however, that 2021 will also be the last year that KDBC Club games are held exclusively on-line. For the record, in 2021...

- ★ We had 4,618 tables (average of 385 per month, 13 per open game). For comparison, in 2019, our last year of all F2F play, we had 4,096 tables.
- We held 344 open games (average of 29 per month).
- ♥ We held 63 I/N games (average of 5 per month).
- Our biggest games were 25 tables; we had 3 of them and they were all on Tuesdays.
- ◆ 234 individuals played in our games: 159 KDBC members and 75 guests (average of 2 guests per open game).
- Belleville DBC started playing officially with us on Nov 16, 2021, and we have had a total of 92 entries from BDBC in KDBC games in November and December. BDBC has 45 members who are BBO players.
- The Seaway Bridge Club, which joined us way back in spring of 2020, has 44 members and an average of 8 of these members played in each of our open games in 2021.
- ♠ Game revenue for 2021 (before all expenses) was \$62,882.

Remembering our Friends whom we lost in 2021.

Thanks for all the great games, partners!

Flo Berard
Ruth Blacklock
Jerry MacDonald
Maureen Murphy
Roy Walmsley
Ginny Williams





The ACBL recognizes the players who earn the most MPs in ACBL-affiliated clubs and tournaments during a calendar year in each MP category, at the District and Unit levels. KDBC and Seaway are in Unit 192, which comprises clubs located in the Ottawa-Gatineau, Ottawa Valley, Perth, Smiths Falls, Brockville, Cornwall and Kingston regions. Unit 192 is one of 6 units in District 1, which covers a large geographic area stretching east from Kingston to the Atlantic Ocean and north from the US border to the Arctic, over three time zones.

The Helen Shanbrom Ace of Clubs Race shows players' standing in "black" MPs won at local clubs during 2021

MP Category	KDBC & Seaway Members	Ace of Clubs District 1 Standings (top 25)	Ace of Clubs Unit 192 Standings (top 10)
5-20	Karen Campbell (SC)	2nd (93.23)	2nd
	Peter Allan (SC)	8th (56.69)	8th
	George Yon (KDBC)	15th (25.37)	10th
20-50	Leslie Owen (SC)	6th (75.32)	2nd
	Micheline Allan (SC)	10th (62.19)	5th
	William Ward (KDBC)	18th (46.28)	9th
50-100	Lucie McCartney (SC)	5th (95.25)	2nd
	Pat Lennie (KDBC)	7th (87.51)	3rd
	Judith Cardwell (KDBC)	17th (51.58)	8th
	Doug Graham (KDBC)	18th (51.52)	9th
100-200	Hans Schulz (SC)	20th (97.96)	6th
	Kathy McDonald (KDBC)		8th (84.71)
	Linda Macphee (SC)		9th (74.09)
	John Dundas (KDBC)		10th (70.73)
200-300	James Campbell (SC)	8th (100.61)	2nd
	Anne Herfst (KDBC)	21st (75.17)	8th
	Josette Arassus (KDBC)		10th (69.16)
500-1000	Chris Caswell (KDBC)	16th (159.41)	9th
1000-1500	Michael Fobert (KDBC)	11th (181.23)	3rd
	Bill Mitchell (KDBC)		6th (118.92)
	Nancy Louwman (KDBC)		7th (112.68)
1500-2500	John Finucan (KDBC)	8th (205.54)	6th
	Bob Fowkes (KDBC)	16th (167.38)	9th
2500-3500	Terry Demers (KDBC)	7th (176.41)	4th
	Marvin Baer (KDBC)	12th (164.51)	7th
	Judy Darling (SC)	14th (163.95)	9th
	Richard Darling (SC)	14th (163.95)	9th
	Shona Donovan (KDBC)	18th (146.77)	
	Assunta Gerretsen (KDBC)	20th (127.79)	
	Carol Harries (KDBC)	23rd (118.59)	
3500-5000	Mark Donovan (KDBC)		10th (132.74)
5000-7500	Paddy Allan (KDBC)	6th (283.21)	2nd
10,000 +	Don Kersey (KDBC)	1st (250.73)	1st



ACBL District and Unit Races

The Mini-McKenney Race shows players' standing in total number of all pigmented MPs won playing in all ACBL events during 2021.

MP Category	KDBC & Seaway Members	Mini-McKenney District 1 Standings (top 25)	Mini-McKenney Unit 192 Standings (top 10)
5-20	Karen Campbell (SC)	2nd (93.23)	2nd
	Peter Allan (SC)	5th (68.83)	5th
	George Yon (KDBC)	15th (25.37)	10th
20-50	Leslie Owen (SC)	7th (75.32)	3rd
	Micheline Allan (SC)	8th (74.33)	4th
	William Ward (KDBC)	18th (46.28)	9th
50-100	Lucie McCartney (SC)	5th (95.25)	2nd
	Pat Lennie (KDBC)	7th (87.51)	3rd
	Judith Cardwell (KDBC)	17th (51.58)	8th
	Doug Graham (KDBC)	18th (51.52)	9th
100-200	Hans Schulz (SC)	20th (97.96)	6th
	Kathy McDonald (KDBC)		8th (84.71)
	Linda Macphee (SC)		9th (74.09)
	John Dundas (KDBC)		10th (70.73)
200-300	James Campbell (SC)	8th (100.61)	2nd
	Anne Herfst (KDBC)	17th (80.80)	6th
	Josette Arassus (KDBC)		9th (71.73)
300-500	Judy Prince (KDBC)	19th (131.12)	9th
500-1000	Chris Caswell (KDBC)	16th (159.41)	9th
1000-1500	Michael Fobert (KDBC)	12th (181.23)	3rd
	Bill Mitchell (KDBC)		4th (135.41)
	Nancy Louwman (KDBC)		9th (112.68)
1500-2500	John Finucan (KDBC)	9th (205.54)	6th
	Bob Fowkes (KDBC)	16th (167.38)	9th
2500-3500	Terry Demers (KDBC)	9th (176.41)	5th
	Marvin Baer (KDBC)	12th (164.51)	7th
	Judy Darling (SC)	14th (163.95)	9th
	Richard Darling (SC)	14th (163.95)	9th
	Shona Donovan (KDBC)	18th (148.27)	
	Assunta Gerretsen (KDBC)	20th (127.79)	
	Carol Harries (KDBC)	23rd (118.59)	
3500-5000	Mark Donovan (KDBC)		10th (134.24)
5000-7500	Paddy Allan (KDBC)	7th (283.21)	2nd
10,000 +	Don Kersey (KDBC)	2nd (265.76)	1st

PLUS Congratulations to new KDBC Members who placed in their original Districts

0-5	Adrian Leitch (KDBC)	14th in Ace of Clubs (13.71) & 15th in M-M (13.71) in District 19
3500-5000	James Carroll (KDBC)	5th in Ace of Clubs (245.23) & 4th in M-M (284.84) in District 4
5000-7500	Helen Johnston (KDBC)	15th in Ace of Clubs (235.19) & 14th in M-M (286.32) in District 2



Moving Up the Ranks in 2021

KDBC Members

Sapphire Life Master

Shona Donovan (March)

Gold Life Master

Assunta Gerretsen (January) Joan Renzoni (October)

Ruby Life Master

Denise Desbarats (January)
Barry Wilson (February)
Mike Fobert (March)
Bill Mitchell (June)
Rick Marsden (October)
Lew Mitz (November)

Silver Life Master

Bonnie Wilson (December)

Bronze Life Master

Glenn Torrie (March) Raymand Rothenbury (April) Pat Mackay (July) Dave Cross (December)

Life Master

Judy Prince (September) Tammy Gauvin (October)

Advanced NABC Master

Betty McIver (February) Frances Szewczuk (April)

NABC Master

Marg Beck (August)

Regional Master

Pat Lennie (August) Kathy McDonald (September)

Sectional Master

Sylvia Hall (January)
Anne Lamarche (April)
William Ward (April)
Margery West (April)
Judith Gallant (May)
Mary Reid (May)
George McKeever (September)

Club Master

Peter Allan (January)
George Yon (May)
Conrad DeBarros (June)
Adrian Leitch (December)

Junior Master

Lucille Groll (January)
Carole Weir (January)
Susan Blay (March)
Karen Bruder (September)
Barb Worona (September)
Mary Jean McIntyre (October)
Amar Banerjee (December)

Seaway Club Members

Life Master

Gail Wells

Regional Master

Muriel Contant Jackie Houde Nicole Lemieux

Sectional Master

Micheline Allan Peter Allan Karen Campbell Leslie Owen

Club Master

Louise Jarrold

CONGRATULATIONS TO EVERYONE!



KDBC 2021 Club Races & Competitions

70% Open Games (6 table minimum)

Paddy Allan & Don Kersey Glenn Torrie & Barry Wilson Nicholas Gartaganis &	78.41% Feb 3 77.95% Sep 8
Voyteck Pomykalski (SC) Jim Carroll & Helen Johnston	75.60% Jun 14 75.45% Nov 12
The four games above (all >75%) all featured in the ACBL Bridge Bulletin	
Paddy Allan & Jack Cooper Bob Fowkes & Don Kersey Anne Herfst & Glenn Torrie Paddy Allan & Terry Demers Assunta Gerretsen & Carol Anne Ralph Claudine Lallemand & Linda Tindall Chris Caswell & Jock Devonshire Chris Caswell & Bob Fowkes Mark Donovan & Shona Donovan Glenn Torrie & Barry Wilson Chris Caswell & Don Kersey John Finucan & Mike Fobert Chris Caswell & Don Kersey Mark Donovan & Shona Donovan Marg Beck & John Finucan Mary Jean McIntyre & Mary Reid Paddy Allan & Don Kersey	74.31% Mar 7 73.75% Oct 8 73.17% Feb 26 72.92% Jun 8 71.67% Nov 4* 71.67% Nov 26 71.53% Sep 5 71.28% Jan 15 70.87% May 24 70.83% Oct 6 70.79% Feb 26 70.79% Feb 26 70.79% Nov 8 70.57% Jan 27 70.50% May 6 70.37% Dec 26 70.30% May 3
Chris Caswell & Don Kersey Marvin Baer & Mike Fobert Sharon Boal & Bonnie Fredenburg Bill Valiquette & Judy Valiquette * mentor game	70.19% Jun 16 70.13% Mar 5 70.10% May 6* 70.0% May 23

70% I/N Games (5 table minimum)

Pat Lennie & William Ward	73.30% Apr 20
Josette Arassus & Cheryl Walker	70.83% Jan 26
Pat Lennie & William Ward	70.63% Feb 16
Judy Cardwell & Doug Graham	70.24% May 25

70% Open Games (6 table minimum) with a BOT John Gerretsen & ROBOT 70.14 May 21

ABC Winners Open Games (5 table minimum & each player with fewer than 750 MPs)

Anne Herfst & Glenn Torrie	73.17% Feb 26
Claudine Lallemand &	
Linda Tindall	71.67% Nov 26
Bill Valiquette & Judy Valiquette	70.0% May 23
Peggy Hutchison &	
Vickie Lynn Macauley	69.81% Sep 28
Peggy Hutchison &	
Vickie Lynn Macauley	68.91% Feb 16
Pat Lennie & William Ward	64.99% Nov 9
Peggy Hutchison &	
Vickie Lynn Macauley	64.95% Feb 1
Gayle Seto & Linda Tindall	64.71% Dec 14
Bill Forbes & Glenn Torrie	64.14% Feb 2
Adrian Leitch & George Yon	63.65% Dec 28
Gayle Seto & Linda Tindall	63.65% Apr 6
Anne Lamarche & Margery West	63.25% Mar 19
Mary Reid & Mary-Stewart Ross	61.46% Aug 21
John Dundas & Gerarda Smith	61.25% Oct 27
Tammy Gauvin & Glenn Torrie	59.84% Jul 6
Jack Eady & Judy Speagle	59.82% May 14

The Trophy Goes To:

Mary Reid & Mary-Stewart Ross + **Elaine McDougall & Hamish Taylor** Dennis Johnston IN-Life Master Team Game 2021 (Aug 14)

Brian Bowman & Mike Bowman Christmas Game 2021 (Dec 11)



3 or More Qualifications in a Race

70% Open Games

Don Kersey	6 times	
Chris Caswell	5 times	
Paddy Allan	4 times	
Glenn Torrie	3 times	

ABC Open Games

Peggy Hutchison, Vickie Lynn Macauley &

Glenn Torrie 3 times

And, wasting no time...

...starting off the 2022 races are...

Chris Caswell & Bob Fowkes are first on the 70% open Pat Lennie & William Ward are first on the ABC list game list for 2022 with a 70.38% game on Jan 7th.

for 2022 with a 65.34% game on Jan 4th.