# Kingston Duplicate Bridge Club—March '24

# SPRI/NG HAPPENI/NGS for I/N PLAYERS!

Hello all KDBC I/N players! Happy Spring! A lot of things are going on at the Club as we hop into spring!!

Read the following with your calendar at your side and mark down all the special Let's Play Bridge!! events!!



#### KDBC Lessons Continue

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at the Senior Centre on Saturday mornings at 10 am-noon, until the end of April.

Note the following schedule:

Sat Mar 30: lesson cancelled for Easter

Sat Apr 6: Slam Try Part One

Sat Apr 13: Special Team Game!!

Please arrive at 9:10. You do not need a partner. To register for this event, please email a member of the I/N Committee.

This is a great warm-up for our Regional!

Sat Apr 20: Slam Try Part Two

Sat Apr 27: Sanctioned Game! Please arrive

at 9:10 for this game.

## I/N Committee

During the month of April, please contact one of the members of the I/N Committee for questions, or to register for an event:

Diane Koen diane.koen@mcgill.ca Sandra Theriault Theriault s@sympatico.ca Marlo Whitehead marlowhitehead@gmail.com

## Boot Camp

Continues for four Fridays in April at Conservatory Pond (3rd floor Games Room) starting on Fri April 5 at 10:00 am. Please join us for these informative and problemsolving sessions! Everyone is welcome!

#### Helen Shields Rookie Master Game

Tues Apr 2, 6:30 pm, upper sanctuary of Edith Rankin United Church. Calling all I/N players!! This is a great opportunity to play with an advanced KDBC player! To register, send an email to KDBConBBO@gmail.com and you will be matched with a partner for this game!!

## April I/N Mentor Game

Mon Apr 15, 6pm. Please contact George Yon for participation in this game. Gyon99@gmail.com Let's make this the biggest Spring I/N Mentor Game ever!

#### The Dennis Johnston Team Game

Fri Apr 19, 1pm, Edith Rankin United Church. This is another special event....an annual team game where at least 2 players on each team must have under 500 masterpoints. AND this game is FREE for all KDBC members!! To register for this game send an email to KDBCpartners@gmail.com. Get your team together, or offer to be on a team. It's lots of fun, and another great way to get into the "Team Game Mode" before our Regional Tournament!!

The Most Important Event of All—

The Kingston & The Islands Regional Bridge Tournament

May 16-20th, 2024



The most special dates to mark on your calendar: The Kingston and the Islands Regional Bridge Tournament, May 16-20, Quality Inn, Division St and the 401.

Our tournament is full of opportunities for I/N players to participate and learn!!

- Andy Stark, voted the Best Bridge Teacher in Canada for 2023, will give 3 free
  Chalk Talks on Fri, Sat and Sun May 17, 18, and 19 at the Tournament, at 2 pm.
- 2 special games for players with 0-300 masterpoints have been added to the tournament schedule!!
- Bracketed Gold Rush Games (for players with 0-750 masterpoints)!
- Bracketed Swiss Team Game on Monday May 20th. You play only players in your masterpoint bracket!
- Come out, support your club, and play bridge with players from all over eastern Ontario and beyond!

# Would you like a magnetic KDBC Nametag?

Order them from "Specialty Trophies" at 745 Development Drive (Kingston) 613-389-4518. Ask for the "Kingston Duplicate Bridge Club" logo. The price is about \$13 (subject to change) per name tag (regardless of quantity ordered).

# Let's Play Bridge!