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Yes. This is a second Newsletter for July. Covid has certainly effected my life over the past weeks, and my memory!! I’m blaming Covid anyway – nothing to do with the ageing process.

IB Thulin detail to follow.

**COVID-19 UPDATE - Change to policy**

In line with general practice we have changed our policy with both vaccinated and non vaccinated players being able to play Bridge at our Club. Masks continue to be optional.

Please continue to be diligent with hand sanitizing, using same pencil throughout session, returning own cup/glass to dishwasher.

**IB THULIN PAIRS TOURNAMENT – MEMBERS ONLY**

Sunday 14th August.

This is a great tournament for all our members to participate in. There are both Raw and Handicap results.

Only 3 weeks to get your partners confirmed.

Poster, with full details is on our Club Notice Board, and List for entries.

BYO Lunch

**BOP INTERCLUB TEAMS COMPETITION**

Congratulations to our Team who finished second to Tauranga in this highly competitive Tournament.

A special mention for our Junior Team who finished first in their division. Great result. Paul and Maryann were second in the overall Butler results, and Hilary and Christine were 14th, in a field of 36 pairs. This Junior Team will go on to contest the Waikato/BOP Competition. GOOD LUCK!

Thanks must go to Margie and Wendy for the time they gave towards the organization for the day, and on the day.

**MID YEAR/WELCOME DINNER**

LAST Wednesday 27th twenty one members attended this evening. Numbers down on previous years due to Covid, winter ills and ghastly weather! Those who attended enjoyed a beautiful meal and some fun bridge.

Welcome to all our new members and we look forward to meeting and playing bridge with you in the future.

Just one thing to remember – we never stop learning, whether we are new players or established players. That is what brings us back to the game, session after session.

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