Here's your Club News - a look at what's happening at Duplicate Lite. Enjoy the fall season of games, special events, and learning together.

1) HEADLINES

Club Open: The club remains open during the last week of October - no cancellation for the Whistler Regional tournament.

Extra Points & Special Games: Many exciting opportunities to earn extra points this fall!

Name Tags: Want one? Leave your name at the club with \$10 to order a personalized Duplicate Lite tag.

> Reminder: Bring your own coffee cup and wear your name tag - less waste, more friendly game

2) SPECIAL GAMES SCHEDULE

Oct 22 Wednesday Club Appreciation Game More masterpoints for top finishers

Oct 23 Thursday Club Appreciation Game Another chance for extra points!

Oct 30 Thursday ACBL Red Hot Challenge 34% Red Points

Nov 5 Wednesday Club Championship Championship awards and points

Nov 6 Thursday Club Championship More masterpoints!

Nov 26 Wednesday ACBL Stardust Game 34% Gold Points

Dec 11 Thursday ACBL Red Hot Challenge 34% Red Points

3) ERIN BERRY FALL ROOKIE-MASTER GAME

Date: Thursday, October 16

Location: Greater Vancouver Bridge Club, Burnaby

This national event, sponsored by the Canadian Bridge Federation, invites newer players to team up with experienced masters for a shared day of play and learning.

All players across Canada will play the same pre-dealt hands. Printed hand records and detailed post-game analysis are provided.

A Rookie is a player with under 100 masterpoints.

Registration: gvanbridge@gmail.com

Flyers with full details are available at the club - a fun way to learn, connect, and celebrate Canadian bridge!

3a) GVBC - CARDS, CANAPES & COMEDY EVENT

Date: Saturday, October 25 Time: 10:00 a.m. 🛘 2:00 p.m.

Location: Burnaby Lake Rugby Clubhouse, 3760 Sperling Avenue, Burnaby

Cost: \$10 per person

Join the Greater Vancouver Bridge Club for a lighthearted day of cards, canopies, and comedy!

Open Pairs ACBL-sanctioned duplicate game

Outdoor canapés and refreshments

Stand-up comedy featuring Andrew Krywaniak, Anne Smith, and surprise guests

RSVP / Questions:

Call or text Shelley (604-603-0930) or Laura (778-772-1440) to reserve your spot.

4) COACHING SESSIONS FOR BEGINNERS

Coaching sessions for newer players begin the first week of November and continue for six weeks. Sessions are held Tuesdays at 9:00 a.m. and Thursdays at 2:00 p.m. Fee: \$30 per participant.

A friendly, structured way to build confidence, practice with guidance, and prepare for club play.

5) UPCOMING LESSONS - BRIDGE 102

Bridge 102 Lessons will start January 6th and 8th. Watch for details in the next newsletter!