

# ALTRINCHAM BRIDGE CLUB

## NEWSLETTER      JANUARY 2019

Wishing you all a Happy and Prosperous New Year and hoping that you continue to enjoy your bridge at ABC in 2019.

The winners of our 2018 club competitions were:

- Ladies Pairs 1<sup>st</sup> Barbara Eastabrook and Karen Jones  
2<sup>nd</sup> Carol Maman and Marion Lawson -Turner
- Men's Pairs 1<sup>st</sup> David Fussell and Roger Hopton  
2<sup>nd</sup> Andrew Jackson and Nathan Marks
- Mixed Pairs 1<sup>st</sup> Barbara Eastabrook and Ian Kane  
2<sup>nd</sup> Jane Perrins and Stuart Hunter

Congratulations to all the above. Prizes will be presented this month. All club members will be entered for the 2019 competition but please remember that pairs must play together at least 12 times to qualify.

Margaret Ward and Peggy Haslam won the June Caron Trophy.

Please continue to refer to our excellent website which chronicles successes by club members.

### **Club Dinner**

The club dinner was again a great success in a party atmosphere. Appropriate tributes were made to Ken Hassell and Terry Wild, the architects of the event. Lindsey Barnes was the winner of the Terry Wild Trophy.

Thank you to all involved but particularly Joan Lewis for the overall organisation, Liz Halstead for the table decorations and Sheila Wild for the generous prizes. Thank you for the kind comments after the event.

### **Coaching**

The Wednesday afternoon coaching sessions continue to be successful and will recommence on Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> January at 1.30 pm.

### **Subscriptions**

May I remind you that any unpaid subscriptions of £20 are seriously overdue. Please either pay at the club or by post to Margaret Harris, 4 Colebrook Road, Timperley WA15 6NP. If paying by cheque please write your club number on the back .

### **Future events**

We intend to hold a Wine and Cheese event in the Spring and will announce this date shortly. The Annual Dinner will be held in November and the date will be announced later in the year.

I would like to thank all those involved in running the club, all involved in organising the Xmas parties and all members who have supported the host system.

Once again a Happy New Year to you all.

Stephen Halstead  
Chairman