

Chairman's Report

Our normal events Monday to Thursday are bringing in a reasonable amount of table money which is supporting club funds.

Our most attended session is Monday afternoon with free cake and coffee and their own Christmas party.

We attended Cardiff university freshers fair with financial support from East Wales and the WBU and have launched under 25 bridge teaching with the support of Sooz and our current junior players. Hopefully more juniors will join us for our regular sessions.

Next year we hope to go to both freshers fairs at Cardiff University and Cardiff Met.

We have had a special Sunday for juniors and club players. There was also a junior team playing in the recent HK memorial Swiss teams.

This was well attended by 14 teams and is scheduled to continue next January.

CBC members played for Wales this year in all the teams Lady Milne, junior and senior Camrose and the senior team. Gilly, Mia, Ceri, Gwynn, Sue, Joe, James, Sophie, Simon, Chris...

CBC put out 2 teams in the WBU teams of 8 competition coming 2nd and 3rd.

CBC members also supported east wales events with lots of success. Too many to mention.

At the club we also played some of our club competitions. A few people to mention..

Club champions Adrian and Simon

Mixed pairs champions Linda and John

At CBC we have hosted both east wales events and WBU events eg the premier league. This is a profitable use of this room at the weekends.

We are also a big supporter of teams events with the winter league, the pro am teams and the Geoff Evans league.

We ran a chairman's charity event in the summer for the Samaritans, which raised £570 and we hope to run 2 events this year in Spring and Autumn when more people can play, from all sessions run at the club.

We continue to be a teaching club with fast track bridge for young players, beginning bridge, continuing bridge, supported play and short lessons from Gwynn on a Wednesday and Simon on a Thursday with guest speakers.

Our membership is growing after the hit from Covid and attendance is improving as shown by the increase in table money. We are the most successful part of the club and hope grow with more bridge players this year.

A big thank you to the social committee for all their help with the Christmas quiz and Christmas party, chairman's charity event, St David's day party and many other events. Jane, Veronica and Teresa

Other thank yous include our directors Sarah and Angela who run our bridge events.

The webmaster David

The partner finder Ray

The dealer Liz who also organises the winter league and Geoff Evan's league and buys refreshments

The refreshment buyers Liz and David

The bridge teachers Simon, Sooz and Jon

The quiz masters Anne Marie

Master point secretary Arthur

Everybody who plays bridge at Cardiff

And anybody else I may have forgotten
