

SECRETARY'S REPORT MAY 2025

1 MEMBERSHIP

Numbers remain steady – currently 238 members

2 BRIDGE SESSIONS

5 weekly sessions in the club and Tuesday online

3 CLUB COMPETITIONS

It has been very encouraging to be able to run our club competitions: Anne Shannon Team Tournament, Mon Ryan Handicap Tournament, Club Pairs Competition, Tuesday Pairs Competition, Thursday Pairs Competition.

Our thanks to Michael Cassidy, without whom this would not have been possible.

Please support these club competitions

We also hosted the Robb Cup on behalf of the NIBU on Monday 3 March, and took part in the NIBU Inter club Duplicate Competitions throughout the year.

4 CLUB DINNER & PRIZE GIVING WEDNESDAY 28 May 2025

This year the Club will be holding a club dinner and prize giving at Malone Golf Club, and we hope that this will prove popular and will become an annual event on the club calendar.

5 VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

There is a lot of work involved in running a large club like Derryvolgie and more helpers are needed to make up the 5 sets of boards required each week. And more help is needed to ensure the bridge sessions run smoothly.

Please put your name forward if you are willing to help, either making up boards or running bridge sessions.

A big thank you to the following people :

1 BOARD MAKERS: Jim McGilly, Nuala Lynch, Anne Lonergan, Aileen Cassidy, Geraldine Glover, Peter Fitzpatrick and Ron Perrott

2 TOURNAMENT DIRECTORS

Monday evening – Jim McGilly

Tuesday evening – Peter Fitzpatrick, Aileen Cassidy , Jim McGilly

Wednesday morning – Joe Hennessy

Wednesday evening – Geraldine Jamison, Frank Young, Una Gordon, Judy Young

Thursday evening – Michael Cassidy, Una Gordon, Judy Young