

Competitions Secretary Report for July 2026 meeting

Events completed since last meeting

ONLINE BLUE POINTED SWISS PAIRS – 16th May 2026

36 pairs competed (up from 32 the previous year). A well supported event providing a surplus to help balance any deficits for other events.

IMPROVERS PAIRS – 25th May 2026

Around 54 pairs per session (down from 74 pairs per session in 2025). But still a good number of players in this 9High event.

F2F 9HIGH EVENT HARTLIP – 13th June 2026

Medway Towns BC really supported this event giving around 6 tables per session

Dates confirmed with venues and catering where appropriate

Sun 19 July 2026 TWBC Phillimore BP Swiss Pairs (6x8) – currently 30 pairs entered, at same stage last year there were 24 pairs entered and final number was 38 pairs....

Sat 25 July 2026 BBO Jack High instead of 9High on Saturday afternoon

Sat 8 Aug 2026 BBO Improvers pairs for 9High

AGREED DATES FOR 2026-2027

Sat 5th Sept 2026	TWBC	F2F 9High Pairs
Sun 4 Oct 2026	BBO	Dyer Smith Mixed Pairs
24/25 Oct 2026	TWBC	Joint Congress with Sussex
Sun 13 Dec 2026	BBO	Blue Pointed Swiss Pairs (6x6)
Wed 30 Dec 2026	BBO	Improvers Pairs NGS9
Sun 10 Jan 2027	TWBC	Mens & Ladies Pairs
Sat/Sun 23/24 Jan 2027	TWBC	Corbett Teams of 8
February 2027	Various	Larsky Semifinals
Sun 7 Mar 2027	TWBC	Green Pointed Swiss Pairs (7x7)
Sat 20 Mar 2027	Maidstone	Larsky Final
Mon 29 Mar 2027	BBO	Easter Monday Improvers Pairs NGS9
Sun 18 Apr 2027	Online	George Griffiths Seniors Pairs
Sat 15 May 2027	RealBridge	Blue Pointed Swiss Pairs (6x6)
Sun 18 July 2027	TWBC	Phillimore BP Swiss Pairs (6x8)

COST OF MEAL AT TWBC

The caterer has increased the cost of meals at TWBC to £16 (from £15)

ONEDRIVE FOR KENT FILES

Competitions, Archive, Chair and Membership have currently added files to the Kent OneDrive and I encourage other officers to add their files.

COUNTY TD TRAINING

After doing very well at the County Preparation / Club TD revision one day course in March, David Cock passed the County TD Course / Advanced TD Training at the end of May. I have offered to mentor him through the process. The cost of the course + travel was funded by the county.

PARKING INFORMATION on website has been updated with 2026 costs and slight amendment with advice from Mike Griffiths.

Stephen Brown, June 2026