

Dear Member

When you receive your Membership Card for CBAI you will see that you have two sets of membership numbers. One Number will be like your old number you receive every year e.g. 07B31 the other will look like this one e.g. **NBID: 23421**.

The NBID (National Bridgemate ID) number is the new numbering system that CBAI is adapting as of this year. Your old number will be phased out by the end of the bridge year, and the NBID number, 23421 as above, will be all you will need for National Competitions and Congress and entering competitions online.

The NBID number should be used by all regions and clubs, this will take three to six months to change over to new Bridgemate/Bridgepads numbers. New data bases for each Club or Region will be needed.

This project, approved by the Governing Council and the Management Committee has been worked on for the last two Years and has finally been rolled out. There will, as with all new operations be some teething problems if you have any concerns with these, contact the Regional Secretary at mlrsect@gmail.com and we will pass it on to the IT people looking after this.

Kind regards,

Blanaid Morris, Regional Secretary

Neil Burke, Regional President

Mid Leinster Region