

## EASTERN PROVINCE WOMEN'S BRIDGE ASSOCIATION

### SAUNDERS COMPETITION RULES

1. Play shall commence at 9 a.m.
2. It is the duty of the pair themselves, and not the Club Committee, to enter for each round of this competition and to make themselves conversant with the rules thereof.
3. The competition will consist of approximately 12 rounds and the 3 lowest scores will be dropped.
4. A Mitchell or Howell movement will be played with a minimum of 24 boards.
5. A regular partnership is a partnership which enters at the beginning of the year. The competition will be played over the whole year. Should a player become permanently unavailable during the year, the partner may, only with the permission of the Committee, pair up with a new player to form a new regular partnership.
6. **Substitutes** – a player whose partner is not available may play with a substitute, who must be a member of the Club. Each player is permitted 3 substitutes per year. Should a 4<sup>th</sup> or more substitute be required their score will be recorded in the running log but will be removed at the end of the year.
7. Any regular partnership member may team up with another regular partnership member and their score will be awarded to each partnership. This may occur once between the same two pairs. This constitutes part of the three substitutes.