



1 Captain + 3 players = The greatest learning experience on RealBridge

The NSWBA Online Teams of Three

Wednesday 27th OCTOBER 2021

Six round Swiss Teams with play commencing at 10.00am.

Director: Matthew McManus

ENTER as a TEAM of THREE. Entry Fee: \$30 per player

About the Teams of Three

Your Captain will be a State, National or International representative who will partner with your team members through the day. Team Captains will be randomly allocated before the start of play and must play 2 matches with each member of their team.

The event will be held on RealBridge, an online bridge program with built-in video support. The virtual venue on RealBridge will open at 9.00am on Wednesday 27th October. You are welcome to come in, sit at any table and have a “face-to-face” chat with other players before the game starts. Return to your home table at 9.40 in time for the draw for captains. Play will commence at 10.00am sharp for two sessions: three 8-board matches; a break for lunch; then another three 8-board matches.

Allowable team composition: All players below Grand Master. There will be separate fields for Open, Restricted AND Novice players if numbers allow. Please sign up in advance on the NSWBA website indicating the field in which you would like to compete, or you will be placed in the category based on the masterpoints ranking of the players as at 1st July 2021.

**Restricted – All players must have fewer than 300 masterpoints as at 1st July 2021.*

*** Novice – All players must have fewer than 100 masterpoints as at 1st July 2021.*

RED masterpoints awarded at Level B4s.

This is a FUN event to improve your game

Simple (Green & Blue) system ONLY, NO Brown sticker conventions. There will be 3 system cards (basic, simple and advanced) ready for players to use, if they haven't prepared one.

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Registration Procedure

1. ENTER as a Team of 3 players for the event via the NSWBA website <https://www.nswba.com.au/tourn/eventDetails.asp?tid=3534>
2. Please provide correct email address of all members, as an instruction email and a direct hyperlink to the virtual venue will be sent to all participants the day before.

All participants must enter at [NSWBA website](#). **All are welcome, but you will need to have an active ABF number to receive masterpoints.** Entries close Tuesday 26th October 12 noon – late entries are at the director's discretion.

Please make your entry fee in advance via the [NSWBA payment link](#). For NSWBA and SBC members who have a SBC Pre-pay account, entry fee will be charged on the day if you haven't paid by other methods, please make sure you have sufficient fund in your PP account.

Playing on RealBridge

RealBridge is a browser-based online platform with built-in video and audio support. You will need to have reasonable internet connection, camera, microphone & speakers to have the best experience. Please run this [Camera & Microphone Test](#) in advance to make sure that you have the right equipment. All alerts, announcements and explanations are made as in F2F bridge.

If you have never played on RealBridge, please contact the office and we will organise a tasting session.

Etiquette Online

It is our mission to promote bridge as a mind sport that players at all levels can enjoy.

We have zero tolerance for bad behaviour or cheating at the table which damage the game.

Conducted under the auspices of the NSWBA.

The ABF has approved the issue of **RED Masterpoints** at B4 level.

All players are subject to the NSWBA's Congress Disciplinary Regulations and Rules for Online Congresses.



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