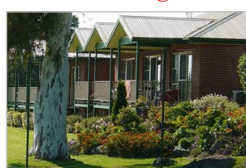


Tenterfield Bridge Club 19th Annual Butler Pairs Congress

6 — 7 OCTOBER 2018 (SAT — SUN)

TENTERFIELD Contract Bridge Club



The Schedule:

6 October (Sat)

*First & Second
Sessions*

7 October (Sun)

Swiss Teams

Community Spirit

by Rhonda Weinand & Stephanie Taylor

Tenterfield Bridge Club held its 19th annual Butler Pairs Congress on the weekend of 6-7th October at the beautiful Tenterfield Golf Club.

Tenterfield is a small regional town of approximately 3,500 people with a tiny club of under 30 members – only 20 of whom play on a regular basis. Thirty-six pairs attended, including 5 local pairs, with most visiting pairs coming from other clubs within a 250km radius – from both sides of the NSW & Qld border – plus one pair from Sydney. Chris Snook from Toowoomba, Qld, was the Director.

Dedication, inspiration and community spirit helped make the day a great success. After a long drought, followed by a succession of heavy hail storms, what few flowers were left were sourced from local gardens (whether their owners knew it or not...) and decorated the venue while friends & neighbours helped in the provision of copious amounts of food for the “grazing table”.

“We feel the congress was a great success” says convenor, Christine Denis and the Committee; noting that there was good bridge, friendly people and the essential ingredient – unlimited food!

Two excellent meals were provided by the Golf Club restaurant so congress patrons certainly did not go hungry. In fact, the grazing table team commented that they had never seen so many people eat so much constantly while playing cards.



The colours of Tenterfield.



Director Chris Snook congratulated the winners Malcolm Saunders and Ian Price.



The grazing table.



Winners of the Plate — Brian Glover and Glenda Parmenter.

[...More results can be found HERE](#)