

# Website

changes, features and  
things to look forward to



# NZBridge

Over the past 12 months, NZB has been upgrading their website.

- Some have noticed subtle changes,
- Some have noticed lots of change
  - Some dislike the changes
  - Some love the changes



Love it or hate it, we are  
trying to make it more  
user friendly

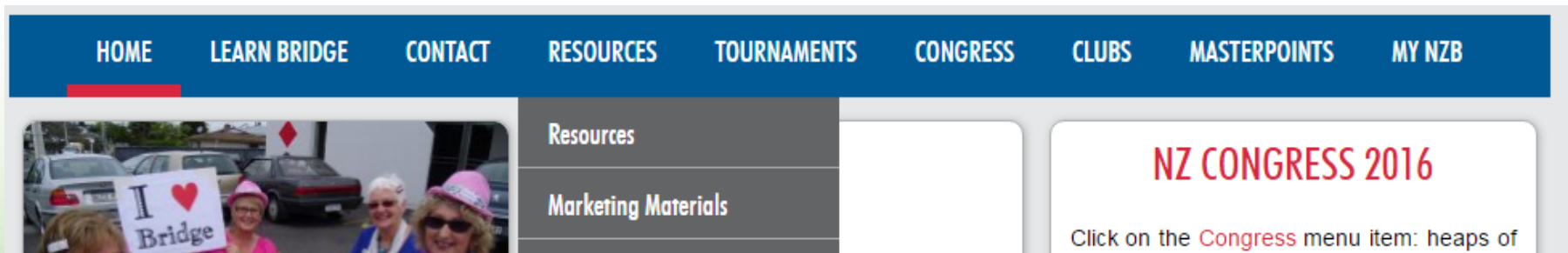


## What has changed ?

## Remember this ...



## Now we have this ...



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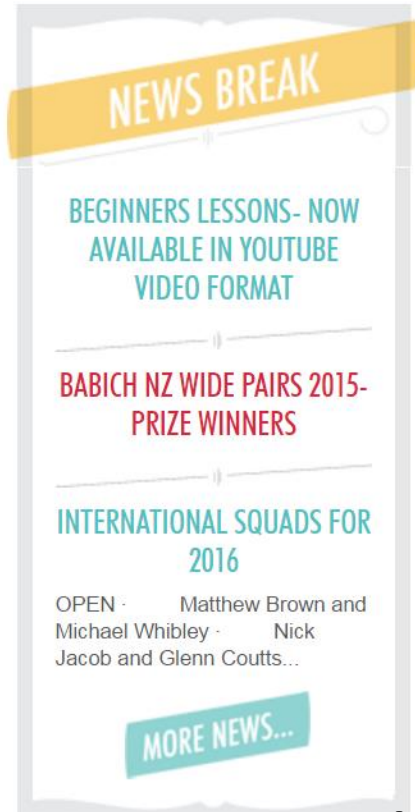
What has changed ?

← Remember this

Now we have this →

A sign-up form with a red banner that says "NEWSLETTER & ONLINE MAGAZINE". It includes input fields for "First Name", "Last Name", and "Email", and a blue "Submit" button.A search form with a blue banner that says "FIND A CLUB". It includes the text "Search for any club in New Zealand", input fields for "Club" and "Region" (with a dropdown arrow), and a "SEARCH" button.A search form with a blue banner that says "FIND A TOURNAMENT". It includes the text "Search by month, club and/or region.", input fields for "Month" (with a dropdown arrow), "Club", and "Region" (with a dropdown arrow), and a "SEARCH" button.A badge with a blue banner that says "PLAY ONLINE". Below the banner is the text "Play or learn Bridge online [here](#)".A badge with a blue banner that says "CONNECT WITH US". Below the banner are icons for "EMAIL" (envelope icon) and "FACEBOOK" (Facebook 'f' icon).

## What has changed ?



NEWS BREAK


BEGINNERS LESSONS- NOW AVAILABLE IN YOUTUBE VIDEO FORMAT

BABICH NZ WIDE PAIRS 2015- PRIZE WINNERS

INTERNATIONAL SQUADS FOR 2016

OPEN · Matthew Brown and Michael Whibley · Nick Jacob and Glenn Coutts...

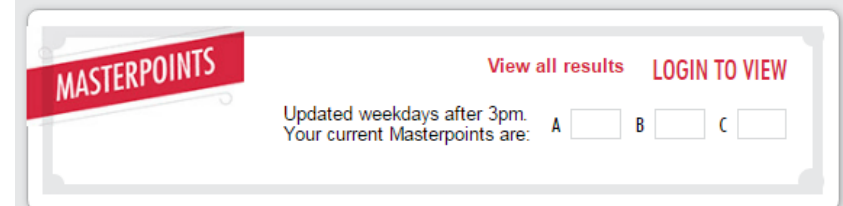
MORE NEWS...



UPCOMING EVENTS

MORE EVENTS...

BACK TO TOP...



MASTERPOINTS

View all results LOGIN TO VIEW

Updated weekdays after 3pm.  
Your current Masterpoints are: A  B  C



LATEST NEWS

LATEST NEWS RE NATIONAL CONGRESS

16 Jun 2016

SHARE   



Less than two months to go... and counting down. We hope lots of you are planning on coming to Hamilton in late September for all or part of this year's National Congress. It will be an "international" Congress as we already... [read more here](#)

TALES OF AKARANA

12 Aug 2016

SHARE   

AVOID THOSE MINORS Two boards played this week proved some well-known rules about where you should be playing game if you can and conversely what to avoid. They both involved some potentially hefty opposition pre-emption. One involved one of... [read more here](#)

Remember  
← this

Now we have this →



What has changed ?

Colours have been made stronger  
and easier to read

The new tab design enables us to  
remove or alter those tabs when  
and if appropriate

The old tabs were permanently fixed and could not be edited





## What has changed ?

Forums have been added to let registered players contribute.

There are three at the moment, but more could be added if the demand is there. The current forums are:

- Teaching
- Directing
- Master Solvers





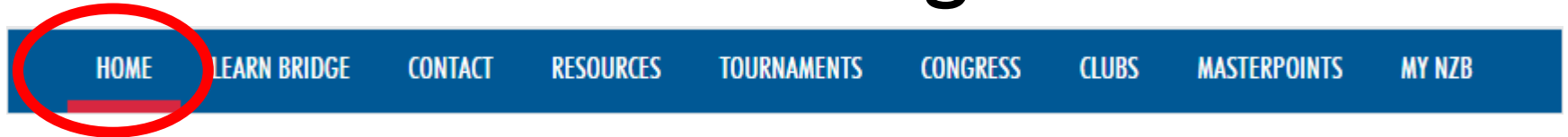
## What has changed ?

Tournaments are now listed in a searchable format

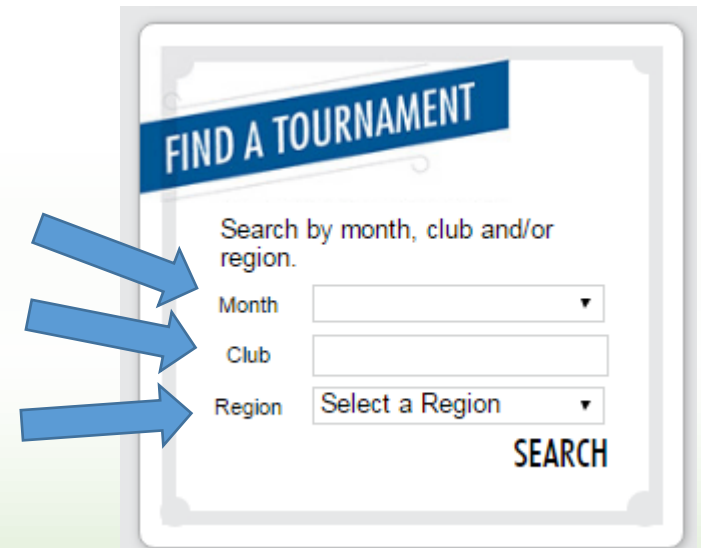
- They can be searched by month, club or Region
- Posters, entry links and booking details can be added to any tournament on request of the club



## What has changed ?

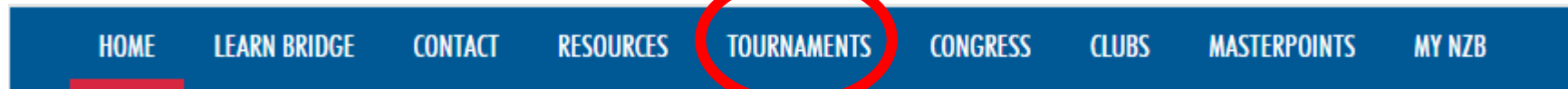


Tournament search options on the Home page



.. or go to the Tournament page

## What has changed ?



### Search options

#### TOURNAMENTS

Month  Club  Region  SEARCH

<b>HOKOWHITU DAFFODIL DAY OPEN PAIRS</b>	14 August 2016	Hokowhitu	Central Districts Region	Open	3A
<b>HUTT INTERMEDIATE PAIRS</b>	14 August 2016	Hutt	Wellington Region	Int	5B
<b>OAMARU INTERMEDIATE PAIRS</b>	14 August 2016	Oamaru	Otago Southland Region	Int	5B
<b>OAMARU JUNIOR PAIRS</b>	14 August 2016	Oamaru	Otago Southland Region	Junior	3B
<b>TOTS HOWORTH CUP</b>	14 August 2016	Nelson	Top of the South Region	Open	3A



## Tournament details


### What has changed ?

#### TAURANGA LADIES ALL-GRADES 3A PAIRS

[Click here to enter](#) ← Additional information can be added on request

[Click here to view results about 1:30'ish onwards on the 17th Aug](#) →

Event ID: 1083  
Date: Aug 17, 2016  
Club: Tauranga (242)  
Region: Waikato Bays Region  
Points: 3A  
Grade: Open  
Status: Provisional  
Online Booking: No  
Online Payment: No  
Hours: 10 am  
Location: 252 Ngatai Road, Tauranga  
Files:

 2016  
Ladies.pdf (0.19MB)

← Posters and files can be attached on request



## What has changed ?

Clubs have been listed in a searchable format along with a map location of their clubrooms.

Also this page can display the following:

- Contact details, President and Secretary
- Brief club information
- Links to the club website and results pages

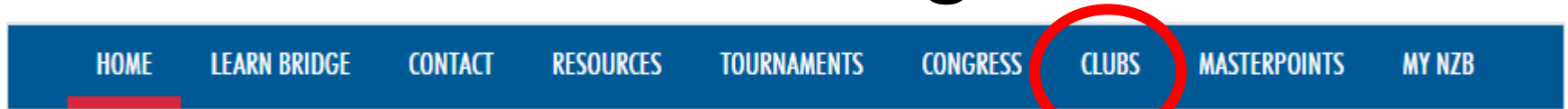
NB: Club tournaments display automatically on the club's page if the event is listed on the tournament schedule

***Contact the NZB Secretary if any updating is required***



## Home page view

## What has changed ?



.. or go to the Club page

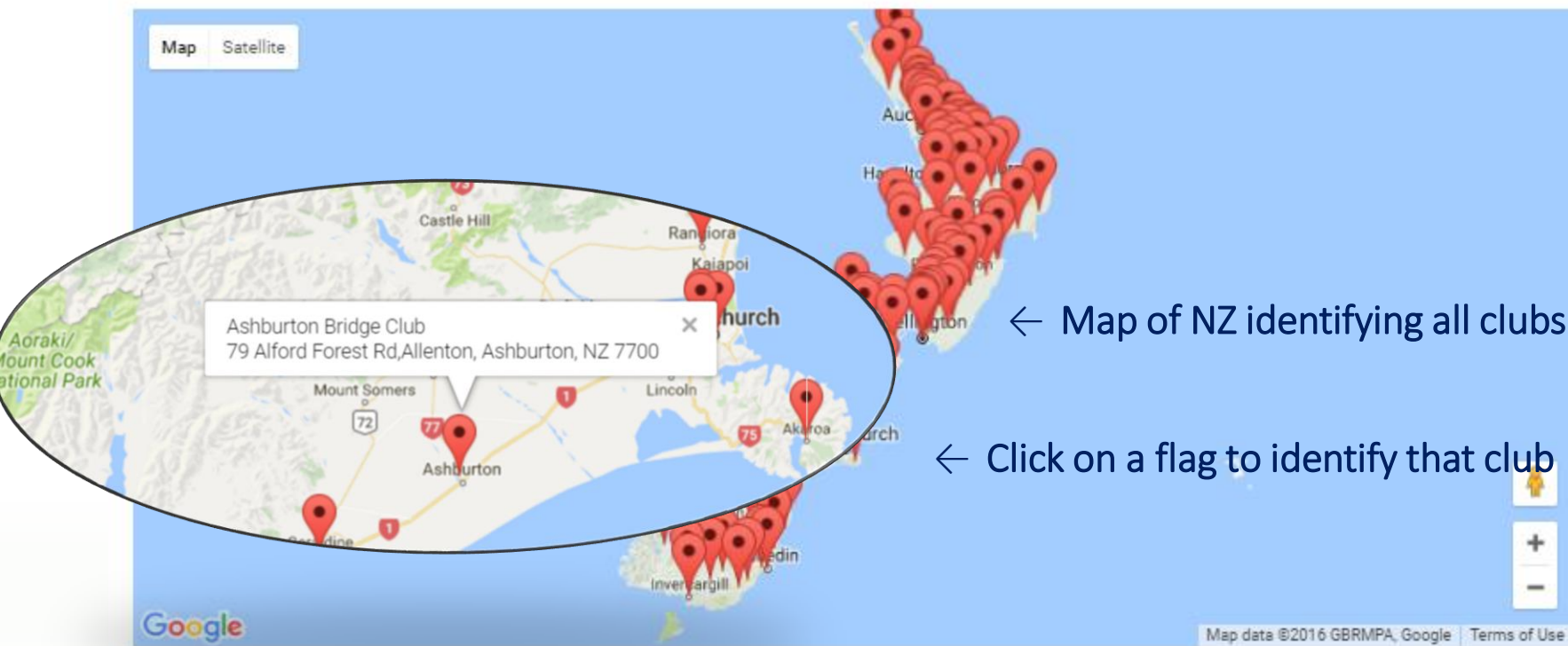
Club search options

A search form titled 'FIND A CLUB' in a blue banner. Below the banner, it says 'Search for any club in New Zealand'. There are two input fields: 'Club' (a text box) and 'Region' (a dropdown menu with 'Select a Region' as the selected option). A 'SEARCH' button is located at the bottom right of the form. Two blue arrows point from the left towards the 'Club' and 'Region' fields.



# CLUBS AFFILIATED WITH NEW ZEALAND BRIDGE INC

Name  Select a Region ▼ **SEARCH** ← Search a club or find them on the list below



CLUB	CLUB NAME	REGION
Akarana	Akarana Bridge Club	Auckland Northland Region
Akaroa	Akaroa Bridge Club	Canterbury Region
Alexandra	Alexandra Bridge Club	Otago Southland Region
Ashburton	Ashburton Bridge Club	Canterbury Region
Auckland	Auckland Bridge Club Inc	Auckland Northland Region
Balclutha	Balclutha Bridge Club	Otago Southland Region
Cambridge	Cambridge Bridge Club	Waikato Bays Region
Christchurch	Christchurch Bridge Club	Canterbury Region
Crockfords	Crockfords Bridge Club	Canterbury Region
Cromwell	Cromwell Bridge Club	Otago Southland Region

← Or click on a club in the list for more information



CLUBS AFFILIATED WITH NEW ZEALAND BRIDGE INC

KERIKERI (138)

KERIKERI CONTRACT BRIDGE CLUB - AUCKLAND NORTHLAND REGION

PO Box 7 Kerikeri 0245

CONTACT US

Phone : 09 407 8585

Email : [keribrIDGE@xtra.co.nz](mailto:keribrIDGE@xtra.co.nz)

Website : <http://www.kerikeribrIDGEclub.com/>

Results : <http://pairs.bridgenz.co.nz/?club=138>

Address :

37 Cobham Rd, Kerikeri, NZ 0230

CLUB PRESIDENT

Name :

Phone :

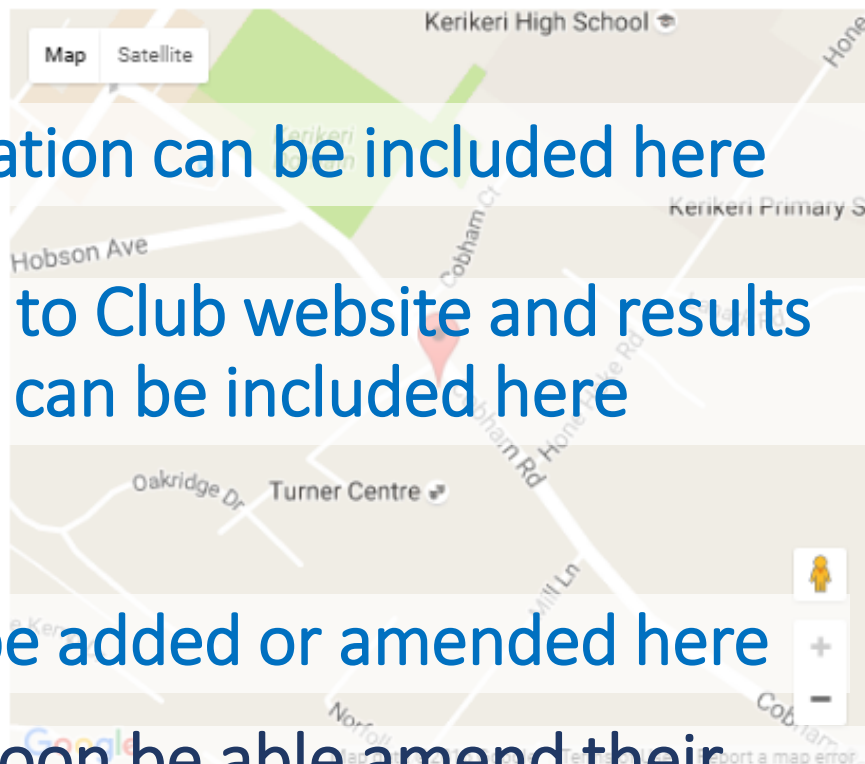
Email :

CLUB SECRETARY

Name : Arlene Purdie

Phone :

Email : [keribrIDGE@xtra.co.nz](mailto:keribrIDGE@xtra.co.nz)



← Basic information can be included here

← Links to Club website and results page can be included here

← Information can be added or amended here

... clubs will soon be able amend their information themselves !



## CLUB SECRETARY

Name : Arlene Purdie  
Phone :  
Email : [keribridge@xtra.co.nz](mailto:keribridge@xtra.co.nz)

## CLUB EVENTS

**NORTHLAND 5A SWISS PAIRS** 17 September 2016

**BAY OF ISLANDS HOLIDAY PAIRS** 7 January 2017

**BAY OF ISLANDS HOLIDAY PAIRS** 8 January 2017


**KERIKERI DOLPHIN PAIRS** 11 March 2017

**KERIKERI OPEN PAIRS** 6 May 2017

**KERIKERI INTERMEDIATE PAIRS** 6 May 2017

**KERIKERI BOI NEW WORLD OPEN PAIRS** 29 July 2017

**NORTHLAND SWISS PAIRS** 23 September 2017

Export tournament list as:  Excel



← Club tournaments from the  
Tournament Schedule  
display here

Ask the NZB Secretary to  
amend details, but....

clubs will soon be able amend  
some information for their  
Tournaments themselves !



PROFILE IMAGE

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RATING POINTS #

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CURRENT MASTERPOINTS

Updated weekdays after 3pm.  
Your current Masterpoints are:NZB<sup>®</sup>Bridge

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# What is new ?

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CONGRESS

CLUBS

MASTERPOINTS

MY NZB

## My NZB page

- Allows for quick and easy access to your Masterpoints
  - Tournaments entered via the NZB website
  - Areas of interest
  - Subscriptions
  - Ability to amend basic information and photo
- ... there is more to come...

***NB:*** You must be registered to be able to view this information

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RATING POINTS #

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CURRENT MASTERPOINTS

Updated weekdays after 3pm.  
Your current Masterpoints are:

A 1111.11 B 1019 C 94



TITLE

Mr Your latest Masterpoints (if registered)

FIRST NAME

JO

SURNAME

BLOGGS



Your details that you can change

EMAIL ADDRESS

jbloggs@gmail.com

PHONE

075552222

If you would like to change your current password,  
please enter your new password into the two boxes below:

PASSWORD

CONFIRM PASSWORD

Tournaments you have entered via NZB website

EVENT ENTRIES



24 September 2016 NZ Open Pairs

PAID

27 September 2016 NZ Teams

PAID

### AREAS OF INTEREST

So that we can send you the most relevant updates, please select from the following topics which you would like to stay updated on:

- |  |   |  |
|--|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Club Secretaries        | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Congress            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Directing      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> International           | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New Zealand Bridge  | <input type="checkbox"/> Region Auckland Northland |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Region Canterbury       | <input type="checkbox"/> Region Central Districts       | <input type="checkbox"/> Region Otago Southland    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Region Top of the South | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Region Waikato Bays | <input type="checkbox"/> Region Wellington         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Teaching                | <input type="checkbox"/> Youth                          |  |

### SUBSCRIPTIONS



Choose which subscriptions that you would like to join (untick a box to end up a subscription):

- |  |   |  |
|--|---|--|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Important News         | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> News        | <input type="checkbox"/> Youth Updates   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Events                            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tournaments | <input type="checkbox"/> Upcoming Events |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Items in Cart Reminder |   |  |

You will receive an email about the News items posted each day

LOGOUT UPDATE PROFILE

## What is new ?



All Masterpoint tables are now listed here

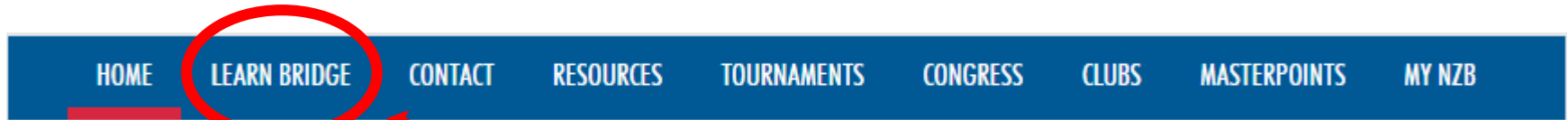
Placings

Pairs	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
3-10	10	5	3													
11-14	10	7	5	3												
15-18	10	8	6	4	2											
19-22	10	8	7	5	3	2										
23-26	10	9	7	6	4	3	1									
27-30	10	9	8	6	5	4	3	1								
31-34	10	9	8	7	6	4	3	2	1							
35-38	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1						
39-42	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	1					
43-46	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	2	1	1				
47-50	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	3	2	2	1	1			
51-54	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	4	3	3	2	2	1	1		
55-58	10	9	8	7	6	5	5	4	4	3	3	2	2	1	1	
59-62	10	9	8	7	6	6	5	5	4	4	3	3	2	2	1	1
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16



- Beginners
  - Improvers
- Intermediate to come*

## What is new ?



All lesson material clearly laid out here

<u>Contents</u>	<u>Student Notes</u>	<u>Quiz</u>	<u>Answers</u>	<u>Hands</u>	<u>Teacher Notes</u>	<u>Powerpoints</u>	<u>Videos</u>
Introduction	Lesson 1	Lesson 1	Lesson 1	Lesson 1	Lesson 1	Lesson 1 *	Lesson 1
1-Level Opening Bids	Lesson 2A	Lesson 2A	Lesson 2A	Lesson 2A	Lesson 2A	Lesson 2	Lesson 2
Responder's Limit Bids	Lesson 3A	Lesson 3A	Lesson 3A	Lesson 3A	Lesson 3A	Lesson 3	Lesson 3
Responder's New Suit Bids	Lesson 4A	Lesson 4A	Lesson 4A	Lesson 4A	Lesson 4A	Lesson 4	Lesson 4
Balanced Hands	Lesson 5A	Lesson 5A	Lesson 5A	Lesson 5A	Lesson 5A	Lesson 5	Lesson 5
Responder's Rebids	Lesson 6	Lesson 6	Lesson 6	Lesson 6	Lesson 6	Lesson 6	Lesson 6
Overcalls	Lesson 7	Lesson 7	Lesson 7	Lesson 7	Lesson 7	Lesson 7	Lesson 7
Takeout Double	Lesson 8	Lesson 8	Lesson 8	Lesson 8	Lesson 8	Lesson 8	Lesson 8
Pre-emptive Openings	Lesson 9	Lesson 9	Lesson 9	Lesson 9	Lesson 9	Lesson 9	Lesson 9
Strong Opening Bids	Lesson 10	Lesson 10	Lesson 10	Lesson 10	Lesson 10	Lesson 10	Lesson 10







LATEST NEWS RE NATIONAL CONGRESS

The National Congress is Nearly Here  
Sat 24th Sep-Sat 1st Oct

In just over a week to go, we will abandon our normal lives and focus on the National Bridge Congress. The really good news is we have similar entries to last year.

[Click here](#) to pay now, if you haven't already

Entry Numbers as at 15th Sept

NZ Open Pairs 53

Open Teams 95

NZ Intermediate Pairs 14

NZ Intermediate Pairs 45

NZ Senior Teams 18

Open Restricted Pairs 56

# What is new ?

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## Congress

- Allows for entering an event or events
- Allows for paying online
- View summary of events
- Access to Results
- News items and Bulletins
- Displays previous winners
- Venue details etc

# Summary of Congress events and timetable

	Day: Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Date:	Sept 23	Sept 24	Sept 25	Sept 26	Sept 27	Sept 28	Sept 29	Sept 30	Oct 01
<b>NZ Youth Teams</b>	9.30 AM								
<b>Rubber Bridge</b>	7:30 PM		7:30 PM	7.30pm					
<b>NZ Pairs</b>		12:00 PM	10:00 AM	9:30 AM					
<b>NZ Restricted Pairs</b>		12:00 PM	10:00 AM						
<b>Novice Pairs</b>			2:15 PM						
<b>Congress Pairs</b>			10:00 AM						
<b>Back To The Future Teams</b>				10:00 AM					
<b>Walk in Goulash Pairs</b>				7:30 PM					
<b>NZ Teams</b>					10:30 AM	9:30 AM			
<b>Point a Board Teams</b>							10:00 AM		
<b>NZ Senior Teams</b>							10:00 AM		
<b>NZ Intermediate Teams</b>							10:00 AM		
<b>NZ Teams top 16</b>							10:00 AM		
<b>NZ Senior Pairs</b>								10:00 AM	
<b>NZ Same Sex Pairs</b>								10:00 AM	
<b>NZ Mixed Pairs</b>								10:00 AM	
<b>NZ Teams top 8</b>							TBA	10:00 AM	
<b>NZ Intermediate Pairs</b>								10:00 AM	
<b>NZ Open Swiss Pairs</b>								7:30 PM	9:30 AM



## Other useful information

- NZB Manual
- International (events and application forms)
- Marketing material
- NZ Bridge Foundation
- Directing Regulations
- Youth
- System Cards
- Archives
- List of unaffiliated clubs







## What is coming ?

### Clubs will be able to:

- amend their own club page on the NZB website
- add details to their tournaments (NB: can't change the date)
- use the NZB Tournament booking system to take entries if they so wish to (just like the Congress events)
- manage members online
- automatically upload their club's Masterpoints
- receive automatic invoices



## What is coming ?

### Membership

#### Clubs will be able to:

- allocate computer numbers to new players
- change the status of a player from “**active**” to “**inactive**” or vice versa
- remove members or transfer them to another club



## What is coming ?

### Masterpoint uploads

#### Clubs will be able to:

- automatically process their Masterpoints immediately after an event
- reduce manual input by clubs and NZB

NB: The three main scoring software providers in NZ have been asked for their input





## What is coming ?

### Invoicing

#### **Clubs will be able to:**

- have their invoices automatically generated quarterly from the Masterpoint and membership updates
- have their invoices emailed to clubs
- be able to view their invoices on the NZB website



# NZBridge

## What is coming ?

Club admin page will look like this



The screenshot shows a web browser window with the address bar containing "nzbridge.mix:8080/nzbadmin/clubs,list,0.html". The browser's taskbar shows several open applications: "Most Visited", "Getting Started", "JMS Local", "http://fatchance.etheo...", "USB Host", "eTheory - zoe", and "Kleana Bins". The main content area of the browser displays the "NZBridge Administration" page. At the top of the page is the title "NZBridge Administration" and a link "[Return to Public Site](#)". Below the title is a horizontal navigation menu with eight buttons: "Players", "Clubs", "Entries", "Results", "Tournaments", "Regions", "Invoices", and "Exports". The "Results" button is highlighted in yellow. Below the navigation menu, the page content begins with the heading "Clubs".

## What is coming ?



### NZBridge Administration

[Return to Public Site](#)

## Club admin page will look like this

Players	Clubs	Entries	Results	Tournaments	Regions	Invoices	Exports
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### Clubs

Export Clubs

Add Club

Show 100 entries

Search:

Name	Club Number	Phone	Email	Website
<a href="#">Achilles</a>	1060			<a href="http://www.achillesbridgeclub.co.nz/index.php">http://www.achillesbridgeclub.co.nz/index.php</a>
<a href="#">Akarana</a>	103		<a href="mailto:akaranabridge@gmail.com">akaranabridge@gmail.com</a>	<a href="http://www.akaranabridge.co.nz/">http://www.akaranabridge.co.nz/</a>
<a href="#">Akaroa</a>	502	03 304 7084	<a href="mailto:akaroabridgeclub@gmail.com">akaroabridgeclub@gmail.com</a>	<a href="https://sites.google.com/site/akaroabridgeclub/">https://sites.google.com/site/akaroabridgeclub/</a>
<a href="#">Alexandra</a>	603	03 449 2559	<a href="mailto:alexbridge@farmside.co.nz">alexbridge@farmside.co.nz</a>	<a href="http://otagosouthlandbridge.org.nz/alexandra/">http://otagosouthlandbridge.org.nz/alexandra/</a>
<a href="#">Amberley</a>	1002		<a href="mailto:carylbrown@orcon.net">carylbrown@orcon.net</a>	
<a href="#">Ashburton</a>	503	03 308 4276	<a href="mailto:ashbridgeton@xtra.co.nz">ashbridgeton@xtra.co.nz</a>	<a href="https://sites.google.com/site/ashburtonbridgeclub/">https://sites.google.com/site/ashburtonbridgeclub/</a>
<a href="#">Auckland</a>	106	09 524 5562	<a href="mailto:aucklandbridgeclub@xtra.co.nz">aucklandbridgeclub@xtra.co.nz</a>	<a href="http://www.akbc.co.nz">http://www.akbc.co.nz</a>
<a href="#">Australia</a>	802			
<a href="#">Balclutha</a>	606	03 418 1120	<a href="mailto:balcluthabridgeclub@gmail.com">balcluthabridgeclub@gmail.com</a>	<a href="http://otagosouthlandbridge.org.nz/balclutha/">http://otagosouthlandbridge.org.nz/balclutha/</a>
<a href="#">Bishopdale</a>	1003			



# Club Edit mode

**Edit club** [X]

Club Name	<input type="text" value="Auckland"/>
Long Name	<input type="text" value="Auckland Bridge Club Inc"/>
Region	<input type="text" value="Auckland Northland Region"/>
Description	<input type="text" value="Nine club sessions weekly, tournaments, ample parking: something for everybody. Bank account ANZ 010258 0010388 00"/>
Phone	<input type="text" value="09 524 5562"/>
Primary Email	<input type="text" value="aucklandbridgeclub@xtra.co.nz"/>
Invoice Email	<input type="text" value="aucklandbridgeclub@xtra.co.nz"/>
Tournament Email	<input type="text" value="aucklandbridgeclub@xtra.co.nz"/>
Website	<input type="text" value="http://www.akbc.co.nz"/>
Results Address	<input type="text" value="http://www.akbc.co.nz/tournament.html"/>
Address	<input type="text" value="273 Remuera Rd, Auckland, NZ 1050"/>
President Name	<input type="text" value="Anne Barrowclough"/>
President Phone	<input type="text" value="09 524 5562"/>
President Email	<input type="text" value="aucklandbridgeclub@xtra.co.nz"/>
Secretary Name	<input type="text" value="Deborah Tangney"/>
Secretary Phone	<input type="text" value="09 524 5562"/>
Secretary Email	<input type="text" value="aucklandbridgeclub@xtra.co.nz"/>

Other edit screens will be similar

# NZBridge

## Watchpoints for NZB

- Accuracy of data
- Security
- Cost

## Benefits

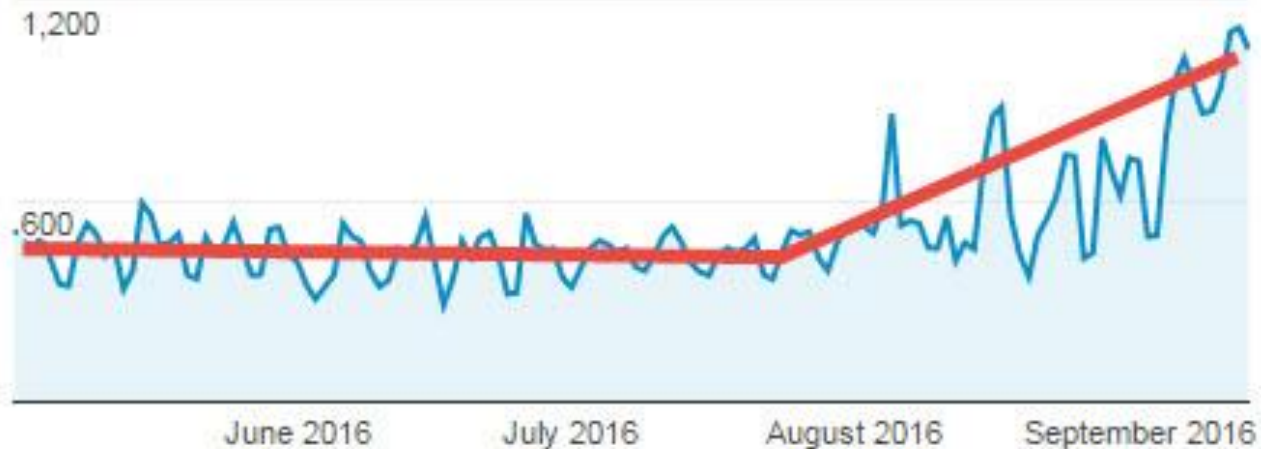
- Clubs in control of their membership
- Masterpoints will be processed quickly and easily
- More interest in Masterpoints
- Processing cost reduced in the long term
- Less paper and postage
- Increased efficiency and time saving



## Website stats for the last 3½ months

Number of Unique Users per day

● Users



May 1<sup>st</sup> to September 13<sup>th</sup> 2016

Notable increase when our international team was doing well in Poland at the World Champs



# NZBridge

## Website stats

1st May, 2016 to 13th Sept, 2016 - Top 8 pages

Page	No. Sessions
NZB - My NZB	6,762
NZB - MasterPoints	4,810
Teaching Materials	4,745
NZB - Learn Bridge	2,594
NZB - Tournaments	2,525
NZB - Clubs	1,731
NZB - North Island Pairs	1,098
NZB - PLAY and DEFENCE for Improving Players	1,097





## Website stats

Most Popular Content for the month from mid August to mid September

Page Title	Sessions
NZB   Official organisation for Bridge in NZ	9,078
Search anyone's masterpoints here	3,009
NZB - MasterPoints	1,963
Teaching Materials	799
NZB - News archive - Website improvements	748
NZB - Tournaments	743
NZB - News archive - 2016 World Bridge Games, Wroclaw	726
NZB - News archive - Kiwi Joy, but Spare a Thought for our Mixed Team	751
NZB - News archive - Kiwis in Poland	641
NZB - News archive - The Open Team's Quarter Final Match	639

# NZBridge

## Website stats for the last 3½ months

May 1<sup>st</sup> to September 13<sup>th</sup> 2016

### Countries Visitors - Top 5

Country	Users
 New Zealand	16,337
 Australia	850
 United States	488
 United Kingdom	423
 Canada	89

### Cities Visitors - Top 5

City	Users
Auckland	5,679
Christchurch	2,042
Wellington	1,851
Hamilton	1,286
Tauranga	949



We want the NZB website to be a source of information, news items and resource for Regions, clubs and players. It is yours, you own it, so your feedback is welcome.

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