

RIVER STRAND (RS) LADIES BRIDGE GROUP ORGANIZATION GUIDELINES

12 FEB 2015

1. Goals of the RS Ladies :Bridge Group:
 - a. Socialization
 - i. Relaxed, tension-free environment;
 - ii. All play – feel wanted and worthy
 - b. Challenging bridge
 - c. Consistently learn new bridge skills
2. Tenets:
 - a. Respectful and polite communication at all times
 - b. All Bridge Group members are invited and/or notified of all sessions
3. Bridge Group Members and Priority of Players:
 - a. Category One: All Category One members have equal status
 - i. Owners in River Strand (includes Sanctuary owners with Golf or Social memberships)
 - ii. Renters to whom the unit membership has been transferred vis-à-vis proper documentation with the club and payment of the required monetary transfer fee.
 - b. Category Two: Guests of Members may play by invitation to complete tables.
4. Procedures:
 - a. RS Club Bridge will meet Monday and Friday mornings from 9:30AM to Noon.
 - b. Players will self-nominate for each bridge session stipulating as to their desired level of play (social, competitive, or flexible).
 - c. Reservations will be accepted on a “first come, first serve basis” by playing level.
5. Location of play:
 - a. Usual: Card Room in the Main RS Clubhouse
 - b. Accommodation: until 13 April 2015, play will be in the RS Dining Room except for 09 and 23 March 2015 due to special events.
 - c. Future: A two week advance notice will be provided to the Ladies Bridge Group of any other location changes that may be necessary.
6. Volunteers will be sought to coordinate and/or assist session coordinators.
7. Housekeeping:
 - a. Please arrive a few minutes early to each session;
 - b. No cell phones unless there is an imminent situation;
 - c. Please keep up with the pace of play;
 - d. All questions should be directed to the session coordinator;
 - e. Members are encouraged to continue socializing over lunch after play has ended.
8. All RS Bridge Group rules and procedures will be posted on the River Strand Golf and Country Club website.