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Day of Bridge

Wednesday, June 19th

The **London Bridge Centre** will again be hosting a **Day of Bridge** in support of the [Alzheimer Society London and Middlesex](#).

Many of us have, or had, people we know and cherish who suffer from Alzheimer's disease. It can be a long and difficult journey for both the patient and the caregiver. All funds raised at LBC will go to support the London and Middlesex chapter's social and recreational programs for those in the early and middle stages of this disease.

There are several ways to support this charitable event.



Play Bridge

1:00 – 4:15

0 – 300 and Open Game

4:30 – 6:00

Bridge Express, Open

18 Boards

Includes pizza for \$1 per slice.

6:30 – 9:30

0 – 150 and Open Game

Jackie Potters will make a special donation of \$25 for each player who plays in all three games. So, try to plan to play in all three sessions and increase our overall donations to the Alzheimer Society London and Middlesex.

Day of Bridge *cont'd*



The Silent Auction

Please bring items in this week. Items will be displayed for sale from Monday, June 17th until Wednesday, June 19th at 7:00 p.m.

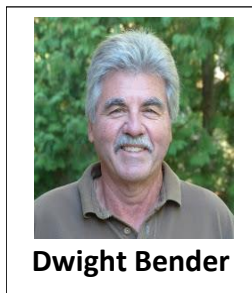
NOTE: When you submit an item for auction, please complete an information form and attach it to the item. Forms are found in the office, tacked on the bulletin board.



Play with a Master

Bidding sheets to play with a master will be available from Monday, June 10 until Tuesday, June 18th at 7 p.m. The game with a Master is played on Wednesday evening at 7:00 p.m.

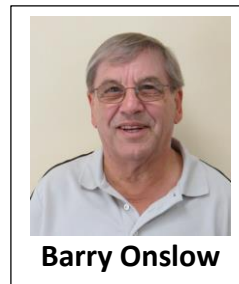
Tom Jolliffe will match the total of all four bids for *Play with a Master*.



Dwight Bender



Mary Howe



Barry Onslow



Peter Tuttle



Please Donate

Link from the [LBC website](#) or click [here](#), to make a direct donation to Alzheimer's Society London and Middlesex, giving credit to LBC for those funds.

A representative from the **Alzheimer Society** will be available at LBC on **Tuesday, June 18th** to answer questions. Donations may be made, by cheque, payable to the Alzheimer Society London and Middlesex. A donation box will be placed on a table by the front counter. Any **donation of \$20 or more** will receive a **tax receipt**, including the bids for the Master game. Silent auction items are not eligible for a receipt as concrete value is received for payment.

Please plan to join in the fun and support your local chapter of the Alzheimer Society.

Upcoming Events



We still need volunteers for LBC representation at the [Age Friendly London Conference](#) which is an event for older adults, seniors, family, caregivers, and community members to learn about resources & services for seniors.

It will be held on **Wednesday, June 26th** from 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the [London Hellenic Centre](#), 133 Southdale Road W.

Help is needed for 1 to 1 ½ hour shifts throughout the day, to either demonstrate bridge play or hand out brochures and answer questions about our thriving club.

If you have questions or would like to help, please contact [Sheila Elston](#) at sheila.j@hay.net

Special Games

❖ **Sunday, June 16th @ 1:00 p.m.**

Open Pairs. Please sign up by Friday, June 14th

❖ **Sunday, June 23rd @ 1:00 p.m.**

Novice/Bracketed team tournament at LBC (Unit Sanction, **EXTRA POINTS**)

❖ **June 10th – June 14th**

North American Pairs Qualifier

red/black points, \$2 surcharge

Tuesday, June 11th

Eve

Wednesday, June 12th

Aft

Thursday, June 13th

Aft (0 – 1500 game)

Friday, June 14th

Morn/Aft

Events cont'd

Tournaments

Sarnia Blue Water Sectional: June 29th – 30th

For Information, click [here](#).

Toronto Regional: July 2nd – 7th

For information, click [here](#).

LBC



June 9th



Joane Watts, Sally McHenry, Viv Tillotson

Whenever Joane visits from Toronto she comes to LBC with her friend Viv. Welcome Joane!

Learning Opportunities at LBC

To view all, click [here](#).

Friendly
Reminder

Did you sign up for the Master-Rookie
Team Game, Monday, June 10th @ 6:30?

NOTE: Please arrive by 6:15 to meet with your team.



Last session for Saturday morning Practise & Play is June 22nd.
It resumes September 14th.

Lost & Found continues on Mondays at noon, weekly, with **Dwight Bender**. Join us!

Ask Dwight

If you are wondering how to defend better or bid to the best game or slam, there is help available. Click on *Ask Dwight* and submit your question. He will respond within 24 hours.

Dear Dwight,

On Thursday afternoon on April 18th,
the bidding for Board 8 was:

P/P/1H/P

1NT/P/3H

Who should put E/W into game in
hearts?

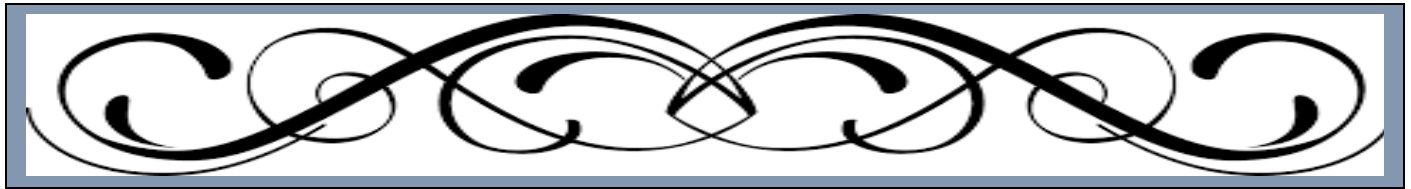
Thanks,

J. Asking

Click [here](#), for Dwight's response.

North		West		East		South		HCPs	
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♠	10 9 8 5	♠	A J 6 2	♠	K 7	♠	Q 4 3	11	
♥	6 5 4	♥	10 9	♥	A K Q J 8 7	♥	3 2	6	17
♦	A Q 5	♦	J 10 9 7 4	♦	6 2	♦	K 8 3	6	
♣	K Q 6	♣	7 4	♣	A 8 2	♣	J 10 9 5 3	6	

[Thursday, April 18, aft. # 8](#)



In Memoriam

Our bridge community is remembering two congenial members who passed away recently. Each of these gentlemen thoroughly enjoyed the game and the camaraderie it provides. Our thoughts are with their family and friends. We will miss them at the table.



Don Chunn

To view information about his life and memorial, click [here](#).



Doug Henry

To view information about his life and memorial, click [here](#).

For up to date information, visit the LBC website:

www.londonbridgecentre.ca

If you have questions or comments regarding the newsletter, contact [Adele Woolfe](#), editor.