## **Social Bridge**

The Geelong Bridge Cub is introducing a Social Bridge session on Friday mornings (10 a.m. to 12 noon) from Oct 17 until Dec 5. These will be purely social sessions with no director, no pre-dealt boards, no timed rounds or results. Players will not need to come with a partner. The expectation will be that people make up a four as they arrive. Once a group has played four deals, they will find a new group of four. You will not need to be a member of a bridge club to participate.

The sessions will run as a trial for eight weeks and are primarily aimed at beginner or intermediate players who have recently completed lessons, are returning to bridge or who simply don't want to play duplicate (competitive) bridge. Some advice / coaching will be provided for anyone who wants to develop their understanding of bridge. If there is sufficient interest, further sessions will be arranged in 2026.

The Social Bridge sessions will be held at the Geelong Bridge Club at 148-152 Portarlington Road, Newcomb. There will be a \$5 charge per person per session to cover amenity costs. To assist organisational arrangements, please register your interest on the Geelong Bridge Club calendar or with Social Bridge facilitator Phil Dunlop-Moore at <a href="mailto:phildunlopmoore@gmail.com">phildunlopmoore@gmail.com</a> In addition, Phil can be contacted to answer any questions or queries.