

BRIDGE MARATHON INFORMATION FOR 2026-27 SEASON

The Brown County Community Women's Club currently has eleven **Bridge Marathon groups**, and players are welcome to play in multiple groups. Annual **Bridge dues for the current season are as follows:**

- BCCWC Members -- \$18/per player per group **
- Non-Members -- \$25/per player per group

To qualify for the "member rates" for the coming bridge season, you must hold a BCCWC membership for the 2026-27 fiscal club year (July 1, 2026 thru June 30, 2027). **Men who play in our groups may sign up at the "member rate" if their spouse is a BCCWC member. Since this is a fundraiser for the BCCWC, a minimum of \$10 of each player's bridge dues goes directly into the BCCWC Community Contribution Award Fund (those funds are dispersed at the end of the club year to many worthy Brown County charities). This past season, the bridge marathons provided over \$4,500 to this contribution award fund! Additionally, cash prizes are awarded at the end of the year based on \$5/per player/per group. Thanks to all for your support of this great BCCWC fundraiser!

<u>FIRST TUESDAY -- Regular Marathon -</u> <u>Lunch Group – Teams</u> meet as a group at a restaurant during the months of: **Sept, Oct, Nov, Dec. & April**.

<u>FIRST TUESDAY – DUPLICATE</u> – Lunch Group -- Teams meet as a group at a restaurant during the months of: Sept, Oct, Nov, Dec, Jan, Feb, & April.

<u>SECOND TUESDAY – DUPLICATE</u> -- Lunch Group -- Teams meet as a group at a restaurant during the months of: Sept, Oct, Nov, Dec, Jan, Feb & April.

<u>THIRD TUESDAY -- Regular Marathon</u> -- Lunch Groups - Teams meet at a restaurant during the months of: **Sept, Oct, Nov, Dec. & April**.

<u>THIRD TUESDAY -- DUPLICATE</u> -- Lunch Group -- Teams meet as a group a restaurant during the months of: Sept, Oct, Nov, Dec, Jan, Feb & April.

<u>THIRD THURSDAY "FULL DECK" – Regular Marathon</u> – This group meets at Christ Community Lutheran Church and will start play at Noon during months of June, July, Aug, Sept, Oct, Nov & Dec.

<u>FOURTH TUESDAY MORNING -- DUPLICATE</u> – Teams meet as a group at Christ Community Lutheran Church gathering room with games starting at 9:30 am for the months of: Sept, Oct, Nov, Jan, Feb, & April.

FIRST FRIDAY MORNING -- "Swiss Teams DUPLICATE" -- Teams meet as a group in the Christ Community Lutheran Church gathering room with games starting at 9 am for the months of: Sept, Oct, Nov, Dec, Jan, Feb, & April.

<u>SECOND FRIDAY MORNING -- DUPLICATE</u> -- Teams meet as a group at Christ Community Lutheran Church gathering room with games starting at 9 am for the months of: Sept, Oct, Nov, Dec, Jan, Feb, & April.

<u>NOTE:</u>All of the above groups require that players find their own sub if they are unable to attend, as all games are played on the specified day and time!

<u>"YELLOW GROUP" & "BLUE GROUP"</u> -- Two separate FLEXIBLE MARATHON GROUPS --

Maximum of 8 Teams in each group who have "flexible scheduling" of their own games with their opponents. Some play at a restaurant; some prefer to play in their homes. A schedule is provided, however, games may be played at any time after the schedules are out.

You are welcome to join as many groups as you want – provided there is space available.

If you have any questions or need further information about any of our groups, please contact Carol Simpson: 983-9550 or simpsoncj4310@gmail.com

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