



New Zealand Bridge

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**New Zealand Bridge in association with the Australian Directors
Association and Auckland Regional Committee**

Presents

The ABDA Interactive Workshop for New Zealand Directors

**14th & 15th August 2010 at the Auckland Bridge Club, commencing at 10am
both days**

For the past 3 years the ABF and ABDA have sponsored a very popular Workshop for Directors in Sydney, Melbourne and Brisbane. This year, in addition to a workshop in Perth, the Board of NZ Bridge has been fortunate to bring the event to New Zealand.

The regular presenters are:

- **Laurie Kelso** – CTD of Victoria, Editor of the popular ABDA Directors' Bulletin and Chair of the ABF Laws Committee
- **Matthew McManus** – CTD for NSW and Chief Scorer for the Gold Coast Congress & Deputy CTD of the NZ National Congress
- **Sean Mullamphy** – Chief Director of the ABF
- **Arie Geursen** – Chief Director of NZ Bridge.

The Workshop comprises a series of short talks that cover a wide range of topics including key laws like the insufficient bid law, unauthorised information, adjusted scores, partnership understandings, systems and alerting, claims, appeals, as well as break-out groups and Q & A panel discussions.

There will also be a session on dealing machines and scoring with and without BridgePads and general administrative matters in Clubs.

Although the workshop is open to all Directors, whether qualified or not, the talks will generally be pitched at those Directors who have sat or intend to sit their Club / Tournament Directors Exams.

The event will be hosted by the Auckland Regional Committee. It will be over two days finishing around 4pm on Sunday 15th (Saturday evening will be free for social interaction).

There will be a charge of \$25 per person (collected on day one) – to cover the cost of catering, for morning and afternoon teas, and lunches on both days.

Intending participants are invited to register with the Secretary of NZ Bridge via the Contact details below.

Participants are responsible for their own travel and accommodation and it is recommended that flights are booked early to take advantage of the lower fares.

Some billeting may be available so please email the Secretary of the Auckland Region Angela Royle (rebc@xtra.co.nz) who may be able to assist you.

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