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ENTRY FEES

GALA PAIRS	€10 per player
MIXED PAIRS	€10 per player
CONGRESS PAIRS	€20 per player
INTER PAIRS	€20 per player
TEAM OF FOUR	€20 per player
OPEN PAIRS	€10 per player

SLIGO PARK HOTEL

Phone: 071 9190400

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The Sligo Park Hotel is a Grade A Hotel situated one mile from Sligo on the Dublin Road. It is a modern hotel with 140 en-suite bedrooms and conference facilities for up to 500 people.

A Leisure Centre of the highest standard was added to the hotel in 1989 and the service is courteous and professional.

SPECIAL WEEKEND RATES

2 Nights B & B and 1 Dinner
€149 per person sharing
3 Nights B & B and 1 Dinner
€179 per person sharing
Friday B&B €115 per room
Saturday B&B €155 per room

Contact Bernadette Coffey at Reception.

GENERAL INFORMATION

The Congress Committee reserves the right to refuse any entry without stating a reason, and to decide any question arising in the course of the Congress. No player can win more than one prize in the same competition. Prizes will be awarded in the order listed in the brochure. Only bona fide regular members of a Co. Sligo Bridge Club will be eligible for a 'Best Sligo' prize. The Committee reserve the right to modify the programme and prize money if considered necessary and their decision is final. All events are played under the International Laws of Duplicate Contract Bridge 2007 as adopted by the C.B.A.I. Tournament Directors have the authority to seed players. It is not necessary to enter in advance for the Open Pairs Competitions. Events will commence punctually. All players are required to take their places at least ten minutes before the starting time shown on the programme. Entrants for Open Pairs are requested to fill up one section at a time.

HOTELS

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GLASS HOUSE HOTEL	(071-9194300)
SLIGO CITY HOTEL	(071-9141000)
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Park House, Pearse Rd. (071-9170333)
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TRAIN TIMES

	DUBLIN - SLIGO	
	Depart	Arrive
FRIDAY	7.05 am	10.09 am
&	9.05 am	12.10 pm
SATURDAY	11.05 am	2.10 pm
	1.05 pm	4.10 pm
	3.05 pm	6.10 pm
	SLIGO - DUBLIN	
	Depart	Arrive
SUNDAY	9.00 am	12.03 pm
	11.00 am	1.55 pm
	1.00 pm	4.06 pm
	3.00 pm	5.59 pm
	5.00 pm	8.04 pm
	7.00 pm	10.09 pm

PRIZES

GALA OPEN PAIRS PERPETUAL SALVER

(Presented by the late Nan Hender)

Prizes for the top 10 pairs plus Best Inter 'B' Pair.

MIXED PAIRS CHAMPIONSHIP

(Dr. Michael Martin Cup)

1st (€100 each), 2nd, 3rd, Best Intermediate, Best Regional Pair, Best Sligo Pair.

CONGRESS PAIRS CHAMPIONSHIP

(Summerville Cup)

1st (€250 each), 2nd, 3rd plus Best Regional, Best Sligo plus Sessional Prizes.

INTERMEDIATE PAIRS CHAMPIONSHIP

(Dr. Heraughty Memorial Cup)

1st (€250 each), 2nd, 3rd plus Best Inter "B" Pair, Second Inter 'B', Best Regional Pair, Best Sligo Pair plus Sessional Prizes.

Sligo Park Hotel Trophy will be awarded to the Best Intermediate "B" Pair.

TEAM OF FOUR CHAMPIONSHIP

(The Peig Murray Perpetual Salver)

1st (€200 each), 2nd, 3rd, plus Intermediate, Best Regional and Best Sligo Team.

OPEN PAIRS:

MITCHELLS (9+ TABLES):

1st N/S & 1st E/W	€25 per player
2nd N/S & 2nd E/W	€20 per player
3rd N/S & 3rd E/W	€15 per player

HOWELLS/SCRAMBLED MITCHELLS (<9 TABLES):

1st Prize	€25 per player
2nd Prize	€20 per player
3rd Prize	€15 per player

D. M. HANLEY PERPETUAL TROPHY

to be awarded to the player with highest points in Open Pairs over all sessions, including Sunday afternoon (5-4-3-2-1). Gala Pairs/Mixed Pairs % will be used as a tie-breaker.

Holders: Colette McCool and Ted McQuilkin.

INNISFREE PERPETUAL SALVER

(Presented by the late Olivia Rowlette)

to be awarded to the Sligo Player with the highest points in Open Pairs over all sessions, including Sunday afternoon (5-4-3-2-1). Gala Pairs/Mixed Pairs % will be used as a tie-breaker. Holder: Margaret Nally.

PROGRAMME

FRIDAY 27th MAY

OFFICIAL OPENING

Time 7.30 pm
by Katherine Lennon C.B.A.I

MIXED PAIRS

Time 7.45 pm
Holders: Cass O'Donnell
J.C. Boyle.

GALA OPEN PAIRS

Time 7.45 pm
Holders: Mairín Uí Ruanaí
Anna McKiernan

PRESENTATION OF PRIZES

Time: 11.30 pm

SATURDAY 28th MAY

CONGRESS PAIRS

Time: 1.30pm & 7.15pm
Holders: Marion O'Connor,
Paul Waldron

INTERMEDIATE PAIRS

Time: 1.30pm & 7.15pm
Holders 'A': Maria Wallace
Robert Wallace
Holders 'B': Eva Giblin
Helen O'Meara

OPEN PAIRS

Afternoon: 2.00pm
Evening: 7:30pm

NOVICE CHAMPIONSHIP

Time: 7.30pm

SOCIAL - ADMISSION FREE

Time: 10.30pm

PRESENTATION OF PRIZES

Time: 11.00pm

SUNDAY 29th MAY

TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP

Time: 11.00am - 5.30pm
(7x6 Board 'live' Barometer Swiss)
Holders: Paul Scannell
Enda Glynn
Maureen Pattison
Bob Pattinson

Short Break: 1:30pm - 2.00pm

OPEN PAIRS

Morning: 11.00 am
Evening: 2.30 pm

CLOSING CEREMONY

Time: 5:30pm



YEATS COUNTRY

49th

ANNUAL BRIDGE CONGRESS

SLIGO PARK HOTEL

27th - 29th MAY 2011

**PRIZEFUND
IN EXCESS OF €8000**