First Name Please assist by writing you name and Last Name address on the left side and completing Address

the following information:

Evening Phone: Fax Number: Postcode Daytime Phone: Mobile Phone:

Email Address

Masterpoint Number:

Date of Birth

The ABF Youth Committee has a very strict policy of not releasing any details including phone numbers from this database.

THE YOUTH DATABASE

The ABF is establishing a database of Youth players. By maintaining this database we are able to communicate with you about special events, contact you if we have tournaments which may be of interest to you or fax (or email) you with details of a special event. Please respond to this survey as we believe that your feedback is essential to the long term growth of Youth Bridge.

SURVEY OF PLAYERS

YOUR BRIDGE HISTORY

What got you interested in bridge?

f Family f Friends

f Bridge in a club f As a result of association with chess f Played 500 f Bridge club at school or university

Other (specify) _____

Who taught you to play bridge?

f Family member f Teacher at school

f Bridge teacher in a club f Friend Computer Program f Self-taught

Other (specify) _____

How long have you been playing bridge

f less than 1 year f between 1 and 2 years f between 2 and 3 years f between 3 and 5 years

f more than 5 years

How would you rate your game relative to other youth players

f Good Clubf Average Club f Improver f Beginner f Expert

YOUR YOUTH PARTICIPATION

Do you participate in regular youth sea	£	Yes	£	No	
Do you participate in regular club duplicate sessions			Yes	£	No
If YES which club					
How often do you participate		Clu	.b	You	th
Once a week		£		£	
Once a fortnight		£		£	
Once a month		£		£	
Irregularly		£		£	
Preferred playing environment					
	Prefer	Dor	ı't	Pref	er
		Min	ıd	No	t
Social Youth	£	£		£	
Social Open	£	£		£	
Youth Tournament	£	£		£	
Open Tournament	£	£		£	
Bridge online (over the internet)	£	£		£	
Computer Bridge Programs	£	£		£	
Other (specify)					
Are you bridge activities limited by stu	dy pressures	£	Yes	£	No
Are you bridge activities limited by train	nsport issues	£	Yes	£	No
Have you participated in State Youth S	£	Yes	£	No	
Have you represented your State at the ANC				£	No
Have you participated in National You	th Selection Ever	nts £	Yes	£	No
Have you represented Australia Overse	eas	£	Yes	£	No
YOUR INPUT					
Do you have an internet bridge accour	nt?	£	Yes	£	No
On which sites do you play					
Okbridge		£	Yes	£	No
Yahoo		£	Yes	£	No
MSN		£	Yes	£	No
Include Winbridge apparently Other					

If YES approximately how many boards (hands) a week do you play

Yahoo MSN Winbridge		
Other Please provide your views on the future of tournamer suburban bridge clubs can play in the promotion of Y	Youth bridge in	the light of
bridge on the internet.		
Have you had any problems finding youth games or youth partners	f Yes	f No
If YES please provide details and suggestions how the	ese problems n	nay be solved.
Do you have any suggestions as to how your State Asparticipation in its youth program?		
Are you aware of your State Association's method of	selecting Youth	Teams
Do you have any comments on the fairness of the sel	lection methods	5

Do you have any Youth Teams, Pa								
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Do you believe it Youth Champior				_			a World	_
Do you think you	u will b	o plavina	s bridge re	gularly in				_ _
Do you think you 1 year's time 5 year's time	f Ye	s f	No	3 yea	rs' time ar's time			No No
SESSIONS Please tick the						bridge o	or alterna	ativel
number the follo	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri		Sun	
Morning	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
Mid Afternoon [1:30 to 4:00pm]	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
Late Afternoon [4:00 to 6:30pm]	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
Evening	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
SESSION TIMES								
Please tick the se	ession t	imes mo	st suitabl	e to vou:				
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Morning			-J~		f 10:00			
Afternoon		£ 4:00 -	- 6:00		f 1:30 -			
Evening		f 7:30 - 10:30 f 7:30 - 10:30						
Alternatives rega	rding t	imes						
or length of sess								

INFLUENCING FACTORS IN SELECTING WHERE TO PLAY

Please number (from 1 most to 11 least) the factors which influence where you play bridge:

Not a Factor Mild Factor A Consideration Important

	Not a Factor	Mild Factor	A Consideration	Important
Club finding partners for players	£	£	£	£
Cost	£	£	£	£
Director	£	£	£	£
Instant scoring	£	£	£	£
Kitchen on site	£	£	£	£
Location of club/venue	£	£	£	£
Masterpoints	£	£	£	£
Other Players	£	£	£	£
Other - Give Details if you wish	£	£	£	£
Parking	£	£	£	£
Pre-dealt hands	£	£	£	£
Prizes	£	£	£	£
Proximity to public transport.	£	£	£	£
Strength of the Field	£	£	£	£
Surroundings	£	£	£	£
Youth Only Sessions Bar	£	£	£	£
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The ABF Youth committee have prepared this survey in an effort to increase participation in youth bridge. Please feel free to provide any additional comments you may have on the issue of youth bridge, how it is currently operated and promoted and any improvements which you believe should be considered.

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On behalf of the ABF Youth committee, thank you the time taken to participate in this important survey.

David, Peter, David, Andrew and Kylie

Address for completed questionnaire and reference to website for completion