Dear members and friends of the Edmonton Bridge Centre,

Thank you for supporting the club with your membership and attendance. The change to Covid measures in June, such that masks are optional, has been well received. A portion of our attendees feel safer wearing masks, but everyone is glad to be playing together again.

The Board was planning to have a Semi-annual General Meeting and BBQ for Saturday August 13<sup>th</sup>, but this event has now been **cancelled**. Due in part to the resignation of the treasurer, the Board has decided to delay giving an interim financial update to the members. They are also looking at having a different social event for members to gather in the fall.

We are continuing with our live and online game schedule through August and will announce changes before September. We are planning now for lessons and seminars to resume in the fall. We will have an Open House on Saturday September 17, noon to 5 pm. Tell your friends.

The Unit wants you to know about 2 upcoming events. There will be a Rookie Master game on Saturday August 27, 1:00 – 4:00 pm. Again, the format is at each table 1 master is guiding 3 players who want to learn and have fun. Registration at the club. Then on Friday Sept 30 thru Sunday Oct 2, the Unit will host the Edmonton Sectional at our club.

The club will have championship games at live sessions August 8 – 11. Rubber bridge happens regularly on Saturday afternoons. We are planning a special day of rubber bridge on Saturday Sept 24. More details to follow. We look forward to seeing you at the club when you can make it.

Thank you for your attention to this letter and your participation in our club. You are great members, and we will continue to create a great club for you.

Matthew

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