

## Novice News – Fathers Day Special by Stephen Bennett

With Fathers Day (5<sup>th</sup> September) fast approaching here are a few gift ideas.

1. A years' subscription to the **Australian Bridge Magazine**. QCBC pay for the Novice version of this magazine, which is great. If you are looking for a more challenging read this could be for you.
2. **Paul Marston** has just released an updated version of **The Language of Bidding**. He is wonderfully clear and easy to follow. If you do not have a copy of this at home, get one.
3. **Barbara's Bridge Tips by Barbara Seagram**. I have read an extract from this book and it was fascinating. She has a very readable style with short punchy chapters. I can't wait to read this book.

These gifts also work as present options too if you are not a Father!!!

And the day before Fathers Day, on the 4<sup>th</sup> September, QCBC is holding the **QLD Graded Matchpoint Pairs**. There is a <150MPs section and at time of writing over half the pairs are from QCBC. So, if you have not entered yet, make sure you do.