

Bev Watson

New ACBL Life Master

Anyone who has been working on getting their Life Master for a long time can probably relate to this. Bev first joined the Saskatoon Bridge Club in the early nineties when she and a friend enrolled in the Club series of lessons. At that time Bev had been playing social bridge every two weeks with a group of ladies. She realized that while she really enjoyed the evenings her bridge was not improving. Bev had intended on just taking the eight weeks of lessons and going back to her evening games. Instead she discovered how much more there was to this game than she had ever imagined. Soon Bev had signed up for the next set of lessons and so on. She was hooked. Bev's been playing at the Club ever since. Bev doesn't play as often as some people but she always look forward to the couple of games a week that she usually plays.

Shirley Hill, whom she met through the lessons, was an early partner. Olga Belovanoff and Bev played for several years in the Friday afternoon game. Her long time friend, Patricia Long is her steady partner and they've played together in a number of Regionals including the recent Regina one where bev earned the gold points she needed. Many others too numerous to mention have played with Bev over the years. Also important are the experienced players that made her feel welcome and offered invaluable advice and suggestions.

Up until a few years ago she never considered working towards getting her Life Master. Bev's real goal was to improve my game. That remains her goal. Bridge is a great game and it has added a great deal to her life. Bev has made new friends, been challenged intellectually, and spent many happy hours at this pastime. Bev hopes to keep playing many more games.