



# ANC Bulletin

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## ANC Half-Way Scores (Round 7)

OPEN				WOMEN		
		Score	IMPs		Score	IMPs
1	SA	323.8	157	WA	382.7	201
2	NSW	305.9	69	NSW	378	160
3	QLD	286.5	76	ACT	272.4	31
4	TAS	231.2	-3	TAS	233.9	-39
5	WA	229.2	-51	SA	211.3	61
6	VIC	228.1	-25	VIC	200.9	-63
7	ACT	224.5	-25	QLD	181	-82
8	NT	127.1	-198	NT	95.2	-269

SENIORS				YOUTH		
		Score	IMPs		Score	IMPs
1	ACT	405.4	191	WA	254.8	87
2	VIC	384	212	VIC	206.2	33
3	SA	323.5	158	NSW	196	30
4	QLD	229.7	-9	QLD	173.7	20
5	NSW	190.3	-70	SA	143.3	2
6	WA	160.4	-117	ACT	60.9	-205
7	TAS	135.7	-207			
8	NT	125.7	-158			

## Skycity Congress Teams Results

OPEN	
1	Therese Tully – David Beauchamp – Kim Morrison – Tony Hutton
2	Elizabeth Gibson – Neil Gibson – Jocelyn Steele – John Steele
RESTRICTED	
1	Greg Nicholson – Jean Barbour – Murray Wiggins – Caroline Chapman
TOP NT TEAM	
1	Stephen Hughes – Audrey Hadley – Paul Buck – Alan Moy



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Many thanks to Lyn Barlow, Judy Herring, Cathy Warthold and Therese Demarco for all their hard work.

Today's Bid of the day was offered by Roger Watts for deal 7 of Round 7 of the Interstate Teams. Our Bridge Correspondent thinks you will all remember it well -

	♠ 8		DLR: S
	♥ 4		Vul: Both
	♦ A K Q J 9 7		
	♣ A K T 7 4		
♠ A J T 7 5 3 2		♠ K Q 9 6 4	
♥ K 8		♥ A Q J 6 2	
♦ 4		♦ 6 5 3	
♣ J 9 5		♣ -	
	♠ -		
	♥ T 9 7 5 3		
	♦ T 8 2		
	♣ Q 8 6 3 2		

At Roger's table the bidding went -

North	East	South	West
		Pass	3S
5D	6S	Pass	Pass
<b>7C</b>	All pass		

7C undoubled, one off was an excellent result for NS as at other tables (your Bridge Correspondent has learned) EW played in 7S (making when a diamond wasn't led), 6S or 5SX. Commonly North overcalled 4NT for the minors, so 7C was a very reasonable sacrifice over 6S.

Thanks Roger – you're in the draw for that bottle of red.

### Dunning–Kruger effect

Taken from Wikipedia, Grant Kilvington (the old fart in the Vic Youth team) thinks that this may strike a chord with many people.

Forgive the technical terminology, or ask Kate Smith (WA Women's Captain) for a crash course in shrink talk.

The **Dunning–Kruger effect** is a cognitive bias in which unskilled individuals suffer from illusory superiority, mistakenly rating their ability much higher than average. This bias is attributed to a metacognitive inability of the unskilled to recognize their mistakes.

Actual competence may weaken self-confidence, as competent individuals may falsely assume that others have an equivalent understanding. As Kruger and Dunning conclude, "the miscalibration of the incompetent stems from an error about the self, whereas the miscalibration of the highly competent stems from an error about others".

*(It's not clear whether all this philosophy came to mind before or after deal 7 – Ed.)*

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