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**BALLINA MAH JONG CLUB
REPORT FOR 2017/18**

Another successful year for Ballina Mah Jong Club at Ballina Bridge Club. Once again our thanks to the Bridge Club for its ongoing support.

Numbers continue to be between 30-40 players each Friday.

In October 2017 we celebrated our 19th Birthday. Champion player for the year was Joy Lowien, runner-up Lorna Simpson. Among our newer players the trophy for the Most Improved player was won by Janeen Jarvis.

Our Christmas celebration took the form of play followed by a festive afternoon tea. Once again the Bridge Club generously waived the \$5 playing fee. We are indeed grateful for this continuing support.

The National Mah Jong Festival this year was held in Yeppoon. Although only three players from our club were able to attend it was an excellent and thoroughly enjoyable occasion. While we did not make the top place-getters Vanessa Reynolds acquitted herself very well coming in at 7th place in over 120 competitors. Next year's Festival, being organised by the Rockhampton Club, is to be held on Norfolk Island.

This week we were welcomed to the newly-painted club house, now looking very smart with new blinds and the new chairs. We are lucky to have such a comfortable and pleasant venue and look forward to the coming year.

Susan Allan
Co-ordinator

assisted by Shirley Henry and Diana Auret