TRAIN TIMES

FRIDAY & SATURDAY	DUBLIN - SLIGO Depart 8.00 am 11.05 am 13.05 am 3.05 pm 4.00 pm	Arrive 11.09 am 2.10 pm 4.10 pm 6.06 pm 7.09 pm
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	Depart	Arrive
Y	9.00 am	12.03 pm
	11.00 am	1.55 pm
	1.00 pm	4.06 pm
	3.00 pm	6.00 pm
	4.30 pm	7.32 pm
	6.00 pm	9.09 pm

There is a regular Bus Service from the Train Station to the Radisson Blu Hotel

PRIZES

GALA OPEN PAIRS PERPETUAL SALVER

(Presented by the late Nan Hender) Prizes for the top 10 pairs plus Best Inter 'B' Pair.

MIXED PAIRS CHAMPIONSHIP

(Dr. Michael Martin Cup) 1st (€100 each), 2nd, 3rd, Best Intermediate, Best Regional Pair, Best Sligo Pair.

CONGRESS PAIRS CHAMPIONSHIP

(Summerville Cup) 1st (€250 each), 2nd, 3rd plus Best MA, Regional, Sligo plus Sessional Prizes.

INTERMEDIATE PAIRS CHAMPIONSHIP

(Dr. Heraughty Memorial Cup) 1st (€250 each), 2nd, 3rd plus Best "A2" Pair, Best Inter "B" Pair (trophy kindly donated by Mary Kelly-Rogers), Second Inter 'B', Best Regional Pair, Best Sligo Pair plus Sessional Prizes. **TEAM OF FOUR CHAMPIONSHIP**

(The Peig Murray Perpetual Salver) 1st (€200 each), 2nd, 3rd, plus Best MA, Best Intermediate, Best Regional and SligoTeams.

OPEN PAIRS:

2nd Prize 3rd Prize

MITCHELLS (9+ TABLES): €30 per player 1st N/S & 1st E/W 2nd N/S & 2nd E/W €20 per player €15 per player 3rd N/S & 3rd E/W

HOWELLS/SCRAMBLED MITCHELLS (<9 TABLES): 1st Prize

€30 per player €20 per player €15 per player

D. M. HANLEY PERPETUAL TROPHY to be awarded to the player with highest points in Open Pairs over all sessions, including Sunday afternoon (5-4-3-2-1). Gala Pairs/Mixed Pairs % will be used as a tie-breaker

Holder: Ann McGuckin & Connie McGoey

INNISFREE PERPETUAL SALVER (Presented by the late Olivia Rowlette) to be awarded to the Sligo Player with the highest points in Open Pairs over all sessions, including Sunday afternoon (5-4-3-2-1). Gala Pairs/Mixed Pairs % will be used as a tie-breaker. Holders: Fr. Thos Woods

PROGRAMME FRIDAY 22nd MAY

OFFICIAL OPENING 7.30 pm Time by Fearghal O'Boyle President C.B.A.I

MIXED PAIRS 7.45 pm Time Holders: Anna Carr & Jim O'Sullivan

GALA OPEN PAIRS

7.45 pm Time Holders: Mary Doherty & Mary B McLaughlin PRESENTATION OF PRIZES 11.30 pm Time:

SATURDAY 23rd MAY **CONGRESS PAIRS**

1.30 pm & 7.15 pm Time: Ciara Burns & Mary Finn Holders:

INTERMEDIATE PAIRS

Time:	1.30 pm & 7.15 pm
Holders 'A'	Eilish and Eugene Gallagher
Holders 'B':	Connie Fahy & Patsy Smyth

OPEN PAIRS		
Afternoon:	2.00 pn	
Evening:	7.30 pn	

NOVICE CHAMPIONSHIP 7.30 pm Time: Holders: Dave Flanagan & Anne-Marie Keaney

Complimentary Supper PRESENTATION OF PRIZES Time: 11.15 pm

SUNDAY 24th MAY

TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP 11.00 am - 5.15 pm Time: (7x6 Board 'live' Barometer Swiss) Holders: Danny Liddy, Danny Dillon, Deirdre Walsh, George Hayes

2.15 pm - 3.00 pm Short Break:

OPEN PAIRS Morning:

11.00 am

2.30 pm Afternoon:

CLOSING CEREMONY Time: 5:30 pm Fearghal O'Boyle, President CBAI cordially invites you to the

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ENTRY FEES

GALA PAIRS $\in 10$ per playerMIXED PAIRS $\in 10$ per playerCONGRESS PAIRS $\in 20$ per playerINTER PAIRS $\in 20$ per playerTEAM OF FOUR $\in 20$ per playerOPEN PAIRS $\in 10$ per player

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3 Nights B&B and 1 Dinner
€189 per person sharing
Friday B&B €130 per room
Saturday B&B €160 per room
€30 single supplement per night
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