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## **Online Bridge Masterpoint Information**

See also Online Bridge Games at [ebu.co.uk](http://ebu.co.uk)

### **Background**

Following the Covid- 19 lockdown there has been a sharp increase in online Bridge providers.

Bridge Club Live (BCL) already provides competitions and any masterpoints won are credited to WBU members.

Stepbridge and BBO Virtual Clubs enable clubs to run their own events. BBO send their masterpoint details to the EBU and any relevant awards will then be transferred to WBU members. This is currently under review and masterpoints may, in future, be sent directly to the WBU.

### **Current**

The WBU is in discussion with these operators to run existing WBU competitions.

EWBA and NWBA are both looking to run a summer congress online and intend to award Greenpoints. Details are available on their websites.

Some clubs and individuals are already running online team leagues which can be produced on BBO without cost.

If a club wants to provide local points for these events, they would be invoiced. If your club wishes to do so, please contact me so that we can discuss arrangements

### **Future**

As online events become more common, it may be necessary for clubs to upload masterpoint awards as they already do for existing live events.

### **Summary**

The creation of an online Bridge world is developing rapidly and if you have any further questions, please contact me and I will try and help

Best wishes and stay healthy

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