



BENEFITS FOR INDIVIDUAL EBU MEMBERS

*From April 2010 all members of an EBU affiliated club will become members of the EBU.
Membership will be funded through the Pay to Play system.*

Bridge Benefits

- PLAY

In our wide range of tournaments and competitions at club, county, national and international level including local leagues and simultaneous events.

- WIN

Master Points to measure your progress and personal life-time achievement and that of your friends through the various categories from local master all the way up to premier grand master.

- FOLLOW

Your current playing ability through your grade in the National Grading Scheme which is based on your last 50 playing sessions.

- ENJOY

Our members' magazine *English Bridge*, with six copies every year covering news and views on bridge across the world, bridge celebrities, tournaments and results, education, tips on improving play, director training, internet bridge and all the news and Master Point promotions.

Specialist master classes with outstanding bridge teachers and celebrities

- RECEIVE

Your free 18-month pocket diary with clear listings of our tournaments and competitions, plus information on all aspects of the game.

Advice, when you need or want it, on any aspect of the game ranging from how to start a new club to questions on scoring, behaviour or ethics.

Discounts on bridge books and equipment at competitive prices from the EBU shop.

- PROTECT

The future of the game – your contribution ensures that there is a robust infrastructure and that the game is developed for all to enjoy.

Personal Benefits

- INSURANCE

Discounted household insurance policy, exclusively for members of the English Bridge Union, tailored to individual requirements. Even buy to let properties.

Competitive premiums and wide cover with an EBU membership discount of 5% to 10%. In some cases even higher discounts can be obtained

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Personal Benefits cont...

- **CAR HIRE**

Benefit from exclusive car and van hire rental rates from National Car Rental

- **BARCELO HOTEL DISCOUNT**

All EBU members are eligible to a 10% discount off the Best Available Rate available at the time of booking a break at a Barceló UK hotel

- **HEALTHCARE AND RELATED BENEFITS**

Members of the EBU are now eligible to join the health-related member benefit schemes offered by HMCA (The Hospital & Medical Care Association).

These arrangements provide members (and their families) with a simple means of securing the benefits and services offered by HMCA, at an exclusive rate. The services, which are provided exclusively by HMCA for members of associations and professional groups, have already been appreciated by thousands of members of other participating organisations over the past 30 years.

The schemes on offer include the following plans:-

Private Healthcare Plan

Personal Accident Plan

Term Life Plan

Income Protection Plan

Dental Plan

Hospital Sickness & Injury Cash Plan

Travel Plan

Visit our website and read the EBU pages in English Bridge for updates on new member benefits and offers.