

## **EUROPEAN BRIDGE LEAGUE**

To the Presidents of all EBL NBOs

Cc EBL Executive Committee members NBOs Liaison Committee members

2<sup>nd</sup> November 2017

# 9<sup>h</sup> EBL NBO Officers' Seminar

Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> - Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> February 2018 Belfast – Northern Ireland

Dear Presidents and Officers,

For many of you, this will be your very first visit to Belfast and I really hope that you will enjoy it – even though February might not show you the best weather conditions!! Below and attached is some information that will enable you to make the most of your visit – when you have free time.

I will be back to you in about 2 weeks to give you a complete schedule for our NBO Officers' Seminar, but in the meantime you might check out your possible trips and visits. Belfast boasts a large number of excellent restaurants and you will have the Friday evening free to sample one of them. Check them out at <a href="http://visitbelfast.com/things-to-do/category/eating-out">http://visitbelfast.com/things-to-do/category/eating-out</a> and maybe making your booking in advance of your visit – Friday is a busy night in Belfast!!

Don't make plans for Saturday night as Belfast City Hall will be the location for our Seminar Gala dinner!

Attached are the top ten things to do in Belfast in web version, and a trip to <a href="http://visitbelfast.com">http://visitbelfast.com</a> will provide you with lots more information.

**Airport Access Dublin & Belfast:** I have attached some information on the access from airports to the City Centre, arriving right behind the Europa Hotel, our base for the Belfast visit.

## **Further information on Tours & Attractions:**

General Sightseeing Tours:

http://visitbelfast.com/things-to-do/category/sightseeing-tours

#### Black Taxi Tours:

http://visitbelfast.com/things-to-do/member/black-cab-tours-1 http://visitbelfast.com/things-to-do/member/black-taxi-tours

## Walking Tours:

http://visitbelfast.com/things-to-do/member/belfast-city-walking-tours-coach-guiding-services-

#### Giant's Causeway:

http://visitbelfast.com/things-to-do/member/allens-giants-causeway-tours



## Game of Thrones:

http://visitbelfast.com/things-to-do/member/game-of-thrones-tour-of-the-northhttp://visitbelfast.com/things-to-do/member/game-of-thrones-tours-1

I look forward to seeing you in Belfast and if you intend to bring your partner / spouse with you, their accommodation in the Europa will cost you £50stg per night – sharing with you of course!!!

Kind regards

Paul Porteous

EBL NBOs Liaison Committee Chairman