



Orlando Metropolitan Bridge Center  
756 Bennett Road  
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To Whom It May Concern:

The Orlando Metropolitan Bridge Center will continue to offer bridge games for all levels of serious players as well as all players who are simply interested in a social game. It will continue to offer educational seminars, courses, workshops and lectures to all who are interested. It will continue to host 3 or 4 sectional tournaments per year.

The dedicated teachers, directors, tournament committees, board of directors and all volunteers have worked extremely hard to provide a pleasant place to play. Keeping a building of this size in working order takes dedication, long hours, and hard work from everyone who has been involved over the years. Many compliments are given daily from players who keep returning to the Center because it is a friendly, pleasant place to play.

Now that there is more competition, it is evident that a few changes are necessary in order to stay in line with the competition. We have already instituted the following:

1. A change in our By-Laws to better clarify who is considered a "member".
2. More transparency: The posting of board minutes and the financial status of the building, in the center, after every board meeting.
3. Arbitration: We have established an Arbitration Committee to which appeals can be directed if there is a dispute involving a player, director, a teacher or the board.
4. Master Points: We have established a Master Point Committee to investigate the best way to maximize master points for our players. This committee will report back to the Board in due course.

OMBC hereby refuses your offer to "take over" the Center, and run it your way. It is in its 26<sup>th</sup> year and will continue working just as hard as in the past.

We do not intend to communicate further on this matter.

Bill Garrity  
Vice President