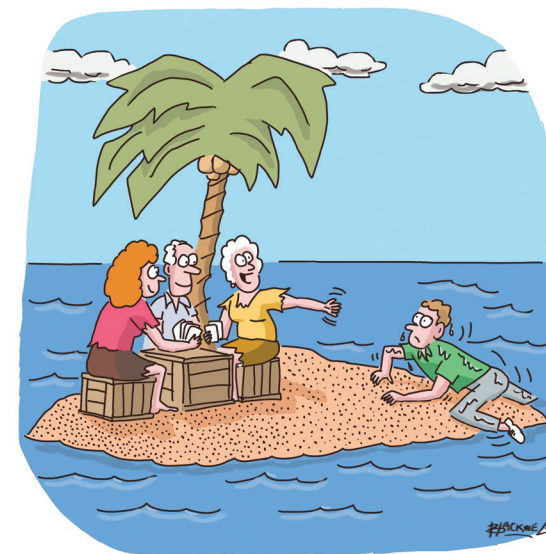




The RNLI Central London Committee
invite you to a
Bridge Afternoon



"OH, THANK HEAVENS!! A FOURTH!"

St Columba's Church of Scotland
Pont Street, London SW1X 0BD
Monday 26 October 2026

Doors open at **1pm** Bridge play **1.45–4.45pm**

Please come early and browse the high quality, donated stock of

Jewellery • Scarves • Collectibles • Handbags
Linen • Childrens • Home Produce
Lifeboat Souvenirs • Wine • Raffle • Tombola

What is the RNLI?

The RNLI is the charity that saves lives at sea. Powered primarily by kind donations, their search and rescue service has been saving lives for over 200 years. The RNLI's 238 lifeboat stations create a ring of safety around the coasts of the UK and Ireland, as well as major rivers such as the River Thames.

The vast majority of RNLI people are volunteers – ordinary people doing extraordinary things. Volunteer lifeboat crews are ready to answer calls for help 24 hours a day, 365 days a year. The RNLI provide a lifeguard service on over 240 beaches across the UK and Channel Islands, helping to keep people visiting the beach safe. The charity's team of water safety experts also help share vital safety messages with the public, such as by delivering educational sessions to school children.

To help make drowning prevention a priority worldwide, the RNLI are also working with leaders, public health organisations and at-risk communities around the globe.

In 2025, the RNLI saved 389 lives and helped 44,503 people.

RNLI.org

The RNLI is the charity that saves lives at sea

The Royal National Lifeboat Institution, a charity registered in England and Wales (209603), Scotland (SC037736), the Republic of Ireland (CHY 2678 and 20003326), the Bailiwick of Jersey (14), the Isle of Man (1308 and 006329F), the Bailiwick of Guernsey and Alderney, of West Quay Road, Poole, Dorset, BH15 1HZ

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Bridge Application (or Donation) Form

Central London Bridge Committee

Chairman: Monica Sharp
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Life President: Lady Slater

Zena Al-Jalili	Elizabeth Lavers
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Future RNLI Central London Committee Events

Monday 7 December
7pm

2026 Carol Service
Chelsea Old Church,
Old Church Street, SW3

Bridge Enquiries to: Monica Sharp
Tel: 07787 128164
Email: Monicasharp00@hotmail.com

Name:

Address:

..... Postcode:

Email: Tel:

Please tick the following options:

☐ **Bridge Afternoon:**

(you may play either rubber or Chicago bridge) I would like to book **a table for £100** for this Bridge Afternoon at St Columba's, Pont Street and will bring cards, scorers and cloths. (Hall tables are not baize covered)

OR

☐ **Home Table:**

I am unable to come to the Hall, but will arrange to play at home at a time of my choice. I enclose a cheque for **£40 for a Home Table package** (includes two packs of cards) which will be sent to me. **Home Tables Draw 26 October 2026:** the winning hostess will receive a velvet bridge cloth.

OR

☐ **Donations only:**

I would like to support this event to raise money for Lifeboats. Please accept my **donation for £** _____ as shown below.

Method of Payment:

I enclose a cheque payable to the RNLI for £ _____ OR

I have made a direct payment to the Royal National Lifeboat Institution of £ _____ to Barclays, Branch 20-68-95, Account no. 23032981, reference payer's surname

**Please send this form (and your cheque if applicable) to
Mrs Richard Sharp, 2 Petyt Place, London SW3 5DJ Tel: 07787128164**