

DAILY BULLETIN



Sunday, July 16, 2006

Editors: Brent Manley and Paul Linxwiler

Districts 2, 16, 19 and 25 grab GNT titles

The year-long battle of the Grand National Teams came to a close last night as all four flights of the grassroots-level event played their final matches for the 2005-2006 year.

The winners of each flight:

D16 wins all-family GNT, Championship

The team captained by Bob Hamman, representing District 16, jumped out to an early lead in the Grand National Teams, Championship Flight, and cruised to an easy win in an event that featured six pairs, each with the same last name.

The runners-up, from District 21, were captained by Jan Martel.

The two squads featured five married couples and a father-son partnership.

The winners are Bob and Petra Hamman, John and Peggy Sutherlin and

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GNT Open winners Bob Hamman, Peggy Sutherlin, John Sutherlin, Hemant Lall, Petra Hamman and Justin Lall.

D2 takes GNT-A crown

The all-Toronto squad led by Andy Stark trailed their District 16 opponents after the first half of play in their GNT final match, but a big third quarter put the Canadians into the lead. Charles Price's Texas-based team mounted a rally in the last set, but it fell short as District 2 went on to win 114-107.

Playing with Stark were Daniel Korbel, Danny Miles, Doug Baxter and David Grainger. This was the first GNT victory for all five members of the team.

Stark teaches English literature and English as a Second Language classes.

Baxter is parts operations manager for

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Winners of the GNT-A: Doug Baxter, Daniel Korbel, David Grainger, Danny Miles and Andy Stark.

D25 wins GNT Flight B

A foursome from Connecticut took control early in the GNT B final and never looked back. The squad of Allan Wolf, Russell Friedman, Frances Schneider and Bernard Schneider, representing District 25, won their final match against their District 5 opponents 198-110.

Playing for District 5 were Dan Roseberry, John Bacon, John Tscholl and Jim Overcashier, all from Ohio.

Captain Wolf and partner Friedman, a financial officer for a marketing firm, played in last year's GNT-B contest with different teammates and made it to the

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GNT-B champs Bernard Schneider, Frances Schneider, Allan Wolf and Russell Friedman.

GNT Flight C winners from D19

A quartet from British Columbia are the new GNT-C champions. Led by captain Tao Feng, teammates Kam Tang, Samuel Lai, and Jack Lee prevailed in the Flight C final against District 20 133-97.

The District 20 runners-up all live in Eugene OR. Their lineup was Ivan Jen, Veronica Mathis, John Cissel and Daniel Rothwell.

For the winners, Feng is a retired research scientist, Lai works in media promotion for an advertising agency, Kam

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They won the GNT-C: Kam Tang, Samuel Lai, Tao Feng and Jack Lee.



Law partners take Young LM Pairs

Two men from the Chicago area who are law partners away from the bridge table put together a solid game in the second final session to win the Sally Young Life Master Pairs by about one-third of a board.

The winners are Dan Swartzman of Chicago and Rick Schoenfield of suburban Westchester. The event they won is limited to Life Masters with fewer than 1500 masterpoints.

Second place went to Matthew Bribitzer-Stull and Jason Bribitzer-Stull of Minneapolis. The winners' total score was 546.39. The runners-up

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Locals Robbins, Goldfein lead LM Pairs

Chicago-area players Larry Robbins and Jerry Goldfein lead the list of qualifiers in the von Zedtwitz Life Master Pairs after yesterday's two-session semifinal round. Of the 182 pairs who survived the qualifying round on Friday, 104 pairs will advance to today's two-session final.

Robbins and Goldfein lead with a carryover of 188.83, followed closely by Israeli Yeshayahu Levit and Melih Ozdil of Turkey with 181.17. In third are Californians Mark Itabashi and Eric Leong with 146.46.

Berry, Gillespie set pace in Bruce LM

Canadians Carole Berry and John Gillespie are in front in the Bruce LM-5000 Pairs going into today's final round. Berry and Gillespie, of Orleans ON, lead the remaining 28 qualifying pairs with a carryover of 24.39. In second with 23.32 are Robert Boudreau of Mashpee MA and Paul Boudreau of Lomita CA.

Goodwill message

Today's opponent may be tomorrow's partner — a good reason to treat opponents and partner with respect and courtesy — the way you expect to be treated.

Aileen Osofsky, Chairman
National Goodwill Committee



SPECIAL EVENTS

MEETINGS / SEMINARS / RECEPTIONS

Sunday, July 16

9 a.m. - Noon **Bridge Teachers and Bridge Cruises with Peg Cundiff.** Become a successful teacher or game director on cruise ships. Pre-registration was required for this seminar. *Location: Skyway 260.*

9:30 a.m. - Noon **Board of Governors Meeting.** *Location: Grand Ballroom A.*

9:45 a.m. - Noon **ACBL Membership Meeting.** *Location: Grand Ballroom A.*

10 a.m. - Noon **Free Two-Hour Lesson.** ACBL Accredited Teacher Amy Nellissen will give a free two-hour lesson. Topic: Notrump, Minors and Slams. Lesson game to follow. *Location: Grand Ballroom B.*

10:30 a.m. - 12:45 p.m. **Open Team Trials Meeting.** *Location: Skyway 261.*

12:30 - 2:30 p.m. **Easybridge! Lesson Game.** For new players. *Location: Grand Ballroom B.*

11:30 p.m. - 2 a.m. **Women's Team Trials Meeting.** *Location: Skyway 261.*

Monday, July 17

10 a.m.- Noon **Free Two-Hour Lesson.** ACBL Accredited Teacher and Bridge Bulletin columnist Barbara Seagram will give a free two-hour lesson. Lesson game to follow. *Location: Grand Ballroom B.*

10 a.m. - Noon **Competition and Conventions Committee Meeting.** *Location: Skyway 269.*

11 a.m. - Noon **Get Online with Bridge Base.** Don't miss the opportunity to meet Fred Gitelman, Bridge Base founder and the creator of the ACBL's Learn to Play Bridge program. Find out how you can use this material for promotion and get a guided tour of the Bridge Base site and its outstanding teaching features. *Location: Skyway 260.*

12:30 - 2:30 p.m. **Happy Duplicate Lesson Game.** For new players. *Location: Grand Ballroom B.*

5 - 7 p.m. **ACBL Goodwill Reception.** *Location: Grand Ballroom A.*

Tuesday, July 18

9 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. **Club Director Update Course with Guillermo Poplawsky.** Continuing education for bridge directors to increase their skills. Certificate given for successful completion of all three days. Tuesday: Ruling the Game, a review of frequent rulings. (Continues Wednesday.) Fee varies. *Location: Skyway 260.*

10 a.m. - Noon **Senior Team Trials Meeting.** *Location: Skyway 261.*

CELEBRITY SPEAKER PROGRAM

Daily at 9:15 a.m. and 6:45 p.m. in Columbus Hall A-D.

Sunday, July 16

9:15 a.m. Betty Starzec *Attitude Signals on Partner's Leads*

6:45 p.m. Barbara Seagram *Defense Against Notrumps*

Monday, July 17

9:15 a.m. Peg & Dewy Cundiff *The Number Game*

6:45 p.m. Kitty Cooper *Balancing or Just Don't Let the Opponents Play 2 of a Major*

Tuesday, July 18

9:15 a.m. Mike Flader *Ruling the Game*

6:45 p.m. Larry Cohen *The Real Deal*

LATE NIGHT / ENTERTAINMENT

All entertainment will be held between sessions at 6:45 p.m. on the stage outside the ballroom. For information on any of the Special Events below, visit the Tour Desk located in the Grand Ballroom Foyer.

Sunday, July 16

Ethnic Dance Chicago
Special Event: Restaurant Bus to Little Italy

Monday, July 17

Bridges Brass

Tuesday, July 18

Orpheus Dance Troupe
Special Event: Restaurant Bus to Greektown

Tonight's ethnic entertainment

Ethnic Dance Chicago (EDC) is a multi-ethnic group of people of all ages who enjoy the dances and music from countries around the world. The participants embrace the idea of "Dancing As A Second Language."

Since 1987, EDC (a not-for-profit organization) has promoted the enjoyment, sharing, understanding and preservation of the dance and music heritage of Chicago's many ethnic groups as well as the heritage of traditional American dance and music.

Lost: diamond bracelet

Player Marlene Hecktman reported the loss of a diamond bracelet to the Daily Bulletin office. If found, please call Hecktman at 847-412-9522.

Lost: small gold ring

Jeannine reported the loss of a small, gold ring. She was playing in the Riverside Hall (lower level) in section MM on Saturday afternoon. Please call Jeannine at 941-539-7555.

Extended hours

Potbelly Sandwich Works, located in the Illinois Center (across Stetson) is extending its business hours for bridge players. Potbelly Sandwich Works will remain open Saturday and Sunday until at least 6 p.m.

Restaurant Bus: Little Italy

Tonight between 5 and 7:30 p.m., there will be buses doing "restaurant runs" back and forth between the Hyatt Regency and Little Italy. Your cost for the bus service is \$2 round trip. Get your bus tickets at the Special Events Desk, or at the time of boarding. You will be given a map of the area restaurants and a coupon to one of the listed establishments when you board.

Late night food

Tonight's hospitality will be Connie's Pizza. Connie's is on the Blue Level, second floor of the West Tower. (The tournament is in the East Tower Grand Ballroom.)

Take the escalator by the parking garage and go up three escalators to the Blue Level. Turn right when you get off the escalator, then left at the bell stand. Cross over the bridge and you're in the West Tower and at Connie's.

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JUST FOR NEW PLAYERS

Long suits are to die for

By Barbara Seagram

When considering the development of a long suit in dummy, one must consider how the missing cards will divide. Statisticians know exact percentages. Mere mortals need know only this: when missing an *odd* number of cards, they will divide *evenly* most of the time. Missing an *even* number of cards, they will usually divide *oddly* (badly). Thus, missing five cards, one expects them to break 3-2 more often. Missing six cards, expect 4-2 more often than 3-3.



Dir: South
Vul: None

♠ Q J 7 5
♥ 9 7 3
♦ A K J 4 2
♣ 2

♠ 3 2
♥ K Q J 10
♦ 7 5
♣ K 8 5 4 3

♠ 4
♥ 8 6 5
♦ Q 9 8 3
♣ J 10 9 7 6

♠ A K 10 9 8 6
♥ A 4 2
♦ 10 8
♣ A Q

West	North	East	South
			1♠
Pass	4♣	Pass	4♥
Pass	5♦	Pass	6♠
All Pass			

North's 4♣ is a bid known as a splinter raise. It shows at least four-card spade support, 13-15 high-card points and a singleton or void in clubs. The 4♥ bid showed a control in that suit (usually an ace), and the same goes for the 5♦ bid.

West starts with the ♥K.

When I was just learning to play bridge, my bridge teacher taught me, "When your partner lays down a five-card suit in dummy, you must smile and say, "Thank you, partner." While courtesy dictates that we always thank partner, regardless of what treasures (or the lack thereof!) he produces, on this deal, declarer has every reason to be sincere in his thanks!

As the dummy is tabled, declarer warily counts losers. After the lead of the ♥K, he has two heart losers and one loser in clubs. The latter can be easily ruffed in dummy. For the rest, he realizes that there is a potential for a diamond finesse and also for a finesse in clubs. However, none of South's diamonds is a loser — the ♦A and the king rest happily in the dummy — so if he takes a diamond finesse, he risks turning a non-loser into a loser, which would cost him the contract. The same fate could await in clubs.

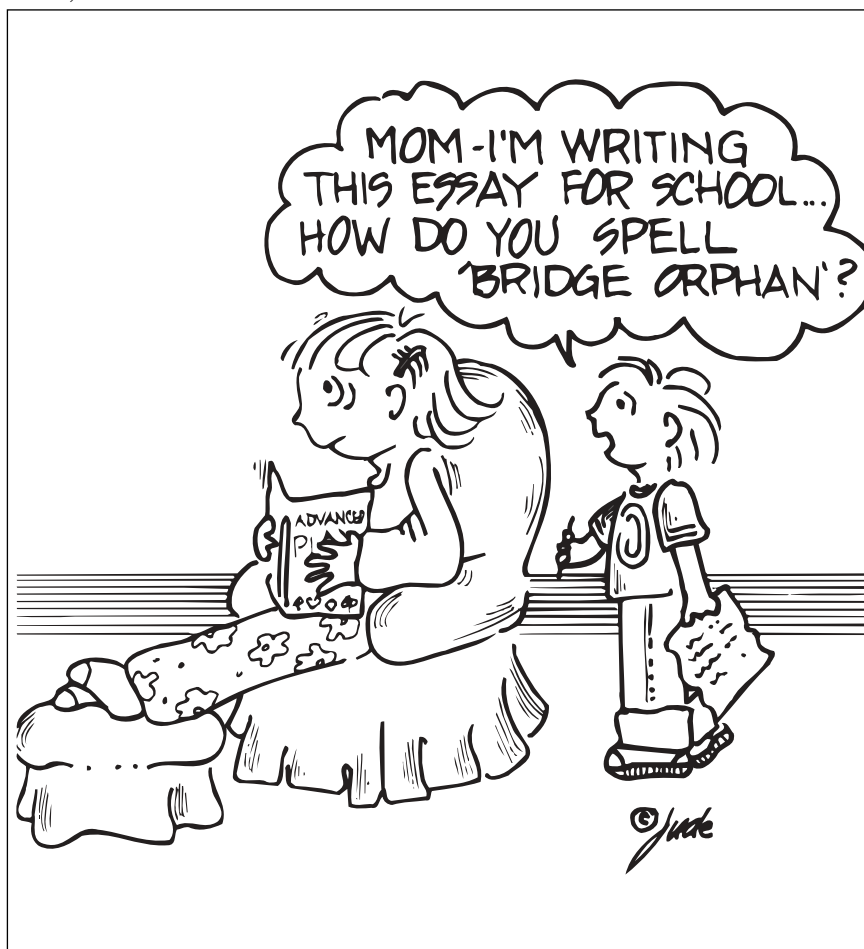
Let's take a closer look at those diamonds. There are five in dummy and two in declarer's hand, making seven. That leaves six diamonds for the bad guys, an even number. Odds are that the suit will break 4-2. Can you see a winning strategy?

If declarer cashes two high diamonds and then ruffs two in his hand, eventually the 13th diamond in dummy will become a winner. Declarer can then discard a losing heart on it. Note that when you are establishing a long suit in dummy, very

often the only entries to dummy will be in the trump suit. Thus, when performing long-suit establishment, you must not pull trumps first.

For this to work, it is imperative that you preserve enough entries to dummy. How would you go about it?

Win the opening lead with the ♥A and then play the ♠8 to dummy's queen, saving the 6 to get to dummy's ♠7 later. Since both opponents follow in spades, you can now cash the ♠J. Next, play dummy's top two diamonds and ruff a diamond. Now go back to dummy by cashing the ♣A and ruffing a club in dummy. Finally, ruff yet another low diamond and, lo and behold, the ♦J is high. Now you can play your carefully preserved ♠6 to dummy's ♠7, play the ♦J and pitch a losing heart from declarer's hand. Well done!



Thinking bridge

By Eddie Kantar

Dir: South
Vul: E-W

♠ A K 5 2
♥ 4 3
♦ K 8
♣ K Q 10 7 5

♠ Q 8 7 6
♥ 6 5
♦ J 9 4 3 2
♣ J 6

♠ 10 9 4 3
♥ A J 10
♦ A Q 10
♣ 9 8 4

♠ J
♥ K Q 9 8 7 2
♦ 7 6 5
♣ A 3 2

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	3♥
Pass	4♥	All Pass	

Opening lead: ♦3 (fourth best lead).

Bidding commentary: South's jump rebid to 3♥ is invitational. Think of it as showing a reasonable six-card suit with 9-11 high-card points.

Lead commentary: In the absence of anything brilliant to lead, the unbid suit is usually a sensible choice.

Play commentary: South might just as well play the king from dummy at trick one. Every so often an ace is underled through a dummy that has shown strength.

Defensive commentary: Given the lead, West cannot have more than five diamonds, which means South has at least three diamonds. Furthermore, West is marked with the jack given declarer's play of the king at trick one. If declarer had the ♦J, he would have played low from dummy. Also, the lead of a low card strongly

suggests an honor, and the only honor missing is the jack.

Defensive commentary #2: Given this, East should play three rounds of diamonds, forcing dummy to ruff. Once dummy ruffs, East has two trump tricks as declarer can lead hearts from dummy only once.

Play commentary #2: If the defenders do not play three rounds of diamonds, a diamond can be discarded on a spade and hearts can be led twice from dummy, limiting declarer's heart losers to one.



New players enjoy tournament scene

Chicago-area players Judy Rochowiak and Judy Anderson always play bridge at the Hinsdale Club, but the after a friend told the duo about the NABC being in town, they decided to give tournament play a try. The verdict?

"It's fun! We're having a great time, and we've taken some lessons, too."

Chicago's Janet and Fred Nachman are also experiencing tournament play for the first time. They typically play at the Bridge on Sheridan Club, but Janet said,

"I like the competition here. It's more of a challenge."

Both pairs have been playing in the IN games that are designed to enhance the new player experience.



First-time tournament players Janet and Fred Nachman and Judy Rochowiak-Judy Anderson.

Young LM Pairs

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had 539.38. Top was 17.

Swartzman and Schoenfield have been law partners for 30 years. They met in law school at Northwestern University. They have been playing bridge together for about 14 years.

"We made an agreement not to let the law partnership interfere with the bridge partnership," Swartzman said.

A few years ago, Schoenfield talked Swartzman into changing their bidding system to Precision, a decision he now endorses.

As for the double partnership, Swartzman said, "We've had a lot of experience working things out."

With a session to go, Swartzman and Schoenfield were in second place, about 10 matchpoints out of first, but their final session was 60.07%, enough to pull them into first.

Extra ace not enough

Former ACBL President Val Covalciuc had a funny story to tell from the second qualifying session of the von Zedtwitz Life Master Pairs. She was playing with Becky Rogers of Las Vegas.

Dlr: South ♠ 10 8 4 3 2

Vul: Both ♥ 9 8 7 4

♦ 9 4 3

♣ 10

♠ A 9 7 5

♥ Q 3

♦ A K J 5 2

♣ 8 3

♠ J

♥ J 10 5

♦ Q 10 7

♣ K Q J 5 4 2

♠ K Q 6

♥ A K 6 2

♦ 8 6

♣ A 9 7 6

<i>West</i>	<i>North</i>	<i>East</i>	<i>South</i>
Covalciuc		Rogers	

			1NT
Dbl	Redbl	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♥	Dbl	All Pass

South's 1NT was supposedly 11-14 high-card points. The redouble was the start of a runout, and 2♥ presumably showed the majors.

Rogers led the ♥J, and as South put down dummy, she apologized to her partner. "I miscounted my hand," she said. "I have an extra ace."

A sense of foreboding overcame Covalciuc and Rogers as they realized the auction would have been significantly different had South not made her counting error.

Still, there was nothing to do but play on.

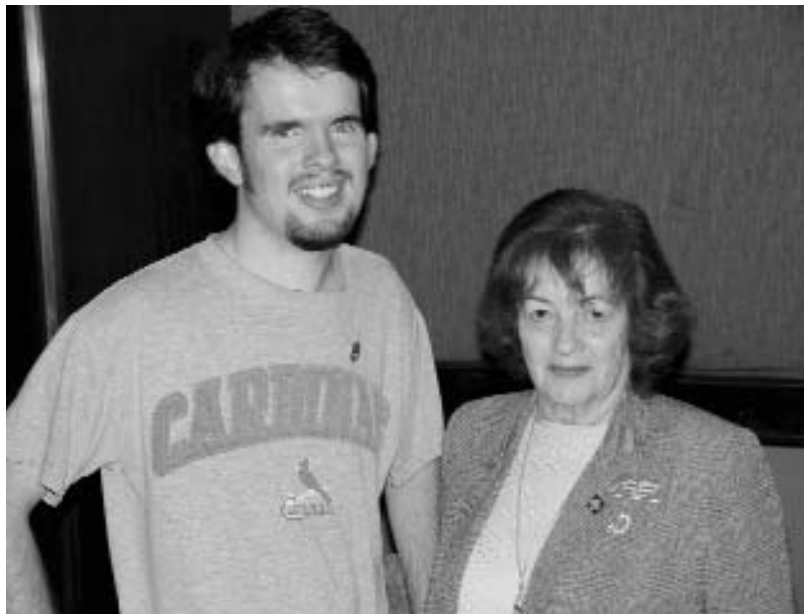
Even with the extra ace, it was a tenuous contract, and North tried to scrape up some tricks by making a few low trumps. Declarer won the ♥A, cashed the ♣A and ruffed a club. Next came a spade to the jack, king and ace, and Covalciuc gave her partner a spade ruff, signaling for a diamond return next. Rogers ruffed the spade and returned a diamond. Covalciuc won the ♦K, cashed the ♦A and gave Rogers a second spade ruff. A club back allowed Covalciuc to ruff with her bare queen for their sixth trick and the magical plus 200.

Parking discount

The ACBL has worked out a great parking deal for bridge players. Guests of the Hyatt will receive a 50% discount on parking. Instead of the normal daily rate of \$39, guests will receive a special rate of \$19.50 per day.

Non-guests can also take advantage of the special rate **on a first-come, first-served basis. Coupons are limited.**

Stop by the Tournament Information Desk to pick up a coupon to take advantage of this deal. Only one coupon per person, please.



Andrew Carver, 21, of Edwardsville IL was inducted into the ACBL Junior Corps by ACBL Goodwill Chairman Aileen Osofsky at last evening's Junior reception. Also inducted, though not in attendance, were Daniel Korb, 24, of Waterloo ON, and Anton Blagov, 19, of Toronto ON. The Junior Corps program acknowledges young players (under 26) who are active in promoting bridge to other young people and who are good representatives of the game.

Those extra chances

Everyone knows it's important to go for overtricks when you're playing pairs. Finding those extra tricks is often another matter. How would you play this deal from the second qualifying session of the Life Master Pairs (hands rotated)?

Dlr: South ♠ K J 9 8 6 2

Vul: None ♥ Q 6 3 2

♦ A 7

♣ 8

♠ Q 7 5 3

♥ A J

♦ K 9 4

♣ A 10 7 2

<i>West</i>	<i>North</i>	<i>East</i>	<i>South</i>
		Pass	INT
2♥	4♥		4♠

All Pass

Your left-hand opponent's 2♥ is explained as natural but not showing a good hand. The opening lead is the ♦2. Plan the play before looking at the full deal.

If you play as Eric Rodwell did, you win the ♦A, play a club to the ace, ruff a club, play a diamond to the king and ruff a diamond. Only now do you play a trump.

Your left-hand opponent wins, but he has no suitable out-card. A heart goes into declarer's A-J, a diamond gives a ruff-sluff. Either way, declarer has 12 tricks and 23.5 out of 25 matchpoints. The full deal:

♠ K J 9 8 6 2

♥ Q 6 3 2

♦ A 7

♣ 8

♠ A

♥ K 9 8 7 5 4

♦ J 6 5 2

♣ 9 4

♠ 10 4

♥ 10

♦ Q 10 8 3

♣ K Q J 6 5 3

♠ Q 7 5 3

♥ A J

♦ K 9 4

♣ A 10 7 2

As you can see, an initial heart or spade lead will hold declarer to 11 tricks because East can ruff the second round of hearts or West avoids the end play. Did you play as Rodwell did after the lead that gives you a chance for 12 tricks?

Restaurant Special at "Networks"

Bridge players can enjoy a special deal at Networks Bar & Grill at the Hyatt Regency. Tell your waitperson you're with the bridge tournament to receive a 10% discount for breakfast or lunch.

For dinner, a special buffet will be available for \$14.95. Price does not include beverage, tax or gratuity.



Trump stack blues

Sometimes you need more than a lot of declarer's trumps to be sure a penalty double is going to be successful (good spots help, of course). East found that out on this deal from the second qualifying session of the von Zedtwitz Life Master Pairs.

Declarer was Dr. Richard Katz, who won the event in 1989 playing with his partner in this year's contest - Bobby Levin. Katz was South.

Dlr: South ♠ A Q 9 5

Vul: N-S ♥ A J 6

♦ A 2

♣ A 10 3 2

♠ K J 10 3 2

♥ 9

♦ K 7

♣ Q J 6 5 4

♠ 8 7 4

♥ Q 7 5 3 2

♦ Q 9 6 4

♣ K

♠ 6

♥ K 10 8 4

♦ J 10 8 5 3

♣ 9 8 7

<i>West</i>	<i>North</i>	<i>East</i>	<i>South</i>
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			Pass
1♠	Dbl	2♠	3♥
3♠	Dbl	Pass	4♦
Pass	4♥	Dbl	All Pass

Katz had longer diamonds, but in responding to his partner's takeout double, he preferred the major because of the form of scoring. Levin's second double showed a bit extra, so Katz bid on. East mistakenly thought he had North-South where he wanted them when they got to the four level in his longest suit.

West started with the ♠J, which went to dummy's queen. Katz then played the ♦A and a diamond to West's king. West exited with a low club, taken by Katz with dummy's ace. He then played the ♠A, pitching a club from hand, ruffed a spade with the ♥4 and played a diamond from hand. West ruffed in with the ♥9, overruffed with dummy's jack, then came the fourth round of spades. East pitched his last diamond, Katz ruffed with the ♥8, then ruffed a diamond with the ♥A in dummy (as East undertruffed) and exited dummy with a club.

At that point, East was down to all trumps, so he had to ruff and return a trump into Katz's K-10. East got the final trick, but that was plus 790 for Katz and Levin and 24 out of 25 matchpoints.



Oops! The generous fellow on the left was misidentified in yesterday's Daily Bulletin. He is actually John Goldstein, Unit 123 president and District 13 charity chairman.

AARP game provides surprise for winners

It's always fun to win, but two pairs playing in the AARP game on Saturday earned a special prize – all-expense paid trips to Anaheim this fall for more bridge competition.

The trips went to the pairs winning each direction: Barbara Salerno of Lombard IL and Missy Bishop of Elmhurst IL, East-West; and Joe McCormack and Donna Kenski of Libertyville IL, North-South.

Marty Davis, AARP's director of campaigns and special promotions, presented plaques to the winners and reminded them that they won the trips to Anaheim for another bridge game during the AARP Life Begins@50+National Event &Expo.

Both pairs were thrilled about the trip, but they



Marty Davis, AARP's director of campaigns and special promotions, second from left, congratulates the winners from the special AARP game on Saturday. With Davis are, from left, Missy Bishop, Barbara Salerno, Donna Kenski and Joe McCormack.

seemed equally excited to have come in first in their respective directions.

"We are so pleased," said Bishop after the game. "We've never done this before (played duplicate). It's all new to us – and we enjoyed every minute of it."

Kenski and McCormack, a married couple, were equally excited.

"I think it's fantastic," said Kenski. "I can't wait to play again."

The two are relatively new ACBL members who have played together a long time but only just took up duplicate.

While the 14-table game was in progress, an AARP camera crew was working on a video to be shown at the AARP convention. The idea, according to producer Mary O'Donnell, is to show AARP members how much fun it is to play bridge.

The Saturday game was the second of five qualifiers that will lead up to the Anaheim game on Oct. 28.



A camera crew from the AARP make a video of Saturday's special game as part of the organization's promotion of bridge to their members. From left, Mary O'Donnell, producer; Borden McKinnon, photographer, and Dipo Ogunrinde, sound.

Important notes for unit and district officers

The ACBL has purchased a global insurance policy that is now available at no charge to unit and district officers. Coverage extends to \$1 million with a \$5000 deductible.

According to George Retek, ACBL board member, the new insurance policy covers libel and slander in addition to standard coverage.

Unit and district officers attending the Summer NABC in Chicago are urged to attend today's meeting of the ACBL Board of Governors, after which there will be more information about the new insurance. The meeting is scheduled to begin at 9:30 a.m. in Grand Ballroom A. The insurance discussion is likely to start at about 11 a.m., according to Retek.

He said that if unit and district officers complete the form for the insurance and send it in by July 26, their coverage will be retroactive to July 11. Coverage for those who miss that deadline will begin upon receipt of the form.

Retek said unit and district officers are encouraged to consult their legal advisors to determine if the new insurance is appropriate for them. They are also encouraged to consult their legal advisors before terminating any other insurance.

Insurance forms should be completed and sent to Bill Parks, 4905 W. Tilghman St., Suite 200, Allentown PA 18104 with a copy to Stan Katz at the ACBL: 2990 Airways Blvd., Memphis TN 38116-3847. You may phone with questions toll from from the U.S. at 800-353-1798, Ext. 5614. From outside the U.S., phone 610-573-5614.



Lights, Camera . . .

A film company will be in Chicago July 13-23 for an upcoming documentary on professional bridge players. Please extend your courtesy to director-producer Kimberly Dawson and directors of photography Noah Bean and John Orebaugh. Most filming will be in the GNT and Spingold areas following the Lynch team. The producer is interested in hearing great stories (no hands please!) related to people's obsession with the game and the extreme measures they take to be able to play. Please feel free to e-mail her at bridgedocumentary@yahoo.com.

We will make every effort to ensure that filming does not disturb play. If you have any concerns, speak to a tournament director or contact Linda Granell, director of marketing, in the Daily Bulletin office. Remember that these opportunities help promote our game. You also should be aware that your entry blank includes the statement: "The submission of this entry blank constitutes an agreement binding on all players listed hereon: that this contest is governed by the rules, regulations and procedures of the ACBL..." Among those rules and regulations is the following (adopted by the Board of Directors in 1983): "By participating in any ACBL sanctioned event, each contestant, official, or observer of any such bridge contest agrees that said event, or portions thereof, may be filed, recorded or otherwise documented or publicized at the discretion of the sponsoring organization."



Masterpoint disclaimer

Scores as reported in the Daily Bulletin are subject to change because of score changes or corrections. Therefore, the masterpoint awards as shown are also subject to change.



First New LMs in Chicago

Jerry Palm and Connie Stevens of Highland IN made Life Master together playing in the Friday morning Compact Knockouts. In so doing, they became the first new Life Masters at the Chicago NABC.

Palm and Stevens, who have been playing together four years, received a 14k gold pendant from the Bridge Gold Group and the ACBL Product Store in honor of the achievement.

Hates to guess

David Berkowitz obviously knows his way around a bridge table. He and partner Larry Cohen have won numerous championships, mostly in pairs games. On this deal from the first semifinal session of the von Zedtwitz Life Master Pairs, he avoided a guess for the trump queen with astute play (hands rotated).

Dlr: East ♠ A Q 6 2

Vul: N-S ♥ A J 5 4

♦ K 9 8 4

♣ Q

♠ K 7 5

♥ 6

♦ J 10 8 7 2

♣ A 7 4 2

♠ J 10 9

♥ Q 8 3

♦ Q 3

♣ K J 9 8 5

♠ 8 4 3

♥ K 10 9 7 2

♦ A 6

♣ 10 6 3

West	North	East	South
		Pass	Pass
Pass	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
All Pass			

Cohen's 1♦ opener was Precision, meaning it could be short. West started with the ♦2 (third and fifth) and Berkowitz won it with dummy's king. The ♣Q was next, covered by the king. When that held. East played the ♦Q to Berkowitz's ace. He ruffed a club, ruffed a diamond (East pitching a club), ruffed his last club and ruffed dummy's last diamond (East pitching another club).

At that point, Berkowitz was in hand with the ♠8 4 3 and the ♥K 10 9. Dummy held the original four spades and the ♥A J. Berkowitz played a spade to the queen, cashed the ♠A and played a third round. It didn't matter which opponent won (say, if West unblocked the ♠K), Berkowitz could not be prevented from taking the rest of the tricks – without having to guess who held the ♥Q.

Plus 650 was good for 77 out of 90 matchpoints.

New Life Masters

A. George Johnson of Oshkosh WI earned his gold card Friday evening playing in the knockout teams. Johnson, 89, was playing with Wayne Larson of Ripon WI. Their teammates were Robert Webster, Ripon, and Michael French, Fond du Lac WI.

James Sundstrom of Wyckoff NJ is now a Life Master, thanks to his team's performance in the Cort Larson Memorial Knockout Teams, bracket 9. He was playing with Don Belfer of Mahwah NJ. Their teammates were Matthew O'Connor of Ridgewood NJ and Jennifer Brockman of Fair Lawn NJ.

EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION KO BRACKET 1

16 Tables / Based on 33 Tables

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vs

Ken Gee, Regina SK; Bob Carteaux, Fort Wayne IN; Paul Schroeder, Wind Lake WI; John Russell, North Barrington IL; Ed White, Houston TX

16.49 3/4 Hugh Hughes, Greenville SC; Jeff Ziemer, Taylors SC; Gregory Roberts, Aiken SC; Robert Fendrick, Marietta GA

16.49 3/4 Andrew Speers - Lawrence Dubrofsky, Edmonton AB; Steven Lawrence - Frank Ayer, Calgary AB

EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION KO BRACKET 2

16 Tables / Based on 25 Tables

Harjinder Ajmani, Kula HI; Ram Hira, North Vancouver BC; R Bruce Martin, Paia HI; Yatindra Sahae, Carmel Valley CA

vs

Rick Kaye, Bingham Farms MI; Robert Katz, Ann Arbor MI; Robert Brandow, Toledo OH; Morrie Kleinplatz, Windsor ON

11.95 3/4 Suzi Shymanski Moore - Doug Moore - Gail Hawkins - Loughery Hawkins, Ballwin MO

11.95 3/4 Edward Nield, Westchester IL; Mary Keever, Grayslake IL; Rosalie Campeau, Libertyville IL; Rachel Chittaro, Kildeer IL

EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION KO BRACKET 3

16 Tables / Based on 20 Tables

Martin Weinberg - Christopher Overpeck, Louisville KY; Paul Cuffe, Fripp Island SC; Joan Simon, St Helena Isl SC

vs

Rob Meckstroth - Matt Meckstroth, Gainesville FL; Sam Katz, Hinsdale IL; Daniel Goldfein, Lincolnwood IL; David Banh, Annandale VA

8.00 3/4 Todd Kaplan - Adam Kaplan, New Port Richey FL; Judith Albert - Stephen Albert, Voorhees NJ

8.00 3/4 Jaime Dornbusch, Aventura FL; Francisco Bernal, Miami Lakes FL; Elliot Slavits, West Palm Bch FL; Peter Hotchkiss, Hollywood FL

EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION KO BRACKET 4

12 Tables

Don Morgan - Linda Marlin - Bette Liebgold, Houston TX; Sarah Hardin, Montgomery TX

vs

George Van Amburg - Helen Van Amburg, Dewitt MI; Richard Hill - Alice Hill, Haslett MI

5.17 3/4 Robert Gray, Blowing Rock NC; Philip Beck, Indianapolis IN; Phyllis Smith, Cambridge WI; Alice Quam, Deerfield WI

5.17 3/4 Harland London - Holly London, Woodridge IL; Mary Hurt - Thomas Hurt, Lombard IL; Mary Henderson, Naples FL; Barbara Driscoll, Jim Thorpe PA

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10.12 3 Kelley Hwang - Peter Bonfanti, New York NY; Lawrence Harding, Hampstead NC; John Herriot, Los Angeles CA

8.28 4 Ala Hamilton-Day, Wallingford PA; Andrew Skolnick, Bedford Hills NY; John Prater - Steven Morris, Chicago IL

FRIDAY-SATURDAY A.M. COMPACT KO 2

16 Tables / Based on 29 Tables

11.18 1 Michael Keller, Kalispell MT; Sherm Supola - David Orser, Billings MT; Robert Johnson, Hope ND

8.39 2 Nonna Lehmkuhl, Marblehead MA; Carole Carlson, Gloucester MA; David Sarten - Susanne Sarten, Milsons Point, N Australia

6.15 3 Harriet Gross - Harold Rosenson, Highland Park IL; Helene Shuter - Melvin Shuter, Palm Bch Gdns FL

5.03 4 Jerry Palm, Homewood IL; Constance Stevens, Highland IN; Norman Szewczyk, Lansing IL; William Kilbride, Flossmoor IL

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6.47 2 Wayne Larson - Robert Webster, Ripon WI; Michael French, Fond Du Lac WI; A George Johnson, Oshkosh WI

4.74 3 Noel Hanford, Rancho Mirage CA; Roz Kahn, San Francisco CA; Kathleen Martin - Mary Armacost, Hillsborough CA

3.88 4 Ronnie Burns, Fort Smith AR; Philip Duterme, Bellaire TX; Donna Billings, Slinger WI; Marlene Foster, Franksville WI

FRIDAY-SATURDAY A.M. COMPACT KO 4

14 Tables / Based on 16 Tables

6.00 1 John Philbrook, Manchester MI; Brian Barrett - David Warwick, Adrian MI; Judi Trenton, Tecumseh MI

4.50 2 Teresa Boyd - Lynne Bromley - Bob Livsey, Piedmont CA; Cathleen Otvos, Oakland CA

FRIDAY EVENING FLIGHT A/X SWISS (CORRECTED)

28 Tables

A X

10.83 1 Michael Kutska, River Forest IL; Suzanne Dunaway, Oak Park IL; Suzanne Dunn, Crystal Lake IL; Joshua Stark, Grayslake IL 71.00

8.12 2 David Zapatka - Jo Ann Zapatka - Cynthia Smith - Marwin Smith, Sun Lakes AZ 62.00

6.09 3 Robert Hollman, Santa Barbara CA; Renee Mancuso, Los Angeles CA; Eric Greco, Philadelphia PA; Geoff Hampson, La Quinta CA 56.00

4.57 4 Leslie Strong, Santa Ynez CA; Ellen Wallace - Gerald Mindell, Chicago IL; Brenda Bryant, Ferndale MI 55.00

3.43 5 Jan Assini - Peter Grover, Aurora OH; Thomas Donnelly, Buffalo NY; Bernard Fudor, Murrysville PA 52.00

2.57 6 Jack Bierig - Alan Resser, Chicago IL; Marlene Konik, Highland Park IL; Thomas Crawley, Ellicott City MD 49.00

1.69 7/8 George Retek, Montreal QC; Jerry Fleming, Los Alamos NM; Glenn Smith, Chesterfield MO; Dan Morse, Houston TX 48.00

6.76 7/8 1 Kenneth Deutsch, Evanston IL; Betsy Downs, Chicago IL; Marc Passman, Skokie IL; Frank Redman, Highland Park IL 48.00

5.07 2 Daniel Wilderman, Brooklyn NY; Peter Bonfanti - Doug Herron, New York NY; Mark Dean, Jersey City NJ 47.00

3.80 3 Joyce Hampton - Robert Hampton, Blythewood SC; Judy McDonald, Henderson NV; Lucas Lebioda, Columbia SC 40.00

2.50 4/5 Dot Davis, Winter Park FL; Martha McGhee, Maitland FL; Barbara Jones - Anita Aquino, Orlando FL 38.00

2.50 4/5 Charles Halasi, Toronto ON; Hiroko Janssen, Minato-Ku Tokyo Japan; Barbara McLendon, New York NY; Yasuko Shrenzel, Kihei HI 38.00

FRIDAY-TUESDAY SIDE GAME SERIES

26.0 Tables

A B C

5.46 1 1 1 Charles Becker, Chicago IL; Jeffrey Boak, Chapel Hill NC 63.35%

4.10 2 Gerrie Owen - M O Crawford, Dallas TX 62.88%

3.30 3 2 William Roach, Holmes Beach FL; James Andre, Rockville MD 60.93%

2.30 4 Margo Sinclair - Valentin Kovachev, New York NY 60.29%

2.51 5 3 2 Arnold Grushkin - Beverly Grushkin, Westport CT 58.89%

2.15 6/7 4 Sondra Blank - Lesley Thomson, Toronto ON 58.63%

2.15 6/7 Andrew Vinock, Woodland Hills CA; Marjorie Michelin, Los Angeles CA 58.63%

1.88 5 3 Praveen Jayachandran, Champaign IL; Prashanth Sriram, State College PA 57.78%

1.18 6 Molly Foreman, Boca Raton FL; Barbara Boswell, Cincinnati OH 57.74%

1.41 4 Larry Silver - Christine Silver, San Francisco CA 57.65%

1.06 5 Mary O'Neill, Lisle IL; Kathy Beranek, Mishicot WI 55.05%

1.24 6 Christopher Galbraith, Antioch CA; Kenneth Dye, Morrisville NC 54.17%

1 SATURDAY A.M. 5/20/50 PAIRS

17.0 Tables

A B C

2.84 1 1 Trella Bromley, Jacksonville FL; Jeff Jackson, White Bear Lake MN 65.42%

2.13 2 David Gerdes - Sherry Gerdes, Griffith IN 64.58%

1.60 3 Karen Hatteberg, Plano IL; Carol Cue, Oswego IL 61.61%

1.20 4 Sue McDonald, Winnetka IL; Patricia Matkov, Evanston IL 60.83%

0.90 5 Debbie Sears - Michael Sears, Boyne City MI 60.12%

1.17 6 2 1 David Worthins, Chicago IL; Eugene Chung, Vernon Hills IL 59.17%

0.88 3 Nancie Flaxman, Deerfield IL; Richard Marston, Schaumburg IL 51.25%

0.66 4 Richard Ruemenapp - Margaret Ruemenapp, Petoskey MI 51.19%

0.49 5 Sue Protzman, Oneida WI; Barbara Stapleford, Luxemburg WI 50.60%

0.62 2 Robert Gibbs, Allison Park IA; Harvey Kahn, Chicago IL 49.58%

0.56 3 Janet Nachman - Fred Nachman, Chicago IL 46.43%

1 SATURDAY A.M. 100/200/300 PAIRS

27.0 Tables

A B C

5.23 1 Madison Schepps - Elizabeth Schepps, Alexandria VA 72.35%

4.26 2 Richard Spear - Sherilynn Spear, Naperville IL 62.50%

2.94 3 J Gerlach - Mary Gerlach, Whitewater WI 60.80%

3.20 4 2 1 Helen Galnick, Carlsbad CA; Dean Wolfson, Chicago IL 60.72%

2.40 5 3 Carolyn Taylor - Linda Seibert, Carbondale IL 59.09%

2.15 6 4 2 Larry Wagner - Sue Wagner, St Joseph MI 57.77%

1.61 5 3 Michelle Zygielbaum, North Bethesda MD; Joy Bloomfield, Silver Spring MD 56.25%

1.01 6 Annabelle Shallenberger, Kamuela HI; Cheryl Olson, Black River Fal WI 55.66%

1.21 4 Barb Zipoy, Bloomington MN; Joan Stephens, Minneapolis MN 54.92%

0.90 5 Marilyn McNamee - Russell Kirby Jr, Eden Prairie MN 54.36%

0.68 6 Leonard Dubin, Skokie IL; Olivia Shapiro, Highland Park IL 52.84%

1 SATURDAY AFTERNOON 100/200/300 PAIRS

23.5 Tables

A B C

4.80 1 William Clarke, Wilmette IL; Jerry Campeau, Libertyville IL 69.94%

3.99 2 1 Ken Cornelius - Mary Cornelius, Ann Arbor MI 64.29%

2.99 3 2 Stephen Bell, Warrenville IL; Robert Kucaba, Downers Grove IL 62.49%

2.24 4 3 Gretchen Smith, St Louis MO; Jan Pass, Saint Louis MO 61.66%

1.68 5 4 Ruth Wechsler, Glenview IL; Dorothy Macmoran, White Plains NY 60.71%

1.26 6 5 R Schwartz - Barbara Schwartz, Morton Grove IL 60.51%

1.41 6 3 Ginger Griffin - Bonnie Clarke, Chicago IL 59.82%

1.55 4 Charles Becker, Chicago IL; Arne Garvander, Richfield MN 58.57%

1.09 5 Patricia Valiska - Donald Valiska, Highland IN 58.04%

0.78 6 Joseph de Nicola, New York NY; Brian Tanenbaum, Deerfield IL 57.74%

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Table with 3 columns: Rank, Name, and Percentage. Includes entries like Donna Kenski - Joseph McCormack (70.67%) and Barbara Salerno (66.67%).

SATURDAY-SUNDAY SIDE GAME SERIES

Table with 3 columns: Rank, Name, and Percentage. Includes entries like David Walker (65.54%) and Marilyn Kalbfleisch (63.14%).

STRATIFIED SENIOR PAIRS

Table with 3 columns: Rank, Name, and Percentage. Includes entries like Sardarsinh Gohel (63.22%) and James Gormong (62.74%).

1 SATURDAY AFTERNOON 5/20/50 PAIRS

Table with 3 columns: Rank, Name, and Percentage. Includes entries like James Karolewicz (67.56%) and Wini Morsches (65.92%).

SATURDAY DAYLIGHT PAIRS

Table with 3 columns: Rank, Name, and Percentage. Includes entries like John Miller (61.06%) and Christal Henner-Welland (60.42%).

THURSDAY-FRIDAY AFT/EVE SIDE GAME

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EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION KO BRACKET 4

12 Tables
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GNT Champs

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Hemant and Justin Lall. The runners-up are Chip and Jan Martel, Lew and JoAnna Stansby and Kit and Sally Woolsey.

The victory was the first North American championship for Justin, who turns 20 in September. His goal, according to his dad, Hemant, was to win a major championship before turning 20. "Justin really played great," said the proud father.

Hemant has now won four North American titles, each time with a member of the Hamman family. His three previous championships were the Life Master Pairs with Bob and two Mixed Board-a-Match Teams with Petra. She and her husband had never won a major championship playing together before Saturday.

Bob Hamman has now won the GNT four times, "but it was the first time in 20 years," he said.

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
D21 Martel	24	45	59	89
D16 Hamman	30	64	111	146

GNT Flight A

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Jaguar/Landrover Canada. Korbel is a graduate student in English literature at the University of Waterloo and Miles is a certified financial analyst.

Playing for District 16 were Mark Bumgardner, Stan Kohan, Greg Hinze, Charles Price, Marcus Poe and Tom Edwards.

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
D2 Stark	36	63	97	114
D16 Price	46	67	71	107

GNT Flight B

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round of eight. When their teammates became ineligible to play in this year's event, they recruited the Schneiders. Frances is retired from IBM and is currently a reverse mortgage specialist. Bernard is a retired attorney who now teaches high school math.

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
D25 Wolf	45	103	138	198
D5 Roseberry	18	56	95	110

2006 COLLEGE CHAMPIONSHIP

Dan Recht, Mt Kisco NY; Eric Mayefsky, Stanford CA; Jonathan Ullman - David Lin, Princeton NJ

vs

Andrew Cotton, Berkeley CA; Robert Glickman, Woodland Hills CA; Brett Haas, Thousand Oaks CA; Victor Chubukov, San Francisco CA

Bradley Haas - Blake Haas, Thousand Oaks CA; Daniel Aharoni - Shuofei Geng, Los Angeles CA

vs

Jeremy Vosko - Ilya Podolyako, West Bloomfield MI; Jonathan Zimler, Winnetka IL; Kevin Fay, Ann Arbor MI

CORT LARSON MEMORIAL KO 1

16 Tables / Based on 56 Tables

50.60 1 Rose Meltzer, Los Gatos CA; Cezary Balicki, Wroclaw Poland; Adam Zmudzinski, Katowice 40-479 Poland; Geir Helgemo, Trondheim Ca Norway; Tor Helness, Oslo Norway; Kyle Larsen,

San Francisco CA

37.95 2 Piotr Tuszynski, Warsaw Poland; Apolinary Kowalski, Warsaw 02 Poland; Farid Assemi, Fresno CA; Edward Wojewoda, Clovis CA

25.30 3/4 Ken Gee, Regina SK; Edward White, Grand Blanc MI; Bob Carteaux, Fort Wayne IN; Paul Schroeder, Wind Lake WI

25.30 3/4 Jim Mahaffey, Winter Park FL; Barnett Shenkin, Boca Raton FL; Mark Lair, Canyon TX; Gary Cohler, Miami FL

CORT LARSON MEMORIAL KO 2

16 Tables / Based on 45 Tables

42.02 1 Gavin Wolpert, Thornhill ON; Melanie Tucker, New York NY; Vincent Demuy, Montreal-Nord QC; Joel Wooldridge, Buffalo NY

31.52 2 Cameron Doner, Richmond BC; Brenda Jacobus, Las Vegas NV; Garry Karst, Edmonton AB; Ray Grace, Sherwood Park AB

1 SATURDAY EVENING 100/200/300 PAIRS

11.0 Tables

	A	B	C		
2.97	1			Whitney Stephenson, San Francisco CA; Ernie Scosseria, Berkeley CA	67.86%
2.23	2			Sue Simmons - Bradley Simmons, Greeley CO	55.06%
2.26	3	1	1	Charles Robinson, Southfield MI; George Christian, Oakland Twp MI	54.76%
1.25	4			Carol Jaegers, Bonita Springs FL; Fran Smith, Glen Ellyn IL	53.27%
1.70	5	2		Debra Romero, Clarkson Valley MO; Helene Siegfried, St Louis MO	51.79%
1.16	6/8	3/4	2	Eugene Chung, Vernon Hills IL; David Watkins, Chicago IL	51.19%
1.11	6/8	3/4		Patti Hudson, Angels Camp CA; Hope Koford, Murphys CA	51.19%
0.63	6/8			Richard Hill - Alice Hill, Haslett MI	51.19%
0.77		5		Jan Pass, Saint Louis MO; Gretchen Smith, St Louis MO	50.60%

1 SATURDAY EVENING 5/20/50 PAIRS

8.0 Tables

	A	B	C		
1.89	1			Kay Conklin, Glenn MI; Janet Olson, South Haven MI	62.08%
1.24	2/3	1		Sue Protzman, Oneida WI; Barbara Stapleford, Luxemburg WI	56.25%
1.24	2/3			Carol Gouty, Woodbridge IL; Sue Miller, Woodridge IL	56.25%
0.80	4			Debbie Sears - Michael Sears, Boyne City MI	54.17%
0.94	5	2	1	Susan Lockhart - Gerald Lockhart, Saginaw MI	53.75%
0.71		3	2	Mary Hamlett - Loretta Gibbens, Nashville TN	51.25%

1 SATURDAY EVENING 299ER SWISS TEAMS

18 Tables

	A	B	C		
3.96	1			Susan Bass, Chicago IL; Barbara Niehus, Skokie IL; Bonnie Franklin - Paulette Swofford, Highland Park IL	66.00
2.97	2	1		Kenn Thornton, Hernando FL; Eric Erickson, Clear Lake MN; Laurie Pastrano - Kahren Arbitman, Winter Park FL	55.00
1.95	3/4	2/3		Ken Cornelius - Mary Cornelius, Ann Arbor MI; Phillip Rutkowski - Sue McHale, Huntington Bch CA	54.00
1.95	3/4	2/3	1	Diane Pekow - Ginger Griffin - John Clarke - Bonnie Clarke, Chicago IL	54.00
1.25	5			Barbara Harris, Riverwoods IL; Marie Athey, Lake Bluff IL; Rick Lepscier, Tinley Park IL; Douglas Smith, Rockford IL	49.00
1.43		4	2	Carl Eisenberg - James Karolewicz - Kathy Karolewicz, Mequon WI; Kimberly Davis, Milwaukee WI	48.00

WINDY CITY LIMO STARTI-FLIGHTED A/X PAIRS

69.0 Tables

	A	X		
32.29	1	1	Hongmo Wang, Herndon VA; John Christensen, Baltimore MD	61.93%
24.22	2		Joan Dziekanski, New York NY; Alvin Levy, Commack NY	61.62%
18.16	3		Janet Daling, Seattle WA; John Gilbert, Kitchener ON	60.12%
13.62	4	2	Jason Rotenberg, Fairfield CT; Daniel Neill, Lexington KY	59.77%
10.22	5		Beverly Perry, New York NY; Kent Mignocchi, Bronx NY	59.54%
7.66	6		Eric Kokish, Toronto ON; Richard Freeman, Atlanta GA	58.79%
5.75	7		Ross Grabel, Huntington Bh CA; Jon Wittes, Palm Desert CA	58.26%
5.75	8		Ira Ewen, New York NY; Stephen Schmeer, Croton Hdsn NY	57.60%
3.59	9		Barbara Sartorius, Lake Hiawatha NJ; Sharon Hait, Livingston NJ	57.40%
9.77	10	3	Hal Hindman, Annandale VA; Mark Chen, Oak Hill VA	56.57%
7.32	11	4	Maynard Denison - Sandy Denison, Bakersfield CA	56.50%
5.49	12	5	Paul Ross, Fair Grove MO; Jon Nance, Springfield MO	56.42%
6.16	13		Jerrold Grossman, Rochester Hills MI; Barry Lippitt, Southfield MI	56.18%
3.42	14		Marvin Shapiro, Saint Louis MO; James Murphy, Chesapeake VA	56.09%
4.12		6	Igor Savchenko, Brooklyn NY; Doug Herron, New York NY	55.81%
3.28		7	Brian Beecher Sr, Park Forest IL; R Bickel, Dolton IL	54.79%

1 SATURDAY EVENING A/X B-A-M TEAMS

44 Tables

	A	X		
12.80	1		Theo Antoff, Charlotte NC; Albert Simpson, St Leonards NSW Australia; Mike Petras - Heather Peckett, Nepean ON	17.90
9.60	2		Renee Mancuso, Los Angeles CA; Rena Hetzer, Memphis TN; Pamela Granovetter, Cincinnati OH; David Lindop, Toronto ON	17.50
7.20	3		William Arlinghaus, Ann Arbor MI; Brian Ellis, Beachwood OH; Jim Fatka, Greenville MI; David Swarthout, Newberry MI	17.00
5.40	4		Erez Hendelman, New York NY; Jeff Fang, Arcadia CA; Richard Popper, Wilmington DE; Donna Morgen, Havertown PA	16.50
4.05	5	1	David Banh, Annandale VA; Todd Kaplan - Adam Kaplan, New Port Richey FL; Robert Fournier, Knoxville TN	15.50
3.04	6		David Reiter, Hollywood FL; Jay Wasserman, Highland Park IL; Charlene Predmest, Delray Beach FL; Muriel Altus, Tampa FL	15.00
1.80	7/9		Lee Esworthy, Shorewood IL; Bryce Troyer, Joliet IL; Charles Zalar - Elizabeth Zalar, Springfield IL	14.50
1.80	7/9		Richard Ferrin, Washington DC; Eugene Kales, Arlington VA; Barbara Ames, Chevy Chase MD; Ellen Cherniavsky, Silver Spring MD	14.50
1.80	7/9		Wafik Abdou, Bakersfield CA; Connie Goldberg, Merion Station PA; James Tritt, Fresno CA; Gene Freed, Los Angeles CA	14.50
2.38		2	Gerrie Owen - Preston Morrow - Bob Scallan, Dallas TX; Suresh Agrawal, Rowlett TX	12.50
1.78		3	Peter Stein, Hillsborough NJ; Richard Ross, Highland Park NJ; Cho-Wei Sit, Watchung NJ; Rudi Cataldi, Rolling Hills CA	12.00
1.34		4	Theodore Spak - Jody Ledford, Miami FL; Ellen Miller, Highland Park IL; Alfred Killian, Sebastian FL	11.50

1 SATURDAY B/C/D B-A-M TEAMS

Tables	B	C	D		
7.01	1			William Gheen, Indianapolis IN; T Bondus III, Carmel IN; Ramarao Desiraju, Winter Springs FL; Christopher Yu, Naperville IL	18.00
5.26	2			Susan Shorter, Saint Paul MN; Genadiy Hirscht, Albion MI; Arman Hartung, Marshall MI; Paul Hern, Dayton OH	15.50
3.65	3/6	1/4		William Connellan - Dana Elliott, Rochester MI; Nancy Erwin, Troy MI; Connie Dugger, Birmingham MI	15.00
3.65	3/6	1/4	1/2	John Philbrook, Manchester MI; Brian Barrett - David Warwick, Adrian MI; Judi Trenton, Tecumseh MI	15.00
3.65	3/6	1/4	1/2	Judie Hlavka - Dee Becker, Racine WI; Donna Billings, Slinger WI; Marlene Foster, Franksville WI	15.00
3.65	3/6	1/4		Rebecca Joike - Trevor Joike, Rockford IL; Art Nelson - Jan Nelson, Burnsville MN	15.00
1.30		5/7		Teresa Caplan - Craig Caplan, Pasadena MD; Richard Pawlowski, Columbia MD; Dede Flieder, Annapolis MD	14.50
1.30		5/7		Lorraine Cable, Dorchester MA; William Palmer, Brooklyn NY; Michael Ring, Cambridge MA; Vincent Koon Kam King, Arlington MA	14.50
1.69		5/7	3	Bonnie Bergdoll, Oak Brook IL; Judith Mulholland - Pat Pierce, Naples FL; Gail Martin, Mirror Lake NH	14.50

SATURDAY-SUNDAY SIDE GAME SERIES

Tables	A	B	C		
9.40	1			Ian Findlay, Markham ON; Martin Hunter, Mississauga ON	72.92%
7.05	2			G Venkatesh, Los Altos CA; Kanningat Krishnakumar, Chennai 6 India	68.59%
6.22	3	1		F Donna Daley, Braintree MA; Les Gerig, Leawood KS	65.06%
3.97	4			Elaine Ware, Vernon BC; Steven Lawrence, Calgary AB	64.42%
2.97	5			J. Shah, ; K Venkatraman, Chennai India	63.62%
2.23	6			Jean Talbot - Joan Van Geffen, Metairie LA	62.98%
4.67		2		Daniel Sellers Jr, Mobile AL; Billie Vickers, Montgomery AL	58.65%
3.94		3	1	Kenneth Dye, Morrisville NC; Christopher Galbraith, Antioch CA	58.49%
2.62		4		Deanna Lewis, Presque Isle MI; John Rothschild, Elkridge MD	58.33%
1.97		5		Donald Addis, Darien IL; Aileen Osofsky, New York NY	56.25%
2.96		6	2	George Van Amburg - Helen Van Amburg, Dewitt MI	56.09%
2.22			3	Byrl Malmanger, Bella Vista AR; Elaine Lutz, Long Branch NJ	55.77%
1.87			4/5	Jo Levy - Robert Johnson, Grand Junction CO	55.45%
1.96			4/5	Kathy Rolfe, Lake Winnebago MO; Harvey Shifrin, Lincolnshire IL	55.45%
0.93			6	Michael Kammermayer - Laurie Due, Hamilton ON	55.29%

STRATI-FLIGHTED B/C/D PAIRS

Tables	B	C	D		
16.53	1			Richard Lawson, Plymouth MN; Eric Hendrickson, Minneapolis MN	62.50%
12.40	2	1	1	Jon King, Balboa Island CA; Dayou Zhou, La Jolla CA	61.92%
9.30	3			L Pelletier, Lisle IL; Steven Brashler, Lockport IL	61.57%
7.64	4	2	2	Shyam Giridharadas, Chevy Chase MD; Prem Garg, Potomac MD	61.46%
5.23	5			James Andre, Rockville MD; Jerry Miller, Silver Spring MD	59.49%
5.73	6	3		Eugene Fisher - Adrienne Fisher, Potomac MD	58.91%
3.52	7			Reid Willis, Philadelphia PA; Richard Brewer, Chicago IL	58.80%
4.30		4		Scott Hiller, Marshall MN; Bill Carlson, Minnetonka MN	57.41%
3.22		5		Andy Caranicas, St Paul MN; Sam Larson, Eden Prairie MN	55.56%
3.20		6	3	Elizabeth Goodwin - David Van Halteren, Toronto ON	54.75%
2.96			4	Roy Bruno - June Bruno, Redmond WA	53.36%
1.80			5	J Beck, Millbrae CA; Charles Riffle, Emerald Hills CA	50.46%
1.35			6	Harland London - Holly London, Woodridge IL	49.65%

Bid Box Alerts and Announcements

When using bid boxes, ACBL suggests that players tap the Alert strip and say "Alert" at the same time.

When making an announcement, use the announcement word — such as "transfer" — and tap the Alert strip at the same time.

A player who Alerts or announces a bid should make sure his opponents are aware that an Alert or announcement has been made.



Monitoring

At this and future North American Championships, ACBL will be monitoring NABC+ events with visible, real-time cameras. The images will be recorded and will be available for later official inspection and review.

By general monitoring of the session and participants' behavior, ACBL has another source of information that may be useful in determining facts and settling issues arising from some types of ethical and behavioral complaints or actions. Please summon a director if a problem occurs at the table.

This procedure is intended to assure everyone that the playing field is level and that misbehavior will not be tolerated.

21.01 3/4 Donald Florida, Marshall IL; Karen Erlanger, Saint Louis MO; John Burgener, St Louis MO; Annette Clark, Indianapolis IN
 21.01 3/4 Jan Galey - Carole Cordes - Craig Cordes, Baton Rouge LA; Paul Deal, New Orleans LA

CORT LARSON MEMORIAL KO 3

16 Tables / Based on 40 Tables
 34.17 1 John Kelsey, Diboll TX; Jackie Erickson-Schwei, Destrehan LA; Mary Gorkin, Baldwinville NY; Myra Abrams, Cote Saint-Luc QC
 25.63 2 Richard Seibert - Cheryl Seibert, Beaverton MI; Jo Anne Thompson, Mount Pleasant MI; Beverly Slaski, Grand Rapids MI
 17.09 3/4 Marcella Lane - Jay Helekar, Newport Beach CA; Hemant Bhatia, Foothill Ranch CA; Joseph Chaikin, Garden Grove CA
 17.09 3/4 Barbara Doran - Eric Landau, Silver Spring MD; Eileen Paley, Scarsdale NY; Sandra Hammer, Dorset VT; Courtney Nelson, Wells VT; Rae Dethlefsen, Reston VA
 7.69 5/8 Peter Stein, Hillsborough NJ; Richard Ross, Highland Park NJ; Rudi Cataldi, Rolling Hills CA; Cho-Wei Sit, Watchung NJ

CORT LARSON MEMORIAL KO 4

16 Tables / Based on 35 Tables
 28.09 1 John Killeen - Patricia Killeen, Mishawaka IN; Phillip Stephan - Sara Marcus, South Bend IN
 21.07 2 Paul Irvine - Margaret Irvine, Allentown PA; Michael Mullendore, Ellicott City MD; Charles Lynn Jr, Kansas City MO
 14.05 3/4 Daniel Sellers Jr - Christie Sellers, Mobile AL; Billie Vickers, Montgomery AL; Carla Burke, Lillian AL
 14.05 3/4 Janet Wickersham, Sierra Madre CA; Teri Atkinson, Bakersfield CA; Betty Jackson, Temple City CA; Barbara Betz, Las Vegas NV

CORT LARSON MEMORIAL KO 5

16 Tables / Based on 32 Tables
 24.48 1 Ron Law - Jon Shuster - Dimitri Bourilkov, Gainesville FL; Evelyn Kleinsasser, Alachua FL
 18.36 2 Kathy Stanford - Susan Fraser, Leesburg FL; Lynn Brown, Palm Coast FL; Robert Renuart, Ponce Inlet FL
 12.24 3/4 Richard Chase, Chicago IL; Danna Dudnick, Northbrook IL; Fran Druth, Wilmette IL; Jan Ratliff, Highland Park IL
 12.24 3/4 Bob Johnson - Susan Rhoades, Pasadena CA; Todd Kaplan - Adam Kaplan, New Port Richey FL

CORT LARSON MEMORIAL KO 6

16 Tables / Based on 28 Tables
 20.84 1 Mike Develin, Berkeley CA; John Barth, Santa Cruz CA; Jiang Chen, Santa Clara CA; Nongyu Li, Sunnyvale CA
 15.63 2 Roxy Freedman - Marielle Brentnall - Susan Cohen - Jerry Cohen, Winnipeg MB
 10.42 3/4 Paul Foster, Vista CA; Joan Lubowe, Encinitas CA; Kathleen Martin - Mary Armacost, Hillsborough CA
 10.42 3/4 Daniel Goldfein - Patricia Goldfein, Lincolnwood IL; Sam Katz, Hinsdale IL; David Banh, Annandale VA
 4.69 5/8 Susan Shorter, Saint Paul MN; Genadiy Hirscht, Albion MI; Paul Hern, Dayton OH; Arman Hartung, Marshall MI

CORT LARSON MEMORIAL KO 7

16 Tables / Based on 25 Tables
 17.42 1 Barry Segal - Casey Sinatra, Boca Raton FL; Daniel Raider, San Mateo CA; Matthew Raider, Portland CT
 13.07 2 Robert Webster - Wayne Larson, Ripon WI; A George Johnson, Oshkosh WI; Michael French, Fond Du Lac WI
 8.71 3/4 Judith Rich - Susie Butler, Marblehead MA; Carol McMackin - Marilyn Wells, Allendale NJ
 8.71 3/4 Ronnie Burns, Fort Smith AR; Philip Duterme, Bellaire TX; Richard Murdock, North Aurora IL; John Otto, Winfield IL

CORT LARSON MEMORIAL KO 8

16 Tables / Based on 22 Tables
 15.30 1 Jeff Dater - Kevin Pheiffer - Tom Pearce, Dallas TX; Joseph Gill, Richardson TX
 11.48 2 Robert Forster, Little Neck NY; Howard Liu, Redmond WA; Carol Frank, Burbank CA; Jeremy Koegel, Los Angeles CA
 7.65 3/4 Richard Walker - Hagai Rifkind - Gary Bagley - Scott Haydon, New York NY
 7.65 3/4 William Connellan - Dana Elliott, Rochester MI; Connie Dugger, Birmingham MI; Nancy Erwin, Troy MI

CORT LARSON MEMORIAL KO 9

16 Tables / Based on 18 Tables
 12.76 1 Herman Markell - Ilene Markell, Memphis TN; Dottie Bendis, Plainfield IL; Carol Johnson, Naperville IL
 9.57 2 Matthew O'Connor, Ridgewood NJ; Jennifer Broekman, Fair Lawn NJ; Donald Belfer, Mahwah NJ; James Sundstrom, Wyckoff NJ
 6.38 3/4 Robert Dolan, Oak Park IL; Carolyn Cross, Post Falls ID; Julie Miller-Garino, La Grange IL; Carl Bonfiglio, La Grange Pk IL
 6.38 3/4 Ann Hamilton, Naples FL; Barbara Chasnoff, Park Ridge IL; Walter Krueger, Glenview IL; Diane Boger, Buffalo Grove IL
 2.87 5/8 Christopher Panos - Barbara Wheeler, Sacramento CA; Jim Canty, Berkeley CA; Gretchen Smith, Piedmont CA

CORT LARSON MEMORIAL KO10

14 Tables
 10.60 1 John Clouser, Pepperell MA; William

SUNDAY, JULY 16

Free Lesson with Marti Ronemus

Topic: Taking Tricks on Purpose, or Playing a Hand Like You Meant It!

Complete with handouts.

MONDAY, JULY 17

Free Lesson with Barbara Seagram

Topic: Take More Tricks as Declarer

Complete with handouts.

Two Super Mornings!

Location: Grand Ballroom B

10 a.m. – Noon

Bidermann, San Diego CA; Jeffrey Pickholtz, Marlboro MA;
Michael Kagen, Sutton MA
7.95 2 Terry T Brown, Rochester Hills MI; Jonathan
Fleischmann, Bloomfield MI; Ronna Galin, West Bloomfield MI;
Zachary Wasserman, Farmington MI
5.30 3/4 Daniel Willis - Frederick Isaak, Dubuque IA;
Celeste Jacklin - Ann Witt, Aurora IL
5.30 3/4 Barbara Harris, Riverwoods IL; Marlene
Beranek, Glenview IL; Mary Hilman, Mt Prospect IL; Joan Jerpe,
Naperville IL

HERMAN BATKO MEMORIAL #1**16 Tables / Based on 61 Tables**

Michael Huston, Joplin MO; Jim Linhart, Raleigh NC; Richard
Budd, Portland ME; Robert Schwartz, San Pedro CA

vs

Ellen Anten, Encino CA; Steve Gross, Westlake Vlg CA; Elaine
Said, Nashville TN; Keith Garber, Las Vegas NV; Phelps
Lambert, Henderson KY; Ruth Stober, Great Neck NY

Carolyn Lynch, Scottsdale AZ; Dennis Dawson, Santa Fe NM;
George Mittelman, Toronto ON; Fred Gitelman - Eddie Wold -
Mike Passell, Las Vegas NV

vs

David Treadwell - Rick Rowland - Ivar Stakgold, Wilmington
DE; Daniel Rotman, N Miami Beach FL

HERMAN BATKO MEMORIAL #2**16 Tables / Based on 50 Tables**

William Pettis, Silver Spring MD; Frederick Allenspach, Potomac
MD; Brian Platnick - Bryna Kra, Evanston IL

vs

Abraham Pineles, Jackson NJ; Alexander Allen, Annandale NJ;
David Better, Southampton PA; Daisy Goecker, Yardley PA

Craig Allen, Glen Ellyn IL; L James Phillips, Chicago IL; Jeffrey
Miller, Naperville IL; Phil Warden, Madison WI

vs

Suzy Burger - Chuck Burger, West Bloomfield MI; Carol Kasle -
Dennis Kasle, Bloomfield MI

HERMAN BATKO MEMORIAL #3**16 Tables / Based on 45 Tables**

Jess Stuart - Lois Stuart, West Chester PA; Richard Morgen,
Havertown PA; Victor Quiros III, Lansdale PA

vs

Dean Cohler, Northbrook IL; Gerald Gitles, Chicago IL; Michael
Betts, Dartmouth NS; Edward Spear, Bangor ME

David Abelow, Owings Mills MD; Richard Wegman, Bethesda
MD; David Ruderman, Burtonsville MD; Alfred Steinberg,
Potomac MD

vs

Robert Hollow, Madoc ON; Jane Dillenberg, New York NY; Jerry
Goldberg, Yonkers NY; Malcolm Ewashkiw, Belleville ON

HERMAN BATKO MEMORIAL #4**16 Tables / Based on 40 Tables**

Paul Gipson, Duns Td113pz Scotland; Alex Gipson, Orpington
B England; Judith Marshall - Sharon Benz, Buffalo NY

vs

Cata Robles, ; Laurie Shapka - Doug Deschner, Red Deer AB; Ian
Boyd, Calgary AB; Thomas Gandolfo, Edmonton AB; Kevin
Bathurst, New York NY

Burrell Humphreys - Joy Humphreys, Wayne NJ; Eli Schneider -
Cynthia Schneider, East Brunswick NJ; Bharat Rao, Berwyn PA

vs

Ahmed Sorathia, Chino CA; Mariko Kakimoto, Newport Beach
CA; Subba Ravipudi, Downey CA; Gayle Andrews, Stanton CA;
James Glickman, Woodland Hills CA; Howard Einberg, Los
Angeles CA

HERMAN BATKO MEMORIAL #5**16 Tables / Based on 36 Tables**

Teresa Ozias, Dallas OR; Isolde Knaap - Jeffery Jacob, Portland
OR; Dick Mc Cluer, Vancouver WA

vs

William McFall, New Berlin WI; Bryan Delfs, Pleasant Prairie WI;
James Melville, Springfield IL; Will Engel, Freeport IL

Judy Riehs - Mark Ginsburg - David Langer, Buffalo Grove IL;
Dick Arnold, Racine WI

vs

Caroline Pascoe - Michelle Golden, Sarasota FL; Steven Shaye,
Slingerlands NY; Larry Rosen, Albany NY

HERMAN BATKO MEMORIAL #6**16 Tables / Based on 33 Tables**

Lauren Friedman, Daly City CA; Robert Hayn, San Francisco CA;
Joe Clark, Dallas TX; John Herriot, Los Angeles CA

vs

Jack Brown - Ron Zambonini, Nepean ON; Donald J Ferrara,
Rockland ON; David Jones, Orleans ON

Joyce Hampton, Blythewood SC; Judy McDonald, Henderson NV;
Jon Rice - Mike Rice, Winston Salem NC; Lucas Lebioda,
Columbia SC

vs

Sidney Axelrod - Eileen Axelrod, Glenview IL; Carl Sharp - Steve
Kreiner, Chicago IL; Clifford Lopate, Newmarket NH

HERMAN BATKO MEMORIAL #7**16 Tables / Based on 30 Tables**

Benjamin Eisenberg - Susan Eisenberg, Lords Valley PA; Tom
Kaufmann, Pine Brook NJ; Martin Lesh, Montville NJ

vs

Charles Swart, Portland OR; Dennis Balfé, University City MO;
Hope Ellis - Barbara Greenspan, Beachwood OH

YOUNG LM-1500 PAIRS

34.64	1	Daniel Swartzman, Chicago IL; Rick Schoenfield, Westchester IL	546.39
25.98	2	Matthew Bribitzer-Stull - Jason Bribitzer-Stull, Minneapolis MN	539.38
19.49	3	Nicolas Hammond, Atlanta GA; Edward Foran, Marietta GA	517.96
15.40	4	Alan Levine - Marjorie Levine, Massapequa NY	504.18
13.86	5	Jimmy Ritzenberg, Bethesda MD; Jim Gaarder, Columbia MD	497.57
12.60	6	Jim O'Brien - Sandra O'Brien, Brookfield WI	493.16
11.55	7	Lee Ohliger - Jonathan Ohliger, Ridgewood NJ	490.64
10.66	8	Howard Engle, Highland Park IL; Mark Weisman, Glenview IL	490.33
9.90	9	Elizabeth Wachowicz - Zenon Wachowicz, Buffalo Grove IL	490.00
9.24	10	Louise Clark, Glencoe IL; Steve Clark, Chicago IL	478.35
8.66	11	Owen Lien, Hickory NC; Kevin Dwyer, Lehigh Acres FL	475.36
8.15	12	Elaine Misner - James Misner, Wilton CT	474.60
7.70	13	Ian Kidger, Reading England; Jon Downing, Solihull England	465.62
9.16	14	James Wang - Darcy Schroeder, Tempe AZ	460.43
6.93	15	Michael Strong, Winfield IL; Roger Theis, Naperville IL	460.41
7.47	16	Todd Fisher - George Goewey, Chicago IL	459.43
6.30	17	Bonnie Miller, Chestnut Hill MA; Susan Kohen, Newton MA	459.39
6.02	18	Kenneth Andino - Theresa Andino, Tallahassee FL	454.47
5.77	19	Randolph Hammock - Paul Allman, Los Angeles CA	451.98
7.58	20	Al Peters, Bellevue WA; John Hassett, Kennesaw GA	449.19
5.33	21	Don Maupin - Thomas Rossow, South Bend IN	447.50
5.13	22	David Amsterdam, Wayne PA; Brad Barry, Phoenixville PA	447.34
4.95	23	Brian Duran, Somerville MA; Stephen McDevitt, Medford MA	442.75
4.78	24	Stephanie Schwingel, Coloma WI; Nancy Ogreenc, Wautoma WI	440.54
4.62	25	Bill Begert - Randi Adelman, New York NY	435.61

GRAND NATIONAL TEAMS FLIGHT B

60.00	1	Allan Wolf, Ridgefield CT; Russell Friedman, Wilton CT; Frances Schneider - Bernard Schneider, Riverside CT	
45.00	2	Dan Roseberry, Dover OH; John Bacon, Lakewood OH; John Tscholl, Canton OH; Jim Overcashier, East Canton OH	
30.00	3/4	Lesley Thomson - Stephen Foster - Aleksandar Vujic - Franco Gaspari, Toronto ON	
30.00	3/4	Greg House, S San Fran CA; V Everett Boyer, San Bruno CA; Sarita Mathiasen, Albany CA; Fred Chasalow, Millbrae CA	
13.50	5/8	Richard Soderstrom, Ottawa ON; Michael Baggott, North Gower ON; Donald J Ferrara, Rockland ON; David Jones, Orleans ON; Ron Zambonini - Jack Brown, Nepean ON	
13.50	5/8	Brad Vander Zanden - David Shepler - Jared Fournier - Jeremy Fournier, Knoxville TN; Jon Rice - Mike Rice, Winston Salem NC	
13.50	5/8	Rene McFall, New Berlin WI; Maribeth Miller, Naperville IL; Chris Ward - Andy Ward, Carol Stream IL	
13.50	5/8	Mark Dean, Jersey City NJ; Doug Herron - Peter Bonfanti, New York NY; Daniel Wilderman, Brooklyn NY	

GRAND NATIONAL TEAMS FLIGHT C

40.00	1	Tao Feng, Burnaby BC; Jack Lee - Samuel Lai - Kam Tang, Richmond BC	
30.00	2	Daniel Rothwell - John Cissel - Veronica Mathis - Ivan Jen, Eugene OR	
20.00	3/4	Janice Thompson, Newman IL; Irene Wen - Elizabeth Wilson, Urbana IL; Anne Thiede, Danville IL	
20.00	3/4	Dayou Zhou - Chong Zhao - Narayanan Ramabhadran, La Jolla CA; Jon King, Balboa Island CA	
9.00	5/8	John Ricotta, Hamburg NY; Carlton Stone, N Tonawanda NY; Judith Padgug, Amherst NY; Nancy Kessler, West Seneca NY	
9.00	5/8	Neal Rosenthal - Ellen Rosenthal - Prem Garg, Potomac MD; Shyam Giridharadas, Chevy Chase MD	
9.00	5/8	Jeff Adams - Jeffrey Buckwalter, Papillion NE; Jonathan Cohn, Omaha NE; Andrew Clements, Fremont NE	
9.00	5/8	Michael Ring - Vincent Koon Kam King, Cambridge MA; Lorraine Cable, Dorchester MA; Ann Borgschulte, Lexington MA	

BRUCE LM-5000 PAIRS QUALIFIERS

			carryover
	1	Carole Berry - John Gillespie, Orleans ON	24.39
	2	Robert Boudreau, Mashpee MA; Paul Boudreau, Lomita CA	23.32
	3	John Maki, Bothell WA; Dan Romm, Seattle WA	20.19
	4	Debra Hyatt, Denver CO; Robert Bernstein, Albuquerque NM	20.13
	5	Elliott Grubman - Ava Grubman, Brooklyn NY	19.27
	6	Andy Kaufman, Smyrna DE; Michael Cassel II, Roseville MN	18.49
	7	Lisa Ogut, Darien IL; Keith Connolly, Minneapolis MN	18.18
	8	Shelley Fishman, Merrick NY; Frank Allison, West Hempstead NY	16.61
	9	Al Booth - Sun-O Ho, Brookfield WI	16.46
	10	Bob Fashingbauer, Elmhurst IL; Tim Tullis, Roselle IL	16.29
	11	Rodney Wilton, Albuquerque NM; Brian Johnston, Toronto ON	14.88
	12	Dan Parish Jr - Elise Parish, Omaha NE	14.29
	13	August Boehm - Donald Simmons, New York NY	13.95
	14	Eileen Cripps, Madison WI; Steven Reuschlein, Middleton WI	13.61
	15	Randee Machotka, Deerfield IL; Rosanne Schabinger, Mount Prospect IL	13.21
	16	Arne Maki - Gene Maki, Dallas OR	13.05
	17	Brett Adler, Westport CT; William Wood, Norwalk CT	11.90
	18	Brenda Montague - Neil Montague, Swampscott MA	11.85
	19	David Maidman - Marin Marinov, New York NY	7.27
	20	Karen Ashton - Glen Ashton, Nepean ON	6.75
	21	Craig Zastera, Woodinville WA; Al Blinder, Torrance CA	6.12
	22	Kenton Schoen, Falls Church VA; Diane Walker, Gaithersburg MD	5.00
	23	Yvonne Hernandez - Lu Kohutiak, Murrieta CA	4.17
	24	Natalie Bassil, Boston MA; Roger Johnson, Waltham MA	4.16
	25	Blake Harrop, Downers Grove IL; David Bogolub, Deerfield IL	2.72
26/27		Allen McRae, Portland ME; Bob Lafleur, Las Vegas NV	0.63
26/27		Dorothy Coakley, Naples FL; Gabriel Tawil, Glendale WI	0.63
28		Dale Dye - Douglas Dye, Wyndmoor PA	0.00

VON ZEDTWITZ LIFE MASTER PAIRS QUALIFIERS

1	Larry Robbins, Deerfield IL; Jerry Goldfein, Lincolnwood IL	188.83
2	Yeshayahu Levit, Tel-Aviv Israel; Melih Ozdil, Istanbul Turkey	181.17
3	Mark Itabashi, Murrieta CA; Eric Leong, Oakland CA	146.46
4	Boye Brogeland, Norway; Ishmael Delmonte, Double Bay, Australia	130.77
5	Bryan Maksymetz, Coquitlam BC; Lars Andersson, Bromma, Sweden	130.04
6	Alfredo Versace, Rome Italy; James Cayne, New York NY	127.58
7	Winthrop Allegaert - Jaggy Shivdasani, New York NY	127.54
8	Linda Lewis - Paul Lewis, Sioux Falls SD	121.70
9	Andre Chartrand, Chateauguay QC; Serge Chevalier, Montreal QC	119.35
10	Bjorn Fallenius, New York NY; Bart Bramley, Dallas TX	117.34
11	Stephen Earl - Geoffrey Brod, Avon CT	115.94
12	Stephen Landen, Ellicott City MD; Pratap Rajadhyaksha, Powell OH	111.70
13	Janet De Botton, London England; Justin Hackett, Manchester, England	102.03
14	Ai-Tai Lo, Reston VA; Alan Schwartz, Fairfax VA	101.46
15	Peter Boyd, Silver Spring MD; Steve Robinson, Arlington VA	98.82
16	Tarek Sadek - Walid Elahmady, Cairo Egypt	96.61
17	Mildred Breed, Austin TX; Shawn Quinn, Richmond TX	95.91
18	Martin Fleisher, New York NY; William Pollack, Basking Ridge NJ	93.17
19	David Berkowitz - Larry Cohen, Boca Raton FL	89.22
20	Judi Radin - Lynne Tarnopol, New York NY	87.63
21	Richard Katz, N Versailles PA; Robert Levin, Bronx NY	85.44
22	Lynn Deas, Schenectady NY; Curtis Cheek, Huntsville AL	81.27
23	Jared Lilienstein, New York NY; Jacek Pszczola, Las Vegas NV	81.14
24	Kerri Sanborn, Stony Point NY; Irina Levitina, Hackensack NJ	79.72
25	Zia Mahmood, New York NY; Jan Jansma, Malden Netherlands	75.38
26	Fu Zhong, Beijing People's Republic of China; Zhao Jie, Tianjin People's Republic of China	72.76
27	Ken Cohen, Philadelphia PA; Neal Satten, Wynnewood PA	71.21
28	Jonathan Weinstein, Evanston IL; Bob Gwartzman, Brooklyn NY	70.66
29	William Braucher, Billerica MA; Rick Binder, Waltham MA	70.11
30	Joshua Parker, Briarcliff NY; Bruce Rogoff, Upper Grandview NY	67.77
31	Joshua Donn, Henderson NV; Jason Feldman, San Diego CA	66.67
32	Murray Melton, Las Vegas NV; Rob Crawford, Henderson NV	64.06
33	Russell Samuel, Glen Cove NY; Alexander Ladyzhensky, Ellenton FL	59.38
34	Haig Tchamitch, Scottsdale AZ; Jo Morse, Palm Bch Gdns FL	57.16
35	Fredrik Nystrom, Stockholm 1124 Sweden; Grace Jeklin, Surrey BC	57.01
36	Fulvio Fantoni, Rome Italy; Richard Zeckhauser, Cambridge MA	56.41
37	Josh Sher, Woodland Hls CA; Clement Jackson, Albuquerque NM	56.00
38	Robert Sartorius, Lake Hiawatha NJ; Rick Roeder, San Diego CA	54.18
39	Alex Ornstein, Roslyn Heights NY; Susan Picus, New York NY	54.06
40	Bernard Miller, Boca Raton FL; Lewis Finkel, Jupiter FL	53.96
41	Steve Beatty, Mill Creek WA; Allan Falk, Okemos MI	53.66
42	Sabine Auken, Charlottenlund, Denmark; Daniela von Arnim, Hockenhe, Germany	53.47
43	Robert Katz, Ann Arbor MI; Robert Brandow, Toledo OH	51.22
44	Michael Rosenberg, New Rochelle NY; R Jay Becker, New York NY	51.02
45	Adam Wildavsky, Jackson Heights NY; Douglas Doub, W Hartford CT	49.43
46	Val Covalciuc, Fort Myers FL; Rebecca Rogers, Las Vegas NV	49.27
47	Harry Tudor, Miami FL; Glenn Eisenstein, New York NY	45.68
48	G S Jade Barrett, Vancouver WA; Stephen Goldstein, Santa Ana CA	45.10
49	Stephen Gladyszak, Chelsea MA; Pat McDevitt, Brookline MA	44.81
50	Stephen Lucas - Lesley Decker Lucas, Woodbury NY	44.75
51	Michael Becker, Boca Raton FL; Richard Schwartz, East Elmhurst NY	43.33
52	Jeff Schuett, Riverwoods IL; Kerry Smith, Milwaukee WI	42.60
53	John Kranyak - John Hurd, New York NY	40.46
54	Linda Gordon - Robb Gordon, Sedona AZ	40.11
55	Vernon Evans - Monte Evans, Redfield SD	40.06
56	Jack Feagin Jr - Claudia Feagin, Atlanta GA	39.54
57	Barry Gorski - Albert Bingaman Jr, Reading PA	37.57
58	Howard Weinstein, Sarasota FL; John Carruthers, Toronto ON	37.20
59	Austberg, ; Erik Saelensminde, Bergen Norway	37.14
60	Darren Wolpert, Thornhill ON; Joe Grue, New York NY	36.78
61	Peter Fredin, Malmo Sweden; Michael Moss, New York NY	36.10
62	Harry Stratton, Columbus OH; Kenneth Kranyak, Bay Village OH	34.96
63	Bas Dryver, Rotterdam Netherlands; Sjoert Brink, Rotterdam, Netherlands	33.89
64	Jaroslav Piasecki, Buffalo Grove IL; Grazyna Brewiak, Gdansk Poland	32.45
65	Les Bart - Gloria Silverman Bart, Bradenton FL	31.20
66	Polly Dunn - Patrick Dunn, Bellevue WA	31.07
67	Robert Gardner, Glenview IL; Craig Gardner, Streamwood IL	31.02
68	Arnold Fisher, Clementon NJ; Fred Paul, Cliffside Pk NJ	30.63
69	Robert Bambrick, Kingston ON; James Priebe, Mississauga ON	29.47
70	Jim Krekorian - John Diamond, New York NY	28.54
71	Brian Senior, Nottingham England; Paul Hackett, Manchester, England	27.81
72	Andrew Rosenthal - Aaron Silverstein, New York NY	25.68
73	Lou Reich, Wheaton MD; Martin Caley, Montreal QC	24.96
74	Brad Moss, New York NY; Sheri Winestock, Las Vegas NV	24.42

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Matt Meckstroth - Rob Meckstroth, Gainesville FL; Jared Fournier - Jeremy Fournier, Knoxville TN

vs

Kirk Elyakin - Marilyn Elyakin, East Windsor NJ; Melissa Baker - Robert Baker, West Harrison NY

Adam Meyerson - Elianna Ruppini, Los Angeles CA; Joon Pahk, Cambridge MA; Ronny Chauviere, New Hyde Park NY

vs

Stephannie Russo - Evan Markowitz - Blair Brickman, New York NY; David Morrow, Brooklyn NY

HERMAN BATKO MEMORIAL #8**16 Tables / Based on 27 Tables**

Martha Hawley, Carmel Valley CA; Ronald Loiacono, Salinas CA; Laurie Hamachek, Huntley IL; Audrey Danocup, Beloit WI

vs

Farald Riegel, Osprey FL; Wynona Bonomi, Bradenton FL; Jeannine Gaunce, Sarasota FL; Julie Zhu, Vero Beach FL

Linda Lee - Mary Anne McDougal, Destin FL; Abbie Margolies - Martin Margolies, Dothan AL

vs

Jerzy Cygan, Wood Dale IL; Marian Krasowski, Prospect Hts IL; Lech Brzozowski, Chicago IL; Wieslaw Kalita, Woodridge IL

HERMAN BATKO MEMORIAL #9**16 Tables / Based on 23 Tables**

Scott Chupack - J C Chupack, Gurnee IL; Stacey Lind - James Abbott, Chicago IL

vs

Sylvia Kveton, Galena IL; Judith Larson - Eloise Connors - Laura Jones, Wilmington NC

Josh Levy - Jan Miyake, Oberlin OH; Mark Zeitler, Davenport IA; Michael Stapleton, Rock Island IL

vs

James Wong, Wheaton IL; Elaine Everett, Clarendon Hills IL; Earl Smith, Willowbrook IL; Jean Small, River Forest IL

Jon Greiman, Monee IL; Tom Willson, Oak Park IL; Romuald Mindak, Elmwood Park IL; Tadeusz Szych, Chicago IL

vs

Cynthia Hanson, Northborough MA; Claire McClennan - A Jean Fast, Holliston MA; Inger Lise Kilcoyne, Worcester MA

HERMAN BATKO MEMORIAL #10**12 Tables / Based on 17 Tables**

Ted Currie - Betsy Ramsay-Curie, Washago ON; Dennis Scott - Patricia Scott, Fredericksburg VA

vs

Ross Richardson, Traverse City MI; Daniel Laure Richardson, Springfield IL; R Richardson - Amy Richardson, Roanoke VA

David Findley - Blythe Olshan Findley, Westchester IL; Barbara Driscoll, Jim Thorpe PA; Mary Henderson, Naples FL

vs

David Stolfa - Ann Stolfa, Englewood CO; Bill Johnson - Ann McGrew, Denver CO

HERMAN BATKO MEMORIAL #11**12 Tables / Based on 14 Tables**

Naylon Leapley, Wyoming RI; Catherine Sallar, Fall River MA; Maureen Johnson - Joseph Brouillard, Lincoln RI

vs

Diane Wright, Southside AL; Dottie Fambrough, Gadsden AL; Victor Breinberg - Bonnie Breinberg, Staten Island NY

Eleanor Nuellen - James Nuellen, Lockport IL; Thomas Hurt - Mary Hurt, Lombard IL; Steve Oshen - Julie Oshen, Glen Ellyn IL

vs

Alan Colker - Lynne Colker - Ami Elis - Nurit Elis, Pittsburgh PA

HERMAN BATKO MEMORIAL #12**13 Tables**

James Potter, Farmington Hills MI; William Gregg, Livonia MI; Ellen Silverest, Brighton MI; Linda Lutze, Northville MI

vs

Michael Sittinger - Shelia Sittinger, Lombard IL; Lynne Marley, Downers Grove IL; Craig Wakefield, Des Plaines IL

Patsy Ruth Williams, Danville CA; Ruth Kenney, Alamo CA; Doris Schwartz - Steven Schwartz, Chesterfield MO

vs

Pamela Jones, Shaker Heights OH; Barbara Cunliffe, Cleveland OH; Karen Dale Kent, Barrington IL; Diane Treslo, Rolling Meadows IL



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75.00	2	Jan Martel - Chip Martel, Davis CA; JoAnna Stansby - Lew Stansby, Castro Valley CA; Sally Woolsey - Kit Woolsey, Kensington CA
50.00	3/4	George Jacobs - Ralph Katz, Hinsdale IL; Claude Vogel - David Yang, Chicago IL; Steve Garner, Sarasota FL; Nikolay Demirev, Arlington Hts IL
50.00	3/4	Carolyn Lynch, Scottsdale AZ; Mike Passell - Eddie Wold - Marc Jacobus - Fred Gitelman, Las Vegas NV; Dennis Dawson, Santa Fe NM
22.50	5/8	Kerri Sanborn, Stony Point NY; Stephen Sanborn, Poughkeepsie NY; Irina Levitina, Hackensack NJ; Richard Zucker, Dobbs Ferry NY
22.50	5/8	Bill Kent, Iowa City IA; Monte Evans - Vernon Evans, Redfield SD; Peggy Kaplan, Minnetonka MN
22.50	5/8	Hendrik Sharples, Brush Prairie WA; Raymond Ward - Stan Sather - Eric Stoltz, Portland OR; Troy Horton, Clatskanie OR; Roger McNay, Beaverton OR
22.50	5/8	Robert Hollman, Santa Barbara CA; Geoff Hampson - Renee Mancuso, Los Angeles CA; Billy Cohen, Sherman Oaks CA; Grant Baze, San Diego CA

GRAND NATIONAL TEAMS FLIGHT A

75.00	1	Andy Stark - Danny Miles - Doug Baxter, Toronto ON; Daniel Korbel, Waterloo ON; David Grainger, Etobicoke ON
56.25	2	Charles Price, Sherman TX; S Kohan, Dallas TX; Tom Edwards, Grand Prairie TX; Marcus Poe Jr, Plano TX; Greg Hinze, San Antonio TX; Mark Bumgardner, Carrollton TX
37.50	3/4	Jan Assini - Peter Grover, Aurora OH; Thomas Donnelly - A Greer, Buffalo NY; Bernard Fudor, Murrysville PA; Brian Meyer, Cheektowaga NY
37.50	3/4	Richard Mydloski, Taylor MI; Mark Leonard, Ypsilanti MI; Jerrold Grossman, Rochester Hills MI; Barry Lippitt, Southfield MI
16.88	5/8	Diane Walker, Gaithersburg MD; Millard Nachtwey, Silver Spring MD; Kenton Schoen, Falls Church VA; Linda Maloney, Rockville MD
16.88	5/8	Meyer Abarbanel, Belvidere IL; James Hudson, DeKalb IL; Madhu Viswanathan, Champaign IL; Kris Maillacheruvu, Peoria IL
16.88	5/8	Mike Potoczak, Mt Prospect IL; Jacek Michalski - Pawel Piotr Boruta, Des Plaines IL; Jaroslaw Piasecki, Buffalo Grove IL; Jacob Morgan, Madison WI; Martin Harris, Chicago IL
16.88	5/8	Yvonne Hernandez - Lu Kohutiak, Murrieta CA; Ahmed Sorathia, Chino CA; Subba Ravipudi, Downey CA

GNT Flight C

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now teaches privately. Lee is a retired businessman from Taiwan.

The team also placed third in this year's Canadian National Team Championship, Flight B.

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
D19 Feng	38	65	97	133
D20 Rothwell	20	40	83	97

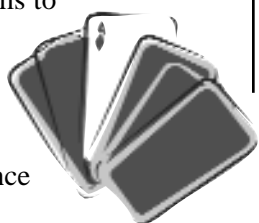
Convention card reminder

Each player is required to have a convention card filled out legibly and on the table throughout a session. Both cards of a partnership must be identical and include the first and last names of each member of the partnership.

If a director determines that neither player has a substantially completed card, the partnership may play only the ACBL Yellow Card and may use only standard carding. This restriction may be lifted only at the beginning of a subsequent round after convention cards have been properly prepared and approved by the director. Further, the partnership will receive a 1/6-board matchpoint penalty for each board played, commencing with the next round and continuing until the restriction is lifted. In IMP team games, penalties shall be at the discretion of the director.

If the director determines the partnership has at least one substantially completed convention card but has not fully complied with ACBL regulations, the director may give warnings or assign such penalties as he deems to be appropriate under the circumstances.

The objective of these warnings and penalties is the encouragement of full compliance with ACBL regulations.



75	Kazuo K. Furuta, Kanagawa-Ken, Japan; Tadashi Teramoto, Yokohama Japan	23.93
76	Morrie Kleinplatz, Windsor ON; Rick Kaye, Bingham Farms MI	23.33
77	Roger Clough - Rebecca Clough, Culver City CA	23.28
78	Laurie Kranyak, Bay Village OH; Linda McGarry, Stuart FL	22.61
79	Len Vishnevsky, San Francisco CA; William Watson, Mountain View CA	21.70
80	Art Brodsky - Patricia Brodsky, Huntingtn Sta NY	19.35
81	Edward Barlow, Sunnyvale CA; Evan Bailey, San Diego CA	18.20
82	Richard Anderson, Regina SK; Bruce Reeve, Raleigh NC	18.11
83	Nicholas Hartung, Astoria NY; Jenni Hartsman, Kennesaw GA	14.70
84	John Zilic, Houston TX; Nagy Kamel, Plano TX	12.66
85	Rita Shugart, Pebble Beach CA; Andrew Robson, Santa Cruz CA	11.77
86	Alan Osofsky, New City NY; Alan Sontag, Gaithersburg MD	11.49
87	Douglas Ross, Rochester NY; Steven Barcus, Altamonte Spg FL	10.80
88	Sartaj Hans, Bondi Nsw Australia; Anthony Nunn, Artarmon Nsw Australia	9.62
89	Sathya Bettadapura, Campbell CA; Bruce Tuttle, Berkeley CA	9.60
90	Nick Sandquist, London, England; Artur Malinowski, London England	8.66
91	Aubrey Strul, Delray Beach FL; Bob Jones, Hypoluxo FL	7.91
92	David Butler, Keswick VA; Mark Dahl, Richmond VA	7.21
93	Mark Aquino, Jamaica Plain MA; Daniel Nussbaum, Cambridge MA	6.64
94	Michael Polowan, New York NY; David Bakhshi, London England	6.24
95	Rowen Bell - Christopher Monsour, Chicago IL	3.78
96	Fred Moen, Stavanger 4 Norway; Jon Sveindal, Bergen Norway	3.11
97	Sharon Meng, Lakeland FL; Rahn Smith, Brandon FL	2.57
98	Michael Lipkin, Brooklyn NY; Mark Ospeck, Memphis TN	2.32
99	Kent Hartman, San Diego CA; Sumner Steinfeldt, Washington DC	1.72
100	Eugene Saxe, Briarcliff NY; Thomas Smith, Stamford CT	0.96
101	Beth Palmer - William Cole, Silver Spring MD	0.75
102	Thomas Carmichael, Kennesaw GA; Dan Gerstman, Buffalo NY	0.44
103	Mitch Dunitz, Sherman Oaks CA; Iftikhar Baqai, Irvine CA	0.16
104	Manfred Michlmayr, Orinda CA; Robert Munson, Danville CA	0.00

Tournament Terminology 101

If you're confused by the terms used to describe the different types of bridge events played at clubs and tournaments, you're not alone. Here's a list of common bridge events with explanations.

Knockout Teams: an event in which a team (of four, five or six players — with four playing at a time) plays another team. The losers are eliminated or “knocked out” while the winners play other winners until only one winning team remains.

The length of a KO match may vary from a single session to a full day (the Vanderbilt and Spingold) to a multi-day event (the Bermuda Bowl).

Bracketed Knockout Teams: a KO event in which teams are divided into groups — usually of 8, 16 or 32 teams — based on their masterpoint holdings. The top group — Bracket I — and all other groups compete in a separate event with their own set of winners.

Compact Knockout Teams: a shorter version of Bracketed KO teams.

Swiss Teams: an event in which a team (of four, five or six players — with four playing at a time) plays other teams in seven-, eight- or nine-board matches. Team A sits North-South at Table 1 and East-West at Table 2 while Team B sits East-West at Table 1 and North-South at Table 2. The results are compared and scored by International Match Points (IMPs).

Pairings for the first round are random. Pairings for succeeding rounds are determined by a team's win-loss record or Victory Point total.

International Match Points (IMPs): the most common method of scoring Swiss Team matches. Scoring example: if Team A scores plus 620 for bidding and making 4♠ on a particular deal and Team B scores only plus 170 (they didn't bid the game), the difference is 450 — which converts to 10 IMPs. The IMP chart is shown on the inside of your convention card.

Victory Points (VPs): a method of scoring Swiss Team matches. After the scores are compared and converted to IMPs, the IMP total is converted to Victory Points. A team's VP total may be used to determine its next opponents and its final standing.

Side Game Series: a series of single-session pair games that pay red points. These series include at least three sessions and may have as many as six. You may play in as many sessions as you like, but only pairs who play in at least two sessions are eligible for overall gold points. Your best two sessions are used for determining overall winners.

Flighted pairs: When flighting is used, the field is divided by expertise or experience or both into several separate games. Flight A — “unlimited

masterpoints” — will be open to all players while the remaining flights will be limited. Flight B might be 0-500 MPs or 0-1000 MPs while Flight C might be 0-300 or 0-500.

Each flight is scored individually, and masterpoint awards are made for each flight.

The masterpoint holdings of the players determine their flight. If one player is quite expert while his partner is new to the game, the pair must compete in Flight A.

In flighted events, you may play up but not down. That means you may play in Flight A or Flight B even if your masterpoint holding qualifies you for Flight C. Conversely, you may not play in Flight B or Flight C if you are a Flight A player.

Stratified Pairs: The idea is to compete against everyone but to be ranked only with your peers.

Each pair is assigned a stratum or Astrat@ based on the masterpoint holding of the partner with more masterpoints.

Example: A = 1000+ masterpoints; B = 300-1000; C = 0-300.

Thus, the most experienced players are placed in Strat A, intermediate players in Strat B and less experienced players in Strat C. Masterpoints are awarded for placings in all strats but gold points are awarded only in A and B.

The game proceeds normally — the difference comes when the scores are tabulated and ranked.

In a three-strat game, the scores are ranked three times. The first ranking is done as in a regular open game. These are the Strat A results.

If a B or C pair does well in this ranking, they receive full credit for that performance. It is not all that uncommon for a Strat C pair to place first overall, and they receive the full masterpoint award for that game.

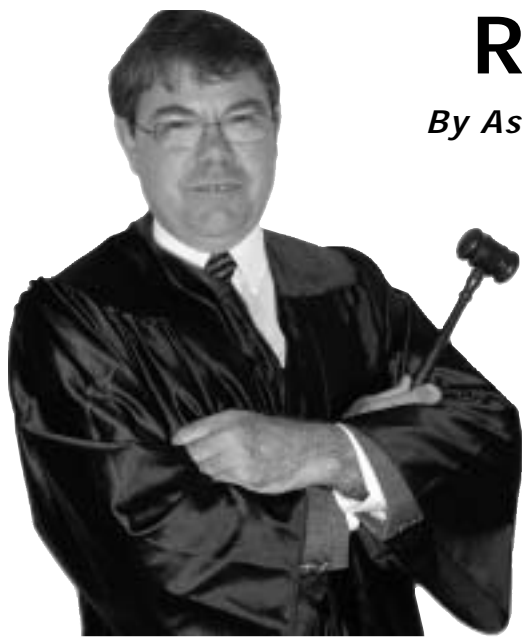
Note: A pair is eligible for only one set of masterpoint awards and automatically receives the highest award.

The second ranking compares the scores of only the B and C pairs — the scores of the Strat A pairs are eliminated. Once again, if a C pair does well, they receive points for their finishing position in the Strat B results.

The third and final ranking compares the scores of only the C pairs — all the scores of the Strat A and B pairs are eliminated.

Strati-flighted Pairs: The top group plays in a game of their own — Flight A. The rest of the field is divided into strats and plays as in a regular stratified pairs.

There can even be stratification within Flight A. Flight A may be listed as 3000+ MPs while Flight X may be listed as 0-3000 MPs.



Ruling the Game

By Associate National Director Mike Flader

Assigning an Adjusted Score

When the Director finds for whatever reason that an innocent side has been damaged as a direct result of an irregularity by the other side, then, he is supposed to assign an adjusted score.

The purpose of this article and others is to closely examine this situation and to provide club directors with some guidelines to follow in the enforcement of Law 12.

The right of the director to assign an adjusted score comes from Law 12A, which states that the director may assign an adjusted score either on his own initiative or on the application of any player when the Laws empower him to do so. The most common situation in which a director awards an adjusted score is when one of the contestants calls the director because of an irregularity by his opponent, and the director finds that there has been an irregularity and that no rectification can be made that will allow the board to be scored and played normally.

There are other situations that may come to the director's attention in the course of a session, and it is possible that the director may decide the best course of action is to award an adjusted score, but he doesn't always have to do so. Law 81C6 gives the director the authority to "rectify an error or irregularity of which he becomes aware in any manner, within the correction period established in accordance with the Law 79C, but the law is worded in such a way as to suggest the director does not always have to perform such a rectification (The preface to this Law states that the Director's duties and powers "normally" include the following).

Thus, if the director becomes aware of a revoke by a player that is not noticed by his opponents, he may not always bring it to other attention of the non-offending side. After all, the players have some responsibility in this game to protect their own interests.

Of course, if it appears that the player who revoked may have done so deliberately or if he attempts to conceal his revoke by prematurely mixing his cards after a claim, the director should intercede. The Laws are designed to provide redress for inadvertent errors. When a player deliberately commits an irregularity, the director should make sure that his side does not profit.

In the case of a claim, the director may have to be more direct. After all, if he has been called to the table to adjudicate a contested claim,, the

players have already asked for his assistance. It is quite possible that they may not be aware of all of the nuances of the Law in this regard. That Law states that the director is to adjudicate the results of the board as equitably as possible resolving all doubtful points in favor of the non-claiming side. What that means is that the director may award a trick to the non-claiming side that the non-claimers did not see they were entitled to. For example, say that the declarer claims with a trump outstanding without mentioning it. His RHO is on lead and if he leads one suit, his partner will get a trick with his trump. If he leads another, the declarer will get the rest. If the defense due to the fact that they are inexperienced does not see this line of play when the director asks them why they objected, it does not mean the director will not give them a trick anyway. Another example would be where the declarer claims in a notrump contract saying that his hand is high. Of course, one of the defenders has a winner in that suit. If the declarer discards the wrong card from the dummy, he will lose three tricks. If he discards a different suit, he will lose only one trick. Unless it is totally irrational to discard the wrong card from the dummy, the director should be willing to point this out to the table even if the defenders don't seem to be aware of the possibility. This is a case of protecting their rights.

The director also is to assign an adjusted score when the Laws provide no indemnity for the particular type of violation of law committed by an opponent. Probably the most common type of situation where this arises is when the penalty prescribed by the revoke law does not adequately compensate the non-offending side. Thus, if declarer goes down five in 3NT because one of his opponents wisely "held up" his stopper in the dummy's long suit, thereby depriving the declarer of access to those tricks, the director will usually award an adjusted score to give the non-offender the score to which he was entitled. Note that the director is not allowed to award an adjusted score on the grounds that the penalty prescribed by law is unduly severe or advantageous to one side or the other. Thus, it is still possible for the defense to lose the ace of trumps if one of them revokes before the other defender has a chance to take a trick with it.

The director may also award an adjusted score when for whatever reason normal play of the board is not possible. Thus, if one of the players at a table has seen one of his opponents hand or has overheard conversation at another table about a board he has yet to play, the director may decide to award an adjusted score if there is no way to get the board played. In cases like these, it may be possible to have someone else play that board in place of the player who has received the unauthorized information, provided that all four players at the table agree. Of course if this is not possible, then, the director must assign an artificial adjusted score. The number of matchpoints that a side may be able to earn on this board will be relative to their responsibility for the fact that it was impossible to play the board.

Want to play Mid-Chart conventions? Read this first!

Players who wish to use Mid-Chart methods (in events that permit them) must check the ACBL Defense Database for rules governing their use.

If you choose to play a method permitted by the Mid-Chart, you are required to do the following:

1. Pre-Alert the opponents about your method prior to the auction on the first board.
2. Have a complete written description of the method available for your opponents.
3. For certain methods, you must provide your opponents with an approved defense from the database. Visit the ACBL web site at www.acbl.org for details.

ACBL players: help players from outside North America who wish to use Mid-Chart methods to be aware of these rules.

Killer Lead?

Leonard Harmon of East Hampton NY was the lucky recipient of "The Most Famous Opening Lead on Championship Bridge," the title of Chapter 2 of Charles Goren's book about his television show of the early Sixties.

Harmon appeared on the show four times with partner Ivar Stakgold of Wilmington DE. Together they won several national championships and were second to Italy in the 1959 world championships.

♠ A Q 9 7	♠ 10
♥ A Q	♥ 8 5
♦ K 10 8 5	♦ 9 7 6 4 3 2
♣ 8 6 4	♣ J 9 7 3
	♠ 5 4 3 2
	♥ K J 9 7 6
	♦ A Q J
	♣ 10

West	North	East	South
Moyse	Stakgold	Lebhar	Harmon
1♠	2♣	Pass	2♥
Pass	4♥	All Pass	

Harmon and Stakgold had to bid and make this pushy game to win the four-board match. Their opponents were Alphonse "Sonny" Moyse, then publisher of Bridge World magazine and after whom the "Moysian fit" was named, and Bert Lebhar of Palm Beach, former president of the ACBL. According to Goren's book, "Sonny Moyse used a clouded crystal ball in searching for a killing lead."

He came out with the ♦K! "What you don't see on the show," Harmon said, "is Charles Goren storming out of the broadcast booth yelling, 'How do you expect me to explain this to people?'"

Harmon stopped playing in the early Seventies but has come back to the table following the death of his wife and retirement from his insurance agency. He won the Senior Swiss Teams in Smithtown NY last year. Stakgold remains an active competitor at NABCs.

This deal and Goren's on-air comments are included in the films now being converted to a DVD set for fans of the show. The ACBL thanks Harmon for his \$500 contribution to the ACBL project to restore and distribute "Championship Bridge." You can help as well by purchasing a Goren Club pin for \$10. Contact Linda Granell in the Daily Bulletin office or see Linda in the Riverside Center Tuesday, July 18, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.



No phones

Cell phones, audible pagers or any similar communication equipment may not be operated or operable in the playing area during a session of play at NABCs except for health-related equipment or by permission of the director-in-charge of the tournament or event.



Notice to players

Each player must have an ACBL convention card filled out and on the table. Please note that other types of convention cards, such as the WBF convention card or homemade cards that do not sufficiently resemble the ACBL convention card, are not acceptable substitutes.

Chicago NABC 1998: a look back

Poor contract, great result

Tom Fox and Walter Schafer weren't proud of their 7♥ contract on this deal, but they were ecstatic about the result.

Dlr: South ♠ A 10 8 7 5
Vul: E-W ♥ A 4
♦ A Q 6 5
♣ K Q

♠ K Q J 2	♠ 9
♥ 5 3	♥ 8 7
♦ K J 10 3	♦ 9 7 2
♣ 8 4 2	♣ J 10 9 7 6 5 3
	♠ 6 4 3
	♥ K Q J 10 9 6 2
	♦ 8 4
	♣ A

Even if the diamond finesse works, there are only 12 tricks. Schafer and Fox climbed all the way to the heart grand slam, unaware of the duplication of the values in the club suit. Neither was particularly anxious to report the bidding.

West could have led the ♠K, but he opted for a trump, not at all uncommon lead against a grand slam. The spade would have worked, however, and the trump didn't.

Schafer won the opening lead in hand, cashed the ♣A and took the successful diamond finesse. Next came the trump ace, the ♦A and the ♣K. When Schafer then ruffed a diamond, the burden of protecting the diamonds was thrust firmly onto West.

Schafer then cashed his trumps, and when he cashed the last one, West was down to the ♠K Q and the high diamond. Whatever he discarded, declarer had the rest and made his unlikely grand slam.

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She can play, too

Suzi Subeck was publicity chair for the last Chicago NABC. Here, she demonstrated her card-playing skill on Board 2 from the first session of the Life Master Pairs.

Dlr: West ♠ J 9 8 5
Vul: N-S ♥ K 10 9
♦ 9 2
♣ 10 9 7 5

♠ A 6 4	♠ K Q 3
♥ J 3	♥ A 8 6 5 2
♦ 8	♦ K Q 6 5 4
♣ K J 8 5 4 3 2	♣ B

West	North	East	South
Pass	Pass	1♦	1♥
2♣	Pass	Pass	2♦
3♣	3♥	3NT	4♥
Pass	Pass	Dbl	All Pass

Subeck (South in the deal above) is not a "shy" bidder. When you bid a lot, you must play the cards well.

The opening lead was the singleton ♦8. East won and returned the ♦10, which was ruffed by West, who now led ace and a spade to Subeck's king. She ruffed a diamond, while East discarded his last spade. Subeck next shortened her trumps by ruffing a club. Then she led a trump to dummy, felling West's jack. She returned to her hand with a second club ruff, cashed the ♠Q and ruffed a diamond in dummy. The end position:

♠ —	♠ —
♥ —	♥ Q 7
♦ —	♦ J
♣ K J 8	♣ —
	♠ —
	♥ A 8
	♦ K
	♣ —

Subeck led the ♠J and showed her hand to East — making 4♥ doubled for plus 790 and 63 out of 64 possible matchpoints.

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Columnists can play, too

Steve Becker, former editor of the Bridge Bulletin and now a syndicated bridge columnist and teacher, wishes that his singleton spade on this hand had been the deuce, instead of the 8.

Dlr: East ♠ 10 7 6 3 2
Vul: NBS ♥ 7 5 2
♦ Q
♣ A Q 9 5

♠ —	♠ A K Q J 9 5 4
♥ A 10 9 6 4 3	♥ 8
♦ J 7 6 5 3	♦ 9
♣ 10 2	♣ J 8 7 3
	♠ 8
	♥ K Q J
	♦ A K 10 8 4 2
	♣ K 6 4

West	North	East	South
		4♠	5♦

All Pass

Becker could have doubled instead of bidding 5♦, but he decided on the overcall because the suit was a six-carder. It looks as if West had a double, but he was much better off passing since he didn't find the killing opening lead — the ♥A followed by a second heart.

Instead he led the ♣10, taken with the queen. Becker cashed the ♦Q, noting the fall of the 9 from East. Next came a heart to West's ace, and West continued with his other club. Declarer took this in hand and cashed his two top diamonds. Then he led another diamond to drive out the jack. He won the heart return and ran the rest of his red cards.

As he cashed his last trump, he was left with a club and the ♠8 in his hand and the ♣A 9 in dummy. East had to make a discard holding the ♠9 (he had discarded all his high spades, hoping declarer didn't notice that the 9 was still out) and the ♣J8. No matter which card he discarded, Becker had the remaining tricks — 5♦ bid and made.

Why did he wish he had the ♠2 instead of the 8? He wanted the thrill he would have experienced by taking the last trick with the good deuce in a suit that had never been led — maximum style points.

VON ZEDTZWITZ LIFE MASTER PAIRS 2ND SEMIFINAL SESSION

NORTH-SOUTH		EAST-WEST			
1	Mark Itabashi, Murrieta CA; Eric Leong, Oakland CA	65.19	1	Winthrop Allegaert - Jaggy Shivdasani, New York NY	66.56
2	Larry Robbins, Deerfield IL; Jerry Goldfein, Lincolnwood IL	62.78	2	Tarek Sadek - Walid Elahmady, Cairo Egypt	61.56
3	Peter Boyd, Silver Spring MD; Steve Robinson, Arlington VA	60.38	3	Ai-Tai Lo, Reston VA; Alan Schwartz, Fairfax VA	60.53
4	Alfredo Versace, Rome Italy; James Cayne, New York NY	59.98	4	Bjorn Fallenius, New York NY; Bart Bramley, Dallas TX	60.26
5	Val Covalciuc, Fort Myers FL; Rebecca Rogers, Las Vegas NV	59.36	5	Harry Tudor, Miami FL; Glenn Eisenstein, New York NY	59.85
6	Art Brodsky - Patricia Brodsky, Huntingtn Sta NY	59.25	6	Harriette Buckman, Lincolnwood IL; Stanley Katz, Memphis TN	59.64
7	Yeshayahu Levit, Tel-Aviv Israel; Melih Ozdil, Istanbul Turkey	58.82	7	Austberg, ; Erik Saelensminde, Bergen Norway	59.29
8	Jonathan Weinstein, Evanston IL; Bob Gwirtzman, Brooklyn NY	58.80	8	Martin Fleisher, New York NY; William Pollack, Basking Ridge NJ	59.10
9	Judi Radin - Lynne Tarnopol, New York NY	58.70	9	Nicholas Hartung, Astoria NY; Jenni Hartsman, Kennesaw GA	57.95
10	Stephen Earl - Geoffrey Brod, Avon CT	58.33	10	Fredrik Nystrom, Stockholm 1124 Sweden; Grace Jeklin, Surrey BC	57.59
11	John Zilic, Houston TX; Nagy Kamel, Plano TX	58.23	11	Michael Becker, Boca Raton FL; Richard Schwartz, East Elmhurst NY	57.37
12	Bryan Maksymetz, Coquitlam BC; Lars Andersson, 168 75 Bromma Sweden	58.12	12	Joshua Parker, Briarcliff NY; Bruce Rogoff, Upper Grandview NY	57.16
13	Bernard Miller, Boca Raton FL; Lewis Finkel, Jupiter FL	57.12	13	Linda Lewis - Paul Lewis, Sioux Falls SD	56.79
14	Dennis Goldston, Colorado Spgs CO; Merrell Anderson, Littleton CO	56.54	14	Joshua Donn, Henderson NV; Jason Feldman, San Diego CA	56.11
15	Mildred Breed, Austin TX; Shawn Quinn, Richmond TX	56.43	15	Robert Gardner, Glenview IL; Craig Gardner, Streamwood IL	55.58
16	Robert Sartorius, Lake Hiawatha NJ; Rick Roeder, San Diego CA	56.26	16	Peter Fredin, Malmo Sweden; Michael Moss, New York NY	55.47
17	Polly Dunn - Patrick Dunn, Bellevue WA	55.92	17	Michael Polowan, New York NY; David Bakhshi, London England	54.68
18	Helen Raleigh, Suffern NY; Alex Perlin, Weehawken NJ	55.34	18	Sabine Auken, Charlottenlund 2 Denmark; Daniela von Armin, D-68766 Hockenheim Germany	54.32
19	William Braucher, Billerica MA; Rick Binder, Waltham MA	55.11	19	Sathya Bettadapura, Campbell CA; Bruce Tuttle, Berkeley CA	54.23
20	Lynn Deas, Schenectady NY; Curtis Cheek, Huntsville AL	55.04	20	Ken Cohen, Philadelphia PA; Neal Satten, Wynnewood PA	54.12
21	Josh Sher, Woodland Hls CA; Clement Jackson, Albuquerque NM	54.15	21	Len Vishnevsky, San Francisco CA; William Watson, Mountain View CA	54.08
22	Steven Huhman, Atlanta GA; John Erickson, Houston TX	54.10	22/23	Roger Clough - Rebecca Clough, Culver City CA	54.02
23	David Berkowitz - Larry Cohen, Boca Raton FL	53.91	22/23	Steven Price, Mesa AZ; Bob Etter, Sacramento CA	54.02
24	David Lehman, Glenview IL; Dick Melson, Chicago IL	53.70	24	Andre Chartrand, Chateauguay QC; Serge Chevalier, Montreal QC	53.78
25	Mickie Chambers, Atlanta GA; Arthur Lowen, Nashville TN	53.61	25	Paul Soloway, Mill Creek WA; Simon Kantor, Agawam MA	53.33
26	Zia Mahmood, New York NY; Jan Jansma, Malden Netherlands	53.35	26	Kazuo K. Furuta, Kanagawa-Ken 213 Japan; Tadashi Teramoto, Yokohama Japan	53.23
27	Jim Krekorian - John Diamond, New York NY	53.33	27	Haig Tchamitch, Scottsdale AZ; Jo Morse, Palm Bch Gdns FL	53.08
28	Fulvio Fantoni, Rome Italy; Richard Zeckhauser, Cambridge MA	53.18	28	Jaroslav Piasecki, Buffalo Grove IL; Grazyna Brewiak, Gdansk Poland	53.06
29	Alex Ornstein, Roslyn Heights NY; Susan Picus, New York NY	53.06	29	Kent Hartman, San Diego CA; Sumner Steinfeldt, Washington DC	52.74
30	G S Jade Barrett, Vancouver WA; Stephen Goldstein, Santa Ana CA	53.03	30	Richard Katz, N Versailles PA; Robert Levin, Bronx NY	52.59
31	Jared Lilienstein, New York NY; Jacek Pszczola, Las Vegas NV	52.93	31	Xiaodong Shi, Des Plaines IL; Jiang Gu, Mountain Lakes NJ	52.39
32	Jack Feagin Jr - Claudia Feagin, Atlanta GA	52.69	32	Mark Aquino, Jamaica Plain MA; Daniel Nussbaum, Cambridge MA	52.26
33	Morrie Kleinplatz, Windsor ON; Rick Kaye, Bingham Farms MI	52.56	33/34	Kerri Sanborn, Stony Point NY; Irina Leviitina, Hackensack NJ	52.18
34	Brian Senior, Nottingham England; Paul Hackett, Manchester M England	51.97	33/34	Bas Dryver, Rotterdam Netherlands; Sjoert Brink, Rotterdam 30 Netherlands	52.18
35	Rita Shugart, Pebble Beach CA; Andrew Robson, Santa Cruz CA	51.82	35	Linda Gordon - Robb Gordon, Sedona AZ	52.16
36	Lou Reich, Wheaton MD; Martin Caley, Montreal QC	51.62	36	Rowen Bell - Christopher Monsour, Chicago IL	51.26

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1 SATURDAY EVENING 5/20/50 PAIRS

Table with columns: NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION DD, EAST-WEST. Rows include participants like Sue Protzman, Debbie Sears, Susan Lockhart and their respective scores and opponents.

1 SATURDAY EVENING A/X B-A-M 1ST ONLY SESSION

Table with columns: SECTIONS ZZZ YYY, A, X. Rows include participants like Theo Antoff, Renee Mancuso, William Arlinghaus and their scores.

Table with columns: SECTIONS WWW XXX, A, X. Rows include participants like Erez Hendelman, David Banh, Wafik Abdou and their scores.

1 SAT URDAY B/C/D B-A-M ONLY SESSION

Table with columns: SECTIONS AAA BBB, B, C, D. Rows include participants like William Gheen, Susan Shorter, William Connellan and their scores.

1 SATURDAY-SUNDAY SIDE GAME SERIES SATURDAY EVENING SESSION

Table with columns: NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION MMM, EAST-WEST. Rows include participants like F Donna Daley, J. Shah, George Van Amburg and their scores.

Table with columns: NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION NNN, EAST-WEST. Rows include participants like Daniel Sellers Jr, Kenneth Dye, Lavern Wiebe and their scores.

Table with columns: NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION JJJ, EAST-WEST. Rows include participants like Ian Findlay, Jean Talbot, Kathy Rolfe and their scores.

STRATI-FLIGHTED B/C/D PAIRS 2ND SESSION

Table with columns: NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION FFF, EAST-WEST. Rows include participants like Jon King, Ellen Rosenthal, Victor Carter and their scores.

Table with columns: NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION GGG, EAST-WEST. Rows include participants like David Mitzit, Reid Willis, Roy Bruno and their scores.

Table with columns: NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION HHH, EAST-WEST. Rows include participants like April Uhlenburg, Scott Hiller, Eleanor Seaman and their scores.

Table with columns: NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION III, EAST-WEST. Rows include participants like Thomas Crawley, David Orser, James Andre and their scores.

YOUNG LM-1500 PAIRS 2ND FINAL SESSION

Table with columns: NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION A, EAST-WEST. Rows include participants like Daniel Swartzman, Louise Clark, Jimmy Ritzenberg and their scores.

BRUCE LM-5000 PAIRS SECOND SEMIFINAL SESSION

Table with columns: NORTH-SOUTH, SECTIONS C D, EAST-WEST. Rows include participants like Dan Parish Jr, Brenda Montague, John Maki and their scores.

1 SATURDAY EVENING 100/200/300 PAIRS

Table with columns: NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION CC, EAST-WEST. Rows include names like Whitney Stephenson, Charles Robinson, Carol Jaegers, Eugene Chung, Duane Broline and scores.

WINDY CITY LIMO STRATI-FLIGHTED A/X PAIRS SECOND SESSION

Table with columns: NORTH-SOUTH, SECTIONS CCC DDD EEE, EAST-WEST. Rows include names like Hongmo Wang, Ross Grabel, Chuck Said, Frank Chadwell, Chester Johnson, Ira Ewen, Vic Sowers, Gail Bell, Ralph Levene, Massimo Braschi, Susan Jackowitz, Richard Strauss, Zac Cohen, Susan Adams, Emilie Anderson, James Armstrong, Rose Bolson, Ronald Sholes, Hanan Deeby, Anna Carlson.

SECTIONS KKK LLL EAST-WEST

Table with columns: NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION XX, EAST-WEST. Rows include names like Carolyn Fox, Larry Cohen, Janet Daling, Jan Nathan, Sue Himel, Kevin Bolan, Molly Tinsley, Fred Hawa, Donald Caplin, Michael Kolacki, Terry James.

SATURDAY DAYLIGHT STRATIFIED PAIRS FIRST SESSION

Table with columns: NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION YY, EAST-WEST. Rows include names like Jeffrey Hand, Karen Walker, Robert Lavin, Steven Hollingsworth, Audrey Gordon, Henry Unglik, R Craig Hemphill, Patricia Braun, T Bondus III, C Purdy - R Purdy.

SECTION ZZ EAST-WEST

Table with columns: NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION ZZ, EAST-WEST. Rows include names like John Miller, Stanislaw Musial, Marta Peltz, Albert Rahmey, David Booth, Cordelia Menges, Robert Bertoni, Charleen Guinther, Larry Brafman.

1 SATURDAY SENIOR PAIRS FIRST SESSION

Table with columns: NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION S, EAST-WEST. Rows include names like James Gormong, Laura Bro, M Miller - Victor Becker, Curt Merrill, Betty Capodice, Eleanor Pollock, Ron Payton.

SECTION T EAST-WEST

Table with columns: NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION T, EAST-WEST. Rows include names like Geraldine Chavez, Jan Horwitz, Richard Joseph, Jane Segal, Dewey Slough, Gerald Szymanski, Sylvia Gindi, Ora Hepworth, Donald Power - Phil Horwich.

SECTION U EAST-WEST

Table with columns: NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION U, EAST-WEST. Rows include names like Tom Miller, Arnold Fockler, Sharon Howard, Robert Murphy, Chris McNaughton, Joanna Hebermehl, Jon Lusk.

AARP BRIDGE+ 0-5 SATURDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

Table with columns: NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION M, EAST-WEST. Rows include names like Donna Kenski, Don Kahn, June Jensen, Katherine Broekman, Bill Baker, Pat Flynn.

1ST SATURDAY-SUNDAY SIDE SERIES SATURDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

Table with columns: NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION MMM, EAST-WEST. Rows include names like Linda Gallaher, Gary Stern, Marion Fleming, Gerard Schimmel, Elaine Kehm, Scott Stearns, Glenn Smith, John Entsminger, Edith Rosenkranz, Irving Gordon, Caralee Hopman, John Gustafson, George Rosenkranz, Elliot Slavis, Nancy Kessler, Susan Kestenbaum, Richard Robinson.

FRIDAY-TUESDAY SIDE GAME SERIES SATURDAY MORNING 2OF 5 SESSIONS									
NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION GGG			EAST-WEST			
A	B	C		A	B	C			
1	1		Sondra Blank - Lesley Thomson, Toronto ON	58.63	1			Andrew Vinock, Woodland Hills CA; Marjorie Michelin, Los Angeles CA	58.63
2			Scott Hiller, Marshall MN; Donald Sondergeld, Hubbardton VT	58.33	2	1		Shea O'Loughlin, Oakville ON; Molly Harris, Portland OR	55.95
3	2		Molly Foreman, Boca Raton FL; Barbara Boswell, Cincinnati OH	57.74	3	2	1	Christopher Galbraith, Antioch CA; Kenneth Dye, Morrisville NC	54.17
4			Helen Shanbrom, Tamarac FL; Abe Jakob, Marietta GA	57.14	4/6	3/4		Donna Simon - Daniel Simon, South Bend IN	52.38
5	3		Ross Richardson, Traverse City MI; R Richardson, Roanoke VA	56.55	4/6			Bernard Fudor, Murrsville PA; Richard Katz, N Versailles PA	52.38
		1	Sandra Dayton - Gary Dayton, Mahomet IL	45.24	4/6	3/4		Carmen Meuter, Brentwood CA; Marilyn Anderson, Albuquerque NM	52.38
							2	Margaret Geldens - Mary Cardwell, Winnetka IL	50.89
NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION HHH			EAST-WEST			
A	B	C		A	B	C			
1	1		Charles Becker, Chicago IL; Jeffrey Boak, Chapel Hill NC	63.35	1			Gerrie Owen - M O Crawford, Dallas TX	62.88
2	2		Arnold Grushkin - Beverly Grushkin, Westport CT	58.89	2	1		William Roach, Holmes Beach FL; James Andre, Rockville MD	60.93
3	3		Praveen Jayachandran, Champaign IL; Prashanth Sriram, State College PA	57.78	3			Margo Sinclair - Valentin Kovachev, New York NY	60.29
4	4		Fay Teal, Kitchener ON; Ruth Goodpasture, Bourbonnais IL	56.55	4	2	1	Larry Silver - Christine Silver, San Francisco CA	57.65
5			Mary O'Neill, Lisle IL; Kathy Beranek, Mishicot WI	55.05	5			Donald Caplin, Waltham MA; Nathan Glasser, Somerville MA	57.14
							3	Stanley Kaplan - Natalie Kaplan, Manchester CT	50.68
							4	Britt Bedford-Jones - John Storey, Toronto ON	49.07
1 SATURDAY A.M. 5/20/50 PAIRS ONLY SESSION									
NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION AA			EAST-WEST			
A	B	C		A	B	C			
1			Ron Sackheim, Highland Park IL; Marcus Gottlieb, Deerfield IL	54.76	1			Karen Hatteberg, Plano IL; Carol Cue, Oswego IL	61.61
2			Wini Morsches - Paul Morsches, Columbia City IN	53.57	2			Debbie Sears - Michael Sears, Boyne City MI	60.12
3/4	1		Richard Ruemenapp - Margaret Ruemenapp, Petoskey MI	51.19	3			Pamela Tietz - Gerald Tietz, Naperville IL	53.87
3/4			Patrick Drake, Philadelphia PA; Lucille Schlack, Wyndmoor PA	51.19	4			Julie Burke, Chicago IL; Lenore Madden, Oak Brook IL	52.68
	2		Sue Protzman, Oneida WI; Barbara Stapleford, Luxemburg WI	50.60		1	1	Janet Nachman - Fred Nachman, Chicago IL	46.43
NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION BB			EAST-WEST			
A	B	C		A	B	C			
1			Sue McDonald, Winnetka IL; Patricia Matkov, Evanston IL	60.83	1	1		Trella Bromley, Jacksonville FL; Jeff Jackson, White Bear Lake MN	65.42
2	1		David Worthins, Chicago IL; Eugene Chung, Vernon Hills IL	59.17	2			David Gerdes - Sherry Gerdes, Griffith IN	64.58
3			Arlene Vuturo - Christine Weiler, Libertyville IL	55.42	3			Babette Rosenthal, Northfield IL; Ann Wolbach, Highland Park IL	55.42
	2		Robert Gibbs, Allison Park IA; Harvey Kahn, Chicago IL	49.58		2		Nancie Flaxman, Deerfield IL; Richard Marston, Schaumburg IL	51.25
1 SATURDAY A.M. 100/200/300 PAIRS ONLY SESSION									
NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION CC			EAST-WEST			
A	B	C		A	B	C			
1	1		Larry Wagner - Sue Wagner, St Joseph MI	57.77	1			Madison Schepps - Elizabeth Schepps, Alexandria VA	72.35
2	2		Barb Zipoy, Bloomington MN; Joan Stephens, Minneapolis MN	54.92	2			J Gerlach - Mary Gerlach, Whitewater WI	60.80
3			Adrienne Glazov, Glencoe IL; Lynn Goldman, Highland Park IL	54.55	3	1		Carolyn Taylor - Linda Seibert, Carbondale IL	59.09
4	3		Marilyn McNamee - Russell Kirby Jr, Eden Prairie MN	54.36	4	2		Jay D Shah, St Louis MO; Linda Evans, Saint Louis MO	54.73
5	4		Leonard Dubin, Skokie IL; Olivia Shapiro, Highland Park IL	52.84	5/6	3	1	Debbie Narrod, Denver CO; Constance Sweeney, New Bedford MA	52.46
6			Gail Geiger - Julie Herman, Birmingham MI	52.27	5/6			Gale Shillington, Downers Grove IL; Somers Collins, Little Rock AR	52.46
							4	Evelyn Almeleh, Sparks NV; Helene Paris, Reno NV	52.27
							2	Donald Valiska - Patricia Valiska, Highland IN	47.92
NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION DD			EAST-WEST			
A	B	C		A	B	C			
1	1		Helen Galnick, Carlsbad CA; Dean Wolfson, Chicago IL	60.72	1	1		Richard Spear - Sheryllyn Spear, Naperville IL	62.50
2			Debbie Wagner, Athen GA; Arne Garvander, Richfield MN	53.87	2	2	1	Michelle Zygielbaum, North Bethesda MD; Joy Bloomfield, Silver Spring MD	56.25
3	2		Karen Harrison, Fox Lake IL; Patricia Dowd, Lewiston NY	52.98	3	3		Annabelle Shallenberger, Kamuela HI; Cheryl Olson, Black River Fal WI	55.66
4	3		Marlene Levitt, Montville NJ; Larry Willis, Petoskey MI	51.78	4	4		Jeffery Yu - Frank Yu, Toronto ON	55.06
5	4		Christopher Chapin - Lynn Chapin, Manasquan NJ	51.49	5/6		2	June Gecan, Lombard IL; Dorothy Whistler, Elmhurst IL	52.68
					5/6		3	Anne Koch, Chicago IL; William Rogers, Gaithersburg MD	52.68
								Ken Cornelius - Mary Cornelius, Ann Arbor MI	52.08

TOMORROW'S BRIDGE EVENTS

Goodwill Day

Chicago Mercantile Exchange Day

Monday, July 17, 9 a.m.

Event	Session	Sold	Entry/player/session	ACBL members**	Other
Sunday-Tuesday Morning Bracketed KO Teams	2nd	Riverside West	\$15.50		\$17.50
Friday-Tuesday Morning Side Game Series*	4th single session	Riverside East	\$15.50		\$17.50

Monday, July 17, 10 a.m.

Harriette Buckman Appreciation 299er, 199er, 99er & 49er Pairs	single	Columbus Hall A	\$14.50		\$16.50
Harriette Buckman Appreciation 0-20, 0-5 Pairs	single	Columbus Hall A	\$14.50		\$14.50

Monday, July 17, 10 a.m. & 3 p.m.

Stratified Daylight Open Pairs*	1-2	TBA	\$15.50		\$17.50
Stratified Senior Pairs*	1-2	Columbus Hall G	\$15.50		\$17.50

Monday, July 17, 1 p.m.

Monday-Wednesday Side Game Series*	1st single session	Riverside East	\$15.50		\$17.50
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Monday, July 17, 1 & 7:30 p.m.

Truscott USPC Senior Swiss Teams <i>2 qualifying, 2 final sessions</i>	1-2 Q	Grand Ballroom	\$18		—
Spingold Knockout Teams	Round 1	Grand Ballroom	\$18		—
Wagar Women's Knockout Teams <i>Pre-registration for the Spingold and Wagar KO Teams required by 8 p.m. Sunday, July 16.</i>	Round 1	Grand Ballroom	\$18		—
0-5000 Mini-Spingold Knockout Teams	Round 1	TBA	\$16.50		—
0-1500 Mini-Spingold Knockout Teams <i>Pre-registration for both required by noon Monday, July 17.</i>	Round 1	TBA	\$16.50		—
Bess Griparis Memorial Stratified Open Pairs*	1-2	Riverside East	\$15.50		\$17.50
Cort Larson Memorial (Monday-Tuesday) Bracketed Knockout Teams	1-2	Riverside West	\$15.50		\$17.50

Monday, July 17, 3 p.m.

Harriette Buckman Appreciation 299er, 199er, 99er & 49er Pairs	single	Columbus Hall A	\$14.50		\$16.50
Harriette Buckman Appreciation 0-20, 0-5 Pairs	single	Columbus Hall A	\$14.50		\$14.50

Monday, July 17, 7:30 p.m.

Strati-Flighted A/X and B/C/D Side Swiss Teams*	single	Riverside West	\$14.50		\$16.50
Monday-Wednesday Side Game Series*	2nd single session	Riverside East	\$15.50		\$17.50
Harriette Buckman Appreciation Stratified 299er Swiss Teams	single	Columbus Hall A	\$14.50		\$16.50
299er, 199er, 99er & 49er Pairs	single	Columbus Hall A	\$14.50		\$16.50
0-20, 0-5 Pairs	single	Columbus Hall A	\$14.50		\$14.50

Monday, July 17, 11:30 p.m.

Zip Knockout Teams	single	Columbus Hall A	\$12/team/match		
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*Unless otherwise noted, strat breaks for all stratified events are: A (2000+), B (750-2000), C (0-750). For strati-flighted events, A/X are 3000+/0-3000 and play in their own game; B (1000-2000), C (500-1000) and D (0-500) play in their own game.

**Members whose dues payment is current and Life Masters whose service fee payment is current.

TODAY'S BRIDGE EVENTS

See page 2 for other events

Grand Geneva Resort & Spa Day (Tomorrow's schedule is on page 19.)**Sunday, July 16, 9 a.m.**

Event	Session	Sold	Entry/player/session ACBL members**	Other
Sunday-Tuesday Morning Bracketed KO Teams	1st of 3	Riverside West	\$15.50	\$17.50
Educational Foundation Bracketed KO Teams	4th	Riverside West	\$15.50	\$17.50
Friday-Tuesday Morning Side Game Series*	3rd single session	Riverside East	\$15.50	\$17.50

Sunday, July 16, 10 a.m.

Stratified 299er Swiss Teams	single	Columbus Hall A	\$14.50	\$16.50
299er, 199er, 99er & 49er Pairs	single	Columbus Hall A	\$14.50	\$16.50
0-20, 0-5 Pairs	single	Columbus Hall A	\$14.50	\$14.50

Sunday, July 16, 10 a.m. & 3 p.m.

Stratified Daylight Open Pairs*	1-2	Grand Ballroom F	\$15.50	\$17.50
Stratified Senior Swiss Teams*	1-2	Columbus Hall G	\$15.50	\$17.50

Sunday, July 16, 1 p.m.

Saturday-Sunday Side Game Series*	3rd single session	Riverside East	\$15.50	\$17.50
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Sunday, July 16, 1 & 7:30 p.m.

Von Zedtwitz Life Master Pairs	1-2 F	Grand Ballroom D	\$18	—
Bruce LM-5000 Pairs	1-2 F	Grand Ballroom D	\$16.50	—
Jim Chiszar Appreciation Stratified Open Pairs*	1-2	Riverside East	\$15.50	\$17.50
Barbara Nudelman Strati-Flighted A/X and B/C/D Swiss Teams*	1-2	Riverside West	\$15.50	\$17.50
Herman Batko Memorial (Saturday-Sunday) Bracketed KO Teams	3-4	Riverside West	\$15.50	\$17.50
Collegiate Team Championship	SF & F	Skyway Rooms (Blue Level)	Free	—

Sunday, July 16, 3 p.m.

Stratified 299er Swiss Teams	single	Columbus Hall A	\$14.50	\$16.50
299er, 199er, 99er & 49er Pairs	single	Columbus Hall A	\$14.50	\$16.50
0-20, 0-5 Pairs	single	Columbus Hall A	\$14.50	\$14.50

Sunday, July 16, 7:30 p.m.

Stratified Side IMP Pairs*	single	Riverside East	\$14.50	\$16.50
Stratified Side Board-a-Match Teams*	single	Riverside East	\$14.50	\$16.50
<i>Both open to Swiss drop-outs and new entrants</i>				
Saturday-Sunday Side Game Series*	4th single session	Riverside East	\$15.50	\$17.50
Stratified 299er Swiss Teams	single	Columbus Hall A	\$14.50	\$16.50
299er, 199er, 99er & 49er Pairs	single	Columbus Hall A	\$14.50	\$16.50
0-20, 0-5 Pairs	single	Columbus Hall A	\$14.50	\$14.50

Sunday, July 16, 11:30 p.m.

Zip Knockout Teams	single	Columbus Hall A	\$12/team/match
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If you plan to play in the Spingold, Wagar or one of the Mini-Spingold Knockouts, you must register your team in advance. Registration deadlines are 8 p.m. Sunday for the Spingold and Wagar, and noon Monday for the Mini-Spingolds.

To register your team, see Tournament Director Steve Bates in the Grand Ballroom.

Grand Geneva Resort & Spa Day

The Grand Geneva Resort and Spa is the popular site of many bridge tournaments within District 13 every year: Central State II in October, and the District 13 Spring Regional in late April or early May. The Grand Geneva is an excellent choice for your next family vacation. From skiing to golf, horse-back riding to deluxe spa packages, the resort has it all. Whatever the time of year, visitors are always discovering something new — from a hillside turning crimson in autumn to the joys of Christmas in the country, our annual winter celebration from mid-November through the holidays. In every season, you'll know you are enjoying the rewards of staying at one of the nation's premier vacation destinations. And best of all, Grand Geneva is easy to reach, just a short drive from Chicago and Milwaukee.

Talking Turkey

Player Melih Ozdil, of Istanbul, Turkey, was mistakenly listed as being from Istanbul, Tunisia, in yesterday's Daily Bulletin. Well, they both start with T-U . . .

Appreciation Games

Barbara Nudelman joined the CCBA unit board in 1966 and retired in 1997 holding every office during the course of those 30 years. She served as chairman of the ACBL Board of Governors, to which she was elected to in 1967 1983 and 1984. She was elected to the ACBL Board of Directors in 1985 and was ACBL President in 1993. Barbara was elected to the World Bridge Federation Executive Council from 1993-1997; and the ACBL Educational Foundation in 1997. She served as its President for three years in the early Nineties. Says Barbara, "...working for bridge has always been a pleasure. I still serve on the United States Bridge Federation and serve as its Treasurer; I am on the WBF Junior committee and the WBF Women's Committee. I guess I don't know how to quit. One of the best things about my years in the bridge world is all of the wonderful friends I have made all over the world."

Jim Chiszar has been a fixture in the Chicago area for many years. He directs at all of our tournaments, runs our STaC games and writes for the Unit 123 newsletter. Jim and his wife, Patty, are moving from District 13 to Florida in December. We will miss their smiling faces.

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