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Zero Tolerance Policy -- Be Nice!

To establish an atmosphere which promotes the enjoyment of bridge as both a competitive and a social game, the ACBL has adopted a policy of courteous behavior.

The ACBL stands for American Contract Bridge League and Always Courteous Behavior League. For tournaments to be fun, cooperation from all (players, organizers, officials, staff, volunteers) is necessary. Please report conduct that is unacceptable while keeping in mind that we must be tolerant of other people in general and bridge players in particular. Also, conduct that is especially outstanding or refreshing should be reported.

Commendable

- ✓ Being a good "host" or "guest" at the table
- ✓ Greeting others in a friendly manner
- ✓ Praising the bidding and/or play of the opponents
- ✓ Having two clearly complete convention cards readily available for the opponents (This is a regulation, not a nicety.)

Unacceptable

- * Badgering, rudeness, insinuations, intimidation, profanity, threats or violence
- * Negative comments concerning opponents' or partner's play or bidding
- * Gloating over good results
- * Constant and gratuitous lessons and analyses at the table
- * Loud and disruptive arguing with a tournament director

If you experience someone exhibiting discourteous behavior or being other than civil, please call a

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Ron Sukoneck (left) and Bill Cole scored a close in in the North American Open Pairs-Flight A on Thursday.

Sukoneck and Cole win close NAOP-A

Ron Sukoneck and Bill Cole, representing District 6, won a close victory Thursday in the North American Open Pairs Flight A. Their winning margin was 10.05 matchpoints on a 13 top.

In fact, the margin between first and fourth was only 17.32 matchpoints -- the closest finish in the 19-year history of the NAOP-A.

Sukoneck and Cole scored 407.37 -- the only pair to top 400 -- to 397.32 for runners-up Marshall Tuly and James Cunningham, who won the event in 1996.

Third were Roger McNay-Troy Horton with 394.84, followed by Steve Cohen-Beverly Rosenberg, 390.05.

Sukoneck describes the partnership as "a regular one that just plays locally" but they won the local competition and were on their way.

Sukoneck, a retired legal administrator and part-time bridge teacher, won the Men's Swiss Teams in 1988 and the Spingold in 1992.

An ACBL Grand Life Master and a World Bridge Federation World Master, he placed third in the Rosenblum Teams in 1990. He also represented the ACBL in world play in 1986 and in the Bermuda Bowl in Santiago, Chile in 1993.

Cole, an engineer for Bell Atlantic, won the Master Mixed Teams in 1982. He and Lynn Deas developed the Cole 2C Bid and Deas Over Notrump. He is

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Conditions revised for KO Teams

Effective immediately at this NABC, the General Knockout Team Conditions of Contest have been revised.

In knockout play, any player meeting the individual participation requirements will receive the full overall award earned by his team. However, the rules by which an individual player fulfills his participation requirement have changed.

To fulfill the participation requirement, a player must meet each of the following conditions:

1. For any given overall award, a player must play at least 50% of all the boards played by the team at the time he (and the team) earned that award. (As in previous editions of these conditions, no player may play in a match past a time when he is unable to meet this condition.)

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Vandy pre-registration required

Pre-registration for the Vanderbilt Knockout Teams in required before 8 p.m. tomorrow. Tournament Directors Steve Bates and/or Henry Cukoff will accept entries from team captains during afternoon/evening sessions today and tomorrow in the Reno Hilton Grand Ballroom area (Casino level).



Don Moeller, trustee of the ACBL Charity Foundation, presents a \$2500 check to Diane Cullen, one of the Reno NABC co-chairman, on behalf of the Portland (OR) CASA program.

ACBL Charity Foundation gives to two District 20 organizations

CASA (Court Appointed Special Advocates), a Portland OR child advocacy program, and the Assistance League of Reno/Sparks were presented \$2500 checks Thursday by the ACBL Charity Foundation.

Diane Cullen, one of the NABC co-chairmen, accepted a check from Foundation Trustee Don Moeller on behalf of CASA, a volunteer-based program whose advocates are trained community volunteers appointed by a judge to speak up for abused and neglected children in court.

The advocates serve as the eyes and ears of the judge and work alongside attorneys and social workers as appointed officers of the court.

The Assistance League works with juveniles as well as adults, said Peggy Etchemenedy, chairman of the organization's ways and means committee. She

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District 20 was in the spotlight Thursday night as Jim Zimmerman, president of the ACBL Charity Foundation, presented a \$2500 check to Peggy Etchemenedy, chairman of the ways and means committee of the Assistance League of Reno/Sparks.

SPECIAL EVENTS

Friday, March 20

9:00 a.m. - Noon
12:15 p.m.

TAP Seminar I, Shasta 2
Intermediate/Novice Speakers Program -- Jerry Helms:
Understanding the Language, Carson
Ballroom

2a

Jerry Helms

4:30 p.m.

2b

Renaissance Vineyard and Winery
wine-tasting party,
outside the playing area
Intermediate/Novice Speakers
Program -- Audrey Grant: *Bridge, Audrey Style*,
Carson Ballroom

Audrey Grant

7:15 p.m.

Saturday, March 21

9:00 a.m. - Noon
10:00 a.m. - Noon
12:15 p.m.

Bridge America Instructor's Course, Cascade 2
Free Bridge Lesson, Carson 1-4
Intermediate/Novice Speakers Program -- Ken Monzingo: *Thinking
Bridge*, Carson Ballroom

5:00 - 6:00 p.m.
5:00 - 7:00 p.m.
7:15 p.m.

Intermediate/Novice Reception, Carson 1-4
Junior Dinner, Cascade 1 & 2
Intermediate/Novice Speakers Program -- George Pisk: *The Flannery
Convention: The Luck of the Irish*, Carson Ballroom
Western 'n' Rock Dance with DJ, prizes, food -- Crystal Ballroom

Midnight

Sunday, March 22

9:00 a.m. - Noon
10:00 a.m. - Noon
9:30 a.m. - Noon
11:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
12:15 p.m.

Bridge America Director's Course, Cascade 2
Education Liaison Workshop, Shasta 1
Board of Governors, Crystal Ballroom
International Team Trials Committee, Sierra 1
Intermediate/Novice Speakers Program -- Bill Root: *Defense*, Carson
Ballroom

5:00 - 7:00 p.m.
7:15 p.m.

Accredited Teachers Dinner, Cascade 1 & 2
Intermediate/Novice Speakers Program -- Howard Pilch: *Weak Notrumps!
Why You Hate Them!* Carson Ballroom
Pizza and Laughs -- Reno Ballroom

Midnight

Sightseeing tours

If you feel like taking a day off from the bridge table -- or if you brought your family along and they want to see the sights -- consider these sightseeing opportunities in one of the most beautiful areas of North America.

Here is a list of tour operators:

Reno/Tahoe Tour Co. -- Tours to Lake Tahoe and Virginia City from Reno. 1 (800) 498-6877.

Scenic Tours -- Daily historical tours to Lake Tahoe, Carson City and Virginia City. (702) 329-3114.

Sierra Nevada Gray Line -- Gray Line tours to Lake Tahoe, Virginia City and Carson City. Several tour options. (702) 331-1147 or 1 (800) 822-6009.

Sierra Nevada Helicopters -- (702) 856-2200.

Squaw Creek Transportation -- 1 (800) 327-3353.

Virginia City/Lake Tahoe Tours -- Tours to Virginia City, Lake Tahoe and Carson City. (702) 826-6888 or 1 (800) 828-7143.

Your chance to plan for Chicago, Orlando

Mega Housing Management (MHM), a division of Omega World Travel (not to be confused with Mega World Travel of Memphis) invites you to stop by their booth in the Grand Salon.

MHM has information on accommodations for the Summer Championships in Chicago and the Fall Championships in Orlando. MHM also has special airfares for ACBL members.

Brochures and information on bridge cruises and cruises with bridge are also available.



If you have any questions or concerns regarding accommodations here in Reno or for Chicago or Orlando, make sure to stop by and talk to the MHM staff. They are eager to help you in any way they can.

Dick Shaver

Dick Shaver, ACBL's 1997 Goodwill Member of the Year, died at his home in Reno Jan. 24. He was 70.

Longtime friend Sheila Wimer remembered Shaver as "working tirelessly to get people out to play bridge. When he moved to Reno, he saw the need for new blood and worked very hard getting the teachers involved in offering free bridge lessons. The people came and he was always there with donuts and encouragement for students and teachers alike.

"Many a club game saw him playing with these newer players, encouraging them and -- as was always his aim -- having fun at the bridge table. Many a time he would have his wife, Gloria, drive him to a club game just so he could play with someone without a partner.

"How lucky those partners were and how pleased they were that they had a chance to play with him. You see, Dick was such a pleasant and enjoyable partner everyone wanted to play with him.

"Dick was a man of vision. It was his idea to hold several newcomer games -- at reduced cost -- at our sectional tournaments to get the newer players into the bridge circle.

"He was always there with his truck to help move tables to the tournament site and back to the bridge center after the tournaments. He was always helping with anything that needed to be done at the bridge center. A great friend to all and a man with great ideas who wasn't afraid to get involved and do whatever was needed."

Shaver was remembered as "one of the main forces in revitalizing the goodwill culture of our club" by Myrlen Ann Knafele, president of Unit 473 (Reno). "Part of this revitalization came out of the basic truth that Dick was a darn nice guy who helped new players."

In her letter nominating Shaver as Goodwill Member, Knafele continued: "Dick makes sure he plays a session or two a week with a new player. New players say to each other, 'Ask Dick!'"

"As a direct result of Dick's energy and ideas, we now have a central bridge-playing facility."

We offer our condolences to Gloria, his wife of 50 years, and their two sons, Dana and Eric.

Where to find it:

All registration -- Grand Salon
Check-cashing service -- Board Room
Information Desk -- Grand Salon
Partnership Desk -- Foyer, Hilton Pavilion
I/N Partnership Desk -- Grand Salon

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Young players vie for second Silodor Trophy

Two of the youngest players ever to win a North American championship -- playing for the first time as a partnership -- will try for a second win in Open Pairs, which gets under way with two qualifying sessions today. The two-session final will take place tomorrow.

Eric Greco and Geoff Hampson scored 2602.19 matchpoints, the only pair to top 2600 points, in their win last year. It was the first NABC victory for Greco, a former *King of Bridge* who won the *Youth Player of the Year* masterpoint race (for players 19 and younger) five years in a row.

Hampson, a former Canadian who plays professionally, closed out his career as a Junior player in 1994 by winning the *Junior Player of the Year* title -- for the second time -- and the *Gold Life Master of the Year* title.

He won the North American Swiss Teams in 1992 and the Mixed Pairs in 1994.

Greco earned his side a good score on this deal:

Dir: South S 10 6 5
Vul: None H Q J 9
D Q J 10 8 7
C A 9

SA 2 S K 9 8 7
HA K 7 5 4 2 H 10 8 6
D 9 D 4 3 2
C Q 10 8 7 C 6 5 2

S Q J 4 3

H 3

DA K 6 5

CK J 4 3

West	North	East	South
	Greco		Hampson

1H	1NT	Pass	Pass
2C	2D	Pass	Pass
2H	2NT	All Pass	

East led the H6 to West's ace, and West returned the H2 as Greco won his queen and discarded a low spade from dummy. Five rounds of diamonds followed. West followed to one round and discarded the S2, the C7 and two hearts.

Now Greco cashed the CA and exited with his HJ. West could cash two hearts and the SA but was forced to lead into dummy's CKJ. Plus 150 was good for 62 of 77 matchpoints.

Silodor Trophy

The Silodor Trophy -- presented in memory of Sidney Silodor, winner of the Bermuda Bowl, the McKenney Trophy and more than 30 North American championships -- is awarded to the winners of Open Pairs I.

Silodor, a member of the team that won the first Bermuda Bowl World Championship in 1950, won the Vanderbilt eight times, the Spingold, the Open Pairs and the Master Mixed Teams three times each and the Mixed Pairs five times -- a record.

At the time of his death in 1963, Silodor was third on the list of all-time masterpoint holders with a to-

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Sidney Silodor

tal of 6,450 -- a figure great enough to hold that place until a year later when his total was surpassed by Norman Kay, who had been his regular partner.

Silodor was an original member of the Bridge Hall of Fame, elected in the Sixties when the institution was the province of its creator, *The Bridge World* magazine.

The trophy was presented in 1963 in memory of Silodor and made retroactive to include winners of the event, which began in 1958.

The four-session event consists of two qualifying sessions and two final sessions. Winners and runners-up:

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| 1958 | 1. Leonard Harmon, Ivar Stakgold |
| | 2. Alvin Roth, Tobias Stone |
| 1959 | 1. Lew Mathe, Edward Taylor |
| | 2. Harry Fishbein, Charles Solomon |
| 1960 | 1. Robert Jordan, Alvin Roth |
| | 2. Carol Sanders, Tom Sanders |
| 1961 | 1. Mark Hodges, Hampton Hume |
| | 2. Jack Denny, John Simon |
| 1962 | 1. Robert Jordan, Arthur Robinson |
| | 2. Mike Michaels, Mike Shuman |
| 1963 | 1. Norman Kay, Sidney Silodor |
| | 2. Daniel Rotman, Ivar Stakgold |
| 1964 | 1. Barry Crane, Oswald Jacoby |
| | 2. Ivan Erdos, Lew Mathe |
| 1965 | 1. John Biddle, James Wisemiller |
| | 2. Ivan Erdos, Tobias Stone |
| 1966 | 1. Edgar Kaplan, Norman Kay |
| | 2. Alvin Roth, William Root |
| 1967 | 1. Harvey Cohen, Maury Genud |
| | 2. Philip Feldesman, Lew Mathe |
| 1968 | 1. Ronald Balu, Richard Spero |

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| | 2. Harry Fishbein, Charles Solomon |
| 1969 | 1. Richard Freedman, James Mathis |
| | 2. David Sachs, Sue Sachs |
| 1970 | 1. Barry Crane, Dr. John Fisher |
| | 2. Gerald Michaud, Bobby Nail |
| 1971 | 1-2. Barry Crane, Dr. John Fisher |
| | 1-2. Joan Remy, Vincent Remy |
| 1972 | 1-2. Barry Crane, Dr. John Fisher |
| | 1-2. Matt Granovetter, Merle Tom |
| 1973 | 1. Michael Hoffman, Jack Rhatigan |
| | 2. Charlie Peres, Daniel Rotman |
| 1974 | 1. Barry Crane, Dr. John Fisher |
| | 2. Ron Andersen, Hugh MacLean |
| 1975 | 1. Garey Hayden, Daniel Hyland |
| | 2. Don Piafsky, Dave Saltsman |
| 1976 | 1. Terry Hause, Ernest Ivey |
| | 2. Barry Crane, Dr. John Fisher |
| 1977 | 1. Barry Crane, Peter Rank |
| | 2. John Ashton, Troy Horton |
| 1978 | 1. Robert Levin, Mike Passell |
| | 2. Marty Arndt, Thomas Peters |
| 1979 | 1. Jeff Meckstroth, Eric Rodwell |
| | 2. Larry Cohen, Dan Zirker |
| 1980 | 1. Paul Lewis, Michael Schreiber |
| | 2. Jim Robison, Stelios Touchtidis |
| 1981 | 1. Dan Gertsman, Marc Nathan |
| | 2. Ed Manfield, Kit Woolsey |
| 1982 | 1. Gerald Caravelli, Craig Janitschke |
| | 2. Dan Gertsman, Marc Nathan |
| 1983 | 1. Barry Crane, Mike Passell |
| | 2. Dave Berkowitz, Dan Gerstman |
| 1984 | 1. Lou Bluhm, Bart Bramley |
| | 2. Barry Crane, Gerald Caravelli |
| 1985 | 1. Jim Robison, Joey Silver |
| | 2. John Roberts, Dave Berkowitz |
| 1986 | 1. Lew Stansby, Ralph Katz |
| | 2. Robb Gordon, John Rengstorff |
| 1987 | 1. Ed Manfield, Kit Woolsey |
| | 2. Lyle Poe, Steve Carton |
| 1988 | 1. Ron Rubin, Michael Becker |
| | 2. Bob Hamman, Paul Lewis |
| 1989 | 1. Kit Woolsey, Ed Manfield |
| | 2. Ed Nagy, Jeff Polisner |
| 1990 | 1. Don Campbell, Barry Harper |
| | 2. Randy Joyce, Glenn Lublin |
| 1991 | 1. Ken Cohen, Bob Thomas |
| | 2. Jo Anna Stansby, Lew Stansby |

Special treats

Hot and soft pretzels will be served in the Main Foyer at 11:30 pm tonight (Friday). Saturday's special will be popcorn and soft drinks while Sunday's will be pizza and soft drinks.



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tournament director immediately. If you feel that there was a very serious breach of discipline, in addition to the resolution by the tournament director at the table, please discuss the problem directly with the Director-in-Charge of the tournament.

Should it become necessary to call a tournament director, you may simply state: "This player is interfering with my enjoyment of the game."

The director will then attempt to determine the facts. If he establishes there was unacceptable behavior, an immediate 1/4-board disciplinary penalty (3 IMPs in team games) shall be assigned to all offenders.

This may involve any one or all four players at the table, regardless of who initiated the unacceptable behavior. If both members of a partnership are guilty, the penalties are cumulative (1/4 board each = 1/2 board or 3 IMPs each = 6 IMPs).

If it is determined that a second offense has occurred in the same event, the offender(s) shall be ejected from future competition in that event.

An offender removed from an event shall be deemed not to have played in the event, no masterpoints will be awarded and no refunds will be made.

In the case of a serious offense and in the case of multiple offenses (three) during a tournament, a disciplinary committee may determine whether the offender(s) should be allowed to play in other events at the tournament and/or whether additional sanctions may be appropriate.

Warnings are strongly discouraged and will be given only when there is no clear violation or in cases where the facts cannot be determined. Offenders are to receive immediate penalties. Regardless of who may have initiated unacceptable behavior, all offenses are punishable. Retaliatory behavior is a punishable offense. Frivolous accusations will also be considered as offenses under this policy. □

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2. For any given overall award, a player must have played at least 50% of the boards in the match in which the team earned that award.

3. For a first-place award when the team wins the final, a player must also play at least 50% of the combined boards in the semifinal and final matches.

Combining the logic of conditions 2 and 3 means that a first-place award requires a player to play at least (a) 50% of each of the semifinal and final matches, or (b) all of the final match.

Players are reminded that a player may not enter any concurrent championship event while his team is participating in any match of the knockout.

In practice, this means that a player may miss an entire match without prior permission at any time during the event. However, depending on when a team is eliminated, a player who has sat out an entire match may not be awarded the overall position earned by the rest of his team members.

A chart listing the circumstances which will reduce an individual's position will be posted in the Knockout venues this week..

Aireus special offered

Your convention card is the key to the Reno Hilton's discount on tickets to Aireus, the stage extravaganza that features aerial acts, rhythmic gymnastics and people who appear to fly.

Just present your convention card at the Ticket and Promotion Booth here at the Hilton to purchase tickets for \$16.50 each, a savings of more than \$8. Tickets are subject to availability. The box office is open daily from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m.

Management reserves all rights. The show is dark on Friday.

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a Diamond Life Master with many regional wins.

Play in the North American Open Pairs Flight A -- a grassroots event that began last summer at the local club level -- began Wednesday before the start of the Spring NABC in Reno.

Qualifiers at the club level advanced to unit competition and those qualifiers advanced to district finals. Two pairs from each district qualified for the North American final.

Winners in flights A and B will have their names inscribed on the Baldwin Memorial Trophy and will also receive certificates of recognition.

The trophy is presented in memory of Col. Russell J. Baldwin (1889-1969), U.S. Army officer and expert on tournament procedure who was ACBL *Honorary Member of the Year* in 1943.

One of the leading American bridge personalities, he was active as an organizer from the earliest days of contract bridge and became a director and treasurer of the American Bridge League shortly after its foundation in 1927.

A member of the ACBL Laws Commission (originally Committee) from its foundation in 1933, Baldwin was primarily responsible for the first Duplicate Code issued in 1935. He played a considerable part in formulating subsequent codes.

He was the author of the McKenney-Baldwin schedules for Howell movements and constructed other movements.

His contributions to tournament procedure include the official ACBL method of dealing with fouled boards.

Baldwin was active as a tournament director from 1927 until 1941. After service in World War II, he was ACBL business manager from 1946 until 1951.

He was recalled to military service at the outbreak of the Korean War and retired from the U. S. Army in 1957. He rejoined ACBL in 1958 and was in charge of tournament scheduling until his retirement in 1963.

Winners and runners-up in the NAOP-A:

1979	1.	Arthur Moore, Eric Robinson
	2.	Steve Landen, Larry Mori
1980	1.	Bob Feller, Jeffrey Hall
	2.	Larry Cohen, Ron Gerard
1981	1.	Helen Blakey, Robert Blakey
	2.	Mark Feldman, Chip Martel
1982	1.	Bill Nuttig, Ivan Scope

	2.	Richard Pavlicek, Cliff Russell
1983	1.	John Griscom, Jim Felts
	2.	Ron Gerard, Stephen Sanborn
1984	1.	Steve Ston, Harold Stengel
	2.	Marty Bergen, Larry Cohen
1985	1.	Peter Boyd, Steve Robinson
	2.	Hugh Ross, Peter Pender
1986	1.	Drew Cannell, G. Sekhar
	2.	Craig Cordes, Tom Daniel
1987	1.	Jan Janitschke, Dick Reed
	2.	Ron Sukoneck, Judi Cody
1988	1.	Jan Martel, Chip Martel
	2.	Mark Cohen, Stasha Cohen
1989	1.	David Caslan, Dennis Clerkin
	2.	Bobby Nail, Dan Morse
1990	1.	Sidney Lazard, Jack LaNoue
	2.	Mark Stein, Boris Baran
1991	1.	Mark Stein, Boris Baran
	2.	Pratap Rajadhyaksha, Steve Landen
1992	1.	Jim Krekorian, Rick Zucker
	2-3.	Joe Jabon, Harry Steiner
	2-3.	Howard Weiner, Robert Crafton
1993	1.	James Griffin, Kenneth Schutze
	2.	Itikar Bague, Mitch Aunitz
1994	1.	James Griffin, Kenneth Schutze
	2.	Ralph Cohen, Reece Rogers
1995	1.	David Berkowitz, Lisa Berkowitz
	2.	Gary Cohler, Jerry Goldfein
1996	1.	Marshall Tuly, James Cunningham
	2.	Jerry Goldfein, Gary Cohler
1997	1.	Aidan Ballantyne, Gordon McOrmond
	2.	JoAnna Stansby, Lew Stansby

Wine-tasting party

Renaissance Vineyard and Winery, one of California's premier wineries, will host a wine-tasting party at 4:30 p.m. today outside the playing area.

Renaissance, established in 1976 in the Sierra Nevada foothills, produces award-winning wines in a variety of styles. The wine-tasting will feature their outstanding 1996 Chardonnay and 1995 Cabernet Sauvignon.

The winery will have available applications for their wine club -- a great way to experience a variety of outstanding wines at incredible discounts -- plus free shipping.

Check-cashing service

Check cashing will be available to ACBL members one hour before the afternoon session each day (noon to 1 pm). The check-cashing center will be located in the Board Room on the lower level outside the playing area.

Checks are limited to \$250 and players must provide a photo ID.

Bridge Bucks are also on sale and may be purchased by cash, check or credit card.



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accepted a check, also for \$2500, from Foundation president Jim Zimmerman.

The League, organized in 1978, provides for needy Seniors -- a 25-pound bag of food for about 100 people each month and 500 during holidays -- and youngsters. "We dress needy school children -- about 2000 last year," said Etchemendy. □

NA OPEN PAIRS - FLIGHT A

28 Pairs					
65.00	1	William Cole, Beltsville MD; Ron Sukoneck, Annandale VA			407.37
48.75	2	Marshall Tuly, Fairfield OH; James Cunningham, Indianapolis IN			397.32
36.56	3	Roger McNay, Beaverton OR; Troy Horton, Clatskanie OR			394.84
28.89	4	Steve Cohen, North Hollywood CA; Beverly Rosenberg, Sherman Oaks CA			390.05
26.00	5	John Lusky - Dennis Metcalf, Portland OR			385.46
23.64	6	Jim Krekorian - John Rengstorff, New York NY			382.70
21.67	7	Ed Schulte, Tampa FL; Joseph Godefrin, Sarasota FL			379.66
20.00	8	Iype Koshy - Sidney Lazard Sr, New Orleans LA			379.27
18.57	9	Bill Harker, Santa Fe NM; Clement Jackson, Albuquerque NM			362.12
17.33	10	Joel Friedberg, Scarsdale NY; Ethan Stein, Irvington NY			361.82
16.25	11	Mark Itabashi, Murrietta CA; Chris Larsen, Costa Mesa CA			361.70
15.29	12	Bill Sides, Burbank CA; Thomas Lolli Jr, Studio City CA			351.79
14.44	13	Robert Brandow - Gene Benedict, Toledo OH			351.74
13.68	14	Douglas Doub, West Hartford CT; Franklin Merblum, Bloomfield CT			350.00
13.00	15	Roisin O'Hara - Paul O'Hara, Oakville ON			348.68
12.38	16	Stephen Schmeer, Crtn N Hudson NY; Nancy Molesworth, Croton N Hudson NY			348.44
11.82	17	Tony Ames, Minnetonka MN; Murray Appelbaum, St Paul MN			346.97
11.30	18	Tom Oppenheimer, Ballwin MO; Kenneth Bland, Saint Louis MO			345.70
10.83	19	JoAnna Stansby - Lew Stansby, Castro Valley CA			345.25
10.40	20	August Plate, Bellaire TX; Georgiana Gates, Houston TX			342.35
10.00	21	Aidan Ballantyne, Vancouver BC; Gordon McOrmond, Delta BC			341.90
9.63	22	John Parish, Arcadia OK; Paul White, Edmond OK			340.78
9.29	23	Mark Bumgardner, Carrollton TX; Nagy Kamel, Plano TX			332.54
8.97	24	David Erickson - Mike McGill, Wichita KS			330.08
8.67	25	Frank Cymerman - Warren Oberfield, Pittsburgh PA			328.23
8.39	26	Jim Houghton, Washington DC; Ai-Tai Lo, Reston VA			327.98
8.13	27	Henry Lortz - Wayne Ohlrich, Seattle WA			322.02
7.88	28	Phillip Grothus - Kerr Godfrey, San Antonio TX			317.39

NA OPEN PAIRS - FLIGHT A CONSOLATION

20 Pairs					
3.03	1	Ken Barbour - Jerry Gaer, Scottsdale AZ			135.00
2.27	2	Alexander Allen - Jay Korobow, Princeton NJ			126.50
1.70	3	John Kranyak, Bay Village OH; Niel Waletzky, Shaker Heights OH			125.00
1.28	4	Milton Zlatic - Jacqueline Sincoff, St Louis MO			122.50
0.96	5	Bruce Cobb, Denver CO; Merrell Anderson, Littleton CO			122.00
0.76	6	Emory Whitaker, Macon GA; Robert Heller, Decatur GA			121.50

CHARITY PAIRS

158 Pairs					
	A	B	C		
19.26	1			Steve Becker, Old Greenwich CT; Richard De Martino, Riverside CT	214.04
14.45	2			Rose Levy, Santa Monica CA; Jeff Meckstroth, Tampa FL	207.50
10.83	3			Ralph Cohen, Memphis TN; Dave Treadwell, Wilmington DE	201.50
8.13	4			Jerry Horn, Margate NJ; Harry Kaufmann, Bennington VT	200.00
6.09	5			Jerry Premo, San Francisco CA; Kenneth Titow, Denver CO	199.50
4.57	6			Dick Celler, Madison NJ; William Esberg, Elberon NJ	197.50
3.43	7			Joe Elsbury, Lafayette LA; Gaylor Kasle, Boca Raton FL	195.50
3.03	8			Douglas Dang, San Mateo CA; Harvey Brody, San Francisco CA	193.00
3.03	9			Howard Simpson, Huntingtn Bch CA; Martin Hinds, Long Beach CA	192.50
1.82	10/12			Sylvia Summers, Pasadena CA; Paul Munafu, Huntsville AL	191.00
1.82	10/12			Sheila Pies, Potomac MD; Robert Gookin, Falls Church VA	191.00
3.03	10/12			Dennis Hesthaven, Louisville KY; Ron Mitchell, Crestwood KY	191.00
6.13	1	1		Joo Won Kim - Young-Shin Kim, St Catharines ON	187.20
4.60	2			Shirley Boyd - Vic Boyd, Houston TX	185.00
3.45	3	2		X D Qiao, Beijing CH; Lu Deng, Beijing CA	178.92
2.59	4			Dale Claman - Michael Kallman, New York NY	174.50
2.05	5	3		Lonnice Webb, New Prague MN; Pearl Feldman, Deerfield Beach FL	174.00
1.52	6			Theresa Howard, Don Mills ON; David Mayne, Annapolis MD	169.00
1.54		4		Christie Fraser, Greenbrae CA; Ann Labe, Sausalito CA	157.70
1.15		5		Aleta Sisley - Tom Theisen, Seattle WA	157.50
0.86		6		Allan Wolf, Ridgefield CT; Fred Wolf, Royal Palm Bch FL	157.46

STRATIFIED CHARITY 1998 PAIRS

32 Pairs					
	D	E	F		
3.34	1	1		Phillip Davis - Rhoda Moretsky, Boston MA	157.14
2.51	2	2	1	John Wickey, Piedmont CA; Mark Markwood, San Francisco CA	156.77
1.88	3	3		Mits Tamura - Sam Tamura, Portland OR	154.60
1.41	4			Robert Kakuske - Georgina Kakuske, Paso Robles CA	152.50
1.06	5			Leo Maktensieks, Tahoe City CA; Collene Stout, Incline Vlg NV	150.50
1.03	6	4		David Boshart - Kerstin Abrinder, Ft Myers FL	148.95
0.78		5		Anita Morse, N Vancouver BC; Gordon Burns, W Vancouver BC	148.00
0.86		6		Ed Milnarich - Phyllis Reckel, Bridgewater NJ	146.86
1.19			2	Gary Martin, Spring Hill FL; Dennis Martin, Omaha NE	139.86
0.89			3	Duane Beisner - Doris Beisner, Las Vegas NV	137.36
0.79			4	John Moore - Nora Moore, Southlake TX	132.77

Visa International sponsors 1998 Spring NABC team events

Visa International, the Diamond Team sponsor for the 1998 Spring Championships here in Reno, has agreed to sponsor most of the team events here. The following was prepared by Visa International.

It's hard to believe that the payment card industry is only 30 years old. Just a few decades ago, shoppers could pay for their purchases solely with cash or checks. Today, cards have become an integral part of our lives. Whether we use them for credit or debit, for travel or at home, for purchases or at the ATM, owning a payment card opens up a whole new world of possibilities.

For more than 20 years, Visa International's Member financial institutions have helped Visa become the world's leading full-service payment network. In a highly competitive industry, Visa's products and services, including Visa Classic cards, Visa Gold cards, Visa debit cards, Visa commercial cards and the Visa global ATM network (369,000), have emerged as the payment options of choice for consumers in 300 countries and territories on all six continents.

Visa has almost 600 million cards in circulation and is accepted at more than 14 million merchant locations worldwide. Currently, the Visa network is handling 1 billion transactions a month at the rate of 2200 per second.

Today, Visa accounts for almost 60% of the worldwide market for all-purpose cards and has experienced 13 consecutive quarters of growth of 20% or higher -- and the Visa transaction volume in the last fiscal year exceeded \$1 trillion. To put that in perspective, there are only six countries in the world whose total economies exceed \$1 trillion.

Visa has divided its business into six regions:

- Asia Pacific (including Australia and New Zealand).
- Canada.
- CEMEA Region (Central Europe, including former Soviet Union republics and Russia, the Middle East and Africa).
- EU (current European Union countries, including Israel and Turkey).
- Latin America and Caribbean.
- USA.

This division best meets Visa's focus of serving local needs with its worldwide brand.

Visa's vision is to be "The World's Best Way to Pay" and thereby become the world's preferred payment brand. To accomplish that, Visa is emerging as the leader in yet another area -- chip cards. More than 20 million smart cards have been issued by our Member banks around the world.

Tomorrow, Visa will continue to lead the payments industry as our products and services evolve to meet the ever-changing dynamics of the marketplace. In the future, Visa will continue to advance the use of chip cards in electronic commerce on the Internet, and in other emerging media to ensure that we remain "The World's Best Way to Pay" for our Members and their cardholders.

Welcome

Welcome to the 1998 Spring NABC in Reno, "the biggest little city in the world."

This is Reno's second NABC. The first, in 1989, holds the record -- 13,803 tables -- as the largest Spring NABC ever.

Co-chairs Diane Cullen, Barbara Dunn and Sheila Wimer and their committees have lined up a great schedule of bridge events plus shows, celebrity speakers and more.

Please join me in saying "thank you" to our hosts.

Aileen Osafsky
Chairman, Goodwill Committee

CHARITY KO BRACKET 1

16 Teams
Grant Baze, La Jolla CA; Sue Cutler, Deep River CT; Jerry Clerkin, North Vernon IN; Rick Whitworth, San Ramon CA; Dennis Clerkin, Bloomington IN; Henry Bethe, Ithaca NY

vs

Gunnar Hallberg, Brighton UK; Kyle Larsen, San Francisco CA; Brian Glubok, New York NY; Espen Erichsen, Sandviken NO

Jim Fellows - Barbara Fellows - Marilyn Hemenway, Omaha NE; Hugh Maclean, Gonzales TX

vs

Cam Doner, Richmond BC; Neil Ballard, Mercer Isl WA; Michael Rahtjen, Mt Pleasant SC; Michael Huston, Joplin MO; Jim Looby, Burbank CA; Jim Leary, Livermore CA

Malcolm Brachman - Mike Passell, Dallas TX; Paul Soloway, Mill Creek WA; Eddie Wold, Houston TX; Marc Jacobus - Harold Lilie, Las Vegas NV

vs

Jim Zimmerman, Shaker Heights OH; Paul Swanson, Morgantown WV; Jhordis Eythorsdottir - Curtis Cheek, Huntsville AL; Bobby Wolff - Rebecca Rogers, Dallas TX

David Siebert - Allan Siebert, Little Rock AR; Simon Kantor, Agawam MA; Murray Melton, Las Vegas NV; Martin Rabinowitz, Narberth PA; Randy Petit, Marietta GA

vs

Doug Heron, Ottawa ON; Barry Rigal, New York NY; Jim Linhart, Piscataway NJ; Richard Budd, Portland ME; Steve Price, San Martin CA; Peter Friedland, Los Altos CA

CHARITY KO BRACKET 2

16 Teams
John Blubaugh, Indianapolis IN; John Villman, Yorba Linda CA; Jean Cole, Richards TX; Ron Woodsum, Houston TX

vs

Pat Galligan, San Mateo CA; Lionel O'Young, Redwood City CA; Loretta Bromberg, Tiburon CA; Zoe Hutchins, Santa Rosa CA

Barnet Shenkin - Maggie Shenkin, Boca Raton FL; Tommy Turgeon - Jack Wynns, Memphis TN; Shannon Lipscomb, Red Bank TN; Don Krauss, Los Angeles CA

vs

Stephanie Hamilton, Medford MA; Carolyn Sessler, Brookline MA; Stephen Gladyszak, Chelsea MA; Marlene Keilher, Chestnut Hill MA

John Russell, N Barrington IL; Rob Crawford, Ft Lauderdale FL; Ellen Crawford, Lauderdale FL; Norm Coombs, Brookville IN; Stu Swan - Hadi Allahverdian, Portland OR

vs

Mike Katz, San Ramon CA; Mike Bandler, Alamo CA; Larry Mills, Pinole CA; Gary Soules - Jan Soules, Campbell CA; Elaine Said, Nashville TN

Ken Gee, Regina SK; Bill Logan, Oceanside CA; Larry

Merritt, N Las Vegas NV; Len Ernst, Evanston IL

vs

Bill Osborne - Mike Champion, Victoria BC; Hank Gagnon, Newberg OR; Arne Maki, Albany OR

CHARITY KO BRACKET 3

16 Teams
Kent Mignocchi, Los Angeles CA; Ritchey Goodwin - Jim Sampson, New York NY; Ari Greenberg, Malibu CA; Bob Johnson, Pasadena CA

vs

Daniel Till, Lincoln NE; Don Steele, Springfield OH; Pat Moran, Dayton OH; Mary Savko, Pittsford VT; Bob Lafleur, Las Vegas NV

Mai Spencer, Santa Fe NM; Matt Kofsky, Irvine CA; Ed Judy, Chicago IL; Bob Clements, Stratham NH

vs

Jack Mayfield - Arlene Mayfield, Veneta OR; Allen McAlear, Bozeman MT; Bob Luebke, Walnut Creek CA

Ken Grafton, Carson City NV; P Ken Zeising - Les Balascoe - Richard Holcombe, Reno NV; Judi Callahan, Fair Oaks CA

vs

Richard D'Litzenberger, Leavenworth WA; Liam Johnstone - Jon Downing, UK; Guy Bruno, Bellevue WA

Mac Steen - Jamie Steen, Bellevue WA; Barbara Odlin - Richard Odlin, Tacoma WA

vs

Scott Campbell - Donna McLeod, Carson City NV; Marianne Keller - Virginia Kellermeyer, Reno NV

CHARITY KO BRACKET 4

15 Teams
Frank Bresnahan, Titusville FL; Shirley Seals, Ponte Vedra FL; Cecil Yeater, Port Orange FL; Martha Easter, Longwood FL

vs

James Barry, Twain Harte CA; Randy Jordan, Burnaby BC; Bob McPhee, Belleville ON; Rosemarie Miller, Waverly NY; Arnie Malasky, Westport CT; Judy Prescott, Trumbull CT

Roger Jones - Ellie Jones, Medford OR; Robert Scott, Ashland OR; Sam Lowell, Talent OR

vs

Gary Peck, Castro Valley CA; Marjorie Michelin, Venice CA; Joe Wong - Glenn Ponto, Prince George BC

Allan Schuster, Coronado CA; Brenda Mason Carter - Noe Mallari, San Diego CA; Samuel Williams Jr, Vista CA

vs

Jim Jacobs, Las Vegas NV; Jennifer Woo, Oceanside CA; Florence Reed, Mount Vernon NY; James Sylveste, Gilbert AZ

Denis Murphy, Colorado Spring CO; Elwin Brown, Gloucester ON; Jack Brown, Ottawa ON; Toshiko Yingst - Bonnie Bagley, Colorado Spgs CO

vs
Carol Stodghill, Ft Worth TX; Marjorie Kidd - Margaret Irvine, Plano TX; Kraig Mundle, Coppell TX

CHARITY KO BRACKET 5

14 Teams
Helene Ettelson - Barbara Light, San Francisco CA; Richard Hess - Carol Hess, Burlington VT

vs

Tony Scott, West Hills CA; Greg Tapia, Van Nuys CA; Ram Hira, North Vancouver BC; Letha Couch, Chula Vista CA

Bill Smith, Deerfield IL; Fran Bard, Bayside NY; Bill Ahrens, Milpitas CA; Sam Atabaki, San Ramon CA

vs

Ken Baher, Calgary AB; Tom Markham, Burnaby BC; John Moran, Las Vegas NV; Jim Ford, Carmel IN

Courtney Nelson, Wells VT; Sandy Hammer, Dedham MA; Judy Harrington, Saugus MA; Sandy Sloan, Ipswich MA; Nancy Perkins, Lynnfield MA

vs

Lisa Evans, Danville CA; Blair Hoffman, Moraga CA; Jack Fulcher, San Francisco CA; Cheryl Haines, Redwood City CA

Peter Morse, N Vancouver BC; Claire Burns, W Vancouver BC; Randy Ekman, Dallas TX; Gay Roach, Nacogdoches TX

vs

Ron Jauch, Agoura Hills CA; Pat Muirhead, Westlake Vlg CA; Virgil Taylor, Thousand Oaks CA; Mike Creamer, Newbury Park CA

CHARITY KO BRACKET 6

13 Teams
Nancy Chapman, Pacifica CA; Judy Schorner, Vero Beach FL; Mie Thiemmedh, San Bruno CA; Elsie Yamamoto, S San Francisco CA

vs

Betsy Montano - Audrey Heim, Albuquerque NM; Barbara Simon - Wayne Kaneko, Scottsdale AZ

Tutty Wetzel - Joyce Brush - Ellen Espenshade - Eve Toussaint, Reno NV

vs

David Bryant - Larry Silver, San Francisco CA; Christine Wright, San Rafael CA; Nancy Ferguson, Greenbrae CA

Robert Pengelly - Eleanor Harper, Trail BC; Janet Heidt - Dorothy Albo, Rossland BC

vs

Sara Foster - Linda Danzig - Fred Morris - Rosemarie Morris, San Francisco CA

Noreen Brown, Long Beach CA; Bill Fuller, Reno NV; June Lucas, Honolulu HI; Nancy Riely, Kailua Kona HI

vs

Roy Markham, Montecano WA; Ted Miller, Port Angeles WA; Marvin Woods, Olympia WA; Bruce Brown, Roanoke TX

NA OPEN PAIRS - FLIGHT A FIRST QUALIFYING SESSION

NORTH-SOUTH		SECTIONS A, B		EAST-WEST	
1	Ed Schulte, Tampa FL; Joseph Godefrin, Sarasota FL	382.00	1	Joel Friedberg, Scarsdale NY; Ethan Stein, Irvington NY	370.00
2	Steve Cohen, North Hollywood CA; Beverly Rosenberg, Sherman Oaks CA	378.00	2	Robert Brandow - Gene Benedict, Toledo OH	364.42
3	Douglas Doub, West Hartford CT; Franklin Merblum, Bloomfield CT	374.00	3	Vicki Laycock, San Francisco CA; Sidney Loran, Pacifica CA	362.78
4	Aidan Ballanyne, Vancouver BC; Gordon McOrmond, Delta BC	372.50	4	Jim Krokorian - John Rengstorff, New York NY	361.00
5	Roisin O'Hara - Paul O'Hara, Oakville ON	371.00	5	Thomas Turgeon - Jack Wynns, Memphis TN	359.50
6	David Erickson - Mike McGill, Wichita KS	363.50	6	Doug Deschner - Lorna Deschner, Red Deer AB	354.70
7	Adrienne Cohen, Elmhurst IL; Mary Gardner, Streamwood IL	363.00	7	Marshall Tuly, Fairfield OH; James Cunningham, Indianapolis IN	354.28
8	Bill Sides, Burbank CA; Thomas Loli Jr, Studio City CA	358.00	8	Stephen Schaefer, Crtn N Hudson NY; Nancy Molesworth, Croton N Hudson NY	352.92
9	August Plate, Bellaire TX; Georgiana Gates, Houston TX	357.00	9	Jackie Buroker, Bellevue WA; Dick Yarrington, Seattle WA	352.50
10	Jim Houghton, Washington DC; Ai-Tai Lo, Reston VA	352.50	10	Tom Oppenheimer, Ballwin MO; Kenneth Bland, Saint Louis MO	347.42
11	Hank Gagnon, Newberg OR; Arne Maki, Albany OR	347.00	11	Merrell Anderson, Littleton CO; Bruce Cobb, Denver CO	344.70
12	Steve Becker, Old Greenwich CT; Richard De Martino, Riverside CT	342.00	12	Phillip Grothuis - Kerr Godfrey, San Antonio TX	338.78
13	John Parish, Arcadia OK; Paul White, Edmond OK	337.50	13	Mark Habashi, Murrietta CA; Chris Larsen, Costa Mesa CA	338.00
14	Howard Simpson, Huntingn Bch CA; Martin Hinds, Long Beach CA	337.00	14	Mark Bumgardner, Carrollton TX; Nagy Kamel, Plano TX	336.28

NA OPEN PAIRS - FLIGHT A SECOND QUALIFYING SESSION

NORTH-SOUTH		SECTIONS A, B		EAST-WEST	
1	Iype Koshy - Sidney Lazard Sr, New Orleans LA	421.50	1	John Lusky - Dennis Metcalf, Portland OR	387.00
2	Marshall Tuly, Fairfield OH; James Cunningham, Indianapolis IN	387.50	2	Roger McNay, Beaverton OR; Troy Horton, Clatskanie OR	384.50
3	Bill Harker, Santa Fe NM; Clement Jackson, Albuquerque NM	386.50	3	Phillip Grothuis - Kerr Godfrey, San Antonio TX	374.00
4	Tony Ames, Minnetonka MN; Murray Appelbaum, Si Paul MN	378.50	4	L D Hansen - David McLellan, Thunder Bay ON	351.50
5	JoAnna Stansby - Lew Stansby, Castro Valley CA	377.00	5/6	Brian Gunnell, Jacksonville Bc FL; Leon Smith, Jacksonville FL	351.00

6	Frank Cyerman - Warren Oberfeld, Pittsburgh PA	358.00	5/6	Rob Stevens, Menlo Park CA; Richard Reitman, Monte Sereno CA	351.00
7	Mark Itabashi, Murrieta CA; Chris Larsen, Costa Mesa CA	349.00	7	Steve Cohen, North Hollywood CA; Beverly Rosenberg, Sherman Oaks CA	349.50
8	John Hurd - Spencer Hurd, Charleston SC	347.00	8	Aidan Ballantyne, Vancouver BC; Gordon McOrmond, Delta BC	345.50
9/10	Joel Friedberg, Scarsdale NY; Ethan Stein, Irvington NY	346.00	9	Raymond Raskin, Gulph Mills PA; Stephen Goldstein, Cheltenham PA	344.50
9/10	Robert Brandow - Gene Benedict, Toledo OH	346.00	10	David Erickson - Mike McGill, Wichita KS	343.50
11	Henry Lortz - Wayne Ohlrich, Seattle WA	345.00	11	William Cole, Beltsville MD; Ron Sukoneck, Annandale VA	340.50
12	Stephen Schnee, Crtn N Hudson NY; Nancy Molesworth, Croton N Hudson NY	340.50	12	Emory Whitaker, Macon GA; Robert Heller, Decatur GA	340.00
13/14	Tom Oppenheimer, Ballwin MO; Kenneth Bland, Saint Louis MO	337.00	13	August Parish, Bellaire TX; Georgiana Gates, Houston TX	338.50
13/14	Mark Bungardner, Carrollton TX; Nagy Kamel, Plano TX	337.00	14	John Parish, Arcadia OK; Paul White, Edmond OK	337.00

NA OPEN PAIRS - FLIGHT A FIRST FINAL SESSION

SECTION T					
1	William Cole, Beltsville MD; Ron Sukoneck, Annandale VA	200.00			
2	Bill Sides, Burbank CA; Thomas Lolli Jr., Studio City CA	198.00			
3	Joel Friedberg, Scarsdale NY; Ethan Stein, Irvington NY	192.50			
4	Steve Cohen, North Hollywood CA; Beverly Rosenberg, Sherman Oaks CA	192.00			
5	Ed Schulte, Tampa FL; Joseph Godefri, Sarasota FL	188.50			
6	Jim Kreckorian - John Rengstorff, New York NY	185.00			
7/8	Stephen Schnee, Crtn N Hudson NY; Nancy Molesworth, Croton N Hudson NY	183.00			
7/8	Marshall Tuly, Fairfield OH; James Cunningham, Indianapolis IN	183.00			
9	Roger McNay, Beaverton OR; Troy Horton, Clatskanie OR	180.50			
10/11	Iype Koshy - Sidney Lazard Sr, New Orleans LA	179.50			
10/11	Tom Oppenheimer, Ballwin MO; Kenneth Bland, Saint Louis MO	179.50			

NA OPEN PAIRS - FLIGHT A CONSOLATION ONLY SESSION

NORTH-SOUTH					
SECTION S			EAST-WEST		
1	Alexander Allen - Jay Korobov, Princeton NJ	126.50	1	Ken Barbour - Jerry Gaer, Scottsdale AZ	135.00
2	John Kranyak, Bay Village OH; Niel Waletzky, Shaker Heights OH	125.00	2	Milton Zlatich - Jacqueline Sincoff, St Louis MO	122.50
3	Bruce Cobb, Denver CO; Merrell Anderson, Littleton CO	122.00	3	Emory Whitaker, Macon GA; Robert Heller, Decatur GA	121.50
4	J Sundlin, Edina MN; Gregg Van Dyke, St Paul MN	120.00	4	William Taylor, Shawnee KS; Terry Crabbs, Kansas City MO	107.00

NA OPEN PAIRS - FLIGHT A SECOND FINAL SESSION

NORTH-SOUTH					
SECTION TTT			EAST-WEST		
1	Roisin O'Hara - Paul O'Hara, Oakville ON	224.00	1	William Cole, Beltsville MD; Ron Sukoneck, Annandale VA	206.50
2	John Lusk - Dennis Metcalf, Portland OR	201.00	2	Roger McNay, Beaverton OR; Troy Horton, Clatskanie OR	206.00
3	Marshall Tuly, Fairfield OH; James Cunningham, Indianapolis IN	200.50	3	Tony Ames, Minnetonka MN; Murray Appelbaum, St Paul MN	199.50
4/5	Mark Itabashi, Murrieta CA; Chris Larsen, Costa Mesa CA	189.50	4	JoAnna Stansby - Lew Stansby, Castro Valley CA	198.00
4/5	John Parish, Arcadia OK; Paul White, Edmond OK	189.50	5	Jim Kreckorian - John Rengstorff, New York NY	194.50
6/7	Steve Cohen, North Hollywood CA; Beverly Rosenberg, Sherman Oaks CA	187.00	6	Bill Harker, Santa Fe NM; Clement Jackson, Albuquerque NM	189.50
6/7	Douglas Doub, West Hartford CT; Frank Merblum, Bloomfield CT	187.00			

CHARITY PAIRS

NORTH-SOUTH					
SECTION A			EAST-WEST		
A	B	C	A	B	C
1			1		
2			2/3		
3			2/3		
4			4		
5			5		
6			6		
1	1	1	1	1	1
2			2		
NORTH-SOUTH					
SECTION B			EAST-WEST		
A	B	C	A	B	C
1			1		
2	1	1	2		
3			3	1	1
4			4		
5			5	2	
6	2		6		
NORTH-SOUTH					
SECTION C			EAST-WEST		
A	B	C	A	B	C
1			1		
2			2		
3/4	1	1	3		
3/4			4		
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NORTH-SOUTH					
SECTION D			EAST-WEST		
A	B	C	A	B	C
1			1		
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5	1		5		
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NORTH-SOUTH					
SECTION E			EAST-WEST		
A	B	C	A	B	C
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NORTH-SOUTH					
SECTION F			EAST-WEST		
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TODAY'S SCHEDULE

**Unless otherwise indicated, the strat breaks for Open and Senior Stratified Pairs and Teams are: A (1000+), B (500-1000), C (0-500). Strat breaks for Continuous/Side Pairs and Zip Swiss teams are: A (750+), B (0-750).*

Pre-registration for Vanderbilt Knockout Teams required by 8:00 p.m. Saturday.

Friday, March 20, 1998, 9:00 a.m.

Event	Session	Entry	Sold
<i>Visa International</i> Charity Bracketed KO Teams	2nd	\$40 team	Hilton Pavilion
John Elway Morning Continuous/Side Pairs*	1st	\$20 pair	Hilton Pavilion
Don von Elsner Stratified 199er, 99er, 49er Pairs	single	\$18 pair	Hilton Pavilion

Friday, March 20, 1998, 1:00 p.m. & 8:00 p.m.

OPEN PAIRS I	1st & 2nd Q	\$50 pair	Grand Ballroom, Reno
Portland Unit Stratified Open Pairs*	1st & 2nd	\$40 pair	Hilton Pavilion
Vancouver USA Stratified Senior Pairs*	1st & 2nd	\$40 pair	Grand Ballroom, Tahoe
Fri., Sat. & Sun. Continuous/Side Pairs*	1st & 2nd	\$20 pair	Hilton Pavilion
John C. Anderson 199er Trophy Championship Pairs	1st & 2nd	\$36 pair	Grand Ballroom, Carson
0-200, 0-100, 0-50, 0-20 Pairs**	single	\$18 pair	Grand Ballroom, Carson
Tillamook County Creamery Association 0-5 Newcomer Pairs	single	FREE today	Grand Ballroom, Carson

**Afternoon games sponsored by the North American Youth Bridge Foundation,
Evening games sponsored by Team Havoc Sportswear

Friday, March 20, 1998, 3:00 p.m. & 8:00 p.m.

<i>Visa International</i> Compact Bracketed KO Teams		\$40 team	Hilton Pavilion
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Friday, March 20, 1998, Midnight

Victoria Johnson International Fund Stratified Zip Swiss Teams*	single	\$36 team	Grand Ballroom, Carson
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TOMORROW'S SCHEDULE

**Unless otherwise indicated, Stratflighted Open events are divided: A (3000+/0-3000 and separate); B, C and D stratified -- B (1000-1500), C (500-1000), D (0-500). Strat breaks for Open and Senior Stratified Pairs and Teams are: A (1000+), B (500-1000), C (0-500). Strat breaks for Continuous/Side Pairs and Zip Swiss teams are: A (750+), B (0-750).*

Junior Day

Saturday, March 21, 1998, 9:00 a.m.

Event	Session	Entry	Sold
<i>Visa International</i> Charity Bracketed KO Teams	3rd	\$40 team	Hilton Pavilion
John Elway Morning Continuous/Side Pairs*	2nd	\$20 pair	Hilton Pavilion
Corvallis/Albany Units Stratified 199er, 99er, 49er Stratified Pairs	single	\$18 pair	Hilton Pavilion
Oscar Wallace Stratified 299er, 99er, 49er Swiss Teams	single	\$36 team	Hilton Pavilion

Saturday, March 21, 1998, 10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m.

Lorrie Tussing Stratified Senior Pairs*	1st & 2nd	\$40 pair	Grand Ballroom, Tahoe
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Saturday, March 21, 1998, 1:00 p.m. & 8:00 p.m.

OPEN PAIRS I	1st & 2nd F	\$50 pair	Grand Ballroom, Reno
<i>Visa International</i> Bracketed KO Teams I (continues at 1:00 p.m. & 8:00 p.m. Sunday)	1st & 2nd	\$40 team	Hilton Pavilion
Hendrik Sharples Private Jeweler Stratflighted Open Pairs*	1st & 2nd	\$40 pair	Hilton Pavilion
Fri., Sat. & Sun. Continuous/Side Pairs*	3rd & 4th	\$20 pair	Hilton Pavilion
Whoopi Goldberg 0-200, 0-100, 0-50, 0-20, 0-5 Pairs	single	\$18 pair	Grand Ballroom, Carson

Saturday, March 21, 1998, 8:00 p.m.

<i>Visa International</i> Stratified Board-a-Match Teams*	single	\$36 team	Hilton Pavilion
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Saturday, March 21, 1998, Midnight

KPTV -- Oregon's 12 ZIP Knockout Teams	single	\$9/team/match	Grand Ballroom, Carson
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(Pre-registration for Vanderbilt Knockout Teams required by 8:00 p.m. Saturday.)