



Daily Bulletin

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Olympic tournament adds Women's event

The International Olympic Committee will host a bridge contest once again at its headquarters in Lausanne, Switzerland. The competition, which will take place in early September, will feature two events — a contest among six of the best teams in the world and a women's competition in which four North American pairs will do battle with four European pairs.

The winners of the Vanderbilt will be invited as the North American representative in the six-team event. The other invited teams will be from Brazil, China, France, Italy and the Netherlands. A similar event was held last September where Brazil and China tied for the championship and North America finished third.

The women's event is brand new. The first three pairs will be the winners of the Women's Knockout Teams in San Antonio. If the team consists of only two pairs, they will be permitted to choose their third pair, with the approval of the Board of Directors.

The fourth pair will be the pair of women who finish highest in the Life Master Pairs in San Antonio. There is one condition — to be chosen the pair must reach the final. If no women's pair makes it to the LM Pairs final, the players on the winning knockout team will choose their fourth pair.

The ACBL will provide suitable uniforms and a subsidy of \$5,000 to the women's team-of-eight. Lodging and meals will be provided by event organizers, and there is a guaranteed minimum prize money of \$5000.

The tournament competitors will be housed in The Palace, a five-star hotel. The games will be played in the IOC Museum, a place Dan Morse says is "really worthwhile."

Stein becomes Grand Life Master

Joan Stein won the Life Master Women's Pairs in 1974, the first time she ever entered the event, but hasn't had another national win since then.

In the meanwhile, however, she's amassed more than 10,000 masterpoints — winning more than 70 regional events — and earned ACBL's highest rank: Grand Life Master.

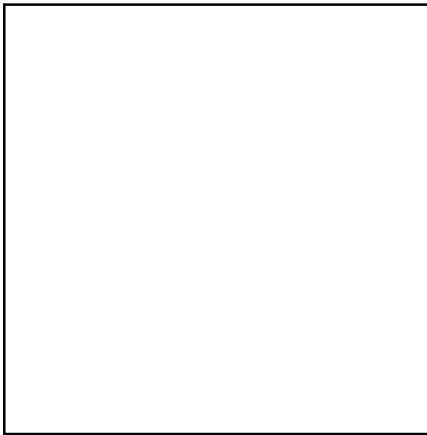
Stein took up bridge after she graduated from the University of Memphis and moved to Milwaukee to be near her sister. She and husband Jack had their first date after her bridge lesson.

She didn't play much in the years when her children were growing up — "It was too much trouble getting baby-sitters. That's how I started playing duplicate."

Now that the children are grown and getting married, "I just love to play. It's gotten to be part of my life. I play club games. I do volunteer work and I play bridge."

She attends almost every NABC and plays primarily with Jeff Miller, Lu Ann O'Rourke, Kerry Smith and Eunice Rosen.

"I haven't had a (national) first in 25 years," says Stein, "but I'm still hoping."



Bramley falls in Vandy, 3 Juniors remain

The team captained by Bart Bramley trailed throughout and lost to Mitch Dunitz's squad 101-137 in yesterday's Round of 32 in the Vanderbilt KO Teams.

BRAMLEY (Sidney Lazard; Howard Weinstein-Steve Garner; Hugh Ross-Peter Nagy) pulled to within two at the half but was never able to close the gap against DUNITZ (Jill Meyers; Steve Beatty-Allan Falk; Dick Bruno-Jeff Schuett).

The youngest squad in this year's competition -- Gavin Wolpert, 16; John Kranyak, 15; Mike Nadler and David Grainger, both 25; and Andy Stark, 30+ -- had no luck against the #1 Nick Nickell squad (Richard Freeman, Jeff Meckstroth-Eric Rodwell, Bob Hamman-Paul Soloway - all 30+).

Remaining in the competition are three Junior players: Eric Greco, a member of the Malcolm Brachman squad that defeated Chris Willenken (Willenken and Darren Wolpert are Junior players); Tom Carmichael and Joel Wooldridge (with teammates Marc Umeno and Jeff Roman), who defeated Paul Lewis' squad 118-102.

Hennings duo leads Mixed Pair qualifiers

Margot and Donald Hennings of Falls Church VA put together two fine sessions to top all qualifiers in the NABC Mixed Pairs. Their score of 2145.88 gave them a 91-point edge on Sally Woolsey of Kensington CA and Richard Reitman of San Jose CA. Many-time world champion Bobby Wolff and Rebecca Rogers were third, another 64 points in arrears. Three more pairs were within three points of third.

The event drew one of the largest entries in its history — 398 pairs — in keeping with the consistently large entries in all events here in Vancouver.

The qualifiers will play two final sessions today.



The I/N staff at the Vancouver NABC: Betty Bratcher, Judy Cotterman, Alice Kinningham and Bob Bratcher

Celebrity speakers make a difference

It's a typical scene in the Intermediate Newcomers area -- the sellers are selling, the directors are directing players to their assigned tables and the speaker is answering questions.

A hand goes up in the audience: "What two conventions would most help intermediate players to progress?"

The speaker is polite but firm: "You don't really need conventions to succeed at bridge," replies Aidan Ballentyne. "I would discourage too many conventions."

"You can learn all the conventions, but they won't help if you don't have the basics. Concentrating on how to play and win tricks will play more dividends."

Another hand goes up. "Should you try to develop one good partnership or should you play with lots of partners?"

Ballentyne replies, "It's a matter of personal preference. I find that having lots of different partners has helped me keep the game fresh."

Ballentyne is one of 18 Celebrity Speakers scheduled during this tournament. The speakers come on 45

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SPECIAL EVENTS

Wednesday, March 24

9:00 a.m. - Noon Club Directors' Course, Governor General D, Pan Pacific.
 10:00 a.m. - Noon Seminar: *Systems on the Internet*. Gazebo II, Pan Pacific. Fee is \$40 (U.S.).
 10:00 a.m. - Noon Easybridge! Priscilla Smith. Governor General B, Pan Pacific.
 11:30 a.m. - 12:45 p.m. Busker Festival: Nativo, traditional Inca music from the Andes. VTCC lobby.
 12:15 p.m. Intermediate/Newcomer Speakers Program: Barbara Seagram, *Takeout Doubles*. Crystal Pavilion, Pan Pacific. **Seagram**, Toronto, is the owner/manager of Kate Buckman's Bridge Studio, one of Canada's largest. She has been a leader in developing programs for new players and in establishing Zero Tolerance as policy at NABCs.
 6:45 p.m. Intermediate/Newcomer Speakers Program: Shirley Edelson, *Opening Leads*. Crystal Pavilion, Pan Pacific. **Edelson**, Redmond WA, is a professional player and teacher. A Diamond Life Master, she won the Women's Board-a-Match Teams in 1987 and placed second in the United States Bridge Championships (now the Women's Team Trials) in 1988.
 After the game Busker Festival: Fred Reisman, violin -- foot-tapping fiddle music. VTCC concourse beside the buffet stations.

Thursday, March 25

10:00 a.m. - Noon EasyBridge! Priscilla Smith. Governor General B, Pan Pacific.
 Noon Busker Festival: Philip Goodwin, alto saxophone -- music with a jazz beat. VTCC lobby.
 12:15 p.m. Intermediate/Newcomer Speakers Program: Eddie Kantar, *Errors Your Partner Makes*. Crystal Pavilion, Pan Pacific. **Kantar**, who lives in Santa Monica CA, is a two-time world champion and a 1996 inductee into the Bridge Hall of Fame. He is one of the best-known bridge writers in the world and a regular contributor to the *Bridge Bulletin*.
 6:45 p.m. Intermediate/Newcomer Speakers Program: Randy Pettit, *Competitive Auctions*. Crystal Pavilion, Pan Pacific. **Pettit**, Marietta GA, piled up more than 2100 masterpoints to win the 1997 *Barry Crane Top 500* contest. Pettit is the first player in more than 25 years to win the annual masterpoint contest without being a professional player or hiring a group of pros to assist.
 After the game Busker Festival: Tom Arntzen, piano -- classy, cabaret-style tunes. VTCC concourse beside the buffet stations.

Friday, March 26

12:15 p.m. Intermediate/Newcomer Speakers Program: Ken Monzingo, *Thinking Bridge*. Crystal Pavilion, Pan Pacific. **Monzingo**, San Diego, is the managing editor of the *Contract Bridge Forum*, the monthly publication of Districts 17, 20, 21 and 22. Monzingo was the entertainment chairman of the 1994 San Diego NABC. A Diamond Life Master with numerous regionals wins, he is also a member of the National Goodwill Committee.
 6:45 p.m. Intermediate/Newcomer Speakers Program: Rhoda Walsh, *Unfortunately, Accidents Happen!* Crystal Pavilion, Pan Pacific. **Walsh**, Los Angeles, is an attorney and an ACBL Grand Life Master with more than 15,000 masterpoints. In 1968, Walsh won all three women's national events held that year: Women's Teams, Women's Pairs and Life Master Women Pairs.

NABC 49er Pairs begins today

The second NABC 49er Pairs — limited to players with 0-50 masterpoints — gets under way here today.

The two-session event will be played at 1 and 7:30 p.m. Entries are \$74 per pair (in Canadian funds) and will be sold in the Crystal Pavilion at the Pan Pacific Hotel.

Masterpoint awards are red — except overall awards, which are paid at 95% red and 5% gold.

The first 49er Pairs was played at last year's Spring NABC in Reno. Californians Robert Lyon and Jim Washburn posted scores of 62.5% and 62.7% to win the two-session event.

Hard Rock Cafe is calling you

A group dinner outing to the Hard Rock Cafe has been arranged for tonight from 5:00 to 7:30 p.m.. Please stop by the Help\Restaurant Desk to sign up. The cost is only \$25 per person.

The Hard Rock Cafe is located within a short walking distance from the tournament site. This upbeat and fun restaurant is very popular with the Down Town Crowd. The food is excellent, too. The restaurant has offered a special discount, which is why the price is so low. The \$25 covers everything — food, taxes and gratuity. Pre-payment is required. Only 30 tickets will be sold.

The Bridge Champions Select menu includes choice of soups of the day, tossed salad or caesar salad, grilled marinated chicken breast or New York strip steak or fettucini Alfredo.

Defensive brilliancy counteracted by offensive brilliancy

Remember the hand in yesterday's Daily Bulletin (page 11) where Drew Casen made the amazing play of discarding his ace of diamonds? Well, we have since learned that declarer made his 3NT despite Casen's brilliancy. In other words, the declarer, Gautam Nandi of Woburn MA, came up with his own brilliancy to counteract the great play made by Casen. Nandi, a non-Life Master, was playing with Dah Ming Chiu of Acton MA. This was the hand, which was played in the Vanderbilt Knockout Teams:

	♠ K J		
	♥ J 5 2		
	♦ 6 5 4 3		
	♣ A K 8 7		
♠ 10 6 5		♠ Q 9 8 7	
♥ 10 8 7 6 3	♥ Q 4		
♦ K 9 7		♦ A J 8	
♣ 6 3		♣ Q J 5 4	
	♠ A 4 3 2		
	♥ A K 9		
	♦ Q 10 2		
	♣ 10 9 2		
West	North	East	South
Pollack	Chiu	Casen	Nandi
	1♦	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♣	Pass	3NT
All Pass			

First let's repeat how the first six tricks went.

Bill Pollack led the ♥8 to the queen and ace, and declarer, Nandi, passed the ♣10 to Casen's jack. Drew led a second heart, declarer winning in hand with the 9. Declarer crossed to dummy, overtaking the 9 with the ace, and led a diamond. Casen could see that declarer probably could set up a long diamond in dummy, so he started a campaign to prevent this. He followed to the diamond with the jack, covered by the queen and won by Pollack with the king. Pollack cleared the hearts and Casen discarded his ACE OF DIAMONDS! Nandi won this trick.

And that's how far yesterday's story went. Casen had fixed it so that declarer could not set up dummy's long diamond unless he lost a trick to Pollack's ♦9 first. Our understanding was that this ploy defeated the contract. Pollack of course would cash hearts to defeat the contract if declarer tried to set up the 13th diamond, so declarer would have to be satisfied with a one-trick defeat.

But Nandi and Chiu came by the Daily Bulletin office yesterday to tell us the rest of the story. Chiu told us how Nandi counteracted Casen's stroke of genius.

Casen's play of course had set up Nandi's ♦10, and he cashed it. Then he led a spade to the king and continued with the ♠J. Casen covered, but Nandi ducked. Casen led another spade which Nandi won. Nandi read the situation perfectly and did not play clubs, hoping for a 3-3 split. He worked out why Casen had made such a sensational ace-throwing play. He realized that Casen wouldn't do this if clubs were going to break, so Casen had to be down to the good spade and two clubs. So Nandi led his last spade, putting Casen in with the 9. Now Casen found himself a victim of an endplay — he was down to the ♣Q-5 and he had to lead into dummy's ♣K-8.

What a wonderful example of point and counterpoint!



Larry Cohen and Terry Michaels

Dandy defenders

Patron Member Terry Michaels and Larry Cohen didn't win the Charity Pairs earlier this week, but if they'd been able to defend just one or two more deals — "We had a pleasant game with a lot of nice defensive hands," said Cohen. "Every time we were on defense, I knew we were headed for a good score."

Michaels, an ACBL Patron Member who won a drawing to play with Cohen, agreed. "It was wonderful. If we could just have defended all night, we'd have won."

As it was, the two finished about two boards over average. This deal added to their score:

Dlr: East ♠ Q 9 2
 Vul: N-S ♥ A K 3 2
 ♦ Q J 10 9
 ♣ Q 6

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

♠ 10 7 5 4
 ♥ 8 7
 ♦ 8 4
 ♣ A 10 8 4 2

West opened 2NT, passed out, and Michaels led the ♦Q to declarer's ace. Declarer led the ♥J, ducked by Michaels. The ♥Q came next and Michaels won her king to return the ♦9, ducked all around. Declarer won the next diamond as Cohen discarded a club.

Michaels won the next heart with her ace as Cohen completed a high-low in clubs. She shifted to the ♣Q to the 3, 2 and king.

Declarer led another diamond and Michaels won her 10. Her low club lead through dummy's jack-9 let Cohen cash two club tricks for down one.

Another good defensive result came on board 26:
 Dlr: East ♠ K Q 7
 Vul: Both ♥ 2
 ♦ A Q 10 9 8 2
 ♣ 7 4 3

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

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

West	North	East	South
	Cohen		Michaels
		Pass	Pass
Pass	2♦ (1)	2♥	Pass
Pass	2♠ (2)	Pass	Pass
3♥	Pass	Pass	Dbl
All Pass			

(1) Weak two-bid in diamonds.

(2) "I don't like selling out," said Cohen. "You can't win a pair event defending 2♥. Besides, I was just a spade short for the bid."

Michaels led the ♦6 to the 5, 10 and king. Declarer led a low heart and Michaels won her queen to return the ♦3. Cohen won his queen and led the ♦A. Declarer erred by ruffing with the ♥A as Michaels discarded her low club.

Now declarer lost control of the hand and Michaels was able to draw trumps and run her spades. The result: plus 1100 and a top.

Canadian calcutta to help internationals

The Canadian Bridge Federation will host a calcutta to raise money for the International Fund which subsidizes the Canadian Open and Women's teams who will represent Canada at the world championships.

The one-day calcutta will take place the day before Canadian Bridge Week -- the week when three Canadian national championships are decided. These are the Open Teams (CNTC), the Women's Teams (CWTC), and the Open Pairs (COPC). The reception and auction will take place on Friday evening, July 9, and play will take place on Saturday, July 10, at the Doubles Bridge Club in Toronto.

An excellent field is expected as it is anticipated that many of the CNTC and CWTC players will participate in the calcutta.

The calcutta is open, and the entry fee and minimum bids will be kept reasonable to encourage participation.

More information will be posted in the near future on the CBF home page at www.cbf.ca or from Leo Weniger -- leow@hotmail.com or will be available by calling Leo at 609-5175 in Vancouver until March 28.

Strange things happen!

Two strange things happened on the first trick.

Board 5 ♠ Q 8
 Dlr: North ♥ 10 9
 Vul: N-S ♦ A J 9 8 4 3
 ♣ K 8 4

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

	♠ 2		
	♥ A 7 3 2		
	♦ Q 10 6 5		
	♣ A Q 6 3		
West	North	East	South
	2♦	Pass	2NT
3♠	Dbl	Pass	3NT
Pass	Pass	4♠	5♦
All Pass			

The opening lead was the ♠J -- and everybody ducked! No kidding! West didn't rise with the king and North didn't win his queen. Later in the play declarer ruffed the ♠Q. Not surprisingly South asked North why he didn't win the first trick with the queen. "I couldn't," he said. "The ace and king were still out."

Short odds

By Peg Kaplan

J10 opposite A2. How do you play this combination for two tricks? You're playing 4♠ with three inescapable losers outside the heart suit. To make your contract, you must play this combination for TWO winners.

At my table, the opening lead was the ♥K. As declarer thought about her line of play after winning the ace, suddenly LHO played the ♥Q! Now declarer knew what to do -- she drew trumps, and LHO was forced to discard the ♥Q since it was a penalty card. Plus 620!

A vulnerable game swing? Sadly, no. At the other table, when the opening leader's partner doubled a heart cuebid, the opening leader decided to underlead (!) his ♥K-Q in an attempt to reach his partner. If dummy had had the J-small, he might have survived. As it was declarer couldn't go wrong. Plus 620 for a push.

Now you tell me -- what are the odds of scoring two tricks with this combination? Better still, what are the odds of it happening at BOTH tables?

It doesn't pay to delay a decision

By Arnold Malasky

My partner, Dick Wegman, made a very good play on Board 19 of the second final session of the Silver Ribbon Pairs. He took advantage of declarer's delaying a decision.

Dlr: South ♠ A J 10 9
 Vul: E-W ♥ J 7 6
 ♦ J 9
 ♣ K 8 7 2

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

♠ Q 7 6 4 3 2
 ♥ 10 2
 ♦ K Q 7
 ♣ 10 4

West	North	East	South
			2♠
Pass	2NT	Pass	3♠ (1)
Pass	Pass	4♥	Pass
Pass	4♠	Dbl	All Pass

(1) Either no feature or a minimum hand.

Dick, West, led the ♥9. I cashed the ace and king of hearts, then shifted to the ♦8 -- I felt certain Dick could not overruff declarer. That rode to the 9 in dummy, and the ♦J came back. I won and returned a third diamond.

Declarer thought I had the ♠K and was planning to cash the ace, hoping the king was singleton. However, she decided to lead a club first, putting up the king. I won my ace and led a club to Dick's jack. Dick, realizing declarer was down to all trumps, led a fourth diamond, promoting my trump king for down three.

Excellent defense

By Barry Rigal

I thought my teammates did an excellent job on this tough deal:

Dlr: South ♠ A 5
 Vul: Both ♥ K Q J 7 6
 ♦ 9 8 4 2
 ♣ 7 5

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

♠ K J 9 4 2
 ♥ A 9 2
 ♦ A 6 5
 ♣ A J

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♦ (1)	Pass	2♥
Pass	3NT	Pass	4♥
All Pass			

(1) Transfer to hearts.

In the match between Rigal and Larsen, both tables reached 4♥ after a transfer sequence. At our table, three rounds of diamonds let East ruff. Now, however, declarer Henry Bethe had a diamond ruff for his ninth trick and a spade finesse for his tenth -- and plus 620.

At the other table, Brian Platnick, playing with Connie Goldberg, found the killing trump shift. Declarer simply cashed the ♠A K and Brian ruffed to play a second trump. That led to down two and 13 IMPs.

Section top prizes

If you win an overall or a section top, be sure to drop by the Prize Desk, which is located next to the Registration Desk. The prizes are special Bridge Calendars that include advice and hands from many bridge experts.

Diamonds are a man's best friend

By Maureen Dennison, Great Britain

For good value there can be no better pair to kibitz than Fred Hamilton and John Mohan. Fred surely has a most expressive face at the bridge table. Whether the hand is good, bad or indifferent he sighs and droops, raises his question-mark eyebrows and has the weight of the world on his shoulders. On the other hand John is ever ready to take a risk. In doing so, he earns bushels of points.

Look at this run of hands from the final of the NABC Open Pairs, all weak two and notrump decisions -- well, at their table they were!

Fred and John play Multi with only a weak two option and Fred found himself declarer in 2♥ playing a six-nil fit. He was the hand with none! John had opened the Multi 2♦ and Fred responded 2♥ -- pass or correct.

Board 21: ♠ A 10
Dlr: North ♥ Q J 9 8 5 4
Vul: N-S ♦ K 9 6
♣ 10 2

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

♠ 5 4 3 2
♥ —
♦ A Q 8 2
♣ A Q J 8 7

A club was led to the king and ace. Fred cashed the queen, but when he tried the jack West ruffed and dummy overruffed. Next declarer played a diamond to his ace and another back to the king but this time it was East who meanly trumped and then led a small spade. Dummy's ace won the trick and the 10 went to West's king. Another spade was ruffed low in dummy. Fred called for the ♦6, and when East elected to discard the queen scored. Declarer played the ♣8 -- again ruffed and overruffed. The ♥Q was taken with the king and East exited with ♠Q, again trumped in the North hand. Dummy was down to ♥J-9 and there were three hearts outstanding including the ace and ten. Fred earned a lot of extra points when he led the jack which pinned the 10, scoring plus 140.

On the very next board it was Fred who started with a Multi and John who played the hand. This time they had a 6-4 heart fit. However John elected to bid 3NT rather than hearts. After two tricks, a spade to the ace and a hopeful ace of diamonds, he conceded down seven!

This was board 23.

Dlr: East ♠ Q 10 2
Vul: E-W ♥ A J 9

♦ A 5
♣ J 8 4 3 2

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

♠ A K 9 5 3
♥ 10 8
♦ Q J 7 4
♣ Q 9

West	North John	East	South Fred
		1♠	
Pass	2♣	2♥	Pass
Pass	2NT	Pass	3♣
Pass	3*S *	Pass	3NT (!)
All Pass			

As Fred tabled his "unexceptional" hand he muttered something to the effect that he thought 2NT was forcing and he wished he had been allowed to bail out. A heart was led to the 10, queen and ace, and John played a diamond to dummy's queen, taken with the king. West returned her second heart to the jack and king and East continued with the deuce to declarer's 9. John now made the key play of the ♠10 to the ace, and another back to his queen. He cashed the ♦A, took the spade finesse and cashed out for his contract.

Later John opened 3♦, Fred bid 3♠ but John was

again there with 3NT. Well, he did have ♣Q 7. Outside his diamond suit they were only cards in his hand higher than a 6! Fred didn't like it but he passed. Once again 3NT proved to be the only making contract.

Finally I offer you Board 5.

Dlr: North ♠ A 3

Vul: N-S ♥ 6 4

♦ J 9 3 2

♣ K Q 10 8 5

♠ J 9 8 6 4

♥ Q 5 2

♦ 10 7 6

♣ A 9

♠ Q 10 7 2

♥ 10 9 7

♦ K 5 4

♣ J 7 6

♠ K 5

♥ A K J 8 3

♦ A Q 8

♣ 4 3 2

With opponents passing Fred and John bid 1♥ - 1NT/2♣ - 2♠ (a good raise in clubs)/ 3NT. The opening lead was taken on the table with the king and a club was led toward the closed hand. West popped up with the ace to lead another spade. John cashed one high heart and ran the clubs. When West discarded a diamond and East a heart, John was persuaded that diamonds offered the best chance for extra tricks, so he discarded hearts from the table. He then led the ♦J to the king, ace and 7. When the 10 dropped on the queen continuation he could overtake the 8 and cash the ♦2 for 12 fantastic tricks.

What a fun set of boards.

Goodwill message

Here's a reminder that the preferred way to summon a tournament director is to raise your hand and say, "Director, please."

Also: keep your hand up so the director will know where to find you.

Aileen Osofsky, Chairman
National Goodwill Committee



Joan Hardy and Jackie Britton, wearing the plaid vests of the Lady Vancouver Club, visit with Sue Hurn of the Vancouver Tourism Bureau. The three are working at the Restaurant Help desk which provides discount coupons, makes recommendations on attractions and dinner reservations -- and helps you discover beautiful Vancouver.

Spaghetti Factory -- more than a meal out

The third group dinner outing will take place Friday at the Old Spaghetti Factory, 53 Water St., Gastown. Make your reservation at the Help/Restaurant Desk.

Your group dining experience will be more than just a meal out. The restaurant is a living museum of British Columbia's colorful past, filled with antiques and eclectic furnishings. The set menu was developed especially for us -- a variety of foods to choose from at a very reasonable price. The cost is \$15 per person -- and that includes gratuity and applicable taxes.

The menu includes hot Gastown sourdough bread, tossed green salad or caesar salad, soft drink or coffee or tea and spumoni or vanilla ice cream. There is a wide choice of entrees: spaghetti with your choice of sauce, Mama Pulosi's secret homemade lasagna, Papa Pulosi's veggie lasagna, spinach and cheese stuffed manicotti, Chilean langustino penne, seafood fettucini or breast of chicken.

Today's sponsors:

Strider Computer Group
Vancouver Bridge Club (West Vancouver)
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Strider Computer Group — The Strider Computer Group consists of three computer businesses: Strider Computers — a PC retailer; Simply Computing — a Macintosh retailer, and Computer Care — a PC service shop. The original store, Strider Computers, opened in 1983, making it one of the original computer retailers in Western Canada. Recently, the Strider Group has expanded into Vancouver with the opening of a new Simply Computing store at 1690 West Broadway. Strider's sponsorship was arranged through one of its owners, Gord McOrmond. He is our city's leading player and a member of the current Canadian National Team Champions who hope to represent Canada at the upcoming Bermuda Bowl.

Vancouver Bridge Club (North Vancouver) — This club is a descendant of Vancouver's original duplicate club. It changed owners and locations several times before being bought by the current owner/operator, the incomparable Louis Landau. The club is now located in St. David's United Church at the northwest corner of Taylor Way and Highway 1 in West Vancouver. Games are Mondays and Wednesdays at 10:00 a.m. and Wednesday evenings at 7:15 p.m.

Louis, a popular director, teacher and bridge writer, is ably assisted by his incomparable wife Pat.

Colin Collin — Colin Collin, who died in August 1997, was a veterinarian and accomplished bridge player. He was a regular at local tournaments where

he frequently partnered the late Liz Lee. Dr. Colin was a talented administrator and past Director of Veterinary Services at the province's SPCA. As a key member of the organization, he was hired back after his retirement to help plan, build and equip a new animal hospital. He inspired those around him with his dedication and sense of caring for all animals as well as compassion for their owners. At the time of his death he was President of the White Rock Bridge Club. His many friends in the bridge world honor his memory.

Global Merchandising (Portofino) — Global Merchandising, PORTOFINO, is the home and garden division of Global Enterprises International Inc, an integrated international shipping and trading company. Their pottery and ceramic products are imported from 15 countries and recognized as the most diversified line of its kind in Canada.

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Great Bridge Links — Great Bridge Links (<http://www.cbf.ca/GBL>) is a web site dedicated to gathering, sorting and presenting links to "Everything that's Bridge on the Internet Today." The categorized pages of bridge links are often accompanied by related news and information about events or products.

Visitors have the option of joining a mailing list for the monthly GBL Newsletter and are treated to an opening page that is updated weekly and a New Links page that is updated even more often.

GBL has sponsored five midnight games at this NABC. Vancouver-based founder Judge Goodwin-Hanson hopes everyone will play at least one midnight game, taking time to enjoy the lighter side of tournament play. She will be on hand Friday, March 25, and Saturday, March 26.

APPEALS CASE 3

Subject: Misinformation

Event: First Saturday Compact KO, 20 Mar 99,

First Segment

Board: 18 ♠ K x x x x
 Dealer: East ♥ A x
 Vul: N/S ♦ K x
 ♣ A Q 10 x

♠ 9 ♠ Q 10 8 4
 ♥ x x ♥ K x x 2
 ♦ x x x x x ♦ A J
 ♣ x x x x x ♣ K J x

♠ A J 7
 ♥ Q J 10 x x
 ♦ Q 10 x x
 ♣ x

WEST	NORTH	EAST	SOUTH
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣(1)
Pass	3♣	Pass	4♠
All Pass			

(1) Two-way Reverse Drury, not Alerted

The Facts: 4♠ made four, plus 420 for N/S. The opening lead was the ♥2. The Director was called when dummy was displayed. 2♣ had not been Alerted or disclosed as a partnership agreement before the opening lead was made. The Director determined that no agreement existed as to whether or not they played Drury after a fourth-seat opener. East stated he would have led a spade if he had been in possession of the correct information. The Director ruled that unauthorized information had not affected the final contract because North would not have passed a 3♠ bid by South. The Director also ruled that in the event of a trump lead (unlikely) the 4♠ contract would still be made. The Director allowed the table result to stand.

The Appeal: E/W appealed the Director's ruling. They stated that they agreed that N/S would still bid 4♠, but that the defense would start with a small spade rather than the ♥2. N/S believed that 4♠ would have been made even with the lead of a small spade.

The Committee Decision: The Reviewer acted independently to determine that N/S would surely have bid to 4♠ and that E/W did not challenge that action. The player consultant did not believe the proper information would have demonstrably suggested some lead other than a heart and certainly not a spade. He also briefly analyzed the play and offered that it appeared that 4♠ would be made after any lead. The Committee agreed with his analysis.

The Committee also found that since the N/S convention card did not establish that Drury was not being used after a fourth-seat opener, South should have spoken up before the opening lead and disclosed the proper information.

The Committee did not find a demonstrable connection between the misinformation and the choice of lead, particularly the lead of a spade from ♠Q10xx.

The Committee decided to allow the table result of 4♠ made four, plus 420 for N/S to stand. The possibility of a procedural penalty for South's not correcting North's failure to Alert before the opening lead was briefly considered and rejected in part because a somewhat rushed proceeding was necessitated by the format (Compact KO in which two matches must be completed in a single session). There was not adequate time to deliberate on this sensitive issue because the appeal arose between matches.

Table Director: Gary Zeiger

Director consulted: Patty Holmes

Panel: Roger Putnam (Reviewer), Ron Johnston (scribe), Matt Smith

Player consulted: Eddie Wold

Dress-up night

The first Saturday night of each NABC will be dress-up night. This will apply to all events. Players will be encouraged to participate in the pleasure of dressing up for the evening.

Canadians defend Mixed Pairs title

A Toronto pair who had never played together before winning last year's Mixed Pairs are defending their title here in Vancouver.

Leslie Amoils' team made an early exit from the Vanderbilt, clearing the way for him and Joan Eaton to defend their championship, the first NABC win for both.

Eaton and Amoils were in the top five going into the final round of last year's event and knew they needed a big last round to claim victory. Their 90% round was good enough to win the event by half a board.

This was the first board:

Dlr: North ♠ A 10 7
 Vul: E-W ♥ K J 7 5 2
 ♦ 9 7 6 3
 ♣ 3

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

West	North	East	South
Amoils	Pass	Eaton	2♥
3♣	4♥	Dbl (1)	Pass
6♣	All Pass		

(1) Eaton-Amoils play weak notrumps. The double showed a good hand.

"5♣ just wasn't going to get it," said Amoils. "I knew we needed a good last round."

The slam was cold -- seven club tricks and five diamond tricks. Plus 1370 was worth 74 out of 90 matchpoints. The next board:

Dlr: East ♠ 10 8 4 2
 Vul: Both ♥ A K Q 10 3
 ♦ --
 ♣ Q J 9 7

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

West	North	East	South
Amoils		Eaton	
		Pass	Pass
1♦	Dbl	3♦ (1)	Pass
5♦	Pass	Pass	Dbl
All Pass			

(1) Weak.

South, looking at an ace, four trumps and a partner who had made a takeout double, doubled the final contract.

North led a high heart and continued the suit. Amoils ruffed and played the ♠K. South won and tapped Amoils again with a heart.

He cashed two more spades, pitching a club from his hand, and held his breath as he cashed the top clubs. When South followed to both, Amoils claimed on a high crossruff. Plus 750 was worth 88 of 90 matchpoints.

Rockwell Trophy

The Mixed Pairs is a four-session event with two qualifying and two final sessions. The Rockwell Trophy, donated by Helen Rockwell in 1946, is presented to the winners.

The record-holder in the Mixed Pairs is Sidney Silodor, who won the event five times -- including 1955 and 1956 with Helen Sobel. John Crawford won the event three times -- in 1948 and 1949 with Margaret Wagar and in 1959 with Dorothy Truscott, the first time they had ever played together. Winners:

1946 Anne Burnstein, Alvin Roth
 1947 Evelyn Ansin, Charles Goren
 1948 John Crawford, Margaret Wagar



Canadian artist Raymond Chow shows his impressions of the Spring NABC to his assistant, Annie Chen. Chow's "unofficial bridge print sells for \$7 (U.S. funds) or \$10 (Canadian funds). His Vancouver collection includes: black and white prints, \$12 or two for \$20 plus tax; hand-tinted prints, \$25 or two for \$48 plus tax; lithographs, \$75. The collection is on display on the convention level of the Vancouver Trade & Convention Centre.

1949	John Crawford, Margaret Wagar
1950	Peter Leventritt, Ruth Sherman
1951	Edith Rosenbloom, Sidney Silodor
1952	Anne Burnstein, Alvin Roth
1953	Jewel Hodge, Paul Hodge
1954	Said Haddad, Betty Windley
1955	Sidney Silodor, Helen Sobel
1956	Sidney Silodor, Helen Sobel
1957	Bee Gale, Howard Schenken
1958	Carol Ross, Edwin Smith
1959	John Crawford, Dorothy Hayden
1960	Elsie Abrams, William Passell
1961	Art Comstock, Margaret Muirhead
1962	Clarice Holt, Paul Levitt
1963	Agnes Gordon, Eric Murray
1964	Dan Morse, Mary Margaret Swan
1965	Betty Kaplan, Edgar Kaplan
1966	Robert Sharp, Louise Sharp
1967	Trudy Machlin, Kit Woolsey
1968	Marilyn Johnson, Peter Rank
1969	Peggy Parker, Steve Parker
1970	George Dawkins, Carolyn Flournoy
1971	Eugenie Mathe, Lew Mathe
1972	John Mohan, Peggy Sutherland
1973	Bernie Chazen, Marilyn Johnson
1974	Gerald Caravelli, Helen Utegaard
1975	Barry Crane, Kerri Shuman
1976	Peggy Lipsitz, Steve Parker
1977	Joel Friedberg, Nancy Gruver
1978	Ahmed Hussein, Gail Moss
1979	Juanita Skelton, Mike Smolen
1980	Jeff Meckstroth, Patty Meckstroth
1981	Esta Van Zandt, Jim Zimmerman
1982	Barry Crane, Kerri Shuman
1983	John Gustafson, Helen Gustafson
1984	Kathy Sulgrove, Larry Rock
1985	Beth Palmer, Steve Robinson
1986	Lisa Berkowitz, David Berkowitz
1987	Lisa Berkowitz, David Berkowitz
1988	Claire Tornay, Michael Moss
1989	Dorothy Truscott, Alan Truscott
1990	Jo Ann Manfield, Ken Cohen
1991	Jo Ann Manfield, Danny Sprung
1992	Kitty Bethe, Larry Mori
1993	Libby Fernandez, Happoldt Neuffer
1994	Jillian Blanchard, Geoff Hampson
1995	Cindy Bernstein, Bob Bernstein
1996	Margery Tamres, Joseph Brady
1997	Phyllis Quinn, Wafik Abdou
1998	Joan Eaton, Leslie Amoils

A similar, three-session event was held at the Spring NABC from 1958 to 1962. Winners:

1958	Mrs. M. J. Novak, John Gerber
1959	Mary Jane Farrell, Al Roth
1960	Shirlee Harris, Edward Rosen
1961	Carol Sanders, Tommy Sanders
1962	1-2. Jessie Cook, Grant Marsee 1-2. Shirlee Harris, Edward Rosen

Door prize winners

The following players have not yet picked up the prizes they won on Tuesday: Jill Richmond, Bob Simkins, Alice Liecht, Judy Schwarz, Andrea Buratti, Allan Falk, Chuck Maltz, Terry Scott, Grant McKinnon, Gordon Cable, Irene Macrosson, Jim Levin, William Smith, Tom Shannon and Evelyn Jeck.

The following won earlier prizes but have not yet collected them: Gilbert Lambert, Evelyn Payne, Yu Buehler, Donald Foote, Lee Magee, Lorne Nicol, William Hall, Lon Sunshine, Linda Howard and John Minton.

71st Vanderbilt will have new winners

As a result of the break-up of the Richard Schwartz team, winners of the last two Vanderbilt Knockout Teams, there will be new faces in the winners' circle this year.

Schwartz, Mark Lair, Bobby Goldman and Paul Soloway won their second straight Vanderbilt last year in Reno. Their teammates in 1997 were Peter Boyd and Steve Robinson. Chip Martel and Lew Stansby were on last year's team.

This year Schwartz and Goldman are playing with Bobby Levin and Steve Weinstein. They'll face competition from these squads:

- Lair, playing with Ron Smith (California). Their teammates are George Rosenkranz-Roger Bates and Bobby Wolff-Dan Morse.
- Martel and Stansby, playing with Jeff Wolfson-Neil Silverman and Zia-Michael Rosenberg.
- Soloway, playing with Bob Hamman on the Nickell team -- Nick Nickell-Richard Freeman and Jeff Meckstroth-Eric Rodwell.
- Rita Shugart, playing four-handed with Andrew Robson and Geir Helgemo-Tony Forrester. This quartet won the Reisinger Board-a-Match Teams at the Fall NABC in Orlando.
- Jimmy Cayne-Chuck Burger, Michael Seamon-Mike Passell and David Berkowitz-Larry Cohen, runners-up in last year's Vanderbilt. Cayne, who has been detained in New York on business, will be non-playing captain. Team coach Allan Cokin will play with Chuck Burger, Cayne's regular partner
- Malcolm Brachman, playing with Eddie Wold. Their teammates are Billy Miller-Curtis Cheek and Geoff Hampson-Eric Greco.

The Vanderbilt Trophy

The Vanderbilt Trophy for the Vanderbilt Knockout Teams was donated in 1928 by Harold S. Vanderbilt, who won the event in 1932 and 1940.

The Vanderbilt was contested annually in New York - as a separate championship — until 1958 when it became part of the Spring North American Championships.

Vanderbilt winners receive replicas of the trophy — a practice initiated by Vanderbilt from the first running of the event and perpetuated by a \$100,000 trust fund administered by ACBL under the terms of Vanderbilt's will.

On display at ACBL Headquarters in Memphis are replicas donated by the families of Caroline Taylor, who won the Vanderbilt in 1928, and Helen Sobel Smith, a Vanderbilt winner in 1944 and 1945.

Here's a look at Vanderbilt action through the years:

• Howard Schenken won the Vanderbilt 10 times. John Crawford had nine wins; B. Jay Becker, George Rapee and Sidney Silodor, eight; Norman Kay and Oswald Jacoby, seven, and Edgar Kaplan, six. Barry Crane never won the event but had two seconds and a third.

• Seven women have won the Vanderbilt a total of eight times: Mrs. Sidney Lovell and Caroline Taylor, who tied for first-second in 1928 when the Vanderbilt was played as board-a-match teams; Josephine Culbertson, 1930; Helen Sobel, 1944 and 1945; Ruth Sherman, 1953; Carolyn Levitt, 1962, and Edith (Kemp) Freilich, 1963.

• Sobel and Freilich are the only two women in ACBL history who have won all three major open championships: the Vanderbilt, Spingold and Reisinger. In fact, only 41 players in all have won all three.

• Oswald Jacoby won his first Vanderbilt in 1931 and his last in 1965. B. Jay Becker won his first in 1944 and his last in 1981.

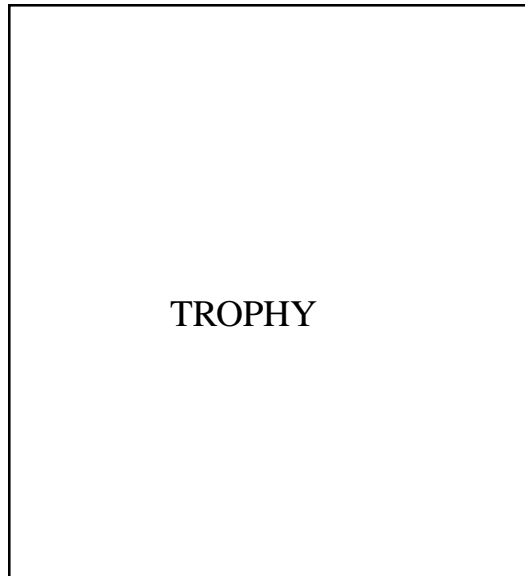
• Two father-son partnerships have won the Vanderbilt: Oswald Jacoby and son Jim in 1965 and B. Jay Becker and son Michael in 1981.

• Edith Freilich and Billy Seamon are the only sister-brother partnership to win the Vanderbilt. Their team won in 1963 — the last year a woman won a major open team championship.

• The only "three-peat" in Vanderbilt history came when B. Jay Becker, John Crawford, George Rapee,

Howard Schenken and Sidney Silodor captured the championship in 1955, 1956 and 1957.

• The first Vanderbilt was played in 1928 and the rank of Life Master was created in 1936. At that time, the first 10 LMs could claim 16 Vanderbilt titles and nine second-place finishes.



Winners:

- 1928 Ralph Richards, Gratz Scott, Edwin Wetzlar, Wilbur Whitehead tied with Abraham Brown, Mrs. Sidney Lovell, Caroline Taylor, Nils Wester
- 1929 Michael Gottlieb, Lee Langdon, Jean Mattheys, Harry Raffel
- 1930 Ely Culbertson, Josephine Culbertson, Theodore Lightner, Waldemar von Zedtwitz
- 1931 David Burnstine, Oswald Jacoby, Willard Karn, P. Hal Sims
- 1932 Willard Karn, P. Hal Sims, Harold S. Vanderbilt, Waldemar von Zedtwitz
- 1933 Phil Abramsohn, Benjamin Feuer, Francis Rendon, Sydney Rusinow
- 1934 David Burnstine, Richard Frey, Michael Gottlieb, Oswald Jacoby, Howard Schenken
- 1935 David Burnstine, Michael Gottlieb, Oswald Jacoby, Howard Schenken, Sherman Stearns
- 1936 Phil Abramsohn, Irving Epstein, Harry Fishbein, Fred Kaplan
- 1937 David Burnstine, Oswald Jacoby, Merwyn Maier, Howard Schenken, Sherman Stearns
- 1938 David Burnstine, Oswald Jacoby, Merwyn Maier, Howard Schenken, Sherman Stearns
- 1939 Melville Alexander, Sigmund Dornbusch, Syl Gintell, Lee Hazen, Harry Raffel
- 1940 Edward Hymes Jr., Charles Lochridge, Robert McPherran, Harold S. Vanderbilt, Waldemar von Zedtwitz
- 1941 John Crawford, Myron Fuchs, Robert McPherran, Sherman Stearns
- 1942 Lester Bachner, Sigmund Dornbusch, Richard Frey, Lee Hazen, Sam Stayman
- 1943 Harry Fagin, Harry Fishbein, Fred Kaplan, Alvin Roth, Tobias Stone
- 1944 B. Jay Becker, Charles Goren, Sidney Silodor, Helen Sobel
- 1945 B. Jay Becker, Charles Goren, Sidney Silodor, Helen Sobel
- 1946 John Crawford, Oswald Jacoby, George Rapee, Howard Schenken, Sam Stayman
- 1947 David Clarren, Harry Feinberg, Harry Fishbein, Larry Hirsch, Joseph Low
- 1948 Robert Appleyard, Jay T. Feigus, William Lichtenstein, Harry Sonnenblick, Albert Weiss
- 1949 Morrie Elis, Harry Fishbein, Lee Hazen, Larry Hirsch, Charles Lochridge
- 1950 John Crawford, George Rapee, Howard Schenken, Sidney Silodor, Sam Stayman
- 1951 B. Jay Becker, John Crawford, George Rapee, Sam Stayman
- 1952 Ned Drucker, Irvin Kass, Sidney Mandell, Milton Moss, Jesse Sloan
- 1953 Richard Kahn, Edgar Kaplan, Peter Leventritt, William Lipton, Ruth Sherman
- 1954 Dr. Kalman Apfel, Francis Begley, Ned Drucker, Sidney Mandell, Milton Moss
- 1955 B. Jay Becker, John Crawford, George Rapee, Howard Schenken, Sidney Silodor
- 1956 B. Jay Becker, John Crawford, George Rapee, Howard Schenken, Sidney Silodor
- 1957 B. Jay Becker, John Crawford, George Rapee, Howard Schenken, Sidney Silodor
- 1958 Harry Fishbein, Sam Fry Jr., Leonard Harmon, Lee

- 1959 Hazen, Ivar Stakgold
B. Jay Becker, John Crawford, Norman Kay, George Rapee, Sidney Silodor, Tobias Stone
- 1960 John Crawford, Norman Kay, Sidney Silodor, Tobias Stone
- 1961 Charles Coon, Robert Jordan, Eric Murray, Arthur Robinson
- 1962 Larry Kolker, Carolyn Levitt, Jerry Levitt, Garrett Nash, George de Runtz
- 1963 Harold Harkavy, Edith Kemp, Alvin Roth, Clifford Russell, William Seamon, Albert Weiss
- 1964 Bob Hamman, Eddie Kantar, Don Krauss, Peter Leventritt, Lew Mathe, Howard Schenken
- 1965 Philip Feldesman, John Fisher, James Jacoby, Oswald Jacoby, Ira Rubin, Albert Weiss
- 1966 Philip Feldesman, Bob Hamman, Sami Kehela, Lew Mathe, Ira Rubin
- 1967 James Jacoby, Mike Lawrence, Lew Mathe, Bobby Nail, Ron Von der Porten, Lew Stansby
- 1968 Bobby Jordan, Edgar Kaplan, Norman Kay, Arthur Robinson, Bill Root, Alvin Roth
- 1969 Gerald Hallee, Paul Soloway, John Swanson, Richard Walsh
- 1970 Edgar Kaplan, Norman Kay, Sami Kehela, Sidney Lazard, Eric Murray, George Rapee
- 1971 Bill Eisenberg, Bobby Goldman, Bob Hamman, Jim Jacoby, Mike Lawrence, Bobby Wolff
- 1972 Steven Altman, Eugene Neiger, Thomas Smith, Alan Sontag, Joel Stuart, Peter Weichsel
- 1973 Mark Blumenthal, Bobby Goldman, Bob Hamman, Mike Lawrence, Bobby Wolff
- 1974 David Crossley, Robert Crossley, Eric Kokish, Joey Silver
- 1975 Roger Bates, Larry Cohen, Dr. Richard Katz, John Mohan, George Rosenkranz
- 1976 Roger Bates, Larry Cohen, Dr. Richard Katz, John Mohan, George Rosenkranz
- 1977 Mike Becker, Mark Blumenthal, Fred Hamilton, Mike Lawrence, Ron Rubin, John Swanson
- 1978 Malcolm Brachman, Bobby Goldman, Eddie Kantar, Billy Eisenberg, Mike Passell, Paul Soloway
- 1979 Lou Bluhm, Richard Freeman, Mark Lair, Cliff Russell, Tom Sanders, Eddie Wold
- 1980 Russ Arnold, Bobby Levin, Jeff Meckstroth, Bud Reinhold, Eric Rodwell
- 1981 B. Jay Becker, Michael Becker, Edgar Kaplan, Norman Kay, Ron Rubin
- 1982 James Jacoby, Jeff Meckstroth, Mike Passell, Eric Rodwell, George Rosenkranz, Eddie Wold
- 1983 Bill Root, Richard Pavlicek, Norman Kay, Edgar Kaplan
- 1984 Chip Martel, Lew Stansby, Hugh Ross, Peter Pender
- 1985 Eric Rodwell, Jeff Meckstroth, Ron Rubin, Mike Lawrence, Michael Becker, Peter Weichsel
- 1986 Edgar Kaplan, Norman Kay, Bill Root, Richard Pavlicek
- 1987 Peter Pender, Peter Boyd, Lew Stansby, Hugh Ross, Steve Robinson, Chip Martel
- 1988 Eddie Kantar, Alan Sontag, John Mohan, Roger Bates
- 1989 Ron Rubin, Michael Becker, Bart Bramley, Robert Levin, Lou Bluhm, Peter Weichsel
- 1990 Dan Morse, John Sutherlin, Michael Kamil, Ron Gerard, Tom Sanders, Bill Pollack
- 1991 Steve Robinson, Peter Boyd, Kit Woolsey, Ed Manfield
- 1992 Andy Goodman, John Mohan, Roger Bates, John Schermer, Neil Chambers
- 1993 Howard Weinstein, Peter Nagy, Dan Morse, John Sutherlin, Tom Sanders, Russ Arnold
- 1994 Seymon Deutsch, Gaylor Kasle, Michael Rosenberg, Zia Mahmood, Chip Martel, Lew Stansby
- 1995 Bill Root, Richard Pavlicek, Michael Polowan, Marc Jacobus
- 1996 Zia Mahmood, Michael Rosenberg, Seymon Deutsch, Chip Martel, Lew Stansby
- 1997 Richard Schwartz, Mark Lair, Steve Robinson, Peter Boyd, Paul Soloway, Bobby Goldman
- 1998 Richard Schwartz, Mark Lair, Steve Robinson, Peter Boyd, Paul Soloway, Bobby Goldman

Bulletins here

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Top or bottom

By Barry Rigal

Bob Gookin found a neat line of play on this deal from the first final session of Open Pairs I.

Gookin was playing with Sheila Pies. Their opponents were Michael Kamil and Michael Becker.

Dlr: West ♠ A 9
 Vul: E-W ♥ Q 10 5
 ♦ A J 5
 ♣ K Q 8 7 4

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

♠ 10 6 4 3 2
 ♥ K 9 6
 ♦ 8 3
 ♣ A 10 3

West	North	East	South
Gookin	Kamil	Pies	Becker
Pass	1NT	Pass	2♥(1)
Pass	2♠	Pass	Pass
2NT(2)	Pass	3♣	Dbl
3♦	Pass	Pass	Dbl

All Pass

(1) Transfer to spades.

(2) Two-suiter.

Gookin found himself in "top or bottom" territory. Kamil led the ♣K and Becker preserved his 10 (wouldn't you?). Gookin ruffed, led a spade to dummy's queen and ducked the next spade to Kamil's now-bare ace.

Kamil played the ♦A and another diamond. Gookin won in hand to lead the ♠K, ruffed and overruffed. Now Gookin led the ♥A and another heart to Becker's king. This was the five-card ending:

♠ -- ♠ --
 ♥ Q ♥ --
 ♦ -- ♦ 9
 ♣ Q 8 7 4 ♣ J 9 6 5

♠ J ♠ --
 ♥ J 8 7 ♥ --
 ♦ 7 ♦ 9
 ♣ -- ♣ J 9 6 5

♠ 10 6 ♠ --
 ♥ 9 ♥ --
 ♦ -- ♦ 9
 ♣ A 10 ♣ J 9 6 5

Becker led the ♣A and Gookin ruffed with his last trump. Now he ruffed out the hearts and led a low club from dummy. When Becker played the ♠10 perforce, Kamil could duck -- and Becker would have to give the lead to Gookin -- or he could overtake and return a club (all dummy's clubs would be good).

Cherish your partner

By Barry Rigal

I had a chastening experience in Monday's morning knockout teams. Fortunately I was playing with a good player but it taught me a lesson -- more of that at the end of this deal.

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

West	North	East	South
Pass	2♦(1)	Pass	3♠

All Pass

(1) Majors.

Partner leads the ♠6 and it's over to you (East). I assume you win the first trick. It looks natural to play two more rounds of trumps but you should look a bit deeper than that. If partner has a top diamond honor (unlikely, since South probably has an opening bid to justify the invitation facing a passed hand), it is only a question of undertricks.

Results of yesterday's Vanderbilt matches

1. Nickell	60	98	152	200
32. Wolpert	20	36	73	101
17. Willenken	17	48	90	114
16. Brachman	32	70	108	135
9. Sosler	58	141	180	229
24. Schock	33	51	87	113
25. Rigal	41	51	61	68
8. Jacobs	28	60	119	183
2. Hartung	36	67	94	138
31. Meyer	25	69	87	125
18. Milner	55	80	109	111
15. Lev	38	89	138	153
10. Bramley	19	50	78	101
23. Dunitz	37	52	99	137
26. Eisenstein	32	78	94	107
7. Robinson	27	64	117	170
3. Wolfson	33	77	131	165
30. Herold	20	36	48	74
19. Rotman	9	41	69	w/d
14. Moss	92	139	175	
11. Carmichael	15	52	64	118
22. Lewis	31	50	85	102
27. Zimmerman	28	49	69	w/d
6. Shugart	32	81	151	
4. Baze	54	102	159	
29. Barbour	16	37	52	w/d
20. Schutze	27	50	94	105
13. Blanchard	14	32	76	126
12. Blond	2	54	78	106
21. Jabon	73	125	165	222
28. Kaplan	16	16	46	56
5. Cayne (npc)	24	62	115	166

If declarer has either a three- or five-card diamond suit to the A-K, your play is inadvertent -- so why not cherish your partner who will have to find a discard on the third trump and who may not appreciate that ♦10xxx is crucial to the hand?

This was the full deal:

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

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

♠ Q J 10 3
 ♥ 6
 ♦ A K 7 5
 ♣ Q 7 3 2

West has an inconvenient -- and awkward -- discard to make at trick three. Fortunately, Ken Schutze is a good enough player to find the club discard which can almost never cost.

I did not have to put him to the test, however. I should shift to the ♦J at trick two. Now when I win a second trump and lead a third round, I have clarified my holding in the critical suit and it makes his life easier.

VANDERBILT KNOCKOUT TEAMS

Today's pairings

120 Teams

Nick Nickell, New York NY; Richard Freeman, Atlanta GA; Jeff Meckstroth, Tampa FL; Eric Rodwell, Clearwater FL; Paul Soloway, Mill Creek WA; Bob Hamman, Dallas TX

vs

Malcolm Brachman, Dallas TX; Eddie Wold, Houston TX; Curtis Cheek, Huntsville AL; Billy Miller, Las Vegas NV; Eric Greco, Annandale VA; Geoff Hampson, Fenton MI

Nicholas Hartung, Astoria NY; Daniel Piro, Oceanside CA; Eugene Prosnitz, Bronx NY; Ira Ewen, New York NY

vs

Sam Lev - Michael Polowan - Jaggy Shivdasani, New York NY; Barnet Shenkin, Boca Raton FL; Ravindra Murthy, Berkeley CA

Jeffrey Wolfson, Boca Raton FL; Neil Silverman, Fort Lauderdale FL; Chip Martel, Davis CA; Lew Stansby, Castro Valley CA; Michael Rosenberg, New Rochelle NY; Zia Mahmood, New York NY

vs

Michael Moss - Bjorn Fallenius, New York NY; Ron Sukoneck, Annandale VA; William Cole, Beltsville MD

Grant Baze, La Jolla CA; Tipton Golias, Beaumont TX; Adam Zmudzinski - Marek Szymanowski - Cezary Baliicki - Christof Martens, Poland

vs

Robert Blanchard - Jim Krekorian - Mark Feldman, New York NY; Ron Gerard, White Plains NY; William Pollack, Warren NJ; Drew Casen, Coconut Creek FL

Mike Passell, Dallas TX; Michael Seamon, Miami Beach FL; Chuck Burger, W Bloomfield MI; Allan Cokin, Palm Beach FL; David Berkowitz, Old Tappan NJ; Larry Cohen, Boca Raton FL

vs

Joseph Jabon, Bellevue WA; Harry Steiner - Wayne Ohlrich - Henry Lortz, Seattle WA; Aidan Ballantyne, Vancouver BC; Bryan Maksymetz, Coquitlam BC

Rita Shugart, Pebble Beach CA; Andrew Robson, Carmel CA; Tony Forrester, Herefordshire UK; Geir G Helgemo, Trondheim, Norway

vs

Thomas Carmichael, Iselin NJ; Joel Wooldridge, Buffalo NY; Marc Umeno, Alexandria VA; Jeff Roman, Arlington VA

Steve Robinson, Arlington VA; Peter Boyd, Silver Spring MD; Kit Woolsey, Kensington CA; Fred Stewart, Kingston NY; Michael Becker, Boca Raton FL; Michael Kamil, Holmdel NJ

vs

Mitch Dunitz, Sherman Oaks CA; Jill Meyers, Santa Monica CA; Steve Beatty, Destrehan LA; Allan Falk, Okemos MI; Dick Bruno, Chicago IL; Jeff Schuett, Riverwoods IL

George Jacobs - Ralph Katz, Hinsdale IL; Peter Weichsel, Los Gatos CA; Alan Sontag, Gaithersburg MD; Lorenzo Lauria - Alfredo Versace, Italy

vs

Gerald Sosler, Purchase NY; John Mohan - Kay Schulle, Santa Monica CA; Andrea Buratti - Massimo Lanzarotti, Italy

Nobody's going home!

Each session the crowds get bigger. Yesterday afternoon there were 667 tables, the biggest session yet. But that record was broken in the evening session -- 683 tables.

The total to date is 7113 tables -- and the tournament is only a little more than half over! A total of 13,000 tables is certainly a possibility.



Doing the splits

By Doug Heron

Board 21 from the first Saturday evening two-session pairs game was a lesson hand. With twelve top tricks and lots of squeeze chances, six notrump was a popular contract. With the usual spade jack opening lead, proper technique dictated cashing winners in the proper order, finding out that East guarded hearts and West guarded the spades.. This took quite a little time to plan at most tables, and was also successful for those who stopped to count.

However, at our table the play took no time at all after the spade jack lead. South simply won the ace, and took an immediate heart finesse by running the 10. This took little time, and of course was successful for all 13 tricks.

I asked why this line of play had been adopted. The answer was simple...“ I played for split jacks...”

Can't argue with that!!!!!!

CAMROSA 0-2000 KNOCKOUT TEAMS

47 Teams

Ari Greenberg, Malibu CA; Michael Kitces, Great Falls VA; David Sokolow, Austin TX; Howard Einberg, Los Angeles CA

vs

Carol Lash, Somerville NJ; Steven Vossler, Osawatomie KS; Mark Coulter, Kansas City MO; Beckie Stasi, Shawnee Msn KS

Sheree-Lynn Katz, Willowdale ON; Lawrence Diamond, New York NY; Linda Gottlieb, Thornhill ON; John Harris, Port Huron MI

vs

Wayne Christensen Jr, Houston TX; Melitta Bagge, Hot Springs AR; Guy Bruno, Bellevue WA; Richard D'Litzenberger, Leavenworth WA

CAMROSA 0-750 KNOCKOUT TEAMS

Group 1

35 Teams

Susan Kraght, Bothell WA; N Scott Cardell, Pullman WA; Paul Hern, Cincinnati OH; Arman Hartung, Pierson FL

vs

Michael Ryan - Paul Orosz, Buffalo NY; Jan Loftin - William Smith, Lincoln NE

Richard Tulley, Portland OR; Barbara Benson, Santa Ana CA; Louise Kavall, Halesite NY; Nina Lubick-Reich, Fullerton CA

vs

Jackie Addis - Donald Addis, Darien IL; Laura Raczek, Joliet IL; Carrie Touslee, Roseville CA

Group 2

34 Teams

Dan Webster, Mission BC; Jeremy Crowhurst, Vancouver BC; Hugh McCurdy, Saskatoon SK; Bruce McIntyre, Burnaby BC; Marion Crowhurst, West Vancouver BC

vs

Jennifer Jackson - James Breihan - Mahesh Rathi, Austin TX; Mike Ralston, Cedar Park TX

Geoffrey Hopcraft - Michelle La Mar, Santa Rosa CA; Jerry Scoville - Patricia Scoville, Sebastopol CA

vs

Pearl Feldman, Deerfield Beach FL; Eleanor Gendill, Denver CO; Sachi Nakazono, Westminster CO; Molly Margolin, Boca Raton FL

Free Cuban cigars

Bridge players who are also cigar smokers are invited to La Casa del Habano Thursday for free Cuban cigars and a photo session.

La Casa del Habano is located at 900 Robson Street. Players are invited for 11:30 a.m. Pictures will be submitted to *Cigar Afficionado*, a national magazine for cigar smokers.

LEADING QUALIFIERS IN NABC MIXED PAIRS

398 Pairs

1	Margot Hennings - Donald Hennings, Falls Church VA	2145.88
2	Sally Woolsey, Kensington CA; Richard Reitman, San Jose CA	2054.19
3	Bobby Wolff - Rebecca Rogers, Dallas TX	1990.90
4	Brenda Bryant, Ferndale MI; Allan Graves, Vancouver BC	1989.05
5	George Drake - Helene Drake, Phoenix AZ	1987.85
6	Tobi Sokolow, Austin TX; Jeffrey Ferro, Santa Monica CA	1987.54
7	Libby Fernandez, Tuscaloosa AL; Howard Parker III, Lockeford CA	1976.24
8	Patricia Sundstrom - James Cunningham, Indianapolis IN	1976.12
9	Constance McAvoy - James McAvoy, Victoria BC	1972.13
10	Carolyn Sessler, Brookline MA; Lloyd Arvedon, Bedford MA	1959.90
11	Patricia Griffin - Stephen Wood, Austin TX	1958.27
12	Jane Teel, Rockford AL; Sidney Brownstein, Santa Monica CA	1957.13
13	Natalie Hertz - Dan Hertz, Harrison NY	1956.39
14	Sakiko Naito, Tokyo; Kenji Miyakuni, Chicago IL	1956.00
15	Susan Miller, Boca Raton FL; Pat McDevitt, Brookline MA	1949.49
16	Roger Bates, Mesa AZ; Robin Klar, Spring TX	1942.21
17	Jim Mahaffey, Winter Park FL; Judi Radin, New York NY	1939.03
18	Frederick Hamilton, Fresno CA; Rhoda Walsh, Los Angeles CA	1931.09
19	Sandra Fraser, Mont-Royal PQ; Dan Jacob, Burnaby BC	1927.76
20	Elvera Levine - Jerry Helms, Charlotte NC	1919.29
21	Chris Compton - Petra Hamman, Dallas TX	1918.92
22	Robert Gookin, Falls Church VA; Sheila Pies, Potomac MD	1909.25
23	Jack Coleman, San Francisco CA; Brenda Keller, Boise ID	1906.83
24	Bob Balderson Jr - Cynthia Balderson, Minnetonka MN	1906.13
25	Bernace DeYoung, Miami FL; Alan Le Bendig, Los Angeles CA	1905.99
26	Beverly Perry - Jonathan Greenspan, New York NY	1892.82
27	Connie Delisle, Vancouver BC; Rob Macduff, Coquitlam BC	1888.92
28	Barbara Siegrist - J Mark Siegrist, Gloucester ON	1887.94
29	Shannon Lipscomb - Mike Cappelletti, Red Bank TN	1885.86
30	Michael Cassel II, Minneapolis MN; Diane Audeon, Marina Del Rey CA	1885.82
31	Sandi Hart - Stanford Christie, Des Moines WA	1883.12
32	Jeanne Fisher, Clementon NJ; Bruce Keidan, Pittsburgh PA	1881.83
33	Richard Holmes, Wichita KS; Merlene Krall, Albuquerque NM	1877.96
34	Paul Chemla, Paris FR; Carlyn Steiner, Seattle WA	1877.86
35	Alan Myerson, Sherman Oaks CA; Jeri Berger, Los Angeles CA	1877.41
36	Robert Jackson - Sharon Pobloske, Bensenville IL	1873.68
37	Jean Anderson, Seattle WA; Maurice Blustein, Bellevue WA	1863.53
38	Paul Bethe, Williamstown MA; Kitty Munson, Jersey City NJ	1861.64
39	Sandra Piirainen - J Randy Piirainen, Sarnia ON	1859.43
40	Gloria Levy - Louis Levy, Los Angeles CA	1856.54
41	Leila Sink - John Hoffman, Los Gatos CA	1851.08
42	George Steiner, Seattle WA; Lynne Feldman, Champaign IL	1849.09
43	Patrick Clark, Manton MI; Joyce Menezes, Staten Island NY	1847.27
44	Kenneth Titow, Morrison CO; Rhoda Prager, Allentown PA	1843.83
45	Leslie Amoils, Toronto ON; Joan Eaton, Willowdale ON	1841.08
46	Sheri Winestock, Toronto ON; Sean Ganness, Miami FL	1837.78
47	Paul McDaniels, San Pablo CA; Marlene Keliher, Chestnut Hill MA	1835.29
48	Tony Miller - Diane Miller, Ridgecrest CA	1835.04
49	Martin Chaitt - Ellasue Chaitt, West Palm Beach FL	1832.15
50	G. Margie Gwozdzinsky, New York NY; Charles Coon, Marshfield MA	1830.75

Celebrity speakers

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minutes before game time -- at 12:15 and 6:45 p.m. in the Crystal Pavilion at the Pan Pacific.

Audience size varies but the interest is the same: always intense. Janet Bolton of Bellingham WA, making her first trip to an NABC, has been playing about four years. "I'm not a newcomer," she explains, "but a player who tries hard."

She doesn't agree with the I/N label but endorses the speakers' program: "It's wonderful."

Most of the speakers are professional players -- Ballantyne, Rhoda Walsh and Michael Huston -- while others are primarily teachers -- Dee Berry, Shirley Edelson and Barbara Seagram. Eddie Kantar, tomorrow's speaker, is both. "Actually," says Kantar, "I do more teaching these days than playing."

Adding teachers to the speakers' roster was the idea of Judy Cotterman, I/N coordinator. Her job is to set up all the speakers before the tournament. "I've really tried to get different speakers and get them to speak on a variety of topics."

The Vancouver committee asked especially for Kantar and Seagram, says Cotterman. Seagram came to listen to one of the speakers at the Orlando NABC. "After she saw the setup, Barbara said, 'I can handle that'."

Kantar was also easy to sign up. "I left a message on his machine, my phone rang one afternoon and a voice said, 'This is Eddie Kantar and I'd be glad to speak in Vancouver'."

Besides recruiting speakers, Cotterman helps direct the I/N games along with Betty Bratcher, director in charge of the I/N program at the NABCs; Alice

Kinross and Bob Bratcher. Betty will be assistant director in charge for the entire Fall NABC and Kinross will assume the I/N duties at that tournament.

Bob Bratcher doesn't have a title in the I/N setup. In fact, he wasn't even scheduled to work this tournament. "Luckily, Bob didn't have a game Friday afternoon," said Betty, "because we were snowed under. So far, he's worked every session."

Not at all anonymous

One of the directors at a New York tournament was walking back to the hotel after having dinner between sessions when an attractive young lady took his arm and said, "Hello Henry." Henry looked at the woman -- he couldn't remember ever seeing her before. But he was polite and talked to her as they headed for the hotel. She suggested that they meet after the game, but Henry said he'd be too busy.

When he got back to the scoring room, Henry told what happened -- "How could that woman have known my name!"

One of his fellow directors started to laugh and pointed to Henry's lapel. Henry had worn his name badge to dinner!

CANADA SAFEWAY OPEN PAIRS

324 Pairs		A	B	C		
36.34	1				Bob Todd, Winnipeg MB; Robert Kuz, St Andrews MB	411.50
27.26	2				Kathie Wei-Sender, Nashville TN; Juanita Chambers, Schenectady NY	401.50
20.44	3				Doug Thomas, Coquitlam BC; M Wilson, Vancouver BC	393.50
15.33	4				Jerry Levitz, Ventura CA; Larry Brasler, Thousand Oaks CA	391.00
11.50	5				Janice Seamon - Fredi Consolo, Miami FL	390.50
22.75	6	1			Gloria Olson - Carol Ramsey, Edmonton AB	389.50
6.47	7				Allan Siebert, Little Rock AR; Randall Pettit, Marietta GA	387.00
5.15	8				Bob Zeller, Kanata ON; David Walker, Valley City ND	384.79
6.07	9				George Rosenkranz, Mexico; Mark Lair, Canyon TX	384.04
5.07	10				Sally Power, Oxford PA; Judie Belyea, Ottawa ON	383.50
4.92	11				William Gamble, Abbotsford BC; R Ternouth	383.00
4.08	12				Iku Donnelly, Honolulu HI; Lew Levy, Houston TX	381.83
4.44	13				Gerald Bare, Pacific Plsds CA; Ken Monzingo, San Diego CA	381.50
4.99	14				Alan Popkin, Saint Louis MO; Tom Oppenheimer, Ballwin MO	380.00
4.44	15				Robert Schwartz, San Pedro CA; Chris Larsen, Costa Mesa CA	378.50
3.54	16				Jerry Premo, San Francisco CA; Irene Pickett, Portland OR	376.50
5.04	17				Vince Lambert, Edmonton AB; Lorna McDonald, St Albert AB	375.00
5.95	18/19				Steven Lawrence, Calgary AB; Frank Ayer, Victoria BC	374.00
3.61	18/19				Barry Senensky, Willowdale ON; William Treble, Winnipeg MB	374.00
3.61	20				V Lohuizen, Gronninger NL; A Pierik, Zwolle NL	373.50
17.06	21/22	2			Margaret Havens - J Brach, Powell River BC	372.50
4.02	21/22				Stephen Shane, White Plains NY; Eugene Davidson, Washington DC	372.50
12.80		3			Roberta Smith, Naples FL; June Hearrell, Madison CT	367.21
13.65		4	1		Christopher Miller, Silver Spring MD; James Mates, Washington DC	357.00
7.20		5			Mansoor Gowani, San Jose CA; Ted Heck, Victoria BC	356.50
5.40		6			Harold Rodd, Vancouver BC; Jack Hopwood, Richmond BC	355.50
3.85		7/8			Rona Levine - Stephen Levine, New York NY	354.00
3.90		7/8			Phyllis Gravitz - Bertha Appelman, Mercer Island WA	354.00
3.03		9			Philip Chen, Calgary RO; Yu Ge, Beijing CH	353.00
2.60		10			Yasuko Shrenzel, Kihei HI; Sumiko Inagaki, Rcho Santa Fe CA	352.00
10.24			2		Jacques Printz, Vancouver BC; J Broadbent, Calgary AB	351.00
7.68			3		Shoko Imai, Tokyo; Setsuko Ono, New York NY	348.00
5.76			4		Ryan Hinton - Eddie Thorleifson, Victoria BC	344.70
4.32			5		Loren Loesell, Renton WA; H Dean Smith, Poulsbo WA	337.00
3.24			6		Jean Valentine, Falls Church VA; Joyce Harvey, Palmyra VA	332.00
2.43			7		William Churchman - Elke Churchman, Saskatoon SK	330.00
2.96			8		William Osten, Richmond BC; Larry Gold, W. Vancouver BC	328.00

STRATIFIED 20/5 PAIRS

12 Pairs		D	E		
1.31	1/2	1/2		Ralph Buckley - Eric Mac Donald, Vancouver BC	65.00
1.31	1/2	1/2		Don Beal - Laura Beal, Portland OR	65.00
0.84	3	3		Ron Chong - Lori Chong, Borwaby BC	60.50
0.63	4			Cristal Weber - Andy Boyd, Seattle WA	57.00

200/100/50 STRATIFIED PAIRS

78 Pairs		A	B	C		
6.29	1				Abbie Margolies - Marty Margolies, Dothan AL	177.50
4.72	2				Maxine Thomas, Victoria BC; Anne Porter, Sooke BC	163.00
3.85	3	1			John Yuratovich - Anne Erhardt, Kansas City MO	161.00
2.65	4				David Harbour - Annie Harbour, Scarborough ON	160.50
2.53	5/6	2/3	1		Jerry Katz - Joann Katz, West Chester OH	157.50
2.53	5/6	2/3			Bob Hibbard, Suquamish WA; Chris Martin, Seattle WA	157.50
1.62		4			Wayne Salter, Lone Butte BC; Gene Nagy, Nakusp BC	156.50
1.22		5			Fred McKeon - Natalie McKeon, Vancouver BC	155.50
0.99		6			Enrico Polacco, Vancouver BC; Franco Mammarella, Richmond BC	154.00
1.66			2		Terry Martin, Parkside SK; Karen Thiel, Shellbrook SK	152.50
1.24			3		Dominique Baker - Theresa Kong, Vancouver BC	152.00
0.93			4		Keith Siddall - Nora Siddall, Vancouver BC	151.50
0.74			5		Rosemarie Jesse, Redmond WA; Reta Armstrong, Bellevue WA	150.00
0.52			6		Jocelyn Krug - Adelinda Wong-Chor, Vancouver BC	149.00

STRATIFIED SENIOR PAIRS

212 Pairs		A	B	C		
23.91	1				Martha Easter, Longwood FL; Gail Nye, Palm City FL	388.00
17.93	2				John Fox Jr, Whittier CA; Thomas Lum, Honolulu HI	381.22
13.45	3				Frank Burke - Barbara Bedayan, Seattle WA	375.30
10.09	4				William Mauck - Harry Mason Jr, Vancouver WA	372.88
7.57	5				Bertram Booth, Willowdale ON; Marie Pittard, Toronto ON	372.46
5.67	6				Jo Boyd, Santa Maria CA; Dixie Hsu, San Luis Obispo CA	372.13
16.37	7	1	1		Alvin Hornstein - M Goldberg, Vancouver BC	369.25
3.26	8				Norm Rosen - Susan Abrams, Elkins Park PA	369.08
2.80	9				Louis Shen, Clearwater Bay; Yas Takeda, Hacienda Heights CA	368.50
3.26	10				Jack Bryant, Saint Louis MO; Rod Van Wyk, Alton IL	365.33
12.28	11	2			Judy Acheson - Maggie Warren, Surrey BC	364.75
9.21		3			Corrine Tapley, Vancouver BC; Elaine Levins, White Rock BC	364.63
6.91		4			Lois Low Tan - Teiko Peterson, San Francisco CA	360.38
5.18		5			Edith Kesting, Sumner WA; Yvonne Kirkland, Seatac WA	357.00
3.88		6			Charles Johnson - Lucy Johnson, Mcpherson KS	356.00
3.35		7			Subba Ravipudi, Downey CA; Jeff Strutzel, Redondo Beach CA	355.00
2.91		8			Joe Cohan, Santa Maria CA; Helen Lewis, Grand Forks BC	352.09
6.41		9	2		Richard Davidson, Pasadena TX; Gilbert Brigham, Issaquah WA	350.25
4.81			3		Allan Marr, North Vancouver BC; Nelson Fong, Vancouver BC	339.50
3.61			4		Jean Fogg - Ian Fogg, London UK	339.00
2.71			5		Tillie Aitken, Shoreline WA; Kay Most, Seattle WA	338.67
2.03			6		Gerry Kuttas, Ocala FL; Herbert Heider, Dunnellon FL	337.00

**LEO STEIL MEMORIAL
KNOCKOUT TEAMS****Bracket 1**

10 Teams
Arnold Thomsen, Comox BC; Silvano Vogrig, Honolulu HI; Victor Keiser, Walla Walla WA; Annette Bergstrom, Burbank CA

vs

Blair Andrews, West Vancouver BC; Lowell Andrews, Huntington Beach CA; Arnie Nemetz, ; Peter Benjamin, Culver City CA

vs

Donald Grubb, Wenatchee WA; Roger Bohne, Woodinville WA; Tom Myers Jr, Redmond WA; Eugene Schwartz, Mercer Island WA

Tom Hammond, Redmond WA; F Sontag, Vancouver BC; Mark Bailey - Donna Bailey, Bothell WA; Ronald Tracy, Edmonds WA; Robert Hitchens, Seattle WA

vs

Roy Green - Mary Green, Carlisle MA; William Esberg, Long Branch NJ; Jim Hamilton, Wallingford CT

vs

Jeff Strutzel, Redondo Beach CA; Subba Ravipudi, Downey CA; Louis Shen, Clearwater Bay; John Wong, Rowland Heights CA; Yas Takeda, Hacienda Hgts CA

Bracket 2

10 Teams
Joy Treleaven - Sheila Rodger - Marg Bouclin - Peggy Crockett, Saskatoon SK

vs

Agnes Patterson - Wilma Dunn - Evelyn Potter - Dee Barker, Virginia Bch VA

vs

Lloyd Johnson, Elkhart IN; Bonny Marsh - Janice Schroeder, Hendersonville NC; Elinor Rogers, Edmonton AB

Helen Anglehart - Marie Greeniaus, Victoria BC; Louise McKay, North Saanich BC; Ronald Wong, Boise ID

vs

Ram Hira, North Vancouver BC; Kendall Keely, Palm Beach FL; Amirali Jetha, Burnaby BC; Nurdin Kassam, Vancouver BC

vs

Roger Hallum - Jeanie Bettis, Vancouver WA; Joanne Hildinger, Oak Harbor WA; Connie White, Honolulu HI

Bracket 3

11 Teams
Susan Felice, East Haddam CT; Nancy Bartone, Wethersfield CT; Kathleen Frangione, New Britain CT; Elizabeth Nagle, Middletown CT

vs

Stuart Iedema - Zemmie Iedema, Pasco WA; John Pavey, Willowdale ON; Leroy Cain, Prosser WA

vs

Harriet Joselit, Scottsdale AZ; Herbert Bartick, Calabasas CA; Ruby Vanziffle, West Vancouver BC; Nancy Davies, Vancouver BC

Richard Brooks - Julia Brooks, Emmaus PA; Trudy Shugg, Belleville ON; Mary Myszkowski, Trenton ON

vs

Esther Watstein, Stratford CT; Valerie Orefice, Rocky Hill CT; Kathleen Harper - Roy Harper, Edmonton AB

vs

Barry Pashak - Hazel Skelton, Calgary AB; Judith Zatony, Laguna Hills CA; Renee Hoyt, Pittsfield MA

Sponsors Day Friday

All sponsored are invited to District 19's hospitality suite on Friday between sessions and after the evening session.

The hospitality suite is suite 725 at the Waterfront Centre Hotel.

ATKINSON & TERRY MORNING KNOCKOUTS

Bracket 1

16 Teams
Janet Colchamiro - Mel Colchamiro, Merrick NY; Simon Kantor, Agawam MA; Murray Melton, Las Vegas NV; Bobbie Satz - Glenn Eisenstein, Boca Raton FL

vs

James Murphy, Chesapeake VA; Ed Lewis, Falls Church VA; Lloyd Arvedon, Bedford MA; Pat McDevitt, Brookline MA; Allan Siebert, Little Rock AR; Randall Pettit, Marietta GA

Lawrence Diamond, New York NY; John Harris, Port Huron MI; Gary Soules - Jan Soules, Campbell CA

vs

Walter Smith, W Sand Lake NY; Ilse Rothman - Edward Rothman, North Dartmouth MA; Mary Savko, Pittsford VT

Bracket 2

16 Teams
David House - Michael Takemori - Ben Takemori, Vancouver BC; June Pocock, Coquitlam BC

vs

Roy Baughman, Pantego TX; Thomas Hughes Jr, Fort Worth TX; Jay Gibson, Plano TX; Annette McCarty, Richardson TX

Waldemar Frukacz, Gloucester ON; Leszek Rabizga - Edward Wcjewada, ; Denis Lesage, Longueuil PQ; Richard Lesage, Fredericton NB; David Willis, Ottawa ON

vs

Paul Vickers - Mary Vickers, Northborough MA; Gloria Kessler, Glenview IL; Robert Espeland, Vancouver WA

Bracket 3

16 Teams
Arnold Kohn, Somerset NJ; Stephen Maltzman, N Plainfield NJ; Mani Gupta, Bridgewater NJ; Harvinder Sidhu, Basking Ridge NJ

vs

Scott Merritt - Alan Gengenbach, Champaign IL; Henry Unglik - Lachman Advani, Ottawa ON

Jeff Liss, Piscataway NJ; Andy Sloan, East Hanover NJ; Edward Moy - Jim Levin, Ossining NY

vs

Gerald Collier, Oak Park CA; Jan Janssen, Las Vegas NV; Virgil Taylor, Thousand Oaks CA; Ronald Jauch, Agoura Hills CA

Bracket 4

16 Teams
Michael Ryan - Paul Orosz, Buffalo NY; William Smith - Jan Loftin, Lincoln NE

vs

Ted Heck - Vicky Smith - Ruth Cain - B Barton, Victoria BC

Sara Willson - Albert Wilson Jr, Seattle WA; Michael Keller, Kalispell MT; Marilyn Hughes, Whitefish MT

vs

Janet Garthe - Carlisle Garthe, Suttons Bay MI; Jack Belur, Bellevue WA; Art Semple, Seattle WA

Bracket 5

16 Teams
Marlene Catino, Maineville OH; Paul Hern, Cincinnati OH; Tom Shannon, Victoria BC; Arman Hartung, Pierson FL

vs

Patricia Donahoe - Ellen Ward, Seattle WA; Greg Bruce, Santa Barbara CA; Carolyn Doane, Kirkland WA

Martin Henneberger, Coquitlam BC; Ken Lochang - Marti J Oppenheimer - Fred Brown - Marvin Lee, Vancouver BC; Mark Eddy, Maple Ridge BC

vs

Jennifer Jackson - James Breihan - Mahesh Rathi, Austin TX; Mike Ralston, Cedar Park TX

Bracket 6

12 Teams
G Lucy, Farnborough UK; I Kidger, Reading UK; J Downing, Southhill UK; L Johnstone, Birmingham UK

vs

Esther Watstein, Stratford CT; Valerie Orefice, Rocky Hill CT; Gail Fraser, Lynnwood WA; Susan Taylor, Edmonds WA

Victor Tetreault - Robert Livingston - Rick Grieman - Glen Benedict, Regina SK

vs

Evelyn Jeck, Penticton BC; Lee Stevens - Michael Makin - Jim Abercrombie, Vanderhoof BC

INTERNATIONAL FUND PAIRS

104 Pairs

	A	B		
9.40	1		William Esberg, Long Branch NJ; Jim Hamilton, Wallingford CT	208.50
7.05	2		Eugene Schwartz, Mercer Island WA; Tom Myers Jr, Redmond WA	204.00
5.92	3	1	Nick Parker, Delta BC; Janis Parker, North Delta BC	200.00
4.44	4	2	Nelda Avent, Tyler TX; Benjamin Akkerboom, Apeldoorn CP	192.50
2.97	5		Kou-Ping Cheng, Saratoga CA; Robert Anderson, Sparks NV	191.38
2.23	6		Donald Grubb, Wenatchee WA; Roger Bohne, Woodinville WA	189.00
3.33		3	Stuart Iedema - Zemmie Iedema, Pasco WA	184.50
2.19	4/5		Jeff Dodson - Sharon Grayzel-Dodson, Portland OR	183.50
2.19	4/5		Jane Craig, North Vancouver BC; Bonnie Scott, Britannia Beach BC	183.50
1.23	6/7		Paula Cohen, Basking Ridge NJ; Barbara Lowenfish, Livingston NJ	182.00
1.23	6/7		R Sawchuk, Winnipeg MB; Robert Watson, Milton ON	182.00

DAYTIME STRATIFIED OPEN PAIRS

46 Pairs

	A	B	C	
26.85	1			Robert Brent, Venice FL; Stephen Levy, Las Vegas NV
20.14	2			Terry Craig - Clint Ellison, Vernon BC
15.10	3			Bob Ryder, Caldwell NJ; Richard Budd, Portland ME
11.33	4	1		Jimmy Haws - Jerry Keeran, Tampa FL
8.50	5			Don Van Arman, Mc Lean VA; Stephen Lurie, Manassas VA
6.37	6	2	1	C Jung - Peggy Gaskill, Saint Louis MO
4.78	7	3		Ed Nield, Westchester IL; C. Buddy Carls, Huntington Beach CA
3.58	8	4	2	J Mayer, Kaleden BC; Ted Rich, Penticton BC
2.98	9			Alvin Levy - Beverly Levy, Stony Brook NY
2.18		5	3	Linda Morgan - Wendy Webber, Vancouver BC
1.80		6		Richard Millie, North Vancouver BC; Beatrice Sadgrove, Langley BC
1.87		4		Nancy Ferguson, Greenbrae CA; Lyda Butler, Larkspur CA
2.79		5		Lorena Choplin, Citrus Hts CA; Joan Garcia, Dixon CA

TUESDAY AFTERNOON 0-5/20 PAIRS

20 Pairs

	D	E		
1.87	1		Nell Smitheringale - Angela Image, N Vancouver BC	108.50
1.40	2		Meta Van Pelt, Qualicum Beach BC; Janet Bolton, Bellingham WA	97.00
1.05	3		James McKeon - Sally McKeon, Portland OR	93.00
0.69	4/5		Thomas Spackman - Carol Spackman, Monticello IN	91.50
0.69	4/5		Joyce Goddard, North Vancouver BC; Isabelle Gardner, Edmonton AB	91.50
0.99	6	1	Kathleen Tanaka, Scarborough ON; Christine Jim, Calgary AB	90.00
0.65		2/3	Don Beal - Laura Beal, Portland OR	89.00
0.65		2/3	James Shaw - Daphne Shaw, Bowen Island BC	89.00
0.42		4	Rollande Daly, Surrey BC; Kathleen Stowers, Weidman MI	88.00
0.33		5	Chloe Clark, Burnaby BC; Janice Barr, New Westminster BC	86.50

TUESDAY AFTERNOON 199ER PAIRS

86 Pairs

	A	B	C	
6.80	1			Lillian Gibson - Norma Macarther, West Vancouver BC
5.10	2	1		Lila Jay, Victoria BC; Lynn Erickson, Vancouver BC
3.35	3/4	2	1	Jerry Katz - Joann Katz, West Chester OH
3.35	3/4			Kuniko Kusumoto - Noriko Kobe, Fort Lee NJ
2.13	5/6	3/4		Bernard Hoeschen - Adelina Wong-Chor, Vancouver BC
2.13	5/6	3/4		D Frankenburg - Morrison Smeltzer, Vancouver BC
2.05		5	2	Dave Pritchard - Joan Thornthwaite, Surrey BC
1.17		6		Georgia Inglis - Doug Inglis, Wilson WY
1.35			3/4	Alberto Ilano - Arthur Caza, Vancouver BC
1.35			3/4	Linda Bell - Kristina Bohdanowicz, Vancouver BC
0.86			5	Ivy Pye, N Vancouver BC; MacKinnon Elsie, Ladner BC
0.82			6	Isla Winker - Marvin Baskin, Toronto ON

MONDAY MIDNITE ZIP SWISS

14 Teams

	A	B		
3.64	1	1	Jeffrey Mason, Independence MO; Donald La Rue, Blue Springs MO; Linda Bass, Lees Summit MO; Barbara Hicks, Shawnee Mission KS	3.75
2.39	2/3	2/3	Jules Bue, Kent WA; Carol Schroeder, Redmond WA; Alan Hendrickson, Renton WA; Mac Kowalczyk, Newcastle WA	3.00
2.39	2/3	2/3	Jennifer Jackson - James Breihan - Mahesh Rathi, Austin TX; Mike Ralston, Cedar Park TX	3.00
1.54	4		Cydney Hayes, Riverside Estates SK; Ursula Jugnauth - Cathy Sproule - John Pulles, Saskatoon SK	2.75
1.01	5/6		Dina Demry, Australia; Richard Moss, Fairfield CT; David Daly - Tina Gordon, Fort Lee NJ	2.25
1.01	5/6		Clarende Duby - Donald Gladman - Ramji Tewari, Calgary AB; Frank Ayer, Victoria BC	2.25

TUESDAY MORNING 199ER PAIRS

24 Pairs

	A	B	C	
2.82	1			Abbie Margolies, Dothan AL; Peter Hodgins, Toronto ON
2.12	2			Rosalie Campeau - Jerry Campeau, Libertyville IL
1.59	3			Bob Davie, Victoria BC; Patricia Lamb, North Vancouver BC
1.87	4	1		Donald Seem - Doris Seem, Enterprise AL
0.99	5			Sheila Kaye - Bob Sommerhalder, New York NY
1.40	6	2	1	Mary Armacost, Hillsborough CA; Christine Hevener, San Mateo CA
1.05		3	2	Barry Pashak, Calgary AB; Veronica Peacock, Vancouver BC
0.79		4		Dora Anderson - George Lee, Victoria BC

MONDAY-WEDNESDAY CONTINUOUS/SIDE PAIRS

38 Pairs

	A	B	
4.40	1	Andrew Proczkowski - Kaz Walewski, Edmonton AB	110.50
3.30	2	Gary Neisler, N Richlnd Hls TX; Nancy Peterson, Grand Prairie TX	107.50
2.33	3/4	Jon Martin, Fargo ND; R Johnson, Minneapolis MN	104.00
2.33	3/4	Michael Kitces, Great Falls VA; Terry Currie, Houston TX	104.00
2.22	5	Reid Fleming - Paul Simon, Arlington MA	103.00
1.55	6	Ron Fosse, Fergus Falls MN; Tom Blake, Scottsdale AZ	102.50
2.88	1	David Hemmer - Samuel Kutin, Chicago IL	101.00
2.16	2	Debbie Robertson, Willowdale ON; Brian A. Power, Thornhill ON	97.50
1.62	3	Bruce Blakely, San Rafael CA; Patricia Katz, Greenbrae CA	94.00
1.23	4	Nick Parker, Delta BC; Janis Parker, North Delta BC	93.00
0.91	5	Carole Ringoen, Hillsborough CA; Mary Omodt, San Mateo CA	91.50

ACBL-WIDE CHARITY PAIRS

122 Pairs

	A	B	
16.57	1	Tina Daly - David Daly, Fort Lee NJ	196.00
12.43	2	1 Seymour Baden, Bethesda MD; Cetin Okcuoglu, Moorestown NJ	193.50
9.32	3	Ruth Grossman, Framingham MA; Rita Allen, Jamaica Plain MA	191.50
6.99	4	Peter G Brand - Laurie Brand, Toronto ON	187.00
5.24	5	Brian Hingerty, Knoxville TN; Joe Fisher, Cincinnati OH	185.21
3.44	6/7	Bryan Rapson, Dartmouth NS; Bram Schwartz, Sydney NS	183.50
3.44	6/7	Minako Hiratsuka, Tokyo; Hiromitsu Takeuchi, Tsukuba Ibaraki	183.50
4.40	2/3	Jon Neimand - Walter Davis, Eugene OR	183.00
4.40	2/3	David Sarten - Susanne Sarten, Milsons Point, NS	183.00
2.92	4	Norman Cannon, Cape Coral FL; Judith Hallowell, Fort Myers FL	182.50
2.12	5	Lisa Cassels, Invercargill NZ; Chris Kindt, Middletown CT	176.00
1.59	6	Helen Lewis, Grand Forks BC; Edith Sparkman, Huntsville AL	175.50

Door prize donors**Wednesday, March 24**

The following have all very generously donated door prizes for our bridge players.

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 Serengeti Int'l Holdings, African Arts & Jewelry
 - #100, 322 Water Street
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 Creekside Gallery, Granville Island
 Moose's Down Under Restaurant - 830 West Pender St.
 Heritage Canada - Native Arts & Crafts, 356 Water Street, Gastown
 De Dutch Pannekoek House - 1260 Davie St.
 Hill's Indian Crafts - 165 Water Street
 New-Small & Sterling Studio Glass Ltd. on Granville Island
 Pacific Coast Collections - West Coast Indian Arts & Crafts 26 Water Street
 Cadillac Fairview Corp. - Pacific Centre
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 KPMG
 Bean Around the Coffee World
 De Dutch Pannekoek House

TUESDAY EVENING STRATIFIED 20/5 PAIRS

NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION SSS	EAST-WEST			
D	E		D	E			
1	1	Ralph Buckley - Eric Mac Donald, Vancouver BC	65.00	1	1	Don Beal - Laura Beal, Portland OR	65.00
2	2	Ron Chong - Lori Chong, Borwaby BC	60.50	2		Samuel Lai, Vancouver BC; Kam Tang, Richmond BC	52.00

TUESDAY EVENING 200/100/50 STRATIFIED PAIRS

NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION TTT	EAST-WEST			
A	B	C	A	B	C		
1		David Harbour - Annie Harbour, Scarborough ON	160.50	1	1	Jerry Katz - Joann Katz, West Chester OH	157.50
2	1	1 Terry Martin, Parkside SK; Karen Thiel, Shellbrook SK	152.50	2	2	Dominique Baker - Theresa Kong, Vancouver BC	152.00
3	2	Carol Fredlund - Ann Carlson, Minneapolis MN	147.00	3		Kuniko Kusumoto - Noriko Kobe, Fort Lee NJ	151.00
4		Norman Dodd, Madden AB; Roberta Abhold, Renton WA	144.00	4		Saul Morantz, Winnipeg MB; Ann Lehrer, Palm Desert CA	144.50
5/6		Judith White - Mei Cheng, Wichita KS	136.50	5		Lorna Stock, Falmouth NS; Ghodsi Ahmadi, W Vancouver BC	142.50
5/6		Cynthia Keaton, Coppell TX; Fiona Elbert, Folsom CA	136.50	3		Lawrie Belliveau, Kelowna BC; Jim Mc Lean, Salmon Arm BC	138.50
NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION UUU	EAST-WEST			
A	B	C	A	B	C		
1	1	Wayne Salter, Lone Butte BC; Gene Nagy, Nakusp BC	156.50	1		Maxine Thomas, Victoria BC; Anne Porter, Sooke BC	163.00
2		Kathleen Ogle, Seattle WA; Barbara Aydelott, Kirkland WA	150.50	2		Judith Wilson - Bob Wilson, North Vancouver BC	156.00
3		Susan Sekulow, Scarsdale NY; Jill Rosen, Greenwich CT	148.50	3	1	Enrico Polacco, Vancouver BC; Franco Mammarella, Richmond BC	154.00
4		Michael Moss, Hawthorne CA; Patty Michael, San Francisco CA	143.50	4/5	2	1 Keith Siddall - Nora Siddall, Vancouver BC	151.50
5		Cynthia Sinn - Jane Barber, Beaverton OR	138.50	4/5		Greg Lam, Vancouver BC; Sohrab Radmard, Abbotsford BC	151.50
	2	Ida Kok - Norma McNamara, Delta BC	138.00		3	Mary Kingland - Diane Olshefsky, Friday Harbor WA	129.50
	1	Mary Armacost, Hillsborough CA; Christine Hevener, San Mateo CA	125.50		2	2 Patricia Katz, Greenbrae CA; Brian Cross, Vancouver BC	116.00
NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION VVV	EAST-WEST			
A	B	C	A	B	C		
1	1	John Yuratovich - Anne Erhardt, Kansas City MO	161.00	1		Abbie Margolies - Marty Margolies, Dothan AL	177.50
2	2	Fred McKeon - Natalie McKeon, Vancouver BC	155.50	2	1	Bob Hibbard, Suquamish WA; Chris Martin, Seattle WA	157.50
3	3	1 Rosemarie Jesse, Redmond WA; Reta Armstrong, Bellevue WA	150.00	3/4		Yat Sing Ma, Edmonds WA; Eugene Auer, Mill Creek WA	140.00
4	4	2 Jocelyn Krug - Adelinda Wong-Chor, Vancouver BC	149.00	3/4	2	1 Shirley Liebhaber, Los Altos CA; Juanita Girand, Palo Alto CA	140.00
5		Elena Hickman, Cincinnati OH; Laura Owens, Loveland OH	139.00	5	3	Jerry Newcomb - Carolyn Newcomb, Littleton CO	139.50
					4	Peter Betley - Carol Betley, Warwick NY	138.50
					2	2 Sharon Pearson - Frank Pearson, Toronto ON	137.50

TUESDAY MORNING 199ER PAIRS

NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION WW	EAST-WEST			
A	B	C	A	B	C		
1		Rosalie Campeau - Jerry Campeau, Libertyville IL	135.00	1		Abbie Margolies, Dothan AL; Peter Hodgins, Toronto ON	145.50
2		Bob Davie, Victoria BC; Patricia Lamb, North Vancouver BC	131.00	2		Sheila Kaye - Bob Sommerhalder, New York NY	124.50
3	1	Donald Seem - Doris Seem, Enterprise AL	125.00	3	1	1 Barry Pashak, Calgary AB; Veronica Peacock, Vancouver BC	122.50
4	2	1 Mary Armacost, Hillsborough CA; Christine Hevener, San Mateo CA	123.50	4	2	Dora Anderson - George Lee, Victoria BC	122.00
5		Eugene Auer, Mill Creek WA; Yat Sing Ma, Edmonds WA	121.50	5		Patricia Beamish - George Kyle, Victoria BC	118.00
	2	Pat Galand - Rick Meade, West Vancouver BC	116.50				

TUESDAY AFTERNOON 0-5/20 PAIRS

NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION SSS	EAST-WEST			
D	E		D	E			
1		Meta Van Pelt, Qualicum Beach BC; Janet Bolton, Bellingham WA	97.00	1		Nell Smitheringale - Angela Image, N Vancouver BC	108.50
2		James McKeon - Sally McKeon, Portland OR	93.00	2		Joyce Goddard, North Vancouver BC; Isabelle Gardner, Edmonton AB	91.50
3		Thomas Spackman - Carol Spackman, Monticello IN	91.50	3	1	Kathleen Tanaka, Scarborough ON; Christine Jim, Calgary AL	90.00
4	1	Don Beal - Laura Beal, Portland OR	89.00	4	2	James Shaw - Daphne Shaw, Bowen Island BC	89.00
	2	Chloe Clark, Burnaby BC; Janice Barr, New Westminster BC	86.50		3	Rollande Daly, Surrey BC; Kathleen Stowers, Weidman MI	88.00

TUESDAY AFTERNOON 199ER PAIRS

NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION TTT	EAST-WEST			
A	B	C	A	B	C		
1	1	Bernard Hoeschen - Adelina Wong-Chor, Vancouver BC	161.00	1	1	D Frankenburg - Morrison Smeltzer, Vancouver BC	161.00
2	2	1 Alberto Ilano - Arthur Caza, Vancouver BC	155.50	2		Malcolm McDonald - Jeanne McDonald, Surrey BC	159.50
3		Carolyn Keane, No. Vancouver BC; Patricia Lamb, North Vancouver BC	153.50	3	2	Diane Olshefsky - M Kingland, Friday Harbor WA	147.00
4	3	Elinor Saperstein - Rudy Saperstein, Nashville TN	145.00	4		Marian Garrett - Joan Green, Bellevue WA	143.00
5	4	Ida Kok - Norma McNamara, Delta BC	143.50	5/6	3/4	Patricia Beamish - George Kyle, Victoria BC	131.00
6		Eileen Creaney, West Vancouver BC; Rouhy Sahihi, Vancouver BC	142.00	5/6	3/4	1 Jackie Moneypenny, Burnsville MN; Juanita Girand, Palo Alto CA	131.00
	2	Barb Grant - Jeannette Bourbonnais, W Vancouver BC	122.00				
NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION UUU	EAST-WEST			
A	B	C	A	B	C		
1		Victor Tetreault - Robert Livingston, Regina SK	158.50	1/2	1	1 Jerry Katz - Joann Katz, West Chester OH	161.50
2	1	1 Dave Pritchard - Joan Thornthwaite, Surrey BC	157.50	1/2		Kuniko Kusumoto - Noriko Kobe, Fort Lee NJ	161.50
3	2	2 Isla Winker - Marvin Baskin, Toronto ON	146.50	3		Sheila Kaye - Bob Sommerhalder, New York NY	147.00
4	3	3 Anthony Crimi - Diana Crimi, Roy WA	142.50	4		Valerie Orefice, Rocky Hill CT; Cathy Sproule, Saskatoon SK	143.00
5	4	Dominique Baker - Theresa Kong, Vancouver BC	140.00	5	2	2 Patrick Church - Anu Church, Toronto ON	142.50
6		Ronald Merritt - Norman Young, Vancouver BC	139.00	6		Jane Barber - Cynthia Sinn, Beaverton OR	142.00
					3	Judith White - Mei Cheng, Wichita KS	129.00
NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION VVV	EAST-WEST			
A	B	C	A	B	C		
1		Anna Gray, Toronto ON; Mary Walker, Mount Albert ON	157.50	1		Lillian Gibson - Norma Macarther, West Vancouver BC	177.50
2	1	Georgia Inglis - Doug Inglis, Wilson WY	156.00	2	1	Lila Jay, Victoria BC; Lynn Erickson, Vancouver BC	164.00
3	2	1 Ivy Pye, N Vancouver BC; MacKinnon Elsie, Ladner BC	152.50	3	2	1 Linda Bell - Kristina Bohdanowicz, Vancouver BC	155.50
4	3	Henry Polacco - Luciano Grinti, Vancouver BC	148.50	4		Michael Makin - Jim Abercrombie, Vanderhoof BC	142.00
5		Lorna Stock, Falmouth NS; Ghodsi Ahmadi, West Vancouver BC	147.50	5	3	2 Donald Smith, Valleyview AB; Doreen Smith, Morden MB	141.50
6	4	2 Barry Pashak, Calgary AB; Veronica Peacock, Vancouver BC	140.50	6	4	Dawn Smith, Port Coquitlam BC; Ruth Winkler, Coquitlam BC	137.00

TODAY'S SCHEDULE

*Unless otherwise indicated, strat breaks for Stratified Open and Senior events are: A (1250+), B (500-1250), C (0-500). For Continuous Pairs and single-session open events, strat breaks are A (750+), B (0-750). Note: All entry fees are shown in Canadian funds.

Wednesday, March 24, 1999, 8:45 a.m.

Event	Session	Entry	Sold
Strider Group Daybreak Bracketed KO Teams (Continues at 9:00 a.m. through Saturday)	1st	\$67 team	Hall A, Vancouver Trade & Convention Centre

Wednesday, March 24, 1999, 9:00 a.m.

Atkinson & Terry Insurance AM Bracketed KO Teams	3rd	\$67 team	Hall A, VTCC
Boston Morning Continuous/Side Pairs	3rd	\$33.50 pair	Hall A, VTCC
Stratified 199er Pairs	single	\$31 pair	Hall A, VTCC

Wednesday, March 24, 1999, 10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m.

Colin Collin Memorial Stratified Senior Pairs*	1-2	\$67 pair	Waterfront Ballroom, Waterfront Centre Hotel
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Wednesday, March 24, 1999, 1:00 & 7:30 p.m.

VANDERBILT KNOCKOUT TEAMS		\$168 team	Ballroom A-C, VTCC
MIXED PAIRS	1-2F	\$74 pair	Ballroom A-C, VTCC
NABC 49er PAIRS For the Fifth Chair Foundation Trophy	1-2	\$74 pair	Crystal Pavilion, Pan Pacific
Bracketed KO Teams III (continues Thursday)	1-2	\$67 team	Hall A, VTCC
Camrosa Consulting Ltd. 0-2000 KO Teams	5-6	\$67 team	Hall A, VTCC
0-750 KO Teams	5-6	\$67 team	Hall A, VTCC
Global Merchandising (Portofino) Stratified Open Pairs*	1-2	\$67 pair	Hall A, VTCC
Wednesday-Thursday Continuous/Side Pairs 199er, 99er, 49er, 0-20 & 0-5 Pairs	1-2	\$33.50 pair	Meeting Rooms 1-3, Mezzanine Level
	single	\$31 pair	Crystal Pavilion, Pan Pacific

Wednesday, March 24, 1999, 7:30 p.m.

Leo Steil Memorial Senior Bracketed KO Teams (Continues at 7:30 p.m. through Friday)	2nd	\$67 team	Waterfront Ballroom
Vancouver Bridge Club (West Vancouver) Stratified Board-a-Match Teams	single	\$62 team	Waterfront Ballroom
Stratified 299er Swiss Teams	single	\$62 team	Crystal Pavilion, Pan Pacific

Wednesday, March 24, 1999, 11:30 p.m.

Great Bridge Links Zip Swiss Teams*	single	\$62 team	Crystal Pavilion
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TOMORROW'S SCHEDULE

*Unless otherwise indicated, strat breaks for Stratified Open and Senior events are: A (1250+), B (500-1250), C (0-500). Strati-Flighted Open events are: A (unlimited), B (750-1500), C (300-750), D (0-300). For Continuous Pairs and single-session open events, strat breaks are A (750+), B (0-750). Note: All entry fees are shown in Canadian funds.

Thursday, March 25, 1999, 9:00 a.m.

Event	Session	Entry	Sold
Atkinson & Terry Insurance AM Bracketed KO Teams	4th	\$67 team	Hall A, Vancouver Trade & Convention Centre
Strider Group Daybreak Bracketed KO Teams	2nd	\$67 team	Hall A, VTCC
Cincinnati Morning Continuous/Side Pairs*	1st	\$33.50 pair	Hall A, VTCC
Stratified 199er Pairs	single	\$31 pair	Hall A, VTCC

Thursday, March 25, 1999, 10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m.

Don Fraser Memorial Stratified Senior Pairs*	1-2	\$67 pair	Waterfront Ballroom, Waterfront Centre Hotel
Stratified Open Pairs*	1-2	\$67 pair	Meeting Rooms 1-3, Mezzanine Level

Thursday, March 25, 1999, 1:00 & 7:30 p.m.

VANDERBILT KNOCKOUT TEAMS		\$168 team	Ballroom A-C, VTCC
OPEN PAIRS II (2 final sessions Friday)	1-2Q	\$84 pair	Ballroom A-C, VTCC
WOMEN'S PAIRS (2 final sessions Friday)	1-2Q	\$84 pair	Ballroom A-C, VTCC
Shirley Veiner Fitterman Strati-Flighted Open Swiss Teams*	1-2	\$134 team	Hall A, VTCC
Bracketed KO Teams III	3-4	\$67 team	Hall A, VTCC
Wednesday-Thursday Continuous/Side Pairs* 199er, 99er, 49er, 0-20 & 0-5 Pairs	3-4	\$33.50 pair	Meeting Rooms 1-3, Mezzanine Level
	single	\$31 pair	Crystal Pavilion, Pan Pacific
Stratified 99er Swiss Teams	single	\$62 team	Crystal Pavilion, Pan Pacific

Thursday, March 25, 1999, 7:30 p.m.

Leo Steil Memorial Senior Bracketed KO Teams (Continues at 7:30 p.m. through Friday)	3rd	\$67 team	Waterfront Ballroom
Sweetpea & Lola Stratified IMP Pairs (open to Swiss non-quals and new entries)	single	\$31 pair	Waterfront Ballroom

Thursday, March 25, 1999, 11:30 p.m.

Zip KO Teams*	single	\$15.50/team/round	Crystal Pavilion, Pan Pacific
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