

Daily



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56th Spring North American Bridge Championships

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'Priceless' experience awaits Youth NABC participants

When Patty Tucker thinks of her creation – the Youth NABC – she thinks of the MasterCard ads that end with a single word: “Priceless.”

That’s how she sees the experience awaiting players at the three-day tournament.

“The kids deserve the chance we all have to see their friends and catch up,” Tucker says. “You don’t truly understand how important a part of your life bridge is until you are playing in a room full of people with your same passion.”

Tucker was chair of the first Youth NABC in 2008, and she saw her dream come true in a suburb of her home town of Atlanta. The 2013 edition will take place in Atlanta as part of the Summer NABC.

The founder of Atlanta Junior Bridge, arguably the most successful organization of its kind, is hoping for a record turnout at this year’s tournament. The first one drew 199 players, but has not reached that level since.

Tucker is encouraging all young ACBL players to get the word out to their friends that there is fun to be had at the Youth NABC, which takes place the



first weekend of the Summer NABC, to be followed immediately by the World Open Youth Bridge Championships.

The Youth NABC is scheduled for Aug. 1-3. The World Open Youth Bridge Championships starts the same day as the Youth NABC closes and runs through Aug. 11.

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Paul and Linda Lewis, Rockwell Mixed Pairs champions

Love means winning the mixed pairs together

Directors and players alike fought off technology poltergeists in the two-day Rockwell Mixed Pairs which ended late Wednesday night. When a winner was finally declared, it was Paul Lewis and wife Linda Lewis of Las Vegas NV. Close behind in second were good friends Barbara Lehman and Craig Jacobson from the Chicago area.

The Lewises were third going into today’s final sessions. An acceptable 55.62% in the evening atop 58.67% in the afternoon gave them 2976.58 points (90 was top)—enough to beat the runners-up by a little more than a third of a board.

“It’s been 33 years since we last won playing together,” said Linda, referring to their 1981 win in the Freeman Mixed Board-a-Match Teams. Linda now has a total of five NABC titles. This is Paul’s

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Eddie Wold – professor of bridge

Eddie Wold has had many big moments in a stellar career as a bridge player. Last month, Wold got a thrill that had nothing to do with tournament play or championship trophies.

It was during a for-credit bridge class he is teaching at Rice

University in Houston, where he lives.

He was telling the class of 20 students about Blackwood and how 4NT is used to ask for aces. To Wold’s surprise and delight, one of the students said, “If your suit is a minor, wouldn’t it be better to use the next suit up to ask about aces?”

Says Wold, “He thought of Kickback without knowing it!”

That was one of many exciting moments for the Grand Life Master and one of ACBL’s most successful tournament players. Teaching bridge at Rice, he says, “is one of the best things I’ve ever done.”

Wold agreed to teach the class after the university administrators, at the urging of Noble Laureate Dr. Robert Curl, added the bridge class, which started in the second week of January.

Wold began the class with Mini-Bridge, which



has no bidding, just card play. Students learn about tricks and how to take them.

After the first class, Wold says, a couple of student stayed behind to ask questions. Now, he says, four tables of students stay after class to learn more and play. “They really enjoy that,” he says.

Wold says his aim is to keep things simple and to slowly introduce concepts that might be confusing. For example, he says, “points” has several meanings in bridge – high-card points, trick points, game points, support points. “We haven’t gotten into scoring yet,” he says.

On the fourth class – each is two hours long – the topic was notrump play. When the classes on bidding started, transfers – and the logic behind the convention – were discussed.

When Wold turned attention to Stayman, one of the students was apparently still thinking about the lesson on transfers. The student properly opened 1NT, and when his partner bid 2♣, opener bid 2♥ – as a transfer to spades.

Wold is assisted in his teaching efforts by his partner, Robert Morris. While they are in St. Louis, longtime Houston player Gary King is acting as a substitute teacher, covering weak two-bids.

Wold says the feedback he has received from the university has been extremely positive, and he is looking forward to the seven remaining classes in the current semester.

“The kids at Rice are very smart,” Wold says. “It’s so much fun interacting with them. I highly recommend this to anyone who’s ever thought about helping people learn bridge.”

Flora, Fauna and a crystal ball

The Hog no longer makes predictions, but Flora and Fauna are in St. Louis to take up the slack. Check out page 15 for their upset picks in today’s Vanderbilt action.

More high seeds go down in Vanderbilt

Most of the high seeds in the Vanderbilt Knockout Teams had an easy go of it on Wednesday, the exception being No. 3 John Diamond. The four-man squad held a 101-88 lead against the Shan Huang team with a quarter to go but were outscored in the fourth set 40-18.

Huang, of Toronto, is playing with Yan Wang and JianFeng Luo, also of Canada, and Chinese players Fu Zhong and Jie Li. Huang was originally seeded No. 35.

Diamond was not the only team to fall to a lower-seeded squad. No. 11 Warren Spector was knocked out by No. 22 Mike Levine, No. 12 Mark Gordon was ousted by No. 21 John Mohan and No. 13 Mary Ann Berg was defeated by No. 20 Sabine Auken.

Except for Diamond, most of the top 10 seeds won convincingly on Wednesday, No. 1 Nick Nickell winning by 65 IMPs, No. 4 Monaco and No. 5 Les Amoils by 50 IMPs each and No. 6 Ricco van Prooijen by 80 IMPs.



Goodwill Message

Equity and enjoyment are the benchmarks of bridge. *Sandy DeMartino, Goodwill Chair*

SPECIAL EVENTS

MEETINGS / SEMINARS / RECEPTIONS

Thursday, March 21
4:30-7:30 pm **Women's Reception.** (*Renaissance, Landmark Rooms 1-4*)

Friday, March 22
11 pm-2 am **Women's Team Trials meeting.** (*Renaissance, Benton Room*)

CELEBRITY SPEAKER PROGRAM

Don't miss these free lectures in St. Louis from expert players. These talks will be held in Room 230 at the America's Center.

Thursday, March 21
9:15 a.m. Jeff Roman *Look Beyond Your High Card Points*
6:45 p.m. Barry Harper *A Short List of Conventions You Need*

Friday, March 22
9:15 a.m. Mike Flader *Ruling the Game*
6:45 p.m. GS Jade Barrett *Losing and Winning Trick Count*
Saturday, March 23
9:15 a.m. Mark Ehret *How to Execute a Simple Squeeze*
6:45 p.m. Michael Huston *Convention Choices*

ENTERTAINMENT and HOSPITALITY — Landmark Ballrooms 1-4

Thursday, March 21
Oldies night: French bread pizza
The Pennsylvania Slim Blues Band has been performing blues, R&B, soul, jump swing and rock 'n' roll from the Forties, Fifties and Sixties for over 15 years.

Friday, March 22
Chinese night: Cajun fried rice and spring roll
The Pennsylvania Slim Blues Band has been performing blues, R&B, soul, jump swing and rock 'n' roll from the Forties, Fifties and Sixties for over 15 years.

Saturday, March 23
Chili cookoff: Vegetarian chili, turkey chili
Friendly Henry's will keep your toes tapping with bluegrass, folk and a little country.

Brilliant

This deal comes from the opening round of the Vanderbilt Knockout Teams. It was played by Josef Piekarek of the Jim Mahaffey team. Piekarek was playing with Alexander Smirnov. The opponents were the team captained by Hansa Narasimhan.

Dlr: South	♠ A 8 7 4 3		
Vul: None	♥ 7 4 3 2		
	♦ A 10 7 4		
	♣ --		
	♠ 5 2	♠ 9	
	♥ K J 9	♥ 10 8 6	
	♦ J 9 8 3	♦ K 6 5 2	
	♣ A 8 6 5	♣ Q 9 7 4 2	
		♠ K Q J 10 6	
		♥ A Q 5	
		♦ Q	
		♣ K J 10 3	
West	North	East	South
Pass	2NT	Pass	1♠
Pass	3♥	Pass	3♦
Pass	3NT	Pass	3♠
Pass	5♣	Pass	4♦
Pass	6♠	All Pass	5NT

The auction was complicated:
2NT = Game-forcing spade raise
3♦ = 17-18 high-card points
3♥ = Relay
3♠ = Some shortness
3NT = Relay
4♦ = Short diamonds
5♣ = Exclusion key card Blackwood
5NT = Two key cards and the trump queen

West started off by underleading his ♠A, and Piekarek let that run to the 9 and his 10. He then

cached the ♠K and played the ♦Q to the ace and ruffed a diamond. Next came a club ruff, a diamond ruff and another club ruff. Piekarek ruffed a diamond to hand with his next-to-last trump, then cashed the ♠Q to reach this position:

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

When Piekarek put the ♣K on the table, West covered with the ace. Instead of ruffing, Piekarek discarded a low heart from dummy. On lead with nothing but hearts, West had to lead into the tenace to give Piekarek 12 tricks.

The brilliant play helped the Mahaffey team to a 153-134 win.

Registration

The registration desk is located at the America's Center through the end of the tournament.

Smoking rules

Tournament directors have receive complaints about players smoking in the stairwells at the Renaissance Hotel. Smoking is not permitted anywhere on the hotel property and is a violation of the law in St. Louis. Players found to be smoking in the hotel will be subject to a full board penalty in pairs games and a comparable penalty in team games.

Be considerate

Players, please be considerate of others in wearing perfume, cologne or other fragrance at the table. Many people have extreme sensitivity to such scents.

Missing jacket

Steve Sturm reports that someone apparently took his black leather jacket by mistake, leaving him with a jacket that doesn't fit. It was taken at the America's Center in the area where the Open Pairs was played on Tuesday. If the person who took the jacket realizes the mistake, the person can drop it off at the Daily Bulletin office or contact Marjorie Michelin (310-422-9330). The smaller jacket is in the Daily Bulletin office.

Entries

All North American championships with no upper masterpoint limitation..... \$20
(Note: only ACBL members are eligible to play in NABC+ events. \$1.50 per person per session benefits the International Fund.)
Other North American championships..... \$17
(Note: only ACBL members are eligible to play in these events.)
Regional championships..... \$16 for ACBL members, \$18 for all others
All other events \$15 for ACBL members, \$17 for all others.

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Subsidized lunch for Sunday Swiss Teams



JUST FOR NEW PLAYERS

Common errors – and how to avoid them

By Brent Manley

No plan at trick one

Hall of Famer Bob Hamman was once asked what he would bid with a particular hand. Without waiting to hear the hand, Hamman said, "I bid three diamonds."

When he was given the hand, he changed his mind and bid 1♦. As it turned out, 3♦ was the winning choice. "I guess," said Hamman, "I do better when I don't look at the cards."



Someone said more contracts are lost at trick one that at any other time in the play. It's true that there are probably no hard and fast statistics to back up that assertion, but it was most likely spoken by a veteran who has been there, done that.

If you watch true experts play, you may notice that after the opening lead is made, few of them call a card from the dummy right away. Most top players give even the most routine-looking contracts a study before playing. The expert might be thinking that the contract looks too easy and is trying to figure what might go wrong – and, if so, whether he can do anything about it.

You should develop the same habit. Check out the opening lead: does it look like fourth best? Did the opening leader overcall but decline to lead his suit? What does that say about his holding in that

suit? Are you in the right contract? The following is a classic example of the demise of a contract from an error at trick one.

♠ A 4 3 2
♥ K 6
♦ 8 7
♣ A K 4 2

♠ J 5
♥ A J 5
♦ K Q J 10 9
♣ 6 5 3

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♦
Pass	1♠	Pass	3NT
All Pass			

West starts with the ♥7. How will you play? If you consider only the fact that you have a free finesse in hearts, you will probably go down. Say you play low from dummy and East produces the queen. You win the ace and start on the diamond suit. Unless the opponent who holds the ♦A is your brother or a kindly uncle, he will surely duck the first round of the suit, winning the second. Come to think of it, your mother would probably duck the first round of diamonds. Now your hand is stone dead and you have gone down in a cold one.

What if, at trick one, you make the counterintuitive play of the ♥K, possibly giving up the extra trick in hearts? Now you're in good shape. You go after diamonds, playing the suit until someone takes the ace – and you still have the ♥A



to get to those good diamonds. You take at least four diamonds, two hearts, two clubs and a spade – more if West has the ♦A and continues with a heart when he gets in.

If you thought things over at trick one and decided to play the king, congratulations. You are on your way to becoming a formidable opponent.

Thinking bridge

By Eddie Kantar

1NT overcall and the surrounding play

Dir: East ♠ 7 6
Vul: None ♥ J 7 6
♦ K J 10 6
♣ Q J 10 8

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

♠ Q J 10 8
♥ K 9 2
♦ A Q 4
♣ K 9 2

West	North	East	South
		1♠	1NT
Pass	2NT	All Pass	

Opening lead: ♠9.

Bidding commentary: As South, with only 15 HCP, you really need a double stopper in the opener's suit to overcall 1NT. You do. As North, your raise to 2NT shows 8-9 HCP. As South, after partner digs up a raise to 2NT, you have the fastest pass in history.

Lead commentary: As East, it is clear partner has led from shortness. With 9-x-x in spades, an unsupported suit, partner leads low.

Defensive commentary: As East, there is no future in spades, so turn your attention to hearts. Assuming declarer has the king, the proper card to lead is the queen, a surrounding play. You have the jack surrounded with the queen and the 10 plus a higher unequal honor, the ace. Declarer takes the king, but when partner gets in with the ♣A, his heart return gives your side three hearts tricks to go along with the top two spades and the ♣A. Down one.

When the dummy to your right has the J-x-x

and you have A-Q-10-(x), attack with the queen. If you lead low and declarer has K-x-x, declarer plays low and takes two tricks. If you lead the queen, declarer gets one. When dummy to your right has the 10 x (x) and you have A J 9 (x) or K J 9 (x), attack with the jack.

When dummy to your right has the 9 x (x) and you have K 10 8 (x) or Q 10 8 (x), start with the 10. The common denominator of these three surrounding plays is having the dummy's jack, 10 or 9 perfectly surrounded by a higher and a lower card plus a higher non-equal honor.

Top I/N Players

1	12.46	Joseph Butkiewicz, Chesterfield MO
2	10.22	Beverly Ruth Ohman, Ames IA
3	10.22	Daniel Ohman, Ames IA
4	10.09	Norma Postudensek, Duluth MN
5	10.09	Jim Postudensek, Duluth MN
6	9.31	Mike Murphy, Kirkwood MO
7	8.82	Sheri Lindauer, Yorba Linda CA
8	8.82	Melda Richardson, Orange CA
9	8.42	Aloys Faenger, St Louis MO
10	8.26	Darlene Scott, Oakville ON
11	8.26	Charlene Richardson, Moorefield ON
12	7.43	Bob Gulovsen, Alton IL
13	7.43	Robert Street, Chesterfield MO
14	7.42	Ann Lemp, St Louis MO
15	7.42	Frank Lemp, St Louis MO
16	7.36	Jim Bowers, Saint Louis MO
17	7.32	Debbie Lane, St Louis MO
18	7.32	Mary Strebeck, St Louis MO
19	6.98	Conrad Larkin, Santa Rosa CA
20	6.96	William Lobdell, Des Peres MO
21	6.88	Linda Litton, Columbia MO
22	6.88	Judy Zimmermann, Fulton MO
23	6.87	Tim Collopy, Millbrook NY
24	6.69	Isabelle Montupet, St Louis MO
25	6.69	Ulrike Schlafly, Saint Louis MO
26	6.46	Ken Schlueter, Ferguson MO
27	6.46	Regina Schlueter, Ferguson MO
28	6.45	Richard Krueger, Milwaukee WI
29	6.45	Thomas Krueger, Shorewood WI
30	6.22	Lynn Craft, Huntsville AL
31	6.21	Patricia Rodilosso, Fair Haven NJ
32	6.10	Karen Graves, Saint Charles MO
33	6.10	L Keith Graves, Saint Charles MO
34	6.08	Timothy Curtis, Ho-Ho-Kus NJ
35	6.00	Cecilia Collopy, Millbrook NY
36	5.95	Marie Allison, Las Vegas NV
37	5.95	Donna Grassi, Palatine IL
38	5.84	Lucy Sinopole, Huntsville AL
39	5.79	Mary Silky, Syracuse NY
40	5.79	Bill Silky, Syracuse NY
41	5.78	Joan Wentz, Brighton MI
42	5.78	Constance Jones, Brighton MI
43	5.75	Catherine Geraghty, Spokane WA
44	5.72	Raymond Laythe, Saint Louis MO
45	5.62	Charles Butler, Chicago IL
46	5.62	Guy Gundaker, Scottsdale AZ
47	5.57	Patrick Lysaught, Overland Park KS
48	5.57	Patricia Lysaught, Overland Park KS
49	5.44	Guy Bradley, Chesterfield MO
50	5.41	Leslee Johnson, Palatine IL
51	5.41	Patricia Lennon, Arlington Hts IL
52	5.38	Michael Gabert, Sturgeon Bay WI
53	5.38	Orlaine Gabert, Sturgeon Bay WI
54	5.34	Marilyn Bolz, Chesterfield MO
55	5.26	Richard Jones, Shawnee Msn KS
56	5.11	Debb Keniley, St Louis MO
57	5.05	Marcia Pandjiris, Chesterfield MO
58	4.99	Larry Ledbetter, Bowling Green KY
59	4.99	Wally Kaahue, Clarksville TN
60	4.94	Mary Lois Hoog, St Louis MO
61	4.94	Jerry Hoog, St Louis MO
62	4.93	Lynda Feuerborn, Garnett KS
63	4.93	Judith Walter, Kansas City MO
64	4.91	Carolyn Vanek, Springfield IL
65	4.91	Marilyn Stoces, Chesterfield MO

Tell Me More

Priscilla Smith

City of residence
Atlanta GA

Place of birth
Jackson MI

Date of birth
April 8, 1949

What is your favorite color?
Red

And what drink?
Unsweetened ice tea

What kind of food makes you happy?
Thai

Who is your favorite author? Favorite book?
Murder mysteries that are not too gruesome

What is your all-time favorite movie?
Les Miserables

What kind of music do you listen to?
All kinds

Do you have a favorite painter or artist?
Degas

What do you do when you're not playing bridge?
Run a bridge club, read

What do you see as your best bridge result?
85% game at the club with one of my newcomer partners

Who is your favorite bridge player?
Jerry Helms

What is your favorite bridge convention?
Negative doubles

Is there a book that had a significant influence on you?
Bid Better, Play Better by Dorothy Truscott

What are bridge players good at (besides playing bridge)?
Solving puzzles

What jobs/occupations do you/have you had?
Teaching science and math at middle school, vice president for production of a company that made scratch-off lottery tickets

Do you have any bridge superstitions?
No

If you could invite any three people, past or present, to dinner, who would they be?
Gandhi, Golda Meir, Dwight Eisenhower

Is there something you would love to learn?
Hebrew



Winners of the Red Ribbon Pairs in 2012: Daniel Neill and Jason Rotenberg.

Red Ribbon Pairs begins today

The Red Ribbon Pairs, an ACBL event with national rating open to players with fewer than 2000 masterpoints, gets underway today.

Players earn qualification by placing first or second overall in regionally rated events of at least Flight B status. Neither member of a qualifying pair may hold more than 2000 masterpoints at the time of qualification.

The four-session event began in 1986 and winners have their names inscribed on the Percy X. Bean Trophy.

The trophy was designated by the ACBL Board of Directors in 1996 to honor Bean, ACBL president in 1972 and chairman of the Board in 1973.

Bean (1916-1992) represented District 19 on the Board from 1964 until 1988 and served as president of the ACBL Charity Foundation from 1974 until 1981. He was a member of the National Goodwill Committee and the National Board of Governors and general chairman of arrangements for the World Team Olympiad in Seattle in 1984.

Bean and his wife, Anne, were named ACBL Honorary Members for 1992, the first time that honor was bestowed on a husband-wife combination.

Bean was the editor of *Mad, Mad World of Bridge*, a publication that strongly championed players of less than expert class.

Winners and runners-up:

- 1986** 1. Wayne Perrin, Martin Newland;
2. Hugh Ogle, Charlie Cargile
- 1987** 1. Jim Gaarder, Jimmy Ritzenberg;
2. Charles Moser, Paul Bratton
- 1988** 1. Leni Holtz, Guy Green;
2. Anthony Trafecanty, Michael Trafecanty
- 1989** 1. Lu Kohutiak, Yvonne Hernandez;
2-3. Warren Haynie, Charlie Cargile;
2-3. Bill Goldberg, Bill McKenna
- 1990** 1. Philip Gordon, Mike Grodsky;
2. Rajendra Agarwal, Don Chilrud
- 1991** 1. Dan Marthaler, Robert Johnstone;



- 1992** 1. Duncan McCallum, Peter Peng;
2. Andy Goodman, Steve Zolotow
- 1993** 1. Ron Weinstock, John Gillette;
2. Hank Meyer, Marty Graf
- 1994** 1. T.C. Petty, Steve Altus;
2. Grant Robinson, Joe Walden
- 1995** 1. Marc Umeno, Hank Youngerman;
2. Bernie Greenspan, Keith Sechler
- 1996** 1. Vinay Sarin, Ringo Chung;
2. Burton Lipsky, Arnold Goldstein
- 1997** 1. Tony Miller, Diane Miller;
2. Mark Bumgardner, Nagy Kamel
- 1998** 1. Paul Spear, Jim Johnsen;
2. David Halasi, Mike Nadler
- 1999** 1. Jenni Hartsman, Andrew Rosenthal;
2. Martin Hunter, Andy Stark
- 2000** 1. Nie Wei Ping, Christopher Leung;
2. David Yang, Xiaodong Shi
- 2001** 1. LaToss Carpenter, Brandon Carpenter;
2. Mike Nadler, Gurhun Baykal
- 2002** 1. Rich Atwater, Chris Pesce;
2. Bob Sievers, Georgia Heth
- 2003** 1. Chi-Yen Lai, Bin Dai;
2. Edward Leach, Bruce Schwaidelson
- 2004** 1. Martin Harris, Jacob Morgan;
2. Mark Brighthouse, Harvinder Sidhu
- 2005** 1. Yeong-Long Shiue, David Margolin;
2. Jim Lyle, Robert Todd
- 2006** 1. Chris Buchanan, B.J. Trelford;
2. Everett Boyer, Mansoor Gowani
- 2007** 1. Jack Hawthorne, Paul Spear;
2. Jim Kehoe, Chuck Michalski
- 2008** 1. Mike Develin, Li-Chung Chen;
2. Sidney Kanter, Ron Nelken
- 2009** 1. Daniel Jackson, Bill Gervais;
2. Steven Towner, Mitch Towner
- 2010** 1. Bob Levey, Jim Ritzenberg;
2. George Dragich, Rosemary Dragich
- 2011** 1. Brad Berry, David Amsterdam;
2. Eric Goff, Neil Cohen
- 2012** 1. Daniel Neill, Jason Rotenberg;
2. Steve Hirsch, Gregory Thorpe

Check Cashing and Bridge Bucks

Check-cashing services for ACBL members only will rotate between the Renaissance and the America's Center. There is a limit of \$500 per day. Members must provide their ACBL number.



Bridge bucks are available for purchase at the check-cashing desk. Visa, Mastercard and Discover can be used only to purchase bridge bucks.

The check-cashing desk will be open from noon to 1 p.m.:

Thursday, March 21 at the Renaissance on the Landmark Ballroom level

Friday, March 22 at the America's Center outside Room 224

Saturday, March 23 at the Renaissance on the Landmark Ballroom level

Sunday, March 24 at the America's Center outside Room 224

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The 2012 Women's Pairs champs were Patricia Norman and Georgiana Gates.

Women's Pairs compete for Whitehead Trophy

Play begins today in the Whitehead Women's Pairs with two qualifying sessions, followed by two final sessions tomorrow.

This is the 79th Women's Pairs. At stake is the Whitehead Trophy, donated in 1930 by Wilbur C. Whitehead of New York, a great bridge authority and a member of the team that won the Vanderbilt Cup in 1928, the first year it was in play.

Whitehead (1866-1931) was president of the Simplex Automobile Company, but bridge held such a fascination for him that he retired from business in 1910 to devote his life to bridge.

He was the inventor of many bidding and play conventions, the quick-trick table of card values, the Whitehead system of requirements for original bids and responses and the Whitehead table of preferential leads.

Whitehead was instrumental in standardizing procedures in auction bridge and later in contract bridge.

Winners:

- 1930 Olive Peterson, Maud Zontlein
- 1931 Vivi Hanson, Elinor Murdoch
- 1932 Mrs. Jay S. Jones, Olive Peterson
- 1933 Doris Fuller, Mrs. Courtand Smith
- 1934 Helen Bonwit, Helen White
- 1935 Bertine Teichman, Mable Ulbrich
- 1936 Mrs. Jay S. Jones, Sally Young
- 1937 Mable Ervin, Doris Fuller
- 1938 Helen Sobel, Sally Young
- 1939 Helen Sobel, Sally Young
- 1940 Edith Atkinson, Mrs. John Waidlich
- 1941 Mae P. Rosen, Edith Seligman
- 1942 Mae P. Rosen, Edith Seligman
- 1943 Mae P. Rosen, Edith Seligman
- 1944 Ruth Sherman, Margaret Wagar
- 1945 Peggy Golder, Olive Peterson
- 1946 Edith Seligman, Sally Young
- 1947 Gratian Goldstein, Josephine Gutman
- 1948 Gratian Goldstein, Josephine Gutman
- 1949 Kay Rhodes, Ruth Sherman
- 1950 Mrs. John Kelly, Dorothy Thompson
- 1951 Alwina M. Dunphy, Mrs. Edward Minear
- 1952 Shirley Fairchild, Elaine Lee



- 1953 Mrs. Harold P. Swearingen, Barbara Weiner
- 1954 Margaret Alcorn, Sally Neely
- 1955 Kay Rhodes, Margaret Wagar
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- 1958 Betty Nail, Phyllis Novak
- 1959 Betty Adler, Dorothy Hayden
- 1960 Mary Jane Farrell, Peggy Solomon
- 1961 Agnes Gordon, Betty Haddad

The Women's Pairs was held at the Summer North American Championships until 1962. A similar event was held at the Spring NABC 1958-1962 with these winners:

- 1958 Kay Rhodes, Margaret Wagar
- 1959 Bert Epstein, Blossom Grossblatt
- 1960 Gretchen Feldstein, Jane Mueller
- 1961 May Belle Long, Effie Woods
- 1962 Clarice Holt, Mrs. Greeley Warner

- 1962 Carol Sanders, Sylvia Stein
- 1963 Mrs. K. L. Sargent, Mrs. Ray Tobin
- 1964 Margaret Alcorn, Lucille Patterson
- 1965 Nancy Gruver, Sue Sachs
- 1966 Virginia Heckel, Edith Kemp
- 1967 Garner McDaniel, Terry Michaels
- 1968 Hermine Baron, Rhoda Walsh
- 1969 Gale Clarke, Gloria Noszka
- 1970 Robin Klar, Tina Rockaway
- 1971 Amalya Kears, Jacqui Mitchell
- 1972 Kerri Davis, Rhoda Walsh
- 1973 Ann Economidy, Vivian Williamson
- 1974 Pat Leary, Jan Stansby
- 1975 Jacqui Mitchell, Gail Moss
- 1976 Gail Schaab, Barbara Staton
- 1977 Jacqui Mitchell, Gail Moss
- 1978 Babs Charney, Flo Rotman
- 1979 Anne Burnstein, Edith Kemp
- 1980 Mildred Boyce, Barbara Norwood
- 1981 Emma Jean Hawes, Dorothy Hayden Truscott
- 1982 Hermine Baron, Beverly Rosenberg
- 1983 Evelyn Levitt, Jo Morse
- 1984 Judy Tucker, Jacqui Mitchell
- 1985 Dale Dermer, JoAnne Caplan
- 1986 Edith Freilich, Nancy Gruver
- 1987 Tobi Deutsch, Kay Schulle
- 1988 Sally Wheeler, Georgiana Gates
- 1989 Nadine Wood, Jeanne Elkner
- 1990 Tobi Deutsch, June Deutsch
- 1991 Leslie Paryzer, Nancy Widman
- 1992 Cheri Bjerkan, Janice Seamon
- 1993 Carol Sanders, Betty Ann Kennedy
- 1994 Corinne Kirkham, Ann Kluewer
- 1995 Lila Perlstein, Juanita Chambers
- 1996 Nancy Widman, Leslie Paryzer
- 1997 Susan Wexler, Margie Gwozdzinsky
- 1998 Judi Radin, Valerie Westheimer
- 1999 Harriet Eaton, Ellen Crawford
- 2000 Joan Stein, Eunice Rosen
- 2001 Judi Radin, Sylvia Moss
- 2002 Cheri Bjerkan, Sue Weinstein
- 2003 Joan Eaton, Candace Griffey
- 2004 Jacqui Mitchell, Amalya Kears
- 2005 Gail Greenberg, Laurie Vogel
- 2006 Sylvia Moss, Judy Radin
- 2007 Kamla Chawla, Irina Ladyzhevsky
- 2008 Chris Benson, Lynne Feldman
- 2009 Lisa Berkowitz, Joann Glasson
- 2010 Suzy Burger, Linda Lewis
- 2011 Diana Schuld, Marjorie Michelin
- 2012 Patricia Norman, Georgiana Gates

Youth NABC

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Tucker is hopeful that players in North America will use social media to spread the word about the fun to be had in Atlanta. The Youth NABC is open to any player with fewer than 5000 masterpoints who is 19 or younger as of July 15.

"Start your tweets, Facebook friend posts and emails," she says. "The main thing is to get the word out."

Tucker says anyone thinking of getting a group together to play in the Youth NABC can get information and help from her by emailing patty@atlantajuniorbridge.org.

Entry to the Youth NABC is free but all participants must be ACBL members. A Youth membership is \$15 per year and can be purchased online at www.acbl.org/myACBL/?join.

Day one of the Youth NABC features games at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. – Youth Pairs and Cardrhook Pairs (for less-experienced players). Day two features the Baron Barclay Youth Open Pairs at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. with Cardrhook Pairs at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. On day three, the National Youth Swiss Teams will be played at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. with Cardrhook Pairs at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m.

Tucker understands that there are different ways of measuring the success of such a venture, and she asks. "Is it by the number of players, the cost of putting it on or the excitement, energy and friendships made? Certainly by the third criterion, it's been a success from day one."

Mixed Pairs

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third North American championship. The Lewises live half the year in South Dakota where they have a property management company.

Lehman is a bridge teacher at Gold Coast Bridge. Jacobson handicaps horse races. They haven't played tournament bridge for 10 years. "We're back!" he laughed.

Finishing in third—less than half a board off first-place pace—were Greg Humphreys of Charlottesville VA and Jenni Carmichael from Kennesaw GA.



Second in the mixed pairs goes to Barbara Lehman and Craig Jacobson.

Notice to players

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



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68 Tables
 Nick Nickell, New York NY; Ralph Katz, Burr Ridge IL;
 Robert Levin, Henderson NV; Steve Weinstein, Andes NY;
 Eric Rodwell - Jeff Meckstroth, Clearwater Bch FL
 vs
 Norberto Bocchi, Barcelona Spain; Agustin Madala, Buenos
 Aires Argentina; Mustafa Cem Tokay - Gur Okay, Istanbul
 Turkey

 James Cayne, New York NY; Michael Seamon, Dania FL;
 Alfredo Versace - Lorenzo Lauria, Rome Italy; Giorgio
 Duboin, Torino Italy; Antonio Sementa, Parma PR 43100 Italy
 vs
 David Grainger, Roseville CA; Roger Lee, Pasadena CA;
 Greg Hinze, San Antonio TX; Josh Donn, Las Vegas NV

 Pierre Zimmermann - Franck Multon - Tor Helness - Geir
 Helgemo - Fulvio Fantoni - Claudio Nunes, Monaco Monaco
 vs
 Sabine Auken, Charlottenlund Denmark; Roy Welland, New
 York NY; Dennis Bilde, Aarhus Denmark; Morten Bilde,
 Hovedgaard Denmark

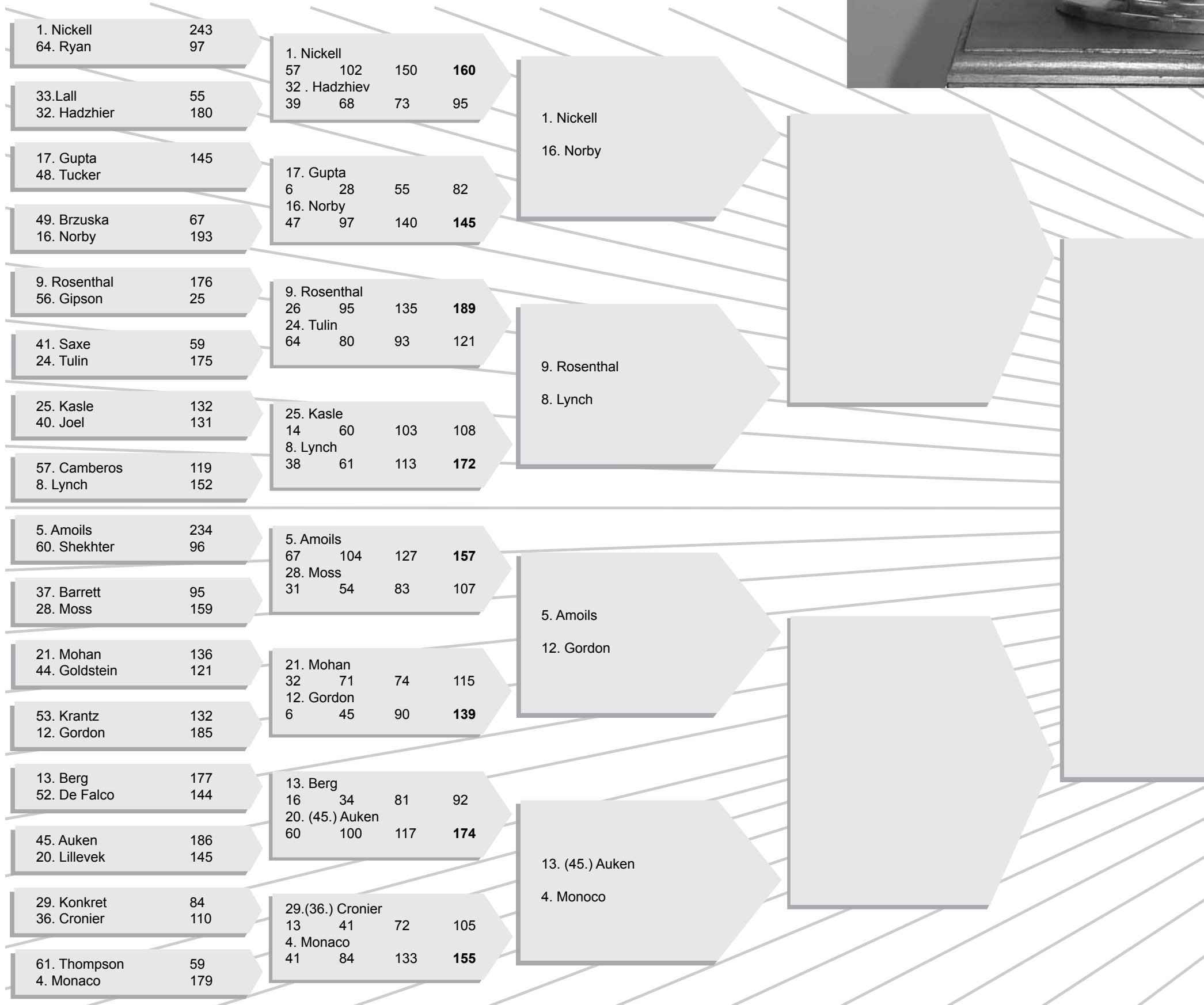
 Les Amoils, Toronto ON; Joe Grue - Fred Gitelman, Las
 Vegas NV; Brad Moss, Denver CO; Thomas Bessis, Paris
 75015 France; Peter Bertheau, Taby Sweden
 vs
 John Mohan, Las Vegas NV; Rose Meltzer, Chapel Hill NC;
 Diego Brenner, L'Eixample Barc Spain; Carlos Pellegrini,
 Buenos Aires Argentina; Miguel Villas-Boas - Joao Paulo
 Campos, Sao Paulo Brazil

Ricco Van Prooijen, Nieuw Vennepe Netherlands; Louk
 Verhees, Sh Voorhou Netherlands; Kevin Bathurst, Palm
 Beach Gdns FL; Dan Zagorin, Chicago IL; Bas Drijver,
 Capelle Aan Den Netherlands; Sjoert Brink, Rotterdam
 Netherlands
 vs
 Mike Levine, Boca Raton FL; Dennis McGarry, Stuart FL;
 Russell Ekeblad, Portsmouth RI; Peter Weichsel, Carlsbad
 CA; Jon Wittes - Ross Grabel, Palm Desert CA

 Marty Fleisher - Zia Mahmood - Chris Willenken, New York
 NY; Mike Kamil, Holmdel NJ; Chip Martel, Davis CA;
 Michael Rosenberg, Cupertino CA
 vs
 Lou Ann O'Rourke, Scottsdale AZ; Marc Jacobus - Roger
 Bates - Curtis Cheek, Las Vegas NV; Eddie Wold, Houston
 TX; Ish Delmonte, New South Wales Australia

 Carolyn Lynch, Scottsdale AZ; Mike Passell, Las Vegas NV;
 Aleksander Dubinin - Andrew Gromov, Moscow Russia;
 Cezary Balicki, Smolec Poland; Adam Zmudzinski, Katowice
 40-479 Poland
 vs
 Andrew Rosenthal - Aaron Silverstein - Bjorn Fallenius, New
 York NY; Peter Fredin, Malmo Sweden; Fredrik Nystrom,
 Stockholm Sweden; Johan Upmark, Stockho Sweden

 Shan Huang, Toronto ON; Yan Wang, Scarborough ON;
 Jianfeng Luo, North York ON; Fu Zhong - Jie Li, Beijing
 People's Republic of China
 vs
 Daniel Korbel, Waterloo ON; Jonathan Steinberg, Toronto
 ON; Bob Todd - Douglas Fisher, Winnipeg MB; Tom
 Carmichael, Kennesaw GA; Drew Hoskins, Burlingame CA

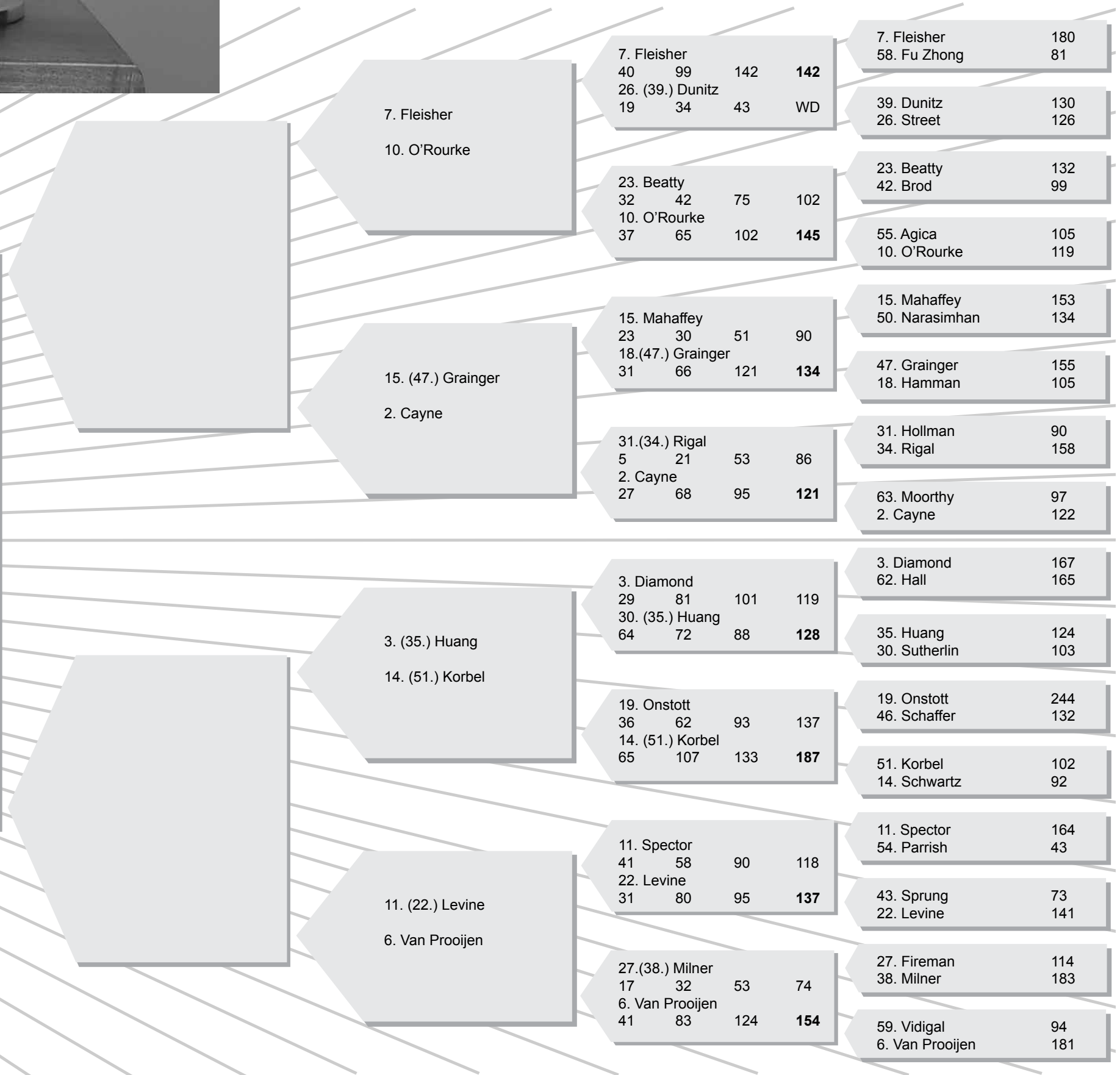


VANDERBILT KO TEAMS



25.00 17/32 John Diamond, Boca Raton FL; Brian Platnick, Evanston IL; Eric Greco, Wynnewood PA; Geoff Hampson, Las Vegas NV
 25.00 17/32 Warren Spector, Palm Beach FL; Michael Becker, Boca Raton FL; Steve Garner, Chicago IL; Howard Weinstein, Omaha NE; Walid Elahmady - Tarek Sadek, Cairo Egypt
 25.00 17/32 Mark Gordon, Purchase NY; Pratap Rajadhyaksha, Venice FL; David Berkowitz, Boca Raton FL; Alan Sontag, Gaithersburg MD; Jacek Pszczola, Chapel Hill NC; Michal Kwiecien, Lublin Poland
 25.00 17/32 Mary Ann Berg, Atherton CA; Mark Lair, Canyon TX; Huub Bertens, Bend OR; Ton Bakkeren, Oisterwijk Netherlands; Simon De Wijs, Doorn Netherlands; Bauke Muller, Hoorn Netherlands
 25.00 17/32 Jim Mahaffey, Winter Park FL; Tony Forrester, Herefordshire England; Josef Piekarek, Hamburg Germany; Alexander Smirnov, Lubeck Germany; Sam Lev, New York NY; Piotr Gawrys, Warsaw Poland
 25.00 17/32 Vinita Gupta, Woodside CA; Billy Miller, Las Vegas NV; Bart Bramley, Dallas TX; Lew Stansby, Dublin CA; Jan Jansma, Spijkenisse Netherlands; Gert Jan Paulissen, Breda Netherlands
 25.00 17/32 John Onstott, New Orleans LA; Gary Hayden, Tucson AZ; Chris Compton, Dallas TX; Jacob Morgan, Madison WI; Drew Casen, Las Vegas NV; Jim Krekorian, Pensacola FL
 25.00 17/32 Steve Beatty, Mill Creek WA; George Jacobs, Hinsdale IL; Steve Landen, Ellicott City MD; Venkatrao Koneru, San Antonio TX; Dan Jacob, Vancouver BC; Jurek Czychowicz, Gatineau QC
 25.00 17/32 Stan Tulin, Highland Beach FL; Gary Cohler, Miami FL; Alon Birman - Dror Padon, Tel Aviv Israel; Billy Cohen, Sherman Oaks CA; Ron Smith, Las Vegas NV

25.00 17/32 Gaylor Kastle, Boca Raton FL; Larry Kozlove, Louisville KY; Steve Robinson, Arlington VA; Peter Boyd, Darnestown MD; Kit Woolsey, Kensington CA; Fred Stewart, Bloomington NY
 25.00 17/32 Michael Moss, New York NY; Tom Hanlon - Adam Mesbur - Nicholas Fitzgibbon, Dublin Ireland
 25.00 17/32 Alexander Hadzhiev - Kalin Karaivanov, Varna Bulgaria; George Mittelman, Toronto ON; Jack Zhao, Boca Raton FL; David Bakhshi, London England; John McAllister, Charlottesville VA
 25.00 17/32 Barry Rigal, New York NY; Glenn Milgrim, Forest Hills NY; Joshua Parker, Briarcliff NY; Bruce Rogoff, river vale NJ; John Lusky, Portland OR; Allan Falk, Okemos MI
 25.00 17/32 Philippe Cronier, Paris France; Adam Wildavsky - Michael Polowan, New York NY; Doug Doub, W Hartford CT; Frank Merblum, Bloomfield CT; Nik Demirev, Arlington Hts IL
 25.00 17/32 Reese Milner, Los Angeles CA; Lars Blakset, Denmark; Martin Schaltz, Odense Denmark; Kasper Konow - Anders Hagen, Copenhagen Denmark; Jaggy Shivdasani, New York NY
 25.00 17/32 Mitch Dunitz, Sherman Oaks CA; Ed Davis, Seal Beach CA; Chris Larsen, Laguna Woods CA; Wafik Abdou, Bakersfield CA; Robert Lebi - David Lindop, Toronto ON



MONDAY-WEDNESDAY MORNING KNOCKOUT I

6 Tables
15.82 1 Cookie Potter, Boca Grande FL; Tim Verbeek, 3971Ma Netherlands; Danny Molenaar, 2592 Bz Netherlands; Kevin Dwyer, Tampa FL
8.38 2 Michael Creager, Brecksville OH; Robert Korten, Frankfort MI; Harjinder Ajmani, Kula HI; Suman Agarwal, Hilliard OH

MONDAY-WEDNESDAY MORNING KNOCKOUT II

6 Tables
6.95 1 Marilyn Lewis, Glen Ellyn IL; Patsy Baker, Prospect KY; Mary Berg, River Forest IL; Jean Donoho, Louisville KY
3.68 2 Donald Power - Karen Allen, Kalamazoo MI; Frances Mulkins, N Ridgeville OH; John Watts, North Olmsted OH

MONDAY-WEDNESDAY MORNING KNOCKOUT III

7 Tables
6.62 1 Marc Beardsley - Diane Beardsley - Clairlee Hirsch, The Woodlands TX; Pamela Elsner, Avon CO
3.51 2 Janet Davis - Donald Davis, Norman OK; Kyle Olson - Eric Genheimer, Mustang OK

MONDAY-WEDNESDAY MORNING KNOCKOUT IV

6 Tables
4.25 1 Kevin Clarkin, Florissant MO; Dennis Abeln, Ballwin MO; Stephen Russell, Fenton MO; Douglas Larson, Saint Louis MO
2.25 2 Mary Fort - Susan Hall - Brian Berglund - David Wells, Saint Louis MO

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY MORNING COMPACT**KNOCKOUT I**

10 Tables
12.32 1 Eric Leong, Oakland CA; Cecilia Rimstedt, 43335 Partille Sweden; Fred Hamilton, Palm Desert CA; Tadashi Yoshida, Tokyo Japan
8.62 2 Jim Johnsen - Paul Darin, San Diego CA; Denis Murphy, Port Williams NS; Bill Wittmann, Colorado Spgs CO
5.54 3 Fay Teal, Mesa AZ; John Russell, North Barrington IL; Michael Gamble, Shawnigan Lake BC; Pamela Nisbet, Ottawa ON
4.31 4 Robert Fisk, Cincinnati OH; Steve Callahan, Woodstock GA; Jamie Radcliffe, Lincoln NE; Peter Whipple, Mason OH

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY MORNING COMPACT**KNOCKOUT II**

10 Tables
6.38 1 Phyllis Siegel, Ballwin MO; Jay Shah, St Louis MO; Bill Nussbaum, Pompano Beach FL; Mark Rosenholz, Albany NY
4.47 2 Bill Carson, Ltl Switzrlnd NC; B Susan Crutchfield, Burnsville NC; Edward Banta - Katherine Trubey, Spruce Pine NC
2.87 3 Pat Bradley - Eileen Fritsch - Twink Baker, Saint Louis MO; Raye Zeigler, St Louis MO
2.23 4 Martha Jo Jones - Irby Jones, Gonzales LA; Bill Beaushaw, Pearl River LA; Bruno Dellamea, Beckley WV

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY MORNING COMPACT**KNOCKOUT III**

10 Tables
5.10 1 Becky Hubert - Susan Kilo, St Louis MO; Gene Fluri - Jan Mackey, Saint Louis MO
3.57 2 Michael Albert - Daniel AlbertRozenberg, Cambridge MA; Nancy Klemens - Michael Klemens, Tarzana CA

TUESDAY STRATIFIED OPEN (CORRECTED)

42.0 Tables

	A	B	C
18.20	1		
13.65	2		
10.24	3		
7.68	4		
6.07	5		
4.88	6/7		
10.63	6/7	1	
4.04	8		
7.97	9	2	
3.91	10		
3.03	11		
5.98	12	3	
4.48		4	
6.18		5	1
4.64		6	2
2.66		7	
2.36		8	
3.48			3
3.84			4
2.48			5
1.80			6

Sadik Arf, Saratoga CA; Sharon Goldman, New York NY	67.97%
Robert Heitzman Jr, Suffern NY; Marin Marinov, New York NY	64.80%
Dennis Goldston, Colorado Spgs CO; Robert Carstedt, Wichita KS	63.66%
Will Engel, Freeport IL; James Melville, Springfield IL	60.98%
Terry Schleppegrell, Boulder City NV; Ben Bomber, Vancouver WA	60.40%
Tom Knies, University City MO; Sidney Brownstein, Santa Monica CA	58.30%
Blake Sanders - Thomas Bandy, Jonesboro AR	58.30%
Robert Adams, Oklahoma City OK; Mike Aliotta, Edmond OK	58.15%
Robert Fisk, Cincinnati OH; Steve Callahan, Woodstock GA	57.95%
Sarah Wiener, Fort Lee NJ; Clay Cuthbertson, Quincy IL	57.82%
Charlotte Sturm - Stephen Sturm, Fullerton CA	56.63%
Kathy Swaine - Rand Pinsky, Valencia CA	56.07%
Terry Wolfe, Clinton MT; Michael Boreson, Missoula MT	55.82%
Margi Dyer, Mayfield KY; Douglas Snow, Paducah KY	55.64%
Herbert Rosen, Overland Park KS; Kenneth Sagstetter, Dayton OH	54.45%
Jan Loftin - William Smith, Lincoln NE	54.12%
Steven Goodman - Carol Frana, Overland Park KS	53.92%
James Voelz - Aaron Krieser, Saint Louis MO	53.37%
Ted Peck, La Crosse WI; Thomas Olson, Madison WI	53.31%
Danielle Tremblay, Outremont QC; Denise Roy-Letourneau, Lasalle QC	53.11%
Joseph Keim - William Gottschall, Dayton OH	51.21%

**WEDNESDAY MORNING SIDE GAME
(MONDAY-WEDNESDAY MORNING SIDE SERIES)**

25.0 Tables

	A	B	C
5.31	1		
3.98	2		
3.27	3		
4.25	4	1	1
1.68	5		
3.19	6	2	2
2.52	3	3	
1.79	4	4	
1.76	5	5	
1.01	6	6	

Bob Dale, Pensacola FL; Richard Higgins, Hot Spgs Vlg AR	67.12%
Nancy Ogreenc, Wautoma WI; Robert Webster, Ripon WI	64.49%
Richard Butrovich, Claremore OK; Peter Cleaves, Sarasota FL	62.77%
Mary Ann Boyle, Edgewood KY; Elaine Jarchow, Union KY	61.50%
Peter Morse - Kathryn Shannon, North Vancouver BC	61.41%
Timothy Curtis - Suzanne Curtis, Ho-Ho-Kus NJ	60.69%
Sherry Wortsmith - Ann Lewis, Little Rock AR	57.43%
Michael Shelton, Winnetka IL; John Shelton, Wilmette IL	56.79%
Mimi Lempert, Plano TX; Jan Welsh, Richardson TX	55.89%
David Graham - Jill Graham, Boca Raton FL	54.98%

MONDAY-WEDNESDAY MORNING SIDE SERIES

50.00 Tables / Based on 24 Tables

8.33	1/2	Bob Dale, Pensacola FL	127.71%
8.33	1/2	Rich Higgins, Hot Spgs Vlg AR	127.71%
6.15	3	Lance Chamberlain, Rochester MN	123.20%
5.22	4/5	Nancy Ogreenc, Wautoma WI	122.23%
5.22	4/5	Robert Webster, Ripon WI	122.23%
7.13	6/7	Suzanne Curtis, Ho-Ho-Kus NJ	121.70%
7.13	6/7	Timothy Curtis, Ho-Ho-Kus NJ	121.70%

Monitoring

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

By general monitoring of the session and

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

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

**The Longest Day will be here June 21st**

The ACBL is the inaugural partner of The Longest Day, a sunrise-to-sunset team event to raise funds that fuel the care, support and research efforts of the Alzheimer's Association. This event challenges participants to push their limits and complete approximately 16 hours of a consecutive activity. The theme for The Longest Day is "do something you love" – like play bridge!

When you register to participate in The Longest Day at thelongestday.alz.org you will receive a registration kit with:

- Flyers to advertise your event to the community
- Publicity tools to maximize your exposure
- Items to decorate your club/event on The Longest Day
- Giveaways for your participating players/team members

There is a whole host of online tools to help you recruit team members and fundraise virtually.

Here are some ideas for your fundraising team's activity on The Longest Day:

- Play marathon bridge games. The ACBL is relaxing the rules so all sanctioned clubs can hold as many special games as desired on June 21, 2013. *Special game fees and upgraded masterpoints apply. All sanction fees collected will be donated to the Alzheimer's Association.
- Teach free beginner bridge lessons all day. It's a great way to find new players and meet social/former college bridge players in your community, all while supporting the Alzheimer's Association.
- Stage a bridge exhibition where members of your team play bridge in different public locations over the course of the day. You'll get a lot of attention and even more donations for your team's cause.

Approximately 5 million people in the U.S. are living with Alzheimer's, but by 2050, nearly 16 million people could be affected. There is no cure, but some research indicates that playing mentally challenging games such as bridge may help keep your brain healthy. So do something you love on The Longest Day that might actually slow the onset of Alzheimer's – play bridge!

Visit thelongestday.alz.org for more information.

WEDNESDAY MORNING 49ER PAIRS

8.5 Tables			
	A	B	C
2.00	1	1	1
1.50	2	2	
1.13	3		
0.84	4	3	
0.70	5	4	
0.47		5	
0.76			2
0.57			3

WEDNESDAY MORNING 299ER PAIRS

17.0 Tables			
	A	B	C
3.82	1	1	
2.87	2		
2.50	3	2	
1.87	4	3	
1.27	5		
1.40	6	4	
2.26		5	1
1.70		6	2
1.11			3/4
1.11			3/4
0.84			5

NABC Diary

Real – or not?

Zia Mahmood visited the Daily Bulletin office to report on a deal someone told him about that is sensational – if only it's true. Zia has his doubts, but he thought it was worth reporting anyway. Here is the setting

♠4 ♥6 4 3 ♦8 6 5 ♣A K J 7 6 4

♠A K Q 9 8 7 5 2 ♥A Q ♦A 7 2 ♣---

You reach 6♠ after opening a strong 2♣ opening and West leads a low heart. East puts up the king. What would you do at this point?

According to the possibly apocryphal account, declarer followed with the ♥Q! Now East is convinced that partner has underled the ♥A in order to get a club ruff. Well, you know what happens next, according to legend, anyway.

Does anyone out there know whether this is a true story? If so, let the Daily Bulletin editors know its origin – and the brilliant declarer.

Blue Ribbon, red rose

Years ago, Karen Walker was playing in the final of the Blue Ribbon Pairs. When she and her partner got to Zia's table, Walker spotted a container of roses next to the table. Zia handed one to Walker with a comment something along the lines of "a beautiful rose for a beautiful lady."

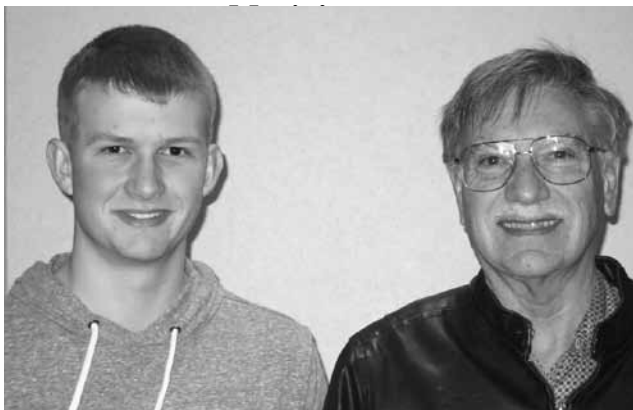
Walker looked around the room, spotting approximately three other women, and remarked to Zia, "Hey, big spender . . ."

Coincidentally, Zia and Walker were in the Daily Bulletin office at the same time on Tuesday. Reminded of the anecdote, Zia was unapologetic. He does, after all, love the ladies.

Sez Bob

Bob Hamman dropped by the Daily Bulletin office to visit with CEO Robert Hartman. On entering the room, Hamman was informed that ACBL's chief financial officer, Joe Jones, lists Hamman as his favorite player.

With his ever-present wit, Hamman exclaimed, "He should be sacked immediately!"



Cole Spencer and his mentor, Joe Scott.

Cole Spencer of Fayetteville AR made the front page of the Daily Bulletin because of his motivation

for taking up bridge at age 14. Turns out he wanted to learn after reading *The Card Turner* by Louis Sachar. Cole had hoped to meet Sachar at the NABC, but it didn't happen.

Cole did have a thrill at the tournament, however, playing with his mentor from Arkansas – Joe Scott of Rogers – and winning the Tuesday Daylight Open Pairs. That was good for nearly 20 gold points for the young player.

Scott's wife, Marina, said the two play at a nearby club once a month and online frequently, going over deals. Said Joe, "He's good."

UI maybe?

On the first round of the 0-10,000 Swiss Teams, Jim Phillips and his partner found themselves in a bit of dilemma.

Phillips, of Chicago, and his partner finished boards 5, 6 and 7 and called a caddy to have them moved to the other table. The caddy returned with boards 2, 3 and 4, but not 1.

Phillips relates that they thought there must have been some big bidding or play problem with board 1, and they started wondering whether unauthorized information applied.

When board 1 finally arrived, Phillips picked up ♠J 10 9 5 4 ♥Q 6 ♦10 6 2 ♣K J 5

His partner, Craig Allen, opened 1NT (15-17) and RHO overcalled 2♣ (one-suiter). Phillips wondered if they had transferred and invited with his hand and declarer had taken all day trying to make 3NT. Anyhow, he transferred and passed 2♠. Now his left-hand opponent, in the pass-out seat, had a reasonable hand with a diamond void and ♠K Q 8 6 3. He wondered if his side somehow got to defend 2♠ doubled or if partner had gone crazy with his presumed long diamond suit? Should he call the director and have the board thrown out? Anyhow, he decided to just make his normal pass.

Phillips said Allen played the contract well and made 2♠.

It turned out that the reason board 1 was so slow to arrive at their table was that one of their teammates was 10 minutes late arriving!

Free Parking

NABC guests enjoy free parking at the Renaissance. The garages are located at 9th and St. Charles and 9th and Olive. Players must have a validated pass to exit each time. Passes are available at the information desk at the America's Center and at the registration desk across from the Landmark Ballroom at the Renaissance.



2.30 3 Judy Pass - Helene Siegfried - Gretchen Smith, St Louis MO; Bernard Hoover, Ballwin MO
1.79 4 Robert Anderson, Bridgeton MO; S Rives - George Juenger, Saint Louis MO; Carolyn Kribben, Bradenton FL

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY MORNING COMPACT KNOCKOUT IV

10 Tables
4.31 1 Dominic Antonelli - Joseph Antonelli, Altoona IA; Richard Leonardon, Santa Fe NM; Niki Coons, Toronto ON
3.02 2 Kay Fuchs - Phyllis Kincaid - Patricia Lodato, Evansville IN; Jan Tucker, Newburgh IN
1.94 3 Honore Thynne - Judy Orthwein, Atlanta GA; Anna Urick, Hammond IN; Charlotte Abernethy, Griffith IN
1.51 4 Trella Bromley, Jacksonville FL; Jeff Jackson, White Bear Lake MN; Sheila Corbett, Newburgh IN; Brunhilde Baker, Bluffton SC

TUESDAY MIDNIGHT KNOCKOUTS

6 Tables
2.43 1 Jennifer Lin, San Francisco CA; McKenzie Myers, Beaverton OR; Kevin Fay, Columbia MO; Adam Kaplan, New Port Richey FL
1.29 2 Barry Margolin, Arlington MA; Lorraine Cable, New York NY; Thomas Walsh, Saskatoon SK; Kimberly Gilman, Carlisle MA

WEDNESDAY-FRIDAY MORNING KNOCKOUT I

6 Tables
Ben Bomber, Vancouver WA; Blake Sanders - Thomas Bandy, Jonesboro AR; Terry Schleppegrell, Boulder City NV

vs
Zizhuo Wang, Minneapolis MN; Erli Zhou, Arcadia CA; Qian Wang - Yi Cao, Shanghai Chad; Songhe Zhou,

Ken Gee, Regina SK; Hannah Moon, Prince Albert SK; Diyan Danailov, Sofia 1799 Bulgaria; Jerry Stamatov, Sofia Bulgaria; Gerald Lackner, Graz Austria; Ed Lazarus, Baltimore MD

vs
Linda O'Dell - Burt O'Dell, Ponte Vedra FL; Marianne Claysmith, St Augustine FL; Bjorgvin Kristinsson, Minneapolis MN

WEDNESDAY-FRIDAY MORNING KNOCKOUT II

6 Tables
Joseph Brown, Maplewood MN; Elaine Prebonich, New Brighton MN; Carrie Kaplan, Hudson WI; Judith Holderbach, Stillwater MN

vs
Lauren Brown, Mansfield TX; Carolyn Marks - Jan Choyce, Fort Worth TX; Janet Jordan, Aledo TX

Madhusree Biswas - Buddhadev Biswas, Lexington MA; Rosemary McCloskey - Chuck McCloskey, Raleigh NC

vs
Keith Meyer - Marci Meyer, Long Beach IN; Ken Cornelius - Mary Cornelius, Portland OR

WEDNESDAY-FRIDAY MORNING KNOCKOUT III

7 Tables
Mary David, Clive IA; Dianne Swieskowski, Des Moines IA; Claudia Blackman - Marilyn Jones, West Des Moines IA

vs
Marcia McCalden, Wolcott CO; Susan Lambe, Glenview IL; Berton Solomon, Edwards CO; W Multack, Miami Beach FL

Bernia Brandstaedter - Anne Bigelow - Larry Phillips, Winnipeg MB; Eileen Tranquilla, Millville NB

vs
Mary Warren, Wheaton IL; Carolyn Satrum, Downers Grove IL; Annet Bonfanti, Redding CT; Carolyn Crabtree, Coronado CA

European championships open again

In every odd-numbered year, the European Bridge League opens its summer tournament to all comers. This being 2013, the 6th European Open Bridge Championships are on tap for June 15-29 in Ostend, Belgium.

The tournament features a variety of formats: Pairs (Mixed, Open, Women's and Seniors) and teams (Open, Women's, Mixed and Seniors). There will also be side events each day.

Bridge players from all zones are eligible to participate provided they are members in good standing of their respective national bridge organizations (e.g., the ACBL).

Registration is now open. For technical information, email ostend2013@europeanbridge.org. For logistical information (hotel, travel, etc.) email secretariat@europeanbridge.org.

Ostend is a resort town on the North Sea. There are museums and art galleries – and the beach with the famous Sea Promenade. All hotels include breakfast, and there are many restaurants with a variety of cuisines.

A train ride from Brussels to Ostend takes about an hour.



The 2012 Silodor Open Pairs winners were Hans Christian Graverson and Dennis Bilde.

Open Pairs competitors vie for Silodor Trophy

The Silodor Open Pairs is a four-session event consisting of two qualifying and two final sessions.

The winners' names are engraved on the Silodor Trophy, presented in memory of Sidney Silodor, winner of the Bermuda Bowl, the McKenney Trophy and more than 30 North American championships.



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

Barry Crane holds the record in the event with seven victories.

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.

Previous winners:

- 1958 Leonard Harmon, Ivar Stakgold
- 1959 Lew Mathe, Edward Taylor
- 1960 Robert Jordan, Alvin Roth
- 1961 Mark Hodges, Hampton Hume
- 1962 Robert Jordan, Arthur Robinson
- 1963 Norman Kay, Sidney Silodor
- 1964 Barry Crane, Oswald Jacoby
- 1965 John Biddle, James Wisemiller
- 1966 Edgar Kaplan, Norman Kay
- 1967 Harvey Cohen, Maury Genud
- 1968 Ronald Balu, Richard Spero
- 1969 Robert Freedman, James Mathis
- 1970 Barry Crane, John Fisher
- 1971 1-2. Barry Crane, John Fisher
1-2. Joan Remey, Vincent Remey
- 1972 1-2. Barry Crane, John Fisher
1-2. Matt Granovetter, Merle Tom
- 1973 Michael Hoffman, Jack Rhatigan
- 1974 Barry Crane, John Fisher
- 1975 Garey Hayden, Daniel Hyland
- 1976 Terry Hause, Ernest Ivey
- 1977 Barry Crane, Peter Rank
- 1978 Robert Levin, Mike Passell
- 1979 Jeff Meckstroth, Eric Rodwell
- 1980 Paul Lewis, Michael Schreiber
- 1981 Dan Gerstman, Marc Nathan
- 1982 Gerald Caravelli, Craig Janitschke
- 1983 Barry Crane, Mike Passell
- 1984 Lou Bluhm, Bart Bramley
- 1985 Jim Robison, Joey Silver
- 1986 Lew Stansby, Ralph Katz
- 1987 Ed Manfield, Kit Woolsey
- 1988 Ron Rubin, Michael Becker

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TUESDAY AFTERNOON TUESDAY-THURSDAY SIDE SERIES

23.5 Tables	A	B	C		
5.16	1			Terry Crabbs - Paula Crabbs, Kansas City MO	61.54%
4.40	2	1	1	Chris Kimmel - Toni Kimmel, Vincennes IN	57.77%
3.17	3			Marshall Kuschner - Candace Kuschner, Reston VA	57.34%
3.30	4	2		Sanford Becker, Chesterfield MO; Robert Liu, Honolulu HI	57.26%
2.48	5	3		Stephen Zenk, Maryland Hts MO; Donald Prior, Key Biscayne FL	57.20%
1.86	6	4		Craig Ganzer, Brooklyn NY; Ludmila Antonova, San Francisco CA	56.63%
2.39		5	2	Michael Klemens - Nancy Klemens, Tarzana CA	55.86%
1.79		6	3	Elaine Jarchow - Ronald Jarchow, Union KY	54.83%
1.35			4	Patricia Berger, Chesterfield MO; Elizabeth Stephen, Eastport MI	54.55%
1.01			5	Honore Allen - Jean Srenco, Saint Louis MO	53.85%
1.16			6	Helene Siegfried, St Louis MO; Bernard Hoover, Ballwin MO	52.71%

WEDNESDAY DAYLIGHT OPEN PAIRS

48.0 Tables / Based on 49 Tables	A	B	C		
20.65	1			Fred Hoffer, Montreal QC; Don Piafsky, Toronto ON	63.24%
15.49	2			Meyer Kotkin, Cherry Hill NJ; Corey Krantz, Philadelphia PA	62.20%
11.62	3			Alexander Ornstein, New York NY; Eugene Saxe, Briarcliff NY	61.48%
8.71	4			Peter Matthews Jr, Roslindale MA; Gary Schwartz, Huntsville AL	60.04%
6.88	5			Faye Marino, Greenwich CT; Lawrence Lau, Westport CT	59.63%
5.90	6			Susan Schnellwar - Jesus Arias, New York NY	59.43%
5.16	7			Martin Graf, Chevy Chase MD; Mark Shaw, Columbia MD	58.70%
4.59	8			Paul Chan - Lily Chan, Columbia MO	58.58%
10.63	9	1		Sarah Furlow - Richard Furlow, Ann Arbor MI	58.57%
3.75	10			Rosemary Kelley - Paul Kelley Jr, Austin TX	58.43%
7.97	11	2		Jack Mayer, Shawnee Mission KS; Laurence Mayer, Overland Park KS	58.27%
3.22	12			Nicholas Stock, North Vancouver BC; Les Fouks, Vancouver BC	58.12%
2.95	13			Curtis Hastings, St Louis MO; Mark Ehret, Saint Louis MO	56.77%
5.98		3		Grant Petersen, Taylor MI; Michael McDonald, Rochester Hills MI	55.53%
4.48		4		Elizabeth Wachs - Julian Wachs, Chapel Hill NC	53.76%
3.54		5		Nancy Motes, Kennesaw GA; Arlyne Shockman, Philadelphia PA	53.62%
4.95		6	1	Becky Butler, Alpharetta GA; Chris Trower, Atlanta GA	53.53%
3.06		7		Carl Jones, Chicago IL; Alan Bostrom, San Francisco CA	53.25%
2.80		8		George Atherton - Susan Atherton, Baton Rouge LA	53.07%
3.71			2	John Maloney, Mahomet IL; Melissa Fitton, Urbana IL	52.82%
2.78			3	Hannah Tidman - Yaron Schweizer, Woodbury TN	49.38%
2.09			4	Pat Barnett, Glen Allen VA; Louis Kaminski, Litchfield IL	49.23%
2.16			5	Dianne Glick, Saint Louis MO; Doris Schwartz, Chesterfield MO	48.18%
1.41			6	Deborah Pirkle, Clearwater FL; Carol Wilson, Rolla MO	48.08%

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON 299ER PAIRS

19.0 Tables	A	B	C		
4.10	1			Thomas Krueger, Shorewood WI; Richard Krueger, Milwaukee WI	62.80%
3.73	2	1	1	Orlaine Gabert - Michael Gabert, Sturgeon Bay WI	62.50%
2.80	3	2	2	L Keith Graves - Karen Graves, Saint Charles MO	60.12%
2.10	4	3		Ken Schwartz, St Louis MO; Martha Ludewig, St. Louis MO	58.33%
1.57	5/6	4	3	Judith Lynch, Sarasota FL; Kathy Furgason, O'Fallon MO	57.74%
1.14	5/6			Norma Postudensek - Jim Postudensek, Duluth MN	57.74%
1.18		5		Joyce Kirby, Glen Carbon IL; Donna Murphy, Worden IL	57.44%
0.89		6		Bhadra Chheda, New Berlin WI; Joyce Dalal, Menomonee Falls WI	57.14%
1.20			4	Jim Bowers, Saint Louis MO; Aloys Faenger, St Louis MO	56.55%
0.79			5	Phillip Sand, Lake St Louis MO; Mark Guignon, St Louis MO	55.95%
0.67			6	Douglas Golden, Severna Park MD; Ruth Shilkret, Arnold MD	52.98%

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WEDNESDAY GOLD RUSH PAIRS

58.0 Tables				
	7	8		
16.81	1	1	Albert Stock, Valencia CA; Marguerite Pinkers, Santa Clarita CA	64.14%
12.61	2		James O'Brien - Thomas Strong, Springfield MO	61.46%
9.46	3		Susan Kilo, St Louis MO; Jan Mackey, Saint Louis MO	61.01%
6.35	4/5		Carolyn Bond, Shawee Mission KS; Ellen D'Amato, Kansas City MO	60.27%
6.35	4/5		Carolyn Rowley, Evanston IL; Ellen Bero, Skokie IL	60.27%
4.80	6		Catherine Wright, Rockford IL; Robert Larson, Roscoe IL	58.04%
3.97	7/8		Tom Cadwell, Saint Louis MO; Robert McDill, St Louis MO	57.89%
7.31	7/8	2	Robert Griffin, St Louis MO; Mark Ziegelman, Saint Louis MO	57.89%
3.36	9		Herbert Rosen, Overland Park KS; Kenneth Sagstetter, Dayton OH	57.23%
3.06	10		Catherine Bardsley - Wayne Bardsley, McLean VA	56.99%
2.80	11		Ted Peck, La Crosse WI; Thomas Olson, Madison WI	56.70%
5.48	12	3	Cathy Galan, Ballwin MO; Margaret Boveri, Saint Louis MO	56.40%
2.40	13		Andrew Dykes - Helene Dykes, Mission Viejo CA	56.38%
2.48	14/16		Larry Phillips - Anne Bigelow, Winnipeg MB	56.25%
3.68	14/16	4/5	Kathleen Essma, Kirkwood MO; Carolyn Bower, St Louis MO	56.25%
3.68	14/16	4/5	Darlene Londeree - Susan Soha, Columbia MO	56.25%
2.79	6		Penny Lepp - Ray Lepp, Bellevue WA	56.10%
2.44	7		Timothy Curtis - Suzanne Curtis, Ho-Ho-Kus NJ	55.57%
2.17	8		Marilyn Stoces, Chesterfield MO; Carolyn Vanek, Springfield IL	55.06%
2.36	9		Josh Rich, Alton IL; Kadie Davis, Edwardsville IL	54.76%
1.77	10		Anne Albrecht, Saint Louis MO; Melissa Georges, St Louis MO	54.46%

TUESDAY AFTERNOON (TUESDAY/THURSDAY A/E SIDE SERIES)

32.0 Tables				
	A	B	C	
6.37	1		Susan Jackson - Stephen Jackson, Roseville MN	65.14%
4.78	2	1	Timothy Baird, White Plains NY; H Jay Sloofman, Ardsley NY	64.29%
3.58	3	2	Normand Boulay - Christine Bourbeau, Laval QC	60.52%
2.69	4		Cheryl Ambach, Glasgow KY; Marsha Kyle, Louisville KY	59.79%
2.89	5	3	Betsi Tunnell, Nashville TN; Paul Burnham, Wilton CT	58.69%
2.02	6	4	Charlene Hendryx, Ankeny IA; Rita Kothari, Des Moines IA	58.44%
2.73	5	1	Becky Bien, Maumelle AR; Andrew Collins, Roland AR	58.41%
1.45	6		Mary Weyerich, Saint Louis MO; Richard Haacke, Olivette MO	56.98%
2.05		2	Aaron Mohrman, Seattle WA; Gregory Herman, Bellevue WA	56.96%
1.54		3	Yvonne Quintal - Ginny Macey, Cheyenne WY	52.79%
1.15		4	Tim White - Renae Gunstone-White, Mercer Island WA	51.78%
0.86		5	Herbert Hein Jr - Dorothy Hein, Belview MN	51.50%

WEDNESDAY A/X SIDE SWISS TEAMS

38 Tables / Based on 79 Tables				
	A	X		
11.79	1		Stephen Peterkin, Stirling United Kingdom; Samantha Punch, Stirling Fk United Kingdom; Paul Gipson, Duns Td113pz United Kingdom; Alex Gipson, Orpington England	103.00
7.74	2/3		Kimberly Whipple, Boca Grande FL; Kevin Dwyer, Tampa FL; Tim Verbeek, 3971Ma Netherlands; Danny Molenaar, 2592 Bz Netherlands	92.00
7.74	2/3		Geeske Joel, Palo Alto CA; Tobi Sokolow, Austin TX; Jill Meyers, Santa Monica CA; Janice Seamon-Molson, Hollywood FL; Sylvie Willard, Paris 75014 France; Benedicte Cronier, Paris 75018 France	92.00
4.97	4		Gary Macgregor - Heather Cutting, Portola Valley CA; Jim O'Neil, Cupertino CA; Kathleen Harper, Woodside CA	88.00
3.73	5		Barbara Sonsini, Woodside CA; Kerri Sanborn, Stony Point NY; Judi Radin, New York NY; Irina Levitina, Hackensack NJ; Lynn Deas, Schenectady NY; Beth Palmer, Chevy Chase MD	84.00
2.80	6		G S Jade Barrett, Elk Point SD; Anne Dawson, Delhi LA; Apolinary Kowalski, Warsaw 0 Poland; Jacek Romanski, Goscinna 7/33 Poland	83.00
1.84	7/8		Phyllis Fireman, Chestnut Hill MA; Robert Teel Jr, Birmingham AL; Krzysztof Buras, Warszawa Poland; Grzegorz Narkiewicz, Bielsk 09-230 Poland	82.00
1.84	7/8		Ann Brinker Schwall, Houston TX; Richard Troth, Columbia MO; Victoria Muir - William Muir, Kansas City MO	82.00
5.94	1		Brian Weikle, Robbinsdale MN; William Cummings, Monticello MN; Lance Chamberlain - Greg Caucutt, Rochester MN	67.00
4.46	2		Richard Goll - Norma Goll, Tekamah NE; Ilene Grabel - Barbara Hopewell, Palm Desert CA	66.00
3.34	3		James Nunn, Chesterfield MO; Jane Ettelson - Elizabeth Percich, Saint Louis MO; Michael Pitonak, Valley Park MO	61.00
2.51	4		Nancy Ogreenc, Wautoma WI; Robert Webster, Ripon WI; Robert Korten, Frankfort MI; Michael Creager, Brecksville OH	57.00
1.88	5		Linda Tuff, Lower Sackville NS; Susan Hubley, Halifax NS; David Goldfarb, Houston TX; Jonathan Goldberg, Saint Louis MO	56.00

WEDNESDAY EVENING 299ER PAIRS

9.0 Tables				
	A	B	C	
2.68	1	1	1 Ruth Bosse, Lake St Louis MO; James McClure, Ofallon MO	61.61%
2.01	2	2	2 Sheron Meyer - Judith Wagner, Belleville IL	61.31%
1.51	3		Irwin Levine - Susan Levine, Leawood KS	55.65%
1.13	4		Dave Murdock, Wagoner OK; Norma Kolmer, Muskogee OK	55.06%
0.94	5		Norma Postudensek - Jim Postudensek, Duluth MN	53.87%
1.35		3	3 Mary Morgan - Marilyn Fox, St Louis MO	52.98%
1.01		4	4 Richard Ahrens, St Louis MO; Dave West, Winnipeg MB	51.49%
0.76		5	5 Aloys Faenger, St Louis MO; Jim Bowers, Saint Louis MO	50.89%

WEDNESDAY EVENING 299ER SWISS TEAMS

5 Tables				
	A	B	C	
2.12	1		Toni Messinger - Richard Messinger, Alton IL; Janet Little, Wood River IL; Carol Phillips, Godfrey IL	50.00
1.73	2	1	1 Ken Schwartz - Gerald Greiman, St Louis MO; Martha Ludewig, St. Louis MO; Robert Tucker, Chesterfield MO	41.00

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- 1989** Kit Woolsey, Ed Manfield
- 1990** Don Campbell, Barry Harper
- 1991** Larry Mori, Henry Bethe (became Open Pairs)
- 1992** Bernie Miller, Mike Lucas
- 1993** Russ Ekeblad, Peter Weichsel
- 1994** Lloyd Arvedon, Allan Falk
- 1995** John Strauch, Evan Bailey
- 1996** Ralph Katz, Howard Weinstein
- 1997** Eric Greco, Geoff Hampson
- 1998** Geir Helgemo, Tony Forrester
- 1999** Mike Passell, Michael Seamon
- 2000** Mike Cappelletti, Larry Hicks
- 2001** Jim Tritt, Richard Meffley
- 2002** Joergen Molberg, Boerre Lund
- 2003** Ralph Katz, Michael Rosenberg
- 2004** Larry Cohen, David Berkowitz
- 2005** Bob Morris, Eddie Wold
- 2006** David Berkowitz, Larry Cohen
- 2007** Giorgio Duboin, Roy Welland
- 2008** Robert Lebi, Dan Jacob
- 2009** David Berkowitz, Larry N. Cohen
- 2010** Nicholas L'Ecuyer, Stephen Landen
- 2011** Joel Wooldridge, Gavin Wolpert
- 2012** Hans Christian Graverson, Dennis Bilde

Tell Me More

Judy Cotterman



City of residence
Kokomo IN

Place of birth
Kokomo

What is your favorite color?
Red

What kind of food makes you happy?
Chocolate and nuts

What are your favorite books?
Gone With the Wind, The Shack

What is your all-time favorite movie?
Hoosiers

Who are your favorite actors?
Paul Newman, Sandra Bullock

What do you do when you're not playing bridge?
Visit grandchildren, read, knit

What do you see as your best bridge result?
Winning a regional event in Merrillville IN when partner and I had fewer than 100 masterpoints and earning 32.12 gold

Who is your favorite bridge player?
Partner and husband David Cotterman

What is your favorite bridge convention?
Negative doubles

Is there a book that had a significant influence on you?
Bid Better, Play Better by Dorothy Truscott

What jobs/occupations do you/have you had?
Elementary school teacher

Do you have any bridge superstitions?
No

If you could invite any three people, past or present, to dinner, who would they be?
Billy Graham, James Whitcomb Riley, Betty White

Is there something you would love to learn?
To paint

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY KNOCKOUTS, BRACKET 1

16 Tables
 46.51 1 Ken Gee, Regina SK; Hannah Moon, Prince Albert SK; Jerry Stamatov, Sofia Bulgaria; Diyan Danailov, Sofia 1799 Bulgaria; Gerald Lackner, Graz Austria; Ed Lazarus, Baltimore MD
 32.56 2 Kelley Hwang - Jeffrey Rothstein, New York NY; Jim Russell, Bradenton FL; Edward Spear, Bangor ME
 18.60 3/4 Paul Trent - Sandra Trent, Port St Lucie FL; Bill Eisenberg, Perris CA; Martin Scheinberg, Riviera Beach FL
 18.60 3/4 Sun-O Ho, Redmond WA; Craig Zastera, Woodinville WA; Randy Corn, Kirkland WA; Tadashi Yoshida, Tokyo Japan

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY KNOCKOUTS, BRACKET 2

16 Tables
 28.31 1 Bill Wittmann, Colorado Spgs CO; Denis Murphy, Port Williams NS; James La Fountain, Temple TX; Jim Johnsen - Paul Darin, San Diego CA
 19.82 2 Fred Dischman, Kansas City MO; Gary McDole - William Karnaze Jr, Lees Summit MO; Jim Wart, Bentonville AR
 11.32 3/4 Nancy Ogreenc, Wautoma WI; Robert Kortzen, Frankfort MI; Michael Creager, Brecksville OH; Robert Webster, Ripon WI
 11.32 3/4 Bonnie Wilke, Aspen CO; Robert Todd, Tallahassee FL; Theresa Andino, Niceville FL; Max Aeschbacher, Salt Lake City UT; Ankur Rathi, Fort Worth TX

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY KNOCKOUTS, BRACKET 3

12 Tables
 20.10 1 Bryan Delfs, Horn Lake MS; Jan Ratliff, Highland Park IL; Todd Fisher, Chicago IL; Peter Cleaves, Sarasota FL
 14.07 2 Vickie Lanes - J Ann Bouchard - Jeanie Pearson, Columbia MO; Mary Rackers, Jefferson City MO
 8.04 3/4 Ronnie Frank - Ann Ruwitch, Saint Louis MO; Egon Diekhoff, Maryland Hts MO; Judith Inker, Wellesley Hills MA
 8.04 3/4 Charles Young - Rich Pestien, Peoria IL; Richard Brummer, Effingham IL; Thomas Cox, Mount Juliet TN

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY KNOCKOUTS, BRACKET 4

12 Tables
 17.13 1 Judy Ruehl - Chris King, Batavia OH; Michael Gladfelder - Mary Jane Gladfelder, Columbus OH
 11.99 2 Marie Duval, Montreal QC; Richard Collette, Valleyfield QC; Bryant Town, Edmonton AB; Lucia Enica, Belmont MA
 6.85 3/4 Simon Sellers - Diane Dillman, Barrington IL; James McKinney, Carol Stream IL; Rebecca Deaux, Collierville TN
 6.85 3/4 Thomas Aldrich III, Palatine IL; Fred Clayton, Carol Stream IL; Gerald Levy, Hoffman Estates IL; Gordon Parks, Long Grove IL

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY KNOCKOUTS, BRACKET 5

12 Tables
 14.52 1 Jim Heller, Petersburg IL; Elizabeth Zalar - Jeff Ehrlich - Sandra Stults, Springfield IL
 10.16 2 Martha Jo Jones - Irby Jones, Gonzales LA; Bill Beaushaw, Pearl River LA; Bruno Dellamea, Beckley WV
 5.81 3/4 Gordon Yee, Stafford TX; Kyle Lueders - John Lai, Houston TX; Kitty Wong, Pearland TX
 5.81 3/4 Sherry Wortsmith - Diane Lord - Sheila Mehaffy - Ann Lewis, Little Rock AR

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY KNOCKOUTS, BRACKET 6

16 Tables
 13.44 1 Michael Foley, Springdale AR; Brian Simet - Clyde McPhee - Barbara McPhee, Rogers AR
 9.41 2 Russell Craft - Dee Craft, Smith's Parish Bermuda; Linda Spencer, Fairview Hts IL; Melvin Patterson, Omaha NE
 5.38 3/4 Howard Balfour, Park Forest IL; Anna Urick, Hammond IN; Charlotte Abernethy, Griffith IN; Claire Murvihill, Chicago IL
 5.38 3/4 Mary Cotham - Jacqueline Montgomery - Jane Larimore, Fort Worth TX; Diane Washabaugh, Aledo TX; Pamela Gladysz, Ft Worth TX

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY KNOCKOUTS, BRACKET 7

16 Tables
 11.25 1 Michael Gritz - Ety Yenni, Santa Barbara CA; Michael Albert - Daniel AlbertRozenberg, Cambridge MA
 7.88 2 Joyce Sirota - Irene Beaudoin, River Forest IL; Susan Hanson - Richard Hanson, Northfield IL
 4.50 3/4 David Bilek - Sharon Bilek, Independence OH; Elaina Dylewski - Stephen Dylewski, Erie PA
 4.50 3/4 Michael Castagna - Glenna Castagna, Muskegon MI; Helene Miller, Spring Lake MI; Donald Hulander, N. Muskegon MI

WEDNESDAY COMPACT KNOCKOUT - BRACKET 1

16 Tables
 28.57 1 Lapt Chan, Forest Hills NY; Nicolas L'Ecuyer, Montreal QC; Winthrop Allegaert - Judith Bianco, New York NY
 20.00 2 Justine Cushing - Melih Ozdil, New York NY; Jiang Gu, Mountain Lakes NJ; Xiaodong Shi, Naperville IL
 12.86 3 Betty Bloom - Steve Bloom, Duanesburg NY; Jeffrey Juster, Dallas TX; John Stiefel, Wethersfield CT
 10.00 4 Robert Hollman, Santa Barbara CA; Bruce Ferguson, Palm Springs CA; Jerry Clerkin - Dennis Clerkin, Bloomington IN

WEDNESDAY COMPACT KNOCKOUT - BRACKET 2

16 Tables
 20.38 1 Paul Street, Delray Beach FL; Barnet Shenkin, Boca Raton FL; Ron Pachtmann, Kfar Saba 44 Israel; Eldad Ginossar, Moshav Zofit Israel
 14.27 2 Igor Milman - Oleg Rubinchik, Brooklyn NY; George Krizel, Fstrvl Trvose PA; Valeriy Marakulin, 630117 Russia

WEDNESDAY A/X PAIRS

60.0 Tables / Based on 120 Tables

	A	B		
31.02	1	1	Ann Morin, Park City UT; William Aeschbacher, Salt Lake City UT	60.74%
23.27	2		Barry Bragin, Silver Spring MD; Mark Laken, Glyndon MD	60.50%
17.45	3	2	Polly Siegel, Los Altos CA; Kevin Schoenfeld, Pleasanton CA	59.35%
13.09	4	3	Randall Roberts, Chicago IL; Robert Kruger, Elgin IL	59.05%
10.34	5		Jeff Roman, Alexandria VA; Karen Lee Barrett, Elk Point SD	58.93%
8.86	6		Mimi Bieber, Hartsdale NY; Paul Lewis, White Plains NY	58.17%
7.76	7		James Bauer, Dallas TX; Tomi FitzGerald, Frisco TX	57.13%
6.89	8		Subba Ravipudi, Downey CA; Jack Waller, Ridgecrest CA	56.33%
6.20	9		Zygmunt Marcinski, Westmount QC; Bryan Maksymetz, Vancouver BC	56.29%
5.64	10		Kerry Holloway, Bloomington MN; Susi Ross, Winter Spgs FL	56.26%
5.17	11		Susan Perez, Maryland Hts MO; John Samsel, Chesterfield MO	56.17%
4.45	12/14		Debra Romero, Clarkson Valley MO; En Xie, Saint Louis MO	55.53%
7.45	12/14	4	Robert Fisk, Cincinnati OH; Steve Callahan, Woodstock GA	55.53%
4.45	12/14		Robert Adams, Oklahoma City OK; Mike Aliotta, Edmond OK	55.53%
3.88	15		Michael Carmen, Saint Louis MO; Kathleen Safranski, Chesterfield MO	55.01%
3.65	16		Albert Bingaman Jr - Gregory Kiddy, Reading PA	54.93%
3.36	17/18		Bob Gruber - Linda Gruber, Camarillo CA	54.89%
3.36	17/18		Eugene White Jr, Playa del Rey CA; Cecil Cook, Long Beach CA	54.89%
3.47	19		Hugh Hillaker, Grand Prairie TX; Barry Schaffer, Frisco TX	54.81%
2.95	20		Fay Teal, Mesa AZ; Barry Harper, Regina SK	54.76%
5.88	21	5	Kay Jones, The Villages FL; Geoff Jones III, Orlando FL	54.73%
5.04		6	Claudia Tinajero - Jorge Nischli, Mexico Mexico	54.49%
4.41		7	Dennis Carman - Susan Bailey Carman, Plainwell MI	54.09%
4.35		8	Leslie Powell, South Hill VA; E Hale, Rolla MO	53.56%
3.53		9	Claudette Roush - Barbara Grantham, Houston TX	53.37%
3.21		10	Margi Dyer, Mayfield KY; Marsha McElroy, Davenport IA	52.64%
2.94		11	Michael Sattinger - Ulla Sattinger, Slingerlands NY	51.75%
2.72		12	David Stevens - Mark Daily, Charleston IL	51.36%
2.52		13	Steve Ramos, Jr, Seal Beach CA; John Petrie, Long Beach CA	50.72%

B/C/D SWISS TEAMS

	B	C	D	
41 Tables				
7.74	1	1	Peter Manzon, Waltham MA; Rita Callahan, Las Vegas NV; Rick Holcomb, Malden MA; Alix Taylor, Lincoln MA	103.00
5.81	2		Erli Zhou - Wei Wang - Yi Cao - Songhe Zhou - Dawei Su, Arcadia CA	100.00
5.69	3	2	Justin Graver - Jonathan Cohn, Omaha NE; Jeffrey Buckwalter, Papillion NE; Andrew Clements, La Vista NE	95.00
5.61	4	3	1 George Parkins, Vienna VA; Dennis Sponholtz, Chantilly VA; Sheryl McEwan, Reston VA; Ann Atcheson, Fairfax VA	90.00
3.20	5	4	Trevor Lumb, Atlanta GA; Ronald Francey, Corpus Christi TX; Bruce Altshuler, Los Angeles CA; Charles Alexander, Northbrook IL	84.00
4.21	6	5	2 Thomas Danford, Bellaire OH; Margaret Graham, St Clairsville OH; Thomas Didelot, Hartford WI; Carolyn Sprague, Anchorage AK	80.00
3.16		6	3 James Pirkle, Fort Collins CO; Daniel Rosenblatt, Winston Salem NC; Mark Blanchard, Bay Shore NY; Susan Scheinerman, Melville NY	79.00
2.37			4 John Altman - John Altman, Mariemont OH; Lawrence Newman, Cincinnati OH; Dennis Schultz, Harrison OH	76.00
1.78			5 Rosalie Corbett, Kirkwood MO; Sheila Fleming - Peggy Sciotto, Columbia TN; Laura Barnett, Chesterfield MO	74.00
1.33			6 William Evans, Bonne Terre MO; Toby Globe - Aaron Krieser - James Voelz, Saint Louis MO	69.00

9.17 3 Tom Breed, Kingwood TX; Janet Macchi, Statham GA; Suresh Mahajan, Del Mar CA; Rai Osborne, Anaheim CA
 7.13 4 David Rosenberg, Jackson Heights NY; Allen Kahn - Marin Marinov, New York NY; Robert Heitzman Jr, Suffern NY

WEDNESDAY COMPACT KNOCKOUT - BRACKET 3

12 Tables
 13.73 1 Richard Higgins - Ned Irving - Greg Frank, Hot Spgs Vlg AR; Bob Dale, Pensacola FL
 9.61 2 Omer Ekinci, Astoria NY; Ovunc Yilmaz, Chapel Hill NC; Zhuo Wang, Philadelphia PA; Zizhuo Wang, Minneapolis MN
 6.18 3 Albert Shrive, Dalton PA; Donna Rodwell, Clearwater Bch FL; Leora Dubrovsky - Richard Dubrovsky, Howell NJ
 4.81 4 Buddhadeb Biswas, Lexington MA; Richard Weiss, Swampscott MA; Robert Lurie, Wayland MA; Natalie Bassil, Boston MA

WEDNESDAY COMPACT KNOCKOUT - BRACKET 4

12 Tables
 12.22 1 Patricia Worthley, Andover MA; Donna Harrison - Tina Hinds, Columbia MO; Sue Becker, Canton OH
 8.55 2 Frances Doss - Denny Penticoff - Phil Michaelson, Hot Spgs Vlg AR; Suzanne Siebert, Little Rock AR
 5.50 3 Gerard Laquerriere, Clovis CA; Michael Strong - Johanna Strong, Winfield IL; Ping Hu, Naperville IL
 4.28 4 Courtney Nelson, Wells VT; Jane Shaw, Columbia MD; Richard Ferrin, Washington DC; Barbara Doran, Silver Spring MD

WEDNESDAY COMPACT KNOCKOUT - BRACKET 5

15 Tables
 11.64 1 Steven Wallis, L-5339, Moutfor Luxembourg; Judy McDonald - R Dee McDonald, Lavonia GA; Tammy Moll, Raleigh NC
 8.15 2 Lewis Gartnerman, Westwood MA; Stewart Rubenstein, Newton MA; Diogo Teixeira, Wellesley MA; Christine Halkiotis, Wellesley Hills MA
 5.24 3 A J Stephani, Cincinnati OH; Peter Whipple, Mason OH; V Netherwood - A Netherwood, Loveland OH

4.07 4 Jennifer Luner, St Louis MO; Beryl Shapiro, Saint Louis MO; Betty Anderson, Savannah GA; Carol Hamilton, Saint Charles MO

WEDNESDAY COMPACT KNOCKOUT - BRACKET 6

15 Tables
 9.39 1 Kim Brinkman, Highland Vllge TX; Jan Miyake, Oberlin OH; Thomas Miyake, Corinth TX; Elaine Everett, Downers Grove IL
 6.57 2 Phyllis Siegel, Ballwin MO; Jay Shah, St Louis MO; William Eaton, Edwardsville IL; Carol Warner, Fairview Hgts IL
 4.23 3 Delano Sylvester, Lake St. Louis MO; Janet Vontz, Lake St Louis MO; Veena Uberoi, St Louis MO; Charles Keltner, Highland IL
 3.29 4 Carol Windland, Glen Carbon IL; Nancy Cadwell - Robert Riggs, Saint Louis MO; Robert Cundall, Collinsville IL

WEDNESDAY COMPACT KNOCKOUT - BRACKET 7

16 Tables
 7.57 1 Bruce Bengtson, Park Ridge IL; Donald Schramek, Chicago IL; Charlene Richardson, Moorefield ON; Darlene Scott, Oakville ON
 5.30 2 Keith Meyer - Marci Meyer, Long Beach IN; Mary Cornelius - Ken Cornelius, Portland OR
 3.41 3 David Longstaff - Dianne Aves - Moira Hollingsworth, Waterloo ON; Alison Burkett, Kitchener ON
 2.65 4 Lauren Brown, Mansfield TX; Carolyn Marks - Jan Choyce, Fort Worth TX; Janet Jordan, Aledo TX

WEDNESDAY COMPACT KNOCKOUT - BRACKET 8

16 Tables
 5.92 1 Nelson Daigle - Sharon Henry, Metairie LA; Alma Slatten - Robert Pettit, New Orleans LA
 4.14 2 Eric Genheimer - Kyle Olson, Mustang OK; Janet Davis - Donald Davis, Norman OK
 2.66 3 Marilyn Lewis, Glen Ellyn IL; Bryan Lee Williams, Centralia IL; Ti Davis, Little Rock AR; Mary Berg, River Forest IL
 2.07 4 Mary David, Clive IA; Dianne Swieskowski, Des Moines IA; Claudia Blackman - Marilyn Jones, West Des Moines IA

ROCKWELL MIXED PAIRS

91.0 Tables			
100.00	1	Paul Lewis - Linda Lewis, Las Vegas NV	2976.98
75.00	2	Barbara Lehman, Glenview IL; Craig Jacobson, Skokie IL	2944.14
56.25	3	Greg Humphreys, Charlottesville VA; Jenni Carmichael, Kennesaw GA	2933.47
44.44	4	Asla Ronnaug - Svein Markussen, Skien Niger	2925.92
40.00	5	Sylvia Shi, Baltimore MD; Alexander Prairie, Washington DC	2901.19
36.36	6	Marion Michielsen, 3024 AM Rotterd Netherlands; Richard Zeckhauser, Cambridge MA	2877.54
33.33	7	Zachary Grossack, Newton MA; Kimberly Gilman, Carlisle MA	2871.46
30.77	8	David Caprera - Anne Brenner, Denver CO	2822.50
28.57	9	Ron Smith - Linda Smith, Hixson TN	2811.51
26.67	10	G. Margie Gwozdziński, Aventura FL; Michael Gamble, Shawnigan Lake BC	2779.25
25.00	11	Alan Schwartz - Annie Schwartz, Fairfax VA	2772.57
23.53	12	Paul Meerschaert, Saint Paul MN; Carole Miner, Rochester MN	2771.67
22.22	13	Jessica Piafsky, New York NY; Jacek Jerzy Kalita, Warsaw Poland	2770.56
21.05	14	Randall Rubinstein, Brooklyn NY; Dana Berkowitz, New York NY	2743.31
20.00	15	Sheila Gabay, Newton MA; Pat McDevitt, Brookline MA	2742.75
19.05	16	Ken Monzingo, San Diego CA; Bonnie Bagley, Colorado Spgs CO	2727.61
18.18	17	Michael Roche, Victoria BC; Pamela Nisbet, Ottawa ON	2725.25
17.39	18	Joann Glasson - Bob Glasson, Pennington NJ	2712.62
16.67	19	Diane Travis, Cincinnati OH; Frank Treiber III, Toledo OH	2698.78
16.00	20	Robert Gordon, Northport NY; Dori Cohen, Woodbury NY	2695.31
15.38	21	Rebecca Rogers, Las Vegas NV; John Grantham, Bentonville AR	2691.21
14.81	22	Erez Hendelman, New York NY; K Fung, Edmonton AB	2689.63
14.29	23	Paul Ivaska, Las Vegas NV; Carol Stewart, Henderson NV	2686.23
13.79	24	Allison Howard, Cookeville TN; Bryan Howard, Nashville TN	2674.44
13.33	25	Kathy Baum - Jay Baum, Germantown TN	2665.08
12.90	26	Alan Watson, Lexington MA; Susan Miller, Boca Raton FL	2664.73
12.50	27	Linda Eakes, Leawood KS; Don Stack, Overland Park KS	2655.89
12.12	28	Michael Strizhevsky, Dunwoody GA; Irina Ladyzhensky, Ellenton FL	2653.25
11.76	29	John Maki, Bothell WA; Amy DeShaw, Seattle WA	2646.58
11.43	30	Marc Nathan - Cathy Nathan, New York NY	2645.80
11.21	31	Cecilia Rimstedt, 43335 Partille Sweden; Eric Leong, Oakland CA	2645.19
10.81	32	John Zilic, Houston TX; Pam LaShelle, Round Rock TX	2637.97
10.53	33	Yukiko Tokunaga, 1800002 Japan; Kenji Miyakuni, Tokyo 167-004 Japan	2637.49
10.26	34	Ed Ulman, Portland OR; Toby Bassett, Lafayette LA	2630.56
10.00	35	Phillip Alder, Hobe Sound FL; Betty Ann Kennedy, Shreveport LA	2630.42
9.76	36	Georgia Heth, Morton IL; Jim Reiman, Mansfield OH	2624.75
9.52	37	Karen Walker, Champaign IL; Jordan Chodorow, Los Angeles CA	2619.39
9.30	38	James Senter - Gale Senter, San Clemente CA	2616.91
12.96	39	Si Dombu - Adis Dombu, Las Vegas NV	2616.46
8.89	40	Freerk Polling - Betty Parker, Palm Beach Gdns FL	2607.06
10.41	41	Alison Wilson, New York NY; Wilfried Librecht,	2602.43
8.51	42	Hjordis Eythorsdottir, Huntsville AL; Scott Levine, New York NY	2602.02
8.33	43	Dan Parish - Elise Parish, Omaha NE	2600.92
8.16	44	Sally Meckstroth, Clearwater Bch FL; Thomas Turgeon, Memphis TN	2598.98
8.00	45	Adam Grossack, Newton MA; Ljudmila Kamenova, South Setauket NY	2596.12
7.84	46	Les Bart - Gloria Bart, Bradenton FL	2590.90

Thursday Insider

The Insider likes facts and figures. Almost 30,000 Daily Bulletins will enter the front door of the hotel. The local committee will give away 4000 ballpoint pens and 2500 section top awards.

The check cashers will sell almost 7500 bridge bucks. More 40,000 hand records will be placed in places conspicuous and inconspicuous—the hand-record balloons have helped everyone find the sheets.

Twenty-one tons of bridge equipment rolled up I-55 from the Greater Horn Lake Metroplex a week ago, and 19 tons will roll back next week. Fifty-five thousand water cups will be used. And, by the end of the tournament, the Insider will have checked his Palm Pilot 372 times to see what day it is.

The Renaissance, America's Center, DeeDee's Deli, The Dubliner, Macy's and many other St. Louis establishments thank all of you for coming to their city. And we thank them for their hospitality. The Insider has found the waiters, waitresses, bartenders and sales staff everywhere to be delightful. He has yet to run into a single hotel employee who is not friendly, helpful and smiling. The weather has been cold and windy, but the playing space is warm and bright, the general player disposition sunny and bright . . . well, in some spots, anyway.

AMG appreciated all the player comments about her rumored departure. She will be in Atlanta this summer. The local committees there and in Phoenix, Dallas, Las Vegas and Providence are hard at work creating their unique versions of the NABC experience.

The Atlanta NABC will have the Youth NABC followed by the WBF youth team championships, the usual array of bridge events customized for players of all levels, great food and entertainment and a huge dash of southern hospitality. The Hyatt and adjacent food court are getting ready.

Delta is considering adding an economy, non-stop flight from Memphis to Atlanta at a reasonable hour of the day. (Note to regular readers—this is probably the most audacious and unlikely statement the Insider has ever written!) So, if you haven't done so already, reserve your room, book a flight, find the perfect partner and finalize your plans for another incredible NABC this August.

A Look Back

Inferences and counting (2007)

By Barry Rigal

New Yorkers Chris Willenken and Glenn Milgrim were relatively low on the qualifying on the first day of the 2007 Baldwin North American Pairs Flight A, but this board certainly helped them:

Dlr: North	♠ 4	♠ J	♠ A 9 7 6 2
Vul: E-W	♥ J 10 7 4 3 2	♥ A	♥ —
	♦ A K 6	♦ Q	♦ —
	♣ A 10 5	♣ 9 7	♣ —
		♠ K Q 10 8	♥ —
		♦ 10	♦ —
		♣ —	♣ —
♠ J	♠ A 9 7 6 2	♠ K Q 10 8 5 3	♠ A
♥ A K 9 6	♥ Q	♥ 8 5	♥ 7 5
♦ Q 7 5	♦ J 9 3 2	♦ 10 8 4	♦ K Q J 8 4 2
♣ K J 9 7 3	♣ Q 4 2	♣ 8 6	♣ 8 7 6 3
West	North	East	South
	<i>Willenken</i>		<i>Milgrim</i>
Pass	1♥	Pass	2♠
	Pass	Pass	

Milgrim's 2♠ was wide-ranging, up to 9 HCP, which persuaded West to stay silent. This was not a good move: East-West can make 3NT.

In 2♠, West's ♣7 lead went to the ♣Q and a club came back to dummy's ace. A low heart to the queen saw a third club, ruffed by Milgrim. Now on a heart to the king (East discarding a diamond), West played a diamond. Milgrim took the ♦A, ruffed a heart (East again pitching) and crossed to the ♦K to reach this ending:

♠ 4
♥ J 10 7
♦ 6
♣ —

♠ J
♥ A
♦ Q
♣ 9 7

♠ A 9 7 6 2
♥ —
♦ —
♣ —

♠ K Q 10 8
♥ —
♦ 10
♣ —

Declarer ruffed a heart to hand, overruffing East's ♠6, and exited with a diamond. East ruffed his partner's winner perforce and led a trump. At this point, East was known to have a 5-1-4-3 shape. Who had the ♠A J? Since West had already shown 14 HCP outside of spades, surely East had the ♠A. But East had not overcalled 1♠. Would he not have bid with a 10-count and ♠A J x x x? Milgrim put up the ♠K to drop the ♠J and claimed eight tricks.

Willenken and Milgrim finished second in the two-day contest.

The play justifies the bidding (2007)

Andy Avery and his partner Cecily Kohler bid to a skinny 5♦ contract during the first qualifying session of the 2007 Silidor Open Pairs. Avery justified the optimistic bidding when he found a neat trump squeeze to make his contract.

Avery is from Jamaica VT and Kohler is from Washington DC.

(Deal rotated.)

Dlr: East ♠ K 7 4 2
Vul: N-S ♥ 8 3
 ♦ A 10 7 5
 ♣ A K 5

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

♠ A
♥ 7 5
♦ K Q J 8 4 2
♣ 8 7 6 3

West	North	East	South
		Pass	2♦
2♥	3♥	Dbl	3♠
4♥	4♠	Dbl	5♦
Pass	Pass	Dbl	All Pass

West led the ♥A and another heart to the king. East shifted to a spade won by Avery. He now played five rounds of diamonds, pitching a club from dummy to reach this position with East to discard:

♠ K 7 4
♥ —
♦ —
♣ A K

♠ Q J ♠ 10 9 8
♥ Q J 9 ♥ —
♦ — ♦ —
♣ — ♣ Q J 10

♠ —
♥ —
♦ 4
♣ 8 7 6 3

TOURNAMENT APPEALS



In order to keep the bridge public informed of appeal results in a timely fashion, the NABC Daily Bulletin staff publishes write-ups. Every effort is made to ensure that these reports are accurate and complete. Before they are published in the NABC Appeals Casebook, however, revisions may be made.

APPEAL CASE 2

Event: Platinum Pairs
Session: Second qualifier
Subject: Unauthorized information

Bd: 23 *Venkatrao Koneru*
Vul: Both ♠ K 3 2
Dlr: South ♥ —
♦ K 9 6 5 3
♣ A 10 9 7 3

<i>Joaquin Pacareu</i>	<i>Alejandro Bianchedi</i>
♠ J 9 7 6	♠ A 8 4
♥ A J 7 4 3	♥ K Q 6 5
♦ 7	♦ A 10 2
♣ Q 6 5	♣ K J 4

Stephen Landen
♠ Q 10 5
♥ 10 9 8 2
♦ Q J 8 4
♣ 8 2

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

(1) Alerted and explained as showing the majors.

Contract: 3♦ doubled

Opening lead: ♦2

Table result: Making three, N–S plus 670

Director ruling: 2♠ doubled by North, down four, N–S minus 1100

Committee ruling: 3♦ doubled by North, N–S plus 670

Facts: The director was summoned after the dummy was tabled. During the auction, South's 2♦ bid was duly Alerted and explained by North as takeout for the majors. This agreement was specifically listed on the N–S convention card.

Director's ruling: The director ruled that North's explanation of "majors" constituted unauthorized information. Law 16 states that a player may not choose from among logical alternatives one which may have been demonstrably suggested by the UI. The explanation of "majors" demonstrably suggested that 3♦ would be a more attractive contract than 2♠ doubled. Accordingly, the director adjusted the result to 2♠ doubled by North, down four, N–S minus 1100.

The appeal: N–S appealed the ruling and attended the hearing. South stated that he had forgotten their methods which were clearly marked on their convention card (as verified by the ruling director). He knew that the "train had gone off the tracks" and passed 2♠ with a known poor fit. After West doubled 2♠ he felt that bridge logic demanded that he return to the known eight-/probably nine-card diamond fit.

The decision: The Appeals Committee discovered that N–S were playing Standard with 1♦ generally promising four cards in the suit. Based upon the appellants' convention card, it was clear that the Alert and the explanation of the 2♦ bid were correctly given. The only appeal issue was South's bid of 3♦ after 2♠ had been doubled.

South had already passed 2♠ when the UI had suggested otherwise. However, the double changed the likelihood of salvaging an acceptable result from playing in a fit that is either 4–3 or 3–3. The Committee decided that there was no logical alternative to running to 3♦ after 2♠ had been doubled, especially when the diamond fit was known to be at least 4–4 and maybe better. The actual table result was merely the "rub of the green" for E–W.

Thus, the Committee adjusted the result back to the original table result of 3♦ doubled by North, N–S plus 670.

DIC: Doug Grove

Chairperson: Mark Bartusek

Committee members: Craig Allen, Chris Moll, David Caprera and Marc Rabinowitz

APPEAL CASE 3

Event: Platinum Pairs
Session: Second qualifier
Subject: Misinformation

Bd: 23 *Daniel Gerstman*
Vul: Both ♠ K 3 2
Dlr: South ♥ —
♦ K 9 6 5 3
♣ A 10 9 7 3

<i>John Diamond</i>	<i>Bob Hamman</i>
♠ J 9 7 6	♠ A 8 4
♥ A J 7 4 3	♥ K Q 6 5
♦ 7	♦ A 10 2
♣ Q 6 5	♣ K J 4

Kenneth Kranyak
♠ Q 10 5
♥ 10 9 8 2
♦ Q J 8 4
♣ 8 2

West	North	East	South
Pass	1♦	1NT	2♦ (1)
Dbl	All Pass		

(1) Alerted and explained as "majors"

Contract: 2♦ doubled by North

Opening lead: ♥K

Table result: Making four, N–S plus 580

Director ruling: Making four, N–S plus 580

Committee ruling: Making four, N–S plus 580

The facts: North Alerted South's 2♦ bid and explained it was for the majors, but that there was a possibility that South had forgotten. West doubled to show values. The director was summoned at the end of the auction. North was then sent away from the table and South, upon being asked for the meaning, explained it was for the majors. After the opening lead of the ♥K, 2♦ doubled made four for N–S plus 580.

Director's ruling: South had forgotten his agreement when he bid 2♦, but explained their partnership agreement correctly when asked, so there was no infraction and the table result was allowed to stand.

The appeal: East–West appealed the ruling and East, West and South attended the hearing. East–West were willing to stipulate that North–South's agreement was as explained, but East alleged that North's failure to bid 2♠ over West's double indicated that North knew that South did not have majors and therefore, East–West were damaged by the misinformation.

South, who said he had forgotten his partnership agreement, was reminded of it by his partner's explanation and gave that same explanation when asked about the meaning of his 2♦ bid, thinking that his obligation was to describe his partnership agreement and not his hand. He also said that the conventional meaning was described in his partnership's system notes that he had earlier in the week, but that were no longer available.

The decision: The Appeals Committee held that there was no indication from North's pass that he had any undisclosed knowledge or that the meaning of 2♦ was not as explained. North had no unauthorized information that prevented him from passing and he could always bid 2♠ if necessary on the next round.

The committee discounted East–West's stipulation as to the meaning of 2♦, since the committee is obliged to argue the non-offenders' best case for them, but it found that the Law's presumption of mistaken explanation rather than misbid does not apply when both partners agree as to the meaning. South's delayed agreement after North's explanation was troubling, but whereas South was not entitled to base any bridge action on North's explanation, he was obligated to describe his partnership agreement to the opponents. Therefore, the committee upheld the director's ruling, but felt that because of South's original uncertainty, the appeal had merit.

As an aside, South asked whether it was his obligation to include in his explanation of 2♦ for the majors a statement to the effect of, "But that's not what I thought at the time." Under current laws and regulations, he is not required to do so. However, voluntarily disclosing his confusion (in effect, describing his hand as well as his agreement) would not have been wrong. The Laws Commission is considering whether to recommend that the Laws be interpreted to require such a statement.

DIC: Doug Grove

Chairperson: Ron Gerard

Committee members: Mitch Dunitz, Patty Tucker, E.J. Kales and Ray Miller

APPEAL CASE 4

Event: Platinum Pairs
Session: Second qualifying
Subject: Misinformation

Bd: 18 *Peter Fredin*
Vul: N–S ♠ A Q 10 6
Dlr: East ♥ 7 5 4
♦ K 8 7 7 6
♣ 9 5

<i>Sabine Auken</i>	<i>Roy Welland</i>
♠ 9 4	♠ K J 8 7
♥ A 9 6 2	♥ Q J 8 3
♦ 5 4 3 2	♦ Q
♣ 10 7 3	♣ A K J 6

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

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

(1) Announced as at least two clubs.

(2) Shows hearts.

(3) Unbalanced with four hearts, strong

(4) Puppet to 3♥.

Contract: 3♥ by East

Opening lead: low club

Table result: Making four, N–S minus 170

Director ruling: Making four, N–S minus 170

Committee ruling: Making four, N–S minus 170

The facts: At the end of the auction, South asked about the minor-suit length. East said the sequence just showed an unbalanced hand, and could contain five clubs or five diamonds.

After the session was over, North talked to Bjorn Fallenius, who plays a similar system to East–West, and was told that East could not have five diamonds for this sequence. They asked for a ruling, saying that South would not lead a club if told East showed four clubs, which North claims it does.

Director's ruling: Given that East–West was unavailable to verify either the facts or that the East–West system was identical to that played by Fallenius, the directors ruled that they could not

F & F replace his Hog-ness

In days gone by, predictions were put forth by the Hog, the not really anonymous Ron Andersen. Today marks the debut of Flora and Fauna, astute observers of the world of bridge in St. Louis. Please welcome them to the Daily Bulletin fold. And now for the predictions.

Flora: This is my guarantee of the day. Norby will beat Nickell. To me, the upset would be if they lose. He is so dreamy and that cute boy he plays with is, too. I love the way his hair is long and unkempt.

Fauna: My upset special is Auken vs Monaco. Only one of those bad boys is from here, all the rest from Europe. But there is a girl on the team, possibly the best woman player in the world. We stand together.

Flora: Cayne wins but it is not close

Fauna: I cannot see any other upsets happening; Amoils, Fleisher, Lynch, Van Prooijen all cruise.

Flora: One Cinderella team is certain to make the round of 8. Remarkably the two dark horses that no one can identify drew each other. That naughty boy Daniel will send Huang back home.

Fauna: I wish more of the four women playing could be in the round of 8 but I am so giddy that two of them will.



Look back

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If East discards a spade, Avery can lead a club to the board and ruff a spade, setting up the ♠7. If, instead, East discards a club, declarer can play the ♣A K establishing the low ones in the closed hand with a trump left as an entry.

Making 5♦ doubled scored 23 on a 25 top and helped the pair qualify for Saturday's final. Deep Finesse says that if East shifted to a club at trick three, the contract could be set. Declarer doesn't have the entries to set up the fourth spade and return to cash it.

New Electronic Device Policy



The electronic device policy at NABCs has been revised to allow players to bring electronic devices such as cell phones into the playing area provided that such devices are **turned off**.

Further, any such equipment **must not be visible** during the session

The policy applies to all pairs, team members, captains, coaches, kibitzers and play recorders, except those designated by the ACBL and are in force throughout any actual playing session or segment of play.

A violation of the policy will result in an automatic disciplinary penalty of one full board (or 12 IMPs at that form of scoring) for the first offense. A second offense will result in disqualification from the event for the pair/team. Kibitzers violating this policy will be removed from the playing area for the remainder of the session.

establish that an infraction took place. The table result was allowed to stand, 3♥ by East, making four, North-South minus 170.

The appeal: North-South appealed the ruling and North attended the hearing.

The decision: The Appeals Committee found no basis for a score adjustment. East-West had explained the meaning of 1♣ and had not been made aware that hearsay testimony had called that explanation into question. The committee felt that such extrinsic evidence could not establish that East-West had given any misinformation when they had no opportunity to refute the allegation. The committee upheld the director's ruling. The committee informed North that an appeal was not appropriate under the circumstances, and that his proper course of action would have been to file a Player Memo with the recorder. Accordingly, the committee assessed an Appeal Without Merit Warning.

DIC: Doug Gove

Chairperson: Ron Gerard

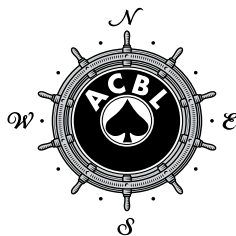
Committee members: Mitch Dunitz, Patty Tucker, E.J. Kales and Ray Miller

Bid Box Alerts and Announcements

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

When making an Announcement, use the Announcement word (such as "transfer") and tap the Alert strip at the same time.

A player who Alerts or Announces a bid must make sure his opponents are aware that an Alert or Announcement has been made.



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31	Ron Smith - Linda Smith, Hixson TN
32	Donald Florida - Annette Clark, Indianapolis IN
33	Sally Meckstroth, Clearwater Beh FL; Thomas Turgeon, Memphis TN
34	Joshua Stark, Grayslake IL; Suzanne Dunn, Crystal Lake IL
35	Randall Rubinstein, Brooklyn NY; Dana Berkowitz, New York NY
36	Jan Assini, Aurora OH; Jerry Helms, Charlotte NC

ROCKWELL MIXED PAIRS 2ND FINAL SESSION

SECTIONS E F G K H I J EAST-WEST

62.84%	1	Nataly Goldin, Chestnut Hill MA; Lloyd Arvedon, Woburn MA	65.49%
62.61%	2	Sylvia Shi, Baltimore MD; Alexander Prairie, Washington DC	63.01%
62.07%	3	Lynn Shannon, Los Gatos CA; Michael Bodell, Santa Clara CA	62.05%
61.82%	4	Joann Glasson - Bob Glasson, Pennington NJ	60.26%
61.30%	5	Linda Fakes, Leawood KS; Don Stack, Overland Park KS	58.85%
59.98%	6	David Caprera - Anne Brenner, Denver CO	57.52%
57.50%	7	Jessica Pfafsky, New York NY; Jacek Jerzy Kalita, Warsaw Poland	57.26%
56.94%	8	Georgia Heth, Morton IL; Jim Reiman, Mansfield OH	56.43%
56.47%	9	Greg Humphreys, Charlottesville VA; Jenni Carmichael, Kennesaw GA	56.22%
56.47%	10	Alan Popkin, St Louis MO; Nancy Popkin, Saint Louis MO	56.18%
56.43%	11	Chuck Burger - Suzy Burger, West Bloomfield MI	55.75%
56.03%	12	Paul Lewis - Linda Lewis, Las Vegas NV	55.62%
55.85%	13	Christopher Gibson - Meg Myers, Beaverton OR	54.91%
55.41%	14	Dan Parish - Elise Parish, Omaha NE	54.64%
55.32%	15	Sheila Gabay, Newton MA; Pat McDevitt, Brookline MA	54.40%
55.11%	16	Stephen McConnell, Evanston IL; Patti Hartley, Kirkland WA	54.36%
54.98%	17/18	Diane Graese, Las Vegas NV; Martin Caley, Montreal QC	54.04%
54.85%	17/18	Alan Watson, Lexington MA; Susana Miller, Boca Raton FL	54.04%
54.34%	19	David Brower, Portland OR; Linda Wiener, Vancouver WA	53.78%
54.21%	20	Nancy Katz, Carolina PR; Richard Zucker, Dobbs Ferry NY	53.74%
54.10%	21	Kenneth Bland - Carol Schaffer, Saint Louis MO	53.65%
53.87%	22	Mike Albert, Omaha NE; Karen Verdirame, Bennington NE	53.38%
53.68%	23	Allison Howard, Cookeville TN; Bryan Howard, Nashville TN	53.33%
53.33%	24	G. Margie Gwozdziński, Aventura FL; Michael Gamble, Shawnigan Lake BC	53.29%
53.29%	25	Robert Gordon, Northport NY; Dori Cohen, Woodbury NY	53.27%
53.08%	26	Ellie Hanlon, Tequesta FL; Harold Feldheim, Hamden CT	53.23%
52.97%	27	Jack Lacy, Lago Vista TX; Sally Clark, Carlsbad CA	53.21%
52.95%	28	Richard Oshlag - Mary Oshlag, Memphis TN	53.18%
52.84%	29	B Horiguchi, Gardena CA; Donna Chambers, Schenectady NY	52.99%
52.67%	30	Alan Schwartz - Annie Schwartz, Fairfax VA	52.97%
51.79%	31	Melanie Tucker, New York NY; Bar Tarnovski, Rishon LeZion Israel	52.95%
51.58%	32	Jeff Hand - Gail Greenberg, New York NY	52.84%
50.94%	33	Loretta Rivers, Monroe LA; Mike Cappelletti, Winter Park FL	52.22%
50.85%	34	Cheryl Schneider, Westerville OH; George St Pierre, Columbus OH	52.18%
50.83%	35	Nancy Passell, Plano TX; Bryan Storey, Frisco TX	52.03%
50.71%	36	Alan Applebaum, Brookline MA; Yiji Starr, Wayland MA	51.75%

WEDNESDAY GOLD RUSH PAIRS SECOND SESSION

NORTH-SOUTH		SECTION MM		EAST-WEST	
7	8	7	8	8	
1	1	60.71%	1	Susan Keyes - Leslie Conant, Dallas TX	58.63%
2	2	58.93%	2/3	Pat Friesen, San Rafael CA; Terry Kee, Greenbrae CA	55.36%
3		54.46%	2/3	Kathleen Essma, Kirkwood MO; Carolyn Bower, St Louis MO	55.36%
4		49.40%	4	Mark Brightfield - Doris Fairgrieve, St Louis MO	53.87%
	3	49.11%			
NORTH-SOUTH		SECTION NN		EAST-WEST	
7	8	7	8	8	
1		56.55%	1	Catherine Wright, Rockford IL; Robert Larson, Roscoe IL	60.12%
2	1	56.25%	2	Tom Cadwell, Saint Louis MO; Robert McDill, St Louis MO	59.23%
3	2	51.49%	3	Arlene Geisler - Kenneth Geisler, Clarkston MI	58.93%
4/5		50.60%	4	Charles Langley, Mechanicsburg IL; Mark Schollenberger, Springfield IL	55.06%
4/5		50.60%		Anne Albrecht, Saint Louis MO; Melissa Georges, St Louis MO	54.17%
NORTH-SOUTH		SECTION OO		EAST-WEST	
7	8	7	8	8	
1		69.94%	1	Alan Wilson - Lesley Wilson, Port Elgin ON	61.90%
2	1	60.42%	2	Andrew Dykes - Helene Dykes, Mission Viejo CA	58.63%
3		53.57%	3	Vladimir Oudalov, Waukesha WI; Stanley Weiss, Livingston NJ	55.36%
4		52.98%	4	Eileen Tranquilla, Millville NB; Bernia Brandstaedter, Winnipeg MB	50.30%
	2	50.30%		Marlene Nievin - Marilyn Eisenhut, Racine WI	49.40%
	3	49.40%		Kenneth Gibson - Wendy Gibson, Stow OH	48.51%
			3/4	Joan Bornstein, Avon CO; Judy Yordi, Cordillera CO	48.51%

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Kevin wishes good luck and success to all of the players at the Spring NABC, especially to his client, Jacqueline Sincoff. Kevin has been a leading investment advisor in the St. Louis area for more than 15 years. Brokers, like bridge players, are intellectual and make many winning plays!

NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION TTT			EAST-WEST		
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1		Martin Grossman - Audrey Grossman, Indianapolis IN	57.74%	1		Gary Waldron - Carol Foster, Laguna Beach CA		62.50%
2		Catherine Bardsley - Wayne Bardsley, McLean VA	55.06%	2	1	Camilla Baxter, Lake St Louis MO; Carol Rentz, Bridgeton MO		59.82%
3/4	1/2	W Multack, Miami Beach FL; Berton Solomon, Edwards CO	53.27%	3	2	Navin Shah, Maryland Hgts MO; Elaine Booker, Arnold MO		53.57%
3/4	1/2	Ronald Montague, la Porte TX; Nancy Montague, La Porte TX	53.27%	4	3	Joann Sandler - Roberta Trochtenberg, Saint Louis MO		51.49%
						Betty Scaife, Vilonia AR; Carol Eiseman, Little Rock AR		50.60%
NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION UUU			EAST-WEST		
7	8			7	8			
1		Jeffrey Perigoni, Slidell LA; Connie Hester, Baton Rouge LA	63.39%	1		Carolyn Rowley, Evanston IL; Ellen Bero, Skokie IL		59.52%
2	1	Cathy Galan, Ballwin MO; Margaret Boveri, Saint Louis MO	59.23%	2	1	Josh Rich, Alton IL; Kadie Davis, Edwardsville IL		55.65%
3	2	Marilyn Stoces, Chesterfield MO; Carolyn Vanek, Springfield IL	54.76%	3		Julianne Wooden, North Vancouver BC; Judith Arbus, Toronto ON		55.36%
4		Roberta Kauss, Kirkwood MO; Ann Gruver, Ballwin MO	53.57%	4	2	Marcia Pandjiris, Chesterfield MO; Edward Reese, San Antonio TX		53.57%
NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION VVV			EAST-WEST		
7	8			7	8			
1		Patricia Dollarhide - Chuck Dollarhide, Oklahoma City OK	64.29%	1		Danielle Tremblay, Outremont QC; Denise Roy-Letourneau, Lasalle QC		63.39%
2		Susan Kilo, St Louis MO; Jan Mackey, Saint Louis MO	59.23%	2	1	Albert Stock, Valencia CA; Marguerite Pinkers, Santa Clarita CA		59.52%
3		Ted Peck, La Crosse WI; Thomas Olson, Madison WI	54.76%	3	2	Robert Griffin, St Louis MO; Mark Ziegelman, Saint Louis MO		58.04%
4	1	Rayanna Bramblett, Pebble Beach CA; Grace Fagin, Chesterfield MO	52.38%	4		Mary Ann Boyle, Edgewood KY; Beverly Broomhead, Villa Hills KY		53.87%
4	2	Randall Stephens - Philip Sticha, Columbia MD	47.62%					

WEDNESDAY EVENING (TUESDAY/THURSDAY AFTERNOON/EVENING SIDE SERIES 4/6 SESSION)

NORTH-SOUTH			SECTIONS PP QQ RR			EAST-WEST		
A	B	C		A	B	C		
1		Susan Jackson - Stephen Jackson, Roseville MN	65.14%	1	1	Timothy Baird, White Plains NY; H Jay Sloopman, Ardsley NY		64.29%
2	1	Betsy Tunnell, Nashville TN; Paul Burnham, Wilton CT	58.69%	2	2	Normand Boulay - Christine Bourbeau, Laval QC		60.52%
3	2	Charlene Hendryx, Ankeny IA; Rita Kothari, Des Moines IA	58.44%	3		Cheryl Ambach, Glasgow KY; Marsha Kyle, Louisville KY		59.79%
4	3	Becky Bien, Maumelle AR; Andrew Collins, Roland AR	58.41%	4	3	Mary Weyerich, Saint Louis MO; Richard Haacke, Olivette MO		56.98%
5		Forest Clark, Aurora CO; Kathleen Ludwig, Henderson CO	56.77%	5	4	Aaron Mohrman, Seattle WA; Gregory Herman, Bellevue WA		56.96%
6		Adam Kaplan, New Port Richey FL; Mr Tourney Services, Beaverton OR	55.82%	6	5	Margaret Brennan, West Des Moines IA; Patricia Rogoski, Memphis TN		55.84%
7		Richard Chan, Markham ON; Randy Okubo, Saint Paul MN	53.62%	7	6	David Dodgson, Lansdale PA; Thomas Salter, Hatfield PA		55.48%
8	4	Polly Schoning, Manhattan KS; Dianne Childs, Wamego KS	52.88%	8		Craig Allen, Glen Ellyn IL; Michael Huston, Joplin MO		55.41%
9		Irwin Klugler, Montclair NJ; Judy Wirtenberg, East Brunswick NJ	52.59%	9		John Derald - Jan Derald, Western Springs IL		53.61%
10	5	Jan Loftin - William Smith, Lincoln NE	52.55%	10	7	Matthew Diehl, Ballwin MO; Chuck Etlsson, Saint Louis MO		53.59%
11	6	Fred Clayton, Carol Stream IL; Gerald Levy, Hoffman Estates IL	52.15%	11		Joseph Browan, Maplewood MN; Elaine Prebonich, New Brighton MN		53.24%
12		Josephine Grabow, Grey Forest TX; Carolyn Riely, San Antonio TX	52.14%	12	8	Yvonne Quintal - Ginny Macey, Cheyenne WY		52.79%
13	7	Michael Shaw - Terry Visentin, Winnipeg MB	52.03%	13		Lawrence Cheetham, Bedford NH; Arthur Giovannangeli, Dublin NH		52.60%
	8	Ronnie Frank, Saint Louis MO; Judith Inker, Wellesley Hills MA	51.93%			Mark Marty, Clayton CA; Robert Freeman, Willowdale ON		50.98%
	2	Tim White - Renae Gunstone-White, Mercer Island WA	51.78%		3			
	3	Herbert Hein Jr - Dorothy Hein, Belview MN	51.50%					

WEDNESDAY EVENING 299ER PAIRS

NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION BBB			EAST-WEST		
A	B	C		A	B	C		
1	1	1	Ruth Bosse, Lake St Louis MO; James McClure, Ofallon MO	61.61%	1	1	Sharon Meyer - Judith Wagner, Belleville IL	61.31%
2		1	Irwin Levine - Susan Levine, Leawood KS	55.65%	2		Norma Postudensek - Jim Postudensek, Duluth MN	53.87%
3		2	Dave Murdock, Wagoner OK; Norma Kolmer, Muskogee OK	55.06%	3	2	Richard Ahrens, St Louis MO; Dave West, Winnipeg MB	51.49%
4	2	2	Mary Morgan - Marilyn Fox, St Louis MO	52.98%	4	3	Aloys Faenger, St Louis MO; Jim Bowers, Saint Louis MO	50.89%
	3		Terran Leemis, Bloomfield Hill MI; Arlene Stec, Rochester MI	50.60%				

WEDNESDAY A/X PAIRS EVENING SESSION

NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION X			EAST-WEST		
A	B			A	B			
1	1	1	Ann Morin, Park City UT; William Aeschbacher, Salt Lake City UT	64.74%	1	1	Leslie Powell, South Hill VA; E Hale, Rolla MO	59.84%
2		2	Zygmunt Marcinski, Westmount QC; Bryan Maksymetz, Vancouver BC	60.50%	2		Jeff Roman, Alexandria VA; Karen Lee Barrett, Elk Point SD	57.44%
3	2		Judy Cardin, Bonita Springs FL; Bruce Greenspan, Naples FL	56.30%	3	2	Polly Siegel, Los Altos CA; Kevin Schoenfeld, Pleasanton CA	54.91%
4			Paul Ross, Fair Grove MO; Jeanne Jenkins, Springfield MO	55.31%	4	3	Jim Davis - Francis Tseng, Erie PA	52.83%
5	3		Jonathan Forde, Geneva NY; James Carroll, Lyons NY	53.34%	5		Steve Ramos, Jr, Seal Beach CA; John Petrie, Long Beach CA	52.08%
6			Greg Loran - Carol Schoenhals, Lubbock TX	52.94%	6		Franklin Gonzalez, Menlo Park CA; Henryk Szejnwald, Los Altos CA	51.92%
	4		C. Leland Nettles, Syria VA; Benjamin Allen, Culpeper VA	51.43%				
NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION Y			EAST-WEST		
A	B			A	B			
1	1	1	Kay Jones, The Villages FL; Geoff Jones III, Orlando FL	56.73%	1		Susan Perez, Maryland Hts MO; John Samsel, Chesterfield MO	62.18%
2		2	Robert Fisk, Cincinnati OH; Steve Callahan, Woodstock GA	55.77%	2		Barry Bragin, Silver Spring MD; Mark Laken, Glyndon MD	60.26%
3			Debra Romero, Clarkson Valley MO; En Xie, Saint Louis MO	52.72%	3		Subba Raviyadi, Downey CA; Jack Waller, Ridgecrest CA	57.85%
4			William Esberg, Long Branch NJ; Gail Bell, King of Prussia PA	51.76%	4		Jay Whipple III, Boca Grande FL; Ed Schulte, Tampa FL	56.57%
5/6			Suzi Shymanski Moore, Ballwin MO; Karen Snyder, Spicewood TX	51.28%	5		Donald Spaulding, Mountain View CA; Dennis Newman, Scarsdale NY	55.93%
5/6			Stephen Rosenquist, Homer MI; Genadiy Hirscht, Albion MI	51.28%	6	1	Claudette Roush - Barbara Grantham, Houston TX	52.88%
						2	Regina Sooye - Bill Page, Jacksonville FL	52.56%
						3	Bonnie Gall - David Bailey, Bartlesville OK	52.40%

NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION M			EAST-WEST		
A	B			A	B			
1		1	Robert Adams, Oklahoma City OK; Mike Aliotta, Edmond OK	62.34%	1/3		Bob Gruber - Linda Gruber, Camarillo CA	58.65%
2		2	James Bauer, Dallas TX; Tomi Fitzgerald, Frisco TX	58.01%	1/3		Mimi Bieber, Hartsdale NY; Paul Lewis, White Plains NY	58.65%
3		3	Sharon Goldman, New York NY; Sadik Arf, Saratoga CA	56.89%	1/3	1	Claudia Tinajero - Jorge Nischli, Mexico Mexico	58.65%
4		4	Russell Samuel, Coram NY; Arno Hobart, Markham ON	55.13%	4		Eugene White Jr, Playa del Rey CA; Cecil Cook, Long Beach CA	55.61%
5	1		Clay Cuthbertson - John Tompkins Sr, Quincy IL	54.65%	5		Patt Quinn, la Grange IL; Keith Bach, Bensenville IL	54.65%
6		6	Michael Edwards, Rock Island IL; Cookie Hoberman, Omaha NE	52.88%	6	2	David Stevens - Mark Daily, Charleston IL	51.12%
NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION N			EAST-WEST		
A	B			A	B			
1		1	Dennis Goldston, Colorado Spgs CO; Robert Carstedt, Wichita KS	61.39%	1		Patrick Dunn - Polly Dunn, Bellevue WA	66.49%
2		2	Albert Bingaman Jr - Gregory Kiddy, Reading PA	57.93%	2		Steve Gross, Westlake Vilg CA; Ellen Anten, Encino CA	56.96%
3	1		Randall Roberts, Chicago IL; Robert Kruger, Elgin IL	56.89%	3		Stephen Weiner, Scottsdale AZ; Phebe Packer, Phoenix AZ	55.73%
4		4	Jack Shartsis, Huntington Wds MI; Renay Danto Weiner, Scottsdale AZ	55.89%	4		Maritha Pottenger - Raymond Sachs, San Diego CA	54.63%
5		5	Vickie Sebastian, Beaver Creek OH; Sudheer Pimpitkar, Worthington OH	55.46%	5	1	Marc Warner, Crozier VA; Mark Gospodnetic, Richmond VA	54.37%
6		6	Mike Sloan - Christopher Overpeck, Louisville KY	55.22%	6	2	Dennis Carman - Susan Bailey Carman, Plainwell MI	52.72%
	2		Lorraine Cable, New York NY; Tony Ames II, Minnetonka MN	53.38%		3	Tommie Kadotani, Denver CO; William Hoffman, Irvington NY	48.67%

TUESDAY-THURSDAY SIDE SERIES WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON 3 OF 6 SESSIONS

NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION TTT			EAST-WEST		
A	B	C		A	B	C		
1		1	Terry Crabbs - Paula Crabbs, Kansas City MO	61.54%	1		Marshall Kuschner - Candace Kuschner, Reston VA	57.34%
2	1	1	Chris Kimmel - Toni Kimmel, Vincennes IN	57.77%	2	1	Sanford Becker, Chesterfield MO; Robert Liu, Honolulu HI	57.26%
3	2		Stephen Zenk, Maryland Hts MO; Donald Prior, Key Biscayne FL	57.20%	3		Barbara Sonsini, Woodside CA; Judi Radin, New York NY	56.47%
4	3		Craig Ganzer, Brooklyn NY; Ludmila Antonova, San Francisco CA	56.63%	4	2	Michael Klemens - Nancy Klemens, Tarzana CA	55.86%
5		5	Milt Van Reed, Terre Haute IN; Joanna Hebermehl, Paris IL	55.16%	5		John Derald - Jan Derald, Western Springs IL	55.16%
6	4	2	Elaine Jarchow - Ronald Jarchow, Union KY	54.83%	6/7	3	Gerald Tietz - Pamela Tietz, Naperville IL	52.88%
7	5	3	Patricia Berger, Chesterfield MO; Elizabeth Stephen, Eastport MI	54.55%	6/7		Barbara Schultz, Shawnigan Lake BC; Walter Pease, Anchorage AK	52.88%
8	6		Charlene Hendryx, Ankeny IA; Rita Kothari, Des Moines IA	54.46%	8	4	Helene Siegfried, St Louis MO; Bernard Hoover, Ballwin MO	52.71%
9	7	4	Honore Allen - Jean Srenco, Saint Louis MO	53.85%	9	5	Janine Corwin, Brookline MA; Elizabeth Gompels, Needham MA	52.45%
10	8		Katherine Trubey - Edward Banta, Spruce Pine NC	53.79%	10	6	Gil Kreul, Omaha NE; Carolyn Sprague, Anchorage AK	51.84%
						7	Susan Pringle - John Pringle, Rio Verde AZ	49.39%

WEDNESDAY DAYLIGHT OPEN PAIRS 2ND OF 2 SESSIONS

NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION S			EAST-WEST		
A	B	C		A	B	C		
1		1	Linda Marshall, Bethesda MD; Steven Schatzow, Washington DC	53.97%	1		Fred Hoffer, Montreal QC; Don Pfafsky, Toronto ON	66.16%
2		2	Sylvia McNamara, White Plains NY; Rory Millson, Bronxville NY	52.82%	2		Martin Graf, Chevy Chase MD; Mark Shaw, Columbia MD	63.46%
3		3	Susan Davis, Marion IL; Karen Coe, Ewing IL	51.84%	3	1	John Maloney, Mahomet IL; Melissa Fitton, Urbana IL	61.01%
4	1		Chris Buck - Leon McCarty, Hurdland MO	50.37%	4		Peter Matthews Jr, Roslindale MA; Gary Schwartz, Huntsville AL	60.72%
5		5	Bill Canfield, Kirkwood MO; Tom Oppenheimer, Ballwin MO	50.29%	5		Judy Wirtenberg, East Brunswick NJ; Irwin Klugler, Montclair NJ	58.67%
	2		Linda Hughes, Edmond OK; David Wagner, Oklahoma City OK	49.71%		2	William Thorp, Dana Point CA; Dorothy Conway, Ottawa ON	51.02%
	3		Wilson Banta - Marilyn Banta, Sunshine LA	46.77%		3	Jo Anne Kelley - Charles Kelley, Pacific Plsades CA	49.02%
	1		Lynn Vogel - Lynn Smith, Knoxville TN	38.50%				
NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION T			EAST-WEST		
A	B	C		A	B	C		
1		1	V Jay Tipton - Linda Tipton, Irvine CA	63.13%	1		Grant Petersen, Taylor MI; Michael McDonald, Rochester Hills MI	59.41%
2		2	Faye Marino, Greenwich CT; Lawrence Lau, Westport CT	57.65%	2		Gary Hann, Ann Arbor MI; Dave Fred, Interlochen MI	57.32%
3	1	1	Becky Butler, Alpharetta GA; Chris Trower, Atlanta GA	54.42%	3		Curtis Hastings, St Louis MO; Mark Ehret, Saint Louis MO	57.08%
4		4	Jane Dickey - David Siebert, Little Rock AR	52.21%	4	2	Michael Smith - Susan Seitz, Des Moines IA	55.61%
5	2		Elizabeth Meteer, Wildwood MO; Doug Moore, Ballwin MO	51.64%	5		David Spicuzza, Shorewood WI; Joan Stein, Milwaukee WI	55.07%
	3		Carl Jones, Chicago IL; Alan Bostrom, San Francisco CA	51.47%		3	Eric Schulz - Mary Schulz, Reynoldsburg OH	48.81%
						1	Dianne Glick, Saint Louis MO; Doris Schwartz, Chesterfield MO	46.44%

NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION U			EAST-WEST		
A	B	C		A	B	C		
1	1		Norman Goldman, Chesterfield MO; John Antognoli, Clayton MO	60.47%	1		Alexander Ornstein, New York NY; Eugene Saxe, Briarcliff NY	61.66%
2		2	Jeffrey Ahrens, Springfield NJ; Migry Zur Campanile, New York NY	59.25%	2		Susan Schnelwar - Jesus Arias, New York NY	60.15%
3		3	Arnold Fisher, Clementon NJ; Lynne Tarnopol, New York NY	58.22%	3	1	Sarah Furlow - Richard Furlow, Ann Arbor MI	59.21%
4		4	Meyer Kotkin, Cherry Hill NJ; Corey Krantz, Philadelphia PA	56.30%	4		Rosemary Kelley - Paul Kelley Jr, Austin TX	57.08%
5		5	Nicholas Stock, North Vancouver BC; Les Fouks, Vancouver BC	53.60%	5		Susan E G Slusky, Highland Park NJ; Ruth Zowader, Madison NJ	49.80%
	2		Suane Blair, Morehead KY; John Jensen, Maysville KY	52.00%		2	George Subt, Southampton NJ; Patti Martin, Richmond VA	47.63%
	1		Joseph Keim - William Gottschall, Dayton OH	49.47%		3	W Oates - P Oates, Brighton MI	46.85%
NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION V			EAST-WEST		
A	B	C		A	B	C		
1		1	Elliot Sternlicht, New York NY; Bunny Lukas, Riverside CT	61.14%	1		Runar Lillevik - Ovind Ludvigsen, Oslo Norway	52.74%
2		2	Paul Chan - Lily Chan, Columbia MO	58.60%	2	1	Elizabeth Wachs - Julian Wachs, Chapel Hill NC	51.44%
3	1		Jack Mayer, Shawnee Mission KS; Laurence Mayer, Overland Park KS	58.37%	3	2	Pat Barnett, Glen Allen VA; Louis Kaminski, Litchfield IL	50.85%
4		4	Elaine Ware, Vernon BC; Greg Johnson, League City TX	56.44%	4		Maureen Brines - Tracy Brines, Cedar Rapids IA	47.93%
	2		Deborah Pirkle, Clearwater FL; Carol Wilson, Rolla MO	53.76%		3	George Atherton - Susan Atherton, Baton Rouge LA	47.32%

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON 299ER PAIRS

NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION BBB			EAST-WEST		
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WEDNESDAY GOLD RUSH PAIRS FIRST SESSION

NORTH-SOUTH		SECTION NN	EAST-WEST	
7	3	7	3	
1	1	59.27%	1	Herbert Rosen, Overland Park KS; Kenneth Sagstetter, Dayton OH
2	1	58.46%	2	W Finlay Brown - Keith Simm, Winnipeg MB
3	2	54.29%	3	Sharon Weintrob, Wayne PA; Thomas Herzog, Reston VA
4	3	52.98%	4	Patricia Birbiglia - Carol Fridlin, Carmel IN
			1	Courtney Coffman, The Woodlands TX; David Morris, Spring TX
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WEDNESDAY A/B PAIRS AFTERNOON SESSION

NORTH-SOUTH		SECTION X	EAST-WEST	
A	B	A	B	
1	1	63.78%	1	Greg Michaels, Cleveland OH; Bernie Greenspan, Beachwood OH
2	1	61.70%	2	Bob Klein, Santa Rosa CA; David Neuman, San Francisco CA
3	1	60.42%	3	John Herrmann, Chattanooga TN; Carolyn Lewis, Louisville KY
4	1	53.69%	4	Robert Levey, Bethesda MD; Linda Rothstein, New York NY
5	2	53.37%	5	Nell Schneider, Chesterfield MO; Jack Bryant, Saint Louis MO
6	3	53.21%	6	Richard Maxedon, Fairview Hts IL; Donald Chase, O Fallon MO
			1	Leslie Powell, South Hill VA; E Hale, Rolla MO
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ROCKWELL MIXED PAIRS 1ST FINAL SESSION

NORTH-SOUTH		SECTIONS E F G H I J K	EAST-WEST	
1		63.77%	1	Paul Meerschaert, Saint Paul MN; Carole Miner, Rochester MN
2		63.68%	2	Michael Roche, Victoria BC; Pamela Nisbet, Ottawa ON
3		59.32%	3	Greg Humphreys, Charlottesville VA; Jenni Carmichael, Kennesaw GA
4		58.67%	4	Bo Liu, Santa Ana CA; Somers Collins, Roland AR
5		58.28%	5	Zachary Grossack, Newton MA; Kimberly Gilman, Carlisle MA
6		58.24%	6	Asla Ronnau, SKIEN Neger; Svein Markussen, Skien Neger
7		58.08%	7	Merri-Jo Hillaker, Grand Prairie TX; Nagy Kamel, Plano TX
8		57.67%	8	Randall Rubinstein, Brooklyn NY; Dana Berkowitz, New York NY
9		57.34%	9	Roger Clough - Rebecca Clough, Culver City CA
10		57.22%	10	Diane Travis, Cincinnati OH; Frank Treiber III, Toledo OH
11		56.94%	11	Simon Kantor, Feeding Hills MA; Mary Savko, Tequesta FL
12		56.75%	12	Erez Hendelman, New York NY; K Fung, Edmonton AB
13		56.71%	13	Marion Michielens, 3024 AM Rotterd Netherlands; Richard Zeckhauser, Cambridge MA
14		56.60%	14	Phillip Alder, Hobe Sound FL; Betty Ann Kennedy, Shreveport LA
15		56.36%	15	James Olson - Ellen Olson, Charleston WV
16		56.29%	16	Robert Cappelli, Bloomfield MI; Lynne Schaefer, Ellicott City MD
17		55.77%	17	Sally Meckstroth, Clearwater Bch FL; Thomas Turgeon, Memphis TN
18		55.46%	18	Adam Grossack, Newton MA; Ljudmila Kamenova, South Setauket NY
19		54.86%	19	Cindy Harris - Joe Harris, Albuquerque NM
20		54.78%	20	Jeffrey Ford, Redmond WA; Kim Eng, Issaquah WA
21		54.73%	21	Peggy Kaplan, Minnetonka MN; Rod Beery, Saint Charles MO
22		54.64%	22	Rebecca Rogers, Las Vegas NV; John Grantham, Bentonville AR
23		54.47%	23	John Zilic, Houston TX; Pam LaSelle, Round Rock TX
24		54.19%	24	Donald Florida - Annette Clark, Indianapolis IN
25		54.19%	25	Jessica Pfafsky, New York NY; Jacek Jerzy Kalita, Warsaw Poland
26		54.11%	26	Gigi Simpson, Sarasota FL; Ira Hessel, San Antonio TX
27		54.09%	27	Barbara Lehman, Glenview IL; Craig Jacobson, Skokie IL
28		53.89%	28	Lynne Rosenbaum - Valentin Kovachev, Glencoe IL
29		53.83%	29	Michael Strizhevsky, Dunwoody GA; Irina Ladyzhensky, Ellenton FL
30		53.21%	30	Emily Harrell, Shoal Creek AL; Kevin Dybvig, Birmingham AL
31		52.61%	31	Andrew Garnett, Winterpark FL; Riki Tulin, Highland Beach FL
32		52.42%	32	Judy Fox - James Fox, Virginia Beach VA
33		52.40%	33	Marc Nathan - Cathy Nathan, New York NY
34		51.86%	34	Ray Miller, Seattle WA; Cristal Nell, Redmond WA
35		51.80%	35	Ken Monzingo, San Diego CA; Bonnie Bagley, Colorado Spgs CO
36		51.65%	36	Martin Johnson Jr, Folly Beach SC; Betsy Stanton, Hartsville SC

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Today's Bridge Events

Thursday, March 21, 9 a.m.

Event	Session	Sold	Entry/player/session	ACBL members*	Other
Thursday-Friday Morning Compact KO Teams	1-2	Renaissance, Majestic Ballroom	\$16		\$18
St. Louis Bridge Center Morning Side Game <i>Part of the Thursday-Saturday Morning Side Game Series</i>	1st single session	Renaissance, Majestic Ballroom	\$16		\$18
Wednesday-Friday Morning Bracketed KO Teams	2nd	Renaissance, Majestic Ballroom	\$16		\$18

Thursday, March 21, 10 a.m.

299er, 199er, 99er, 49er Pairs	single	America's Center, Room 230	\$15		\$17
0-20, 0-5 Pairs	single	America's Center, Room 230	\$15		\$15

Thursday, March 21, 10 a.m. & 3 p.m.

Stratified Daylight Open Pairs	1-2	Renaissance, Landmark 5	\$16		\$18
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Thursday, March 21, Noon & 7 p.m.

VANDERBILT KNOCKOUT TEAMS	Round 4	Renaissance, Majestic Ballroom,	\$20		
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Thursday, March 21, 1 p.m.

Tuesday-Thursday Side Game Series	5th single session	America's Center, Room 232	\$16		\$18
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Thursday, March 21, 1 & 7:30 p.m.

SILODOR OPEN PAIRS <i>2 qualifying, 2 final sessions</i>	1-2 Q	Renaissance, Majestic Ballroom	\$20		
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WHITEHEAD WOMEN'S PAIRS <i>2 qualifying, 2 final sessions</i>	1-2 Q	Renaissance, Landmark 3	\$20		
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BEAN RED RIBBON PAIRS <i>Pre-qualification required. 2 qualifying, 2 final sessions</i>	1-2 Q	America's Center, Room 221	\$17		
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Stratified Open Pairs	1-2	America's Center, Room 222	\$16		\$18
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Stratified Open Swiss Teams	1-2	America's Center, Room 240	\$16		\$18
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Thursday-Friday Bracketed KO Teams	1-2	America's Center, Room 224	\$16		\$18
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Thursday, March 21, 3 p.m.

299er, 199er, 99er, 49er Pairs	single	America's Center, Room 230	\$15		\$17
0-20, 0-5 Pairs	single	America's Center, Room 230	\$15		\$15

Thursday, March 21, 7:30 p.m.

Stratified Side Swiss Teams	single	America's Center, Room 224	\$15		\$17
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Tuesday-Thursday Side Game Series	6th single session	America's Center, Room 232	\$16		\$18
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Stratified 299er Swiss Teams	single	America's Center, Room 230	\$15		\$17
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299er, 199er, 99er, 49er Pairs	single	America's Center, Room 230	\$15		\$17
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0-20, 0-5 Pairs	single	America's Center, Room 230	\$15		\$15
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Thursday, March 21, 11:30 p.m.

Zip KO Teams	single	Renaissance, Landmark 5	\$12/team/match		
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Unless otherwise noted, Strati-Flighted and Strati-Flighted Senior events are divided: A/X (3000+, 0-3000); separate from B/C/D (1000-2000, 500-1000, 0-500). Strata breaks for Stratified and Stratified Senior events are: A (2000+), B (750-2000), C (0-750).

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

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In NABC+ events, \$1.50 (per person, per session) of each entry fee will be allocated to the ACBL International Fund. These funds are used to underwrite part of the expenses of ACBL players who participate in international competition.

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Wednesdays: 10 a.m. Open

Thursdays: 10 a.m. Open; 10 a.m. 199er; 6:30 p.m. Open

Fridays: 10 a.m. Fast Pairs; 10 a.m. Open; 6:30 p.m. Open

Saturdays: 9 a.m. Open, 1 p.m. Open, 1 p.m. 299er

Sundays: 2 p.m. (1st Sun) Swiss Teams; 2 p.m. (2nd Sunday) Board-a-Match



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