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Ambassador of Bridge Kathie Wei-Sender and Patron Francis Tseng.

Patron Member enjoys fun game with Wei-Sender

Francis Tseng is a relatively new player, but he has already accomplished something in bridge that few people have. He got Kathie Wei-Sender to play Standard American.

Tseng is the ACBL Patron Member who won the drawing to play with Larry Cohen in the opening-night Stratified Charity Open Pairs. Cohen, however, was still playing in the Grand National Teams last Thursday, so Wei-Sender agree to pinch hit.

The official Ambassador of Bridge is always ready to help out -- but when she plays it's almost always the Precision system invented by her late husband C.C. Wei.

Tseng, however, doesn't know Precision, so he prevailed upon Wei-Sender to make a small allowance when they sat down Monday night in the Continuous Side Pairs.

The two had a 52% game, placing fifth in their section.

"I played terribly," said Tseng, who turned 43 on Tuesday. "But it was a very enjoyable game. Kathie is a very nice partner."

The Erie PA resident and his wife Mary are in Albuquerque for the duration of the Summer NABC.

Back home, Tseng is a physician specializing in obstetrics and gynecology. Originally from Hong Kong, he came to

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#1 Wittes upset in Women's KO

The team captained by Lynne Schaefer rocked the No. 1 seeded Pam Wittes team in the opening quarter, 45-10, and went on to a 134-125 victory in the Women's Knockout Teams.

The new top seed is composed of Schaefer, West Bloomfield MI; Martha Katz, Burr Ridge IL; Ellen Siebert, Little Rock AR; Peggy Kaplan, Minnetonka MN; and Linda Gordon and Leslie Paryzer, New York.

Wittes' teammates were Judy Wadas, Cheri Bjerkan, Sue Weinstein, Jo Ann Sprung and Joann Glasson.

In other matches, the No. 2 seed, led by Kathie Wei-Sender, took a 1-IMP lead into the fourth quarter of their match with the Ginny Schuett squad but poured it on, 61-7, to coast into today's round of eight.

Other winners, by captain, were Rozanne Pollack, Jill Meyers, Claire Tornay, Jane Segal, Sally Woolsey and Jo Morse.

Wooldridge team leads Sr. Swiss

Wooldridge is in front as 24 teams of Seniors go into today's final two sessions of the first-ever NABC Senior Swiss Teams. Wooldridge is a common name in headlines these days, but of course this time it isn't Joel -- he's far too young to be playing in the Seniors.

No, it's his parents, Jill and Powhatan, who are at the top of the standings after the first day's play. Playing with the Wooldridges are John Conway and Marcia Freed.

They are carrying a hefty 6.06 Victory Point lead into the final over runners-up Harry Ross, John Gustafson, Jerry Gaer, Marilyn Hemenway and Mike Albert.

Robert Ryder, far ahead in the 1997 Senior race, is in third place, playing with Howard Hertzberg, Simon Kantor, Hugh Maclean, Harold Feldheim and Martin Baff.

The turnout was good -- 59 teams.

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Lloyd Arvedon

Arvedon is a Grand Master

Lloyd Arvedon of Medford MA went over the 10,000-point mark when he finished second in Bracket 1 of the Charity Knockout Teams. That made him a Grand Life Master because he has won two North American Championships -- the Spring Open Pairs in 1994 and 1997. His partner on both occasions was Alan Falk.

At 44 he is one of the youngest of the Grand Life Masters. He considers qualifying nine times for the Grand National Pairs from New England one of his best accomplishments in bridge.

When he's not playing bridge, he works with schools on fund-raising drives -- like candy sales to raise money for band or team trips.

He also does some teaching, and he really enjoys this. In general he works with reasonably good players -- usually they are already Life Masters who want to advance to the next level of expertise.

"I work at making them think, to solve problems. I get them to verbalize what they're thinking. That way I can see if they're thinking along the right lines. If they're not -- and often they're not -- then I try to help them learn what direction their thinking should take."

Schwartz is KOed in Spingold, Schulle upset

The powerhouse team captained by Richard Schwartz was ambushed by a Washington DC-based team and eliminated from the Spingold Knockout Teams, 164-161.

Most of the other top seeds advanced to round three today.

The new #4 seed is made up of Robert Klein, Dunn Loring VA; David Rudeman, Burtonsville MD; Donna Rogall and John Adams, Gaithersburg MD.

They surprised the team led by Schwartz, who was playing with Mark Lair, Chip Martel, Lew Stansby, Paul Soloway and Bobby Goldman. Schwartz, Lair, Soloway and Goldman won the Vanderbilt KO at the Spring NABC in Dallas.

The Klein team jumped out to an 82-20 lead after one quarter. Schwartz and company outscored Klein 76-33 in the second set to cut the margin to 19. The favorites could manage only a 4-IMP gain in the third quarter, however, and the underdogs hung on for the narrow win.

In another upset, the team captained by Kay Schulle went down to a New York-based team, 132-105. The winners are Mark Gordon, Richard Zucker, Fred Chang, Winthrop Allegaert, Jared Lilienstein and Glenn Milgrim.

The top-seeded Nick Nickell squad, given a scare on day one, took no chances on day two, blasting their opponents, 230-112. The #2 seed, led by Steve Robinson, was clobbering the David Metcalf sextet, 182-48, when the giant killers withdrew. The Metcalf team had defeated the Nickell squad in a three-way match on the opening day.

Jimmy Cayne's #3 seed also had the benefit of a withdrawal -- their opponents conceded after three quarters.

6115 tables so far

Chances for surpassing 11,000 tables look better all the time. At the halfway mark of Albuquerque 1997 the table count is 6115. But don't forget -- attendance always falls off somewhat over the last couple of days.

Caddy brigade youthful but still on the ball

If Jackie Matthews was the owner of a sports franchise, she might consider 1997 a "rebuilding year."

That's because Matthews, the director in charge of caddies at NABCs, has seen so many new caddies at the Summer NABC this year.

"We're starting a whole new group," said Matthews, a mother figure to caddies for more than a decade. "We don't have a lot of real old ones."

That's not to say she doesn't have faith in the group and an appreciation for their

skills. "They're doing terrific," Matthews said. "This is the best group of caddies I've ever had."

Matthews is not completely without veterans. Meggan Carmichael of Lincoln NE and Tanya Gokavi of Saskatoon SK both have earned National Head Caddy badges.

Carmichael, 19, first worked at an NABC at the 1990 Summer tournament in Boston. She was a babysitter then but became a caddy a year later. She hasn't missed a Summer NABC since.

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Zia with caddies Meggan Carmichael, left, and Tanya Gokavi.

SPECIAL EVENTS

Wednesday, July 30

9:00 a.m. *Bridge America* Game Director Course, Enchantment C-D
 9:00 a.m. Club Director's Course, Enchantment A-B
 12:15 p.m. Intermediate/Novice Speakers Program -- Max Hardy: *Reverses*, Ballroom B.
 7:15 p.m. Intermediate/Novice Speakers Program -- John Blubaugh: *Law of Total Tricks*, Ballroom B.

Thursday, July 31

9:00 a.m. Club Director's Course, Enchantment A-B
 12:15 p.m. Intermediate/Novice Speakers Program -- Billy Miller: *Dear Billy, Live!*, Ballroom B.
 7:15 p.m. Intermediate/Novice Speakers Program -- Alan Truscott: *First Trick*, Ballroom B.
 Midnight Hot dip, chicken taquitas, chili con queso -- plus late night entertainment, NW Exhibit Hall

Friday, August 1

9:00 a.m. Club Director's Exam, Ballroom B
 9:00 a.m. TAP Seminar II, Enchantment E-F
 12:15 p.m. Intermediate/Novice Speakers Program -- Dorothy Truscott: *Bid Better, Play Better*, Ballroom B.
 7:15 p.m. Intermediate/Novice Speakers Program -- Marty Bergen, *Points Schmoints*, Ballroom B.
 Midnight Hot dogs & chips -- plus late night entertainment, NW Exhibit Hall

Not so quiet

Steve Garner and Howard Weinstein, winners of the Life Master Pairs, claimed that the final two sessions of the event were boring and that they didn't do anything spectacular. The following deal from the second final session was certainly an exception.

Dlr: West ♠J 9
 Vul: None ♥K Q 10
 ♦A J 8
 ♣J 9 6 4 3

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

♠10 5
 ♥A 9 8 4 3
 ♦7 6 3 2
 ♣A 8

West	North	East	South
Garner		Weinstein	
Pass	1♣	1♦	1♥
1♠	Dbl (1)	2♠	4♥ (!)
4♠	Pass	Pass	Dbl

All Pass

(1) Showing three-card heart support.

North led the ♥K, which held, and switched to a low club. South won the ♣A and returned the ♣8. Garner couldn't imagine that the opponents' spades would be 2-2 after the auction he had just taken part in, so he didn't consider ruffing a club in dummy. Obviously, that would have worked on the actual layout.

Instead Garner won the ♣K, played a spade to the ace, ruffed a heart and played a spade to the king. He grimaced inwardly when both opponents followed to the second round of spades, but the situation was far from hopeless.

Garner ruffed a third heart, extracting North's last heart, and put the ♦Q on the table. North won with the ace and could choose his poison: lead a diamond to dummy's king and allow Garner to discard his losing club, or lead a club from the jack into Garner's tenace.

Plus 590 was good for 37.5 out of 38 matchpoints.

Information

If you have a question about the Albuquerque and/or local events, information is available at 768-4595. For tournament questions, phone 766-6706.

1998, 1990 Charity picks: Crohn's and Autism

The ACBL Charity Foundation has selected the Crohn's & Colitis Foundation of America as the Charity of the Year for 1998 and the Autism Society of America as the Charity of the Year for 1999.

Each organization will receive a grant of \$100,000 from the Charity Foundation.

Carol Sanders, president of the Charity Foundation, said the decision to do separate grants is a departure from past practice, which was to select a Charity of the Year for two years running and award \$100,000 to the same organization for both years.

"We feel we will get to cover more causes that people would like to support," Sanders said.

The grant to the Crohn's & Colitis Foundation was sparked by the fact that four prominent ACBL members suffer from Crohn's disease. The grant to the Autism Society was made in honor of John and Sandra Potter of Florida. Their granddaughter has been diagnosed as autistic.

The CCFA, founded in 1967, is the only national voluntary, non-profit organization in America devoted solely to research into the causes and treatments of inflammatory bowel disease, including Crohn's disease and ulcerative colitis.

The foundation has awarded grants to the foremost IBD researchers in the U.S. and abroad and has nurtured the careers of gifted young investigators.

Digestive diseases rank as the third highest cause of hospitalization after pregnancy and cardiovascular disease.

The Autism Society of America is the largest and oldest organization representing people with autism, a developmental disability first identified in 1943. The disease has a wide-ranging impact on language, motor skills, emotions and behavior. It is often devastating for the people who have it and for their families.

The disease, a life-long disability with no cure and no fully effective treatment, is believed to have a genetic link. It affects 15 of every 10,000 individuals.

The Autism Society was founded in 1965 and now has 220 chapters in 48 states.

The Charity Foundation officers are Sanders, president; Jim Zimmerman, vice president; Virgil V. Anderson Jr., Joan DeWitt McKean and Glenn Smith. Don Moeller is secretary-treasurer.

Quiet winner

By Allan Falk

In an era when it seems that aggressive bidding is very much in vogue, Jeff Wolfson earned a key swing for his squad in the Grand National Teams by recognizing that silence can be golden. Wolfson was playing with Neil Silverman against Curtis Cheek and Hjordis Eythorsdottir.

Dlr: South ♠Q 9 5 4
 Vul: N-S ♥K 10 5 4
 ♦9 6 4
 ♣K Q

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

West	North	East	South
Silverman	Eythorsdottir	Wolfson	Cheek
			2♣
Pass	2♦ (1)	Pass	2NT
Pass	3♣ (2)	Pass	3♥
Pass	3♠ (3)	Pass	4NT (4)
Pass	5♦ (5)	Pass (!)	6♥

All Pass

(1) Waiting.

(2) Stayman.

(3) Slam try -- hearts agreed.

(4) Roman Key Card Blackwood.

(5) One key card.

There was a similar auction at the other table, and East doubled the 5♦ response to Blackwood. The success of the slam comes down to a guess in diamonds, and assuming declarer does not intend to play West for specifically ♦Q x, East must hold the ♦A Q or ♦Q 10 for the slam to be makeable. The double at the other table, therefore, gave away the show, and 6♥ made.

At Wolfson's table, Cheek did not have a double of 5♦ to guide him, so he mentally placed the ♦A on his left and thus played a diamond to the 8, swinging 17 IMPs to the District 9 team, which won the event.

If Cheek had made 6♥, his counterpart would have gone down, so the swing on the board amounted to 34 IMPs, more than the margin of victory.

What's coming up for entertainment?



Special parties, late-night entertainment and great food are coming your way during this NABC, thanks to your Albuquerque hosts.

The committee has added a special food night tonight because the tournament

is moving along so successfully. There will be cheese and fruit trays plus hors d'oeuvres.

Tomorrow a mariachi band will play while you eat your hot dips, chicken taquitos and chili con queso.

A jazz swing band plus hot dogs will be Friday night's highlights. Then Saturday you'll enjoy ice cream bars.

Twice during the tournament dollar chits will be handed out to all players that can be used at any of the snack bars in the Convention Center. Other items such as trail mix and raisins will be distributed during the week.

Two great underleads -- but to no avail

Glenn Milgrim of New York City found great, well-thought-out underleads on consecutive deals against Eddie Wold of Houston in their Spingold match Monday, but the situation he hoped for didn't exist either time. Wold was very impressed and dropped by the Daily Bulletin office to tell us about them.

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

West	North	East	South
Milgrim			Wold
1♣	2♣ (1)	2♦	4♠
All Pass			

(1) Michaels, showing the majors.

Milgrim thought there was a good chance Wold held the ♣K, so he wanted his partner on lead for a club switch. The Michaels auction indicated that North very likely would be very short in diamonds, so Milgrim felt he couldn't afford the luxury of the leading the ♦A first. So he led the ♦2. But the plan didn't work because North, not South, had the ♣K.

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

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

(1) Mexican 2♦, showing various strong hand types.

(2) The strong notrump type.

(3) Jacoby transfer.

Once again Milgrim, holding four diamonds to the ace, led a low diamond, hoping the king would be in dummy and the jack with declarer. If that were the case, Wold agreed he would have guessed wrong. But since he had all low diamonds in hand, Wold had no choice but to cross his fingers and call for the king in dummy. It held, of course. After the play finished, Wold turned to Milgrim to congratulate him on his well-considered opening leads. "With different layouts, you could have had me twice."

Quilt raffle

Tickets are now on sale -- \$1 each -- for a raffle that will give away many valuable prizes, including a quilt from Quiltworks worth \$1200. Only 1500 tickets will be sold. They are available at the Registration Desk for an hour before each afternoon and evening session.

All the prizes also are on view during the sale period. The drawings will take place just before the start of the evening session Saturday.

The other prizes include a handmade afghan, a handmade framed cross-stitch and three framed Art of Albuquerque posters.

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Winners of the Non-Life Master Swiss Teams: from left, Denis Murphy, Paul Perkowski, Bonnie Bagley and John Ledet.

Partscore swing

Paul Perkowski, Denis Murphy, Bonnie Bagley and John Ledet are still basking in the glow of their victory in the Non-Life Master Swiss Teams, a nationally-rated event. Here's a hand from that event that they really enjoyed.

Dlr: South	♠ 10 9 5 4 3		
Vul: E-W	♥ Q J 9 5		
	♦ 9 4		
	♣ 5 3		
	♠ --	♠ K Q 8 7 2	
	♥ A K 6 4 3 2	♥ 7	
	♦ 10 8 7	♦ Q 6 5	
	♣ K J 10 6	♣ Q 8 7 2	
		♠ A J 6	
		♥ 10 8	
		♦ A K J 3 2	
		♣ A 9 4	

Table 1

West	North	East	South
	Perkowski		Ledet
			1NT
Dbl (2)	2♥ (2)	Pass	2♠
Pass	Pass	Dbl	All Pass

(1) Shows a one-suited hand.

(2) Transfer to spades.

West led the ♥K and switched to a diamond when Ledet dropped the 10 on the king. Ledet won with the jack and immediately cashed his other top diamonds, pitching a club from dummy. As a result he lost only two top spades and two hearts plus a long spade at the end. Plus 470.

Table 2

West	North	East	South
Bagley		Murphy	
			1NT
Dbl (1)	Pass	2♣ (2)	2♦
2♥	All Pass		

(1) Shows hearts or a two-suiter with hearts and a minor.

(2) Forced.

It appears that Bagley has six losers, but the defense started with two top diamonds and a diamond ruff, so she lost only those three tricks, the ♣A and another trump -- plus 110 and a gain of 11 IMPs.

Restaurant shuttle



Checker Shuttle staff have found that most bridge players aren't making plans for dinner just prior to the afternoon session, so beginning tomorrow (Wednesday) players will need to call Checker Shuttle at 765-1234 to make arrangements for shuttle service to restaurants. Shuttles also routinely run through the downtown area stopping at hotels. If you see one, hail them down and they will be glad to take you to your dining destination.

And don't forget, Checker can also provide shuttle service to Sandia and Santa Fe. Ask Checker Shuttle representatives for times and prices.

Back from the brink

On this deal from the second semifinal session of the Life Master Pairs, Joel Wooldridge of Williamsville NY should have been down four in 2NT. After a defensive slip, he found a neat endplay to bring home his tenuous contract. Wooldridge was playing with Colin Lee of Toronto.

Dlr: South	♠ Q 8 4
Vul: Both	♥ A Q 10 8 6 4 2
	♦ 9
	♣ Q 6

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

West	North	East	South
Wooldridge		Lee	
			Pass
Pass	1♥	Dbl	1NT
Dbl	2♥	Pass	Pass
2NT	All Pass		

On North's lead of the ♦9, the defenders could have taken the first nine tricks -- ♦A, ♥7 to the 3, queen and jack; spade to the ace and another heart through. If that had happened, there would be no story to tell.

In practice, South played the ♦3, encouraging in the partnership's upside-down methods. Wooldridge won the ♦K and played the ♠J, covered by the queen, king and ace. Belatedly, South switched to the ♥7, taken by North's queen. North exited with the ♠8, ducked by Wooldridge to his 10. A third spade to the 9 cleared the suit, and on the 13th spade, South threw the ♦4, Wooldridge the ♦10 and North a low heart.

Wooldridge then cashed the ♣A, playing the 2 from his hand, and North had a chance to defeat the contract by playing the ♣Q. He did not, however, and Wooldridge read the situation correctly by playing a low club from dummy and ducking. In with the ♣Q, North had nothing but hearts. He cashed the ♥A and got out with a heart to Wooldridge's king. On the third round of hearts, South had to pitch a diamond or bare his ♠J.

Reading the layout perfectly, Wooldridge played a diamond to South's ace and took the winning finesse in clubs at trick 12, earning a fine score for plus 120.

Patron Member

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the U.S. in 1973 to attend college.

He earned an undergraduate degree at the University of Texas at Arlington and finished medical school at the University of Texas at Galveston. He did his residency in Detroit and was living in Salt Lake City when a job opened up in Erie nine years ago.

While the Tsengs were living in Salt Lake City, bridge came into their lives. Mary started lessons and, with some effort, finally convinced Francis to join her. He became a Life Master earlier this year.

Now, despite the demands of his job, he usually plays bridge two to three times a week, although he always wears a pager when he plays.

A couple of times a year, he is forced to rush away from a bridge game to help a woman give birth.

Tseng praised the ACBL Patron Member program, particularly the celebrity guest program. "This is a great thing you're doing -- giving people a chance to play with the big players." □

GNT-B, Non-LM Teams begin play today

Competition gets under way today in the Grand National Teams Flight B and the Non-Life Master Teams. Qualifications were earned in the grassroots event earlier this year.

Winners will have their names engraved on the Morehead Trophy, donated by *The New York Times* in memory of its longtime bridge editor Albert H. Morehead.

The trophy was originally awarded to the winners of a special knockout team event that followed the Reisinger team contest at the Fall NABC in 1967 but was withdrawn when the event proved unpopular.

Since 1973 the trophy has been awarded to winners of the Grand National Teams.

Albert H. Morehead

Morehead (1909-1966) was born in Flintstone GA and educated at Baylor and Harvard. Ely Culbertson hired him in 1932 because of his outstanding ability as a player and analyst and made him technical editor of *The Bridge World* in 1933.

He proved so invaluable that in 1934 he was made general manager of all Culbertson enterprises. He was only 25 when he played on the Culbertson team that defeated the British in the second international match for the Schwab Cup.

Morehead was the first bridge editor of *The New York Times* with a Sunday column from 1935 and a daily column from 1959. He resigned from the *Times* late in 1963 to devote full time to writing, editing and publishing of the dictionaries, encyclopedias and thesauruses that made him one of the foremost American lexicographers.

During those years, Morehead found time for tremendous service to organized bridge. He was an officer of the United States Bridge Association when that organization amalgamated with the American Bridge League in 1937.

He became a governor of the newly formed ACBL and served as president in 1943 and chairman of the board from 1943 to 1945. He was named *ACBL Honorary Member* in 1946.

Morehead was a member of the National Laws Commission and was in charge of production of the International Laws of Contract Bridge. He was also the author of the constitution of the World Bridge Federation -- the first formal definition of the scope, structure, powers and duties of that organization.

Morehead was named to the ACBL Bridge Hall of Fame in 1996.

Some insight into the man behind all this talent can be found in his obituary in the November 1966 issue of the *Bulletin*. Editor Dick Frey wrote:

"No one ever saw him lose his temper at the bridge table or heard him speak an unkind word to a partner. He smiled often, but the only player he ever laughed at was himself.

"Rarely if ever did he turn down a plea for help. Writing this, I am proud to acknowledge the debt I owe him and to claim that he was my best friend. The secret of his greatness was that there are scores of others who will truly say exactly this of Albert Hodges Morehead."

Flight B winners and runners-up:

1985 1. Irving Goodman, Floyd Dyson, Leo Takelfman, Tim McPhail, Louis Richardson; 2. Sally Grace, Linda Weinstein, Sharon Meng, Jennifer James, Jerry Poliquin, Robert Buchner

1986 1. Paul McGowan, George Towner, Winston Edwards, Regena Jones (replaced Lizzie Hepburn); 2. Ken Connell, Linda Connell, Carla Eisenhauer, S. K. Carruthers, Claire Jones, Dennis Nelson

1987 1. Dwight Hunt, Ed Horwitz, Ken Kadish, Claude LeFeuvre; 2. Bob Webb, Pat Webb, Kevin Chen, Joseph Blalock

1988 1. Steven Beck, Michael Camp, Win Allegaert, Fred Chang; 2. Jean Molnar, Michael Weber, Down Holmer, Walter Riddle, Joseph Rubin

Goodwill Message

Have you said "thank you" to a caddy during this NABC? The caddies pick up slips each round during pair games and move boards during team games -- despite players' best efforts to hide the slips and the boards!

A word of thanks will brighten their day -- and yours too.

Aileen Osofsky
Chairman, Goodwill Committee

1989 1. George Runyan, Tim Joder, Iype Koshy, Robert Dupont; 2. Paul Nickerson, William Goldsmith, Denise Goldsmith, Cheryl Porter

1990 1. Judy Hughes, Karen Miller, Robert Seaholm, John Morano, Goutam Chakraborty, Krishnanand Maillacheruver; 2. Jim Adams, John Edmunds, Dan Feldman, Larry Kahn, Usuf Ismail

1991 1. Mary Poplawski, Stanley Poplawski, William Smith, Barrett Raff; 2. Bruce Norman, Fred Gitelman, Sheri Winestock, Geoff Hampson

1992 1. Otto Rothenberg, Richard Baumer, Arthur Haley, Bert Kulic; 2. Nielih Cheng, Peter Kalat, Jeffery Allen, Carlos Munoz, Lp. P. Calahan, Bruce Platt

1993 1. Eric Greco, Philip Greco, Kefer Xu, Harry Zhou, David Better; 2. Jack Jessop, Morrie Kleinplatz, Barry Onslow, Elaine Morrison

1994 1. Larry Crevier, Sylvain Descoteaux, Marc-Andre Fourcaudot, Frederic Pollack; 2. Glen Holman, Eric Sutherland, Darren Wolpert, Hazel Wolpert

1995 1. Larry Crevier, Frederic Pollack, Sylvain Descoteaux, Marc-Andre Fourcaudot; 2. Darren Wolpert, Hazel Wolpert, Gordon Brown, Sam Yoga

1996 1. David Green, Edward Lee, Chien Huang, Robert Johnson; 2. David Walker, Roberts Moore, Jim Hawkins, Geoffrey Mallette

Flight C winners and runners-up

1991 1. Bob Fashingbauer, Kenneth Wolf, Thomas Dressing, David Marker; 2. Albert Tom, Dennis Erani, Valentin Carciu

1992 1. Richard Unger, Charles Morrin, Andrew Ware, Martin Weiverka; 2. J. Michael Hill, Kevin Kadmus, Carol Wisemiller, Marty Lobdale

1993 1. Stephen Arskan, Richard Ross, Feng Liu, Steve Pessin, George Shamy; 2. Sardarsink Gohel, Jack Shartsis, Joyce Bell, Nathan Banker

1994 1. Jianbin Luo, Anil Kaushal, Sundar Atre, Zheng Zhang; 2. Greg Bieber, Art Steinberg, Roman Shapiro, Betsy Wellington

1995 1. Nathaniel Thurston, Bill Chen, David Shao, Andrew Lewis; 2. Jeff Jacob, Judi Hager, David Rosenstein, Yiping Wang

1996 1. Mark Edeburn, Susan Ostrowski, Dan Berlowitz, Joseph Seo; 2. Mark DeGarcia, Marcus Rodhouse, Steven Erickson, Sheng-Hung Wang

Pueblo etiquette



Visitors admitted to pueblos to view the dances are expected to respect the customs and traditions of the tribe. Some pueblos have strict rules governing photography, sketching and tape recording.

If you have any questions, the pueblo you visit is likely to have a tribal office to help.

Trump handling

By Richard Pavlicek

This deal from the first round of the Spingold was routine for Ralph Katz of Burr Ridge IL, but the handling of the trump suit provides a good lesson in technique.

Dir: South ♠J 7 4 3
Vul: Both ♥9

♦Q 10 4
♣K 7 5 4 3

♠K 8 5 2

♥J 8 3

♦9 8 2

♣J 9 2

♠6

♥Q 7 6 5 2

♦K J 7 6 5 3

♣10

♠A Q 10 9

♥A K 10 4

♦A

♣A Q 8 6

West	North	East	South
			2♣
Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠
Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT
Pass	5♣	Pass	6♠
All Pass			

Katz, South, had an awkward hand to bid. After opening a strong 2♣, he chose to show his sturdy four-card spade suit first. This struck gold with a 4♥ splinter raise, and the excellent slam was quickly reached.

West led the ♦9 to the 10, jack and ace. Then Katz sailed the ♠10 as West played low. Next came the ♠9, taken by West, who returned the ♦8, covered and ruffed. The ♠A was followed by the ♣8 to the king (note the unblock) and the last trump was drawn with the ♠J, making six.

It is important to note that if Katz won the ♠A on the first or second round, he would have gone down. West would take his ♠K on the third round and lead a fourth trump, denying declarer the one ruff he needs. If Katz took his ruff early (either a heart or a diamond) he would lose trump control with a subsequent diamond tap.

Bermuda Bowl, Venice Cup begin Oct. 18 in Tunisia

The field is almost complete for the Bermuda Bowl and Venice Cup competitions which begin Oct. 18 in Hammamet, Tunisia, and conclude Nov. 1.

ACBL teams competing in the Bermuda Bowl are:

- U.S.I -- Seymon Deutsch, Zia, Michael Rosenberg, Chip Martel, Lew Stansby and Paul Soloway (augmented). Hugh Ross is the non-playing captain.

- U.S.II -- the defending Bermuda Bowl champions: Nick Nickell, Richard Freeman, Jeff Meckstroth, Eric Rodwell, Bob Hamman and Bobby Wolff. An npc has not yet been named.

- Canada -- Doug Fraser, Michael Roche, Nader Hanna, Britt Delogu, Jim Green and Paul Thurston.

ACBL teams competing in the Venice Cup are:

- U.S.I -- Jill Meyers, Randi Montin, Lisa Berkowitz, Marinesa Letizia, Mildred Breed and Tobi Sokolow. Sue Picus is npc.

- U.S.II -- Kathie Wei-Sender, Juanita Chambers, Lynn Deas, Beth Palmer, Kerri Sanborn and Irina Levitina (augmented). Sue Sachs is npc.

- Canada -- Dianna Gordon, Sharyn Reus, Beverly Kraft, Francine Cimon, Barbara Saltsman and Rhoda Habert. George Holland is npc.

Teams representing all seven World Bridge Federation zones will compete. For the first time, Europe (Zone 1) will field five teams in both events.



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All about District 17 -- ACBL's largest district in contiguous U.S.

District 17 -- which sprawls from the snow-covered mountains of Colorado and Wyoming to the deserts of New Mexico and Arizona -- is ACBL's largest geographic district in the contiguous United States.

The district, which boasts more than 8600 members, includes all of Arizona, New Mexico and Colorado plus parts of Wyoming, Nevada (Las Vegas) and El Paso.

Three district residents have served as District 17 Director on the ACBL Board of Directors:

William A. Baldwin (1907-78) of Albuquerque NM, a building and land developer, was elected to the national board in 1965 when the League was redistricted.

As 1970 ACBL president, Baldwin was one of the persons most instrumental in relocating national headquarters to Memphis.

He served as president of the Western Conference, trustee of the ACBL Charity Foundation, chairman of the ACBL Board of Directors in 1971 and as ACBL representative to the WBF and treasurer of that body.

He was named ACBL *Honorary Member of the Year* in 1978.

Baldwin was succeeded by **Chris H. Wilson** of Phoenix AZ who served as a member of the ACBL

Board of Directors from 1977 to 1989. She was ACBL president in 1985 and chairman of the Board in 1986.

She was president of the Western Conference and Phoenix Unit for four terms each.

One of the founders of the District 17 Association in 1969, Wilson was a member of its Board and executive committee until 1989. She is a member of the ACBL Goodwill and Charity Committees and an adviser to the ACBL Educational Foundation.

Wilson served the longest term as president, presiding over four NABCs instead of three when the Board changed the term of the presidency.

She was chairperson of the 1971 Fall NABC in Phoenix.

Her successor, **Robert O. Wingard** of Colorado Springs CO, is the assistant director of operations support, headquarters NORAD. He is a graduate of Purdue University.

A member of the ACBL Board of Directors since 1990, Wingard served as president of the Western Conference 1983-84, District 17 1976-79 and Unit 360 1972-75 and 1988.

He has chaired several regionals and is a member of the ACBL Goodwill Committee and ACBL Charity Committee.

Poker face

By Allan Falk

Test your declarer play on this deal from the Grand National Teams semifinal.

Dir: East ♠K 5 3
Vul: N-S ♥A K J 9 8 6
♦A 10 8 6
♣--

♠A 8 7 6 4
♥4 2
♦J 9
♣K Q 10 9

West	North	East	South
		Pass	Pass
1♦	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♦	Pass	3♣
Pass	6♠	All Pass	

West leads the ♦K. Plan the play.

To make 6♠ after a diamond lead, declarer must get the hearts going, discard a diamond before losing the lead and find spades 3-2. Hearts must also be 3-2 (or the singleton queen with East) since you will have only one dummy entry after playing the top spades and hearts.

Your choice in hearts is to finesse opener for the queen or bang down the ♥A and ♥K. Finessing gains only against ♥Q x x with West since you need five heart winners (assuming West has the ♣A). Playing the top hearts works when either opponent has the doubleton queen -- that's eight cases among the 3-2 splits (four each for East and West) versus six cases of ♥Q x x with West only.

Actually, if East falsecards with the ♥Q from a holding of Q-10 doubleton, prompting declarer to play East for 2-1-3-7 shape (the only distribution consistent with West's opening of 1♦ rather than 1♣), declarer will gain in only seven cases versus six but will make the contract when hearts are 4-1 with West holding four to the 10. Declarer loses 3.4% but adds 11.2%.

The correct play, then, is ♦A, ♥A. If East plays the ♥Q, declarer plays the ♠K and a spade to the ace, followed by a heart to the 9, the ♥K, throwing a diamond, and then run hearts until West ruffs.

If East plays a low heart, declarer cashes the ♥K, if the ♥Q drops, then declarer plays the ♠K, a spade to the ace, the ♥J, pitching a diamond, and claims.

Finally, if the ♥Q does not drop, it is important to maintain a calm and unruffled exterior. You will still make your slam if East had two hearts and any three spades. Just lead a heart. If East discards, ruff, play the ♠A, spade to the king and run hearts, later taking a ruffing finesse for the ♣A. If East ruffs with the 9, 10, jack or queen, declarer discards his diamond and prays that East started with three spades originally.

The full deal:

Dir: East ♠K 5 3
Vul: N-S ♥A K J 9 8 6
♦A 10 8 6
♣--

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

Illusions

Winning bridge players are adept at helping their opponents "take a view" of a deal -- and that usually means the wrong view. Wayne Stuart of Santa Cruz CA performed masterfully to lead his opponent astray on this deal from the second qualifying session of the Life Master Pairs. He was playing with Wafik Abdou of Bakersfield CA.

Dir: East ♠8 6 5
Vul: N-S ♥9 5 4 2
♦10 5 4
♣A J 2

♠K 4 3 2
♥K J 7
♦8 3
♣Q 10 9 7

♠A Q 9
♥A 6
♦A K Q 9 6 2
♣8 6

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

(1) Multi: weak two-bid in a major or a strong balanced hand.

(2) Pass or correct.

(3) Strong.


Abdou led the ♥3 and the jack held in dummy. Declarer then played the ♦3 from dummy and Stuart smoothly inserted the 10, looking for all the world like a man splitting his honors with the ♦J 10 x x.

Declarer cashed the ♥A and followed with the ♠A, ♠Q and a spade to the king. Declarer then cashed the 13th spade and the ♥K. When East played the ♦8 from dummy

Too many hearts

In the opening round of the Spingold, George Rapee and John Solodar were playing against a pair from California. On one deal, Rapee's right-hand opponent opened 1NT, and LHO bid 4♦, a Texas transfer. RHO dutifully bid 4♥, which was followed by three passes.

Rapee made his opening lead and LHO was putting down the dummy in a deliberate manner. It seemed that heart after heart were being exposed on the table.

Rapee, apparently tired of the cascade of hearts coming out of his opponent's hand, looked at the gentleman and said, "Stop that! Put something over there (pointing to dummy's left)." 


and Stuart followed with the 4, declarer bought into Stuart's shenanigans and inserted the 9.

All of a sudden, on a contract where 13 tricks were available after a heart lead, East was down. Abdou won the jack and cashed the ♥Q. The defenders still had the top two clubs coming. Plus 50 was worth nearly all the matchpoints.

Section top prizes

Be sure to pick up your special prize for your section top. The Awards Desk, adjacent to the Registration Desk, is open for an hour prior to each afternoon and evening session.

Smoking rules

If you wish to smoke, there is only one area inside the Albuquerque Convention Center that you may do so -- in the Northwest Exhibit Hall on the ground level. Otherwise you must go outside the Convention Center to smoke. By city ordinance, *smoking is not allowed in any other part of the Convention Center.* 

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Tournament directors will have first aid kits available in each playing area. Kits are equipped with band-aids, aspirin, ibuprofen and other generic medical supplies.

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Emily Klosson and Jackie Matthews.

Caddy Continued from page 1

"Every one I went to was in a city I'd never been in before," Carmichael said.

The sophomore at Nebraska Wesleyan University in Lincoln is taking general study courses at present but is interested in the environment.

Gokavi, 19, has also been a caddy since 1991. She is a junior at the University of Saskatchewan studying anatomy with her eye on medical school.

"I like my Summer NABCs," Gokavi said.

Tuesday night, Gokavi and 15-year-old Sasha Jacobs of New York City were working the Spingold Knockout Teams and using a system they invented for moving boards that saves time and keeps the players happy.

"They never have to call a caddy," said Gokavi. "And," said Jacobs, "we get an hour break."

Ben Bausher, 17, was preparing to caddy the mid-night game by himself. Utterly undaunted -- "It's usually only 16 tables," he said -- the Hamden CT youngster is a true veteran. He's been a caddy since he was 8.

His parents, he explained, took him to a tournament and pointed to a young woman who was caddying. "They said, 'You can do that and get paid, or you can watch us.'" It wasn't a tough decision.

Now he's glad he's had the experience. "You meet lots of cool people. I still keep in touch with some I met in New Orleans (at the 1995 Summer NABC)."

One of the youngest of the group is 10-year-old Emily Klosson, step-daughter of Peter Boyd, 1997 Vanderbilt champion. In fact, Klosson is too young to caddy, but

she prevailed upon Matthews to let her pick up a section the other day.

"She is something special," said Matthews. "She never missed a beat. She is so smart."

Laurie Fitzgerald is the head caddy at the Summer NABC. She's so dedicated, in fact, that she took a week off from her regular job at Target to work the tournament.

She got into caddying because her father, Donn Erickson, is a Life Master who plays nearly every day

at the Duke City Bridge Club in Albuquerque.

Fitzgerald was also the head caddy at the 1994 World Bridge Championships in Albuquerque. She praised the current group. "They're doing a good job."

Many of the caddies have had long exposure to bridge. Ann Beye is one. The 15-year-old is the daughter of Tournament Director Rick Beye. She likes Matthews' habit of moving caddies around the tournament so they can meet new people.

Jacob Eye, 16, of Albuquerque has caddied at his grandmother's bridge club and his father is a tournament director.

Matthews has trained and managed caddies for so long that she sometimes feels she just can't do it any more. "Then I look in their eyes -- and I guess I can."

As usual, the caddies said they have mixed feelings about the players in general.

Said Carmichael, "Fifty percent are nice and fifty percent are rude."

Matthews said she is especially grateful to players like Zia, a superstar who is always gracious and polite in dealing with the youngsters.

"Zia is wonderful to the caddies," Matthews said.

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**Kaplan, master of the microphone**

Edgar Kaplan has long been noted as a vugraph commentator. Here's a sampling from the 1980 Olympiad in the Netherlands:

• I don't know what North was thinking of doing, but it's just as well he didn't.

• That's unfair. North-South were just having a good time and suddenly East-West turned nasty and doubled.

• Four hearts is a very good bid -- but on some other hand.

• This is a contract that would be justified only by success -- and I have a feeling it will not be.

• West passed, hoping his partner would double, but that was too much to hope for in this world. It will happen all the time in the next world.

• They make a game. It wasn't a good game but still they won't give it back on that account.

• He may bid and he may not. I believe that covers all possibilities.

• When in doubt, put the opponents on lead. Why should you make the mistakes?

• He's preserving his options to misguess the diamonds.

• In order to let the contract make, the defenders must lead a spade. No other line of play succeeds.

• The first duty of a contract is to make. If it doesn't make, that's a major flaw.

• South's bid implied: I have four spades, four hearts, six clubs and the rest are diamonds.

• Somebody said down one is good bridge. Making is perhaps better.

• Some people bid three notrump over their partner's three-level suit bids on the theory that it's more dignified to go down in game.

• To teach the opponents not to preempt against you, you must not only double them, you must also beat them.

• I don't think anyone in this tournament can bid diamonds to show diamonds. We lost the club suit in the 1950s. Now diamonds are gone and hearts are sinking fast.

• Now his three diamond bid shows a singleton diamond. When he rebids diamonds, it will confirm a singleton diamond.

• East is wondering why he didn't pass one spade. So am I.

• East-West can make a singular number of hearts but not a plural number.

From the 1981 Bermuda Bowl and Venice Cup, played in Port Chester NY:

• It seems to me you should be able to make more in an eight-card fit than in a five-card fit. There's no justice in this world.

• The best one can say for this contract is that it has not yet gone down.

• Defenders hate to lead suits they have bid -- they like to surprise the declarer.

• Either team can make three notrump so long as they have the opening lead.

And from the 1983 Bermuda Bowl in Stockholm:

• The modern fashion in cuebids is not to show anything in particular but to cast a rosy glow over the whole auction.

• Declarer led the ace of trumps and it held. So now he must reconsider his options.

• As you can see, neither pair had any difficulty reaching their 19-point game. The difficulty will come in the play.

• There are three right plays in bridge -- what's correct on analysis, what works and what I would do.

• North obeyed the old rule -- if you can't follow suit, follow color.

• An exchange between commentators Kaplan and Jean Besse.

Besse: Well, you must do a lot of things before you can endplay East.

Kaplan: Yes, but that's your job, Jean. If you don't want to do a lot of things, you must stay in Switzerland.

• No swing on a board that was touch and go at both tables. It touched and went.

• When partner asks for help in a side suit and you respond positively with three small, it is an insult to your partner. And if he's well-built and hefty, it is a poor idea to insult him.

• I think this hand should be played the way my mother would play it -- take your nine tricks. (When this is what declarer actually did, Edgar remarked, "Yes, he's playing it the maternal way.")

• I know people who could go down on this hand, but I don't believe any of them are here.

• The only Americans who would get to six hearts on that hand are sitting in the audience, so no fear.

• As long as the king is in the same place at the other table, you don't have to worry. It's when the king jumps from the West hand to the East hand that you must be concerned.

• To equal the result in the other room, he needs 16 overtricks.

• It's a question of intent: if you have a problem, you must think. If you hesitate to fool your opponent, that is unethical. If your heart is pure, your ethics are unsullied.

• North doubled four hearts to tell himself what to lead.

• He has left himself no flexibility. He can no longer go down.

• The Closed Room is playing faster than the Open Room. They have easier hands in there.

• It is well-known that in third seat, you must have 13 cards to open the bidding.

• The number of players who enjoy doubling the opponents into game can be counted on one toe.

• It does seem a little hard to sit here criticizing a man who has just collected 1100.

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Head caddy
Laurie Fitzgerald.

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Caddies enjoy a card game -- not bridge, though -- while awaiting calls. From left, Steve Umbrage, Jeneé Zapatka, Jason Feldman, Sarah Barber, Tanya Gokavi, Meggan Carmichael and Sasha Jacobs.

Lifetime top 200 masterpoint winners

1. Paul Soloway, Mill Creek WA	47,156	71. Phil Leon, Grosse Pointe MI	13,231	141. Ed Davis, Seal Beach CA	11,061
2. Mike Passell, Dallas TX	40,533	72. Gail Greenberg, New York NY	13,189	142. Marty Arndt, Houston TX	11,060
3. Ron Andersen, Chicago IL	38,339	73. Norman Kay, Narberth PA	13,168	143. J. David King, Miami FL	11,007
4. Mark Lair, Canyon TX	37,001	74. Roger Bates, Mesa AZ	13,165	144. Tom Hodapp, Cincinnati OH	10,948
5. Eddie Wold, Houston TX	32,813	75. Martin Baff, Beachwood OH	13,155	145. Dan Morse, Houston TX	10,924
6. Jeff Meckstroth, Tampa FL	30,955	76. Jim Linhart, Piscataway NJ	13,125	146. Alan LeBendig, Los Angeles CA	10,910
7. Grant Baze, La Jolla CA	28,918	77. Rick Henderson, Los Angeles CA	13,092	147. Dorothy Truscott, Riverdale NY	10,880
8. Frederick Hamilton, Fresno CA	24,877	78. Lew Stansby, Castro Valley CA	13,080	148. George Steiner, Seattle WA	10,848
9. Gaylor Kasle, Boca Raton FL	24,476	79. Charles Coon, Marshfield MA	12,954	149. Larry Cohen, Las Vegas NV	10,820
10. Bobby Goldman, Highland Vlg TX	23,612	80. Jan Janitschke, Littleton CO	12,893	150. Robert Morris, Cincinnati OH	10,798
11. Mary Jane Farrell, Los Angeles CA	22,488	81. Sidney Lazard, New Orleans LA	12,879	151. Mary Chilcote, Cleveland OH	10,752
12. Eric Rodwell, Naperville IL	22,090	82. Russell Arnold, Miami FL	12,808	152. Veronica McMurdie, Sacramento CA	10,713
13. Mark Itabashi, Murrietta CA	21,782	83. Ronald Smith, San Francisco CA	12,801	153. Chip Martel, Davis CA	10,650
14. Bobby Wolff, Dallas TX	21,500	84. Sydney Levey, Valley Village CA	12,779	154. John Fox, Whittier CA	10,616
15. Steve Robinson, Arlington VA	21,495	85. Beverly Rosenberg, Sherman Oaks CA	12,762	155. Craig Janitschke, Olympia WA	10,605
16. Zeke Jabbour, Boca Raton FL	21,329	86. Mark Molson, Cote St. Luc PQ	12,716	156. Mary Hardy, Las Vegas NV	10,576
17. Lynn Deas, Schenectady NY	21,156	87. Betty Ann Kennedy, Shreveport LA	12,699	157. Gary Ullman, Van Nuys CA	10,563
18. Alan Bell, Fullerton CA	20,969	88. Jacqui Mitchell, New York NY	12,670	158. Juanita Chambers, Schenectady NY	10,560
19. Gene Freed, Los Angeles CA	20,811	89. Steve Sion, Las Vegas NV	12,606	159. John Griscom, Nashville TN	10,446
20. David Treadwell, Wilmington DE	20,541	90. Frank Hoadley, New Orleans LA	12,600	160. Hamish Bennett, Menlo Park CA	10,416
21. Bob Hamman, Dallas TX	20,280	91. Ed Manfield, Hyattsville MD	12,572	161. Colby Vernay, Lacon IL	10,413
22. Michael Lawrence, Berkeley CA	20,156	92. Alvin Roth, Boca Raton FL	12,549	162. Judy Tucker, New York NY	10,405
23. Chuck Said, Nashville TN	20,017	93. Marinesa Letizia, Louisville KY	12,494	163. Eddie Kantar, Santa Monica CA	10,396
24. Mike Shuman, Pasadena CA	19,955	94. Paul Ivaska, Las Vegas NV	12,458	164. Boris Baran, Montreal PQ	10,392
25. Peter Weichsel, Encinitas CA	19,627	95. Judi Radin, New York NY	12,378	165. Chuck Lamprey, White Plains NY	10,373
26. Garey Hayden, Tucson AZ	19,536	96. Chris Compton, Oklahoma City OK	12,306	166. Jerry Helms, Charlotte NC	10,357
27. Glenn Lublin, Silver Spring MD	19,452	97. Hugh Maclean, Gonzales TX	12,281	167. Jack Schwencke, N Palm Beach FL	10,356
28. David Adams, Kennesaw GA	18,973	98. Marty Bergen, Farmingdale NY	12,278	168. Richard Taube, Marietta GA	10,352
29. Joan Remy Moore, Troy MI	18,188	99. Marshall Miles, Redlands CA	12,276	169. Jim Barrow, Lake Charles LA	10,348
30. Robert Levin, Orlando FL	17,997	100. George Dawkins, Austin TX	12,251	170. Phil Brady, Philadelphia PA	10,221
31. Kerri Sanbom, Stony Point NY	17,945	101. Robert Lipsitz, Dunedin FL	12,232	171. Jim Reiman, Mansfield OH	10,190
32. Alan Stout, Lisbon IA	17,866	102. George Rosenkranz, Mexico City	12,143	172. Daniel Rotman, Aventura FL	10,160
33. John Fisher, Dallas TX	17,514	103. Bruce Ferguson, Boise ID	12,093	173. Stephen Swearingen, Arlington VA	10,136
34. John Sutherlin, Dallas TX	17,247	104. Howard Piltch, Andover MA	11,935	174. Michael Schreiber, Los Angeles CA	10,132
35. Jo Morse, Palm Beach Gardens FL	16,759	105. Larry Cohen, Boca Raton FL	11,931	175. Curtis Cheek, Huntsville AL	10,116
36. Carol Sanders, Nashville TN	16,509	106. Jerry Clerkin, North Vernon IN	11,890	176. Richard Freeman, Atlanta GA	10,094
37. David Siebert, Little Rock AR	16,471	107. Ellen Allen, Summerville SC	11,759	177. Max Hardy, Las Vegas NV	10,074
38. Allan Siebert, Little Rock AR	16,382	108. Ron Sukoneck, Annandale VA	11,755	178. Peter Rank, Los Angeles CA	10,070
39. Peter Boyd, Silver Spring MD	16,375	109. Ellasue Chaitt, Palm Beach Gdns FL	11,740	179. Joseph Jabon, Bellevue WA	10,064
40. David Berkowitz, Old Tappan NJ	16,371	110. Jim Krekorian, New York NY	11,697	180. Ken Cohen, Philadelphia PA	10,064
41. John Mohan, Santa Monica CA	16,366	111. Jim Robison, Las Vegas NV	11,691	181. Cliff Campbell, Thunder Bay ON	10,047
42. Alan Sontag, Gaithersburg MD	16,080	112. Mark Blumenthal, Chicago IL	11,684	182. Janet Daling, Seattle WA	10,043
43. Tom Sanders, Nashville TN	15,968	113. Ed Lewis, Falls Church VA	11,665	183. Chuck Burger, West Bloomfield MI	10,037
44. Gerald Caravelli, Des Plaines IL	15,834	114. Corinne Kirkham, San Bernardino CA	11,640	184. Lloyd Arvedon, Medford MA	9994
45. Michael Seamon, Miami Beach FL	15,799	115. E X Snovel, San Antonio TX	11,639	185. Bob Etter, Sacramento CA	9960
46. Kit Woolsey, Kensington CA	15,728	116. Gerald Bare, Pacific Palisade CA	11,563	186. Chet Davis, Osterville MA	9916
47. Mike Cappelletti, Alexandria VA	15,714	117. Clifford Russell, Miami FL	11,540	187. Dick Yarrington, Seattle WA	9851
48. Morris Portugal, Los Angeles CA	15,539	118. John Onstott, New Orleans LA	11,523	188. Mike Albert, Omaha NE	9847
49. Rhoda Walsh, Beverly Hills CA	14,884	119. Hugh Ross, Oakland CA	11,510	189. Jill Meyers, Santa Monica CA	9811
50. Helen Shanbrom, Tamarac FL	14,849	120. Erik Paulsen, Upland CA	11,496	190. James Leary, Pasadena CA	9801
51. Dennis Clerkin, Bloomington IN	14,791	121. Larry Allen, Summerville SC	11,496	191. Jeanne Stenger, Bethesda MD	9769
52. Dennis Sorensen, Gresham OR	14,714	122. George Pisk, Manchaca TX	11,466	192. Harry Ross, Des Moines IA	9767
53. John Anderson, Sixes OR	14,632	123. Kay Schulle, Santa Monica CA	11,448	193. Larry Mori, Charlton NY	9751
54. Richard Pavlicek, Ft Lauderdale FL	14,411	124. Mike Aliotta, Oklahoma City OK	11,438	194. Harold Guiver, Beverly Hills CA	9741
55. Bernie Chazen, Tamarac FL	14,285	125. Norm Coombs, Brookville IN	11,397	195. Jim Hall, Minneapolis MN	9721
56. Frank King, Alexandria VA	14,193	126. Michael Moss, New York NY	11,396	196. Wayne Hascall, Grandville MI	9714
57. Bill Passell, Coral Springs FL	14,184	127. Bart Bramley, Chicago IL	11,386	197. Bill Wisdom, Salisbury NC	9706
58. Jim Kirkham, San Bernardino CA	14,180	128. Jim Zimmerman, Shaker Heights OH	11,385	198. Andy O'Grady, Miami FL	9669
59. George Bloomer, Pittsboro NC	14,156	129. Jon Wittes, Claremont CA	11,360	199. Jerry Gaer, Scottsdale AZ	9659
60. Edgar Kaplan, New York NY	13,965	130. Arnold Fisher, Clementon NJ	11,313	200. Andrew Bernstein, Memphis TN	9644
61. John Zilic, Houston TX	13,795	131. Evan Bailey, San Diego CA	11,306	201. Stephen Landen, West Bloomfield MI	9621
62. Malcolm Brachman, Dallas TX	13,765	132. John Gustafson, Des Moines IA	11,274	202. Sue Sachs, Baltimore MD	9612
63. Kathie Wei-Sender, Nashville TN	13,567	133. Tom Rutledge, Charleston SC	11,271	203. Beth Palmer, Silver Spring MD	9598
64. Ross Rainwater, Portland OR	13,502	134. Al Childs, Little Rock AR	11,259	204. Paul Lewis, Las Vegas NV	9588
65. Jan Weyant, Cincinnati OH	13,487	135. Ralph Katz, Burr Ridge IL	11,211	205. Harvey Brody, San Francisco CA	9548
66. David Ashley, Las Vegas NV	13,461	136. Linda Lewis, Las Vegas NV	11,210	206. William Whitesel, Coeur d'Alene ID	9538
67. Gene Simpson, Redlands CA	13,426	137. Randy Joyce, Raleigh NC	11,176	207. Jim Mathis, Williamsville NY	9516
68. Steve Lawrence, Athens TX	13,419	138. Edith Freilich, Miami Beach FL	11,115	208. Liane Turner, Kansas City MO	9484
69. Marc Jacobus, Las Vegas NV	13,303	139. Helen Utegaard, Las Vegas NV	11,099	209. Judy Randel, Albuquerque NM	9419
70. Ron Smith, Chattanooga TN	13,247	140. James Nash, Omaha NE	11,086	210. Gard Hays, Veradale WA	9419

APPEALS COMMITTEE DECISIONS

CASE FOUR

Subject: Tempo

Event: Bracketed KO, 26 July 97, Afternoon Session

Board: 17 ♠ J 10 8
Dealer: North ♥ A 4 3 2
Vul: None ♦ A J 10 7
♣ 5 3

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

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

WEST	NORTH	EAST	SOUTH
	Pass	1♠	2♥
4♠	5♥	5♠	Pass
Pass	Dbl (1)	Pass	6♥
Dbl	All Pass		

(1) Break in tempo

The Facts: 6♥ doubled went down two, plus 300 for E/W. At North's third turn to bid, he considered his alternatives for 15-25 seconds before doubling. The players all agreed to the length of the break in tempo. East called the Director immediately after North doubled. After establishing the facts, the Director allowed play to continue. At the completion of play, E/W called the Director and asked him to determine if pass was a logical alternative to the 6♥ bid.



After consulting with other Directors, the Director returned and ruled that pass was a logical alternative. The decision to bid 6♥ may have been influenced by the length of time that elapsed prior to the double. The Director changed the contract to 5♠ doubled made five, plus 650 for E/W.

The Appeal: N/S appealed the Director's ruling. All four players appeared before the Committee. South explained that their partnership agreement was to play intermediate strength jump overcalls. He stated he had to make a simple overcall with his possibly defenseless hand. South noted his partner was a passed hand and North made no five-level cuebid to show a strong raise to 5♥. Since South judged that it was unlikely that North had three defensive tricks, he deemed it prudent to pull the double.

E/W stated that South's hand may not be defenseless, and that South may have considered passing had North doubled in tempo.

The Committee Decision: The Committee conceded that South's arguments were thoughtful and well reasoned, yet fell short of persuasive. On the actual hand, if East's red suits were reversed, passing the double would have been the winning action. Since passing was a logical alternative for South, the likely result of that contract was assigned. The Committee changed the contract to 5♠ doubled made five, plus 650 for E/W.

There was no sentiment among the Committee members that South had unethically taken advantage of the unauthorized information transmitted by North's hesitation.

Chairperson: Jon Brissman

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Today's matches in Spingold Knockout Teams

104 Teams

Nick Nickell, New York NY; Richard Freeman, Atlanta GA; Jeff Meckstroth, Tampa FL; Eric Rodwell, Naperville IL; Bob Hamman - Bobby Wolff, Dallas TX

vs

Cameron Doner, Richmond BC; Mike Lucas, Las Vegas NV; Sidney Brownstein - Perry Van Hook, Santa Monica CA; Barry Schaffer, Dallas TX; Colby Vernay, Lacon IL

Steve Robinson, Arlington VA; Peter Boyd, Silver Spring MD; Ed Manfield, Hyattsville MD; Kit Woolsey, Kensington CA

vs

Steven Price, San Rafael CA; Rob Stevens, Menlo Park CA; Linda Lewis, Las Vegas NV; Mark Itabashi, Murrietta CA

James Cayne - Mark Feldman, New York NY; Alan Sontag, Gaithersburg MD; Mike Passell, Dallas TX; Chuck Burger, W Bloomfield MI; Michael Seamon, Miami Beach FL

vs

Marshall Miles, Redlands CA; Mark Bartusek, Manhattan Beach CA; William Wickham - Jeff Miller, Naperville IL

Robert Klein, Dunn Loring VA; David Ruderman, Burtonsville MD; Donna Rogall - John Adams, Gaithersburg MD

vs

Janet Colchamiro - Mel Colchamiro, Merrick NY; Betty Bloom - Steve Bloom, Duanesburg NY

Grant Baze, La Jolla CA; Tipton Golias, Beaumont TX; Cezary Balicki - Adam Zmudzinski - Merek Szymanowski - Marcin Lesniewski, Poland

vs

Bob McMahan - Happoldt Neuffer, Columbia SC; John Potter, Panama City Bch FL; Richard Potter, Black Mtn NC; Hugh Brown Jr, McCormick SC

Jeffrey Wolfson, Northbrook IL; Neil Silverman, Ft Lauderdale FL; Larry Cohen, Boca Raton FL; David Berkowitz, Old Tappan NJ; Robert Levin, Orlando FL; Peter Weichsel, Encinitas CA

vs

William Laubenheimer, Sunnyvale CA; Paul McDaniels, Richmond CA; Michael Levinson, Daly City CA; Ivan Scope, San Francisco CA; Eugene Prosnitz, Riverdale NY; Keith Garber, Pelham Manor NY

Rita Shugart, Pebble Beach CA; Andrew Robson, Carmel CA; Zia Mahmood, New York NY; Tony Forrester, Boston MA; Geir Helgemo, Trondheim; Michael Rosenberg, Tuckahoe NY

vs

Joseph Jabon - Jim Aitken, Bellevue WA; Harry Steiner - Henry Lortz - Wayne Ohlrich, Seattle WA; Haskell Fuller, Albuquerque NM

Edgar Kaplan, New York NY; Norman Kay, Narberth PA; Sidney Lazard Sr, New Orleans LA; Bart Bramley, Chicago IL; Michael Becker, Boca Raton FL; Michael Kamil, Holmdel NJ

vs

Glenn Eisenstein, Parsippany NJ; Richard De Martino, Riverside CT; John Stiefel, Wethersfield CT; Martin Fleisher, Northampton MA; John Rengstorff - Chris Willenken, New York NY

Mark Gordon, Purchase NY; Richard Zucker, N Tarrytown NY; Fred Chang, Flushing NY; Winthrop Allegaert - Jared Lilienstein - Glenn Milgrim, New York NY

vs

Allan Siebert, Little Rock AR; David Siebert, Metairie LA; Dewayne Jones, Mechanicsville VA; Earl Glickstein, Gaithersburg MD; Tom Clarke, Lake Charles LA; Alan Le Bendig, Los Angeles CA

Malcolm Brachman, Dallas TX; Eddie Wold, Houston TX; Dennis Clerkin, Bloomington IN; Jerry Clerkin, North Vernon IN; Marc Jacobus - Harold Lilie, Las Vegas NV

vs

Ray Loftis - Steve Bruno, Bellevue WA; Steven Sidell, Seattle WA; Darrell Keel, Peoria AZ

Ralph Katz - George Jacobs, Burr Ridge IL; Richard Pavlicek, Ft Lauderdale FL; Ronald Smith, San Francisco CA; Fred Stewart, West Hurley NY; Steve Weinstein, Glen Ridge NJ

vs

Jim Zimmerman, Shaker Heights OH; Paul Swanson, Morgantown WV; Phillip Becker, Cleveland OH; Kumar Bhatia, Pepper Pike OH

Peter Nagy, Las Vegas NV; George Mittelman - Fred Gitelman, Toronto ON; Howard Weinstein, Chicago IL; Steve Garner, Northfield IL; Brian Glubok, New York NY

vs

Ralph Cohen, Memphis TN; Robb Gordon, New York NY; Larry Mori, Charlton NY; Henry Bethe, Ithaca NY; Danny Sprung, Philadelphia PA; David Treadwell, Wilmington DE

George Rapee - John Solodar, New York NY; Russell Arnold, Miami FL; Tom Sanders, Nashville TN; Bill Eisenberg, Boca Raton FL; Roger Bates, Mesa AZ

vs

Michael Moss - Bjorn Fallenius, New York NY; Iftikhar Baqai, Los Angeles CA; Mitch Dunitz, Sherman Oaks CA; Tom Fox, Glenview IL; Walter Schafer Jr, Bloomingdale IL

Peter Jones, Edmonton AB; Duncan Smith, Victoria BC; Doug Deschner, Red Deer AB; Gordon Campbell, Calgary AB

vs

Steve Altus, Palo Alto CA; Varis Carey - Alexander Kolesnik, Austin TX; Andrew Lewis, Berkeley CA; Joel Singer, Stanford CA

Memorial gathering for Ron Andersen

A special open memorial gathering for Ron Andersen will take place this morning at 11 in Enchantment E and F on the second floor of the Hyatt. Anyone wishing to join this gathering to remember Ron will be welcome.

William Pollack, Warren NJ; Drew Casen, Pompano Beach FL; Ron Sukoneck, Annandale VA; Mark Cohen, Glen Ridge NJ

vs

Joseph Silver, Hampstead PQ; Kyle Larsen, San Francisco CA; Hugh Ross, Oakland CA; Michael Lawrence - Ravindra Murthy, Berkeley CA

Jack Coleman, San Francisco CA; Mark Stein, Ottawa ON; J Markland Molson, Cote St Luc PQ; Boris Baran, Montreal PQ; P Drew Cannell, Winnipeg MB; Per Olov Sundelin, Stockholm, Sweden

vs

Steve Beatty, Destrehan LA; Adam Wildavsky, Jackson Heights NY; Bruce Ferguson, Boise ID; Paul Lewis, Las Vegas NV; David Lehman, Glenview IL; Jim Hall, Minneapolis MN

Today's matches in Women's Knockout Teams

32 Teams

Lynne Schaefer, West Bloomfield MI; Martha Katz, Burr Ridge IL; Ellen Siebert, Little Rock AR; Peggy Kaplan, Minnetonka MN; Linda Gordon, New York NY; Leslie Paryzer, New York City NY

vs

Jo Morse, Palm Beach Gdns FL; Karen McCallum, Exeter NH; Hjordis Eythorsdottir, Huntsville AL; Rose Johnson, White Plains NY; Phyllis Quinn, Cortlandt Manor NY; Lynn Baker, Boston MA

Kathie Wei-Sender, Nashville TN; Juanita Chambers - Lynn Deas, Schenectady NY; Stasha Cohen, Glen Ridge NJ; Beth Palmer, Silver Spring MD

vs

Sally Woolsey, Kensington CA; Jo Anne Casen, Boca Raton FL; Kitty Munson, Jersey City NJ; Carreen Hinds, Long Beach CA; Carol Simon, New York NY; Judy Pede, Cerritos CA

Rozanne Pollack, Warren NJ; Connie Goldberg, Philadelphia PA; Lisa Berkowitz, Old Tappan NJ; Marinesa Letizia, Louisville KY; Carol Sanders, Nashville TN; Dorothy Truscott, Riverdale NY

vs

Jane Segal - Judy Kay, Narberth PA; Eunice Portnoy, Chesterfield MO; Jacqueline Sincoff, St Louis MO

Jill Meyers, Santa Monica CA; Randi Montin, Napa CA; Tobi Deutsch, Austin TX; Mildred Breed, Woodway TX; Renee Mancuso, Redondo Beach CA; Shawn Quinn, Katy TX

vs

Claire Tornay, New York NY; Beverly Rosenberg, Sherman Oaks CA; Petra Hamman - Peggy Sutherlin, Dallas TX

Appeals Committee Decisions

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Committee Members: Mark Bartusek, Dave Treadwell

CASE FIVE

Subject: Tempo

Event: Fast Pairs

Board: 2 ♠ 6

Dealer: East ♥ J 6 5 4 2

Vul: N/S ♦ J 9 2

♣ Q 10 5 2

♠ 8 4

♥ A Q 3

♦ K Q 10 8 7 5

♣ K J

♠ J 10

♥ K 9 8 7

♦ A 4 3

♣ 9 7 6 3

♠ A K Q 9 7 5 3 2

♥ 10

♦ 6

♣ A 8 4

WEST NORTH EAST SOUTH

3♦ Pass Pass 5♦ 4♠

Pass (1) Pass 5♦ Dbl

All Pass

(1) Break in tempo

The Facts: 5♦ doubled went down one, plus 100 for N/S. The Director determined that West considered his action for 20 to 30 seconds after South bid 4♠. After consultation, the Director ruled that unauthorized information was present and that pass was a logical alternative for East. The Director changed the contract to 4♠ made four, plus 420 for N/S.

The Appeal: E/W appealed the Director's ruling. East stated that she did not raise diamonds at her first opportunity because the opponent's may not have bid game. East decided that the sacrifice of 5♦ was indicated by her hand. She stated the slow tempo of her partner's pass did not influence her choice of actions.



The Committee Decision: The Committee decided that there had been a break in tempo and that unauthorized information was present. The Committee applied Law 16 which mandates that the Committee examine

the logical alternatives that East had to choose from and preclude any action that could demonstrably have been suggested by the presence of the unauthorized information. The Committee decided that the tempo break could have suggested the 5♦ bid and that pass was a logical alternative. The Committee imposed the pass on East and changed the contract to 4♠ made four, plus 420 for N/S. The Committee did not believe that East had been consciously influenced by the unauthorized information.

Chairperson: Jon Brissman

Committee Members: Mark Bartusek, Alan LeBendig

1997 Youth masterpoint race (19 and younger)

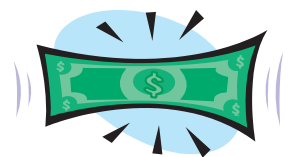
1.	John Kranyak, Bay Village OH	210
2.	Kent Mignocchi, Bronx NY	210
3.	John Hurd, Charleston SC	154
4.	Josh Heller, Toronto ON	129
5.	Gavin Wolpert, Thornhill ON	129
6.	Christine Carmichael, Wright-Patterson AFB OH	119
7.	Ari Greenberg, Malibu CA	115
8.	Joe Grue, Richfield MN	107
9.	Joel Wooldridge, Williamsville NY	88
10.	Erin Anderson, Regina SK	87
11.	Erin Berry, Regina SK	81
12.	Brandon Carpenter, Whitehouse TX	72
13.	Vijay Bal, Fair Oaks CA	68
14.	Brian Hardy, Ottawa ON	67
15.	Spencer Jones, Anchorage AK	65
16.	Alan Epley, Kent WA	65
17.	David Sabourin, Ottawa ON	61
18.	David Halasi, Toronto ON	59
19.	Isabelle Brisebois, Candiac PQ	54
20.	Daniel Kieffer, Cincinnati OH	46
21.	Charles Halasi, North York ON	43
22.	David Grainger, Etobicoke ON	43
23.	Jacob Morgan, Madison WI	40
24.	Scottie Waldron, Hunt Valley MD	40
25.	Todd Wolford, Aurora OH	38
26.	Ian Boyd, Calgary AB	37
27.	Tony Melucci, San Diego CA	37
28.	Jay Helekar, Yorba Linda CA	36
29.	Jennifer-Jo Hartsman, Lawrenceville GA	29
30.	Aaron Papst, Bakersfield CA	26
31.	Chris Lo, Mississauga ON	25
32.	James McCahill, Sarnia ON	24
33.	Patrick Brouhu, St. Catherines ON	23
34.	Elizabeth Howard, Nashville TN	22
35.	Todd Wachsmann, East Meadow NY	20
36.	Helen Fladseth, Santa Rosa CA	20
37.	Bridget Jones, Anchorage AK	18
38.	John Sitton, Hattiesburg MS	18
39.	Daniel Rodney, Oakton VA	18

Junior masterpoint race (25 and younger)

1.	Michael Shuster, San Francisco CA	439
2.	Darren Wolpert, Thornhill ON	295
3.	Eric Greco, Annandale VA	282
4.	Shannon Lipscomb, Red Bank TN	272
5.	Daniel Levin, Wheaton IL	216
6.	Scott Lewis, Wakefield RI	213
7.	Thomas Carmichael, Middletown NJ	212
8.	John Kranyak, Bay Village OH	210
9.	Kent Mignocchi, Bronx NY	210
10.	Jonathan Ferguson, Ottawa ON	194
11.	Jeffrey Blond, Cote St. Luc PQ	194
12.	Matt Johnson, Wheaton IL	188
13.	Jeff Smith, Ottawa ON	183
14.	Samuel Hirschman, Southfield MI	172
15.	Chad Krause, Allentown PA	167
16.	Chris Lubesnik, Montrose CA	155
17.	John Hurd, Charleston SC	154
18.	Jeff Fang, Arcadia CA	150
19.	Scott Merritt, Urbana IL	130
20.	Josh Heller, Toronto ON	129
21.	Gavin Wolpert, Thornhill ON	129
22.	Christine Carmichael, Wright-Patterson AFB OH	119
23.	Ari Greenberg, Malibu CA	115
24.	Joe Grue, Richfield MN	107
25.	David Wiegand, Portland OR	104
26.	Curtis Ruder, Tallahassee FL	101
27.	Jiun-Ming Chen, West Lafayette IN	101
28.	Thomas Schmidt, Jackson MS	97
29.	Greg Burch, Newark DE	96
30.	Michael Lohman, Baton Rouge LA	93
31.	Mahesh Viswanathan, Fairfax VA	89
32.	Jerry Fang, Arcadia CA	88
33.	Joel Wooldridge, Williamsville NY	88
34.	Erin Anderson, Regina SK	87
35.	Ilan Tadmor, San Francisco CA	87
36.	Brandon Buzzell, Urbana IL	85
37.	David Levy, Thornhill ON	83
38.	Rowen Bell, Evanston IL	82
39.	Erin Berry, Regina SK	81

Junior coupons

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The coupon, presented with \$5 by the Junior named on the coupon, may be used to purchase an entry for one session of any event at the NABC.

Restaurant information

Be sure to pick up a copy of the Bridge-Friendly Dining guide at the Information Desk for details on area restaurants.

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY KNOCKOUTS**Bracket 1**

16 Teams
Sheila Ekeblad - Russell Ekeblad, Providence RI; Eric Greco, Annandale VA; Geoff Hampson, Fenton MI
vs
Abraham Pineles, Yardley PA; Alexander Allen, Princeton NJ; Larry Bausher, Hamden CT; Don Barnett, Westport CT

Steve Gross, Ventura CA; Joseph Payne - Leonard Holtz - Phil Schaefer, Los Angeles CA; Ann Kluewer, Irvine CA; Jeffrey Ferro, Santa Monica CA

vs
Kerri Sanborn, Stony Point NY; George Rosenkranz, Mexico City; Robert Morris, Houston TX; Curtis Cheek, Huntsville AL

Bracket 2

16 Teams
Michael Gilbert - Susan Gilbert, Sarasota FL; Peter Filandro - Marie Filandro, Smyrna DE

vs
Edward Wojewoda, Antelope CA; Farid Assemi, Fresno CA; William Logan, Oceanside CA; Nick Bykov, Carmichael CA

Judith Bianco, New York NY; Paul Morris - Arnold Silversmith, Brooklyn NY; Jim Hamilton, Wallingford CT

vs
Sheila Pies, Potomac MD; Kay Afdahl, Virginia Bch VA; Nancy Molesworth, Croton N Hudson NY; Rhoda Prager, Allentown PA

Bracket 3

16 Teams
Alan Johnson - Dianne Johnson, Portland OR; Catherine Collinson, Bellevue WA; Paul Schwaighart, Normandy Park WA

vs
Joann Zapatka - David Zapatka, Springfield MO; Jackie Adelson - Steven Adelson, Scottsdale AZ

Preston Morrow - Gerrie Owen, Dallas TX; Louallen Leach - Jack Leach, Cedar Park TX

vs
Diana Schuld, Glen Head NY; Sandra Friedman, Flushing NY; Ora Lourie, Scarsdale NY; Cynthia Hinckley, Guayanabo PR; Suzanne Stevenson - Nadele Spiro, Bloomfld Hills MI

Bracket 4

16 Teams
Roger Johnson, Canton MA; Natalie Bassil, Boston MA; Birgit Arons, Newton Highland MA; Amnon Gabay, Newton MA

vs
Howard Einberg, Los Angeles CA; David Sokolow, Austin TX; Robert Bernstein, Albuquerque NM; Debbie Hyatt, Arvada CO

Edward Moy - Jim Levin, Ossining NY; Steven Wheeler, Northvale NJ; Alan Shollenberger, Danbury CT

vs
Jean Hume, Livermore CA; Darlene Pierce, Rancho Cordova CA; Mansoor Gowani, San Jose CA; Gary Peck, Castro Valley CA

Bracket 5

16 Teams
Rahn Smith, Delray Beach FL; Phil Karani, Carol Springs FL; Linda Epstein, Boca Raton FL; Roshen Hadulla, Coral Springs FL; Stephen Hurwitz, Plantation FL

vs
Alfred McCray - Patrick Moran, Dayton OH; Annette Bergstrom, Burbank CA; Edward Wetter, Havre De Grace MD

Jim Hull - Raymond Miller, Albuquerque NM; Kevin Perkins - Al Remer, Austin TX

vs
William Sentman - Sarah Sentman, Scott Depot WV; Mitchell Kontoff, Waitsfield VT; Nicholas Ecker Racz, Glover VT; Gene Kazlow, Moretown VT

Bracket 6

16 Teams
Ellen Dilbert - Christopher Apitz, Waltham MA; Edward Hougen - French Wall, Boston MA

vs
Patricia Dreinhofer - Yoko Higasa, Knoxville TN; Elizabeth Jeffords, Oak Ridge TN; Katherine Barton, Oakridge TN

Claude Oyler, Mesa AZ; Merle Oyler - Wanda Stotts - Robert Stotts, Tulsa OK

vs
Nick Rogers, Harrod OH; Robert Harris, Columbia MO; Christl Horner, Roswell GA; Evan Kostick, Rock Rapids IA

Bracket 7

16 Teams
Barbara Costanzi - Joan Lapidus - Rachel Hillman, Houston TX; Bobbie Jones, Friendswood TX

vs
Len Unger, Poulsbo WA; Robert Harken, Chandler AZ; Roberta Paup, Lakeside AZ; Pamela Schicketanz, Show Low AZ

0-2000 KNOCKOUT TEAMS**Bracket 1**

16 Teams
48.93 1 Jill Lind, Sun City AZ; Gregg Van Dyke, St Paul MN; Keith Connolly - Kerry Holloway, Minneapolis MN
36.70 2 Allan Schuster, Coronado CA; Robert Rinehart, Northumberland PA; John Paul McNamee, Temple Hills MD; Gerda Mudd, Alexandria VA
24.08 3/4 Margaret O'Neal - Stanley Littlefield, Titusville FL; Liga Byrne, Mequon WI; John Hogan Jr, Wayne NJ
24.08 3/4 Eileen Axelrod - Sidney Axelrod, Chicago IL; Richard Kieper, Boeme TX; Robert Lindsay, Troup TX
10.58 5/8 Patricia Glasnap, Clearwater FL; Charles Sheaff, Palatine IL; Corinne Lee, Virginia Bch VA; Corinne Leachman, Billings MT; Charles Nemes, Hinsdale IL; Donna Rodwell, Naperville IL
10.58 5/8 Kent Mignocchi, Bronx NY; Beverly Perry, New York City NY; Ronald Daringer - Dolores Daringer, Cambridge MD

Bracket 2

16 Teams
35.11 1 Roger Snowling, Hamilton ON; Lino D'Souza, Burlington ON; Naveed Ather, Oakville ON; Martin Hunter, Mississauga ON
26.33 2 Michael Andrews, Greenbelt MD; Richard Veach, Laurel MD; Robert Hickey, E Sandwich MA; Dick Dugas, N Falmouth MA
17.28 3/4 Nanette Hegeman, Roseland NJ; Merle Stetser, Honolulu HI; Deborah Case, San Francisco CA; Rhoda Grossman, Wyncote PA
17.28 3/4 George Watkins - Tricia Kane - Stan Pushkarsky, Austin TX; Marilou Powell, Round Rock TX

Bracket 3

16 Teams
24.92 1 Lawrence Ascher, Whitestone NY; Michael Botwin, Baldwin NY; Ruth Basu - Pon Hwa Lin, New York NY; David Halasi - Colin Lee, Toronto ON
18.69 2 Davis Peters, Canton GA; Joan Braender, Peachtree Cty GA; Sandy Pierce, Atlanta GA; Pamela Croy Newton, Marietta GA
12.27 3/4 John Zamboni, Rancho Cordova CA; John Jensen, Los Altos CA; Letha Couch, Chula Vista CA; Sam Graham, Oakland CA
12.27 3/4 Tara Gokavi - Cynthia Gokavi - Winston Gokavi - Linda Olbort, Saskatoon SK; Lisa Kow, Concord CA; Tarokh Taefi, Dunwoody GA

Bracket 4

16 Teams
18.13 1 Paul Simon - Janet Fidelman, Arlington MA; Steve Herman, Revere MA; Tod Mucci, Colorado Spgs CO
13.60 2 Sheryl Shearer, Dallas TX; Joyce Penn - Carole Taussig - Peter Taussig, Columbus OH
8.93 3/4 Terry Currie - Wanda Meyer - Susan Munn, Houston TX; Jean Cole, Richards TX
8.93 3/4 Stephen Nordberg - R Liguori - Jay Feldman, El Paso TX; Tania Moalem, Burlingame CA

Bracket 5

16 Teams
12.40 1 Maureen Beyrouiti - Henri Barki, Westmount PQ; Roger Dunn, St Bruno PQ; Hayk Bosnaky, Montreal PQ
9.30 2 Mike Lara, Ft Worth TX; Carolyn Pinto, Fort Worth TX; Gary Neisler, No Richland Hls TX; William Morris Jr, Arlington TX
6.11 3/4 Frank Moran - Peggy Moran - Shirley Holzer - William Kilgarlin, Santa Fe NM
6.11 3/4 Leonard Abbot, Mamaroneck NY; Warren Chang, Brooklyn NY; Roman Shapiro, Fair Lawn NJ; Diana Tenery, Fairfax VA

Bracket 6

16 Teams
8.49 1 Brian Meyer, Buffalo NY; James Jordan, Tonawanda NY; Christy Kellogg, West Seneca NY; Michael Ryan, Williamsville NY
6.37 2 Sandra Jackson - Richard Jackson, Bellaire TX; Evelyn Sherman, San Diego CA; Daniel Jackson - J.Robert Beck - Sharon Beck, Houston TX
4.18 3/4 Michael Hughes III, Seattle WA; D Berg, Puyallup WA; Patrick Roche - Yoko Barnett, Kirkland WA
4.18 3/4 Jayne Paquette - William Kroll, Marquette MI; Karen Chapin, Negaunee MI; Ann Wells, Albuquerque NM

Bracket 7

13 Teams
5.00 1 Benjamin Suta, Sandy UT; Pete Edwards - Roy Keir, Salt Lake City UT; Bonnie Edwards, Salt Lake Cty UT
3.75 2 Jared Markowitz, New York NY; Marco Ortiz, Woodside NY; Paul Bimbaum, Brooklyn NY; Gordon Nash, Bayside NY; William Seddon, Huntington NY
2.46 3/4 Eric Bell, Norman OK; Gladys Pfaff, Philadelphia PA; Patricia Westenhaver, Rancho Pls Vds CA; Mary Franklin, Rncho Palo Vrds CA
2.46 3/4 Charlotte Coon, Deer Park TX; Marisa Grossi, League City TX; Marie Johnson - Robert Hill, Houston TX

Bracket 8

12 Teams
5.00 1 Rochelle Shapiro, Chicago IL; Sylvia Leibach, Buffalo Grove IL; Gail Kahan - John Kahan, Santa Barbara CA
3.75 2 R Cramer - Nell Jane Cramer, Davenport IA; Monica Jung, Kildeer IL; Donna Casey, Palatine IL
2.46 3/4 Elizabeth Nice, Lawrence KS; Cecil Williams, Kansas City MO; Sherrell Tyree, Overland Park KS; Joel Hamilton, Alamogordo NM
2.46 3/4 Sue Lawrie - Phyllis Hart - Olivia McMillan - Richard Weigle, Albuquerque NM

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MONDAY ZIP SWISS

16 Teams

	A	B	C	
3.94	1	1		Sali Ma, Cincinnati OH; Avis Von Eschen, Bloomington MN; Richard Mueller, Chicago IL; Randolph Mech, Farmington Hills MI
2.96	2	2		Dorothy Parker - Doris Bunselmeyer, Lindale TX; Brandon Carpenter - Latoss Carpenter, Whitehouse TX
2.22	3			Jean Cole, Richards TX; Ron Woodsum - Terry Currie, Houston TX; Lon Kieffer III, Roseville MN
1.66	4			Paul Kinney, Roxbury MA; Shome Mukherjee, Randolph MA; Sheila Gabay, Newton MA; Barbara Burgess, Burlington MA
1.25	5			Jay Gibson, Plano TX; Annette McCarty, Richardson TX; Sam Graham, Oakland CA; R Elwin Brown, Gloucester ON
1.96	3	1		Gordon Wolf, Salem OR; Robert Byrne, Richmond KY; Joe Clark - Ian Friedland, Dallas TX

TUESDAY MORNING 50/100/200 PAIRS

20 Pairs

	D	E	F	
2.57	1	1		Lawrence Williams, Princeton TX; Sally Milavec, Albuquerque NM
1.93	2	2		Florene Schmidt, Glendale AZ; Barbara Reed, Scottsdale AZ
1.45	3			Margaret Thill, Pinehurst NC; Stella Smith, Southern Pines NC
1.37	4	3	1	Donald Kevane - Josephine Kevane, Rio Piedras PR
0.81	5			R Hanna - Virginia Hanna, Fort Collins CO
0.79	6	4		Joan De Vita, Middleton RI; Sue Wagner, Albuquerque NM
1.03			2	John Parker, St John's NF; Gillian Bond, Socorro NM

TUESDAY MORNING CONTINUOUS/SIDE PAIRS

30 Pairs

	A	B	
3.79	1		Rodney Wilton, Albuquerque NM; Barbara Jur, Warren MI
2.92	2/3		Brian Hingerty - Yoko Higasa, Knoxville TN
2.49	2/3		R Wayne Penrod - Bobbi Johnson, Centerville OH
2.43	4	1	Jo-Anne Ball - Patricia Gill, Sedona AZ
1.46	5		Kent Vandewater - Susan Vandewater, Bayside NY
1.46	6		Muriel Leventhal, Boston MA; Adacie Allen, Brookline MA
1.82		2	Irene Myers, Worcester MA; Carol Jones, Paxton MA
1.37		3	Jerilyn Vanatta, Greenwood Vlg CO; Betty Stephan, Denver CO
1.03		4	Francis Foresta - Linda Foresta, Monarch Beach CA

TUESDAY AFTERNOON 50/20 STRATIFIED PAIRS

26 Pairs

	F	G	
2.42	1		Helyn Trembly, Albuquerque NM; Sandy French, Albuquerque NM
1.82	2	1	Sonia Ryan - Donald Ryan, Golden CO
1.36	3		Nancy Turpie - Ann Hume, Albuquerque NM
1.02	4		Gerald Myers, Ft Worth TX; Mark Strouse, Las Vegas NV
0.67	5/6		Thomas Cushing - Mildred Cushing, Basking Ridge NJ
0.67	5/6		Donald Kevane - Josephine Kevane, Rio Piedras PR
1.19	2		Duane Burgeson, Albuquerque NM; Robert Vander Putten, Rio Rancho NM
0.89	3		Dianne Birchard, Albuquerque NM; Ellen Wilson, Seattle WA
0.67	4		Gillian Bond - John Hagstrom, Socorro NM
0.55	5		Duane Beisner - Doris Beisner, Las Vegas NV

MONDAY/WEDNESDAY CONTINUOUS PAIRS

98 Pairs

	A	B	
7.83	1/2		Ken Gee - Betty Lou Heeg, Regina SK
7.83	1/2		Lon Kieffer III, St Paul MN; Ron Woodsum, Houston TX
5.03	3		C Baron - Randy Baron, Louisville KY
3.78	4		Dorothy Kelleher, Portland ME; Thomas Belle, Andover MA
2.83	5		Jim Cheney, Hilo HI; Liz Bartholomew, Pennington NJ
2.12	6		Mildred Di Falco, Babylon NY; Nofrio Florio, East Islip NY
3.64		1	Robert Fogarty, Andover MA; Kathy McCabe, Austin TX
2.73		2	Lois Livingston - Schuyler Livingston, Venice FL
2.05		3	Julia Ehlers, West Orange NJ; Michael McNamara, Morristown NJ
1.54		4	Peggy Ashman, Palm City FL; Barbara Plummer, Scottsdale AZ
1.15		5	Mark Michnovicz - Barbara Murphy, Albuquerque NM
1.06		6	Ira Carroll - Michael Vermilion, Albuquerque NM

TUESDAY STRATIFIED SENIOR PAIRS

124 Pairs

	A	B	C	
20.00	1			Jackie Evans - Karin Warner, Albuquerque NM
15.00	2			George Drake - Helene Drake, Phoenix AZ
11.25	3			Mary Dusek, Dallas TX; Larry Dunham, Tucson AZ
8.44	4			Carol Zogg, Bellevue WA; Larry Gilbert, Seattle WA
6.33	5			Theodore Bloomfield, Warrenton OR; Lawrence Hayes, Arlington VA
4.76	6			Derald Keetch, Ft Worth TX; Bob Bratcher, Vista CA
3.56	7			Patrick Callahan, Fort Belvoir VA; Roy Banner Jr, Washington DC
2.80	8			Ann Ottenberg, Soquel CA; Joan Brown, Capitola CA
9.87		1		Mike Boyle - Joanne Boyle, Pacheco CA
7.40		2		Susan McMahan - Nancy Wilson, Houston TX
5.55		3		Elizabeth Coulon - Judith Hardie, Boulder CO
4.16		4		Shirley Black - Donna Myers, Hixson TN
3.12		5		Florence Levesque, Salt Lake City UT; Romeo Levesque, Ketchum ID
2.34		6		Shirley Daly, Ann Arbor MI; John Hamburg, Rio Rancho NM
3.36		7	1	Claudia Sanchez - John Dennis, Albuquerque NM
2.52			2	Madeline Dinoffer - Harold Dinoffer, Savannah GA
1.89			3	Sandra Rea - Marianne Slay, Midland TX
1.87			4	Alan Salem - Charles Vicary, Scottsdale AZ
1.06			5	Bess Blanton, Cuero TX; Chris Hull, Austin TX
1.34			6	H Messenheimer, Tijeras NM; Daniel Lucas, Rio Rancho NM

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY KNOCKOUTS

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Robert Davis - Patricia Durgin - Jane Komrmusch, Albuquerque NM; Susan Gehring, San Diego CA

vs

John Clough, Bernalillo NM; James Steele, Los Alamos NM; Hai-Qing Lin, San Jose CA; Kirk Hatchell, Albuquerque NM

Bracket 8

15 Teams

William Smithers - Mary Smithers - Edward Pond - Dayle Pond, Las Cruces NM

vs

Sally Jester, San Luis Obispo CA; Lois Angell, Pittstown NJ; Diane Solomon, W Orange NJ; Pearl Feldman, Vassalboro ME

Larry Smith - Mary Jane Smith, San Ramon CA; Lodean Pesavento - Lee Pesavento, Alamo CA

vs

Beverly Allen, Colorado Sprgs CO; Sharon Anderson, Colorado Springs CO; Joyce Truitt, Sanibel FL; Myrna Heimer, Colorado Spgs CO

Bracket 9

13 Teams

Daniel Denison, Solana Beach CA; Mary Lou Denison, San Diego CA; Kathie Angione, Chula Vista CA; Patricia Lane, Bonita CA

vs

Paula Craven, Peabody MA; Kathleen Centorino, Chestnut Hill MA; Eva Landy, Bristol RI; Kathleen Kenney, Sandwich MA

Charles Halasi, North York ON; Josh Heller, Toronto ON; Gavin Wolpert, Thornhill ON; Erin Anderson, Regina SK

vs

Doris Rich - E Powers - Mary Jane Murphy - Sally Armstrong, San Antonio TX

A B-I-G hand!

Angela Taylor of Nanaimo BC not only held one of the biggest hands of the tournament -- she also handled the bidding well enough to earn 10 IMPs on this knockout teams deal.

Dir: East ♠ 6 5
 Vul: None ♥ 8 4 3
 ♦ 10 9 8 6 4
 ♣ Q J 5

♠ A
 ♥ A K Q J
 ♦ A K Q 3
 ♣ A K 10 4

West	North	East	South
		Pass	2♣
Pass	2♥ (1)	Pass	3♦
Pass	4♦	Pass	6♦

All Pass

(1) Double negative -- shows values less than two queens.

Angela, somewhat stuck for a bid on her second turn, tried 3♦ because she didn't want to bid a four-card major. When partner was able to raise diamonds, Angela wasted no time -- she leaped to the diamond slam.

When she saw the dummy, she was a bit unhappy that she and partner Allan Ferguson, also of Nanaimo, hadn't found the grand. But when she cashed the first trump and East showed out, she was glad she had been a bit, shall we say, conservative.

At the other table the first two bids were the same. However, South bid 4NT, showing better than 3NT -- but North passed!

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MORNING KNOCKOUT TEAMS**Bracket 1**

16 Teams
G S Jade Barrett, Vancouver WA; Anne Hoffman, Peru VT;
Ken Gee, Regina SK; Cameron Doner, Richmond BC; Chris-
tine Carmichael, W-P A F B OH; Blair Seidler, Fair Lawn NJ
vs
Chuck Said, Nashville TN; Randall Pettit, Marietta GA; John
Zilic, Houston TX; William Wickham, Naperville IL; Alan
Myerson, Sherman Oaks CA; Phil Schaefer, Los Angeles CA

Jack Coleman, San Francisco CA; P Drew Cannell, Winnipeg
MB; Per Olov Sundelin, Stockholm, Sweden; Mark Stein,
Ottawa ON; Boris Baran, Montreal PQ

vs

Britain Beezley, Oklahoma City OK; Shelba Parmley, Okla-
homa Cty OK; Elaine Said, Nashville TN; Suzanne Trull, Los
Angeles CA; D Howard - Robert Carstedt, Wichita KS

Bracket 2

16 Teams
Beatrice Kemp, Tucker GA; Julianne Nelson, Salt Lake Cty
UT; Doug Adair, Salt Lake City UT; Wirt Gilliam III, San
Diego CA; Jim Elbogen - Judy Elbogen, Mission Viejo CA
vs
Sully Randolph, Atlanta GA; Scott Humphrey, Austin TX;
Josie Mitchell, Decatur GA; Michael Gosnell, Ontario CA;
Nancy Pickering, Penllyn PA

Harold Emme - Carol Emme, Carbondale IL; Mic Weiss,
Chesterfield MO; Gail Hawkins, St. Charles MO

vs

Edward Rothman - Ilse Rothman, No Dartmouth MA; Eli
Schneider - Cynthia Schneider, E Brunswick NJ; Walter Smith,
W Sand Lake NY; Mary Savko, Pittsford VT

Bracket 3

16 Teams
Lawrence Ascher, Whitestone NY; Michael Botwin, Baldwin
NY; Liga Byrne, Mequon WI; Margaret O'Neal - Stanley
Littlefield, Titusville FL; John Hogan Jr, Wayne NJ
vs
Arnold Malasky, Westport CT; Richard Wegman, Bethesda
MD; Thomas Kemp, East Bethany NY; Fran Walrath, Ft Worth
TX

Jeannette Austin, Fayetteville GA; Louise Hays, Lexington
KY; Tony Greenberg, Malibu CA; R Okubo, St Paul MN

vs

Joe Grue, Richfield MN; Brian Crossley, Minneapolis MN;
Tarokh Taefi, Dunwoody GA; Linda Olbort, Saskatoon SK

Bracket 4

16 Teams
Vinay Sarin - Gavin Wolpert, Thornhill ON; Ringo P Chung,
Mississauga ON; Josh Heller, Toronto ON

vs

Harry Falk, Jupiter FL; Joanne Schlang, Voorheesville NY;
Teri Landin, Loudonville NY; Steven Shaye, Slingerlands NY

Robert McPhee, Belleville ON; Rosemarie Miller, Waverly
NY; Judy Hartsman, Lawrenceville GA; Russ Holtzclaw,
Somerset KY; Corinne Leachman, Billings MT

vs

John Zamboni, Rancho Cordova CA; John Jensen, Los Altos
CA; Sam Graham, Oakland CA; Letha Couch, Chula Vista
CA

Bracket 5

13 Teams
Judith Goldrich, Closter NJ; Roslyn Rosen - Norma Gartner,
Englewood NJ; Phyllis Dubetsky, Teaneck NJ

vs

Hayk Bosnaky, Montreal PQ; Henri Barki - Maureen
Beyrou, Westmount PQ; Roger Dunn, St Bruno PQ

Mike Lara, Ft Worth TX; Carolyn Pinto, Fort Worth TX; Gary
Neisler, No Richland Hls TX; William Morris Jr, Arlington
TX

vs

Ronald Beal - Arnold Christensen, Tucson AZ; Jennifer Rogers
- W David Rogers Jr, Longwood FL

Bracket 6

13 Teams
Gene Kazlow, Moretown VT; Mitchell Kontoff, Waitsfield VT;
Daniel Denison, Solana Beach CA; Mary Lou Denison, San
Diego CA

vs

Ray Woodbury - Betty Choc - Maurice Wolff - Bill Brown,
Albuquerque NM

Michael Ryan, Williamsville NY; Alan Steggles, Ravenna OH;
Brian Meyer, Buffalo NY; James Jordan, Tonawanda NY

vs

Rosemary Boden, Somerset NJ; Barbara Schlosser,
Bernardsville NJ; Janet McCaffrey, Lebanon NJ; Lois Angell,
Pittstown NJ

NABC SENIORS SWISS QUALIFIERS AND CARRYOVERS

24 Teams

1	Jill Wooldridge - Powhatan Wooldridge - John Conway, Williamsville NY; Marcia Freed, Amherst NY	20.00
2	Harry Ross - John Gustafson - Helen Gustafson, Des Moines IA; Jerry Gaer, Scottsdale AZ; Marilyn Hemenway - Mike Albert, Omaha NE	13.94
3	Robert Ryder, Caldwell NJ; Howard Hertzberg, Alpine NJ; Simon Kantor, Agawam MA; Hugh Maclean, Gonzales TX; Harold Feldheim, Hamden CT; Martin Baff, Beachwood OH	13.33
4	Rita Rand, New York NY; Jim Linhart, Piscataway NJ; Arnold Fisher, Clementon NJ; Daniel Rotman, Aventura FL; Zeke Jabbour, Boca Raton FL	12.73
5	Morris Lewis III, Atlanta GA; Richard Taube, Marietta GA; Robert Rosen, Delray Beach FL; Larry Allen, Summerville SC; John Zilic, Houston TX	12.12
6	Barb Hamman, Dallas TX; Marcia Masterson, Pasadena CA; Carol Pincus, Las Vegas NV; Judy Randel, Albuquerque NM; Florine Walters, Pittsburgh PA	11.52
7	Veronica McMurdie - John McMurdie, Sacramento CA; Paul Kronfeld, Mountain View CA; Donald Rothschild, Sunnyvale CA	10.91
8/9	Jack Bryant, St Louis MO; Rod Van Wyk, Alton IL; Glenn Smith, Creve Coeur MO; Richard Anderson, Regina SK	10.30
8/9	Richard Goll - Norma Goll, Tekamah NE; Daniel Till - Norman Hostetler, Lincoln NE	10.30
10	Corinne Kirkham - Jim Kirkham, San Bernardino CA; John Fox Jr, Whittier CA; George Dawkins, Austin TX	9.70
11	Steve Lawrence, Athens TX; Bob Luebke, Walnut Creek CA; Ed Groner, Duncan OK; Richard Holmes, Wichita KS	8.48
12	David Adams, Kennesaw GA; Betty Rossmann, Portland OR; Robert Carteaux, Ft Wayne IN; Ken Monzingo, San Diego CA; Lowell Andrews, Huntington Beach CA; Joan Remy Moore, Troy MI	5.45
13/15	Ulker Mutlu, Springfield OH; Milton Haley, Dayton OH; George St Pierre, Columbus OH; Ed Judy, Chicago IL	4.85
13/15	George Ferre, Hamlet NC; Rudi Ferre, Cheraw SC; Arnold Hawkins, Jonesboro GA; Elvera Levine, Charlotte NC	4.85
13/15	Jerry Shinkle - Eddie Walker - Rudy Krall - Larry Bertholf, Albuquerque NM	4.85
16/17	Marliese Kaufman - Warren Kaufman, Bowie MD; Richard Wegman, Bethesda MD; Arnold Malasky, Westport CT	3.63
16/17	Edward Rothman - Ilse Rothman, No Dartmouth MA; Gloria Brown, Virginia Bch VA; Shirley Presberg, Norfolk VA	3.63
18/19	Robert Scott, Ashland OR; Barbara White, Manhattan Bch CA; Lucy Tredennick, Lomita CA; Jackie Hess, Rancho Pls Vrd CA	3.03
18/19	Jim Sternberg, Jupiter FL; Michael Huston, Joplin MO; Allan Cokin, Palm Beach FL; Steve Greenberg, Germantown TN; Karl Keller, Norman OK	3.03
20/23	Mike Bovarnick, Mercer Isl WA; Michael Su, Bellevue WA; Rene Wallace, Mission TX; Bobby Smith, McAllen TX	1.21
20/23	James Koley, Omaha NE; Gene Simpson, Redlands CA; Gene Freed, Los Angeles CA; Ed Lewis, Falls Church VA	1.21
20/23	Michael Hirsch - Irma Schulman - Sandra Levine - Patricia Hirsch, New York NY	1.21
20/23	John Russell, N Barrington IL; Frederick Hamilton, Fresno CA; Gerald Michaud, Derby KS; Chuck Said, Nashville TN	1.21

TUESDAY AFTERNOON 200/100 STRATIFIED PAIRS

30 Pairs

	D	E		
3.21	1	1	James Tull - Jean Tull, Sacramento CA	166.50
2.41	2		Jamshid Keynejad, Boca Raton FL; Floyd Richards, Ridgecrest CA	165.50
1.81	3	2	Tim McKenna - Dorothy Troy, Albuquerque NM	157.50
1.60	4	3	Lee Ellis - Judy Gruber, Albuquerque NM	150.50
1.12	5	4	Shirley Unger, Ny NY; Maggie Senter, Shawnee Mission KS	149.00
0.80	6		Helen Clark - Albert Clark, Green Valley AZ	146.50
0.70		5	Bert Kabath - Eileen Kabath, Harbor Oaks FL	141.50

Sally Fishbein Memorial Trophy

The Sally Fishbein Memorial Trophy goes to the winner of the most masterpoints at each Summer NABC. The trophy, in memory of Sally Fishbein, was donated by ACBL in recognition of the untiring efforts of Harry Fishbein, who served as Treasurer of ACBL and refused to accept the customary compensation.

The winners 1952-1963 are:

1952	John Crawford
1953	Milton Ellenby
1954	David Carter
1955	Paul Hodge
1956	Tobias Stone
1957	John Crawford
1958	Helen Sobel
1959	Ira Rubin
1960	Boris Koystchou
1961	Marshall Miles
1962	Ira Rubin
1963	Alvin Roth

These are the Fishbein Trophy winners since 1964, together with their point totals. An asterisk indicates the record was broken that year.

1964	Percy Sheardown	223*
1965	Alvin Roth	210
1966	Alvin Roth	186
1967	Phil Feldesman	177
1968	Jim Jacoby	205
1969	Bob Hamman	180
1970	Dave Strasberg	155
1971	Barbara Rappaport	187
1972	B. Jay Becker	179
1973	Richard Katz	199
1974	Richard Shepherd	162
1975	Grant Baze	176
1976	Richard Katz	219
1977	Ken Cohen	198

1978	Mike Passell	215
1979	Bobby Wolff	179
1980	Peter Weichsel	194
1981	Ralph Katz	236*
1982	Mike Smolen	221
1983	Bob Hamman	280*
1984	Steve Sion	271
1985	Bill Passell	225
1986	Mark Lair	187
1987	Danny Rotman	188
1988	Helen Utegaard	168
1989	Zeke Jabbour	198
1990	Ron Rubin, tied with Michael Becker	227
1991	Eric Rodwell	278
1992	Juanita Chambers	182
1993	John Sutherlin	233
1994	Lynn Deas	238
1995	Nick Nickell, tied with Dick Freeman	253
1996	Jeff Meckstroth	269

New Life Master

KATHERINE BARTON of Oak Ridge TN, who started playing bridge when she was in her seventies, earned her gold card in the 0-2000 Knockout Teams. Her partner was Lib Jeffords of Oak Ridge, and their teammates were Patty Dreinhoefer and Yoko Higasa of Knoxville TN.

EDWIN HUGHES made Life Master on Monday when he finished second overall in Strat B of the Open Pairs.

TUESDAY MORNING 50/100/200 PAIRS

Table with columns D, E, F, NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION KK, EAST-WEST, D, E, F. Lists pairs and their respective fees.

TUESDAY MORNING CONTINUOUS/SIDE PAIRS

Table with columns A, B, NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION LL, EAST-WEST, A, B. Lists pairs and their respective fees.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON 200/100 STRATIFIED PAIRS

Table with columns D, E, NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION O, EAST-WEST, D, E. Lists pairs and their respective fees.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON 50/20 STRATIFIED PAIRS

Table with columns F, G, NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION P, EAST-WEST, F, G. Lists pairs and their respective fees.

MONDAY/WEDNESDAY CONTINUOUS PAIRS TUESDAY AFTERNOON

Table with columns A, B, NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION MMEAST-WEST, A, B. Lists pairs and their respective fees.

Table with columns A, B, NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION NN, EAST-WEST, A, B. Lists pairs and their respective fees.

Table with columns A, B, NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION Q, EAST-WEST, A, B. Lists pairs and their respective fees.

Table with columns A, B, NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION K, EAST-WEST, A, B. Lists pairs and their respective fees.

TUESDAY FLIGHT A OPEN PAIRS FIRST SESSION

Table with columns 1, NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION OO, EAST-WEST. Lists pairs and their respective fees.

Table with columns 1, NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION PP, EAST-WEST. Lists pairs and their respective fees.

Table with columns 1, NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION QQ, EAST-WEST. Lists pairs and their respective fees.

Table with columns 1, NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION RR, EAST-WEST. Lists pairs and their respective fees.

Table with columns 1, NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION L, EAST-WEST. Lists pairs and their respective fees.

FLIGHT B OPEN PAIRS 1ST SESSION

Table with columns 1, NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION SS, EAST-WEST. Lists pairs and their respective fees.

Table with columns 1, NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION TT, EAST-WEST. Lists pairs and their respective fees.

299ERTROPHY PAIRS AFTERNOON SESSION

Table with columns 1, NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION R, EAST-WEST. Lists pairs and their respective fees.

TODAY'S SCHEDULE

Wednesday, July 30, 1997, 8:45 a.m.

Event	MP Limit	Session	Entry Fee	Sold
Morning Knockout Teams II		1st	\$40 team	SW Exhibit Hall, ground level

Wednesday, July 30, 1997, 9:00 a.m.

Morning KO Teams I		3rd	\$40 team	SW Exhibit Hall, ground level
Apache Morning Continuous/Side Pairs	750+,0-750	3rd	\$20 pair	SW Exhibit Hall, ground level
Stratified 199er Pairs 0-50/100/200		only	\$18 pair	SW Exhibit Hall, ground level

Wednesday, July 30, 1997, 10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m.

Flighted Senior Pairs, A	Unlimited	1st & 2nd	\$40 pair	Ballroom A, upper level
Flight B	0-750	1st & 2nd	\$40 pair	Ballroom A, upper level

Wednesday, July 30, 1997, 1:00 p.m. & 8:00 p.m.

SPINGOLD KO TEAMS			\$96 team	Hyatt second level, Pavilion
WOMEN'S KNOCKOUT TEAMS			\$96 team	Hyatt second level, Pavilion
SENIOR SWISS TEAMS		1-2 Final	\$88 team	Hyatt second level, Pavilion
Bracketed KO II		3rd & 4th	\$40 team	SW Exhibit Hall, ground level
Stratflighted				
Open Swiss Teams (20 VP) Flight A	Unlimited	1st & 2nd	\$80 team	SW Exhibit Hall, ground level
Strat B (300-1000) Strat C (0-300)		1st & 2nd	\$80 team	SW Exhibit Hall, ground level
Stratified Open Pairs*		1st & 2nd	\$40 pair	Ballroom C, upper level
Monday-Tuesday-Wednesday				
Continuous/Side Pairs 750+,750		only	\$20 pair	Ballroom B, upper level
Stratified 99er Swiss Teams 0-20/50/100		only	\$36 team	Ballroom B, upper level
199er Pairs	0-200	only	\$18 pair	Ballroom B, upper level
99er Pairs	0-100	only	\$18 pair	Ballroom B, upper level
49er Pairs	0-50	only	\$18 pair	Ballroom B, upper level
Non Master Pairs	0-20	only	\$18 pair	Ballroom B, upper level
Newcomer Pairs	0-5	only	\$18 pair	Ballroom B, upper level

Wednesday, July 30, 1997, 8:00 p.m.

GRAND NATIONAL TEAMS, Flight B & C		1st	\$44 team	Ballroom A, upper level
<i>Pre-qualification required</i>				
Monday-Tuesday-Wednesday				
Continuous/Side Pairs 750+,750		only	\$20 pair	Ballroom B, upper level

Wednesday, July 30, 1997, Midnight

Zip Knockout Teams		only	\$9/tm/match	Ballroom B, upper level
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*Unless otherwise indicated, the strat breaks for Open and Senior Stratified Pairs and Teams are: A (1000+), B (300-1000), C (0-300).

TOMORROW'S SCHEDULE

Thursday, July 31, 1997, 9:00 a.m.

Event	MP Limit	Session	Entry Fee	Sold
Morning KO Teams II		2nd	\$40 team	SW Exhibit Hall, ground level
Morning KO Teams I		4th	\$40 team	W Exhibit Hall, ground level
Zuni Morning Continuous/Side Pairs 750+,0-750		1st	\$20 pair	SW Exhibit Hall, ground level
Stratified 199er Pairs 0-50/100/200		only	\$18 pair	SW Exhibit Hall, ground level

Thursday, July 31, 1997, 10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m.

Stratified Senior Pairs*		1st & 2nd	\$40 pair	Ballroom A, upper level
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Thursday, July 31, 1997, 1:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m.

SPINGOLD KO TEAMS			\$96 team	Hyatt second level, Pavilion
WOMEN'S KNOCKOUT TEAMS			\$96 team	Hyatt second level, Pavilion
IMP PAIRS		1st & 2nd Q	\$48 pair	Ballroom C upper level
GNT, B & C		2nd & 3rd	\$44 team	Hyatt Hotel second level,
Pavilion				
Stratified Open Pairs*		1st & 2nd	\$40 pair	SW Exhibit Hall, ground level
Bracketed KO Teams III		1st & 2nd	\$80 team	SW Exhibit Hall, ground level
Thursday-Friday-Saturday				
Continuous/Side Pairs	750+,0-750	only	\$20 pair	SW Exhibit Hall, ground level
199er Pairs	0-200	only	\$18 pair	Ballroom B, upper level
99er Pairs	0-100	only	\$18 pair	Ballroom B, upper level
49er Pairs	0-50	only	\$18 pair	Ballroom B, upper level
Non-Master Pairs	0-20	only	\$18 pair	Ballroom B, upper level
Newcomer Pairs	0-5	only	\$18 pair	Ballroom B, upper level

Thursday, July 31, 1997, 8:00 p.m.

Stratified Board-a-Match Teams*		only	\$36 team	SW Exhibit Hall, ground level
Thursday-Friday-Saturday				
Continuous/Side Pairs	750+,0-750	only	\$20 pair	Ballroom A, upper level

Thursday, July 31, 1997, Midnight

Zip Stratified Swiss Teams 0-300/750/750+		only	\$36 team	Ballroom B, upper level
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