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## 1997 Honorary Members: Carol and Tommy Sanders

Carol and Tommy Sanders of Nashville, both of whom have been dynamic in bridge activities for many years, have been named co-Honorary Members for 1997. The honor was conferred by the ACBL Board of Directors during their deliberations here last week.

Carol and Tommy, affectionately known by their friends as Mama Bear and Papa Bear, were surprised and very pleased by the honor. Here's what they had to say:

"To receive recognition as the co-Honorary Members for the year 1997 is a cherished and totally unexpected honor. Considering the many bridge contributions of those that have come before us, we are overflowing with humility for being

included in the same company.

"This is to convey our deep appreciation to the Board of Directors for this wonderful honor. To the membership we pledge to work hard toward the perpetuation and improvement of the game that is nearest and dearest to the hearts of all bridge players."

Neither Carol nor Tommy is as active in bridge play as they used to be. Carol is a many-time world champion with victories in three different major events -- the Venice Cup, the Women's Team Olympiad and the Women's Pairs. Tom has had many high placings in world events, and he was non-playing captain of the 1981 world championship

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*1997 Honorary Members Tom and Carol Sanders*

## Senior KOs draw record 48 teams

Zeke Jabbour and Russ Arnold took their first step toward winning a third straight North American Senior Knockout Teams championship yesterday. Their team, which also includes Mary Chilcote, Bill Eisenberg, Fred Hamilton and Tom Sanders, advanced to the Round of 32 by winning their three-way match.

Eisenberg and Sanders were on the winning team a year ago, and Hamilton played with the victors the previous year.

The event drew a record turnout of 48 teams. Yesterday all teams played in three-way matches, with two of each threesome advancing to today's Round of 32. From this point on all matches will be day-long 64-board head-to-head matches, with the final set for Friday.

## Glasson squad leads Women's Board-a-Match

A foursome headed by Joann Glasson took the lead by a board and a half after two qualifying sessions in the Women's Board-a-Match Teams. Glasson, Pennington NJ, is playing with Jo Ann Sprung, Philadelphia; Sue Picus, New York, and JoAnna Stansby, Castro Valley. They finished play Sunday with a score of 36.5.

In second place, with 35, were Laurie Vogel and Gail Greenberg, New York; Jill Blanchard, Riverdale NY, and Rozanne Pollack, Warren NJ. In third, with 33.5, were Kathie Wei-Sender, Nashville; Juanita Chambers and Lynn Deas, Schenectady; Beth Palmer, Silver Spring MD, and Sue Sachs, Baltimore.

## 555 tables ahead

San Francisco 1997 now is 555 tables ahead of San Francisco 1990 in attendance. Another strong day yesterday -- a total of 1601.5 tables -- brings the total to date to 4862, compared to 4307 in 1990. The afternoon session yesterday drew 784.5 tables.

*Paul Marston*

## Grand Slam Bridge envisions pro tour, TV show, ratings

If Grand Slam Bridge Inc. has anything to say about it, interesting days are ahead for the ACBL. Here's how Grand Slam envisions that its three-pronged plan will work:

1. Bridge will have its own pro tour, along the lines of the golf and tennis pro tours.
2. There will be a bridge television show on a regular basis on one of the major networks.
3. Bridge will have a rating system that pinpoints a player's present ability rather than his total masterpoints.

Grand Slam Bridge plans to make a full-fledged presentation of its ideas and plans to the ACBL Board of Directors at their meeting in Dallas in March.

What is Grand Slam Bridge Inc.? It's a promotion company that combines the talents of an out-

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## Kopp, Nickell teams share Open BAM lead

Teams captained by Charles Kopp and Nick Nickell were tied for the lead with scores of 35 after two qualifying sessions in the Open Board-a-Match Teams. Kopp, of Scottsdale AZ, is teamed with Gregory Potts, Portsmouth NH; Bjorn Fallenius and Mike Moss, New York. Nickell, of New York, is playing with Richard Freeman, Atlanta; Bob Hamman and Bobby Wolff, Dallas; Jeff Meckstroth, Tampa, and Eric Rodwell, Naperville IL.

Only a half board behind, also in a tie, were teams headed by Varis Carey of Austin TX and Gerald Sosler of Purchase NY.

## A fine example of Goodwill



*Today is Goodwill Day. The special meeting of the Goodwill Committee will take place at 5 pm in the Club Room. Calendars will be distributed to all players with the motto -- "Make Every Day a Goodwill Day."*

Goodwill can be infectious. Carol Eaton, playing in the Life Master Women's Pairs, needed someone to fill in for her partner, who was late for the first final session. Eaton called upon Carol Paz, a local player who had planned to kibitz.

Paz agreed to help out although her bridge experience consisted mostly of eight lessons -- and she had never used bid boxes before. Eaton admired Paz's courage in the face of a terrifying assignment, and she was very appreciative of Paz's gesture -- the two played four boards together.

Eaton also noted that her opponents on the first two rounds were very gentle and understanding to Paz. All in all, it was a great way to spread goodwill.

# SPECIAL EVENTS

## Monday, Nov. 25

### Goodwill Day

- 9:00 a.m. Club director's course, Session 1, Pacific J.  
 9:00 a.m. Education Liaison Meeting, Pacific I. Betty Starzec conducts the session.  
 11:00 a.m. Bridge Cruise Meeting, Pacific C.  
 11:45 a.m. Intermediate/Novice Speakers Program -- John Herrmann: *Modern Hyperactive Approach*. Golden Gate Hall A.  
 5:00 p.m. Goodwill Reception, Club Room.  
 6:45 p.m. Intermediate/Novice Speakers Program -- Kathie Wei-Sender: *Championship Bridge*. Golden Gate Hall A.  
 11:45 p.m. Dance to the DJ! Boogie the night away! Golden Gate Hall C.

## Tuesday, Nov. 26

- 9:00 a.m. Club director's course, Session 2, Pacific J.  
 9:00 a.m. Education Liaison Meeting, Pacific I. Julie Greenberg and Mary Oshlag conduct the session.  
 10:00 a.m. Morning stretch and aerobics with Sharon Hartley. Club Room.  
 11:45 a.m. Intermediate/Novice Speakers Program -- Jim Kirkham: *Negative Doubles*. Golden Gate Hall A.  
 6:45 p.m. Intermediate/Novice Speakers Program -- Michael Huston: *Playing with Finesse*. Golden Gate Hall A.  
 11:45 p.m. Barbary Coast Charity Casino Night -- blackjack, craps, roulettes and slot machines. Win a trip to an upcoming NABC! Golden Gate Hall C.

## Wednesday, Nov. 27

- 9:00 a.m. Club director's course, Session 3, Pacific J.  
 11:45 a.m. Intermediate/Novice Speakers Program -- Max Hardy: *Reverses*. Golden Gate Hall A.  
 6:45 p.m. Intermediate/Novice Speakers Program -- Bill "Kojak" Schoder: *The Game of Bridge*. Golden Gate Hall A.  
 11:45 p.m. Dance to the DJ! Go for a number (of tunes). Golden Gate Hall C.



## Thursday, Nov. 28

### Thanksgiving Day



- 11:45 a.m. Intermediate/Novice Speakers Program -- John Blubaugh: *Law of Total Tricks*. Golden Gate Hall A.

**Fabulous Thanksgiving Day buffet** -- \$10 discount coupons to the first 500 people who show up. Hospitality Desk, North Registration, lower B-2 level.

- 6:45 p.m. Intermediate/Novice Speakers Program -- *To be announced*. Golden Gate Hall A.

## Passport2 cocktail party

Passport2 Bridge wants to get acquainted with bridge players. That's why there will be a special cocktail party today from 5:30 to 9:30 pm at Bimbo's, 1025 Columbus Avenue.

The party will be a swingin' affair with a hosted bar and the live music of Indigo Swing -- plus dance lessons from Work That Skirt.

You can pick up your free invitation at the Passport2 booth on the lower level of the Marriott. At the same time you can learn what Passport2 is all about. It's about playing bridge on your computer.

Passport2 Bridge was designed by a serious bridge player, Corey Cole, for serious bridge players. Corey is an ACBL Life Master with years of tournament and bridge club experience.



## New Life Master

**LEW H. WALTER** of Carmel NY became a Life Master when he had a section top in the Flighted Pairs. His partner was Richard Barber of San Francisco.

## An amazing total

It didn't happen here, but the story is still worth telling.

Mike Schreiber of Los Angeles and Nels Erickson of Meadview AZ compiled one of the highest scores in history at a District 23 regional earlier this year. They had 251.5 in the first session and 214 in the second, both on an average of 156. Their 465.5 total was a 75.6% effort for the day.

## Laws Commission appointees

Peggy Sutherlin of Houston and George Rosenkranz of Mexico City have been reappointed to the ACBL Laws Commission for five-year terms beginning Jan. 1, 1997. Henry Lortz of Seattle will replace Richard Goldberg of Nashville on the commission.

## Recycling

Recycling bins have been placed at various key spots throughout the tournament area. It would be most appreciated if you would use these bins for your waste materials.



*Runnersup in the Non-Life Master Pairs: Adam Barron, left, and Anthony Hurwitz.*

## Happiness is a slam

Anthony Hurwitz of Los Angeles and Adam Barron of Beverly Hills, runnersup in the Non-Life Master, barely missed winning. Far from being chagrined at the near miss, they were thrilled to do so well. Each player earned his first gold points in the event

This deal earned them most of the matchpoints, and they noted that, for one board at least, "We did better than most Life Masters."

Dlr: East ♠ J 8 7 3 2

Vul: E-W ♥ 10

♦ Q 9 8

♣ 10 9 5 2

♠ A

♥ A K 9 4

♦ A J 6 4

♣ A Q 7 4

♠ Q 10 9 5 4

♥ J 7 6 5 3

♦ 5 2

♣ K

♠ K 6

♥ Q 8 2

♦ K 10 7 3

♣ J 8 6 3

West	North	East	South
Hurwitz		Barron	
	Pass	Pass	Pass
2♣	Pass	2♦	Pass
2NT	Pass	3♥(1)	Pass
3♠	Pass	4♥	Pass
6♥	All Pass		

(1) Transfer.

South led the ♣3 to Barron's king. Barron led a heart to dummy's ace, noting the fall of the 10. He cashed the ♣A, pitching a diamond, and the ♣Q, pitching a spade. He then cashed the ♠A and the ♦A and ruffed a diamond.

The ♠K popped up when Barron led one from his hand. He ruffed in dummy, ruffed another diamond to hand. When he played the ♠Q, South refused to ruff, so Barron discarded a club from dummy and played a heart to the 9, which held. Barron then cashed the ♥K and conceded a diamond trick at the end for plus 1430.

## Pickup team clicks

The Senior Swiss Teams was scheduled to start at 10 am yesterday, and Peggy Cunnagin of South Bend IN really wanted to play. But she didn't have a partner, never mind a team. But the Partnership Desk introduced her to Bob Rickert of San Francisco, and now she had a partner but still no team.

She and Bob stood near the desk for a couple of minutes, and along came Sewell Bowles of Hayward CA and Virginia Herring of Castro Valley CA. They too wanted to play, so all four marched to the entry table and joined the game.

It was a good move -- they won Flight B and earned more than 10 gold points apiece.



## Overtricks pay off big

As usual, the winners wanted to celebrate. But Barbara Sion and Suzy Burger stopped by the Daily Bulletin office long enough to tell us about a couple of interesting hands they played en route to their triumph. Both came in the second final session.

Sion had an interesting freak on the first.

Board 16	♠ --		
Dlr: West	♥ Q 8 7 3		
Vul: E-W	♦ A 10 9 2		
	♣ A J 10 6 2		
♠ A K 9 7 4 2		♠ Q J 8 6 5 3	
♥ A K 10 9 6 5		♥ J	
♦ K		♦ Q 8 4 3	
♣ --		♣ 8 7	

		♠ 10	
		♥ 4 2	
		♦ J 7 6 5	
		♣ K Q 9 5 4 3	
West	North	East	South
Sion		Burger	
1♠	Dbl	4♠	5♣
6♣	All Pass		

Once Burger offered a triple-raise in spades, Sion liked her slam chances. North, with a choice of aces, tried the ♣A. Sion ruffed, drew one round of trumps and cashed her top hearts. Then she led the ♥10 -- and passed it! As a result she took all 13 tricks, the hearts giving her enough discards for all of dummy's diamonds.

Sion executed a squeeze for her overtrick on the next deal.

Board 17	♠ Q J 10 2		
Dlr: North	♥ Q J 8 6		
Vul: None	♦ Q 8 7		
	♣ 9 2		
♠ 6 3		♠ A K 8 4	
♥ A 10 5 3		♥ K 9 7	
♦ J 5 2		♦ A 9 6 4 3	
♣ A J 8 5		♣ K	

		♠ 9 7 5	
		♥ 4 2	
		♦ K 10	
		♣ Q 10 7 6 4 3	
West	North	East	South
Sion		Burger	
1♥	Pass	1♦	Pass
1NT	Pass	1♠	Pass
3NT	Pass	3♥	Pass
	All Pass		

Sion ducked the opening ♠Q lead, then won the club continuation. She went right after diamonds, of course, cashing the ace and then losing to South's king. A spade came back to her ace, and she led another diamond to drive out the queen. North led another spade, and at this point Sion was in complete control. When she cashed her diamonds and then led to her ♥A to take the ♣A, North could not protect both majors. So Sion wound up with another valuable overtrick.

Second place in the Life Master Women's Pairs went to Linda Lewis and Judy Randel. Lewis' comment: "This is all because of the curse Barry Crane put upon me back in 1983. I was fighting to win the McKenney race in a close battle with Ron Andersen.

*Judy Randel, left, and Linda Lewis finished second in the Life Master Women's Pairs.*

But Barry was backing Andersen -- and usually the person backed by Barry was the winner. And that's the way it was then, too.

"After the race was over, Barry told me that was going to be my fate in the future -- I would always finish second. It's happened several times in the past 13 years, and here it's happened again.

"I've gone to great lengths to try to get the spell dispelled, but so far nothing's worked."

## Michael Jones to be honored

The memory of Michael Jones will be honored today when the Stratified Open Trophy Pairs named for him will take place.

The winning pairs in all three strats will be presented with engraved, personalized trophies at the conclusion of the evening session by Peggy Sutherland of Dallas.

Jones served as the District Director for District 21 (northern California) on the ACBL Board of Directors from 1990 to 1993. He was the leading bridge teacher and speaker of the San Francisco Bay area. He achieved the rank of Diamond Life Master.

Jones died of complications due to AIDS on Feb. 8 of this year.

## Section top prizes

If you win a section top, you may pick up your special prize at the Section Top Desk, which is located near the Partnership Desk. The Section Top Desk will be open from 10 am to noon and from 6 to 7 pm.

**PLEASE NOTE:** Only one set of awards is given out per section. If you place first in Strat B or C but not in the section as a whole, there is no prize.

## No smoking policy is the law

California state law is very strict regarding smoking in public facilities. Please be considerate of hotel staff and fellow players by restricting your smoking to lounges in Salons 5 and 6 and the Laurel Room.



## A cruel game

Isn't it just like bridge to deal you a wonderful hand and then arrange things so that elation is replaced by exasperation? Many players who sat West found themselves with that attitude in the second final session of the Life Master Open and Women's Pairs and the Non-Life Master Pairs Saturday night.

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

Doug Heron of Ottawa ON and David Kent of Stittsville ON played the deal against George Rosenkranz of Mexico City and Eddie Wold of Houston. The Canadians found themselves on the wrong end of a nice piece of bidding judgment by Rosenkranz.

West	North	East	South
Heron	Wold	Kent	Rosenkranz
2♣	3♣ (1)	3♠	Pass
5♣ (2)	Pass	5♥ (3)	Pass
6♣	Pass	Pass	7♣
Dbl	All Pass		

(1) Two suits of the same shape (pointed: spades and diamonds; rounded: hearts and clubs).

(2) Exclusion Key Card Blackwood -- asking partner to show aces outside the club suit.

(3) Zero or three key cards.

Wold took advantage of the vulnerability to enter the auction with his shapely hand. Rosenkranz was relatively certain from the bidding that Wold had clubs and hearts and that he and Wold probably had an 11-card club fit, but he decided to lie low in hopes that the opponents might not sniff out their slam.

No such luck, but Rosenkranz was given a vital piece of information about Heron's hand -- the leap to 5♣ as an ace-asking device, which indicated a void in clubs. Rosenkranz also knew that Heron and Kent had a massive fit in spades and that slam was a heavy favorite to make if not ice cold (which it was).

As you can see, Wold had only three losers in 7♣ doubled and he wound up minus 500 -- less than the value of the opponents' game -- for 63 out of 77 matchpoints.

Predictably, scores on the deal were all over the map. There were some 1430s, a few 1460s (via a ruffing finesse in hearts), some 1660s (6♣ doubled, making six) and 1860s (6♣ doubled, making with an overtrick).

No one did worse, however, than the North-South pair who doubled 6♣ and heard it sent back. When the smoke cleared, North-South -- who apparently couldn't take a hint -- had the dubious pleasure of recording the unusual score of minus 2070 and a cold zero.

Two North-South pairs shared a top on the deal for doubling and defeating 7♠ when West, not to be denied with his super-shapely hand, soldiered on after North-South took the seven-level save in clubs.

Barry Rigal, meanwhile, had his own view of things after his encounter with the deal. Rigal's preamble is, appropriately, "And I can sell you the Brooklyn Bridge, too. . ."

Anyway, Rigal sat North and heard West open 1♠. At favorable vulnerability, Rigal was right there with a takeout double. He heard 4♣ on his left and 5♣ by partner.

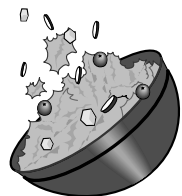
Much to Rigal's surprise, his RHO -- apparently an honest, upstanding man -- bid 6♣. "Should I believe him?" Rigal asked himself.

For what it was worth, Rigal bid 7♣, hoping that he could escape for minus 500, which might be reasonable even against game. LHO doubled and that was that. When the deal was over and Rigal had indeed gone down only 500, he turned to RHO and said, "And next time you *can* sell me the Brooklyn Bridge."

Rigal's postscript: "Perhaps next time, RHO will bid only 5♣ and then 6♣ over 6♣, but I'll be ready for him."

## Allies American Grille welcomes the ACBL to San Francisco

Tonight from 4:30 to 8:30 our Prime Rib Dinner Buffet will feature...

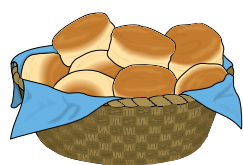


Assorted compound salads and Caesar salad  
fresh, hot Soup of the Day; fresh breads  
our Pastry Chef's selection of pastries, tarts and cakes



Our entrees tonight will be...

Grilled pork chops with ginger pineapple chutney  
Seafood Bouillabaisse  
Rice pilaf with mushrooms and asparagus  
Napa cabbage and carrots



Buffet price -- ~~\$15.95~~ \$12.95

## Sanders

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Bermuda Bowl team. Both are long-time ACBL Grand Life Masters.

Carol wanted to be a good partner even more than she wanted to be a good player. "I have never had an altercation with a partner any time in my bridge career."

But the Sanders' contributions to the game of bridge far outnumber their triumphs at the bridge table.

Tom was instrumental in getting the ACBL Educational Foundation started and he was president for the first five years of its existence. Tom often is given credit for having conceived the idea of the foundation, but he wants to set the record straight. "Buddy Spiegel, who was then working at ACBL headquarters, told me about his idea back in January of 1986. I had enough sense to listen to him and I became the moving force to get the foundation going."

Tom says it was difficult to get the foundation on solid footing. "It was the old chicken or egg syndrome. Should we do things first and then look for the funds, or should we raise the funds first and then do things? That was the problem we faced." But the foundation has flourished and is now doing very well. Tom is now president emeritus.

Carol has been instrumental in the success of the ACBL Charity Foundation. She has been a trustee for eight years and has served as vice president for the past five years. Carol also is a vice chairman of the ACBL Goodwill Committee and is an honorary lifetime member of the Nashville Unit board.

Tom also served as a member of the ACBL Board of Directors for 10 years, representing District 10. He was ACBL president in 1986 and chairman of the board in 1987.

Tom not only is playing less bridge -- he also has retired. "Nowadays I'm running errands for Carol," he said.

Carol's rejoinder: "I feel lucky to have a private secretary right in my own home."

Well, if Tom's retired and they're both playing less bridge, what are they doing with their time?

The big things in their lives are their 13 grandchildren. Almost all of them live within 10 minutes of their home -- only one of their children lives far away, and even she and her three children are only two and a half hours away. "We love to travel, talk and play with our grandchildren," said Carol.

"But it sure is hard to remember all their birthdays," said Tom.

They also have a longstanding interest in good old Dixieland jazz. They go to four or five jazz festivals every year. This year that includes Sun Valley, San Diego and Chattanooga -- plus a Caribbean jazz cruise.

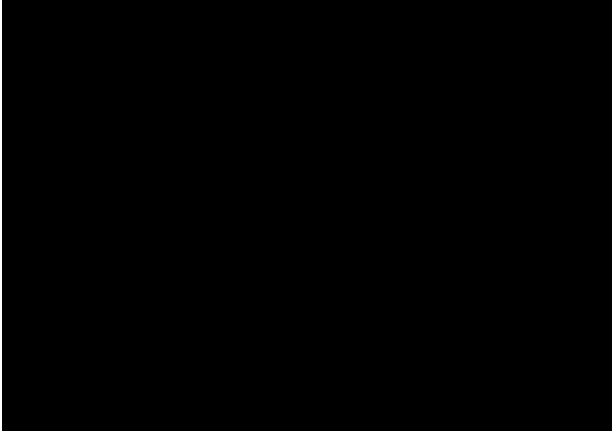
Carol has another major love -- cooking. When they're home in Nashville, they seldom go out to eat -- Carol much prefers to prepare something at home. She usually holds dinner parties a couple of times a week.

Tom devotes part of his time to his Dalmatian and his Springer spaniel. He takes them to a nearby park every day and all three go for a walk.

And now Carol and Tom are ACBL Honorary Members -- a well-deserved honor. □

## Shuttle schedule

Shuttle service between the St. Francis and Marriott Hotels is offered today through Tuesday. Shuttle hours begin at 8 am. Shuttles depart from the **Post Street entrance of the St. Francis** every 20 minutes. Shuttles drop off and depart from the **Fourth Street entrance of the Marriott**.



*U.S. Junior Team II. Standing, from left, npc Bob Rosen, coach Jeff Meckstroth, Shannon Lipscomb and Joel Wooldridge; seated, Chris Willenken, Scott Lewis, Tom Carmichael and Eric Greco. (This picture was reversed in yesterday's Daily Bulletin. The picture is being rerun to give correct identification.)*

## Aces and kings

By Barry Rigal

Aces were meant to take kings, kings were meant to take queens, etc. -- but one can always find an exception. This deal from the second final session of the Life Master Open Pairs provides an example.

Dir: South ♠ K 10 8

Vul: None ♥ J 8 6 2

♦ Q 6 5 2

♣ 10 8

♠ A 9 4 2

♥ Q 10 7 5

♦ A J

♣ J 6 5

♠ K J 10

♥ A 3

♦ K 8 7

♣ A Q 9 7 2

♠ Q 8 5

♥ K 9 4

♦ 10 9 4 3

♣ K 4 3

The normal contract is 3NT by West, making 11 tricks on a heart lead, 12 on a diamond lead. At our table, 3NT was reached from the East seat after West passed in second seat.

On the lead of the ♦10 to the jack and queen, East ducked, won the next diamond lead in dummy and took the club finesse.

South won and played a third round of diamonds. Now declarer ran the ♠J, and though it was covered, declarer had enough communication in clubs to make 11 tricks.

Note the effect of South's ducking the ♣Q smoothly. Declarer will surely lay down the ♣A and play a third club. Now the defense can play a third diamond, and if declarer leads a sneaky ♠10, South must remember to cover. The spades would then be blocked and the defenders will get a heart winner at the end to hold declarer to 10 tricks -- a near top for North-South.

## Hospitality functions in President's suite

The President's suite (3742 just off the High Rise elevator bank on the 37th floor) is open for the following hospitality functions after the evening session or as noted:

-- Tonight. Reception for all district and unit board members.

-- Wednesday. Reception after the second session of the Senior event for all seniors.

-- Friday night. Reception for all ACBL members with 35 or more years of membership.

-- Saturday night. Reception for all overall winners.

## Marston

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standing bridge teacher-player and the expertise of a major league promoter of all kinds of eye-catching events.

The bridge personality is Paul Marston of Australia, who has represented his country at the world level on many occasions. He has shifted his focus from playing to teaching -- and he is proving even more successful as a teacher.

The promoter, whose name was not released, has arranged many well-known exhibitions -- like the tennis match between Bobby Riggs and Billie Jean King and the chess match between Kasparov and the computer. His promotion efforts have reached into such fields as rock music, fine art and opera as well as sports and chess.

He has links with many international companies and has had sponsorship arrangements with major companies. He already has found international companies who are interested in being sponsors of the bridge pro tour.

This tour will not be about masterpoints -- no way. It will be about money -- big money. "The big bridge pros finally will have the opportunity to make a bundle using their bridge talents," said Marston.

According to Marston, they have already found a major American TV network that wants to air a bridge television show. "We already have their approval, and we already have started working on production ideas. However, we haven't fine-tuned the details," said Marston.

What's all this about a new way to rate players?

"I've been working on this project for about eight years," said Marston. "We can create a very complete database of information about players -- records of all recent games, their partners, their opponents, their performance compared to their rating, etc. This program provides a very realistic yardstick for measuring how a player is doing. They get immediate, instant feedback."

What does all this mean? It means that a player can have an individual rating that indicates how well he's playing *at this moment!* This could be a tremendous boon for many players who have been playing for countless years, accumulating masterpoints here and there. Many of these players don't feel they belong in Flight A competition -- but that's the only place they can play because they have piled up so many masterpoints over the years.

With this rating system, a player would be assigned to a flight according to his present playing ability.

The database also could be a valuable tool for club managers and directors. It would give them a better method for handicapping their games, but more importantly it would give them an informational link with everyone who ever plays at their club.

All well and good, but has Marston ever used this database method?

Definitely! He has seven bridge clubs spread around a good part of Australia, and all seven clubs are thriving. Other clubs are clamoring to become part of the network.

Many members have written letters to *The Bridge Bulletin* decrying the fact that ACBL doesn't have a rating system similar to the one used in chess. In chess your rating rises or falls each time you play, based on how well you actually did do against the type of opposition you faced. You gain ground if you beat someone with a higher rating -- you drop if you lose to someone with a lower rating.

Marston's plan would enable bridge to offer the same kind of up-to-date ratings. Flighting and stratification would be much more realistic. □

# New players flock to I/N games at Fall NABC

**M**onths of hard work and planning have paid off spectacularly for the Intermediate/Novice program at the Fall NABC in San Francisco as new players have arrived at the tournament en masse.

"This is wonderful," said RBeda Coffey, a Fremont resident who has played every session so far and plans to be around when the last card at the NABC is turned.

Coffey had no masterpoints as of Sunday afternoon, but she would win hands down in any contest on enthusiasm for bridge. Said Coffey: "I'm very excited about it. I wish I had learned bridge earlier."

She was just one of nearly 900 new players who have taken the Fall NABC by storm. Through Sunday evening, attendance in the I/N games stood at 564. That's more than the entire I/N turnout at another recent NABC.

The driving force behind the I/N program at the San Francisco tournament is Judy Lowe, I/N chairperson, who insists on sharing the credit with club owners, managers and teachers in District 21. "They're responsible," she said.

Terry Terzian, who teaches in the East Bay area, brought in nearly 80 of his students. "Most of them had never been to a tournament," Lowe said. Two other teachers who brought in a lot of students were Evelyn Holtz of Oakland and the Alice Herzec of Fremont.

Lowe also credits the tournament directing staff and the many volunteers who have helped new players with directions and questions.

All the new players, Lowe said, are having a good time. "We had 37 and a half tables in the 0-5 game the first day (Friday)," she said. "People who came the first Friday afternoon have been back every day, and a lot of them have brought their friends."

Through Sunday, I/N officials had sold about 45 ACBL memberships to new players.

Betty Bratcher, ACBL's tournament director in charge of the I/N program, said she is very impressed



*Judy Lowe, Intermediate/Novice Chairperson, is flanked by bridge teacher Terry Terzian and new player RBeda Coffey just before the evening I/N session.*

by what's happened at the NABC so far. "Judy is the biggest reason for the success," Bratcher said. "We give the locals the tools and they either do it or they don't. She did it."

In the opening-night charity games, Bratcher said she was surprised to see 24 tables in the I/N pair game. "That's the most we've ever had," she said. "The organizing committee did a great job."

Coffey would agree. The former Oklahoma resident took up bridge about two years ago and now owns all of the Audrey Grant teaching series books

and video tapes of her Public Broadcasting System shows. She's been in the San Francisco area about a year, long enough to be exposed to the new-player programs in District 21.

"We've learned a lot," said Coffey, "and everyone is very friendly."

Budd Howell of San Francisco, another newcomer who was playing Sunday night, said he was introduced to duplicate in June. "I'm hooked now," he said. "People like Judy (Lowe) and Jackie Matthews (District 21 tournament manager) have helped me out a lot. They were so kind and welcoming."

Lowe has spent much of her bridge career in administration. She is a past president of District 21 and has also been unit president, and she is currently Matthews' assistant. Lowe is also an accredited teacher and is a tournament director trained to run intermediate/novice games.

As if all that wasn't enough, Lowe manages four duplicate clubs in the Bay Area, three in Danville, where she lives, and one in Livermore Valley. She also helps run a 45-table game once a week at the Rossmoor Retirement Community in Walnut Creek.

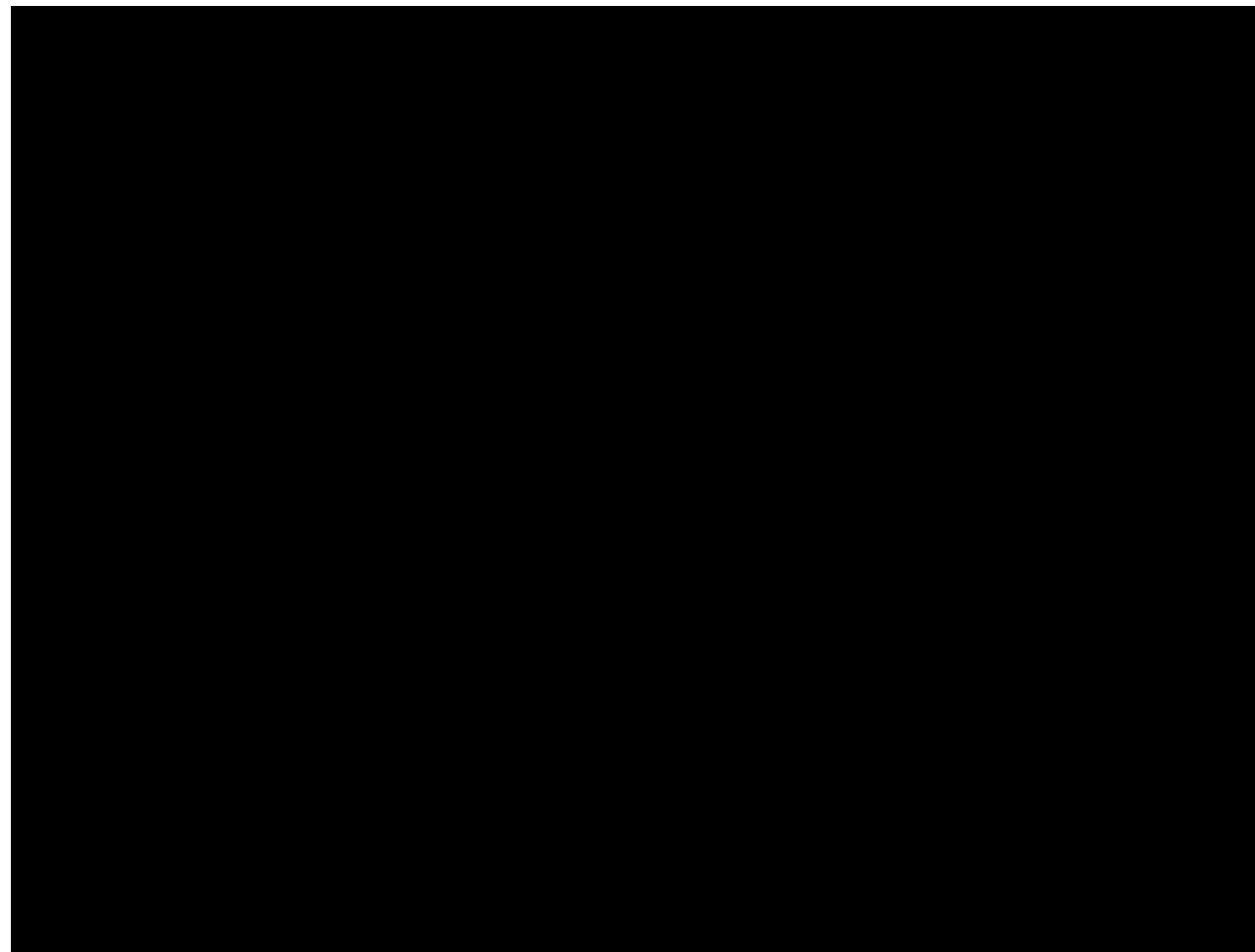
Lowe is dedicated to making sure new players enjoy themselves, a factor vital to the growth of the ACBL. "If their introduction to bridge is in a pleasant, friendly atmosphere," said Lowe, "they will return."

## Mens Sana in Corpore Sano

Tired of sitting all the time? Muscles tense from too many decisions? Come work out the kinks tomorrow morning with our certified fitness trainer, Sharon Hartley.

We'll have an hour of moving, toning and stretching guaranteed to get your blood pumping and improve your attitude. Sharon is an expert at tailoring the class to any age group or fitness level. You'll finish up invigorated, relaxed and ready to do battle once more.

10 am Tuesday in the Club Room, second floor. Fancy workout clothes aren't needed, just something comfortable. We'll provide the towels and water.



*I/N Chairperson Judy Lowe, standing, poses with three volunteers who have assisted with the highly successful I/N program at the Fall NABC. From left, Edie Wong, Barbara Harmon and Cecilia Zachar.*

### TODAY'S PAIRINGS IN NABC SENIOR KNOCKOUT TEAMS

48 Teams

Mary Chilcote, Cleveland OH; Zeke Jabbar - Bill Eisenberg, Boca Raton FL; Frederick Hamilton, Fresno CA; Tom Sanders, Nashville TN; Russell Arnold, Miami FL

vs

Frederick Rappleyea, Houston TX; Robert Schaefer, Longboat Key FL; Orval Riessen, Tucson AZ; Ted Sachsman, Corte Madera CA

Trudi Nugit, Bel-Air CA; Hamish Bennett, Menlo Park CA; Mike Shuman, Pasadena CA; Chuck Said, Nashville TN; Joan Remy Moore, Troy MI; Phil Leon, Grosse Pointe MI

vs

Barbara Mackay, Fredericton NB; Bill Langlois - J Van Stee, San Jose CA; Irene Hyatt, Arvada CO  
Corinne Kirkham - Jim Kirkham, San Bernardino CA; O Allen Childs Jr, Little Rock AR; Steve Greenberg, Germantown TN; Rick Henderson, Los Angeles CA; Michael Savage, Crestline CA

vs

Jim Elbogen - Judy Elbogen, Mission Viejo CA; Gail Erickson, La Jolla CA; Gaye Herrington, Redondo Beach CA; Andy Pounds, Westminster CA; Eileen Niesen, Huntington Beach CA

Carol Dalzell, Sea Island GA; Lowell Andrews, Huntington Beach CA; Jim Linhart, Piscataway NJ; Arnold Fisher, Clementon NJ; Wayne Hascall, Grandville MI; George Dawkins, Austin TX

vs

Bill McIntosh, Gilroy CA; J Clinton, Carmel CA; Patricia Gittings, Windsor CA; Jacqueline Cornfoot, Santa Rosa CA

John Gustafson - Helen Gustafson, Des Moines IA; Bernard Warshauer, Sumter SC; Joan Morse, Houston TX

vs

Gerald Soucy - John Currie, Halifax NS; Bram Schwartz, Sydney NS; Bryan Rapson, Dartmouth NS  
Edward Barlow, Sunnyvale CA; Stephen Levy, Palo Alto CA; Gerald Bare, Pac Palisade CA; Erik Paulsen, Upland CA

vs

Robert Gish, El Monte CA; Eddie Rose, Laguna Niguel CA; Howard Gianera, Wayzata MN; Roger Newlander, Los Altos CA

Howard Hertzberg, Alpine NJ; Robert Ryder, Caldwell NJ; William Esberg, Elberon NJ; Simon Kantor, Agawam MA; Martin Baff, Beachwood OH

vs

Al Cohen, Tamarac FL; Merrell Anderson, Littleton CO; Marilyn Eber, Denver CO; Phil Karani, Fort Lauderdale FL

Steven Pawliger, Hollywood FL; Andy O'Grady, Miami FL; Robert Rosen, Delray Beach FL; Martin Hoffman, Lauderhill FL

vs

Paul Portnoy - Eunice Portnoy, Chesterfield MO; David Kowarsky - Kamla Chawla, Longmeadow MA  
Dan Hertz - Natalie Hertz, Harrison NY; Gail Rust, Daytona Beach FL; Jeanne Stenger - Charles Stenger, Bethesda MD

vs

Louis Quiggle - Rosalind Quiggle, Redding CA; Paul Kronfeld, Mountain View CA; Donald Rothschild, Sunnyvale CA

Jack Coleman, San Francisco CA; Mark Stein - Fred Hoffer, Montreal PQ; Daniel Rotman, Aventura FL; Ralph Bartlett, Pompano Beach FL

vs

John McAdam, Ottawa ON; Jerry Aceti, Sudbury ON; William Allison, Dunwoody GA; Charles Gallo-way, Bolton ON

Ken Monzingo, San Diego CA; Betty Rossmann - Shirley Riesland, Portland OR; Dorothy Reddaway, Oregon City OR; Russell Quinnell, Napa CA; Joel Hoersch, La Jolla CA

vs

Harold Thaw - Debra Thaw, Port Jefferson Station NY; Alvin Zuckerman, Oceanside NY; Sarah Wiener, Wantagh NY

Robert Carreaux, Ft Wayne IN; Michael Huston, Joplin MO; David Adams, Kennesaw GA; John Swanson Jr, Mission Viejo CA; Evelyn Phillips, Laguna Hills CA; Jerry Pietscher, Elk Grove CA

vs

Leonard Ernst, Evanston IL; Worth Vaughan, Madison WI; Richard Halperin, Highland Park IL;

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### LEADING QUALIFIERS IN WOMEN'S BAM TEAMS

40 Teams

1	Joann Glasson, Pennington NJ; Jo Ann Sprung, Philadelphia PA; Susan Picus, New York NY; JoAnna Stansby, Castro Valley CA	36.50
2	Laurie Vogel - Gail Greenberg, New York NY; Jillian Blanchard, Riverdale NY; Rozanne Pollack, Warren NJ	35.00
3	Kathie Wei-Sender, Nashville TN; Juanita Chambers - Lynn Deas, Schenectady NY; Beth Palmer, Silver Spring MD; Sue Sachs, Baltimore MD	33.50
4	Kitty Munson, Jersey City NJ; Carreen Hinds, Long Beach CA; Judy Pede, Cerritos CA; Carol Simon, New York NY	32.50
5	Lynne Schaefer, West Bloomfield MI; Martha Katz, Burr Ridge IL; Peggy Kaplan, Minnetonka MN; Ellen Siebert, Little Rock AR	31.00
6	Gloria Silverman, Toronto ON; Mickie Chambers, Decatur GA; Joan Eaton, Willowdale ON; Susan Miller, Boca Raton FL	30.50
7	Monica Angus, Pt Coquitlam BC; Kathy Adachi, Delta BC; Marge Neate, W Vancouver BC; June Pocock, Coquitlam BC	30.00
8	Lynne Feldman, Champaign IL; Carly Steiner, Seattle WA; Judi Cody, Annandale VA; Brenda Keller, Boise ID	29.50
9/11	Judy Kay - Jane Segal, Narberth PA; Sondra Schubiner, Franklin MI; Beverly Bluth, W Bloomfield MI	29.00
9/11	Beverly Rosenberg, Sherman Oaks CA; Renee Mancuso, Redondo Beach CA; Joyce Lillie - Linda Lewis - Carol Pincus, Las Vegas NV; Judy Randel, Albuquerque NM	29.00
9/11	Sherie Greenberg, Palo Alto CA; Jyme Schmieder, Saratoga CA; Frances Dickman - Diane Shannon, San Jose CA	29.00
12/13	Mary Ruth Blustein, Bellevue WA; Jean Anderson, Seattle WA; Dee Berry, Kirkland WA; Susan Urbaniak, Mercer Island WA	28.50
12/13	Ginny Steele, Fort Collins CO; Lee De Simone, Alexandria VA; Nannell Edmunds - Linda Smith, Annapolis MD	28.50
14/15	Jo Morse - Ellasue Chaitt, Palm Beach Gardens FL; Terry Michaels, Prairie Village KS; Nadine Wood, Silver Spring MD	28.00
14/15	Joan Stein, River Hills WI; Lou Ann O'Rourke, Portola Valley CA; Barbara Lehman, Glenview IL; Sandy McCay, San Diego CA	28.00
16/18	Mimi Bieber, Armonk NY; Nie Lih Cheng, Bedford NY; Ritsuko Kai, Chofu-Shi; Faye Marino, Greenwich CT; Eileen Paley, Scarsdale NY	27.50
16/18	Jackie Buroker - Sandra Jenkins, Bellevue WA; Janet Daling, Seattle WA; Sharon Colson, Kirkland WA	27.50
16/18	Sally Woolsey, Kensington CA; Jo Anne Casen, Boca Raton FL; Georgiana Gates, Houston TX; Jan Martel, Davis CA	27.50
19/22	Tina Tessaro - Harriet Eaton, Miami FL; Jacqueline Derouin, Okemos MI; Ellen Crawford, Ft Lauderdale FL; Sheryl McDonald, Las Vegas NV	27.00
19/22	Pam Wittes, Los Alamitos CA; Sue Weinstein, Glenview IL; Stasha Cohen, Glen Ridge NJ; Cheri Bjerkan, Elmhurst IL	27.00
19/22	Sheila Pies, Potomac MD; Kay Afdahl, Virginia Beach VA; Diana Schuld, Glen Head NY; Cynthia Hinckley, Guayanabo PR	27.00
19/22	Helen Corbin, Menlo Park CA; Janice Nakao, San Mateo CA; Betsey Schneider, San Carlos CA; Charlotte Patrias, St Louis MO	27.00
23/24	Patricia Cayne - Jacqui Mitchell - Amalya Kears, New York NY; Suzy Burger, W Bloomfield MI	26.50
23/24	Carol Sanders, Nashville TN; Petra Hamman - Peggy Sutherlin, Dallas TX; Hjordis Eythorsdottir, Huntsville AL; Libby Fernandez, Tuscaloosa AL; Bernace Deyoung, Miami FL	26.50
25/26	Gigi Geiger - Gen Niemann, Belleville IL; Ayako Amano, Tokyo; Miho Sekizawa, Tokyo	26.00
25/26	Mildred Breed, Woodway TX; Jill Meyers, Santa Monica CA; Randi Montin, Napa CA; Marinesa Letizia, Louisville KY; Lisa Berkowitz, Old Tappan NJ	26.00

### LEADING QUALIFIERS IN OPEN BOARD-A-MATCH TEAMS

102 Teams

1/2	Charles Kopp, Scottsdale AZ; Bjorn Fallenius - Michael Moss, New York NY; Gregory Potts, Portsmouth OH	35.00
1/2	Nick Nickell, New York NY; Richard Freeman, Atlanta GA; Jeff Meckstroth, Tampa FL; Eric Rodwell, Naperville IL; Bobby Wolff - Bob Hamman, Dallas TX	35.00
3/4	Varis Carey - Alexander Kolesnik, Austin TX; Steve Gross, Ventura CA; Steve Altus, Palo Alto CA; Andrew Lewis, Berkeley CA	34.50
3/4	Gerald Sosler, Purchase NY; Kay Schulle - John Mohan, Las Vegas NV; Roger Bates, Mesa AZ	34.50
5	Steven Price, San Rafael CA; Richard Spitalnick, Sunnyvale CA; Robert Thomson, Half Moon Bay CA; Daniel Molochko, El Cerrito CA	34.00
6	James Cayne - Mark Feldman, New York NY; Mike Passell, Dallas TX; Alan Sontag, Gaithersburg MD; Michael Seamon, Miami Beach FL; Chuck Burger, W Bloomfield MI	33.00
7/10	Grant Baze, La Jolla CA; George Mittelman - Fred Gitelman, Toronto ON; Michael Whitman, San Francisco CA; Richard Katz, Rancho Mirage CA	32.50
7/10	George Rosenkranz, Mexico Df 11000; Eddie Wold, Houston TX; Geoff Hampson, Fenton MI; David Berkowitz, Old Tappan NJ; Larry Cohen, Boca Raton FL	32.50
7/10	Robert Baldwin, Las Vegas NV; Robert Levin, Orlando FL; Peter Weichsel, Encinitas CA; Zia Mahmood, New York NY; Michael Rosenberg, Tuckahoe NY	32.50
7/10	Richard Schwartz, E Elmhurst NY; Mark Lair, Canyon TX; Peter Boyd, Silver Spring MD; Paul Soloway, Mill Creek WA; Bobby Goldman, Highland Vlg TX; Steve Robinson, Arlington VA	32.50
11	George Steiner, Seattle WA; Nels Erickson, Meadview AZ; John Sutherlin, Dallas TX; Douglas Dang, San Mateo CA	32.00
12/13	Jim Robison Jr, Las Vegas NV; Mitch Dunitz, Sherman Oaks CA; Iftikhar Baqai, Los Angeles CA; Mark Perlmutter, San Francisco CA	31.50
12/13	Curtis Cheek, Huntsville AL; Michael Schreiber, Los Angeles CA; Linda Smith - Ron Smith, Chattanooga TN	31.50
14	Roger Pies, Potomac MD; Earl Glickstein, Gaithersburg MD; Alan Schwartz - Don Probst, Fairfax VA	31.00
15/18	Walter Schafer Jr, Bloomingdale IL; Tom Fox - David Lehman, Glenview IL; Jim Hall, Minneapolis MN	30.50
15/18	David Mossop, London UK; Paul Hackett, London UK; Justin Hackett - Jason Hackett, Manchester, England	30.50
15/18	Eddie Kantar, Santa Monica CA; Marshall Miles, Redlands CA; B Wayne Stuart III, Aptos CA; Allan Falk, Okemos MI; Wafik Abdou, Bakersfield CA	30.50



15/18	Peter Nagy, Las Vegas NV; Bob Jones, Auburndale NY; Paul Marston, Australia; Eric Kokish, Westmount PQ; Stephen Sanborn, Poughkeepsie NY; Kerri Sanborn, Stony Point NY	30.50
19	Howard Weinstein, Chicago IL; Michael Lawrence, Berkeley CA; Hugh Ross, Oakland CA; Ralph Katz, Burr Ridge IL	30.00
20/23	Thomas Turgeon, Memphis TN; Ralph Buchalter, Oakland CA; Bernard Miller, Boca Raton FL; Steve Sion, Las Vegas NV	29.50
20/23	Jim Mahaffey, Winter Park FL; Judi Radin, New York NY; Larry Mori, Charlton NY; Chris Compton, Oklahoma City OK	29.50
20/23	Chip Martel, Davis CA; Fred Stewart, West Hurley NY; Steve Weinstein, Glen Ridge NJ; Lew Stansby, Castro Valley CA; Ed Manfield, Hyattsville MD; Kit Woolsey, Kensington CA	29.50
20/23	Stephen McConnell, Chicago IL; Richard Meffley - Shirley Blum - James Tritt, Fresno CA; Blake Rundquist, Clovis CA; Robert Giragosian, Bakersfield CA	29.50
24/26	John Twineham - John Hodges, Palo Alto CA; Robert Hopper, Pacifica CA; Gary Soules, Campbell CA	29.00
24/26	Andrew Robson, Carmel CA; Rita Shugart, Pebble Beach CA; Geir G Helgemo, Trondheim; Tony Forrester, Boston MA	29.00
24/26	Sidney Brownstein, Santa Monica CA; Andy Goodman, San Francisco CA; G Gard Hays, Veradale WA; Don Nemiro, San Jose CA	29.00
27/30	Curtis Hastings - Matt Klimesh, Pasadena CA; Ian Weinstock, New York NY; Craig Ganzer, Fairfax VA	28.50
27/30	Alan Frank, Arlington MA; Stephanie Hamilton, Medford MA; Pamela Miller - James Rasmussen, Cambridge MA	28.50
27/30	Jim Reiman, Mansfield OH; Frederick Allenspach, Potomac MD; Robert Bell, Washington DC; Ai-Tai Lo, Reston VA	28.50
27/30	Jim Krekorian - Robert Blanchard - John Rengstorff, New York NY; Douglas Doub, West Hartford CT	28.50
31/36	Dennis Sorensen, Gresham OR; Mark Tolliver, Portland OR; Kerry Smith, Milwaukee WI; Jeff Schuett, Riverwoods IL	28.00
31/36	David Weisman - Judith Weisman, Englewood NJ; Ronald Felton - John Solodar, New York NY	28.00
31/36	Billy Miller, Las Vegas NV; Eric Greco, Annandale VA; Mike Cappelletti, Red Bank TN; Dan Jacob, Burnaby BC	28.00
31/36	Chris Larsen, Costa Mesa CA; Joseph Kivel, Corona DI Mar CA; Robert Schwartz, San Pedro CA; Evan Bailey, San Diego CA	28.00
31/36	Kay Beck - John Blubaugh, Indianapolis IN; Jonathan Steinberg, Toronto ON; Jim Cunningham, Wichita KS	28.00
31/36	Jerry Helms, Charlotte NC; Richard Burton, Duluth GA; R Jay Becker, New York NY; Lewis Finkel, Providence RI	28.00
37/43	Sakiko Naito, Tokyo; Kenji Miyakuni - Dick Bruno, Chicago IL; Yoshiyuki Nakamura, Toyko	27.50
37/43	Leslie Amoils, Toronto ON; Bruce Norman, Ajax ON; Ranald Davidson, Willowdale ON; Peter Grover, Ottawa ON	27.50
37/43	Lou Reich - Alan Susskind, Wheaton MD; William Pettis, Silver Spring MD; John Adams, Gaithersburg MD	27.50
37/43	Barry Harper, Kelowna BC; Mike Lucas, Las Vegas NV; Don Campbell, Saskatoon SK; Cameron Doner, Richmond BC	27.50
37/43	John Russell, S Barrington IL; Howard Piltch, Andover MA; Andrew Chesterton, Lexington MA; Rob Crawford, Ft Lauderdale FL	27.50
37/43	Gerard Laquerriere, Clovis CA; Leszek Rabioga, Salt Lake Cty UT; Farid Assemi, Fresno CA; Edward Wojewoda, Antelope CA	27.50
37/43	Nell Cahn, Shreveport LA; Rebecca Rogers, Dallas TX; Eric Landau, Silver Spring MD; Marc Umeno, Alexandria VA	27.50
44/51	Michael Levinson, Daly City CA; Paul McDaniels, Richmond CA; Ronald Powell, Mtn View CA; Marshall Schwartz, San Francisco CA	27.00
44/51	Thomas Carmichael, Middletown NJ; Joel Wooldridge, Williamsville NY; Shannon Lipscomb, Red Bank TN; Scott Lewis, Wakefield RI; Chris Willenken, New York NY	27.00
44/51	Sidney Lazard Sr, New Orleans LA; Bart Bramley, Chicago IL; Ronald Smith, San Francisco CA; Brian Glubok, New York NY	27.00
44/51	Bill Heid, Oakland CA; Bill Staats, Grapevine TX; Jack Wholey, Albany CA; Melvin Dagovitz, Kentfield CA	27.00
44/51	Moses Ma, Boston MA; Harold Feldheim, Hamden CT; David Rho, Natick MA; Paul Kinney, Cambridge MA	27.00
44/51	Don Laycock - Jo Ginsberg, San Francisco CA; G S Jade Barrett - Karen Barrett, Vancouver WA; Miles Adkins, Coulee City WA	27.00
44/51	Leonard Holtz - Peter Rank, Los Angeles CA; Jeffrey Ferro, Santa Monica CA; Connie Goldberg, Philadelphia PA; Gerald Seixas, Ashland MA; Brian Platnick, Merion Station PA	27.00
44/51	Martin Hinds, Long Beach CA; Cathy Strauch - Riggs Thayer Jr, San Diego CA; Maye Soules, San Mateo CA	27.00
52	Peter Lindon - Dee Lindon, Buckinghamshire H; Tim Rees, Berkshire; Andrew MacNair, London	26.50

**TODAY'S PAIRINGS**

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Loren Hawkins, Bremerton WA; Peter Schwartz, Cote St Luc PQ; Andre Laliberte, Neufchatel PQ  
Colin Revill, Burlington ON; Edward White, Grand Blanc MI; Marc Low - Sandra Low, Centerville OH

vs

Jerry Gaer - Phyllis Malstrom - Jack Malstrom, Scottsdale AZ; Kenneth Badertscher, Tucson AZ; Edwin Malmuth, Carlsbad CA; Frank Jackson, San Francisco CA

Bob Luebke, Walnut Creek CA; Steve Lawrence, Athens TX; Ed Groner, Duncan OK; William Logan, San Clemente CA; Mike Bandler, Danville CA; Larry Mills, Pinole CA

vs

Virgil Anderson Jr, Springfield MO; Jayne Thomas, Lutz FL; Liane Turner - Donald Turner, Kansas City KS; Mary Green - Roy Green, Memphis TN

Susi Katz - Alice Wilhide - Dale Frese, Longwood FL; Ernestine Murphrey, Altamonte Spg FL; Ulker Mutlu, Springfield OH; Milton Haley, Kettering OH

vs

George Pisk, Manchaca TX; Clay Brooke McFarland, Owego NY; William Hall, Thousand Oaks CA; Jon Wright, Del Mar CA; John Fox Jr, Whittier CA

Michael Flanagan - Barbara Flanagan, Westlake Village CA; A Stephen Mager, Hermosa Beach CA; Barbara Nist, Kent WA; Anne Arndt, San Pedro CA; Norman Featherston, Redmond WA

vs

Ethel Reed, Hagerstown MD; Dean Berger, Leola PA; Mary O'Neil - Jim O'Neil, Rockville MD

# Board of Directors meeting highlights

The Board of Directors will meet three times per year. The first two meetings shall be prior to each Spring and Summer NABC at the NABC site. The Fall meeting shall be held in the city in which ACBL headquarters is located.

Management shall mail point confirmations on a bimonthly basis for 1997. This item will be brought back for reconsideration at the Fall 1997 meeting.

No further field offices will be established until a review of the pilot program is completed at the 1997 Spring meeting.

The Board of Directors confirmed the decision of the ACBL Laws Commission in accepting the 1997 *Laws of Duplicate Contract Bridge*. This revision will become effective on May 26, 1997.

The requirements for becoming a Grand Life Master were changed to the following: Win 10,000 masterpoints and win a North American Bridge Championship with no upper masterpoint restriction or an Open Team Trials or its equivalent or a Women's Team Trials or its equivalent or any of the following WBF events: Bermuda Bowl, Venice Cup, Rosenblum Cup, McConnell Cup, Open Pairs, Women's Pairs, Team Olympiad or Women's Team Olympiad.

The 1997-1998 Conditions of Contest for the North American Pairs were amended to make this point about the club stage: Any eligible ACBL member in good standing must be allowed to play in a club qualifying game, regardless of that club's policy toward that player at other times.

Management was authorized to develop another lesson program based on the Better Bridge books contingent upon acquisition of the publishing rights or favorable distribution prices.

Beginning with the 1997 International Team Trials (ITT) and the Women's Team Trials, the winning team will receive the following overall masterpoint award -- 1st ITT, 200 points; 1st Women's Trials, 125 points. The number of overall positions will be according to ACBL regulations, but at least equal to the number of teams qualifying from the ITT or the Women's Trials to international competition. Masterpoints for matches won will be the same as a Spingold for the ITT and the same as the Women's KO for the Women's Trials.

The regulation stating that any team requiring augmentation may not augment from a team it defeated in its last match was rescinded.

Up to 20 club masterpoints earned by a new player prior to his joining the ACBL will be credited to his ACBL record when the player joins the ACBL.

New Orleans was approved as the site for the 1997 Open Team Trials subject to the concurrence of the ITT committee. The Women's Team Trials will be held June 17-22 at Hyannis MA in conjunction with the New England Senior Regional.

A computer bridge tournament and demonstration will be established at an NABC in 1997.

Management was authorized to proceed with an agreement with a third party to expand opportunities in the area of computer bridge, the promotion of bridge by computer and the expansion of ACBL membership among computer users.

Upon request, Bridge Ventures is permitted to run a regionally-rated cash prize event across several mornings of each NABC beginning with the Spring 1997 NABC. The event will be either a pair game or an individual, not to conflict with the start of any regionally-rated morning knockout.

All flights of the Grand National Teams will start the Wednesday prior to the Summer NABC, effective with the 1997/1998 event. Flight A of the North American Pairs will continue to be held on the Wednesday and Thursday prior to the Spring NABC. Flights B and C will be held on the second Saturday and Sunday of the Spring NABC, effective with the 1997/1998 event.

An NABC site may be formally proposed only by Management. No NABC site may be approved without ratification by a simple majority of the Board of Directors.

Many financial items were passed with a view toward cutting costs.

## FLIGHT A SWISS TEAMS

80 Teams

39.04	1	Joan Ellison - Katty Beyhan, Tulsa OK; Margaret Dent, Santa Barbara CA; Margaret Waugh, Truro NS	118.00
29.28	2	Lenore Karp, Hillsborough CA; Roshen Hadulla, Coral Springs FL; Gautam Sheth - Priyaman Sheth, San Francisco CA	116.00
19.22	3/4	P Drew Cannell, Winnipeg MB; J Markland Molson, Cote St Luc PQ; Lars Andersson, Vasteras, Sweden; Jill Mellstrom, Stockholm, Sweden	111.00
19.22	3/4	Bill Sides, Burbank CA; Jim Darvey, Playa Del Rey CA; Joseph Payne, Los Angeles CA; Sam Graham, Oakland CA	111.00
12.35	5	Louise Childs - Derrell Childs, Garland TX; Steve Shirey, Fort Worth TX; Jack Barcinski, Dallas TX	110.00
8.11	6/7	Reese Milner - Jan Cohen, Los Angeles CA; Gene Simpson, Redlands CA; Haig Tchamitch, Arvada CO	108.00
8.11	6/7	Ethan Stein, Irvington NY; Rita Rand, New York NY; Gerald Caravelli, Des Plaines IL; Richard Zucker, N Tarrytown NY; Joel Friedberg, Scarsdale NY	108.00
5.21	8	Karen Manfield, Chicago IL; Walter Hamilton III, Nashua NH; Dale Johannesen - Lynn Johannesen, Sunnyvale CA	104.00
3.76	9/12	Korene Geffen, Aurora CO; Wirt Gilliam III - Lena Jelusich, San Diego CA; Anita Burgis, Escondido CA	102.00
3.76	9/12	John Peter Lagodimos - D. Lionel O'Young - Daniel Coughenour, Redwood City CA; John Romero, Pollock Pines CA	102.00
3.76	9/12	Charles Davis, Dunwoody GA; Robert Heller - Barbara Heller, Decatur GA; Joe Rickman, Louisville TN	102.00
3.76	9/12	Bryan Storey, Plano TX; James Bush - Gerald Kendal, New Orleans LA; Tom Holdiman, Menlo Park CA	102.00
3.00	13	Carl Dahl Jr - Marie Dahl, Northridge CA; Michael Cassel II, Minneapolis MN; Andy Kaufman, Smyrna DE	101.00
2.61	14/16	John Gram - Suzanne St Thomas, Salem OR; Alan Johnson - Dianne Johnson, Portland OR	99.00
2.61	14/16	Zac Cohen - Christine Wright, San Lorenzo CA; Owen Leibman - John Kelly Karasek, San Francisco CA	99.00
2.61	14/16	Allen McRae, Portland ME; Bob Lafleur, Las Vegas NV; Steven Adelson - Jackie Adelson, Phoenix AZ; Fred McGalliard, Campbell CA; Richard Berk, Newton MA	99.00
2.30	17	Winthrop Allegaert - Kikuyo Susaki, New York NY; David Better, Bensalem PA; Daisy Goecker, Yardley PA	97.00
2.17	18	Elizabeth Reich - Ron Haack - Barry Rigal, New York NY; Alex Ornstein, Roslyn Hts NY; Lapt Chan, Forest Hills NY	96.00
1.83	19/24	Allan Deserpa - Sylvia Deserpa, Tempe AZ; Sam Whitten, Chandler AZ; Pat Thomas - Pat Golden, Salinas CA	95.00
1.83	19/24	Irwin Kostal Jr - Shawnee Kostal, Glendale CA; Stephen Sturm - Charlotte Sturm, Whittier CA	95.00
1.83	19/24	Betty Pellow, Highland CA; Marilyn Kivel, Corona Del Mar CA; Dolores McDonald, Redlands CA; Peggy Newman, Bloomington CA	95.00
1.83	19/24	John Leming, Pt Hueneme CA; Mark Itabashi, Murrietta CA; Michael Pudlin, Granada Hills CA; James Leary, Pasadena CA; Bob Sanderson, Pasadena CA	95.00
1.83	19/24	Raymond Zekauskas Jr, Tulsa OK; Mike Aliotta, Oklahoma City OK; Grace Hunt - Nancy Passell, Dallas TX	95.00
2.16	19/24	Gregory Klinker - Susan Miguel, Tiverton RI; Chad Fisher, Clarendon Hills IL; Cole Powell, Oakland CA	95.00
1.80	25/26	Milt Van Reed - Laura Lee Bright, Terre Haute IN; Joanna Hebermehl, Paris IL; Virginia Stipp, Mishawaka IN	94.00
2.16	25/26	Kathryne Townsend - Sandy Kiesel - Lani Ray, Bakersfield CA; Sandra De Martino, Riverside CT	94.00
1.98	27	Alex Simmons - Tamara Dimock, Ventura CA; Ronald Sutherland - Wendy Dooley, Mississauga ON	93.00
1.80	28	Barbara Swan, Roseville CA; Marilyn Horan, Walnut Creek CA; Marie Willis, Miami FL; Steven Kirshenbaum, Hillsborough CA	91.00
1.80	29/31	John Burg, Cupertino CA; Yuval Shahar, Palo Alto CA; Shalom Goldenberg, Sunnyvale CA; Patrick Questembert, Redmond WA	90.00
1.80	29/31	Roslyn Kurlan, Great Neck NY; Jim Looby, Burbank CA; John Fout, Fairfield CA; Ronald Andersen, Chicago IL	90.00
1.80	29/31	Dick Lum, Burbank CA; Samuel Wang, Monterey Park CA; Peter Kalat, Bedford NY; Tadashi Yoshida, Tokyo	90.00

## FLIGHT C SWISS TEAMS

24 Teams

7.14	1	Kevin George - William Hodges, Fremont CA; Alan Hamilton, Berkley CA; Molly Hosford, Oakland CA	6.25
4.69	2/3	Angelo Servino, Tiburon CA; Gail Haire, Mill Valley CA; Keith Harstad - Diane Harstad, St Paul MN	6.00
4.69	2/3	Peter Thaw, Pt Jeffrsn St NY; Gene Smith, S Pasadena CA; Daniel Gottesman, Pasadena CA; Dyane Maurice, Aylmer PQ	6.00
3.01	4	Daniel Kroll - Kimberly Fanady - Joan Lane - Marilyn Krassner, San Francisco CA	5.75
2.26	5	Arthur Dick Circle - Norma Circle - James Bent - Anita Bent, Yorba Linda CA	5.50
1.69	6	Alan Goff, Arlington MA; Coral Harris, Boston MA; Dale Wicks - Larry Shell, Muscatine IA	5.25

## FLIGHT A SWISS CONSOLATION

33 Teams

6.52	1	Diane Vaughan - Ward Johnson, Madison WI; Suzanne Dunaway, Oak Park IL; Michael Kutska, River Forest IL	69.00
4.89	2	Christopher Pisarra, Orinda CA; Beatrice Kemp, Tucker GA; Paul Ford, San Francisco CA; Nancy Pickering, Penllyn PA; Gabriel Fadel, Norcross GA; Sully Randolph, Atlanta GA	60.00
3.67	3	Shin-Yung Huang, San Francisco CA; Tien-Chun Yang, Palo Alto CA; J. H. Sun, Foster City CA; Cliff Yang, San Jose CA	53.00
2.12	4/6	David Raphel, Marina Del Rey CA; Anne Bernheim, Beverly Hills CA; Jack Guttenberg, Culver City CA; Thomas Butler, Los Angeles CA	52.00
2.12	4/6	Jim Senter - Gale Senter, Laguna Niguel CA; Conrad Kopec - Sandy Kopec, Newport Beach CA	52.00
2.12	4/6	Barbara Coleman - Gerald Coleman - Alice Gerard - James Bowman, Orlando FL	52.00



**GOLDEN GATE KO BRACKET 1**

16 Teams  
 65.09 1 William Ehlers, West Orange NJ; Richard De Martino, Riverside CT; Robb Gordon - Linda Gordon, New York NY  
 48.82 2 Ed Ulman - Hadi Allahverdian - Stu Swan, Portland OR; James Murphy, Chesapeake VA  
 32.04 3/4 Henry Caspar, Mississauga ON; T Nicholas Bailey Hayes, San Marcos CA; Tom Ottley, Anchorage AK; Heather Peckett - Mike Petras, Nepean ON  
 32.04 3/4 Carole Weinsteingorsey, Acton MA; Robert Gacicia, Weymouth MA; Tony Petronella, N Kingstown RI; Bill Irvine, Quincy MA  
 14.08 5/8 Temi Linzner, Pompano Bch FL; Michael Gilbert - Susan Gilbert, Sarasota FL; Paul Benedict, Pikesville MD

**GOLDEN GATE KO BRACKET 2**

16 Teams  
 47.62 1 Rick Panter, Santa Barbara CA; Andre Marchenko, Santa Maria CA; Patricia O'Toole, Orcutt CA; Gary Arthurs, Atascadero CA  
 35.72 2 Gwendolyn Graff - D Bruce Graff - Marcia Dean - Robert Dean, San Jose CA  
 23.44 3/4 John Hughes, Rncho Cordova CA; Edith Emik, Gold River CA; William Corliss, Davis CA; Bill Olson, Grass Valley CA  
 23.44 3/4 Alvin Pecarsky - Nancy Pecarsky, Newtown PA; Linda Ivanoff - Joe Aramowicz, Harrisburg PA

**GOLDEN GATE KO BRACKET 3**

16 Teams  
 37.05 1 Adam Benesch, Mission Viejo CA; Russell Fox, Tarzana CA; Brian Gilbert, Orange CA; Larry Gilbert, Seattle WA  
 27.79 2 James Gleick, Brooklyn NY; David Feldman - Uday Ivatury - Laura Tolkow, New York NY  
 18.24 3/4 Brian Russell, Burnaby BC; Elaine Ware - Barbara Schultz, Vernon BC; James Burt, Coquitlam BC  
 18.24 3/4 Flora Bery - Sonya Resk - Maria Cespedes - Laura Salinas, Mexico  
 8.01 5/8 Robert Rinehart, Northumberland PA; Hayward Hawke, Modesto CA; Randy Jordan, Burnaby BC; James Barry, Twain Harte CA

**GOLDEN GATE KO BRACKET 4**

16 Teams  
 29.92 1 David Walters - Bruce Sherman - Dan Seeman, San Diego CA; Gregory Chaffee, Chula Vista CA  
 22.44 2 Ronald Zucker, San Francisco CA; Paul Markowitz, Somerville MA; Ted Ying, Laurel MD; Phillip Rodriguez, Aptos CA; Carl Lindfors, San Carlos CA  
 14.73 3/4 Kenneth Johnson, Morgan Hill CA; Michael Rechsteiner, Hollister CA; Mitsuo Tatsugawa, Salinas CA; Helen Rubin, Monterey CA  
 14.73 3/4 Thomas Ahmann Sr, Mexico MO; Connie Pugh, Columbia MO; Stephen Johnson, Minneapolis MN; J David Oliver, Plymouth MN  
 6.47 5/8 Deborah Murphy - John Atteridge, San Francisco CA; Stewart Dresch Jr - Linda Wiener, Vancouver WA

**GOLDEN GATE KO BRACKET 5**

16 Teams  
 23.10 1 Carol McGuire - Daniel Helman - Leila Sink - David Helmbold, Los Gatos CA  
 17.33 2 Gary Williams - Frank Besag, Milwaukee WI; Uma Reddi, Fremont CA; Mansoor Gowani, San Jose CA  
 11.37 3/4 Sam Atabaki, San Ramon CA; Sitadri Nath Bagchi, Reno NV; Charles Heilig, Anchorage AK; Milton Kalikman, Azusa CA  
 11.37 3/4 Yunsu Lee - Fred Schott - Kenneth Lockhart - David Fielder, San Francisco CA

**GOLDEN GATE KO BRACKET 6**

16 Teams  
 18.28 1 Howard Taormino - Timothy White, San Jose CA; William Ahrens, Milpitas CA; Frederick Conrad Jr, Knoxville TN  
 13.71 2 Roberto Verthelyi, New York NY; Linda Olbort, Saskatoon SK; David Wiegand, Portland OR; James Abbott, Salem OR  
 9.00 3/4 Vijay A Bal - Dileep Bal, Fair Oaks CA; Evan Nossoff - Eileen Eastman, Sacramento CA  
 9.00 3/4 Gary Peck - Elaine Woodruff, Castro Valley CA; Christopher Ladelfa, Danville CA; Todd Rumph, Berkeley CA

**GOLDEN GATE KO BRACKET 7**

16 Teams  
 16.70 1 Susan Winkler, East Alton NH; Jean Seward, Rutland VT; David Livingston - Ruth Ellen Livingston, Loudon TN  
 12.53 2 Dorothy McDermott, Sacramento CA; Judy Guyer, El Macero CA; Carrie Tousee, Roseville CA; Darlene Roby, Auburn CA  
 8.22 3/4 Debbie Jernigan - Maureen Yarnall - Molly Wells, Eureka CA; Jim Fahey, Arcata CA  
 8.22 3/4 W Wilber III, Winfield KS; Shirley Sheridan, Oakley KS; James Bascom, Schenectady NY; Barry Margolin, Arlington MA  
 3.61 5/8 Bill McClean, Manhattan Bch CA; Jan Townsend, Redondo Beach CA; Anthony Scott, West Hills CA; Ronald Heller M.D., La Jolla CA  
 3.61 5/8 Rosemary Erwin - June Scott - Julia Robertson - Sheila Hill, Morgan Hill CA

**GOLDEN GATE KO BRACKET 8**

16 Teams  
 14.67 1 Donald Stevens - Katherine Stevens - Jule Seale, Anchorage AK; Frederick Stevens, Overland Park KS  
 11.00 2 Clare Christiansen, Coupeville WA; Rose Husain, Palo Alto CA; Mary Johnson, Freeland WA; Florence Rameau, Anacortes WA  
 7.22 3/4 Shirley Smith - Betty Beattie, Sonoma CA; Harriet Daum, Santa Rosa CA; Daniel Rhodes, Novato CA  
 7.22 3/4 Diane Nickerson - Sonny Grant - Rosan Grant, Santa Rosa CA; Jane Wahler, Cazadero CA  
 3.17 5/8 Alfred Goldspiel, Watsonville CA; Marion Macmahon, Boulder Creek CA; Joanne Brown, Capitola CA; Leatrice Yamaguchi, Honolulu HI

**GOLDEN GATE KO BRACKET 9**

16 Teams  
 12.65 1 George Humphrey - Edward Lee, San Jose CA; Sheela Mirchandani, Saratoga CA; Susan Zimmerman, Cupertino CA  
 9.49 2 Don Naify, Orangevale CA; Stephen Faluszczyk, Erie PA; Elisabeth Rutter, Oakland CA; Myrna Camp, Danville CA  
 6.23 3/4 Shirley Mazolewski - Gerry Barrett - Latricia McConnell, San Jose CA; William Hodge, Piedmont CA  
 6.23 3/4 James Damon - Patricia Melia, Worcester MA; Wentworth Maynard, West Boylston MA; Lorraine Rosenthal, Clinton MA  
 2.74 5/8 Michael Wilson, Sunnyvale CA; Cromie Wilson, Seattle WA; Andre Wojdelski, Burbank IL; Marian Kowalewski, Chicago IL

**GOLDEN GATE KO BRACKET 10-A**

16 Teams  
 6.58 1 Steve Holmes, Sacramento CA; John Herriot, Hollywood CA; J Leonard, Davis CA; William Glass, Vacaville CA  
 4.94 2 Charles Lansill, Kentfield CA; Kathy Sanders, Mill Valley CA; Lynn Magnet - Judith Dotan Stein, San Francisco CA  
 3.24 3/4 Martia Fikes - Marianne Moutoux, Palo Alto CA; Dorothy Shannahan, Sunnyvale CA; Albert Pagin, Los Altos CA  
 3.24 3/4 Byron Crittenden - James Bochsler - Peter P. Bentley - Detta Bentley, England

**GOLDEN GATE KO BRACKET 10-B**

16 Teams  
 6.58 1 Chris Flindt - Craig Sherwood, Santa Rosa CA; Jill Nuesse, Pleasanton CA; William Wood, Dublin CA  
 4.94 2 Grace Espy - Jeane Cheverton, Lake Oswego OR; Ed Minoggie - Ruth Hinson, Portland OR  
 3.24 3/4 Frank Hendricks - Helen Hendricks, Sedona AZ; Sonja Smith, North Granby CT; Sally Kirtley, Granby CT  
 3.24 3/4 Robert Knapple - Patricia Knapple, Grand Junction CO; Dick Volk - Bobbie Volk, Albuquerque NM

**GOLDEN GATE KO BRACKET 10-C**

16 Teams  
 6.58 1 David Morrone - Brenda Glaze - Nancy Jones - Donna Dooley, Anchorage AK; Douglas Parker, Eagle River AK  
 4.94 2 Stan Ogden, Ross CA; Nani Ranken, Novato CA; Bruce Blakely - Laura Kenney, San Rafael CA  
 3.24 3/4 Victoria Stewart - Peggy Ford - Anne McClurkin, Atlanta GA; Robert Hodgson, Jr, Alamo CA  
 3.24 3/4 James Ingham, Anaheim CA; Janice Hugh, Irvine CA; Catherine Anderson, Palo Alto CA; Mary McCune, Portola Valley CA

**Health club**

While the Marriott staff is repairing a dangerous leak in the swimming pool, the hotel's health club will be closed. Marriott staff have set up a temporary health club in the Sierra H room on the fifth floor. It is open 24 hours.

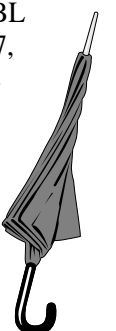
**Travelers to explain long-term care plan**

The Travelers Insurance Co. and Smith Barney are sponsoring several Senior events at the Fall Championships here.

Steve Pawliger of Travelers is here once again -- and he has more of his famous red umbrellas. Register daily at the Travelers Insurance booth for a chance to win one of the large golf umbrellas. Yesterday's winner was Howard Mion of Auburn CA.

Don't forget to sign up for one of Pawliger's seminars at which he will explain long-term care with discounted premiums for ACBL members. The first seminar will take place Wednesday, Nov. 27, during the break of the Seniors Pairs game (about 2 pm). The second will be held Friday, Nov. 29, at 11 am. The seminar will conclude in plenty of time for the start of the regular game. A complimentary sandwich lunch will be offered at both seminars.

This is all part of the sponsorship agreement the ACBL has forged with the Travelers Insurance Co. and Smith Barney, both leaders in their respective fields.



**CHARITY KO TEAMS BRACKET 1**

15 Teams  
 51.37 1 Gail Hanson, Rochester Hls MI; Geoff Hampson, Fenton MI; Michael Seamon, Miami Beach FL; Mike Passell, Dallas TX; Gene Freed, Los Angeles CA  
 38.53 2 Eric Hochman, Brooklyn NY; Barbara Hochman, New Rochelle NY; Mike Cappelletti Sr, Alexandria VA; Vivian Kilstrup, Vail CO; Roger Bates, Mesa AZ  
 25.29 3/4 Darwin Afdahl - Kay Afdahl, Virginia Bch VA; Jo Morse, Palm Beach Gardens FL; Terry Michaels, Prairie Vlg KS  
 25.29 3/4 David Adams, Kennesaw GA; Robert Cardeaux, Ft Wayne IN; Nell Cahn, Shreveport LA; Rebecca Rogers, Dallas TX; James Murphy, Chesapeake VA; Richard Miller, Raleigh NC

**CHARITY KO TEAMS BRACKET 2**

16 Teams  
 34.50 1 Daniel Boye, Syracuse NY; Jim Reiman, Mansfield OH; Steven Barcus, Longwood FL; Martin Caley, Montreal PQ  
 25.88 2 Moses Ma, Randolph MA; David Rho, Belmont MA; Harold Feldheim, Hamden CT; Paul Kinney, Cambridge MA  
 16.98 3/4 Harvey Brody, San Francisco CA; Gerald Bare, Pac Palisade CA; Nels Erickson, Meadview AZ; Ken Monzingo, San Diego CA  
 16.98 3/4 Yasuko Shrenzel, Kihei HI; Hiroko Janssen, Minato-Ku Tokyo 1; Ritsuko Kai, Chofu-Shi; Mizuko Tan Yamada, Minato Ku Tokyo J; Akio Kurokawa, Tokyo, Japan  
 7.47 5/8 Susan Evans, Sacramento CA; Edward Wojewoda, Antelope CA; Paul Ford, San Francisco CA; Wirt Gilliam III, San Diego CA

**CHARITY KO TEAMS BRACKET 3**

16 Teams  
 23.92 1 Bob Clements, Stratham NH; Nancy Pickering, Penllyn PA; Sully Randolph, Atlanta GA; Ed Judy, Chicago IL  
 17.94 2 Lottie Smith - Clyde Hobbs, Wilmington NC; Bill Morrison - Susy Morrison, Bartlesville OK  
 11.78 3/4 Albert Barbanel, Riverhead NY; Franklin Lowenthal, Pleasanton CA; Bruce Luttrell, San Jose CA; Anand Ayyagari, Santa Clara CA  
 11.78 3/4 Ronald Daringer - Dolores Daringer, Cambridge MD; Shirley Seals, Ponte Vedra FL; Joseph Shay, Ponte Vedra Bch FL  
 5.18 5/8 Darlene Pierce, Rancho Cordova CA; Karen Nelson - Guyleene Ebersole, Sacramento CA; Mansoor Gowani, San Jose CA; Uma Reddi, Fremont CA; Jon Silverman, San Francisco CA  
 5.18 5/8 Allan Lebovitz, San Jose CA; Hayward Hawke, Modesto CA; James Barry, Twain Harte CA; Robert Rinehart, Northumberland PA

**CHARITY KO TEAMS BRACKET 4**

16 Teams  
 16.87 1 Gary Donner, New York NY; Deborah Murphy - John Atteridge, San Francisco CA; Stewart Dresch Jr - Linda Wiener, Vancouver WA  
 12.65 2 Thomas Ahmann Sr, Mexico MO; Connie Pugh, Columbia MO; Stephen Johnson, Minneapolis MN; J David Oliver, Plymouth MN  
 8.31 3/4 Shirley Mazolewski - Latricia McConnell - Gerry Barrett, San Jose CA; Alan Strauss, Modesto CA  
 8.31 3/4 Bill McIntosh, Gilroy CA; Patricia Armanino, Greenbrae CA; Elizabeth Phillips, Sausalito CA; Mayday Card, Larkspur CA; Pat Peterson, San Rafael CA  
 3.65 5/8 Eric Groves, San Francisco CA; Roy Davies - Takemi Totes, Pacifica CA; Robert Campbell, Orinda CA  
 3.65 5/8 Gerrie Owen - Preston Morrow, Dallas TX; Harriette Braun, Flushing NY; Geraldine Wuollet, Boise ID

**CHARITY KO TEAMS BRACKET 5**

16 Teams  
 11.04 1 Don Sharp - Gail Sharp, Vancouver BC; Leroy Abinanti - Marigail Abinanti, Seattle WA  
 8.28 2 Curt Hofer - Kathy Hofer, Novi MI; Donald Barlow Jr - Coni Barlow, Clawson MI  
 5.44 3/4 Yunsu Lee - Fred Schott - Joann Shirley - David Fielder, San Francisco CA  
 5.44 3/4 Eric Ratner - Jack Fulcher, San Francisco CA; Blair Hoffman, Moraga CA; Cecelia Zachar, Berkeley CA; Paul O'Brien, Menlo Park CA  
 2.39 5/8 Lu Jean Trammell - Chuck Ennes, Salinas CA; Dina Blackman, Edgecliff NY; Bessie Swenson, Greenfield CA; James Bascom, Schenectady NY; Jean Wiley, Soledad CA  
 2.39 5/8 Jennifer Woo, San Clemente CA; Reiko Raese, Boulder CO; Brenda Fortunate, Grand Blanc MI; Evelyn Thomas, Sacramento CA

**CHARITY KO TEAMS BRACKET 6A**

10 Teams  
 5.06 1 Gale Zubowski, Houston TX; Joan Akromis - Barbara Kleen, Omaha NE; Warren Huppi, Allegany OR  
 3.80 2 Subramania Krishnamurth, Baton Rouge LA; Shirley Wottman - Susan Lewis, Chicago IL; Montelle Hull, Downey CA  
 2.49 3/4 Thomas Hanson, Rochester MI; E. Jacqueline Ball, New York NY; Ruth Salisbury, Fullerton CA; Claudio Kanner, Mexico Df 11000  
 2.49 3/4 Robert Knourek - Jane Knourek, Centennial WY; Lois Haddad, Tiburon CA; Marial Martin, San Rafael CA

**CHARITY KO TEAMS BRACKET 6B**

9 Teams  
 5.06 1 William Colvin, Sausalito CA; Larry Flora, Pittsburg CA; Mabel Cochrane, Piedmont CA; Chuck Grant, Kensington CA  
 3.80 2 Sandi Davis - Joyce Burks, El Cerrito CA; John Nadherny, Czech Republic; Barry Kael, Oakland CA  
 2.49 3/4 Kevin George, San Leandro CA; Alan Hamilton, Berkley CA; Molly Hosford, Oakland CA; John Linderoth, Piedmont CA  
 2.49 3/4 Robert Wood - Lynn Magnet - Judith Dotan Stein, San Francisco CA; Kathy Sanders, Mill Valley CA

**1ST SATURDAY MIDNIGHT KO BLUE FLIGHT**

16 Teams  
 3.94 1 Erin Anderson - Richard Anderson, Regina SK; George Retek, Montreal PQ; Roger Smith, Sacramento CA; Beverly Levy - Alvin Levy, Stony Brook NY  
 2.96 2 Daniel Denison, Solana Beach CA; Mary Lou Denison - Marc Cohan, San Diego CA; Rita Bailey, Coronado CA  
 1.94 3/4 John Peter Lagodimos - D. Lionel O'Young, Redwood City CA; Wirt Gilliam III, San Diego CA; Barry Turner, Richardson TX; Clark Millikan, Martinez CA  
 1.94 3/4 Ed Weiss, St Louis MO; Mic Weiss, Chesterfield MO; Karen Erlanger, Saint Louis MO; Richard Haacke, Olivette MO

**1ST SATURDAY MIDNIGHT KO GOLD FLIGHT**

16 Teams  
 3.94 1 Angela Underwood, Medicine Hat AB; Karen Young - Kathryn Bowman, Crawfordsville IN; Jeffrey Blond, Cote St-Luc PQ  
 2.96 2 Linda Olbort, Saskatoon SK; Alex Leung, Eatontown NJ; Matthew Kappel, Middletown NJ; Bob Kiggins, Burnaby BC  
 1.94 3/4 Jay Gibson - Scott Peeples, Plano TX; Annette McCarty, Richardson TX; William Burks III, Atlanta GA  
 1.94 3/4 Andrew Rosenthal - Jesus Arias - Alex Balandin - Jennifer Blunt, New York NY

**1ST SUNDAY EVENING 5/20 STRAT PAIRS****NORTH-SOUTH****STRATUM A**

1 Perry Miller - Barbara Miller, Carmel CA  
 2 Harris Kanel - Anita Kanel, San Rafael CA

**STRATUM B**

1 Perry Miller - Barbara Miller, Carmel CA

**SECTION CCC**

1 Shatra Verrall - Peter Verrall, San Francisco CA  
 2 Theresa Young, Singapore 36916 9; Harry Yee, Honolulu HI

**EAST-WEST**

56.13  
 56.01

**1ST SUNDAY EVENING 50/100/200 STRATIFIED PAIRS****NORTH-SOUTH****STRATUM A**

1 Steve Hundley - Louis Bailin, Santa Rosa CA  
 2/3 Janice Hugh, Irvine CA; James Ingham, Anaheim CA  
 2/3 Kenneth Yip, San Jose CA; Andy Andrews, Santa Clara CA  
 4 Paula Abend, Jamaica Palin MA; Rhoda Klayman, Chestnut Hill MA  
 5 Richard Schutte, Incline Village NV; Irene Harlow, Reno NV  
 6 Graham Stevens, Quincy MA; Elizabeth Stevens, Oakland CA

**STRATUM B**

1 Kenneth Yip, San Jose CA; Andy Andrews, Santa Clara CA  
 2 Paula Abend, Jamaica Palin MA; Rhoda Klayman, Chestnut Hill MA  
 3 Richard Schutte, Incline Village NV; Irene Harlow, Reno NV

**STRATUM C**

1 Kenneth Yip, San Jose CA; Andy Andrews, Santa Clara CA

**SECTION FFF**

1 Craig Jones - Alf Adams, San Francisco CA  
 2 Michael Nolan - Marilyn Nolan, Troy MI  
 3 Emelia Barbanel - Budd Howell, San Francisco CA  
 4 Thomas Kelso - Barbara Kelso, Spring Lake MI  
 5 Alice Johnson - Thayer Johnson, Antioch CA  
 6 Harry Nickerson - Joan Hawkins, Vista CA

**EAST-WEST**

172.50  
 156.00  
 155.00  
 153.00  
 151.50  
 144.00

**NORTH-SOUTH****STRATUM A**

1 Pauline Huculak - Samuel Huculak, Barrhead AB  
 2 S Chernoff - Joyce Sogg, Los Gatos CA  
 3 Doug Cannon - Ilan Tadmor, San Francisco CA  
 4 Bert Kabath, Harbor Oaks FL; Marian Kowalewski, Chicago IL  
 5 Mark Sherman, San Diego CA; Thelma Tibbitts, Burlington MA  
 6 Sanford Lobliner - Jeff Nuttall, Houston TX

**STRATUM B**

1 Bert Kabath, Harbor Oaks FL; Marian Kowalewski, Chicago IL  
 2 Mark Sherman, San Diego CA; Thelma Tibbitts, Burlington MA  
 3 Sanford Lobliner - Jeff Nuttall, Houston TX

**STRATUM C**

1 Bert Kabath, Harbor Oaks FL; Marian Kowalewski, Chicago IL

**SECTION GGG**

1 Robert Scolnick - Doreen Scolnick, Carlsbad CA  
 2 William Sumner, Oakland CA; Carolyn Sanders, Albany CA  
 3 Diane Van Brocklin, Ashland OR; Kato Reis, Menlo Park CA  
 4 George Blackstone - Rosemary Blackstone, Carmel CA  
 5 Roger Leslie - Thea Leslie, Cedar Rapids IA  
 6 Jean Krcik, Los Gatos CA; Betty Woodward, Apache Junction AZ

**EAST-WEST**

156.50  
 153.50  
 144.00  
 143.00  
 142.50  
 142.00

1 Lavon Nelson, Edina MN; Betty Faist, Sacramento CA

141.00

**SUNDAY AM 99ER PAIRS STRATUM A**

15 Pairs			
2.10	1	Anatole Lubovich, Redwood City CA; Jeff Knobel, Chicago IL	52.63
1.58	2	Johnny Veloso, Hercules CA; Darlinda Cappucini, Benicia CA	50.00
1.18	3	Becky Holbrook - Barbara Gifford, Sausalito CA	45.16
1.47	4	Terry Grant - Sondra De Roulet, San Francisco CA	42.50
1.10	5/6	Joe Clark - Ian Friedland, Dallas TX	42.13
0.58	5/6	Tony Jackson - Andrew Straus, San Francisco CA	42.13

**SUNDAY AM 99ER PAIRS STRATUM B**

7 Pairs			
1.47	1	Terry Grant - Sondra De Roulet, San Francisco CA	42.50
1.10	2	Joe Clark - Ian Friedland, Dallas TX	42.13
0.73	3/4	Steven Warren, Bothell WA; Darrell Seale, Eden UT	37.40
0.73	3/4	Patricia Shannon, Cincinnati; Shirley Oder, Fort Thomas KY	37.40

**SUNDAY AM 99ER PAIRS STRATUM C**

6 Pairs			
1.47	1	Terry Grant - Sondra De Roulet, San Francisco CA	42.50
1.10	2	Joe Clark - Ian Friedland, Dallas TX	42.13

**DALLAS MORNING CONTINUOUS PAIRS STRATUM A**

26 Pairs			
3.49	1	Marjorie Michelin, Venice CA; Ellen Anten, Encino CA	168.00
2.68	2	Janis Zelzer - Katherine Bauer, Dallas TX	158.50
1.96	3	Werner Hausmann - Helen Hausmann, Englewood NJ	152.50
2.43	4	John Freed - Steven Greenstein, New York NY	152.00
1.82	5	Richard Leres - Margaret Norris, Oakland CA	150.50
1.61	6/7	Joseph Wright, Louisville KY; Adrian Kimberlin, Prospect KY	145.50
1.61	6/7	John Peter Lagodimos - Lionel O'Young, Redwood City CA	145.50

**DALLAS MORNING CONTINUOUS PAIRS STRATUM B**

12 Pairs			
2.43	1	John Freed - Steven Greenstein, New York NY	152.00
1.82	2	Richard Leres - Margaret Norris, Oakland CA	150.50
1.61	3	Joseph Wright, Louisville KY; Adrian Kimberlin, Prospect KY	145.50
1.03	4	Diana Tenery, Fairfax VA; Roman Shapiro, Fair Lawn NJ	143.50

**299ER SWISS TEAMS STRATUM A**

24 Teams			
4.76	1	Mark O'Leary, Palo Alto CA; D Jack Bridges, Sunnyvale CA; Wilson Harwood, Portola Valley CA; Sherman Maisel, San Francisco	56.00
3.57	2	Diane Van Brocklin, Ashland OR; June Scott - Julia Robertson, Morgan Hill CA; Budd Howell, San Francisco CA	54.00
2.68	3	Stephen Wuller, Dallas TX; Jay Plano, San Francisco CA; Robert Collins, Danville CA; Jerome Wolter, Green Bay WI	52.00
2.01	4	Byron Crittenden, England; Sonja Smith, North Granby CT; James Bochsler, London, England; Sally Kirtley, Granby CT	50.00
1.51	5	Douglas Hong, San Jose CA; Debra Shannon, San Diego CA; Patricia Foutz, Blacksburg VA; Tania Moalem, Valencia CA	49.00
1.13	6	Denise Ridard, Atherton CA; Ethel Worcester, Palo Alto CA; Beckie Larsen - Kathie Shaw, Menlo Park CA	46.00

**299ER SWISS TEAMS STRATUM B**

6 Teams			
2.68	1	Stephen Wuller, Dallas TX; Jay Plano, San Francisco CA; Robert Collins, Danville CA; Jerome Wolter, Green Bay WI	52.00
2.01	2	Byron Crittenden, England; Sonja Smith, North Granby CT; James Bochsler, London, England; Sally Kirtley, Granby CT	50.00

**DALLAS MORNING CONTINUOUS PAIRS**

140 Players			
8.04	1/2	Ellen Anten, Encino CA	130.01
8.04	1/2	Marjorie Michelin, Venice CA	130.01
5.83	3/4	Ruth Stober, Great Neck NY	128.72
5.83	3/4	Bobby Goldman, Highland Vlg TX	128.72
5.89	5/6	Francois Gagne, Ile Des Soeurs PQ	126.46
5.89	5/6	Fred Hoffer, Montreal PQ	126.46

**SUNDAY AFTERNOON 50/100 SWISS TEAMS STRATUM B**

7 Teams			
2.63	1	Sheila Schroth, El Sobrante CA; Mary Jo Aitkenhead, Pleasant Hill CA; Mary Mattingly - Eddi Van Auken, Danville CA	53.00
1.48	2	Tim Zuffi, Concord CA; Ken Goldman, Berkeley CA; Eric Taylor - Anne Childs, Oakland CA	49.00
1.01	3	Sondra De Roulet - Terry Grant - Carolee Charlton, San Francisco CA; Wendy Lalanne, San Rafael CA	48.00

**SUNDAY AFTERNOON 5/20 PAIRS STRATUM D**

28 Pairs			
2.24	1	Elizabeth Leader - Corinne Rathjens, Saratoga CA	133.00
1.68	2	Ann Hume, Albuquerque NM; Jessica Hayman, New York	131.50
1.26	3	Alice Wright - Tom Wright, San Francisco CA	128.50
0.95	4	Mark Pletcher - Tracey Hessel, San Francisco CA	126.50
1.12	5	Ryan Feier - John Thrall, San Francisco CA	125.00
0.67	6/8	Emelia Barbanel - Sam Ferguson, San Francisco CA	121.50
0.58	6/8	Mary Wills - Hayward Wills, Key Biscayne FL	121.50
0.67	6/8	Setsuko Langbecker, Portland OR; Loren Parks, Aloha OR	121.50

**1ST SUNDAY EVENING 5/20 PAIRS STRATUM A**

10 Pairs			
1.40	1	Perry Miller - Barbara Miller, Carmel CA	59.76
1.05	2	Harris Kanel - Anita Kanel, San Rafael CA	58.76
0.79	3	Shatra Verrall - Peter Verrall, San Francisco CA	56.13
0.59	4	Theresa Young, Singapore; Harry Yee, Honolulu HI	56.01

**1ST SUNDAY EVENING 5/20 PAIRS STRATUM B**

6 Pairs			
1.40	1	Perry Miller - Barbara Miller, Carmel CA	59.76
0.79	2	Shatra Verrall - Peter Verrall, San Francisco CA	56.13

**1ST SUNDAY EVENING 50/100/200 PAIRS STRATUM A**

60 Pairs			
5.13	1	Craig Jones - Alf Adams, San Francisco CA	172.50
3.85	2	Pauline Huculak - Samuel Huculak, Barrhead AB	159.50
2.53	3/4	Robert Scolnick - Doreen Scolnick, Carlsbad CA	156.50
2.53	3/4	Steve Hundley - Louis Bailin, Santa Rosa CA	156.50
1.62	5	Michael Nolan - Marilyn Nolan, Troy MI	156.00
2.92	6	Emelia Barbanel - Budd Howell, San Francisco CA	155.00

**1ST SUNDAY EVENING 50/100/200 PAIRS STRATUM B**

30 Pairs			
2.92	1	Emelia Barbanel - Budd Howell, San Francisco CA	155.00
2.19	2	Kenneth Yip, San Jose CA; Andy Andrews, Santa Clara CA	153.50
1.64	3	Alice Johnson - Thayer Johnson, Antioch CA	151.50
1.23	4	Bert Kabath, Harbor Oaks FL; Marian Kowalewski, Chicago	146.50
0.92	5	Paula Abend, Jamaica Palin MA; Rhoda Klayman, Chestnut Hill MA	145.00
0.69	6	Richard Schutte, Incline Village NV; Irene Harlow, Reno NV	144.50

**1ST SUNDAY EVENING 50/100/200 PAIRS STRATUM C**

10 Pairs			
2.92	1	Emelia Barbanel - Budd Howell, San Francisco CA	155.00
2.19	2	Kenneth Yip, San Jose CA; Andy Andrews, Santa Clara CA	153.50
1.23	3	Bert Kabath, Harbor Oaks FL; Marian Kowalewski, Chicago	146.50
0.92	4	Paula Abend, Jamaica Palin MA; Rhoda Klayman, Chestnut Hill MA	145.00

**1ST SUNDAY EVENING 50/100 SWISS STRATUM A**

10 Teams			
2.33	1	Sara Foster - Linda Danzig - Robert Byrum - Frederick Morris, San Francisco CA	57.00
1.75	2	Peter Bentley - James Bochsler - Byron Crittenden - Delta Bentley, England	55.00
1.37	3	Robert Jacobus - Amelia Jacobus, Guadalajara, Mexico; Eva Nyiri, Indian Wells CA; Aurelia Farkas, Palm Desert CA	51.00
0.98	4	Michael Burtch - Suzanne Burtch, Santa Cruz CA; Lew Frazier - Carol Frazier, Aptos CA	44.00

**1ST SUNDAY EVENING 50/100 SWISS STRATUM B**

3 Teams			
1.37	1	Robert Jacobus - Amelia Jacobus, Guadalajara, Mexico; Eva Nyiri, Indian Wells CA; Aurelia Farkas, Palm Desert CA	51.00

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# For the champions: lucky -- and good

Ron Smith and Walter Schafer Jr. were blessed with luck in winning the Life Master Open Pairs, but they also played with skill over four sessions to earn their victory.

Here are a couple of deals played by Smith that earned the pair two excellent scores. The first is from the first qualifying session.

Dlr: West ♠ A J 8 6 4 3

Vul: None ♥ Q J

♦ Q 4

♣ K 10 2

♠ K Q 10 9 7 2

♥ 10 7 5

♦ A J 6

♣ J

♠ 5

♥ K 6 3 2

♦ K 10

♣ A Q 7 6 5 4

♠ ---

♥ A 9 8 4

♦ 9 8 7 5 3 2

♣ 9 8 3

West	North	East	South
<i>Schafer</i>		<i>Smith</i>	
1♠	Pass	2♣	Pass
2♠	Pass	3♣	Pass
3♦	Pass	3NT	All Pass

South would have done much better to lead a diamond, but he started with the unbid suit, putting the ♥4 on the track. Smith took the ♥J with his king and played a spade to the king (South pitched a low diamond) and North's ace.

North cashed the ♥Q and got out with a low club. Smith let that ride to dummy's singleton jack, and he followed with the ♠10. North won the ♠J and exited with the ♦Q to dummy's ace. Smith then played a diamond to his king, cashed the ♣A and got out of his hand with a club as North began to get a sinking feeling. He found himself on lead with the ♠8 6 4 3 and staring at dummy, which held the good ♦J and ♠Q 9 7. Plus 460 was good for 45 out of 51 matchpoints.

On the next deal, from the first final session, Smith took maximum advantage of some curious decisions by the defenders to rack up a huge score.

Dlr: South ♠ Q 10 4

Vul: N-S ♥ J 4 3 2

♦ J 6 5 3

♣ K 7

♠ A 9 6

♥ 9 7

♦ A K 10 7

♣ Q 9 8 6

♠ K J 8 7 5

♥ K Q 8 5

♦ Q 9

♣ 5 2

♠ 3 2

♥ A 10 6

♦ 8 4 2

♣ A J 10 4 3

West	North	East	South
<i>Schafer</i>		<i>Smith</i>	
1♦	Pass	1♠	Pass
1NT	Pass	2♣ (1)	Dbl
3♠	Pass	4♠	All Pass

(1) New minor forcing.

Schafer's 3♠ bid helped Smith make his decision to bid the game. South led a low heart, a decision the defense would come to regret. Smith took the ♥J with his queen and played four rounds of diamonds, discarding two clubs from his hand. Although North's ♦J was winning trick five, South ruffed and switched to the ♣J.

Smith ruffed and led a low heart to South's 10. Smith ruffed again when South continued clubs, and he followed with a heart ruff and another club ruff (North pitched his last heart). At trick 11, Smith ruffed his last heart with dummy's ♠A as North helplessly undertruffed. Smith then played dummy's last club and overtruffed with the ♠J when North put in the ♠10. Finally, at trick 13, a trump was led -- the ♠K. Plus 450 was good for 73.5 out of 77 matchpoints.

The second-place pair, Michael Schreiber of Los Angeles and Curtis Cheek of Huntsville AL, made a really strong run for the money and just missed. Going into the last session, they were deep in the pack -- 29th as a matter of fact. But they piled up a 67% game and finished only a third of a board behind the winners.

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## LIFE MASTER PAIRS

Score corrections caused many changes in the overall standings in the first 20 places. Here are the revised final standings for the top 20 pairs.

156 Pairs

150.00	1	Walter Schafer Jr, Bloomingdale IL; Ron Smith, Chattanooga TN	2525.23
112.50	2	Michael Schreiber, Los Angeles CA; Curtis Cheek, Huntsville AL	2498.95
84.38	3	George Steiner, Seattle WA; Gaylor Kasle, Boca Raton FL	2491.97
66.67	4	Drexell Smith, Willits CA; Karen Nelson, Sacramento CA	2424.23
60.00	5	Jason Hackett - Paul Hackett, Manchester, England	2423.63
54.55	6	Douglas Dang, San Mateo CA; Harvey Brody, San Francisco CA	2410.89
50.00	7	Howard Weinstein, Chicago IL; Ralph Katz, Burr Ridge IL	2409.96
46.15	8	Bruce Reeve, Raleigh NC; Raymond Raskin, Gulph Mills PA	2388.08
42.86	9	Chuck Burton, Ashland OR; Bob Bakalish, Eureka CA	2384.97
40.00	10	Michael Rosenberg - Debbie Zuckerberg, Tuckahoe NY	2368.78
37.50	11	Mitch Dunitz, Sherman Oaks CA; Mark Perlmutter, San Francisco CA	2367.42
35.29	12	Eric Rodwell, Naperville IL; Hank Meyer, APO AE	2346.62
33.33	13	Allan Siebert, Little Rock AR; Joseph Kivel, Corona DI Mar CA	2341.54
31.58	14	Alan Watson, Malvern PA; Robert Schwartz, Framingham MA	2328.93
30.00	15	Duncan Phillips - Joyce Phillips, Willowdale ON	2315.58
28.57	16	Richard Katz, Rancho Mirage CA; David Sacks, Los Angeles CA	2303.03
27.27	17	Todd Walker, Milpitas CA; John Hoffman, Los Gatos CA	2301.43
26.09	18	Steve Beatty, Destrehan LA; Adam Wildavsky, Jackson Heights NY	2297.24
25.00	19	Beth Palmer, Silver Spring MD; Steve Robinson, Arlington VA	2290.37
24.00	20	Perry Johnson, Farmington Hill MI; Jeff Meckstroth, Tampa FL	2287.78

## 1ST CONTINUOUS PAIRS STRATUM A

125 Pairs

10.90	1	Tony Miller, Ridgecrest CA; Jo Evans Miller, Tijeras NM	209.39
8.18	2	Thomas Dickson, Mk438sp; Ian Wilson, Irvine CA	209.25
6.13	3	Walter Goldsmith, Bloomfld Hls MI; Bert Newman, West Bloomfield MI	205.50
6.67	4	Frank Bruce, San Francisco CA; Martin Skrypzak, Honolulu HI	204.06
3.45	5	Roy Nakamura, San Jose CA; Mary Gerner, Macedon NY	203.63
5.00	6	David Baernkopf Jr, San Ramon CA; David Baernkopf, Menlo Park CA	202.46
3.75	7	Cordelia Menges, New York Cty NY; Jay Baudler, New York NY	199.95

## 1ST CONTINUOUS PAIRS STRATUM B

68 Pairs

6.67	1	Frank Bruce, San Francisco CA; Martin Skrypzak, Honolulu HI	204.06
5.00	2	David Baernkopf Jr, San Ramon CA; David Baernkopf, Menlo Park CA	202.46
3.75	3	Cordelia Menges, New York Cty NY; Jay Baudler, New York NY	199.95
2.81	4	Barry Martin - Connie Martin, Dallas TX	198.30
3.15	5	Isadore Sharp - Rosalie Sharp, Toronto ON	197.70
1.58	6	Robert Underwood - Elizabeth Underwood, Moraga CA	195.11

## SUNDAY AFTERNOON 50/100 SWISS TEAMS STRATUM A

20 Teams

3.50	1	Sara Foster - Linda Dansig - Charlotte Blank - Cyril Atherton, San Francisco CA	67.00
2.63	2	Sheila Schroth, El Sobrante CA; Mary Jo Aitkenhead, Pleasant Hill CA; Mary Mattingly - Eddi Van Auken, Danville CA	53.00
1.97	3	Tony Jackson - S.Dion Smith - Budd Howell - Andrew Straus, San Francisco CA	50.00
1.48	4	Tim Zuffi, Concord CA; Ken Goldman, Berkeley CA; Eric Taylor - Anne Childs, Oakland CA	49.00
0.97	5/6	Robert Jacobus - Amelia Jacobus, Guadalajara Jal IS; Aurelia Farkas, Palm Desert CA; Eva Nyiri, Indian Wells CA	48.00
1.01	5/6	Sondra De Roulet - Terry Grant - Carolee Charlton, San Francisco CA; Wendy Lalanne, San Rafael CA	48.00

## SUNDAY AFTERNOON 5/20 PAIRS STRATUM E

19 Pairs

1.26	1	Alice Wright - Tom Wright, San Francisco CA	128.50
0.95	2	Mark Pletcher, Sanfrancisco CA; Tracey Hessel, San Francisco CA	126.50
0.58	3/4	Mary Wills - Hayward Wills, Key Biscayne FL	121.50
0.67	3/4	Setsuko Langbecker, Portland OR; Loren Parks, Aloha OR	121.50
0.37	5	Jo Crane - Sumi Tanabe, San Francisco CA	117.50
0.28	6	Lois De Domenico, Piedmont CA; Betty Argabright, Orinda CA	115.00

## SUNDAY AFTERNOON 50/100/200 PAIRS STRATUM A

86 Pairs

5.95	1/2	Lynn Yokel, Campbell CA; Annette Powers, Los Gatos CA	166.50
5.95	1/2	Ole Jonny Toesse - Ann-mari Mirkovic, Norway	166.50
3.83	3	Steven Kipperman - Gary Near, San Francisco CA	163.00
2.87	4	E. Matt Olson - Ilan Tadmor, San Francisco CA	161.50
3.24	5	Paula Abend, Jamaica Palin MA; Rhoda Klayman, Chestnut Hill MA	159.50
2.43	6	Faith Franck, San Francisco CA; Gail Giffen, Lafayette CA	156.50

## SUNDAY AFTERNOON 50/100/200 PAIRS STRATUM B

53 Pairs

5.95	1	Ole Jonny Toesse - Ann-mari Mirkovic, Norway	166.50
3.24	2	Paula Abend, Jamaica Palin MA; Rhoda Klayman, Chestnut Hill MA	159.50
2.43	3	Faith Franck, San Francisco CA; Gail Giffen, Lafayette CA	156.50
1.82	4	Georgia Inglis - Doug Inglis, Los Altos CA	155.00
1.60	5/6	Jeannette Sims - William Sims, Sausalito CA	153.50
1.20	5/6	Margot Plant, Tiburon CA; Mildred Wisecarver, Greenbrae CA	153.50

## SUNDAY AFTERNOON 50/100/200 PAIRS STRATUM C

16 Pairs

5.95	1	Ole Jonny Toesse - Ann-mari Mirkovic, Norway	166.50
3.24	2	Paula Abend, Jamaica Palin MA; Rhoda Klayman, Chestnut Hill MA	159.50
2.43	3	Faith Franck, San Francisco CA; Gail Giffen, Lafayette CA	156.50
1.82	4	Georgia Inglis - Doug Inglis, Los Altos CA	155.00
1.60	5	Jeannette Sims - William Sims, Sausalito CA	153.50

**1ST SUNDAY FAST PAIRS STRATUM A**

188 Pairs			
28.89	1	Albert Barbanel, Riverhead NY; Stanford Christie, Seattle WA	352.95
21.67	2	Robert Stayman - Ettore Bianchi, New York NY	340.66
16.25	3	Jay Apfelbaum, Pittsburgh PA; Raymond Raskin, Gulph Mills PA	334.00
12.19	4	Bob Glasson, Pennington NJ; Robert Gookin, Falls Church VA	332.51
9.14	5	Frank Leonard, Tempe AZ; Paul Erb, Scottsdale AZ	330.00
6.86	6	Aram Bedros - Earle Ziskin, Santa Monica CA	326.45
5.14	7	Muriel Altus - Philip Altus, Tampa FL	325.50
4.38	8	Claire Tornay, New York NY; Paul Morris, Brooklyn NY	322.92
3.50	9	Ernest Napier, Brooklyn NY; Sharon Hammer, Costa Mesa CA	320.69
4.38	10	Brian Ellis, Clevlnd Hghts OH; Bruce Keidan, Pittsburgh PA	318.09

**1ST SUNDAY FAST PAIRS STRATUM B**

101 Pairs			
21.67	1	Robert Stayman - Ettore Bianchi, New York NY	340.66
12.21	2	Anne Casey, Newport Beach CA; C. Buddy Carls, Huntington Bch CA	310.53
9.16	3	Jie Chou, Lansing MI; Yiqun Jin, Fremont CA	305.00
6.87	4	Linda Caldwell, Shingle Springs CA; Janet Kordakis, Shingle Spgs CA	303.00
5.15	5	Pat Crane, Lafayette CA; Pam Oberholtz, Danville CA	296.50
5.46	6	Jason Smith, New York NY; Herbert K. Lee III, Pittsburgh PA	295.50
3.24	7	Edward Krug - John Becchetti, Oakland CA	292.00
4.10	8	Anthony Hurwitz, Los Angeles CA; Adam Barron, Beverly Hills CA	289.50

**1ST SUNDAY FAST PAIRS STRATUM C**

29 Pairs			
5.46	1	Jason Smith, New York NY; Herbert K. Lee III, Pittsburgh PA	295.50
4.10	2	Anthony Hurwitz, Los Angeles CA; Adam Barron, Beverly Hills CA	289.50
3.07	3	Mark Caudill - Susan Southworth, Piedmont CA	285.50
2.30	4	Richard Banks, Modesto CA; Joe Bradt, Riverbank CA	270.93
1.90	5	Alden Senior - Harriet Gilbert, Chicago IL	270.00
2.12	6	Paul London - Bohkee Yap, Lexington MA	268.27

**SENIORS FLIGHT A SWISS**

28 Teams			
22.47	1	Sharon David - Sydney Levey Jr, Valley Village CA; Marvin Shatz, Hilton Head Is SC; William Winokur, W Bloomfield MI; Gene Freed, Los Angeles CA	115.00
14.75	2/3	Betty Marggraf, San Rafael CA; Berthajane Vandegrift, Petaluma CA; Susan Cole - Treva Zarlengo, Novato CA	108.00
14.75	2/3	H Gilinson, Chelmsford MA; Haddy Harrington, Hendersonville NC; Evelyn Hazen, Orlando FL; Frederick C Liu, Winter Park FL	108.00
9.48	4	Charles Achilles, Petaluma CA; Zoe Hutchins, Santa Rosa CA; Earl Gurnack, Sonoma CA; Kenneth Lane, Chicago IL	106.00
7.11	5	Dee Horwitz - Donald Horwitz, Scottsdale AZ; Floyd Woldt, Destin FL; P Kenneth Zeising, Reno NV	103.00
4.67	6/7	Lionel Brouse, Toronto ON; Antonia Okany, Etobicoke ON; Dan McCaw, Thornhill ON; Agnes Gregson, Mississauga ON	97.00
4.67	6/7	Mary Beth Townsend, Baton Rouge LA; Molly Ewing, Lawton OK; Betty Wilks, Joplin MO; Betty Nail, Houston TX; Lois Zeisler, Fairfield CT; Norman Leslie, New Orleans LA	97.00
3.00	8	Berneice Anglea - Robert Engle - Ann Engle, Laguna Beach CA; Vivian Kilstrup, Marina Del Ray CA	96.00
2.50	9	Genevieve Hewitt - Richard Hewitt, New York NY; Ilse Rothman - Edward Rothman, North Dartmouth MA	94.00
2.25	10	Helen Cherry - Donald Cherry - Felicity Raisler - Ann McDonnell, Great Falls MT	92.00

**SENIORS FLIGHT B SWISS**

31 Teams			
10.39	1	Seawell Bowles, Hayward CA; Virginia Herring, Castro Valley CA; Robert Richert, San Francisco CA; Peggie Cunnagin, South Bend IN	7.00
6.00	2/4	Dan O'Neal, Saratoga CA; Alexander Bache, Usaf, Del Ray Oaks CA; George Stull, Las Vegas NV; Shirley Raymond, Fremont CA	6.00
6.00	2/4	William Murphy - Molly Murphy, San Juan Capist CA; Loli Henderson, Laguna Beach CA; Louise Perry, Dana Point CA	6.00
6.00	2/4	Sonja Harris - Sallie Smith, San Mateo CA; Joelle Benioff - Ramona Mercer, Burlingame CA	6.00
3.29	5	Akira Watanabe, San Rafael CA; Tom Shimizu, Walnut Creek CA; Miye Takeuchi - Janice Straus, El Cerrito CA	5.75
1.72	6/9	Aubrey Farb - Sylvia Farb, Houston TX; Lou Galamba Jr - Lou Galamba, Shawnee Mssn KS	5.25
1.72	6/9	Duncan Tonningsen, Mercer Island WA; Alan Lurie, Bellevue WA; Betty McCoy, Mercer Isl WA; Ralph Welch, Seattle WA	5.25
1.72	6/9	Stanley Weiner, Las Vegas NV; Sharon Bass - Ronald Lighterink, Penn Valley CA; Ellen Winters, Oakland CA	5.25
1.72	6/9	Stephen Waldman, Kentfield CA; Kirsten Wibroe, Sausalito CA; Sylvia Ross - Ralph Alexander, Tiburon CA	5.25

**1ST SUNDAY FLIGHT B SENIOR TEAMS CONSOLATION**

12 Teams			
2.79	1	H Mion - Grace Mion - Arlene Skain, Auburn CA; Lynne Fay, Newcastle CA	4.00
1.61	2/4	Carol Gable, San Mateo CA; Jack Martin, Oceanside CA; Ira Mansfield, Tiburon CA; A Ragnar Engebretsen, Belvedere CA	3.00
1.61	2/4	Patricia Coggins, Summerville SC; Jane Neidenthal, Charleston SC; Elizabeth Zimmer, Oxon Hill MD; Courtney Nelson, Wells VT	3.00
1.61	2/4	Ruth Nehmad - Sara Hidary, Brooklyn NY; Lilian Belokamen, Los Angeles CA; Chizuko Yang, Hacienda Hgts CA	3.00
0.68	5/7	Dora Myers - Mary Welch, El Paso TX; Henry Winterbauer, Evanston IL; Loreta Flynn, San Jose CA	2.00
0.68	5/7	Jerry Westby, Cold Spring MN; D Hellwig, St Cloud MN; Bob Harcourt, Santa Fe NM; Henrietta Weiss, El Paso TX	2.00
0.68	5/7	Phyllis Cohen, Durham NC; Mary Huxford, New York NY; Donald Dawson - Betty Belle Dawson, Houston TX	2.00

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*Michael Schreiber, left, and Curtis Cheek came on strong to finish second in the LM Open Pairs.*

Here are a couple of deals played by Schafer.

Dlr: East	♠ 10 9		
Vul: None	♥ K J 9 6 5 2		
	♦ 3		
	♣ A J 7 5		
	♠ J 7 3 2		♠ K 6 5
	♥ 4		♥ Q 10 7 3
	♦ J 9 6 2		♦ Q 8 7 5
	♣ 9 6 4 2		♣ Q 10
		♠ A Q 8 4	
		♥ A 8	
		♦ A K 10 4	
		♣ K 8 3	

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

(1) Transfer.

West led the ♦2 to the 3, queen and ace. Schafer cashed the ♥A and played a heart from his hand. West, intent on holding all his clubs, discarded a diamond and dummy's ♥K won. Next came a low heart to East's 10 as Schafer pitched the ♣3 and West threw another diamond.

When East cashed the ♥Q, Schafer threw a low spade, as did West. East got out with a spade and Schafer rejected the finesse, playing the ace. Next he cashed the ♦K and pitched dummy's other spade. On that trick, West's ♦J fell, making Schafer's ♦10 good, so he cashed that trick, discarding the ♣5 from dummy.

Now Schafer ruffed a spade in dummy and played the 13th heart. East, down to the ♦8, ♠K and the ♣Q 10, could not stand the pressure. A spade discard would make Schafer's queen good and a club pitch would make the play of that suit by Schafer too easy. So East discarded the ♦8, making Schafer's ♦4 good for trick No. 11. Plus 450 was worth 74.5 out of 77 matchpoints.

On this deal, from the 10th round, Schafer could have made 12 tricks, but he handled it well enough to earn a good score and maintain his and Smith's huge lead, which stood at 169 matchpoints after 11 rounds.

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

West	North	East	South
	Smith		Schafer
Pass	1♦	Dbl	Redbl
1♠	2♣	Pass	3NT
All Pass			

West led a low spade to East's ace, and East switched to the ♥3. Schafer went up with the ace, regretting his play when West showed out. Had he replayed the ♥6 from hand, he could have overtaken with dummy's 7 and played another heart through East, enabling him to pick up the entire suit and finish with 12 tricks.

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As it was, however, Schafer played the ♥10 from hand to set up a third-round finesse in the suit. East made the good play of ducking the ♥10, however, preventing Schafer from setting up the heart suit and getting back to his hand to cash it.

Schafer had a counter for his overtrick. He cashed dummy's three top diamonds, returned to his hand with the ♥K, cashed his spades and put East in with a heart, forcing East -- down to nothing but clubs -- to surrender another trick to dummy's ♠K. Plus 630 was worth 44.5 matchpoints. □

## Le Bridgeur award for best play of year

**Player:** Wubbo de Boer, the Netherlands.

**Author:** Eric Kokish (Canada).

**Occasion:** The Generali World Individual, Paris, May 1996.

*Le Bridgeur*, the premier French bridge publication, each year gives an award to the player who is chosen by the International Bridge Press Association as having given a hand the best play of the year. The author, in this case Eric Kokish of Canada, also receives an award. This is the hand that won the prize this year:

Dealer: South ♠ 7 2

Vul: Both ♥ J 5 3

♦ A J 5 4

♣ 9 8 7 6

♠ Q J 10 5 4 3

♥ K 10 9 8 4 2

♦ 3

♣ ---

♠ K 6

♥ Q 6

♦ K Q 10 7 6 2

♣ Q 10 5

♠ A 9 8

♥ A 7

♦ 9 8

♣ A K J 4 3 2

West North East South  
*de Boer Chemla Kokish Nartis*

2♠ Dbl Pass 3NT  
4♥ Pass 4♠ All Pass

Wubbo de Boer ruffed the opening club lead. If declarer follows with a heart to the queen, the contract fails because the defense can win and clear trumps, and declarer must lose a second heart trick. So Wubbo guessed correctly to run the ♥10 round to East's ace.

Back came a second club, which he ruffed. Now the problem for declarer is that if he plays on trumps the defense can duck the first round. When they win the second trump and play a third club the hearts are blocked. Declarer has to ruff to get back to hand and runs out of trumps.

However, if he unblocks the hearts at once before playing the ♠K, South wins his ♠A and leads a diamond to his partner. South then gets a heart ruff.

De Boer found an ingenious if quixotic solution to his problem. Having gone to the trouble of finessing the ♥10 at trick two, he now led the ♥K from his hand, crashing the queen, then ruffed a heart with dummy's ♠K! Then he simply played on trumps, having retained control of the hand, and could not be prevented from making 10 tricks.

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## 1ST SUNDAY FLIGHT A SENIOR TEAMS CONSOLATION

16 Teams			
3.15	1	Richard Wilson - Susan Wilson, Petaluma CA; Peggy Leiser - Patricia Frenaye, Santa Rosa CA	61.00
2.36	2	Barbara Shields, Los Angeles CA; Mary Hardy, Las Vegas NV; Val Armentrout - Lorraine Vonk, Green Valley AZ	54.00
1.77	3	Nancy McCarthy, Martinez CA; Linda Bandler, Danville CA; Larry Lemmon, Salt Lake Cty UT; Albert Burgess, West Jordan UT	52.00
1.33	4	Kenneth Lindsay, Laie HI; Gertrude Monkton, Kailua HI; Leti Quintal, Ewa Beach HI; Lila Keiter, Kailua Oahu HI	50.00
1.16	5/6	Mic Weiss, Chesterfield MO; Ed Weiss, St Louis MO; Joan Brown, Capitola CA; Ann Ottenberg, Soquel CA	47.00
1.16	5/6	Nancy Sommerville, Grass Valley CA; Barbee Bellows, Nevada City CA; Dolores Harik - Chrystal Newell, Fremont CA	47.00

## FRIDAY-SUNDAY CONTINUOUS PAIRS

500 Players			
19.73	1/2	Lew Walter, Carmel NY	128.44
19.73	1/2	Richard Barber, Oakland CA	128.44
13.99	3	Howard Piltch, Andover MA	125.64
8.33	4/5	Miriam Bruner, Santa Rosa CA	122.90
8.33	4/5	Joyce Porro, Santa Rosa CA	122.90
11.60	6/7	Ernestine Murphrey, Altamonte Spg FL	122.75
11.60	6/7	Vera Jaffe, Beverly Hills CA	122.75
12.06	8	Curtis Hastings, Pasadena CA	121.95
5.90	9/10	Robert Underwood, Moraga CA	121.44
5.90	9/10	Elizabeth Samrick, Moraga CA	121.44

## FLIGHT B SWISS TEAMS

51 Teams			
21.95	1	Carol Lash, Somerville NJ; Beckie Stasi, Overland Park KS; Mark Coulter, Lees Summit MO; John Turner, Kansas City MO	7.75
16.46	2	Ellen Weingart - Nancy Herzog, Kentfield CA; Carolyn Hunter, Corte Madera CA; Marion Robertson, San Francisco CA	6.75
12.35	3	Claudia Elmes, Santa Barbara CA; Michael Tipton, Boerne TX; Gregory Eyerly, Aurora CO; Kate Wilmore - Lucille Gasperini, Santa Rosa CA	6.25
6.33	4/7	Gerald Collier, Westlake Village CA; Jan Janssen, Las Vegas NV; Ronald Jauch, Agoura Hills CA; Lawrence Diamond, Barbican London E	6.00
6.33	4/7	Larry Eisenhart - Laura Eisenhart, Redwood City CA; Donald Stone - Elise Stone, San Mateo CA	6.00
6.33	4/7	Richard Coyle - M Carol Coyle, Anchorage AK; Marion Kelly, Piedmont CA; Martin Holtz, Oakland CA	6.00
6.33	4/7	Daisy Ching - Pearl Ma - Elsy Kwok, Honolulu HI; Ming Lee, Oak Brook IL	6.00
2.69	8/9	Jean McCullough, Scottsdale AZ; Thomas Ohlgart, Brookfield WI; Rita Doyle, Phoenix AZ; Nancy Munson, San Diego CA	5.75
2.69	8/9	Michael Young - Andre Chartrand, Chateauguay PQ; Christine Renner, Ashland OH; Jerome Hurley, Mansfield OH	5.75
2.10	10/11	Paul Soper, Champaign IL; James Hodge, Pittsburgh PA; Pete Edwards, Salt Lake City UT; Bonnie Edwards, Salt Lake City UT	5.50
2.10	10/11	Louise Roman - V Wheeler - Stan Medders - Doris Anncoston, Pacifica CA	5.50

## FLIGHT B SWISS CONSOLATION

24 Teams			
5.95	1	Blair Hoffman, Moraga CA; Carol Sanna, Danville CA; Martin Kaye, San Francisco CA; Cecelia Zachar, Berkeley CA	4.00
4.46	2	David Rhea, Overland Park KS; Carol Rynders, Minneapolis MN; Donn Lentz, Thunder Bay ON; Jill Flader, Saint Paul MN	3.50
2.04	3/7	Myron Ringstad Jr - Julio Ercolini, Petaluma CA; Jonathan Cohen, Rohnert Park CA; Ottavio Ercolini, San Carlos CA	3.00
2.04	3/7	Brenda Fortunate, Grand Blanc MI; Evelyn Thomas, Sacramento CA; John Rothschild, Mililani HI; Gloria Krusemeyer, Northfield MN	3.00
2.04	3/7	Paula Strand - Kerry Strand, Everett WA; Edith Alpers - Joseph Alpers, Natick MA	3.00
2.04	3/7	Terri Kiyota - Verlan Gabrielson, Pleasanton CA; Machiko Sumi, Yokohama, Japan; Sachiko Ito, Kawasaki, Japan	3.00
2.04	3/7	Lise Cote, Palos Vrd Est CA; Grace Conde, Redondo Bch CA; Lu Anne Leonard, Rancho Mirage CA; Lee Millard, Los Angeles CA	3.00

## FRIDAY-SATURDAY-SUNDAY CONTINUOUS PAIRS STRATUMA

182 Pairs			
12.35	1	Alvin Pecarsky - Nancy Pecarsky, Newtown PA	204.00
9.26	2	Glenna Shannahan, Madison WI; Nancy Grimes, Cleveland WI	203.00
6.95	3	Joan Ivey - Ernie Ivey, Santa Maria CA	199.46
5.21	4	Robert Jones, San Francisco CA; Henry Caspar, Mississauga ON	199.21
3.91	5	Ted Sachsman, Corte Madera CA; Frederick Rappleyea, Houston TX	198.84
2.93	6	Mike Albert - Albert Feldman, Omaha NE	197.42
2.92	7	Richard Barber, Oakland CA; Lew Walter, Carmel NY	196.25
2.12	8	N Hunt Dallas, Highlands Ranch CO; Richard Dallas, N Hollywood CA	195.50
2.92	9	Henny Dorsman, Staunton VA; Walter Dedio, Morden MB	194.46
2.04	10	Beverly Perry, New York City NY; Kent Mignocchi, Los Angeles CA	192.04

## FRIDAY-SATURDAY-SUNDAY CONTINUOUS PAIRS STRATUMB

82 Pairs			
7.89	1	James Sullivan - Carolyn Sullivan, Richfield OH	187.00
5.92	2	Stephen Johnson, Minneapolis MN; Reiko Raese, Boulder CO	184.25
4.44	3	Ben Rushin, Oakland CA; John Petric, San Francisco CA	183.13
3.33	4	Morris Grodsky, St Simons Island GA; James Walker, Memphis TN	182.75
1.92	5/7	Larry Wyner - Linda Hidy, Clayton CA	182.00
1.92	5/7	Dorothy La Maie, Los Angeles CA; Mark Wayne, San Diego CA	182.00
1.92	5/7	Teegie Hamilton, Baton Rouge LA; Daniel Rhodes, Novato CA	182.00



## SUNDAY AM STRAT 99ER PAIRS

NORTH-SOUTH		SECTION II		EAST-WEST	
STRATUM A					
1	Johnny Veloso, Hercules CA; Darlinda Cappucini, Benicia CA	50.00	1	Anatole Lubovich, Redwood City CA; Jeff Knobel, Chicago IL	52.63
2	Becky Holbrook - Barbara Gifford, Sausalito CA	45.16	2	Joe Clark - Ian Friedland, Dallas TX	42.13
3	Terry Grant - Sondra De Roulet, San Francisco CA	42.50	3	David Cappucini, Benicia CA; Luisa Veloso, Hercules CA	39.88
STRATUM B					
1	Terry Grant - Sondra De Roulet, San Francisco CA	42.50	1	Joe Clark - Ian Friedland, Dallas TX	42.13
2	Patricia Shannon, Cincinnati OH; Shirley Oder, Fort Thomas KY	37.40			
STRATUM C					
1	Terry Grant - Sondra De Roulet, San Francisco CA	42.50	1	Joe Clark - Ian Friedland, Dallas TX	42.13

## DALLAS MORNING CONTINUOUS PAIRS

NORTH-SOUTH		SECTION LL		EAST-WEST	
STRATUM A					
1	Marjorie Michelin, Venice CA; Ellen Anten, Encino CA	168.00	1	Janis Zelzer - Katherine Bauer, Dallas TX	158.50
2/3	Joseph Wright, Louisville KY; Adrian Kimberlin, Prospect KY	145.50	2	Werner Hausmann - Helen Hausmann, Englewood NJ	152.50
2/3	John Peter Lagodimos - D. Lionel O'Young, Redwood City CA	145.50	3	John Freed - Steven Greenstein, New York NY	152.00
4	Diana Tenery, Fairfax VA; Roman Shapiro, Fair Lawn NJ	143.50	4	Richard Leres - Margaret Norris, Oakland CA	150.50
5	Esther Rosenholtz, Willowdale ON; Joe Varnell, Toronto ON	143.00	5	Francois Gagne, Ile Des Soeurs PQ; Fred Hoffer, Montreal PQ	136.50
STRATUM B					
1	Joseph Wright, Louisville KY; Adrian Kimberlin, Prospect KY	145.50	1	John Freed - Steven Greenstein, New York NY	152.00
2	Diana Tenery, Fairfax VA; Roman Shapiro, Fair Lawn NJ	143.50	2	Richard Leres - Margaret Norris, Oakland CA	150.50

## 1ST CONTINUOUS PAIRS SUNDAY AFTERNOON

NORTH-SOUTH		SECTION MM		EAST-WEST	
STRATUM A					
1	A Harrison, New York NY; Bob Yellis, Great Neck NY	196.14	1	Cordelia Menges, New York City NY; Jay Baudler, New York NY	199.95
2	Virginia Calhoun - Margaret Wahlborg, Aptos CA	185.32	2	Jim Cleary, Bloomfield CT; Tom Joyce, Newington CT	194.07
3	Ronald Klein, Redwood City CA; Andrew Binstock, Belmont CA	182.64	3	E Lawrence Koltun - Peter Colagrosso, San Francisco CA	190.17
4	Richard Archambault - Toni Archambault, Scotch Plains NJ	176.50	4	Carlos D'Assumpcao, San Francisco CA; Walter Dedio, Morden MB	185.67
5	Edith Neff, Kailua HI; Mildred Werbel, Honolulu HI	173.82	5	John Tillotson, Rancho Palos Vr CA; Janice Tillotson, Rancho Palos Vr CA	182.29
6	Mildred Kempton, S San Fran CA; Annette Mierbach, San Francisco CA	169.75	6	Fritzie Wolf, San Fran CA; Hansi Torczyner, Burlingame CA	181.73
STRATUM B					
1	Virginia Calhoun - Margaret Wahlborg, Aptos CA	185.32	1	Cordelia Menges, New York City NY; Jay Baudler, New York NY	199.95
2	Ronald Klein, Redwood City CA; Andrew Binstock, Belmont CA	182.64	2	John Tillotson, Rancho Palos Vr CA; Janice Tillotson, Rancho Palos Vr CA	182.29
3	Richard Archambault - Toni Archambault, Scotch Plains NJ	176.50	3	Margaret Nielson, Oakland CA; Doris Leckie, Pte Claire PQ	168.37
			4	Helen Meshel - Leon Meshel, Boca Raton FL	141.23

NORTH-SOUTH		SECTION NN		EAST-WEST	
STRATUM A					
1	Roy Nakamura, San Jose CA; Mary Gerner, Macedon NY	203.63	1	Frank Bruce, San Francisco CA; Martin Skrypzak, Honolulu HI	204.06
2	David Baerncof Jr, San Ramon CA; David Baerncof, Menlo Park CA	202.46	2	Stanley Roth, New York NY; Alvin Galland, Hastings NY	197.31
3	Miriam Bruner - Joyce Porro, Santa Rosa CA	191.55	3	Phyllis Mackenzie, Mercer Island WA; Julie Rinehart, El Reno OK	196.27
4	Margo Coffman, Newport Beach CA; Mary Coffman, Atherton CA	186.19	4	Evelyn Sherman, San Diego CA; Henny Dorsman, Staunton VA	190.04
5	Mick Cheesbrough - Lynn Cheesbrough, Laramie WY	181.04	5	Susan Wiebe, Oakland CA; Otto Edor, Castro Valley CA	183.81
6	Albert Evans - Judee Browning, Vacaville CA	178.33	6	En Hay - Steve Hay, Littleton CO	177.58
7	Frank Hechinger - Bea Hechinger, Flushing NY	172.38	7	Lorelee Durkee, San Francisco CA; Janet Matson, Incline Vlg NV	172.38
8	Jo Ann Arenson - Jeffrey Arenson, St Paul MN	168.14	8	Rachel Shoup, El Cerrito CA; Rachel Weinberger, Oakland CA	163.56
STRATUM B					
1	David Baerncof Jr, San Ramon CA; David Baerncof, Menlo Park CA	202.46	1	Frank Bruce, San Francisco CA; Martin Skrypzak, Honolulu HI	204.06
2	Mick Cheesbrough - Lynn Cheesbrough, Laramie WY	181.04	2	Lorelee Durkee, San Francisco CA; Janet Matson, Incline Vlg NV	172.38
3	Frank Hechinger - Bea Hechinger, Flushing NY	172.38	3	Rachel Shoup, El Cerrito CA; Rachel Weinberger, Oakland CA	163.56
4	Jo Ann Arenson - Jeffrey Arenson, St Paul MN	168.14			

NORTH-SOUTH		SECTION Q		EAST-WEST	
STRATUM A					
1	Isadore Sharp - Rosalie Sharp, Toronto ON	197.70	1	Tony Miller, Ridgecrest CA; Jo Evans Miller, Tijeras NM	209.39
2	Brij Mohan Banda, Fremont CA; Robert Murr, Lafayette CA	196.66	2	Barry Martin - Connie Martin, Dallas TX	198.30
3	Robert Underwood - Elizabeth Underwood, Moraga CA	195.11	3	Bruce Maclin - Robert Giragosian, Bakersfield CA	186.54
4	Beverly Perry, New York City NY; Kent Mignocchi, Bronx NY	191.81	4	Steven Kaessner, Yuba City CA; Linda Johnston, Grass Valley CA	182.03
5	Paul Klaverkamp, Lake Shore MN; Lloyd Graven, Minneapolis MN	183.42	5	Jack Greenberg - Andrea Hayman, New York NY	180.05
6	M Metz, Wilmette IL; Harriette Buckman, Lincolnwood IL	183.29	6	Lew Walter, Carmel NY; Richard Barber, Oakland CA	175.12
7	Kathy Sandiforth, Grass Valley CA; Beverly Gunderson, Yuba City CA	169.14	7	Robert Wolf, Fairfield CT; Edith James, Danbury CT	167.85
STRATUM B					
1	Isadore Sharp - Rosalie Sharp, Toronto ON	197.70	1	Barry Martin - Connie Martin, Dallas TX	198.30
2	Robert Underwood - Elizabeth Underwood, Moraga CA	195.11	2	Steven Kaessner, Yuba City CA; Linda Johnston, Grass Valley CA	182.03
3	Paul Klaverkamp, Lake Shore MN; Lloyd Graven, Minneapolis MN	183.42	3	Lew Walter, Carmel NY; Richard Barber, Oakland CA	175.12
4	Kathy Sandiforth, Grass Valley CA; Beverly Gunderson, Yuba City CA	169.14	4	Robert Wolf, Fairfield CT; Edith James, Danbury CT	167.85

NORTH-SOUTH		SECTION Z		EAST-WEST	
STRATUM A					
1	Sue Moss, Bloomfield Hill MI; Lee Emmer, Manalapan NJ	191.25	1	Thomas Dickson, Mk438sp ; Ian Wilson, Irvine CA	209.25
2/3	Belle Bestor - S Bestor, Corona Di Mar CA	181.50	2	Walter Goldsmith, Bloomfld Hls MI; Bert Newman, West Bloomfield MI	205.50
2/3	John Hartigan - Pamela Hartigan, Hamden CT	181.50	3	Kato Reis - Robert Reis, Menlo Park CA	189.75
4/5	Karen Young - Kathryn Bowman, Crawfordsville IN	174.00	4	John Boyce - J Darlyne Boyce, Blue Springs MO	189.00
4/5	Richard Mitchell - Muriel Mitchell, San Diego CA	174.00			
STRATUM B					
1/2	Belle Bestor - S Bestor, Corona Di Mar CA	181.50	1	Kato Reis - Robert Reis, Menlo Park CA	189.75
1/2	John Hartigan - Pamela Hartigan, Hamden CT	181.50	2	Arline Fulton, Freehold NJ; D Charles,	153.00
3	Karen Young - Kathryn Bowman, Crawfordsville IN	174.00			

## 1ST STRAT FAST OPEN PAIRS FIRST SESSION

NORTH-SOUTH		SECTION II		EAST-WEST	
STRATUM A					
1	Richard Miller, Raleigh NC; Alice Tobin, Charlotte NC	161.50	1	Jay Apfelbaum, Pittsburgh PA; Raymond Raskin, Gulph Mills PA	172.00
2	Carolyn Walsh, Orlando FL; Barry Le Bental, St Petersburg FL	158.50	2	Garey Hayden, Tucson AZ; Jan Assini, Chagrin Falls OH	153.00
3	Michael Carmen, St Louis MO; Kathleen Safranski, Chesterfield MO	157.00	3	Dave Fred - Patty Fred, Granger IN	152.50
4	Allan Siebert, Little Rock AR; Frank King Jr, Alexandria VA	150.50	4	Jim Cheney, Hilo HI; Barbara Speese, Las Vegas NV	149.50
5	Ruth Ann Alpert, Ftn Valley CA; Colleen Cody, Fountain Vly CA	149.50	5	M Lee Pyron - Ronald Magin, Byron CA	145.50
6	Pat Chisholm, Lakewood OH; Roger Tiktin, Cleveland OH	146.00	6	James Michaelis, Paramus NJ; George Stack, Oradell NJ	145.00
7	Tomas Hankins, Clovis CA; Linda Wong, Poughkeepsie NY	137.00	7	Lary Alba, Upland CA; Scott Samarel, Covina CA	134.50
STRATUM B					
1	Tomas Hankins, Clovis CA; Linda Wong, Poughkeepsie NY	137.00	1	M Lee Pyron - Ronald Magin, Byron CA	145.50
2	Emile Heredia - Nicholas Melillo, New York NY	126.00	2	James Michaelis, Paramus NJ; George Stack, Oradell NJ	145.00
3	Harrison Roth, New York NY; Irwin Friedman, Kew Gardens NY	125.00	3	Veronica Salvesen, Santa Monica CA; Robin Thayer, Marina Del Rey CA	130.00
4	Harriet Kremen, Lincolnwood IL; Marti Liftin, San Francisco CA	120.00			
STRATUM C					
1	Joe Clark - Ian Friedland, Dallas TX	116.00	1	James Michaelis, Paramus NJ; George Stack, Oradell NJ	145.00

NORTH-SOUTH		SECTION JJ		EAST-WEST	
STRATUM A					
1	Albert Barbanel, Riverhead NY; Stanford Christie, Seattle WA	180.50	1	Frank Leonard, Tempe AZ; Paul Erb, Scottsdale AZ	159.50
2	Jason Smith, New York NY; Herbert K. Lee III, Pittsburgh PA	164.50	2	Muriel Altus - Philip Altus, Tampa FL	157.50
3	Alan Powell, North Caldwell NJ; Roman Shapiro, Fair Lawn NJ	159.50	3	Edward Krug - John Becchetti, Oakland CA	149.50
4	Mike Albert - Albert Feldman, Omaha NE	140.00	4	Robert Minow - Nanette Minow, Anaheim CA	147.50
5	Michael Descilo, San Francisco CA; Shirley Frisby, S San Fran CA	139.50	5	John Morman, Fair Oaks CA; Wayne Sourwine, Reno NV	147.00
6	James Loweree - Barbara Loweree, Danville CA	137.50	6	O Joe Walden, Morgan Hill CA; Don Pratt, Brandon MB	139.50
STRATUM B					
1	Jason Smith, New York NY; Herbert K. Lee III, Pittsburgh PA	164.50	1	Edward Krug - John Becchetti, Oakland CA	149.50
2	Alan Powell, North Caldwell NJ; Roman Shapiro, Fair Lawn NJ	159.50	2	Robert Minow - Nanette Minow, Anaheim CA	147.50
3	James Loweree - Barbara Loweree, Danville CA	137.50	3	Vahak Aghazarian, El Cerrito CA; Rhoda Plymack, Richmond CA	137.00
4	Robert Martin, Clayton CA; Lorin Waxman, Walnut Creek CA	127.00			
STRATUM C					
1	Jason Smith, New York NY; Herbert K. Lee III, Pittsburgh PA	164.50	1	Irving Blasenheim - Stella Blasenheim, Valley Cottage NY	111.50



- 2 Susanne Kennedy - Mae Gotanda, Novato CA
- 3 John Raymond - Fern Raymond, Seattle WA
- 4 John De Soto, Walnut Creek CA; Carolyn Sanders, Albany CA
- 5 Linda Thompson - Robert Linton, Marietta GA
- 6 Lorna Cheng - Vincent Cheng, Visalia CA

**STRATUM B**

- 1 Susanne Kennedy - Mae Gotanda, Novato CA
- 2 John Raymond - Fern Raymond, Seattle WA
- 3 John De Soto, Walnut Creek CA; Carolyn Sanders, Albany CA
- 4 Olivia McMillan, Albuquerque NM; Diane Van Brocklin, Ashland OR

**STRATUM C**

- 1 J Ney, Lafayette CA; Colette Johson, Moraga CA

- 143.00 Faith Franck, San Francisco CA; Gail Giffen, Lafayette CA
- 142.50 Edwin Davis, Walnut Creek CA; Marilyn Davis, Walnut Creek CA
- 141.50 Michael Nolan - Marilyn Nolan, Troy MI
- 141.00 Barbara Ranville, North York ON; Thomas Douglas, Rochester NY
- 140.00 Dmitriy Kustov, San Francisco CA; Jean Hue, Dublin CA

- 143.00 Paula Abend, Jamaica Palin MA; Rhoda Klayman, Chestnut Hill MA
- 142.50 Faith Franck, San Francisco CA; Gail Giffen, Lafayette CA
- 141.50 Edwin Davis, Walnut Creek CA; Marilyn Davis, Walnut Creek CA
- 133.00 Barbara Ranville, North York ON; Thomas Douglas, Rochester NY
- 5 Dmitriy Kustov, San Francisco CA; Jean Hue, Dublin CA

- 125.00 Paula Abend, Jamaica Palin MA; Rhoda Klayman, Chestnut Hill MA
- 2 Faith Franck, San Francisco CA; Gail Giffen, Lafayette CA

**1ST SUNDAY FAST PAIRS SECOND SESSION**

**NORTH-SOUTH**

**STRATUM A**

- 1 Frank Leonard, Tempe AZ; Paul Erb, Scottsdale AZ
- 2 Muriel Altus - Philip Altus, Tampa FL
- 3 Jerry Drennan - Terry Drennan, Redding CA
- 4 Carl Schulze, St Charles MO; Theresa Feng, Creve Coeur MO
- 5 Edward Krug - John Becchetti, Oakland CA
- 6 O Joe Walden, Morgan Hill CA; Don Pratt, Brandon MB

**STRATUM B**

- 1 Edward Krug - John Becchetti, Oakland CA
- 2 Vahak Aghazarian, El Cerrito CA; Rhoda Plymack, Richmond CA
- 3 Carole Berry - Erin Berry, Dieppe NB
- 4 Dorothy Leong - Ruth Mark, San Francisco CA

**STRATUM C**

- 1 Dorothy Leong - Ruth Mark, San Francisco CA

**NORTH-SOUTH**

**STRATUM A**

- 1 Jay Apfelbaum, Pittsburgh PA; Raymond Raskin, Gulph Mills PA
- 2 Judy Tucker, New York NY; Aileen Osofsky, Scottsdale AZ
- 3 Christine Urbaneck, Tonawanda NY; Deborah Drury, Williamsville NY
- 4 Garey Hayden, Tucson AZ; Jan Assini, Chagrin Falls OH
- 5 Lary Alba, Upland CA; Scott Samarel, Covina CA
- 6 Jim Cheney, Hilo HI; Barbara Speese, Las Vegas NV

**STRATUM B**

- 1 Marwin Brubaker - Virginia Ayres, Sacramento CA
- 2 Harriet Kremen, Lincolnwood IL; Marti Lifitin, San Francisco CA
- 3 Mary Ross, Roseville CA; Thomas Jonker, Citrus Heights CA

**STRATUM C**

- 1 Mary Ross, Roseville CA; Thomas Jonker, Citrus Heights CA

**NORTH-SOUTH**

**STRATUM A**

- 1 Bertram Booth, Downsview ON; Marie Pittard, Toronto ON
- 2 Bob Glasson, Pennington NJ; Robert Gookin, Falls Church VA
- 3 Alex Balandin - Matthew Connor, New York NY
- 4 Dorothy Downey, Jeff City TN; Jean Miller, Morristown TN
- 5 Gerald Fox - Barbara Fox, Napa CA
- 6 Don Schrump - Betty Albright, Oakland CA

**STRATUM B**

- 1 Alex Balandin - Matthew Connor, New York NY
- 2 Robert McHugh, San Francisco CA; Doris Stott, Redwood City CA
- 3 Corazon Dulay, Sacramento CA; Nola Simon, Irvine CA

**STRATUM C**

- 1 Robert McHugh, San Francisco CA; Doris Stott, Redwood City CA

**NORTH-SOUTH**

**STRATUM A**

- 1 Jayne Larson - Ira White, Ames IA
- 2 Janet Williams, So San Fran CA; Sandra Edmonson, Pacifica CA
- 3 William Kulbersh, Dunwoody GA; Carol Mathews, Atlanta GA
- 4 Alden Senior - Harriet Gilbert, Chicago IL
- 5 Bob Bratcher, Vista CA; Kathy Koolmar, San Jose CA
- 6 Beulah Krogstad, El Toro CA; Mary Singer, Huntingtn Bch CA

**STRATUM B**

- 1 Janet Williams, So San Fran CA; Sandra Edmonson, Pacifica CA
- 2 Alden Senior - Harriet Gilbert, Chicago IL
- 3 Beulah Krogstad, El Toro CA; Mary Singer, Huntingtn Bch CA

**STRATUM C**

- 1 Alden Senior - Harriet Gilbert, Chicago IL

**NORTH-SOUTH**

**STRATUM A**

- 1 Anthony Hurwitz, Los Angeles CA; Adam Barron, Beverly Hills CA
- 2 Joan Riskas, Foster City CA; Donna Halvorson, Dunseith ND
- 3 Mark Caudill - Susan Southworth, Piedmont CA
- 4 James Steele, Los Alamos NM; Karen Renne, Denver CO
- 5 John Oswald, San Jose CA; Bill Drewett, Chicago IL
- 6 Alice Mitchell, Laguna Beach CA; Laverne Fabrick, Monarch Beach CA

**STRATUM B**

- 1 Anthony Hurwitz, Los Angeles CA; Adam Barron, Beverly Hills CA
- 2 Mark Caudill - Susan Southworth, Piedmont CA
- 3 James Steele, Los Alamos NM; Karen Renne, Denver CO
- 4 Eugene Hung, San Diego CA; Jeffrey Tang, Santa Clara CA

**STRATUM C**

- 1 Anthony Hurwitz, Los Angeles CA; Adam Barron, Beverly Hills CA
- 2 Mark Caudill - Susan Southworth, Piedmont CA

**NORTH-SOUTH**

**STRATUM A**

- 1 Robert Stayman - Ettore Bianchi, New York NY
- 2 Barbara Seagram, Toronto ON; Anne Marie Crabbe, London ON
- 3 Brian Ellis, Clevind Hghts OH; Bruce Keidan, Pittsburgh PA
- 4 Pauline Neukirchner, Cupertino CA; Barbara Johnson, Foster City CA
- 5 Kenneth Van Cleve, Grand Rapids MI; Brad Holtsberry, Farmington MI
- 6 Steve Mansfield, Seattle WA; Sharon Miller, Issaquah WA

**STRATUM B**

- 1 Robert Stayman - Ettore Bianchi, New York NY
- 2 Pauline Neukirchner, Cupertino CA; Barbara Johnson, Foster City CA
- 3 David Traub - Carol Traub, Baltimore MD

**STRATUM C**

**SECTION II**

**EAST-WEST**

- 170.50 Lowell Sawyer, Occoquan VA; Carl Sharp, Chicago IL
- 168.00 Allan Siebert, Little Rock AR; Frank King Jr, Alexandria VA
- 157.50 Carolyn Walsh, Orlando FL; Barry Le Bental, St Petersburg FL
- 145.50 John Turmala, Oceanside CA; Ruth Beam, Solana Beach CA
- 142.50 Michael Carmen, St Louis MO; Kathleen Safranski, Chesterfield MO
- 141.50 Edison Bruha - Betty Jean Bruha, San Diego CA

- 142.50 John Turmala, Oceanside CA; Ruth Beam, Solana Beach CA
- 131.00 Edison Bruha - Betty Jean Bruha, San Diego CA
- 122.50 Emile Heredia - Nicholas Melillo, New York NY
- 122.00 Joe Clark - Ian Friedland, Dallas TX

**SECTION JJ**

**EAST-WEST**

- 122.00 Joe Clark - Ian Friedland, Dallas TX

- 162.00 Albert Barbanel, Riverhead NY; Stanford Christie, Seattle WA
- 157.60 Paul London - Bohkee Yap, Lexington MA
- 154.86 Robert Morris, Houston TX; Bob Etter, Sacramento CA
- 150.23 Mira Michaud - Robert Michaud, St David ME
- 144.64 Robert Martin, Clayton CA; Lorin Waxman, Walnut Creek CA
- 143.95 James Sanborn, Pleasant Hill CA; Bill Legler, Orinda CA

- 134.45 Paul London - Bohkee Yap, Lexington MA
- 126.50 Mira Michaud - Robert Michaud, St David ME
- 121.95 Robert Martin, Clayton CA; Lorin Waxman, Walnut Creek CA
- 4 James Sanborn, Pleasant Hill CA; Bill Legler, Orinda CA

**SECTION KK**

**EAST-WEST**

- 121.95 Paul London - Bohkee Yap, Lexington MA

- 156.59 Aram Bedros - Earle Ziskin, Santa Monica CA
- 155.01 Mary Ellen Newton - Michael Ware, Auckland NZ
- 150.97 Anne Casey, Newport Beach CA; C. Buddy Carls, Huntington Bch CA
- 144.28 Richard Banks, Modesto CA; Joe Bradt, Riverbank CA
- 136.87 Muriel Green, Playa D Rey CA; Edith Large, Los Angeles CA
- 136.67 Jeffrey Hack, San Jose CA; Louis Martin, Jr, Milpitas CA

- 150.97 Anne Casey, Newport Beach CA; C. Buddy Carls, Huntington Bch CA
- 136.37 Richard Banks, Modesto CA; Joe Bradt, Riverbank CA
- 133.05 Jeffrey Hack, San Jose CA; Louis Martin, Jr, Milpitas CA
- 4 Joyce Ielmini - John Ielmini, Patterson CA

**SECTION LL**

**EAST-WEST**

- 136.37 Richard Banks, Modesto CA; Joe Bradt, Riverbank CA

- 156.00 Russell Garrison, Santa Maria CA; David Filman, Auburndale MA
- 154.50 Barbara Vann, Carmichael CA; Ronald Hitt, Sacramento CA
- 149.50 Linda Caldwell, Shingle Springs CA; Janet Kordakis, Shingle Spgs CA
- 145.00 Debbie Gailfus, San Diego CA; Lee Maddocks, Modesto CA
- 142.50 Jie Chou, Lansing MI; Yiqun Jin, Fremont CA
- 141.50 Bessie Haley, Kettering OH; Terry Parker, Dayton OH

- 154.50 Barbara Vann, Carmichael CA; Ronald Hitt, Sacramento CA
- 145.00 Linda Caldwell, Shingle Springs CA; Janet Kordakis, Shingle Spgs CA
- 141.50 Jie Chou, Lansing MI; Yiqun Jin, Fremont CA
- 4 Norman Kalman - Raad Bunni, Foster City CA

**SECTION MM**

**EAST-WEST**

- 145.00 Lee Wood, Newberry FL; Robert Rodenhizer, Tracy CA

- 160.50 Walter Casper - Robert Varty, Grand Rapids MI
- 150.00 Richard Miller, Raleigh NC; Alice Tobin, Charlotte NC
- 147.50 Alex Leung, Eatontown NJ; Matthew Kappel, Middletown NJ
- 142.50 Kathleen Simon, Oak Park IL; Charles Fortney, Hanover Park IL
- 142.00 Pat Crane, Lafayette CA; Pam Oberholtz, Danville CA
- 136.50 Jimmy Kinard, Hialeah FL; Nell Stidham, Miami FL

- 160.50 Alex Leung, Eatontown NJ; Matthew Kappel, Middletown NJ
- 147.50 Pat Crane, Lafayette CA; Pam Oberholtz, Danville CA
- 142.50 Karen Kelsey, Daly City CA; Iris Cynthia Darroch, San Francisco CA
- 135.50

- 160.50 Barbara Poole - Gisele Stavert, San Rafael CA
- 147.50

**SECTION NN**

**EAST-WEST**

- 172.16 Claire Tornay, New York NY; Paul Morris, Brooklyn NY
- 150.99 Carol Phillips, Indian Hbr Bh FL; Joan Ceglarski, Middletown RI
- 148.09 Norman Byrnes, Boston MA; Timothy Byrnes, Anchorage AK
- 146.86 Mary Jane Farrell, Los Angeles CA; Richard Chapman, Woodland Hills CA
- 145.77 Ernest Napier, Brooklyn NY; Sharon Hammer, Costa Mesa CA
- 137.06 John Lyddon - Susan Furchtenicht, Pompano Beach FL

- 172.16 Carol Phillips, Indian Hbr Bh FL; Joan Ceglarski, Middletown RI
- 146.86 Norman Byrnes, Boston MA; Timothy Byrnes, Anchorage AK
- 130.83 Mark Freundel, Encinitas CA; Basil Taylor, Greenbrae CA
- 4 Ollie McCormick, Springtown TX; Peggy Mc Cormick, Arlington TX

- 1 Ollie McCormick, Springtown TX; Peggy Mc Cormick, Arlington TX
- 2 Elizabeth Noronha - Michael Manders, San Francisco CA







# TODAY'S SCHEDULE

**Monday, November 25, 1996**

*Goodwill Day*

Event	MP Limit	Session	Entry Fee	Sold
<b>Monday, November 25, 1996, 8:30 a.m.</b>				
Bracketed Morning KO Teams		1st	\$40 team	Yerba Buena 10
<b>Monday, November 25, 1996, 8:45 a.m.</b>				
Albuquerque Morning Continuous/Side Pairs	750+, 0-750	1st	\$20 pair	Golden Gate A
Stratified 99er Pairs, 100/50/20		only	\$18 pair	Golden Gate A
<b>Monday, November 25, 1996, 10:00 a.m. &amp; 3:00 p.m.</b>				
Chinese American Bridge Club Stratified Senior Pairs, A	1000+	1-2nd	\$40 pair	Golden Gate C
B	300-1000	1-2nd	\$40 pair	Golden Gate C
C	0-300	1-2nd	\$40 pair	Golden Gate C
<b>Monday, November 25, 1996, 12:30 p.m.</b>				
ACBL International Fund Pairs		only	\$18 pair	Golden Gate B
<b>Monday, November 25, 1996, 12:30 p.m. &amp; 7:30 p.m.</b>				
OPEN BOARD-A-MATCH TEAMS		1-2nd Final	\$88 team	Yerba Buena 7
WOMEN'S BOARD-A-MATCH TEAMS		1-2nd Final	\$96 team	Yerba Buena 7
SENIOR KO TEAMS		Round 2	\$88 team	Yerba Buena 7
Michael Jones Stratified Open Pairs A	1000+	1-2nd	\$40 pair	St. Francis Hotel, 2nd floor
B	300-1000	1-2nd	\$40 pair	St. Francis Hotel, 2nd floor
C	0-300	1-2nd	\$40 pair	St. Francis Hotel, 2nd floor
Stratified Women's Pairs A	1000+	1-2nd	\$40 pair	Yerba Buena 9
B	300-1000	1-2nd	\$40 pair	Yerba Buena 9
C	0-300	1-2nd	\$40 pair	Yerba Buena 9
Stratified Mixed Pairs A	1000+	1-2nd	\$40 pair	Yerba Buena 9
B	300-1000	1-2nd	\$40 pair	Yerba Buena 9
C	0-300	1-2nd	\$40 pair	Yerba Buena 9
199er Pairs, 99er Pairs, 49er Pairs		only	\$18 pair	Golden Gate A
Non Master Pairs	0-20	only	\$18 pair	Golden Gate A
Newcomer Pairs	0-5	only	\$18 pair	Golden Gate A
<b>Monday, November 25, 1996, 7:30 p.m.</b>				
ACBL-wide Charity Pairs		only	\$18 pair	Golden Gate B
<b>Monday, November 25, 1996, 11:30 p.m.</b>				
Gary Kirk Zip Stratified Swiss Teams	750+	only	\$36 team	Golden Gate A
	300-750	only	\$36 team	Golden Gate A
	0-300	only	\$36 team	Golden Gate A

# TOMORROW'S SCHEDULE

**Tuesday, November 26, 1996**

Event	MP Limit	Session	Entry Fee	Sold
<b>Tuesday, November 26, 1996, 8:45 a.m.</b>				
Morning Bracketed KO Teams		Round 2	\$40 team	Yerba Buena 10
Albuquerque Morning Continuous/Side Pairs	750+, 0-750	2nd	\$20 pair	Golden Gate A
Stratified 99er Pairs, 100/50/20		only	\$18 pair	Golden Gate A
<b>Tuesday, November 26, 1996, 10:00 a.m. &amp; 3:00 p.m.</b>				
Lura Crossley Stratified Senior Pairs A*	1000+	1-2nd	\$40 pair	Golden Gate C
B*	300-1000	1-2nd	\$40 pair	Golden Gate C
C*	0-300	1-2nd	\$40 pair	Golden Gate C
Travelers/Smith Barney Bracketed Senior KO Teams		Round 1, 2	\$40 team	Golden Gate C
<b>Tuesday, November 26, 1996, 12:30 p.m. &amp; 7:30 p.m.</b>				
BLUE RIBBON PAIRS 2 qualifying, 2 semi-final, 2 final sessions		1-2 Qual	\$48 pair	Yerba Buena 7
SENIOR KO TEAMS		Round 3	\$88 team	Yerba Buena 7
Flighted Open Pairs	Unlimited	1-2nd	\$40 pair	Yerba Buena 9
	0-1000	1-2nd	\$40 pair	St. Francis Hotel, 2nd floor
	0-300	1-2nd	\$40 pair	St. Francis Hotel, 2nd floor
0-2000 Knockout Teams	0-2000	1-2nd	\$40 team	Yerba Buena 10
0-750 Knockout Teams	0-750	1-2nd	\$40 team	Yerba Buena 10
Tuesday-Wednesday-Thursday Continuous/Side Pairs	750+, 0-750	1-2nd	\$20 pair	Golden Gate B
199er Trophy Pairs	0-200	1-2nd	\$36 pair	Golden Gate A
199er Pairs	0-200	only	\$18 pair	Golden Gate A
99er Pairs	0-100	only	\$18 pair	Golden Gate A
49er Pairs	0-50	only	\$18 pair	Golden Gate A
Non Master Pairs	0-20	only	\$18 pair	Golden Gate A
Newcomer Pairs	0-5	only	\$18 pair	Golden Gate A
<b>Tuesday, November 26, 1996, 7:30 p.m.</b>				
Stratified Board-a-Match Teams A	1000+	only	\$36 team	Yerba Buena 9
B	300-1000	only	\$36 team	Yerba Buena 9
C	0-300	only	\$36 team	Yerba Buena 9
<b>Tuesday, November 26, 1996, 11:30 p.m.</b>				
ZIP Stratified Swiss Teams	750+	only	\$36 team	Golden Gate A
	300-750	only	\$36 team	Golden Gate A
	0-300	only	\$36 team	Golden Gate A

\* Sections of Classic Bridge -- the game with the abbreviated convention card, NO alerts and NO announcements -- will be offered in this event.