

Daily Bulletin



53rd Spring North American Bridge Championships

Editors: Brent Manley and Dave Smith

Meet your TDs

This is the first in a new series of articles profiling the ACBL tournament directors who work at NABCs.

Bernie Gorkin remembers his first tournament director assignment vividly. It was in the mid-Eighties at the regional in Syracuse NY, his home.

Gorkin had done a lot of directing at clubs in the city, but not at a tournament. He walked into the playing area at the regional and ran into Maury Braunstein, one of ACBL's legendary TDs.

Braunstein asked Gorkin about his plans for the evening.

"I'm going to kibitz," Gorkin said.

"No you're not," said Braunstein, handing Gorkin a copy of the laws. "You're working the side game." When the session was over, Gorkin was given a recap sheet to matchpoint.

Gorkin is now a full-time employee of the ACBL, working about 300 sessions a year, and loving every minute of it.

"I love putting puzzles together and making



things work," he says, "and I like being around the players." Born and raised in Syracuse, Gorkin earned bachelor's and master's degrees in math from his home town university. After graduating, he took a job as a computer programmer for General Electric and later the Carrier Corporation. In 1990, he went into the financial planning and income tax business with two friends. He is still involved with the businesses while pursuing his directing career.

Gorkin discovered bridge at college. In his sophomore year, he visited one of the lounges on

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Garner, Weinstein take lead in Platinum Pairs

Howard Weinstein and Steve Garner, one of ACBL's top partnerships, are the leaders after the first two qualifying sessions of the first NABC+ Platinum Pairs.

Two semifinal sessions today will be followed on Sunday by two final sessions.

Weinstein, of Sarasota FL, and Garner, of Chicago, have won four North American championships as partners. Each has eight major victories. Their best year as partners was 1997, when they won the von Zedtwitz Life Master Pairs and the Reisinger Board-a-Match Teams. They repeated the Reisinger win in 2001.

After the first two sessions, Weinstein and Garner were in the lead by 5.01 matchpoints (64 top) over Nikolay Demirev of Arlington Heights IL and Gavin Wolpert of Singer Island FL. Right behind them are Nick L'Ecuyer of Montreal and Jim Krekorian of Pensacola FL.

The Platinum Pairs is a new event on the ACBL calendar and is open only to ACBL members who meet one of three criteria: have earned at least 50 platinum masterpoints in the previous three years, have a lifetime total of 200 or more platinum points or have the rank of Platinum or Grand Life Master.

Vanderbilt registration deadline

If you are planning to play in the Vanderbilt Knockout Teams, you must register by 8 p.m. on Sunday. The event begins on Monday.

Internet charges

Wireless Internet access for your computer is free in the hotel, but there is a charge for DSL connections.

Junior reception

All players 25 and younger are invited to attend the Junior reception today from 4:30 p.m. to 6 p.m. in Ruby 1 and 2 on the mezzanine level. Any Junior Corps members at the NABC are also encouraged

Goodwill Message

Today is Junior Day, the day we celebrate -- and salute -- our Junior players.

These players, ages 25 and younger, are the future of the ACBL. Encourage them. Play with them! Today's Junior player is tomorrow's superstar.

Aileen Osofsky, Chairman



Kennedy recovering and grateful for good wishes

Betty Ann Kennedy is not one to miss an NABC, so when she's among the missing there must be a compelling reason for her absence.

There is.

About three and a half weeks ago, Kennedy

experienced an episode with an ulcer on a main artery that landed her in the hospital in her hometown of Shreveport LA. She was in intensive care for five days, but now is on the road to recovery.

Her doctor told her on Thursday that she need not worry about a recurrence of her problem. "You should have seen me cheer up," she said in a telephone interview on Friday.

Kennedy said the incident was a complete surprise because she was feeling great and even worked out at her health club the day it happened.

She said her doctor told her it will be several weeks before she is 100%, but she is planning on playing at the 2010 Summer NABC in New Orleans in July.

Kennedy said she is really grateful for the many cards, letters and phone calls she has received since friends found out about her illness. "All the attention," she said, "is so appreciated."

She said everything is going well now with one exception: "I'm lonesome for bridge."



Miller and Sloofman lead Lebhar IMP Pairs

Billy Miller of Las Vegas NV and H. Jay Sloofman of Ardsley NY had two solid sessions to take the lead after qualifying play in the Lebhar IMP Pairs. They scored 63.17 IMPs in the afternoon and 57.47 in the evening for a combined score of 120.64.

Lynn Deas of Schenectady NY and Tom Townsend of London, England, are in second place with 102.76 IMPs. They scored 58.0 in the first qualifying session and 44.76 in the second.

Standing in third place are Jonathan Green of Kingston NY and Norman Rubin of Monticello NY. Their total is 95.01.

A total of 156 pairs qualified for the final two sessions today.

The event has been contested since 1987. The Lebhar trophy was donated by Bertram Lebhar Jr. in 1948 in memory of his wife Evelyn. The trophy was previously given to the winners of the Mixed Teams, but was re-designated for the IMP Pairs by the ACBL Board of Directors. Last year's winners were Nikolay Demirev and Nick L'Ecuyer.

Spring forward Saturday night

Don't forget that Daylight Saving Time takes effect on Sunday, March 14, at 2 a.m. Unless you're still up at that time, remember to change your watches and clocks -- moving them one hour forward -- before you retire Saturday night.



SPECIAL EVENTS

MEETINGS / SEMINARS / RECEPTIONS

Saturday, March 13

9 a.m. - Noon **Bridge Teachers and Bridge Cruises Seminar.** Join Peg Cundiff, host of more than 100 bridge cruises, for great tips on being a successful teacher and bridge host on a cruise ship. Fee: \$25 at the door. *Room: Ruby 1 & 2.*

9 a.m. - 10 p.m. **Better Bridge Teacher Accreditation Program.** Learn Audrey Grant's powerful, up-to-date methods that assure successful lessons for the absolute beginner and those with a wide range of experience and skill. An ACBL-approved teacher accreditation. Fee: \$125 *Location: Whitney Room on the Mezzanine level.*

9 a.m. - Noon **ACBL Educational Foundation meeting.** *Room: Sierra 2.*

10 a.m. **Breakfast with the Stars.** Tickets \$20

10 a.m. - Noon **ACBL Laws Commission meeting.** *Room: Teton 2.*

9:45 a.m. - Noon **Free Bridge Lesson with Jerry Helms.** Helms, well-known teacher and Bridge Bulletin columnist, presents a fun bridge lesson for intermediate and newer players. His topic is: "Taking More Tricks" *Room: Carson 4.*

10 a.m. **Bridge-Plus+.** Free lesson for new players, followed by free game at 12:30 pm. *Room: Carson 4.*

10:30 a.m. **Youth Bridge from schools.** *Room: Carson Ball Room.*

10 - 11 a.m. **Marketing Matters — live.** Join Vicki Campbell, ACBL's Director of Marketing, and hear about the latest marketing tools and programs the ACBL has available to assist clubs and teachers in their marketing efforts. Bring your own

marketing tips and tricks to share with others, too. *Room: Sierra 1.*

10 a.m. - Noon **ACBL Hall of Fame Committee meeting.** *Board Room.*
12:30 p.m. **Bridge Plus+.** Special game for new players. 14 boards, no card fee. *Room: Carson 4.*

4:30 - 6 p.m. **Junior Reception.** All Junior players are invited to attend. *Room: Ruby 1 & 2.*

Sunday, March 14

9:45 a.m. - Noon **Free Bridge Lesson with Audrey Grant.** Grant is one of the best known teachers in the world. Topic: Major-suit Raises. *Room: Carson 4.*

10 - 11:30 a.m. **Board of Governors/ACBL Membership Meeting.** All members of the ACBL Board of Governors are invited to attend the Spring NABC meeting. This meeting is also open to the general membership of the ACBL. Discussion will include recent actions of the Board of Directors, reports from the CEO and treasurer, and new proposals from the Board of Governors. *Room: Grand.*

10 am - Noon **Teaching Youth Bridge.** If you're teaching bridge to young people now (or just thinking about it), this seminar will help you focus on goals, format, course materials and successful practices. *Room: Sierra 1.*

11 pm - 1 am **ACBL Patron Member Reception.** *Room: DeMartino Suite*

CELEBRITY SPEAKER PROGRAM

Be sure to hear these free expert lectures in Reno.

Saturday, March 13

9:15 am Allan Mazer *The Art of Finding Queens*

Sunday, March 14

9:15 am Peg & Dewy Cundiff *The Ever-Changing Bridge Hand*
6:45 pm Ken Monzingo *Hand Patterns*

ENTERTAINMENT / FOOD

Nevada Foyer — Lower Level

Saturday, March 13

10 a.m. Breakfast with the Stars.
Tickets \$20

Sunday, March 14

6:30 p.m. Secrets of an "Old" Show Girl.
Free. A humorous look at the life of an MGM Showgirl.

Nevada Foyer — Lower Level

Saturday, March 13

10:30 p.m. Pretzels

Sunday, March 14

10:30 p.m. Baked Potato

Today's hosts

Each day, a different group of units will host the NABC. The hosts for today are Area 2 and their representative is Larry Crumb. The units in Area 2 are:

Chico Unit 457

Unit 457, located in Chico CA, is in one of the prime agricultural centers of California. Principal crops produced in the area are rice, almonds and walnuts. Chico boasts one of the finest universities in the CSU system. Chico State has the highest employment rate for its graduates of any school in the system. Bridge flourishes in Chico and it has a membership of 100. The unit holds an annual sectional at the Moose Hall at the end of March or beginning of April each year.

The Bidwell Bridge Studio hosts three games a week: Monday, Tuesday and Friday afternoons. There is also a five- to seven-table Easybridge! game Friday morning. The Paradise Duplicate Bridge game is newly reestablished and holds its game each Wednesday. The unit members also

support neighboring units by attending games in Red Bluff and Oroville.

The unit has six ACBL-certified directors and two active teachers that have attained the status of Master Teacher as designated by the American Bridge Teacher's Association.

Eureka Unit 458

Unit 458 is located in the redwoods of Humboldt County (California) with games in Eureka and Arcata, the home of Humboldt State University. The unit has a membership of 79.

The Sequoia Bridge Club in Eureka has four games each week on Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday. The Bridge Club in the Redwoods, located in the city of Arcata, has one game on Friday. They have a unit game once a month at various locations.

The unit also has ACBL certified, qualified and experienced bridge teachers to help those who wish to learn more about bridge.

Eureka hosts a sectional each year during the month of September.

Redding Unit 464

Unit 464 is located in Sacramento Valley. Redding is the largest city in California north of Sacramento. The unit has a membership of 191.

The unit is host to five different bridge clubs in its area. The Yreka Bridge Club has a game on Tuesday, Mount Shasta DBC game is on Wednesday. Redding has two locations with games on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. Red Bluffs Elks Duplicate game is held on Wednesday. They hold their monthly unit game on the second Sunday of each month. They have ACBL certified, qualified and experienced bridge directors to assist with Bridge.

The Redding Unit hosts two sectionals each year at the Anderson City Hall Community Center. They are scheduled as the Spring and Fall Sun Dial Sectionals and are in April and November, respectively.



JUST FOR NEW PLAYERS

Play bridge like a duck

By Lynn Berg

No matter how hard you're paddling, try to look serene on the surface.

Demeanor matters at the bridge table, first, because you need to be pleasant to your partner. Partners live up to our expectations—positive or negative. Whether you act as if your partner is correct or incorrect, you are probably right. Assuming that partner will make mistakes will be a self-fulfilling prophecy. Your first responsibility at the table is to make your partner comfortable.



That comfort begins with filling out a convention card together. Nothing makes for more comfort than avoiding unnecessary surprises. Go over the card together and make sure you have two cards filled out identically (that's a requirement for ACBL tournament play). Of course, not everything that will come up is on the card, but knowing that you are working together helps a lot. If an opponent asks the meaning of partner's bid, don't guess! If you have no agreement—haven't discussed the issue, for instance—say so. Don't speculate. If an opponent says, "How are you going to treat the bid?" don't respond to this challenge. Simply say, "We have no agreement" and call the director if the questions continue. The opponents are entitled to know only your agreements, nothing more about your hands. If you've just forgotten but know the answer is on your card, say so.

What if your partner forgets an Alert or makes a mistake in an explanation? Don't leave the table to talk to a director about the problem.

The very act of getting up tells partner there's a problem. Wait until the auction is over. Then, if your side is declaring, tell the opponents before the opening lead is made. If there's much of a problem, someone should call the director immediately. If you are on the defending side, you must not say anything until play is completed. Just as you couldn't "wake partner up" during the auction, it's still wrong to do so before play is over. Your ethical and legal obligation is to wait until the end and then inform the opponents. Most times there won't be any problem, but if they think the lack of correct information made a difference, the director will look at the deal and possibly adjust the score.

If you do not understand or agree with the director's ruling you are entitled to information and explanation. It's improper to argue at the table or to delay the game or to disturb other players while you disagree. Express your problem quickly and quietly. Then put it aside mentally so it won't interfere with your play on subsequent hands. At break time or at the end of the game, talk to the director if you still have questions. In extreme cases, there is an appeals process available.

If you are playing in an open game, a real problem that will get the director called to the table is a hesitation, or break in tempo. Even experienced players often have the wrong idea about what is allowed after there has been a break in tempo. *You are allowed to take the time you need to make a decision in the bidding.* Don't let anyone tell you that it is wrong to take time to think, though you should make every effort to move along with an appropriate tempo. Having thought, you may pass, double, redouble or bid as



you like. The limitation is on your partner, who may not take an action that is not clear-cut or that could have been suggested by your hesitation. You'll be asked, either by an opponent or by the director, to acknowledge that there was a break in tempo. Don't be afraid to agree—it is in no way wrong. When play is finished, if the opponents think there was a problem, they will call the director. That doesn't happen very often.

Never feel threatened by a director call. The director will not take sides or make a hasty decision. You'll get your chance to talk, but the person who calls usually gets to speak first. The dummy may call only if someone else at the table has noted the problem first. Make the call pleasantly, "Director, please!" is a good way. Then listen and maybe even learn something.

Thinking bridge

By Eddie Kantar

Dir: West ♠ A 9 8
 Vul: E-W ♥ 10 9 3 2
 ♦ K 10 8 4
 ♣ 9 6

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

♠ K J 5 2
 ♥ Q J 4
 ♦ A Q 3
 ♣ A 10 2

West	North	East	South
1♣	Pass	Pass	Dbl
Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
All Pass			

Opening lead: ♣K.

Bidding commentary: West has a *mandatory* opening with 12 high-card points and a five-card suit. A reopening bid of 1NT in the passout seat (South) shows 11-14 HCP. South is too strong. To show 15-17 HCP, South doubles and then bids 1NT.

Defensive commentary: West continues with high clubs until South wins the ace.

Play commentary: South has six top tricks with chances for more in three suits. If diamonds break or the ♦J drops, an extra trick is available there. If the spade finesse works, an extra trick or two is available there. In hearts, if you are willing to give up the lead twice, two certain extra tricks are available there. Mirror, mirror on the wall, which is the best suit of all?

As South, ask yourself how many tricks *they* can take once they get the lead. The answer is

The Intermediate-Newcomer area has its own Registration Desk. Martha Farmer of Salem OR is assisted by Sylvia Smith of Mapleton OR and IN Chair Karol Manual of Newport OR.



The ACBL had a reception Friday for teachers and club managers and directors. Shown: Dianna Schuld of Glen Head NY; Carol Robertson, Director of ACBL Club and Member Services; Julie Greenberg, ACBL Director of Education; and Allan Siebert of Little Rock AR.



Theory tested

By Liam Johnstone, Birmingham, England

"If they bid 4♥, you bid 4♠."

I don't know who said that, but to me it's an attractive idea, so when I picked up ♠10 9 5 3 2 ♥— ♦A K J 10 5 3 ♣K 4 on board 18 of the Thursday evening pairs game, and it went 1♥ - Pass - 4♥, I took delight in placing the 4♠ bid card on the table. The 4♥ bidder went to 5♥, and we passed it out. Minus 450 was a near bottom. When I looked, partner had four spades and asked if 5♠ was her bid. Yes, I replied, little knowing what was in store.

Along came board 28, which presented me with:

♠J 8 6 3 ♥J 6 ♦A 10 5 3 ♣9 7 6.

It went 1♥ on my right, pass, 4♥ on my left, 4♠ from Meg, who had obviously got the idea now. Two passes were followed by 5♥, passed to me. Hoist with my own petard! I bid 5♠ if only to be consistent, and partner's hand was ♠A 10 7 5 ♥— ♦K 9 8 7 4 2 ♣K Q 8.

What happened? Oh, she made it. She ruffed the heart lead, played the ♠A, which drew the king, then a low spade to her left-hand opponent's queen. Fortunately, the diamonds produced six tricks. Plus 650 was a top.

Is the theory proven? I still believe.

Bid Box Alerts and Announcements

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

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

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

Premature double

By Gene Benedict

On this deal from the first qualifying session of the North American Pairs-A, a lead-directing double worked out very badly for the defenders. I was one of them (East).

Dlr: North ♠ K 9 6 5 2

Vul: Both ♥ A K

♦ 5

♣ Q J 8 3 2

♠ 10 4

♥ Q 10 8 6 4 3

♦ Q J 10 9 6

♣ —

♠ 8

♥ J 9

♦ A 8 7 4 2

♣ 10 9 6 5 4

♠ A Q J 7 3

♥ 7 5 2

♦ K 3

♣ A K 7

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	2NT (1)
3♥	Pass	Pass	4♣
Dbl	Redbl	Pass	4♦
Pass	4♥	Pass	5♣
Pass	6♣	Pass	6NT
All Pass			

(1) Game-forcing spade raise.

After his partner bid 6♣, South asked me what the double of 4♣ meant. "He wants a club lead," I said. This influenced South to bid 6NT despite the 10-card spade fit. We got one matchpoint out of 25.

At my wife's table, the opponents bid 6♠. East led the ♦A. North claimed at that point, saying, "I get the rest of the tricks unless you can get a ruff."

My wife, Sue Benedict, said, "Really? Partner, please lead a club." She got her ruff for plus 100.

No smoking

There is no smoking in the playing areas or the hallways outside. You can smoke in the casino area except where signs say otherwise.



Flawless

By Barry Rigal

On this deal from the first qualifying session of the North American Pairs-A, Allan Popkin of St. Louis earned a near-top with flawless play. Popkin was playing with his wife, Nancy.

Dlr: North ♠ K J 4

Vul: Both ♥ J 4 2

♦ 9 8 3 2

♣ Q J 7

♠ A Q 5

♥ A 7

♦ A K Q J 4

♣ A K 8

♠ 10 9 7 2

♥ K Q 6 5

♦ 10 7

♣ 6 5 3

♠ 8 6 3

♥ 10 9 8 3

♦ 6 5

♣ 10 9 4 2

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

(1) Kokish relay (used to show very strong balanced hands).

(2) Forced.

(3) 25-plus high-card points.

(4) Spades and hearts, 4-4, or five hearts.

North led the ♦9, taken in dummy with the 10. Popkin played a spade to the queen and North's king. Popkin won the diamond continuation in hand and played three more rounds of the suit, pitching a spade and two clubs from dummy. South discarded two spades and a club, North a heart. This was the ending:

♠ J 4
♥ J 4
♦ —
♣ Q J 7

♠ A 5

♥ A 7

♦ —

♣ A K 8

♠ 10 9

♥ K Q 6 5

♦ —

♣ 6

♠ —

♥ 10 9 8 3

♦ —

♣ 10 9 4

When Popkin cashed the ♠A, South had to unguard clubs, then three rounds of hearts squeezed North in the black suits. The perfect non-simultaneous double squeeze for 12 tricks earned the Popkins 23.5 out of 25 matchpoints.

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Date: Sunday, March 14

Time: 10 a.m. to noon

Location: Grand Sierra Resort - Sierra 1





Ouida McCullough of Portland OR is in charge of the Prize Desk. If you are first in any section, including the 299ers, one of her staff has a prize for you. Prize desk hours are: 8:30 a.m. to 9:45 a.m. 11 a.m. to 12:45 p.m. and 6 p.m. to 7:15 p.m.

INTERNATIONAL FUND STRATIFIED OPEN
(Corrected after scoring changes)

94.0 Tables		A	B	C		
19.19	1				Norman Rubin, Monticello NY; Jonathan Green, Kingston NY	68.75%
14.39	2				Linda Eakes, Leawood KS; Donald Stack, Overland Park KS	65.71%
10.79	3				Leonard Wisbey, Graham WA; Mark Lair, Canyon TX	65.22%
8.10	4				Jean Orr, Middletown CT; Harold Feldheim, Hamden CT	64.58%
6.07	5				Paul Bubendey, Chicago IL; Jim Wakefield, Fairfax Station VA	63.46%
4.55	6				Ron Ashbacher, Lead Hill AR; Stephen Stewart, Shawnee Msn KS	63.14%
11.02	7		1		Girard Brewer - Dorothy Brewer, Reno NV	62.98%
3.03	8				R Jay Becker, New York NY; Robert Levin, Lake Ariel PA	62.50%
3.03	9				David Sabourin, Ottawa ON; Jonathan Steinberg, Toronto ON	62.34%
8.27	10		2		Leona Hanson - Eileen Ojakangas, Davis CA	62.02%
6.20			3		Paul Burnham, Wilton CT; Richard Wieland, Redding CT	58.17%
4.65			4		Kathy Lane - Lorita Spalding, Reno NV	56.89%
5.11		5/7		1	Thomas Cox, Mount Juliet TN; Roman Sydorak, Los Angeles CA	56.73%
2.69		5/7			Nancy Zakim, Kentfield CA; Kirsten Wibroe, Sausalito CA	56.73%
2.69		5/7			James Paschal, Reno NV; Paul Blumberg, Sparks NV	56.73%
3.83			2		June Lucas - Molly Rakestraw, Reno NV	56.25%
2.87			3		David Wilmington, Eureka CA; Ronald Francey, Corpus Christi TX	55.29%
2.16			4		William Schoenemann, Reno NV; Robert Rodenhizer, Tracy CA	54.17%
1.42			5/6		Ray Lowe, Astoria OR; Sue Boyle, Seaview WA	53.37%
1.42			5/6		Mark Gospodnetic - Govind Narayan, Richmond VA	53.37%

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Gorkin

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Regional four years later.

About that time, he started directing at a Syracuse club. He was elected to the board of the not-for-profit enterprise and found that one of the responsibilities of board members was to take turns running games.

He has served as president of Unit 112 and District 4 and as the district's judicial chairman and recorder.

In 1992, with longtime TD Burt Garrell close to retirement, Gorkin began training with him and was hired as a part-timer, becoming full time in 1999. Gorkin worked his first NABC in Chicago in 1998 and hasn't missed one since.

Until about five years ago, Gorkin worked mostly in New York and the surrounding area. Then he and his wife, Mary, started spending winters in Florida, meaning he works for Patty Johnson, field supervisor in that state, five months out of the year.

That's a delightful arrangement, says Johnson. "Bernie is an excellent TD," she says. "He is a good people person and will do anything to make a tournament a success. I wish I had him all year."

Restaurant Shuttle

If you're interested in dining off site, a shuttle is available to increase your dining options.

Departing the Grand Sierra to Downtown

Reno:

The RTC* (public transportation) bus departs every 30 minutes beginning at 3:51 p.m. It will continue to pick up at 4:21, 4:51 and 5:21 p.m. (final RTC departure).

You will depart just past the Grand Sierra front desk at the south entrance.

The bus will take you to the RTC Citicenter which has numerous restaurants and casinos.

The cost is \$2 one way (\$1 for seniors born before Jan. 1, 1950).

**The times listed above are for the NABC dinner hour. This bus provides public transportation from the Grand Sierra every 30 minutes at :21 and :51 after the hour until 6:51 p.m., after which the bus picks up and drops off every hour.*

Returning to the Grand Sierra — 2 Options:

1. The Silver Legacy and Circus Circus Casinos are sponsoring free return shuttles from both hotels. These buses will depart each hotel at 6:30 and 7 p.m. from the valet areas. There will be a sign welcoming NABC attendees to ride the shuttle. Please advise the driver that you are going to the Grand Sierra.

There is no cost for the Silver Legacy and Circus Circus return shuttles.

2. The RTC* bus will pick up at the RTC Citicenter at 5:15, 5:45 and 6:15 p.m. (final RTC departure) to return you to the Grand Sierra.

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RTC Passes:

A 7-day pass is available for \$21 (\$10.50 for seniors born before Jan. 1, 1950). A 24-Hour pass is \$2 (\$1 for seniors born before Jan. 1, 1950) at the Reno Transit Center or at www.rtcwashoe.com.

For more information, visit the Reno NABC Information Desk.

Siebert tops 25,000

David Siebert of Little Rock AR has advanced to the 25,000-masterpoint plateau. He is a Grand Life Master who has won three NABC+ events. Siebert is active in bridge governance. He is president of District 10, serves on the national Board of Governors and is an alternate to the national Board of Directors. Siebert is a retired owner of a magazine/record/tape wholesale business. He teaches bridge and plays golf and poker.



Rose Meltzer Day

Rose Meltzer has given so much to bridge that we at District 20 are honored to name this day after her. Rose started playing duplicate in the Seventies in the northern suburbs of New York City after a hiatus from college, Columbia University. While in New York, she served her local unit as tournament chairman and president and also served on the District 3 board. After the move to California in 1997, she served on both the unit and district board there.



Rose is the first and only female to win five open world titles: the World Transnational Teams, Bermuda Bowl, two Senior Bowls and the prestigious Rosenblum Cup (open knockout). She is also the first female since 1960 to win the Spingold Knockout Teams (also second twice in the last two years). Other NABC titles include the Women's Teams, Grand National Teams, Mixed B-a-M teams, Open BAM teams and the prestigious Goldman Pairs.

One of Rose's proudest achievements was being awarded the Sidney Lazard Jr. trophy for "Sportsman of the Year" in 2002. She has always felt it important to give back to bridge and the ACBL, and has been a big supporter of the Junior program. She created "Breakfast with the Stars" for the San Francisco NABC when the district director was asking for help from the locals. That program has been a tremendous success and is offered again today.

Not content to rest on her laurels, Rose and her star-studded team are here competing for more NABC titles. We wish her the best, as we are always glad to see someone who gives so much to bridge doing so well at it.

FIRST FRIDAY MORNING 0-5 PAIRS

6.0 Tables				
0.93	1	Robert Savage - Jana Savage, Lincoln CA		62.68%
0.70	2	Stephanie Council - Barton Council, Novato CA		61.89%
0.52	3	Carol Devincenzi - Mary Leveroni, San Francisco CA		54.61%
0.34	4/5	Alan Power - Vi Power, Reno NV		54.23%
0.34	4/5	William Jastrow - Marcus Jastrow, Reno NV		54.23%

FIRST FRIDAY MORNING 20/50 PAIRS

7.0 Tables		A	B		
1.79	1	1	Glen Artz - John Swanson, Reno NV		66.67%
1.34	2		Gerald Boesche - Nancy Boesche, Monument CO		57.08%
1.01	3	2	Judith Fasani, Truckee CA; Beverly Bloodworth, Tahoe City CA		56.25%
0.76	4		Barbara Marsh - Peter Marsh, Lincoln CA		54.17%
0.73	5	3	Laurie David, Rolling Hills E CA; Elizabeth Biggins, Palos Verdes CA		51.67%
0.60	4		Jane Schwartz - Ed Schwartz, Sparks NV		47.92%

FIRST FRIDAY MORNING 100/200/300 PAIRS

15.0 Tables		A	B	C		
3.53	1			Oscar Chiodi - Sheila Davis, Las Vegas NV		69.50%
2.79	2	1		Richard Casper - Joanne Onstine-Dill, Sparks NV		67.25%
1.99	3			Loretta Parker, Tucker GA; Margaret Een, Warrenton VA		62.92%
2.09	4	2	1	Jerry Burrill, Newhall CA; Ruth Baker, Valencia CA		62.58%
1.57	5	3	2	Dee Minazzoli, Newbury Park CA; James Rhew, Raleigh NC		62.17%
1.18	6	4	3	Lydia Yang - Patrick Yang, Basking Ridge NJ		58.96%
0.88		5	4	Juanita Painter - David Myers, Austin TX		54.75%
0.84		6		Richard Mani, Belvedere CA; George Beard, Corte Madera CA		52.17%

FRIDAY-SUNDAY AM SIDE

30.0 Tables		A	B	C		
6.07	1			Elton Lipnick, Houston TX; Bob Reinman, Colorado Spgs CO		66.48%
4.55	2			Jean Prior, Bethel Park PA; Robert Quinlan, Pittsburgh PA		63.83%
3.41	3			Buddhadeb Biswas, Lexington MA; Merle Stetser, Honolulu HI		62.69%
2.56	4			Ken Gee, Regina SK; Sara Parks M.D., Owensboro KY		61.93%
1.92	5			Gustav Axen, New Westminster BC; Yatindra Sahae, Carmel Valley CA		61.36%
4.40	6	1		Ann Hung - Joel Martineau, Vancouver BC		59.47%
3.30		2		Russell Samuel, Glen Cove NY; Barry Samuel, Santa Rosa CA		58.33%
2.88		3	1	Sharon Rooney - D. Ann Carver, Seaview WA		55.49%
2.16		4	2	Karla Riddick, Conroe TX; Keith Everett, Houston TX		54.55%
1.42		5/6	3/4	Nicholas Pchelkin - Leona Pchelkin, Minden NV		54.36%
1.42		5/6	3/4	Charles Kelley - Jo Anne Kelley, Pacific Plsades CA		54.36%
1.77			5	Garry Lowe, Newport OR; Ray Lowe, Astoria OR		52.84%

FRIDAY-SATURDAY SIDE SERIES

24.0 Tables		A	B	C		
5.16	1			La Quitta Talbot, Keller TX; Herbert Fallin Jr, Alexandria VA		61.00%
4.55	2	1	1	Robert Smith - Judith Smith, Anahola HI		60.59%
2.90	3			Jeff Strutzel, Redondo Beach CA; Sabina Lim, Cerritos CA		58.77%
3.41	4	2	2	Irene Harlow, Reno NV; Jack Barney, Incline Village NV		58.42%
1.63	5			John Coone, Vernon BC; Jack Triplett, Inkom ID		57.90%
2.56	6	3	3	Mitch Miladinovich - Terri Miladinovich, Acampo CA		56.43%
1.92		4		Dennis Tretheway, Livermore CA; Joyce Tretheway, Redding CA		55.69%
1.87		5		Kathy Lane - Lorita Spalding, Reno NV		54.92%
1.31		6		Gay Rhinehart - Julian Dupuis, Kelso WA		54.33%
1.28			4	Bill Darden, Estes Park CO; Eusebio Menezes, Cupertino CA		52.49%
0.96			5	Edgwin Simpson - Gail McBeth, San Diego CA		51.82%
1.31			6	Jeanette Finn, Sacramento CA; Claire Rugg, Carmel CA		51.68%

Monitoring

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

By general monitoring of the session and

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

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FRIDAY EVENING SIDE GAME

20.0 Tables		A	B	C		
4.55	1				Richard Ellis Jr, Kokomo IN; Bob Carteaux, Fort Wayne IN	69.21%
3.41	2				Robert Lavin, East Longmeadow MA; Patricia Wright, Charlotte NC	62.27%
2.56	3				Stephen Kornegay - Nancy Kornegay, N Richlnd Hls TX	61.34%
1.92	4				Betty Jackson, Pebble Beach CA; Wayne Eggers, Woodridge IL	60.42%
3.94	5	1	1		Justin Blanchard - Andrew Moss, New York NY	59.49%
1.31	6/7				Edwin Lewis III, Bolton CT; Thomas Hyde, Willimantic CT	57.87%
2.96	6/7	2			Virginia Gibbons, Alexandria VA; Timothy Smith, Kearneysville WV	57.87%
2.22	3				Madhusudan Patel, Houston TX; Joyce Remsen, Sparks NV	56.25%
1.66	4				Gerald Gray - Barbara Gray, Mesa AZ	55.09%
1.94	5	2			Nurdin Kassam, North Vancouver BC; Chandru Jay Kriplani, Thornhill ON	53.24%
1.68	6/7				Susan O'Neil, Aledo TX; Joann Satterthwaite, So Padre Is TX	52.31%
0.94	6/7				Sandy Kucha, Rancho Santa Fe CA; Paul Foster, Vista CA	52.31%
1.45		3			Charles Kelley - Jo Anne Kelley, Pacific Plsades CA	50.00%
1.09		4			Mary McIntyre - J McIntyre, St Paul MN	49.54%
1.07		5			Mary Williamson, Sunnyvale CA; Fred Brown, San Jose CA	49.07%

JO HELLER SIDE SWISS

57 Tables		A	B	C		
10.16	1				Lou Ann O'Rourke, Scottsdale AZ; Giorgio Duboin, Torino Italy; Antonio Sementa, Parma PR 43100 Italy; Marc Jacobus, Las Vegas NV	69.00
7.62	2				Rodney Paxton, Coeur D'Alene ID; Ernest Olness Jr, Billings MT; Allan Sorensen - Paul Sorensen, Berwyn AB	64.00
5.72	3				Phyllis Bausher, West Haven CT; Helen Pawlowski, Westfield MA; Sandy Kiesel, Bakersfield CA; Sandra DeMartino, Riverside CT	60.00
4.29	4				Dan Fowler - Bill Wisdom, Salisbury NC; Kay Joyce - Randy Joyce, Raleigh NC	59.00
3.21	5				John Schwartz, Plano TX; Nadine McDowell, Green Valley AZ; Carol Mahoney, Kokomo IN; Fay Teal, Mesa AZ	58.00
2.41	6				Carolyn Lynch, Scottsdale AZ; Mike Passell, Las Vegas NV; Adam Zmudzinski, Katowice 40-479 Poland; Cezary Balicki, Smolec Poland; Andrew Gromov - Aleksander Dubinin, Moscow Russia	57.00
7.13	1	1			Gina Bresler, Fort Washington PA; Susan Kestenbaum, Huntingdon VY PA; Sue Boyle, Seaview WA; JoAnn Dawley, Astoria OR	56.00
5.35	2				Randal Gentillon - Jim Lucas - Alfred Kemp, Idaho Falls ID; Milton Kalikman, Azusa CA	53.00
4.01	3	2			Dave Hellwig, Minneapolis MN; Donald McKush, Pride Lake MN; Leonard Greene, Hamel MN; Richard Cottle, St Paul MN	50.00
3.01	4				James Smith, Mapleton OR; David Wilmington, Eureka CA; Richard Morris - Katherine Morris, Portland OR	49.00
1.98	5/6				Michael Keller, Kalispell MT; Stephen Visocan, Townsend MT; Ann Zorn, Billings MT; Robert Donaldson, Ogden UT	48.00
1.98	5/6				Douglas Hong, San Jose CA; June Lucas, Reno NV; Thomas Burger, Englewood CO; Fung Bao, Cupertino CA	48.00
2.56	3				Lewis Richardson Jr - Monica Taylor, Astoria OR; Sharon Rooney - D. Ann Carver, Seaview WA	42.00
1.68	4/5				Herb Wiltsek - Bobbi Wiltsek, San Francisco CA; Carol Lefcourt - Henry Harris, Incline Vlg NV	39.00
1.68	4/5				Pamela Gladysz - Jerome Gladysz, Ft Worth TX; Sharon Herron, Kitty Hawk NC; Joyce Stone, Southern Shrs NC	39.00
1.08	6				Robert Preece, Long Beach CA; Therese Milford, Frisco TX; Diane Elliott, Torrance CA; Lou Warwick, Arlington WA	38.00

EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION KO BRACKET I

16 Teamss
Nancy Zakim, Kentfield CA; Kirsten Wibroe, Sausalito CA; Paul Bubendey, Chicago IL; Jim Wakefield, Fairfax Station VA
vs
Michael Bodell, Santa Clara CA; Douglas H Scott - Norman Holthouse - Tom Ottley, Anchorage AK

James Melville, Springfield IL; Will Engel, Freeport IL; Sun-O Ho, Brookfield WI; William McFall, New Berlin WI; Joshua Stark, Grayslake IL

vs
Ellis Feigenbaum, Petah Tikva 493 Israel; Robert Kent, Marina Del Rey CA; Marjorie Michelin, Laguna Hills CA; Steve Clements, Aliso Viejo CA; David Siebert, Little Rock AR; Howard Parker III, Clements CA

EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION KO BRACKET II

9 Teamss
Jean Monette, Hallandale FL; Robert Hill, Anchorage AK; James Easterling, Casselberry FL; Robert Michaud, Sun City West AZ

vs
Pam Himes - Jerry Himes, Merritt Island FL; Linda Glynn - Burt O'Dell, Jacksonville FL

John Cox, Kellogg ID; Ann Zorn, Billings MT; Stephen Visocan, Townsend MT; Robert Kroupa, Idaho Falls ID

vs
Henry Caspar - Nancy Strohmer - Hans Strohmer, Houston TX; Edward Rais, Anchorage AK; Terry Richardson, Austin TX

EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION BRACKET III

16 Teamss
Robert McNeil, San Francisco CA; Jan Ratliff, Highland Park IL; Robert Roman, Greenbrae CA; Lenore Cavallero, Hillsborough CA; John Chan, Sacramento CA

vs
Madhusudan Patel, Houston TX; Joyce Remsen, Sparks NV; Marcia McCalden, Wolcott CO; Jo Dee Bowen, Jonestown TX

David Findley - Blythe Olshan Findley, Westchester IL; J Michael Bowes - Ginger Bowes, McKinleyville CA

vs
Wayne Kaneko - Barbara Simon, Honolulu HI; Sabrina O'Hearn - James O'Hearn, Surprise AZ

EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION KO BRACKET IV

13 Teamss
Claire Young - Wallace McOuatt, San Anselmo CA; Phyllis Kreider - Donald Kreider, San Rafael CA

vs
Bradley Holcombe, White Salmon WA; Thomas Collins, Sedona AZ; Leonard Greene, Hamel MN; Donald McKush, Pride Lake MN

Dennis Sager - Jean Sager, Stanwood WA; Joe Moore - Chris Moore, Delta BC

vs
Donna Cosgrove - James Rush - Martha Arrington - Carla Niemeier, Idaho Falls ID

FIRST FRIDAY-SATURDAY KOS BRACKET I

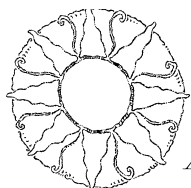
17 Teams
Hansa Narasimhan, Los Altos Hills CA; B Satyanarayanan, New Delhi India; Uttam Gupta, Bangalore India; Anal Shah, Bombay India; Sumit Mukherjee, Rolkata India; Kirubakara Moorthy, Chennai India

vs
Richard DeMartino, Riverside CT; Lloyd Arvedon, Bedford MA; Betty Bloom - Steve Bloom, Duanesburg NY; John Stiefel, Wethersfield CT

Life Master news

Monica Taylor of Astoria OR is a new Bronze Life Master, a rank requiring 500 masterpoints

and other requirements. She achieved it while playing in the one-session Swiss Teams with Lewis Richardson, Jr. of Astoria OR, and D. Ann Carver and Sharon Rooney of Ilwaco WA.



HOT TIME in the MID-ATLANTIC

As the weather gets warm, bridge gets red-hot along the Mid-Atlantic. Be sure your calendar includes these huge tournaments from Memorial Day through Labor Day. ALL FOUR rate to be among the ACBL's top 15 attended regionals of the year.

**Raleigh, NC,
May 25-31**

North Raleigh Hilton (919) 872-2323. Most rooms are gone (\$74 bridge rate), but there are loads of nearby and economical alternatives. All-time attendance record set last time, in 2008. Chair: John Marriott (919) 582-2132, jdmarriottjr@hotmail.com.

**North Bethesda, MD,
July 5-11**

Bethesda North Marriott (301) 822-9200. Spend the biggest summer holiday with the family, then head to the Nation's Capital for a week of great bridge and unparalleled hospitality. Co-chair: Fred King (703) 307-2285, fredmking@gmail.com.

**Hunt Valley, MD,
Aug. 16-22**

Baltimore Marriott Hunt Valley Inn (410) 785-7000. Take advantage of what big cities offer in nearby Baltimore or enjoy the Maryland countryside. Either way, you'll have a great tournament. Chair: Patricia Wilson (410) 825-7579, valleybridg@cs.com.

**Atlanta, GA,
Aug. 31-Sept. 6**

Crowne Plaza Ravinia (770) 395-7700. Championship events at 1:30 & 7:30 and 10:30 & 3. One of the Mid-Atlantic's classiest properties, with restaurants and shops just a short walk away. Chair: Jack Feagin (404) 252-9246, jfcagin2@bellsouth.net.

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Michal Kwiecien, Lublin 20-732 Poland; Rafal Jagniewski, Legiowowo Poland; Jacek Jerzy Kalita, Warsaw Poland; Krzysztof Kotorowicz, Bialystok 15 Poland

vs
Raymond Raskin, King of Prussia PA; Peter Filandro - Marie Filandro, Wilmington DE; Elaine Landow, Lansdale PA

Mary Ann Berg, Atherton CA; John Mohan, Huixquilucan Mexico; Huub Bertens, Tilburg Netherlands; Bauke Muller, Hoom Netherlands; Simon De Wijs, Doorn Netherlands; Ton Bakkeren, Oosterwijk Netherlands

vs
Romain Zaleski - Albert Faigenbaum - Dominique Pilon - Jean Quantin, Paris France; Marc Bompis, Bourg La Reine France

FIRST FRIDAY-SATURDAY KOS BRACKET II

16 Teams
Joyce Hampton, Blythewood SC; Jenny Wolpert, Singer Island FL; Sylvie Willard, Paris France; Cronr Benedict, Paris France; Grzegorz Narkiewicz, Bielsk Poland; Krzysztof Buras, Warszawa Poland

vs
Jeffrey Hack, San Jose CA; Faye Parsons, Saratoga CA; Bruce Blakely - H Vince Mueller, San Rafael CA
Cecil Cook, Long Beach CA; Samuel Haveson, Los Angeles CA; Eugene White Jr, Playa del Rey CA; David Segal, Sammamish WA

vs
Ed Howard, Lawrence KS; Robert Carstedt, Wichita KS; Dennis Goldston, Colorado Spgs CO; Kim Corbin, Scottsdale AZ

FIRST FRIDAY-SATURDAY KOS BRACKET III

16 Teams
Justin Beck, Millbrae CA; Richard Williams - Jody Williams, San Carlos CA; Charles Riffle, Emerald Hills CA

vs
Norman Holthouse - Kathryn Centoni - Wonnice Duncan, Anchorage AK; Norman Marks, Oakland CA

David Willmott, Folsom CA; Doug Hawrelak - Dora Lee - Nancy Cook, Edmonton AB

vs
Robert Todd - Theresa Andino, Tallahassee FL; Lotta Brafman, Chevy Chase MD; Charlotte Blum, La Jolla CA; Victoria Gregory, Pittsburg KS

FIRST FRIDAY-SATURDAY KOS BRACKET IV

16 Teams
Dale Dye, Wyndmoor PA; Bridgett Pitt, Brookhaven PA; Marc Franklin, Portland OR; Ceron Stevens, Marquette MI

vs
Rand Pinsky - Kathy Swaine, Valencia CA; Carol Ashbacher - Richard Ashbacher, Newhall CA

Theodore Maki, Northridge CA; Raelene Kirkbride, Rock Hill SC; Carolyn Timmermann, Vancouver WA; Lorraine Adams, Granada Hills CA

vs
Henry Caspar - Hans Strohmer - Nancy Strohmer, Houston TX; Terry Richardson, Austin TX; Edward Rais, Anchorage AK

FIRST FRIDAY-SATURDAY KOS BRACKET V

16 Teams
Wayne Kaneko - Barbara Simon, Honolulu HI; James O'Hearn - Sabrina O'Hearn, Surprise AZ

vs
Sherry Greisen, Houston TX; Julia Blancet, League City TX; Debbi Myers - Kay Olness, Billings MT

Eddie Cormier, St Louis PE; Darla Petersen, Ajax ON; Paul Klaverkamp - Lloyd Graven, Minneapolis MN

vs
Robert Coole - Anne Kendal - Michael Petrescu - Allan Becker, Prince George BC

FIRST FRIDAY-SATURDAY KOS BRACKET VI

16 Teams
Matthew Duffy - William Brellenthin, Edina MN; Thomas Racciatti, Minneapolis MN; Sam Dodson, Houston TX

vs
Robert Wright - Olga Wright - Nancy Klym - Karen Levy, Calgary AB

Charles Burns - Joe Rottmann - Lynda Hirst - Jeanie Bettis, Vancouver WA

vs
Leo Carney - Robert Miller, Penn Valley CA; Lois Hopkins - Rene Morand, Grass Valley CA

FIRST FRIDAY-SATURDAY KOS BRACKET VII

16 Teams
Lynne Humphrey, Moraga CA; Trisha Oconnor - Pat Krock, Walnut Creek CA; William Barron, Benicia CA

vs
Anthony Salam, Brentwood CA; Alan Morris, Oakley CA; Natalie Crew - Clifford Crew, Rio Vista CA

34.0 Tables

	A	B	C
15.40	1		
11.55	2	1	
8.66	3		
6.50	4		
5.13	5		
5.14	6		
3.85	7		
3.42	8		
3.31	9		
3.03	10		
7.31		2	1
5.48		3	2
4.11		4	
3.25		5	
2.78		6	
2.44		7	
3.62			3
2.71			4
2.66			5
1.84			6

6.0 Tables

0.93	1		
0.70	2		
0.46	3/4		
0.46	3/4		

19.5 Tables

	A	B	C
4.24	1		
3.46	2	1	1
2.60	3	2	2
1.95	4	3	
1.46	5/6	4	3
1.41	5/6		
1.09		5	4
1.06		6	5

8.0 Tables

	A	B	
1.89	1	1	
1.42	2		
1.06	3	2	
0.70	4/5	3/4	
0.70	4/5	3/4	

30.0 Tables

	A	B	C
14.35	1	1	
10.76	2	2	
8.07	3		
6.05	4		
6.02	5		
4.10	6		
3.59	7		
3.19	8		
2.87	9		
4.48		3	
3.36		4	
4.70		5	1
3.53		6	2
2.64			3
1.98			4
1.60			5

9.0 Tables

	A	B	C
2.68	1		
2.01	2		
1.90	3	1	
1.13	4		
1.47	5	2	1
1.10		3	2
0.80		4	
0.83			3

FIRST FRIDAY DAYLIGHT PAIRS

Brian Hingerty - Fred Williams, Knoxville TN	63.87%
Cordelia Menges, New York NY; Jay Baudler, Piedmont CA	63.43%
Steve Kornegay - Nancy Kornegay, N Richlnd Hls TX	62.14%
Peter Mosheim, Miami FL; Janice Molson, Hollywood FL	60.23%
Somers Collins, Little Rock AR; Jerry Clerkin, Bloomington IN	59.76%
Gary Todd - Mike Hansen, Vancouver WA	59.31%
Carol Cummings, Owatonna MN; Pat Burrows, Rochester MN	56.80%
En Hay, Littleton CO; Al Kane, Pueblo West CO	56.77%
Kenneth McBride - Donna McBride, Kerrville TX	56.42%
Phillis Herbster - Louis Herbster, Tucson AZ	56.08%
Catherine Johnson, Reno NV; Evelyn Almeleh, Sparks NV	54.18%
Francis Walton, Gold Canyon AZ; Mary Ann Walton, West Linn OR	53.70%
John Cagney - Edith Cagney, N Fort Myers FL	53.60%
Bud Stowe - Kay Stowe, Clive IA	53.43%
Charles Cohler - Anne Cohler, San Francisco CA	53.33%
Franklin Gonzalez, Menlo Park CA; Henryk Szejnwald, Los Altos CA	51.83%
Melena Ose - Enlow Ose, Sacramento CA	51.25%
Mary Williamson, Sunnyvale CA; Fred Brown, San Jose CA	50.85%
Sandra Carton, Billings MT; Jacqueline Goodling, Mesa AZ	50.02%
Stephen Chiarello - Barb Lotief, Las Vegas NV	49.85%

FIRST FRIDAY AFTERNOON 0-5 PAIRS

Robert Savage - Jana Savage, Lincoln CA	62.35%
Donald Dufour - Bernie Dufour, Weyburn SK	59.85%
William Schrader - Philip Israel, Lakeview OR	56.73%
Marcus Jastrow - William Jastrow, Reno NV	56.73%

FIRST FRIDAY AFTERNOON 100/200/300 PAIRS

Steven Parke - Kathleen Adams-Parke, Lincoln CA	67.86%
Lois Horwitz, Piedmont CA; Myrna Rudman, Sacramento CA	62.33%
Dee Minazzoli, Newbury Park CA; James Rhew, Raleigh NC	61.66%
Jeanne Russo - Dee Alexander, Modesto CA	59.23%
Juanita Painter - David Myers, Austin TX	58.33%
Jeanne Cochran - Fred Cochran, Danville CA	58.33%
Ruth Baker, Valencia CA; Jerry Burrill, Newhall CA	56.87%
Bonnie Chan - Lisa Darcy, Visalia CA	55.95%

FIRST FRIDAY AFTERNOON 20/50 PAIRS

Judy Goodnow - Warren Goodnow, Palo Alto CA	61.67%
Eileen Milligan, Corvallis OR; Kathy Rodeman, Washougal WA	60.83%
Daniel Ellsworth, Anchorage AK; Wayne Jameson, Austin TX	59.58%
John Kunzman - Rebecca Kunzman, Orinda CA	57.08%
Elizabeth Biggins, Palos Verdes CA; Laurie David, Rolling Hills E CA	57.08%

FRIDAY OPEN PAIRS

Paul Gans Jr, Redding CA; William Barnes, Union NJ	62.84%
Joel Singer, Santa Clara CA; Gary Singer, Spokane WA	61.08%
Jack Scott, El Cerrito CA; Gene Simpson, San Rafael CA	58.40%
Demeter Manning - Thomas Wood, Crestline CA	58.00%
Jerry Bigler, Austin TX; George Pisk, Manchaca TX	57.40%
Cheryl Schneider, Westerville OH; Cindy Sealy, Huntsville AL	56.57%
Thomas Corlett - Ethel Corlett, Waco TX	56.28%
Darlene Shirey - Steve Shirey, Fort Worth TX	55.89%
Daniel Hoekstra, Portland OR; John Zamboni, Caldwell ID	55.49%
Paul Pugsley - Brenda Pugsley, Carson City NV	54.50%
Karen Copeland - William Kreps III, Raleigh NC	53.93%
J Michael Bowes - Ginger Bowes, McKinleyville CA	51.84%
Graham Grist, Norfolk England; Barnaby Grist, San Francisco CA	51.59%
Jane Youngberg, Surrey BC; Ann Hung, Vancouver BC	50.47%
Emily Rankin - Jon Rankin, Nichols NY	49.43%
Marianne Van Gelder, Monterey CA; Carole Le Brun, Salinas CA	49.28%

FRIDAY EVENING 299ER PAIRS

David Fotland - Wendy Fotland, San Jose CA	66.37%
Jeanne Russo - Dee Alexander, Modesto CA	64.88%
Louise Abbott, Los Osos CA; Gina Kirk, San Luis Obispo CA	63.39%
Fred Cochran - Jeanne Cochran, Danville CA	55.65%
William Schrader - Philip Israel, Lakeview OR	55.36%
Mac Ryland - Judy Ryland, Atlanta GA	54.46%
Juanita Painter - David Myers, Austin TX	48.81%
Stephanie Council - Barton Council, Novato CA	46.43%

PLATINUM PAIRS QUALIFIERS

39.0 Tables

1	Howard Weinstein, Sarasota FL; Steve Garner, Chicago IL	536.22
2	Nikolay Demirev, Arlington Hts IL; Gavin Wolpert, Singer Island FL	531.21
3	Nicolas L'Ecuyer, Montreal QC; Jim Krekorian, Pensacola FL	521.73
4	Zygmunt Marcinski, Westmount QC; Bryan Maksymetz, Squamish BC	516.07
5	Andrew Stark - Franco Baseggio, New York NY	508.79
6	Gary Gottlieb, Brooklyn NY; Peter Fredin, Malmo Sweden	506.92
7	R Jay Becker, New York NY; Robert Levin, Lake Ariel PA	505.48
8	Seymon Deutsch, Laredo TX; John Kranyak, Bay Village OH	504.01
9	John Hurd, New York NY; Joel Wooldridge, Williamsville NY	502.51
10	William Cole, Silver Spring MD; Jeff Roman, Alexandria VA	501.18
11	Len Vishnevsky, San Francisco CA; Bob Etter, Sacramento CA	498.41
12	Ai-Tai Lo, Reston VA; Alan Schwartz, Fairfax VA	497.33
13	Michael Kamil, Holmdel NJ; Martin Fleisher, New York NY	497.28
14	Hemant Lall - Bob Hamman, Dallas TX	496.39
15	Randy Pickett - John Lusky, Portland OR	493.98
16	Peter Boyd, Darnestown MD; Steve Robinson, Arlington VA	493.70
17	Cindy Bernstein, Memphis TN; Buddy Hanby, Spring TX	493.04
18	Peter Bertheau, Taby Sweden; Johan Upmark, 115 58 Stockho Sweden	492.73
19	Jan Jansma, Malden Netherlands; Russell Ekeblad, Portsmouth RI	492.27
20	Daniel Friedman - Linda Friedman, Orinda CA	492.13
21	Bob Jones, Hypoluxo FL; Ulf Nilsson, Dalby Sweden	489.75
22	John Diamond, Boca Raton FL; Brian Platnick, Evanston IL	486.96
23	Apolinary Kowalski, Warsaw 0 Poland; Krzysztof Jassem, Puszczykoud Poland	485.10
24	Richard Schwartz, East Elmhurst NY; Louk Verhees, 2215 SH Voorhou Netherlands	483.31
25	Douglas Doub, W Hartford CT; Franklin Merblum, Bloomfield CT	483.25
26	Dan Morse, Houston TX; John Sutherlin, Dallas TX	483.17
27	Jeff Meckstroth, Tampa FL; Perry Johnson, Bloomfield Hls MI	482.44
28	Uday Ivatury - Christal Henner-Welland, New York NY	481.79
29	Lynne Feldman, San Diego CA; Barry Schaffer, Frisco TX	481.25
30	Jim Looby, Burbank CA; Ed Ulman, Portland OR	481.13
31	Adam Meyerson, Los Angeles CA; Samuel Ieong, Mountain View CA	480.37
32	Erik Saelensminde, Bergen Norway; Boye Brogeland, Norway	477.22
33	Ljudmila Kamenova, Stony Brook NY; Stephen Gladyszak, Chelsea MA	477.18
34	Frank Nickell, New York NY; Ralph Katz, Burr Ridge IL	476.96
35	Dale Johannesen - Lynn Johannesen, Saratoga CA	476.01
36	Ishmael Delmonte, Sydney Australia; Ashley Bach, Germany	475.64
37	Alan Osofsky, Palm Beach FL; Alan Sontag, Gaithersburg MD	474.56
38	Geoffrey Brod, Avon CT; Pat McDevitt, Brookline MA	473.19
39	Kit Woolsey, Kensington CA; Fred Stewart, Bloomington NY	472.54
40	Kyle Larsen, San Francisco CA; Rose Meltzer, Los Gatos CA	469.58
41	Tor Helness, Oslo Norway; Roy Welland, New York NY	469.39
42	Jared Lilienstein, New York NY; Jacek Pszczola, Chapel Hill NC	469.22
43	Michael Roche, Victoria BC; Daniel Gerstman, Buffalo NY	469.07
44	Jim Foster, Birmingham AL; Larry Sealy, Huntsville AL	467.95
45	Yuxiong Shen, Shanghai 20004 People's Republic of China; Yi Zhong, Cockeysville MD	465.99
46	Ahmed Hussein - Tarek Sadek, Cairo Egypt	464.87
47	Migry Zur Campanile, New York NY; Zia Mahmood, London SW40DQ England	464.38
48	Stephen Landen, Ellicott City MD; Mark Cohen, Glen Ridge NJ	464.26
49	Claire Tornay - George Tornay Jr, Palm Beach Gdns FL	463.58
50	Pamela Granovetter - Matt Granovetter, Cincinnati OH	461.78
51	Tom Kniest, University City MO; Karen Walker, Champaign IL	461.05
52	Bart Bramley, Dallas TX; Bjorn Fallenius, New York NY	460.00
53	Eric Stoltz, Portland OR; Roger McNay, Beaverton OR	459.96
54	Qing Yang, Cupertino CA; Ethan Yi Liu, Chicago IL	458.79
55	Fredrik Nystrom, 11421 Stockholm Sweden; Grace Jeklin, Surrey BC	458.54
56	Lewis Gamerman, Westwood MA; Anton Tsympkin, Ashland MA	456.99
57	Jeffrey Taylor, Eugene OR; Craig Robinson, Lansdale PA	456.09
58	Rozanne Pollack, Basking Ridge NJ; Cheri Bjerkan, Elmhurst IL	455.99
59	Cathy Nathan - Marc Nathan, New York NY	454.61
60	Martha Katz, Burr Ridge IL; Donna Compton, Dallas TX	454.28
61	Alan Kleist, Cheverly MD; Stephen McConnell, Evanston IL	454.13
62	Martin De Knijff, Las Vegas NV; Frederic Wrang, Stockholm 1 Sweden	454.01
63	Jill Meyers, Santa Monica CA; Jill Levin, Lake Ariel PA	453.58
64	David Grainger, Etobicoke ON; Ari Greenberg, San Francisco CA	453.09
65	Alan Applebaum, Brookline MA; Victor King, Hartford CT	449.89
66	Kevin Wilson, Knoxville TN; David Walker, Salem VA	449.57
67	Susan Wexler, New York NY; Brenda Bryant, Ferndale MI	449.44
68	Eric Greco, Philadelphia PA; Geoff Hampson, Las Vegas NV	448.56
69	Jaggy Shivdasani, Pleasantville NY; Winthrop Allegaert, New York NY	448.46
70	Kamla Chawla, Longmeadow MA; Daniel Boye, Farmington NY	447.44
71	Barry Piafsky, New York NY; Don Piafsky, Toronto ON	447.29
72	George Jacobs, Hinsdale IL; Norberto Bocchi, Barcelona 080 Spain	446.19
73	Sabine Auken, Charlottenlund Denmark; Daniela von Arnim, Hockenh Germany	445.48
74	Richard Potter, Black Mountain NC; John Potter, Panama City FL	445.13
75	Douglas Simson - Walter Johnson, Columbus OH	443.68
76	Dan Jacob, Vancouver BC; Nagy Kamel, Plano TX	443.13
77	Margot Hennings - Donald Hennings, Annandale VA	442.81
78	Rob Stevens, Aptos CA; Edward Barlow, Sunnyvale CA	441.22

Lynne White - John White, Lincoln CA; Thomas Porter, Castlegar BC; Michael O'Rourke, Baden ON

vs

Mark Lundblad - Rick Weiss - David Weinberg - Richard Michelsen, Reno NV

FIRST FRIDAY-SATURDAY KOS BRACKET VIII

16 Teams

Wilhelmina White - Carole Schmitz - Marlene Lamoureaux, Redding CA; Susan Haas, Yuma AZ

vs

Claire Young - Wallace McQuat, San Anselmo CA; Phyllis Kreider - Donald Kreider, San Rafael CA

Rosemary Boss - Peter Boss, Benicia CA; Joyce Goodman - Eldonna Dayton, Concord CA

vs

Barbara Vervenne - Patsy Martin - Wanda Kuehler - Mary Kurio, Austin TX

Slow play: the curse of the game

Patty Johnson, Sebring FL, is a National Tournament Director and the Director-in-Charge for all District 9 (Florida) tournaments.

An old tournament director friend of mine, John "Spider" Harris, was famous for the saying: "Slow play is the curse of the game." Nothing is more frustrating for tournament directors than having to herd players along like cattle when slow play isn't actually the problem.

If you take a moment to think about it, most of your opponents do not take that long to bid or play a deal -- yet before you know it, the round is being called and you are nowhere near finished with the last board.

Here are some suggestions which, if followed, would solve many of our problems.

First: do not post mortem between deals whether you are in a pair game or a Swiss team event. Finish the round and then discuss hands if there is still time. We, as directors, will not cut your time but I think you will find yourselves under less pressure by following this suggestion. Remember: we provide hand records in pair games so you don't have to worry about forgetting a particular holding.

Second: if you are on opening lead, make your lead before recording the contract in your private score. You will have plenty of time after leading to record the information and still see the entire first trick.

Third: unless you have a legitimate reason to leave the table, such as the restroom or a smoke break, please remain at the table and visit with your opponents. You might actually find this enjoyable and a new way to make friends or future Swiss team partnerships.

I wish we could make these suggestions into rules enforceable by penalty but none of us wants a bridge event decided by the pair with the fewest penalties. All I can do as a director is to ask the cooperation and help of all players because I think not only you but everyone else will enjoy their tournaments more.

Remember: those who enjoy a tournament will continue to play. Do your part to make bridge enjoyable for yourself, your partner and your opponents -- you can't play without them.

Masterpoint disclaimer

Scores as reported in the Daily Bulletin are subject to change because of score changes or corrections. The masterpoint awards as shown are, therefore, also subject to change.

FRIDAY EVENING 299ER SWISS TEAM

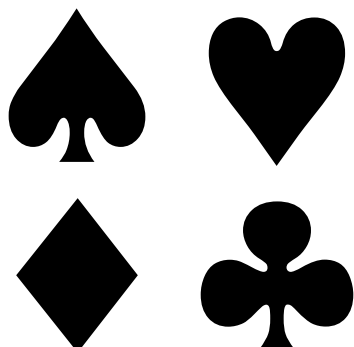
9 Tables		A	B	
2.68	1	1	Richard Rodeman - Kathy Rodeman, Washougal WA; Barbara Pyles, Portland OR; Eileen Milligan, Corvallis OR	60.00
2.01	2		Jeri Nelson - Cyann Martin, Neenah WI; Diana Whitfield - Marcia Jameson, Austin TX	48.00
1.32	3/4		Richard Markell, Los Gatos CA; Robert Martin, Saratoga CA; Maralyn Smith, San Jose CA; Sheilah Wasserman, San Rafael CA	44.00
1.34	3/4	2	Brenna Wundram, Los Gatos CA; Gwen Davey, Fresno CA; William Pearman, Honolulu HI; D Marie Bresch, Carson City NV	44.00

The Insider

The ACBL's newest big-time event, the Platinum Pairs, made its debut yesterday. This six-session endurance test started yesterday, will continue today and stagger to a close tomorrow --- just in time for these super pairs to reconfigure themselves into teams to drive for the Vanderbilt title. (Pre-registration for the Vanderbilt closes at 8 p.m. Sunday.) Adding to the stagger factor, everyone will lose an hour of sleep tonight as we "spring ahead" for Daylight Saving Time. Don't forget to reset clocks, watches, sundials, hour glasses and any other method of time keeping you may have. Then, if it is electronic, turn it off before buying your entry --- or leave it in your room or at the phone-check desk if buying an NABC+ entry. The Insider would hate to read about the winner of the Platinum Pairs being determined by an electronic device penalty, especially if the device wasn't even accurate due to the time change. Ouch and double ouch.

Look at all the real information the Insider put into that last paragraph. And both of you thought he just wrote this for entertainment. Speaking of entertainment, be sure to check out Confessions of an "Old" Showgirl tomorrow at 6:30 p.m. She has tales to tell, names to drop, rumors to confirm and feathers to share.

The Insider popped his head into the Club and Teacher Reception yesterday and was impressed with the turnout (and the door prize). The Insider is sure that all of you who have club dealings with headquarters are well aware of how hard Carol and her staff work to take care of all your needs. That same staff also handles membership renewals, inquiries, complaints, customer service and about 17 billion random requests. If you see Carol, be sure to let her know how much you appreciate the excellent work her department does day in and day out.



NABC IMP PAIRS QUALIFIERS

78.0 Tables			
1		Billy Miller, Las Vegas NV; H Jay Sloofman, Ardsley NY	120.64
2		Lynn Deas, Schenectady NY; Tom Townsend, London England	102.76
3		Jonathan Green, Kingston NY; Norman Rubin, Monticello NY	95.01
4		William Esberg, Long Branch NJ; Nan Wang, Eatontown NJ	92.75
5		Phil Clayton, Mission Viejo CA; Sathya Bettadapura, Campbell CA	91.41
6		Venkatrao Koneru, San Antonio TX; Ira Chorush, Houston TX	78.57
7		Mel Colchamiro, Merrick NY; Bob Feller, Guilderland NY	78.48
8		Barry Rigal, New York NY; Alex Ornstein, Roslyn Heights NY	77.83
9		Leszek Rabiega, Salt Lake City UT; Nick Bykov, Stockton CA	76.74
10		Dennis Kastle, Bloomfield MI; Chuck Burger, West Bloomfield MI	75.67
11		Lon Sunshine, Framingham MA; Ivanie Yeo, Brighton MA	67.28
12		Jack Lacy, Lago Vista TX; James Thurtell, Dallas TX	63.72
13		Jon Baldursson, Hafnarfjordur Iceland; Thorlakur Jonsson, Kopavogur Iceland	62.99
14		Larry Mori, Clearwater FL; Leonard Melander, West Bloomfield MI	62.76
15		Murray Melton - Keith Garber, Las Vegas NV	62.07
16		Aidan Ballantyne - Katrin Litwin, Burnaby BC	61.68
17		Joseph Fox, Oakhurst CA; B Marshall, Tulsa OK	61.09
18		Rob Crawford, Henderson NV; Hadi Allahverdian, Portland OR	60.21
19		Corinne Kirkham - Jim Kirkham, Leawood KS	57.74
20		Michael Moss, New York NY; George Mittelman, Toronto ON	56.07
21		Hua Poon, Singapore Singapore; Allen Tan, Singapore Singapore	55.59
22		Jerry Helms - Robert Bitterman, Charlotte NC	55.04
23		Lin Goldstein - Raija Davis, Reno NV	53.17
24		Dave Westfall, Spokane WA; John Moffat, Bellingham WA	51.88
25		Andre Chartrand, Lery QC; Charles Martineau, Brossard QC	51.20
26		Christy Kellogg, Buffalo NY; Elbert Hargesheimer III, Hamburg NY	49.42
27		Merlin Vilhauer, Beaverton OR; Richard Carle, Longview WA	49.28
28		Scott Gates, Miamisburg OH; Norman Coombs, Brookville IN	49.12
29		Wolfe Thompson, Vancouver WA; Marc Zwerling, Portland OR	48.88
30		Mike Cappelletti, Winter Park FL; John Morris, Atlanta GA	48.66
31		Sheila Pies, Osprey FL; Harriet Eaton Morris, Miami FL	48.29
32		Jon Bartlett - Hal Montgomery, Portland OR	46.37
33		Robert Quinlan, Pittsburgh PA; Jean Prior, Bethel Park PA	45.41
34		Bruce Rogoff, Tenafly NJ; Joshua Parker, Briarcliff NY	44.90
35		Albert Shekhter, Brooklyn NY; George Krizel, Fstrvl Trvose PA	44.16
36		Lyle Poe Jr, Ellicott City MD; Thomas Weik, Reading PA	43.29
37		Ronald Tracy, Edmonds WA; Tom Hammond, Redmond WA	42.84
38		Dick Bruno, Des Plaines IL; Robert Gardner, Glenview IL	42.39
39		Peter Rank, Palm Springs CA; Rhoda Walsh, Palm Desert CA	42.31
40		Linda Smith - Ron Smith, Hixson TN	42.06
41		Lowell Andrews, Huntington Bch CA; Weidong Pei, Brea CA	41.72
42		Arun Savara, Honolulu HI; Birger Holmquist, Kaneohe HI	41.33
43		Gene Benedict - Robert Brandow, Toledo OH	41.15
44		Ernie Tradewell - Brian Fraser, Victoria BC	41.05
45		Pam Stratton, Las Vegas NV; G Gard Hays, Veradale WA	40.25
46		Angela Fenton, North Vancouver BC; Samantha Nystrom, Port Moody BC	40.03
47		Gemma Mariano, Metro Manila Philippines; John Zilic, Houston TX	39.41
48		Albert Shrive, Dalton PA; Jim McKeown, State College PA	39.23
49		Jeffrey Smith - Isabelle Smith, Ottawa ON	39.02
50		Melanie Tucker, New York NY; Kent Mignocchi, Bronx NY	38.08
51		Nader Hanna, Willowdale ON; Robert Lebi, Toronto ON	37.98
52		Scott Levine - Aaron Silverstein, New York NY	37.97
53		Amy Downing - Michael Schreiber, Memphis TN	37.48
54		David Sired, Winnipeg MB; Chris Buchanan, Edmonton AB	37.08
55		Michael Strebinger, Port Coquitlam BC; Les Fouks, Vancouver BC	35.91
56		Michael Golden, Wyckoff NJ; Chris Compton, Dallas TX	35.61
57		Justine Cushing - Melih Ozdil, New York NY	35.07
58		Jay Baum - Kathy Baum, Germantown TN	34.65
59		Robert Hampton, Blythewood SC; Steve Weinstein, Andes NY	33.32
60		Robert Klein, Santa Rosa CA; David Neuman, San Francisco CA	33.01
61		Kai Hiraki - Tadashi Teramoto, Tokyo Japan	32.89
62		Gaylor Kastle, Boca Raton FL; Drew Casen, Las Vegas NV	32.71
63		Andrew Vinock, Woodland Hills CA; Marta Peltz, West Hills CA	32.42
64		George Bloomer - Judith Bloomer, Pittsboro NC	32.27
65		Thomas Peters - Carolyn Peters, Grapeland TX	32.08
66		Tony Ames, Minnetonka MN; Sharon Anderson, Eagan MN	30.77
67		Donald Gladman - Ken Penton, Calgary AB	30.56
68		Philip Benner - Carolyn Benner, El Dorado Hills CA	30.51
69		Chris Lubesnik, Bronx NY; Gary Moore, Northridge CA	30.38
70		Leo Bell, Long Beach CA; John Jones, Hacienda Hgts CA	30.12
71		Craig Hemphill, Jacksonville FL; Nancy Mitchell, Fleming Island FL	29.90
72		Ross Rainwater, Vancouver WA; Dennis Metcalf, Portland OR	28.15
73		Ken Monzingo, San Diego CA; Bonnie Bagley, Colorado Spgs CO	27.54
74		Sheldon Natenberg, Glenview IL; Lawrence Lau, Westport CT	27.29
75		Ken Scholes, Bellevue WA; Dick Yarrington, Seattle WA	27.15
76		James Lutz, Huntington Bh CA; Brian King, Redding CA	26.80
77		Stephen Hosch - Leonard Ernst, Las Vegas NV	26.63
78		Dee Steil - Gustav Axen, New Westminster BC	26.56
79		Andrew Gumperz, Castro Valley CA; Richard Reitman, Los Gatos CA	25.87

80	Jo Ginsberg, San Francisco CA; Rajeev Gupta, San Mateo CA	25.34
81	Craig Allen, Glen Ellyn IL; Michael Huston, Joplin MO	25.12
82	Ellen Crawford, Henderson NV; Muriel Altus, Tampa FL	25.03
83	Yatindra Sahae, Carmel Valley CA; Doug Handler, Berkeley CA	24.78
84	Jordan Cohen - Barry Senensky, Thornhill ON	24.50
85	Andy Kaufman, Smyrna DE; Vic Quiros, Renton WA	23.93
86	Christine Wright, San Lorenzo CA; Don Cohen, Oak Park IL	23.17
87	Greg Humphreys - Meg Myers, Charlottesville VA	23.07
88	Jon Wright, La Mesa CA; Greg Michaels, San Diego CA	23.05
89	Bruce Noda, Corte Madera CA; Mark Ralph, San Francisco CA	22.25
90	Qiang Zhang, Mountain House CA; Yanong Han, Fremont CA	22.14
91	Bill Hugenberg, Grand Junction CO; Dean Ishida, Blacklick OH	21.98
92	Valentin Kovachev, Stony Brook NY; John Russell, North Barrington IL	21.79
93	Eileen Easterling, Casselberry FL; Richard Wieland, Redding CT	21.68
94	Kenton Schoen, Burke VA; Diane Walker, Gaithersburg MD	19.24
95	Diane Graese, Las Vegas NV; Martin Caley, Montreal QC	19.08
96	Art Gulbrandsen, Monrovia CA; Mike Spero, Burbank CA	18.69
97	Sylvia Caley, Montreal QC; Simon Kantor, Agawam MA	18.61
98	Liam Johnstone, Birmingham England; Meg Andrews, San Francisco CA	18.34
99	Alfred Lee, Rncho Pls Vrd CA; Sankar Reddy, Cerritos CA	17.71
100	Joshua Donn, Las Vegas NV; Steven Love, Laguna Niguel CA	17.67
101	Jannes van 't Oever, Berkeley CA; Andrew Hoskins, Mountain View CA	17.11
102	Anthony Toto, Clovis CA; Curtis Reeves, Fresno CA	16.81
103/104	Ralph Cox - Karen Williams Cox, Centennial CO	16.00
103/104	Larry Pocock, New Westminster BC; Joel Martineau, Vancouver BC	16.00
105	Lewis Finkel, Jupiter FL; Allan Stauber, Palm Bch Grdns FL	15.76
106	Jack Shartsis, Huntington Wds MI; Lynne Schaeffer, W Bloomfield MI	15.45
107	Neil Kimelman - Marielle Brentnall, Winnipeg MB	15.35
108	William Doroshov, Skokie IL; Gary Cohler, Miami FL	14.36
109	Conrad Evans - Nels Erickson, Sparks NV	14.01
110	John Lewis, Ft Lauderdale FL; David Rogers, Southern Pines NC	13.96
111	Hendrik Sharples, Brush Prairie WA; Gerry Marshall, Calgary AB	13.76
112	George Klemic, Bensenville IL; Jonathan Rivet, Wheaton IL	13.55
113	David Brower, Portland OR; Linda Wiener, Vancouver WA	13.24
114	Matthew Mallory, San Diego CA; Ellis Feigenbaum, Petah Tikva 493 Israel	13.19
115	David Siebert, Little Rock AR; Rick Roeder, San Diego CA	12.92
116	Franklin Kastle, Flint MI; Martin Hirschman, Southfield MI	12.58
117	Eric Rodwell, Clearwater Bch FL; Paul Lewis, Zionsville IN	12.57
118	Michael McGuire, Hernando MS; Russ Jones, Jonesboro AR	12.05
119	Aida Saldzieva, Spijkennis Netherlands; James Gordon, S Burlington VT	11.69
120	Jim Hilton, Austin TX; Daniel Suty, Houston TX	11.56
121	Ellen Anten, Encino CA; Steve Gross, Westlake Vlg CA	11.43
122	Adam Kaplan, New Port Richey FL; Dana Berkowitz, Boca Raton FL	11.20
123	Jun Chen, Oakland CA; Bo Xiao, Fremont CA	10.87
124	Alan Watson, Lexington MA; David Becher, Peabody MA	10.60
125	Linda Mamula, Mill Creek WA; Rose Bolson, Lake Forest Par WA	10.56
126	Jeff Fang, Arcadia CA; Marilyn Loesberg, Rancho Mirage CA	10.53
127	Roy Baughman, Pantego TX; Mike Miller, Temple TX	10.22
128	Alan Popkin, St Louis MO; Nancy Popkin, Saint Louis MO	10.05
129	Douglas Burke, Fremont CA; Kevin Schoenfeld, Pleasanton CA	9.96
130	Cookie Hoberman, Omaha NE; Michael Edwards, Rock Island IL	9.56
131	Bruce Reeve - Chris Moll, Raleigh NC	9.01
132	Raymond Smith - Beverly Smith, Plymouth MN	8.53
133	Robert Giragosian, Bakersfield CA; Blake Rundquist, Clovis CA	8.44
134	Jack Margid, San Francisco CA; Jonathan Holmes, Houston TX	8.18
135	Andy Avery, Jamaica VT; Cecily Kohler, Washington DC	7.88
136	Phillip Grothus, San Antonio TX; Jacqueline Sincoff, Saint Louis MO	7.44
137	Michael Kovacich, Stone Mountain GA; Robert White, Raleigh NC	6.87
138	Caryn Villalon, Fallbrook CA; Ken McClenahan, Lone Tree CO	5.41
139	Steven Cooper, Ft Collins CO; Markland Jones, Phoenix AZ	5.26
140	John Cox, Kellogg ID; Jonathan Ferguson, Austin TX	5.19
141/142	Michael Lippitt, Danville CA; Vicki Lerner, San Francisco CA	5.15
141/142	Mike Cailean, Santa Clara CA; Pat Galligan, San Mateo CA	5.15
143	Mark Itabashi, Murrieta CA; Subba Ravipudi, Downey CA	4.99
144	Lu Kohutiak - Yvonne Hernandez, Unionville ON	4.78
145	Phyllis Fireman, Chestnut Hill MA; Shannon Cappelletti, Dania Beach FL	4.37
146	Pablo Lambardi - Pablo Ravenna, Buenos Aires 10 Argentina	3.94
147	Rod Caldwell, Snoqualmie WA; Stanford Christie, Federal Way WA	3.58
148	Suzi Subeck, Glenview Nas IL; Stanton Subeck, Glenview IL	3.45
149	Robert Cappelli, Bloomfield MI; Robert Katz, Ann Arbor MI	2.48
150	Lauren Block, Manhasset NY; Howard Friedman, Great Neck NY	2.07
151	Michael O'Hara, San Francisco CA; Stephen Castellino, Fremont CA	1.51
152	Julius Kerényi - Sheldon Fein, Lincoln CA	0.79
153	Ron Beall, Bellingham WA; Thomas Devine, Ferndale WA	0.73
154	Steve Scott - Suzette Wynn, Phoenix AZ	0.02
155	Marshall Kuschner, Reston VA; Jim Wakefield, Fairfax Station VA	-2.02
156	Kirshnan Ramaratnam, Jersey City NJ; K Venkatraman, Chennai India	-4.37



Angela Berneile of Pasadena CA is helped at the Partnership Desk by District 20 President Sam Asai of Hood River OR and Kazuko Nojima of Reno. The desk is open from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Entry fees

Players must be ACBL members whose service fees or dues are current in order to compete in any of the following nationally ranked events: NABC+ Platinum Pairs, Silodor Open Pairs, Vanderbilt Knockout Teams, Leventritt Silver Ribbon Pairs, Rockwell Mixed Pairs, Lebhar IMP Pairs, Whitehead Women's Pairs, Jacoby Open Swiss Teams, and the Machlin Women's Swiss Teams. The entry fees for these contests are \$20 per player per session.

Players must also be current ACBL members to play in the Bean Red Ribbon Pairs. The entry fee is \$17 per player per session.

Regional championships are \$16 per player per session for ACBL members, \$18 for non-members.

All other events are \$15 per player per session for ACBL members, \$17 for non-members.

(Note: There is no entry fee for any flight of the North American Pairs, but participants are still required to be paid-up members.)

Convention card reminder

Each player is required to have a convention card filled out legibly and on the table throughout a session. Both cards of a partnership must be identical and include the first and last names of each member of the partnership.



If a director determines that neither player has a substantially completed card, the partnership may play only the Standard American Yellow Card and may use only standard carding. This restriction may be lifted only at the beginning of a subsequent round after convention cards have been properly prepared and approved by the director. Further, the partnership will receive a 1/6-board matchpoint penalty for each board played, commencing with the next round and continuing until the restriction is lifted. In IMP team games, penalties shall be at the discretion of the director.

If the director determines the partnership has at least one substantially completed convention card but has not fully complied with ACBL regulations, the director may give warnings or assign such penalties as he deems to be appropriate under the circumstances.

The objective of these warnings and penalties is the encouragement of full compliance with ACBL regulations.

NABC IMP PAIRS FRIDAY EVENING 2ND QUALIFYING SESSION

Table with columns for North-South and East-West pairs, including names, scores, and section identifiers (F G, H I, J M, D E, K L N).

NABC PLATINUM PAIRS - SECOND QUALIFYING SESSION

Table with columns for North-South and East-West pairs, including names, scores, and section identifiers (A B C O P).

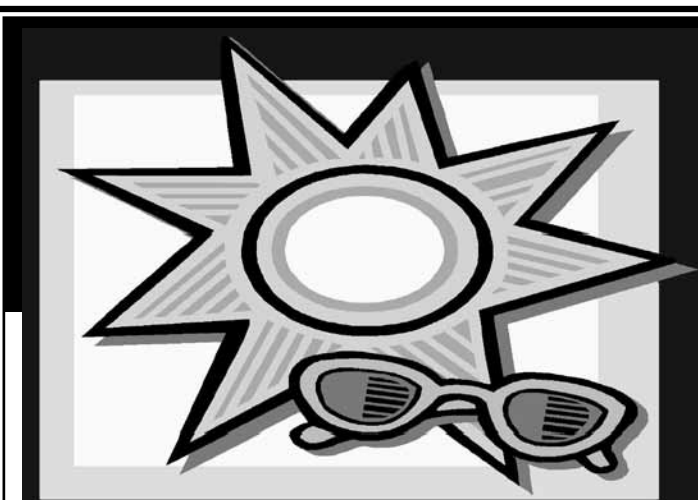
FRIDAY OPEN PAIRS SECOND SESSION

Table with columns for North-South and East-West pairs, including names, scores, and section identifiers (A B C, A B C).

FRIDAY EVENING SIDE GAME - 2ND OF 4 SESSION

Table with columns for North-South and East-West pairs, including names, scores, and section identifiers (SECTION WW, SECTION VV).

NORTH-SOUTH			FRIDAY EVENING 299ER PAIRS - FRIDAY EVENING SESSION			EAST-WEST			
A	B	C	Jeanne Russo - Dee Alexander, Modesto CA	64.88%	A	B	C	David Fotland - Wendy Fotland, San Jose CA	66.37%
1	1	1	William Schrader - Philip Israel, Lakeview OR	55.36%	2	1		Louise Abbott, Los Osos CA; Gina Kirk, San Luis Obispo CA	63.39%
3	2	2	Mac Ryland - Judy Ryland, Atlanta GA	54.46%	3			Fred Cochran - Jeanne Cochran, Danville CA	55.65%
4	3		Juanita Painter - David Myers, Austin TX	48.81%	4			Patty Harberson - Carolyn Zocchi, Petaluma CA	54.46%
						2	1	Robert Allen - Karen Allen, Laurel MT	42.56%
								Donald Dufour - Bernie Dufour, Weyburn SK	41.96%
NORTH-SOUTH			FIRST FRIDAY DAYLIGHT PAIRS FRIDAY AFTERNOON-2ND SESSION			EAST-WEST			
A	B	C	Steve Kornegay - Nancy Kornegay, N Richldn Hls TX	64.31%	A	B	C	Kenneth McBride - Donna McBride, Kerrville TX	57.07%
1	1		Cordelia Menges, New York NY; Jay Baudler, Piedmont CA	61.51%	2	1	1	Sandra Carton, Billings MT; Jacqueline Goodling, Mesa AZ	52.83%
2	2	1	John Williams - Carol Williams, Kailua HI	57.64%	3			Robert Johnson - Louis Ray, Las Vegas NV	50.32%
3	3		Charles Kohler - Anne Kohler, San Francisco CA	55.72%	4			En Hay, Littleton CO; Al Kane, Pueblo West CO	48.02%
4	3	2	Ginger Andersen, Tumwater WA; Linda Larkin, Lacey WA	52.55%		2	2	Kailash Sachdev - Rani Sachdev, The Woodlands TX	46.67%
						3		Jerry Anderson, Shasta Lake Cty CA; George Clarke, Redding CA	45.32%
						EAST-WEST			
NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION BBB			EAST-WEST			
A	B	C	Gary Todd - Mike Hansen, Vancouver WA	57.93%	A	B	C	Peter Mosheim, Miami FL; Janice Molson, Hollywood FL	58.35%
1	1	1	Francis Walton, Gold Canyon AZ; Mary Ann Walton, West Linn OR	56.11%	1			Susan Seckinger, Wethersfield CT; Jonna Robinson, San Jose CA	55.91%
2	2		John Cagney - Edith Cagney, N Fort Myers FL	53.89%	2	1	1	Melena Ose - Enlow Ose, Sacramento CA	55.47%
3	2	1	Mary Williams, Sunnyvale CA; Fred Brown, San Jose CA	52.26%	3			Ron Francey, Corpus Christi TX; David Wilmington, Eureka CA	54.77%
4	3	2	Bob Porter, Henderson NV; Mike McClain, Las Vegas NV	52.14%	4	2	2	Harriet Ruderman - Milton Ruderman, Roseville CA	53.87%
5	4	3	Kal Gezi - Charlotte Gezi, Sacramento CA	46.56%	5	3			
						EAST-WEST			
NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION CCC			EAST-WEST			
A	B	C	Brian Hingerty - Fred Williams, Knoxville TN	62.39%	A	B	C	Charles Williams, Port Angeles WA; Vern Nunnally, Sequim WA	57.19%
1	1		Franklin Gonzalez, Menlo Park CA; Henryk Szejnwald, Los Altos CA	56.60%	1			Somers Collins, Little Rock AR; Jerry Clerkin, Bloomington IN	56.03%
2	1		Charlotte Falk, Reno NV; Bob Luebkeman, Walnut Creek CA	49.57%	2			Phillis Herbster - Louis Herbster, Tucson AZ	54.91%
3	2		Rich Scoggin - Regina Houston, Reno NV	49.55%	3			Sandra Hammer, New Smyrna Bch FL; Courtney Nelson, Wells VT	53.15%
4	2		Don Dachner - Dene Dachner, Davis CA	49.27%	4			Jan Keller, Paradise CA; Jenni Boles, Chico CA	52.20%
	3		Deanne Womble - Gael Westall, Cortez FL	48.44%		1	1	Charles Morrin - Elizabeth Morrin, Palmdale CA	51.80%
		1	Rhonda Huser, Fort Collins CO; Shay Ura, Plano TX	48.13%		2	2		
		2							
NORTH-SOUTH			FIRST FRIDAY AFTERNOON 0-5 PAIRS - ONLY SESSION						
1			Donald Dufour - Bernie Dufour, Weyburn SK	59.85%	1			Robert Savage - Jana Savage, Lincoln CA	62.35%
2			William Schrader - Philip Israel, Lakeview OR	56.73%	2			Marcus Jastrow - William Jastrow, Reno NV	56.73%
NORTH-SOUTH			FIRST FRIDAY AFTERNOON 100/200/300 PAIRS - ONLY SESSION			EAST-WEST			
A	B	C	Steven Parke - Kathleen Adams-Parke, Lincoln CA	67.86%	A	B	C	Jeanne Cochran - Fred Cochran, Danville CA	58.33%
1	1	1	Juanita Painter - David Myers, Austin TX	58.33%	2	1	1	Bonnie Chan - Lisa Darcy, Visalia CA	55.95%
2	2		Louise Abbott, Los Osos CA; Gina Kirk, San Luis Obispo CA	52.38%	3			Becky Shreeve - Diana Huntley, Ogden UT	54.17%
3	3/4		Lois Holbert, Incline Vlg NV; Dona Louzader, Roseville CA	48.81%	4	2		Frances Opheim - Wendell Opheim, Lethbridge AB	53.27%
4/5	3/4		Donna King, Stone Mountain GA; Ruth Gault, Duluth GA	48.81%			2	Estelle Baum, Oakland CA; Esther Rubke, Piedmont CA	51.49%
4/5	3/4						EAST-WEST		
NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION W			EAST-WEST			
A	B	C	Dee Minazzoli, Newbury Park CA; James Rhew, Raleigh NC	61.66%	A	B	C	Lois Horwitz, Piedmont CA; Myrna Rudman, Sacramento CA	62.33%
1	1	1	Jeanne Russo - Dee Alexander, Modesto CA	59.23%	1	1	1	Jacqui Larkin, Newport Beach CA; Madge Nusenow, Huntington Bch CA	55.52%
2	2		Ruth Baker, Valencia CA; Jerry Burrill, Newhall CA	56.87%	2			Lydia Yang - Patrick Yang, Basking Ridge NJ	54.96%
3	3		Barbara Harrison - Barbara Moore, Bakersfield CA	52.21%	3	3	2	Marsene Patterson, Ogden UT; James Holder, Gardnersville NV	51.46%
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NORTH-SOUTH			FIRST FRIDAY AFTERNOON 20/50 PAIRS - ONLY SESSION			EAST-WEST			
A	B	C	Eileen Milligan, Corvallis OR; Kathy Rodeman, Washougal WA	60.83%	A	B	C	Judy Goodnow - Warren Goodnow, Palo Alto CA	61.67%
1	1		Daniel Ellsworth, Anchorage AK; Wayne Jameson, Austin TX	59.58%	1	1		John Kunzman - Rebecca Kunzman, Orinda CA	57.08%
2	1		Cliff Luckie - Arlene Nunn, San Francisco CA	50.00%	2/3	2/3		Elizabeth Biggins, Palos Verdes CA; Laurie David, Rolling Hills E CA	57.08%
3	2		Robert Ely - Verl-Lee Ely, Fernley NV	48.75%	2/3	2/3			
NORTH-SOUTH			FRIDAY-SATURDAY SIDE SERIES - FRIDAY AFTERNOON SESSION			EAST-WEST			
A	B	C	La Quitta Talbot, Keller TX; Herbert Fallin Jr, Alexandria VA	61.00%	A	B	C	Jeff Strutzel, Redondo Beach CA; Sabina Lim, Cerritos CA	58.77%
1	1	1	Mitch Miladinovich - Terri Miladinovich, Acampo CA	56.43%	1	1	1	Irene Harlow, Reno NV; Jack Barney, Incline Village NV	58.42%
2	2		Nancy Lowry, Virginia Beach VA; Peter Salmon-Cox, Millersville MD	54.08%	2	1		John Coone, Vernon BC; Jack Triplett, Inkom ID	57.90%
3	2		Ralph Slick - Mary Slick, Rio Vista CA	53.38%	3			Jeanette Finn, Sacramento CA; Claire Rugg, Carmel CA	51.68%
4	3	2	Edgwin Simpson - Gail McBeth, San Diego CA	51.82%	4	2	2	Don Logerwell, Reno NV; John Aslin, Seattle WA	49.74%
5	4		Sherry Gilbreath, Scotts Valley CA; Susan Darsey, La Selva Beach CA	50.38%	5	3		Jill Leach, Carmel CA; Jackie Stewart, Pebble Beach CA	49.25%
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NORTH-SOUTH			FRIDAY OPEN PAIRS - FRIDAY AFTERNOON SESSION			EAST-WEST			
A	B	C	Jerry Bigler, Austin TX; George Pisk, Manchaca TX	59.90%	A	B	C	Joel Singer, Santa Clara CA; Gary Singer, Spokane WA	62.32%
1	1		Denise Hoffman, Marquette MI; A Lindop,	58.55%	1	1		Gregory Nowak - Gary Tomczyk, Las Vegas NV	61.25%
2	2		Jack Scott, El Cerrito CA; Gene Simpson, San Rafael CA	56.55%	2			Cheryl Schneider, Westerville OH; Cindy Sealy, Huntsville AL	59.76%
3	2		Darlene Shirey - Steve Shirey, Fort Worth TX	55.84%	3			Paul Gans Jr, Redding CA; William Barnes, Union NJ	56.70%
4	3		Thomas Corlett - Ethel Corlett, Waco TX	55.37%	4	2		Karen Copeland - William Kreps III, Raleigh NC	55.48%
5	1		Sheryl Nagy, Danville CA; Vicki Rivera, Lafayette CA	54.06%	5	3		J Michael Bowes - Ginger Bowes, McKinleyville CA	54.84%
6	2/3		Philip Lonnberg - Gail Lonnberg, Redding CA	53.92%	6	4	1	Lotte Optekamp, Houston TX; Rajesh Seth, Sarnia ON	54.77%
7/8	2/3	1	Marianne Van Gelder, Monterey CA; Carole Le Brun, Salinas CA	53.92%	7	5		Graham Grist, Norfolk England; Barnaby Grist, San Francisco CA	54.13%
7/8	2/3		Daniel Hoekstra, Portland OR; John Zamboni, Caldwell ID	53.85%	8	6	2	Paul Janicki - Joo-Hee Janicki, Markham ON	53.06%
9			Merle Stetser, Honolulu HI; Randy Okubo, Saint Paul MN	53.77%	9/10			Annette Caron - Sidney Caron, Northfield IL	53.06%
10	4		Tom Moore - Dorothy Moore, Keller TX	53.06%	10	7		William Thorp, Dana Point CA; Dorothy Conway, Ottawa ON	52.71%
11	5		Demeter Manning - Thomas Wood, Crestline CA	52.49%	11			Lisa Berkowitz, Boca Raton FL; Riki Tulin, Highland Beach FL	52.21%
12	6	2	Judy Isenberg, Highland Park IL; Janie Strauss, Northbrook IL	51.42%	12		3	Richard Pankopf - Susan Pankopf, Roseville CA	47.72%
	7		Don Grider - Inez Grider, Georgetown TX	50.07%					
			Jo Anne Murdock, Yuba City CA; Johnnie Houser, Marysville CA	49.57%					
			Gerri Soffa Carlson, Ranch Pls Vrd CA; Mary Mayfield, Sutter CA	49.00%					
		3	Emily Rankin - Jon Rankin, Nichols NY	47.20%					
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NORTH-SOUTH			FRIDAY-SATURDAY SIDE SERIES - FRIDAY AFTERNOON SESSION			EAST-WEST			
A	B	C	Robert Smith - Judith Smith, Anahola HI	60.59%	A	B	C	Betty Jackson, Pebble Beach CA; Trulee Ricketts, Carmel Valley CA	55.56%
1	1	1	Joanne Creason, Harrisburg PA; H Philip Monyer, Middletown PA	55.96%	1	1		Kathy Lane - Lorita Spalding, Reno NV	54.92%
2	2		Dennis Tretheway, Livermore CA; Joyce Tretheway, Redding CA	55.69%	2	1		Gay Rhinehart - Julian Dupuis, Kelso WA	54.33%
3	2		Sylvia Riewerts, Eureka CA; Val Jakubowitch, Hatfield PA	53.42%	3	2		Yoon Kim, San Diego CA; Yas Takeda, Hacienda Hgts CA	54.17%
4	3		Susan O'Neil, Aledo TX; Joann Satterthwaite, So Padre Is TX	52.72%	4			Dewitt Hudson Jr - Elizabeth Hudson, Arlington TX	53.30%
5	4		Bill Darden, Estes Park CO; Eusebio Menezes, Cupertino CA	52.49%	5	3		Erby Satter, Incline Village NV; Anne Halsell, Crowell TX	53.07%
		2				4		Mary McIntyre - J McIntyre, St Paul MN	47.51%
							1	Bette Meers-O'Hara - Linda Golm, San Francisco CA	45.89%
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Table with columns: RANK, NORTH-SOUTH, SECTIONS A B C N O, EAST-WEST, PERCENTAGE. Lists top pairs in the Platinum session.

NABC IMP PAIRS - FRIDAY AFTERNOON - FIRST QUALIFYING SESSION

Table with columns: RANK, NORTH-SOUTH, SECTIONS F G, EAST-WEST, PERCENTAGE. Lists top pairs in the Imp Platinum session.

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FIRST FRIDAY MORNING 0-5 ONLY SESSION

Table with columns: RANK, NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION U, EAST-WEST, PERCENTAGE. Lists top pairs in the 0-5 session.

FIRST FRIDAY MORNING 20/50 PAIRS ONLY SESSION

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FIRST FRIDAY AM 100/200/300 PAIRS ONLY SESSION

Table with columns: RANK, NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION W, EAST-WEST, PERCENTAGE. Lists top pairs in the 100/200/300 session.

Table with columns: RANK, NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION X, EAST-WEST, PERCENTAGE. Lists top pairs in the 100/200/300 session.

NORTH-SOUTH			FRIDAY-SUNDAY AM SIDE FRIDAY SESSION			EAST-WEST			
A	B	C	SECTION OO	A	B	C			
1			Ken Gee, Regina SK; Sara Parks M.D., Owensboro KY	61.93%	1			Ann Hung - Joel Martineau, Vancouver BC	59.47%
2			Samuel Haveson - Sandra Haveson, Los Angeles CA	58.52%	2			John Coone, Vernon BC; Jack Triplett, Inkom ID	59.28%
3			Claire Jones, Regina SK; Dennis Nelson, Saskatoon SK	58.33%	3			Ahmed Sorathia, Chino CA; Jeff Strutzel, Redondo Beach CA	58.52%
4	1	1	Sharon Rooney - D. Ann Carver, Seaview WA	55.49%	4	2	1	Nicholas Pchelkin - Leona Pchelkin, Minden NV	54.36%
5	2		Mel Edelblute - Virginia Jensen, Reno NV	53.22%	5			Nathan Glasser, Somerville MA; Julie Zhu, Vero Beach FL	53.22%
6	3		Grant Robinson - Teresa Boyd, Lafayette CA	53.03%	6/7			David Vaclavik, Appleton WI; Judith Lichter, Sparta WI	49.81%
	4		Marc Franklin, Portland OR; Cerona Stevens, Marquette MI	48.11%	6/7			John Bronson, Lopez Island WA; Jay Armstrong, Albuquerque NM	49.81%
		2	Terrence Rawlings, Prescott Valley AZ; Robert Hope, Honolulu HI	46.02%		4	2	Bill Darden, Estes Park CO; Stephen Pozez, Tucson AZ	49.62%
NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION PP			EAST-WEST			
A	B	C	SECTION AAA	A	B	C			
1			Buddhadeb Biswas, Lexington MA; Merle Stetser, Honolulu HI	62.69%	1			Elton Lipnick, Houston TX; Bob Reinman, Colorado Spgs CO	66.48%
2			Gustav Axen, New Westminster BC; Yatindra Sahae, Carmel Valley CA	61.36%	2			Jean Prior, Bethel Park PA; Robert Quinlan, Pittsburgh PA	63.83%
3	1		Russell Samuel, Glen Cove NY; Barry Samuel, Santa Rosa CA	58.33%	3			Jimmy Pelham, North Baldwin NY; W Harris Jr, Lombard IL	57.77%
4			Ronald Kral, Reston VA; Mike Spooner, Glen Allen VA	55.30%	4/5			Bob Carteaux, Fort Wayne IN; Richard Ellis Jr, Kokomo IN	52.84%
5			Bruce Thiher, Minneapolis MN; Darla Petersen, Ajax ON	55.11%	4/5	1	1	Garry Lowe, Newport OR; Ray Lowe, Astoria OR	52.84%
6	2	1	Karla Riddick, Conroe TX; Keith Everett, Houston TX	56.45%	6	2	2	Thomas Hodous, Morgantown WV; Martin Petersen, Milford OH	50.76%
	3	2	Charles Kelley - Jo Anne Kelley, Pacific PIsades CA	54.36%		3		Julian Dupuis, Kelso WA; Joe Rottmann, Vancouver WA	48.86%
	4		Anthony Toto, Clovis CA; Richard Zioc, Carlsbad CA	53.79%		4		Robert Webster, Ripon WI; Nancy Ogreene, Wautoma WI	46.97%
NORTH-SOUTH			FIRST FRIDAY DAYLITE PAIRS FRIDAY MORNING--1ST SESSION			EAST-WEST			
A	B	C	SECTION BBB	A	B	C			
1			Peter Mosheim, Miami FL; Janice Molson, Hollywood FL	62.11%	1			Cordelia Menges, New York NY; Jay Baudler, Piedmont CA	65.36%
2			Carol Cummings, Owatonna MN; Pat Burrows, Rochester MN	58.26%	2			Steve Kornegay - Nancy Kornegay, N Richlnd Hls TX	59.97%
3	1		Bud Stowe - Kay Stowe, Clive IA	58.04%	3	2		Charles Cohler - Anne Cohler, San Francisco CA	50.93%
4	2	1	Catherine Johnson, Reno NV; Evelyn Almeleh, Sparks NV	56.45%	4			Cindy Patterson, Sooke BC; Leroy Abinanti, Surprise AZ	49.37%
		2	Stephen Chiarello - Barb Lotief, Las Vegas NV	47.27%		3	1	Umakant Dash, Sacramento CA; Ray Cormier Jr, Galt CA	48.42%
							2	Cora Robey, Reno NV; John Young, Sparks NV	47.00%
NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION CCC			EAST-WEST			
A	B	C	SECTION CCC	A	B	C			
1			Somers Collins, Little Rock AR; Jerry Clerkin, Bloomington IN	63.46%	1			Gary Todd - Mike Hansen, Vancouver WA	60.69%
2			Ida Veidins, Antioch CA; Conrad Robertson, Moraga CA	54.85%	2			Phillis Herbster - Louis Herbster, Tucson AZ	57.24%
3			Dave McClintock, Bluffton SC; Marvin Shatz, Hilton Head SC	53.77%	3	1	1	Richard Turissini - Gladys Turissini, Gardnerville NV	55.48%
4	1		Marty Burman, Blue Bell PA; Jenny Koenecke, Kingston MA	53.13%	4	2		John Cagney - Edith Cagney, N Fort Myers FL	53.31%
5			Sandra Hammer, New Smyrna Bch FL; Courtney Nelson, Wells VT	51.66%	5/6			Charles Williams, Port Angeles WA; Vern Nunnally, Sequim WA	51.29%
	2		Jerry Cupps - Jane Cupps, Livermore CA	51.35%	5/6	3	2	Francis Walton, Gold Canyon AZ; Mary Ann Walton, West Linn OR	51.29%
	3	1	Bruce Rutan - Brian Klein, San Francisco CA	48.67%		4	3	Leonor Frankel, Greenacres FL; Albert Malouf, San Mateo CA	50.51%
		2	Charles Morrin - Elizabeth Morrin, Palmdale CA	44.58%					
NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION CCC			EAST-WEST			
A	B	C	SECTION CCC	A	B	C			
1			Brian Hingerty - Fred Williams, Knoxville TN	65.35%	1			En Hay, Littleton CO; Al Kane, Pueblo West CO	65.52%
2	1	1	Jerry Anderson, Shasta Lake Cty CA; George Clarke, Redding CA	52.06%	2			Charlotte Falk, Reno NV; Bob Luebke, Walnut Creek CA	60.05%
3			Robert Johnson - Louis Ray, Las Vegas NV	51.20%	3	1	1	Theresa Brantley - Phillip Brantley, Mabank TX	56.63%
4	2		Linda Gallaher, Morehead KY; Marvin Kolodzik, Cincinnati OH	50.92%	4			Kenneth McBride - Donna McBride, Kerrville TX	55.78%
	3	2	Sandra Carton, Billings MT; Jacqueline Goodling, Mesa AZ	47.21%		2		Randy Pace, Roseville CA; Jess Sellers, Redmond WA	54.85%
						3		Rich Scoggin - Regina Houston, Reno NV	52.72%
							2	Rhonda Huser, Fort Collins CO; Shay Ura, Plano TX	48.29%

Tomorrow's Bridge Events

Jan Hall Memorial Day

Sunday, March 14, 9 a.m.

Event	Session	Sold	Entry/player/session ACBL members**	Other
Sunday-Monday Morning Compact Bracketed KO Teams	1-2	Summit Ballroom	\$16	\$18
Saturday-Monday Morning Bracketed KO Teams	2nd	Summit Ballroom	\$16	\$18
ACBL Educational Foundation Bracketed KO Teams	4th	Summit Ballroom	\$16	\$18
Friday-Sunday Morning Side Game Series	3rd single session	Summit Ballroom	\$16	\$18

Sunday, March 14, 10 a.m.

Stratified 299er Swiss Teams	single	Carson Ballroom	\$15	\$17
299er, 199er, 99er, 49er Pairs	single	Carson Ballroom	\$15	\$17
0-20, 0-5 Pairs	single	Carson Ballroom	\$15	\$15

Sunday, March 14, 10 a.m. & 3 p.m.

Premier Realty-Judy Kay Stratified Daylight Pairs	1-2	Summit Ballroom	\$16	\$18
Stratified Senior Swiss Teams	1-2	Carson Ballroom	\$16	\$18

Sunday, March 14, 1 p.m.

Sunday-Monday Side Game Series	1st single session	Summit Ballroom	\$16	\$18
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Sunday, March 14, 1 p.m. & 7:30 p.m.

NABC+ PLATINUM PAIRS	Session	Sold	Entry/player/session	Other
LEVENTRITT SILVER RIBBON PAIRS	1-2 F	Tahoe Ballroom	\$20	
	1-2 Q	Reno Ballroom	\$20	
Jan Hall Memorial Stratified Open Pairs	1-2	Summit Ballroom	\$16	\$18
Sunday-Monday Bracketed KO Teams	1-2	Summit Ballroom	\$16	\$18
Ace of Clubs (Beaverton OR) Strati-Flighted Swiss Teams	1-2	Summit Ballroom	\$16	\$18
A/X	1-2	Summit Ballroom	\$16	\$18
B/C/D	1-2	Summit Ballroom	\$16	\$18

Sunday, March 14, 3 p.m.

Stratified 299er Swiss Teams	single	Carson Ballroom	\$15	\$17
299er, 199er, 99er, 49er Pairs	single	Carson Ballroom	\$15	\$17
0-20, 0-5 Pairs	single	Carson Ballroom	\$15	\$15

Sunday, March 14, 7:30 p.m.

Lisa Hawes Memorial Stratified Side Swiss Teams	single	Summit Ballroom	\$15	\$17
Sunday-Monday Side Game Series	2nd single session	Summit Ballroom	\$16	\$18
Stratified 299er Swiss Teams	single	Carson Ballroom	\$15	\$17
299er, 199er, 99er, 49er Pairs	single	Carson Ballroom	\$15	\$17
0-20, 0-5 Pairs	single	Carson Ballroom	\$15	\$15

Sunday, March 14, 11:30 p.m.

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

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

Today's Bridge Events

Rose Meltzer Day, Junior Day

Saturday, March 13, 9 a.m.

Event	Session	Sold	Entry/player/session ACBL members**	Other
Saturday-Monday Morning Bracketed KO Teams	1st	Summit Ballroom	\$16	\$18
Friday-Sunday Morning Side Game Series	2nd single session	Summit Ballroom	\$16	\$18
ACBL Educational Foundation Bracketed KO Teams	3rd	Summit Ballroom	\$16	\$18

Saturday, March 13, 10 a.m.

299er, 199er, 99er, 49er Pairs	single	Carson Ballroom	\$15	\$17
0-20 & 0-5 Pairs	single	Carson Ballroom	\$15	\$15
Bridge-Plus+	single	Carson Ballroom	Free	Free

Lesson at 10 a.m., followed by 14 deals at 12:30 p.m.

Saturday, March 13, 10 & 3 p.m.

Burt Walker Stratified Daylight Pairs	1-2	Crystal Ballroom	\$16	\$18
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Saturday, March 13, 12:30 p.m.

Bridge-Plus+	single	Crystal Ballroom	Free	Free
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Lesson at 10 a.m., followed by 14 deals at 12:30 p.m.

Saturday, March 13, 1 p.m.

Friday-Saturday Side Game Series	3rd single session	Summit Ballroom	\$16	\$18
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Saturday, March 13, 1 & 7:30 p.m.

NABC+ PLATINUM PAIRS LEBHAR IMP PAIRS Bill Holt Memorial Strati-Flighted Pairs	A/X	1-2 SF	Reno Ballroom	\$20	
	B/C/D	1-2 F	Tahoe Ballroom	\$20	
Rose Meltzer Compact Bracketed KO Teams	A/X	1-2	Summit Ballroom	\$16	\$18
	B/C/D	1-2	Summit Ballroom	\$16	\$18
Friday-Saturday Bracketed KO Teams		1-4	Summit Ballroom	\$16	\$18
		3-4	Summit Ballroom	\$16	\$18

Saturday, March 13, 3 p.m.

299er, 199er, 99er, 49er Pairs	single	Carson Ballroom	\$15	\$17
0-20, 0-5 Pairs	single	Carson Ballroom	\$15	\$15

Saturday, March 13, 7:30 p.m.

Strati-Flighted A/X and B/C/D Swiss Teams	single	Summit Ballroom	\$15	\$17
Friday-Saturday Side Game Series	4th single session	Summit Ballroom	\$16	\$18
Stratified 299er Swiss Teams	single	Carson Ballroom	\$15	\$17
299er, 199er, 99er, 49er Pairs	single	Carson Ballroom	\$15	\$17
0-20 & 0-5 Pairs	single	Carson Ballroom	\$15	\$15

Saturday, March 13, 11:30 p.m.

Zip KO Teams	single	Crystal Ballroom	\$12/team/match	
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Note: Entry for the Vanderbilt Knockout Teams required by 8 p.m. Saturday, March 13.

Unless otherwise noted, Strati-Flighted and Strati-Flighted Senior events are divided: A/X (3000+, 0-3000); separate from B/C/D (1000-2000, 500-1000, 0-500). Strata breaks for Stratified and Stratified Senior events are: A (2000+), B (750-2000), C (0-750).

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Burt Walker honored

Burt Walker, a District 20 and Unit 458 player, learned bridge at the University of Washington in 1943. He began playing duplicate in 1960 and

played his first tournament in 1964. He worked as a director under Sid Davidson from 1975 to 2005. For many years Burt owned the Sequoia Bridge Clubs in Eureka CA until health issues led him to

retire. He donated the club and all of its equipment to Unit 445. They in turn have given him a lifetime of free plays and are now further honoring him with today's Burt Walker Stratified Daylight pairs.

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Date: Saturday, March 13 at the Grand Sierra Resort - Sierra 1

Time: 10 a.m. to 11 a.m.

