

# Daily Bulletin



83rd North American Bridge Championships

Editors: Brent Manley and Dave Smith

## Thomas McAdoo Smith 1938–2010

Tom Smith, one of the five original "Precision Team" members that dominated North American contests in the early Seventies, died Nov. 15 in his hometown of Bennington VT. As well as being a top level player and teacher, Smith was a publisher, journalist, editor and club manager.



Smith won the Spingold Knockout Teams in 1970 and 1971 and Vanderbilt Knockout Teams in 1972 playing with a rotating cast of teammates that included Steve Altman, Eugene Neiger,

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## Fung hopes double silver in Philadelphia is just the start

Kismet Fung has different views of the parts of her life that drive her to excel. In her home town of Edmonton AB, she works as a corporate lawyer for the local government. "I have a gift," she says, "for law." Bridge, on the other hand, "is my passion."



Fung harnessed that passion successfully at the recent World Bridge Series Championships in Philadelphia, where she earned silver medals in the Mixed Pairs and the Generali Women's Pairs.

Although not well known outside Canada before the tournament in Philadelphia, Fung is a veteran of international competition, representing her country in the bridge competition of the World Mind Sports Games in Beijing, China, in 2008, and in the Venice Cup at the World Championships in Sao Paulo, Brazil, last year.

In Philadelphia, she was part of Team Canada, competitors in the McConnell Cup (women's knockout teams).

Fung, has come a long way since her days of playing rubber bridge with friends at her home.

She was born to Chinese parents in Malaysia, the family moving to Canada because her father, a physicist, was in a profession highly sought in North America.

Growing up in Calgary, Fung says she knew as early as the eighth grade that she wanted to be a

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## Married couple take Non-LM Pairs

Dianne and Roger Pryor of Madeira Beach FL had two solid games to win the Manfield Non-Life Master Pairs. The married couple scored 58.25% and 57.04% for a combined 57.80%. In second place were Ryan Miller, Tampa FL; Brandon Harper, Winter Park FL with 55.46%.

The winners play a weak 1NT (11—14 high-card points) and attribute some of their good board to their system.

The Pryors have played together for about 30 years. Dianne, a retired homemaker, has about 100 masterpoints. Roger, a retired engineer with Bell South International, has almost 400 masterpoints. Dianne credits Roger with teaching her how to play.

The second-place pair, Miller and Harper, are high school students.



*Roger and Dianne Pryor are winners of the Manfield Non-Life Master Pairs.*

## Finals today in Open and Women's Pairs

Champions will be crowned tonight in the Nail Life Master Open Pairs and the Smith Life Master Women's Pairs.

Leading in the open with two sessions to play are Roy Welland and Steve Garner, followed closely by German stars Sabine Auken and Daniela von Arnim. In third are James Rasmussen and Pamela Miller of Cambridge MA.

In the women's pairs, Bernace De Young and Mickie Chambers were out front, followed by Judi Radin and Sylvia Moss. In third are Cindy Bernstein and Kathy Baum.

The games are named for two legendary figures in ACBL history.

Helen Sobel Smith, for whom the women's game was named, is one of the all-time greats of the game and is viewed by some as the real bridge talent in the Smith-Charles Goren partnership. Bobby Nail, also a top player, ran a bridge club in Houston for many years and was known for his interesting stories.

## Thirty-two teams left in Baze Senior KO

Thirty-two of the 35 teams who entered the Baze Senior Knockout Teams will be in action today. The starting number of teams, 35, led to many teams having a bye yesterday.

Day-long matches are scheduled until the event concludes Wednesday. The event is limited to players aged 55 and older.

At stake is a new trophy commissioned by a group of Grant Baze's friends. Baze was a leading player in the ACBL for many years.

Baze had accumulated more than 41,000 masterpoints at the time of his death, a feat only six others have surpassed. He was a three-time winner of the World Senior Teams.

The defending champions are Carolyn Lynch, Melih Ozdil, Garey Hayden, Mike Passell and Mark Lair.

## Board approves new, stricter rules governing slow play

If you are a habitually slow player, be aware that there are new rules governing your conduct at the bridge table. These new, stricter rules will be applied at this tournament.

What the ACBL Board of Directors approved unanimously is based on references to slow play in the *Laws of Duplicate Bridge* – 103-49: Slow Play Regulations.

This is the language of the motion approved by the ACBL Board in their meetings earlier this week:

When a pair has fallen behind, it is incumbent on them to make up the time lost as quickly as possible whether at fault or not. All players are expected to make a concerted effort to catch up when they have fallen behind, regardless of the reason for their lateness.

In the absence of compelling evidence to the contrary, the director should presume that a pair finishing a round late by more than two or three minutes on more than one occasion during a session is responsible for the lateness. There is a

strong expectation that the director will penalize such a pair. The size of a penalty will tend to increase for subsequent instances of slow play and for chronic or egregious slow play. While warnings typically will be given before a penalty is assessed, failure to do so in no way limits the director's authority to issue a penalty.

An appeal of an action taken by a TD with regard to time may be taken to the Director in Charge of the tournament, and no further.

## 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. Offer to partner or mentor them. You could be playing with tomorrow's superstar.

— The National Goodwill Committee



# SPECIAL EVENTS

## MEETINGS / SEMINARS / RECEPTIONS

### Saturday, Nov. 27

8:30 a.m.-Noon **Teacher Accreditation Program (TAP).** ACBL's popular 10-hour seminar for people interested in learning how to teach bridge successfully. Pre-registration required. Continues Sunday and Monday. *Room: Anaheim.*

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

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

10-11 a.m. **ACBLscore seminar.** Come by for coffee with ACBL Tournament Director Ken Horwedel and ACBL Director of Club and Member Services Carol Robertson. They will be available to answer your questions on scoring, reporting your games and managing your club. *Room: Boston.*

10 a.m.-Noon **Free Bridge Lesson with Jerry Helms.** Helms, well-known teacher and Bridge Bulletin columnist, presents "How to Make Your Partner's Bad Bids Look Good: Notrump Contracts." *Room: Grand Ballroom, 1-6.*

10:30 a.m.-Noon **ACBL Hall of Fame Committee meeting.** *Room: Crystal E.*

11-Noon a.m. **Marketing Matters—Live!** ACBL Marketing Director Vicki Campbell will host a program for those interested in marketing their clubs, bridge lessons, tournaments, etc. Don't miss this chance to meet Vicki and explore your options. *Room: Boston.*

1-3 p.m. **Bridge-Plus+.** Special game for new players. 14 boards, no card fee. *Room: Crystal B, C & D.*

5-7 p.m. **Junior Reception.** All Junior players are invited to attend. *Room: Chicago.*

11:30 p.m.-2 a.m. **Women's Team Trials meeting.** *Room: Crystal E.*

10-Noon **Board of Governors/ACBL Membership Meeting.** This meeting is open to all members. 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 8-14.*

10 a.m.-Noon **Seminar for Teaching Young People.** Interested in teaching bridge to young people? This seminar will help you focus on goals, format, course materials and successful practices. Join Dana Norton, ACBL Youth Coordinator, for an interesting continuing education opportunity. You won't want to miss it. *Room: Atlanta.*

5-6 p.m. **Workshop for Teachers of Youth Players.** Informal meeting for anyone teaching young students or considering a youth program. Meet with Dana Norton, ACBL Youth Coordinator, to exchange ideas and to look at materials available to teachers. *Room: Atlanta.*

11 p.m.-1 a.m. **ACBL Patron Member Reception.** *Suite 22876.*

### Sunday, Nov. 28

8:30 a.m.-Noon **Teacher Accreditation Program (TAP).** Session two of the ACBL's popular 10-hour seminar for people interested in learning how to teach bridge successfully. Pre-registration required. Continues Monday. *Room: Anaheim.*

10 a.m.-Noon **Free Bridge Lesson with Lynn Berg.** Berg, well-known teacher and Bridge Bulletin columnist, presents "Play of the Hand for Suits or Notrump." *Room: Grand Ballroom, 1-6.*

### Monday, Nov. 29

8:30 a.m.-Noon **Teacher Accreditation Program (TAP).** Session three of the ACBL's popular 10-hour seminar for people interested in learning how to teach bridge successfully. Pre-registration required. *Room: Anaheim.*

9 a.m.-Noon **Club Director Refresher Course.** Continuing education for bridge directors to increase their skills. Continues Tuesday. Must attend both sessions. Fee: \$15 (covers both sessions). *Room: Chicago.*

10 a.m.-Noon **Competition and Conventions Committee meeting.** *Room: Crystal E.*

11 am-Noon **Get Online with BridgeBase.com.** Don't miss this opportunity to meet with Fred Gitelman, creator of the ACBL's Learn to Play Bridge program. Get a guided tour of the Bridge Base web site and its outstanding teaching features. *Room: Crystal B.*

5-7 p.m. **Goodwill Reception.** Reception for members of the ACBL Goodwill Committee. *Room: Anaheim.*

## CELEBRITY SPEAKER PROGRAM

Don't miss these exciting speakers in Orlando:

### Saturday, Nov. 27

9:15 am Allan Mazer *I'd Rather Be Last*

### Sunday, Nov. 28

9:15 am Lisa Berkowitz *Play to Trick One*  
6:45 pm Ken Monzingo *Hand Patterns*

## ENTERTAINMENT / FOOD

**Natasha and her Psychic Entertainers.** Saturday, Nov. 27, 10:30 p.m. Some would call them fortune tellers, but they're definitely lots of fun. Palm reading, tarot cards, and other forms of mystical spice. Crystal Ballroom J

**Food tonight at 10:30 p.m.:** Turkey Wrap.

### Breakfast with the Stars

Expert Rose Meltzer will present "Breakfast with the Stars" on Tuesday,

Nov. 30, from 10 a.m. to noon. This is your chance to meet Rose and many other superstars, including Debbie and Michael Rosenberg, Lisa and David Berkowitz, Alan Sontag, Michael Seamon, Janice Seamon-Molson, Marc Jacobus, Shannon Cappelletti, Nancy and Mike Passell and Daniela von Arnim, among others.

The price for the full breakfast is \$20 per person, with proceeds going to charity. Seating is limited. Register in advance at the Tour Registration Desk to guarantee a spot at the table with the experts you'd like to meet.

### Life Master news

Marilyn Stlouis of Ocala FL is the first new Life Master. She was playing with her husband, Ron Stlouis in the Friday-Saturday Bracketed Knockout Teams. Their teammates were Donn and Clyde Benoy of Deltona FL.

Players who earn Life Master rank or advance to Bronze Life Master or higher please report in to the Daily Bulletin office in the Tampa Room.

### Parking shuttle notice

The parking shuttle takes people from the parking area to the hotel lobby. Bridge players can ask the shuttle driver to drop them off at the convention center instead to avoid the long walk.

### Food discount

Bridge players get a 20% discount at the foot court if they mention they are bridge players.

### 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.



# BRIDGE TEACHERS AND BRIDGE CRUISES

Join Lynn Berg, experienced bridge cruise host, for an informative session about what you need to know to be a successful teacher and bridge host on a cruise ship.

Fee: \$25 at door.

Date: Tuesday, November 30 • Time: 9:00 a.m. – noon

Location: Atlanta Room





# JUST FOR NEW PLAYERS

## Dear New Players—

Good morning! Hope you all got a good night's sleep, because you've got a busy day ahead.

Today we're going to continue developing our Life Skills

as learned through bridge!

Yesterday, we looked at bridge's role in Interpersonal Communication; today we work on Negotiation Skills. Our subjects are

Conflict Management, Assertiveness Skills and Refusal Skills. (By the time you'll have read all these articles, you'll be as convinced as I am that "Bridge is *not* a game!" — and have two credits toward your Ph.D.)

Incidentally, my friend Shirley, who sent me the list of Life Skills to "review," also gave me a little napkin that says "Life is a game. Bridge is *serious*." Couldn't agree more!

As you have no doubt discovered on your own, Conflict Management is at the heart of partnership bridge. There's no way you can get through a game without it. I know this sounds somewhat pedantic and (dare I admit) boring, but you will *never* be in a successful partnership until you can master this — and if this doesn't prove Bridge is *not* a game, nothing will! Anybody out there divorced? Broken romances? I'll bet my next lottery win that a big part of it had to do with Conflict Management.

So, let's find a way through the maze.

First, repeat after me: "There is nothing in bridge (or life) that three people agree on." Isn't that the truth! Name *one* concept in bridge that we agree on. Five-card major openings? 15-17 notrump? Weak jump overcalls? Strong jump overcalls?

Bridge teaches us that, in life, sometimes you have to give in to win.

A friend was telling me that he wanted desperately to have his partner try Roman Key Card Blackwood and she wasn't agreeing. So, he "traded" RKC for agreeing to opening 1NT



with a five-card major and a 5-3-3-2 hand, which is what *she* wanted. When he told me this, I visualized two kids standing there with a handful of baseball cards, "I'll trade you my Pete Rose for your Roberto Clemente." But that negotiation, that willingness to tradeoff makes their partnership work smoother.

And here's a very important tip for you: Trying something brand new often makes you play your very best because you have to stop and (gasp!) think.

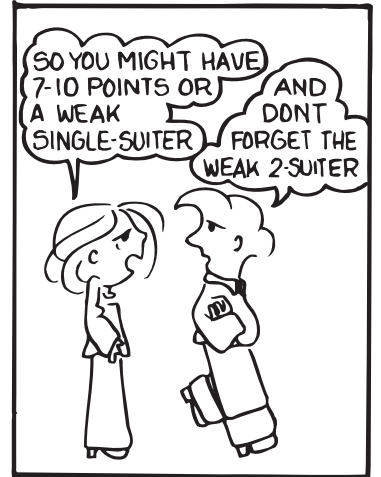
Next comes Assertiveness Skills. My husband says that encouraging me to be assertive is like giving a flame thrower to a pyromaniac. He might have a point, but I think the way this particular Life Skill applies to the business of bridge is to remind us to bid game when we think we've got it. New players are often afraid to bid too high because they might not make it. Unlike more experienced players, they don't realize that, as our short-term memories shrink, no one will remember we went down in a short seven minutes.

And then there's Refusal Skills. My friend Shirley highlighted this one in neon yellow. In bridge, just like in life, knowing when to "Just Say No" is so important. When to pass. When to sacrifice without it being a phantom sacrifice (I'm the Queen of Phantom Sacrifices... maybe that's why it was highlighted in yellow).

I'm going to show you a bidding sequence and I want you to apply your new Life Skills training to see how many skills are violated. What gives me the shakes is that it was bid by two Life Masters. East-West are silent throughout.

1♥ - 1NT  
2♥ - 3♥  
4♥

Scary, isn't it? After North rebid hearts, showing a minimum hand with six hearts, what got into South? Did he find another king in his hand? He was already limited to 6-9 (they



were not playing 2/1) and North had shown a minimum. It seems to me that South's Refusal Skills need a little work. And North ... ditto! What were they thinking? And they actually seemed surprised when they went down two!

I got an e-mail from Luke recently. He's 72, and says that bridge gives him a chance to dive into the deep end of the pool... "but with an eye to caution. I have found, though, that the Lord does protect fools, drunks and bad bidders. I'll leave you to figure out which I am," he continued, and concluded with, "Bridge is truly an art form with some math built in."

So let me hear from you. I know you're having experiences that you could use my advice on... life skills or otherwise. [mronemus@comcast.net](mailto:mronemus@comcast.net)

## Thinking bridge

By Eddie Kantar

Here are more card combination tips.

**The bidding** can assist you in your card combination play.

♠ K J 3 2

♠ A 6 5 4

The normal play for four tricks is to lead the ace and low to the jack, needing to find West with Q-x-(x). However, if the bidding has told you that East must have the queen, play the ace and low to the king, hoping East has Q-x.

**The count.** Having the count on a suit frequently alters the percentage play.

♠ Q 10 3 2

♠ A K 6

The percentage play for four spade tricks is to play the ace and the king and low to the queen. However, if the count tells you that West started with four spades, play the ace-king and low to the 10. If the count tells you that East has four spades, pray that West has J-x!

**Avoidance.**

♠ A 10 5 4

♠ K J 7 6 2

In isolation, the best play for five spade tricks

is the ace then the king, but there are variables, one of which is an avoidance play. It might be worth a possible trick to make sure a particular opponent, called the "danger hand," does not get the lead. There are many good reasons to keep the danger hand off lead, like leading through an unprotected king. The trick to keeping the danger from getting in is to *make sure the danger hand plays second to the finesse trick*, not last.

If **West** is the danger hand, play the king and low to the 10 finessing into East. If **East** is the danger hand, play the ace and low to the jack finessing into West. In both cases the danger hand plays second to the trick, the non-danger hand, last.

Now here's your first lesson.

Dir: North ♠ K Q 10 7 3

Vul: E-W ♥ K Q 5 4

♦ 9 6

♣ K 3

♠ 9 8 2

♥ 6 3 2

♦ K 10

♣ A Q 9 8 7

♠ A 6 5 4

♥ A J 10

♦ A Q J

♣ J 10 4

♠ J

♥ 9 8 7

♦ 8 7 5 4 3 2

♣ 6 5 2

<i>West</i>	<i>North</i>	<i>East</i>	<i>South</i>
	1♠	1NT	Pass
3NT	All Pass		

Opening lead: ♠ J

**Bidding commentary:** East's 1NT overcall shows the same strength as an opening 1NT.

**Lead commentary:** Keep peace in the family and lead partner's suit particularly with a hopeless hand.

**Defensive commentary:** This contract is decided at trick one! If you signal with the seven telling your partner to continue with a spade, he may want to, but not on this hand. Once a second spade is not played, declarer has time to set up the clubs and easily come to nine tricks.

However, your spade spots are strong enough (see the 9 8 in dummy?) to overtake the jack with the queen and continue with a high spades until you drive out the ace. Now when you get in with the ♣ K you will have established four spade tricks. That ♠ 7 is the best card in your hand! It tops declarer's 6 and allows you to score four spade tricks plus the ♣ K. Don't signal when you can overtake!

**COOL IN ORLANDO KO BRACKET 1**

9 Teams  
 Joyce Hampton, Blythewood SC; Benedicte Cronier, Paris 75018 France; Sylvie Willard, Paris 75014 France; Jenny Wolpert, Jupiter FL; Krzysztof Buras, Warszawa Poland; Grzegorz Narkiewicz, Bielsk Poland

vs

Mary Ann Berg, Atherton CA; John Mohan, Huixquilucan Mexico; Simon De Wijs, Doorn 304G Netherlands; Bauke Muller, Hoom Netherlands; Ton Bakkeren, Oisterwijk Netherlands; Huub Bertens, Tilburg 50 Netherlands

Jim Mahaffey, Winter Park FL; Gary Cohler, Miami FL; Sam Lev, New York NY; Jacek Pszczola, Chapel Hill NC; Fu Zhong, Beijing People's Republic of China; Jie Zhao, Tianjin People's Republic of China

vs

James Cayne, New York NY; Michael Seamon, Dania FL; Alfredo Versace - Lorenzo Lauria, Rome Italy; Antonio Sementa, Parma PR 43100 Italy; Giorgio Duboin, Torino Italy

**COOL IN ORLANDO KO BRACKET 2**

13 Teams  
 Jack Longman - Kathy Longman, Clearwater FL; Joan Webb - Keith Harrison, Trinity FL

vs

Boyd Wells - Jo Ann Lynds - Carolyn Macdonald, Truro NS; Donald Lewis, Ottawa ON

Ron Smith, Don Mills ON; Marti Cowie, Lakeland FL; Maureen Culp, Pickering ON; Joy Phillips, Toronto ON

vs

Kimberly Whipple, Boca Grande FL; Kevin Dwyer, Fort Myers FL; Milan Macura, 75301 Czech Republic; Michal Kopecky, 54101 Czech Republic; Charles Jeffrey Jr, Safety Harbor FL

**COOL IN ORLANDO KO BRACKET 3**

16 Teams  
 Breezy Salmon, Nashville TN; Virginia Gregory, Tampa FL; Allison Howard, Cookeville TN; Andrew Garnett, Pasadena FL

vs

Ranald Davidson, North York ON; Bea Eisen, Toronto ON; Barbara Glickman, Boca Raton FL; Morton Glickman, Willowdale ON

Robert Neuhart, Troy NY; Bernard Neuhart, Niskayuna NY; Christine Foy - Ernest Levinson, Aiken SC

vs

Blake Sanders - Russ Jones, Jonesboro AR; Asya Ladyzhensky, Ellenton FL; Michael McGuire, Hernando MS

**COOL IN ORLANDO KO BRACKET 4**

16 Teams  
 Howard Montemurro, Vineland ON; Dieter Stein, Harbourville NS; Michael Lunn, Sutton England; James Bochsler, Davenport FL

vs

Wilbur Radcliffe - Rosalie Radcliffe, Orlando FL; Joan Fitzgerald, St. John's NL; Angie Knechtges, Grafton OH

Gerald Tietz - Pamela Tietz, Naperville IL; Fran Smith, Glen Ellyn IL; Norman Cannon, Fort Myers FL

vs

Marc Franklin, Portland OR; Cerona Stevens, Marquette MI; Joan Renzoni, Palm City FL; Nancy Laurie, Toronto ON

**COOL IN ORLANDO KO BRACKET 5**

16 Teams  
 Donna Benoy - Clyde Benoy III, Daytona Beach FL; Ronald St Louis - Marilyn St Louis, Ocala FL

vs

Howard Hammer - Patricia Lang, Muncie IN; Marilyn Williams - Jonathan Williams, The Villages FL

June Stoiber, Put-In-Bay OH; Sandra Frederick - John Guerra - Janet Hartman, Bonita Springs FL

vs

Adel Eryan - Masood Kizilbash, Tampa FL; Leslaw Skrzypek, Lutz FL; Esra Orhon, Wesley Chapel FL

**COOL IN ORLANDO KO BRACKET 6**

16 Teams  
 Caroline Davies, Kanata ON; Sandi McNaughton, Ottawa ON; Gloria Zobel, Heathrow FL; Suzy O'Connor, Sanford FL

vs

Darryl Sauer - Christina Adkins Murray, Ormond Beach FL; Martha Wirkutis - Judy Hinds, Port Orange FL

**FRIDAY EVENING A/X SWISS TEAMS**

27 Tables

A X

10.01	1			Les Bart - Gloria Bart, Bradenton FL; Robert Lebi, Toronto ON; Nader Hanna, Willowdale ON	109.00
7.51	2			Hamish Bennett, Menlo Park CA; Gene Simpson, San Rafael CA; Brenda Keller, Palm Springs CA; Bruce Ferguson, Davis CA; Mark Itabashi, Murrieta CA; Ross Grabel, Palm Desert CA	108.00
5.63	3			Barry Harper, Regina SK; Anne Dawson, Delhi LA; Steve Robinson, Arlington VA; Peter Boyd, Darnestown MD	88.00
4.22	4			David Abelow, Owings Mills MD; David Ruderman, Burtonsville MD; Tony Kasday SJO2097 - John Atlee Macgregor, Miami FL	82.00
3.17	5	1		Stephen Apodaca, Santa Fe NM; Matthew Mallory, San Diego CA; Janise Saul, San Antonio TX; Tammy Moll, Raleigh NC	81.00
1.83	6/8			Bruce Noda, Corte Madera CA; Mark Ralph, San Francisco CA; Cameron Doner, Richmond BC; Keith Garber, Las Vegas NV	71.00
1.83	6/8			Julian Heicklen, Teaneck NJ; Fred Hamilton, Las Vegas NV; Robert Heller, Decatur GA; Leonard Case, Charlotte NC	71.00
1.83	6/8			Nancy Mitchell, Fleming Island FL; Craig Hemphill, Jacksonville FL; Muriel Altus - Philip Altus, Tampa FL	71.00
1.71	2			Robert Tremblay - Alain Dufour - Pierre Choquette - Gerard Bouchard, Quebec QC	67.00

**FRIDAY EVENING B/C/D SWISS TEAMS**

29 Tables

B C D

5.18	1/2	1/2	1/2	Thomas Collins, Sedona AZ; Marlene Sabo, Kailua Kona HI; Michael Folkert, Captain Cook HI; Marsha Mitchell, Knoxville TN	100.00
5.18	1/2	1/2	1/2	Alexander Vinokurov - Don Dettmore, Winter Springs FL; Donald Wadsworth, Orlando FL; Glen Martin, Longwood FL	100.00
3.33	3	3	3	Stewart Rubenstein - Brian Rubenstein - Christina Parker, Newton MA; Sandy Bigg, Saint Louis MO	89.00
2.50	4	4	4	Edgar L'Heureux, White Rock BC; Jane Youngberg, Surrey BC; Patricia Chen - David Dilkes, Vancouver BC	86.00
1.87	5	5	5	Susan Elwyn, Framingham MA; Rick Corwin - M Elizabeth Corwin, St Petersburg FL; Steven Goodman, Upton MA	83.00
1.40	6	6		Edwin Glickman - Han Sarah Glickman, Snowmass CO; Mischel Postas, Campbell CA; Judith Clark, Santa Clara CA	82.00

**MANFIELD NON-LIFE MASTER PAIRS**

11.0 Tables

7.15	1		J Roger Pryor, Madeira Bch FL; Dianne Pryor, Madeira Beach FL	57.80%
5.36	2		Ryan Miller, Tampa FL; Brandon Harper, Winter Park FL	55.46%
4.02	3		Herbert Heller, Pittsburgh PA; Sally Kellar, Toronto ON	54.86%
3.02	4		Dianne Arman, Brighton MI; Frank Jones, West Palm Beach FL	54.33%
2.26	5		Fran Cowie - Debbie Keyser, Maitland FL	53.94%
2.48	6		Eleonore Freihofer - Dennis Walsh, Mashpee MA	53.66%

**JAYNE THOMAS STRATIFIED OPEN PAIRS**

34.0 Tables

A B C

19.60	1	1		James Andre, Sugar Land TX; Nongyu Li, Sunnyvale CA	62.34%
14.70	2			George Retek, Montreal QC; Jerry Fleming, Los Alamos NM	60.90%
11.03	3			Brett Kunin, West Orange NJ; Irwin Klugler, Montclair NJ	59.78%
8.27	4			Richard Lesage, Montreal QC; Joan Priebe, Mississauga ON	59.54%
6.53	5			Andrew Tylman - Jennifer Swimmer, Toronto ON	58.09%
5.60	6			Chris Champion - Wendy Turk, Colorado Spgs CO	57.69%
6.89	7	2	1	Susan Sugar, Yonkers NY; Philip Sugar, New York NY	56.73%
4.36	8			Bill Kertes, Toronto ON; Allan Smith, Peterborough ON	56.49%
3.92	9			Lucette Flanagan - Eugene Flanagan, Palm City FL	56.41%
3.42	10/11			Frank Cusumano - Dolores Gracie, Pompano Beach FL	55.77%
3.42	10/11			Richard Hunter - Ann Harris, Port St Lucie FL	55.77%
5.16	12	3		Hazel Schoenberg - Jules Schoenberg, Plano TX	55.29%
3.87	13	4	2	Martin Pieterse - Barbara Pieterse, Portage MI	55.13%
3.06		5		Clair Chisler, Montgomery AL; Daniel Dorney, Charleston IL	54.09%
3.64		6		Ping Chen, Winter Springs FL; Tom Wilson, Orlando FL	53.85%
2.50			3	Maurice Brazeau - Chantal Murphy, Ottawa ON	53.04%
1.88			4	Michael Arthur - Elizabeth Arthur, Pearl River LA	50.72%
1.96			5	Martha Marlow - Peter Fleischner, Osprey FL	49.28%

Alfred Lieberman, Bethesda MD; Fred Fields, Palm Bch Grdns FL; Floyd Jones, Des Moines IA; Arnold Winikoff, West Palm Bch FL

vs

Fred Sutherland - Kathryn Sutherland, Vancouver WA; Richard Rodeman - Kathy Rodeman, Washougal WA



# ACBLScore Q&A

(Saturday, November 27)

Come by for coffee with Ken Horwedel, ACBL Tournament Director, and Carol Robertson, Director of Club and Member Services. They will be available to answer your questions on scoring, reporting your games and managing your club.

**FREE OF CHARGE.**

**Date:** Saturday, November 27 • **Time:** 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m

**Location:** Marriott World Center – Boston Room



**Players can register and receive a choice of goodies. The Registration Desk is open 45 minutes before game time and located in the main foyer. Mary Healy of Merritt Island FL, Charlene Pedmest of Del Ray Beach FL and Jim Russell of Sarasota are three of the volunteers working at the desk.**

## Smith

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Alan Sontag, David Strasberg, Joel Stuart and Peter Weichsel. The squad was organized by Precision Club advocate C.C. Wei to promote his system. Smith had four second-place finishes in NABC events and was also runner-up in the 1972 and 1973 London Sunday Times Invitational Pairs playing with different partners.

Smith and Mike Moss co-founded the Cavendish Invitational Pairs in 1975. This annual event, still held, is the largest cash prize bridge tournament in the world, and attracts the finest players from around the world.

Smith began his bridge journalism career in the mid-Sixties as the managing editor of the Bridge Bulletin as well as the second edition of the Official Encyclopedia of Bridge. When the ACBL moved to Memphis from Greenwich CT in 1972, Smith went to work for the Cavendish Club, the venerable rubber bridge club in New York City, as its manager. It was there that the Cavendish Invitational Pairs was established and played until the club closed in the early Nineties.

Smith was also editor of the nationally syndicated Goren bridge column and The Post-Mortem, the official publication of the Greater New York Bridge Association. Smith served as GNYBA secretary for decades.

Smith is survived by two brothers, Richard of Stephentown NY and Peter of Oviedo FL.

*Thanks to Gene Saxe, longtime friend and partner of Smith, for providing information in this obituary. Photo courtesy Jonathan Steinberg.*

### INTERNATIONAL FUND STRATIFIED OPEN

36.0 Tables

	A	B	C	
6.98	1			Paul Nason, Los Angeles CA; Joseph De Gaetano, Atkinson NH 67.36%
5.24	2			Howard Weiner, Bloomfield Hill MI; Judi Weiner, Bloomfield MI 64.96%
3.93	3			Gloria Flicker - Ron Flicker, Forest VA 64.14%
2.94	4			D Pierce, Parkersburg WV; Scott Hiller, Marshall MN 63.19%
2.21	5			Barry Senensky, Thornhill ON; Robert Kuz, St Andrews MB 62.50%
2.05	6			Carolyn Fryar - Samuel Brams, Palm Beach Gdns FL 62.17%
5.01	1			Marilyn Bennett - Brian Collins, St. John's NL 60.02%
3.76	2			Livingston Johnson, Fairfax VA; Sheryl McEwan, Reston VA 57.87%
2.82	3			Helene Katz, Louisville KY; Barbara Bates, Westerville OH 56.81%
2.11	4			Neil Timm, Lady Lake FL; David Stentz, The Village FL 54.92%
3.19	5	1		Elaine Crick - John Crick, Bluffton SC 54.86%
2.39	6	2		Andreina Panion - Don Leisey, Naples FL 54.80%
1.79		3		Stephen Granet - Andrea Granet, West Orange NJ 53.91%
1.35		4		Jackie Jones, Apopka FL; Lynne Beresford, Fort Washington MD 53.50%
1.49		5		Jurgen Rinderspacher - Anne Traven, Roetgen Germany 52.31%
1.18		6		Lawrence Gelman, Boynton Beach FL; Bonnie Rosen, Boca Raton FL 50.99%

### FIRST FRIDAY EVENING 100/200/300 PAIRS

10.0 Tables

	A	B	C	
2.83	1	1	1	Portia Craven, Ocala FL; Henry Harman, North Haven CT 66.37%
2.12	2	2	2	T Goodwin, Northville MI; Carl Gentile, Dallas TX 63.10%
1.39	3/4			Cheryl Macintosh, Halifax NS; Ginny Saunders, Dartmouth NS 62.80%
1.39	3/4			Judy Ripley - Robert Ripley, lac des Loups QC 62.80%
0.79	5/6			Marcia Jameson, Austin TX; Kirk Miller, Palm Harbor FL 55.65%
1.35	5/6	3		Peter McKay, Gainesville FL; Bill Larsen, Micanopy FL 55.65%
1.01		4		Mary Jean O'Connor, US; Prema Durairaj, Venice FL 53.27%
0.76		5		Marie Skop, Odessa FL; Bridget Harris, Lutz FL 50.30%

### FIRST FRIDAY EVENING 05/20/50 PAIRS

6.0 Tables

	D	E	F	
1.68	1	1	1	Barbara Hooper, Fernandina FL; Jan Gunderson, Fernandina Bch FL 58.33%
1.26	2	2		Bernadina Dufour - Donald Dufour, Weyburn SK 57.50%
0.95	3	3	2	Charles Britney, Nepean ON; Jamie Hayden, Torrence ON 54.17%
0.62	4/5	4	3	Thomas Hart, Brandon FL; Margaret Hart, FL 51.67%
0.62	4/5			Barbara Nevils - Timothy Nevils, Stuart FL 51.67%

### FRIDAY-SATURDAY MORNING COMPACE KO BRACKET 1

16 Tables  
 Charles Burns, Vancouver WA; Courtney Keller, Basalt CO; Susan Knox, Aspen CO; Sandra Smees, St Catharines ON  
 vs  
 Stephen Goldstein, Anaheim CA; Lynn Leisy, Amelia Island FL; Julie Zhu, Vero Beach FL; Gary Brown, San Francisco CA

Blake Sanders - Russ Jones, Jonesboro AR; Michael McGuire, Hernando MS; Asya Ladyzhensky, Ellenton FL

vs  
 Gerald Skellenger - Judith Skellenger, Rochester Hills MI; Bjorgvin Kristinnsson, Minneapolis MN; Marianne Claysmith, St Augustine FL

### EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION KOS BRACKET I

7 Teams  
 Ken Gee, Regina SK; Bob Carteaux, Fort Wayne IN; Rumen Trendafilov - Kalin Karaivanov, Varna Bulgaria; Hannah Moon, Prince Albert SK

vs  
 Robert Kent, Marina Del Rey CA; Matthew Mallory, San Diego CA; Marjorie Michelin - Ellis Feigenbaum, Laguna Woods CA; Howard Parker III, Clements CA; John Zilic, Houston TX

Hans Jacobs, Downsvie ON; Debbie Bennett, Scarborough ON; Linda Cobham - Gerald Laflamme, Grnd-Bay-Wfld NB; Bert Newman - Kathy Newman, West Bloomfield MI

vs  
 G S Jade Barrett, Elk Point SD; Karen Barrett, Norwalk CT; Anne Dawson, Delhi LA; Jim Looby, Burbank CA; Tom Breed, Kingwood TX; Chris Moll, Raleigh NC

### EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION KOS BRACKET II

6 Teams  
 Judy Chapman - Dora Lee, Edmonton AB; Paul Sorensen - Allan Sorensen, Berwyn AB

vs  
 Bea Eisen - Anu Goodman, Toronto ON; Ranald Davidson, North York ON; Pamela Nisbet, Ottawa ON

### EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION KOS BRACKET III

6 Teams  
 Jeremy Smees - John Mackay, St Catharines ON; Lorna Johnson, Ridgeway ON; Kathy Morrison, Welland ON; Diane K.M. Gordon, St Davids ON

vs  
 Marc Franklin, Portland OR; Cerona Stevens, Marquette MI; Lily Andre - James Andre, Sugar Land TX

### EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION KOS BRACKET IV

6 Teams  
 Francois Falardeau, Repentigny QC; Alain Blaise, Saintemarguerit QC; Mario Gauvin, Sainte-Agathe QC; Michel Doyon, Rosemere QC

vs  
 Ivor Philips - Marilyn Philips, Bellevue WA; Pat Monahan - Linda Monahan, Interlochen MI



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### The Insider

Black Friday is over and those of you who spent Thanksgiving with family have arrived. Others who can't come to Orlando without checking in with the mouse or the wizard have fulfilled that obligation and, now, everyone is settling in at the bridge tables. We've got plenty of room for everyone and we're sure everyone will have a great time as the best bridge players in the world compete for points and glory.

The Insider heard that it took awhile to get out of the parking lot for dinner yesterday. A big part of the problem was the person — surely not a bridge player — who parked their car so that it blocked two of the four exit lanes. Please, if you see this person, ask them to choose a real parking space in the future. (Don't forget to get your blue ticket to get free parking in the self-park lot.)

Ask Me Girl has positioned herself at the foot of the escalators. If you are an NABC regular, and haven't stopped by to say "hi," make sure you do. If you are an NABC ir-regular, stop by and meet her. She will be there an hour before game time daily to answer questions, give directions and offer encouragement and a smile. The S.C. thinks that is all she does, but those of you who are in the know are aware of the many other things she does: working with the hotel staff starting over a year ago to plan the NABC, loading and unloading the 50,000 pounds of bridge stuff needed for the tournament, setting up tables, making sure meeting rooms are set properly and handling the 10,000 other details that make these things work. These are details only the Insider sees if done properly, but all of you see if left undone.

It was reported to the Insider that the Supreme Commander made a rather dramatic arrival at the hotel yesterday. Aware that the Insider had alerted you to watch for the red carpet, he and his band of seals parachuted directly onto the helipad of the 42nd floor luxury suite. The S.C. twisted his knee slightly on landing and immediately sent one of his executive assistants out to check on the sale price of helicopters — why have a helipad if you don't have a helicopter? As an Insider aside, we were surprised to find out that at least two of the S.C.'s seals were actual gray seals "borrowed" from Sea World. The staff from Metro Horn Lake were wondering why the second pool was added to the S.C.'s office right after we moved into ACBL's new office campus.

### Free parking

Commuters can park for free! Here's how: Keep the white ticket the machine gives you on the way in.

Pick up a blue ticket from the Registration Desk or the computer pit in any room.

When leaving, insert the white ticket. When the machine asks you to pay, insert the blue ticket.

You must have a new blue ticket each time you exit the garage

### FRIDAY-SUNDAY MORNING SIDE GAME

9.0 Tables					
	A	B	C		
2.88	1	1		Daniel AlbertRozenberg - Michael Albert, Cambridge MA	59.82%
2.16	2	2		Dick Wilson - Marilyn Goldman, Rochester NY	58.67%
1.62	3	3		Lynda Flanger, Gainesville VA; William Fisher, Rochester NY	58.59%
1.24	4			Bernard Neuhart, Niskayuna NY; Robert Neuhart, Troy NY	56.38%
0.96	5	4		Bob Soni - Kenneth Andino, Tallahassee FL	54.97%

### FIRST FRIDAY MORNING 5/20/50 PAIRS

20.0 Tables					
	A	B	C		
1.84	1/2	1/2		Edward Bullock, Ponte Vedra FL; Olivia Bissell, Ponte Vedra Bch FL	71.43%
1.84	1/2	1/2		Edward Bullock, Ponte Vedra FL; Olivia Bissell, Ponte Vedra Bch FL	71.43%
1.04	3/4	3/4	1/2	Christopher Welland, New York NY; Joseph Lieberman, Los Angeles CA	62.33%
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0.58	5/6	5/6	3/4	Arlene McCord, Casselberry FL; Sheila Greenspoon, Maitland FL	57.86%
0.58	5/6	5/6	3/4	Arlene McCord, Casselberry FL; Sheila Greenspoon, Maitland FL	57.86%

### FIRST FRIDAY 100/200/300 PAIRS

14.5 Tables					
	A	B	C		
3.53	1	1	1	Marilyn Ankenmann, Scarborough ON; Betty Lemon, Toronto ON	62.50%
2.65	2	2		Emiel Domis, Christiansted VI; Sharon Amberg, St Croix VI	60.02%
1.99	3			Becky Bien, Maumelle AR; Byron Southern, Little Rock AR	58.14%
1.77	4	3		Janet Hinrichs, Marion IA; Duane Hinrichs, Clearwater FL	58.07%
1.24	5	4		Gale Hudson, Mattapoisett MA; Alan Hudson, Stuart FL	57.85%
0.89	6			Dynan Candon - Frank Ebright, Palm City FL	56.80%
1.43		5	2	Judith Miller - Olivia Ehmer, Jacksonville FL	56.28%
1.07		6	3	Deborah Leach - Patricia Cunningham, Clayton GA	56.15%
0.80			4	Portia Craven, Ocala FL; Henry Harman, North Haven CT	50.46%

### INTERNATIONAL FUND STRATIFIED OPEN

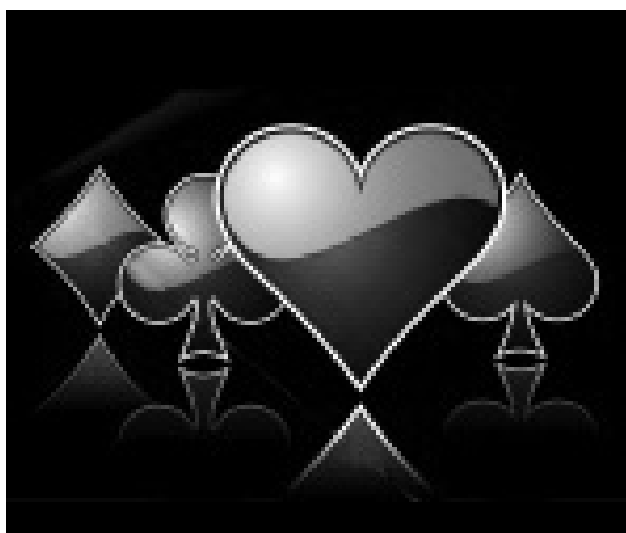
23.0 Tables					
	A	B	C		
5.01	1			Pat McDevitt, Brookline MA; Geoffrey Brod, Avon CT	63.19%
3.76	2			Gene Simpson, San Rafael CA; Hamish Bennett, Menlo Park CA	62.96%
2.82	3			Eugene Davidson, Boynton Beach FL; Stephen Shane, White Plains NY	62.27%
2.11	4			Gerald Haase - Victor Silverstone, Teddington Midd England	61.11%
1.59	5			Richard Popper, Wilmington DE; William Esberg, Long Branch NJ	59.26%
1.19	6			Mary Poplawski - Harry Nuckols, Vestal NY	57.41%
3.03		1		Brian Collins - Marilyn Bennett, St. John's NL	54.86%
2.27		2		Alain Blaise, Saintemarguerit QC; Francois Falardeau, Repentigny QC	54.40%
2.28		3	1	Sidney Greeley, Paradise NL; John Brake, Torbay NL	53.47%
1.31		4		Gerald Skellenger - Judith Skellenger, Rochester Hills MI	50.00%
1.50		5/6	2/3	Barbara Phillips, Stuart FL; Harriet Whitaker, Palm City FL	48.38%
1.50		5/6	2/3	Mario Gauvin, Sainte-Agathe QC; Michel Doyon, Rosemere QC	48.38%
0.84			4/5	Ruby Grant - Will Grant, St Peterburg FL	47.69%
0.84			4/5	Rena Hansch - Walter Hutton, Fort Collins CO	47.69%

### FIRST FRIDAY AFTERNOON 100/200/300 PAIRS

18.0 Tables					
	A	B	C		
3.96	1			Becky Bien, Maumelle AR; Byron Southern, Little Rock AR	66.07%
3.06	2	1	1	Marilyn Ankenmann, Scarborough ON; Betty Lemon, Toronto ON	65.48%
2.30	3	2	2	Peter McKay, Gainesville FL; Bill Larsen, Micanopy FL	61.01%
1.72	4	3		Bridget Harris, Lutz FL; Marie Skop, Odessa FL	59.52%
1.25	5			Judy Ripley - Robert Ripley, lac des Loups QC	59.23%
1.29	6	4		Janet Hinrichs, Marion IA; Duane Hinrichs, Clearwater FL	58.63%
1.14		5	3	Joseph Hicks - Thomas Tews, Hendersonville NC	56.25%
0.79		6		Gale Hudson, Mattapoisett MA; Alan Hudson, Stuart FL	54.46%
0.85			4	Sandra Ainsworth - Doris Bryant, The Villages FL	53.87%
0.64			5	Judith Miller - Olivia Ehmer, Jacksonville FL	50.89%

### FIRST FRIDAY AFTERNOON 5/20/50 PAIRS

14.0 Tables					
	A	B	C		
2.52	1			Sonja Luckie - Janet Martin, Cleveland TN	65.83%
1.89	2			Beverley McAlpine, Scarborough ON; Colleen Fox, Richmond Hill ON	61.11%
1.90	3	1	1	Bruce Hartwigen, Maitland FL; Charles Britney, Nepean ON	60.06%
1.43	4	2		Meredith Schainblatt, Clearwater FL; Mary Debree, Dunwoody GA	59.57%
0.80	5			Darryl Wile - Edith Wile, Wolfville NS	58.61%
1.07	6	3		Bruce Hanzel - Sharon Hanzel, Celebration FL	57.01%
0.80		4		Bernadina Dufour - Donald Dufour, Weyburn SK	55.16%
0.79		5	2	Barbara Hooper, Fernandina FL; Jan Gunderson, Fernandina Bch FL	54.94%
0.59		6	3	Mark Fitzmorris - Victoria Fitzmorris, St Augustine FL	53.55%
0.46			4	Brendan Tansey, Edmonton AB; Susan Bartlett, Toronto ON	52.72%
0.35			5	Joseph Lieberman, Los Angeles CA; Christopher Welland, New York NY	50.28%



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**Time:** 11 a.m. – noon • **Location:** Crystal B



**ACBL said thank you yesterday at a reception for teachers and club officials. Shown are: Carol Robertson, ACBL Director of Club and Member Services; Club Manager Cathy Kirshner of BRIDGEExpress in Lake Success NY; Dana Norton, ACBL Education Department; teacher Lynn Berg of DeLand FL; and Vicki Campbell, ACBL's Director of Marketing and Education.**



**The Intermediate-Newcomer area has its own Partnership Desk. Come ahead of time if you want them to help you find a partner or teammates. Gretchen Funk and Marianne Timmons help Wilton and Roba Grant.**

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY JAYNE THOMAS STRATIFIED DAYLIGHT OPEN PAIRS**

12.0 Tables		A	B	C		
11.90	1				Steven Gaynor - Jean Boettcher, Minneapolis MN	60.79%
8.93	2				Bernhardt Trout, Longboat Key FL; Joseph Godefrin, Sarasota FL	59.77%
6.69	3				John Ide, Cape Canaveral FL; Merle Stetser, Honolulu HI	59.03%
5.02	4				James Fowlkes - Patricia Fowlkes, Garner NC	57.06%
3.97	5				Lowell Andrews, Huntington Bch CA; Dave McClintock, Bluffton SC	56.90%
3.40	6				Stephen Rzewski, South Dennis MA; Margie Sullivan, Sagamore Beach MA	56.57%
3.08	7				Steve Clark - Louise Clark, Glencoe IL	55.18%
5.20		1			Thomas Loveday, Sequim WA; Charles Williams, Palm Desert CA	54.18%
3.90		2			Gladys Hardcastle - Kenneth Hardcastle, Atlanta GA	53.98%
3.46		3	1		David Loeb, Heathrow FL; Maureen Loeb, Lake Mary FL	48.69%
2.19		4			Marion Yonke, Manhasset NY; John Berry, New Hyde Park NY	48.45%
2.60		5	2		Leonard Fagen, Toronto ON; Edward Berg, Jacksonville FL	47.96%
1.95		3			John Kardach, Melbourne FL; J Kardach, Vacaville CA	46.59%

**GATOR JAYNE STRATIFIED SENIOR PAIRS**

25.0 Tables		A	B	C		
9.52	1				William Alexander, Clermont FL; Harvey Mandel, Nanuet NY	69.33%
7.14	2				Ronda O'Farrell, Sun City Center FL; Ed Weiss, Sun City Ctr FL	59.49%
5.36	3				Marcia Teitelbaum - Daniel Teitelbaum, Boca Raton FL	58.75%
6.37	4		1		Sue Williamson - Robert Williamson, Englewood CO	58.61%
3.17	5				Thomas Heuring, Longwood FL; John Long, Casselberry FL	57.41%
2.72	6				Forrest Wardwell Jr, Bucksport ME; Robert Spitzner, Sun City Center FL	56.83%
2.38	7				Michele Foran, Oconomowoc WI; William Malesevich, Mayville WI	55.90%
4.78		2	1		John Hartigan - Pamela Hartigan, Hamden CT	55.56%
3.14		3/4			James Easterling, Casselberry FL; Robert Michaud, Sun City West AZ	54.63%
3.14		3/4			Eileen Tonroe, Savannah GA; Brenda Vitty, Maidenhead United Kingdom	54.63%
2.29		5			Lillian Johannessen - Tor Johannessen, Honolulu HI	53.82%
2.67		6	2		Sunny Koontz, Palm Beach FL; Charles Lanigan, Centerville MA	53.66%
2.00		3			Brady Lotridge - Leanne Lotridge, New Orleans LA	53.63%
1.83		4			P Oates - W Oates, Brighton MI	50.93%
1.19		5			Edgwin Simpson - Gail McBeth, San Diego CA	49.88%

**INTERNATIONAL FUND STRATIFIED OPEN**

122.75 Tables						
14.21	1/2				Karen McCallum, Exeter NH	123.23%
14.21	1/2				Lynn Baker, Austin TX	123.23%
9.59	3/4				Shirley Matthews, Lindale TX	122.60%
9.59	3/4				Erez Hendelman, New York NY	122.60%
5.46	5				Jerry Helms, Charlotte NC	120.33%
10.74	6				Jeffrey Taylor, Eugene OR	119.71%
7.83	7/8				Marilyn Bennett, St. John's NL	116.91%
7.83	7/8				Brian Collins, St. John's NL	116.91%
3.10	9/10				Harry Nuckols, Vestal NY	116.44%
3.10	9/10				Mary Poplawski, Vestal NY	116.44%
2.76	11/12				William Esberg, Long Branch NJ	116.31%
2.76	11/12				Richard Popper, Wilmington DE	116.31%
2.60	13/14				Barry Senensky, Thornhill ON	115.71%
2.60	13/14				Robert Kuz, St Andrews MB	115.71%

**BAZE SENIOR KO TEAMS**

35 Tables	
Carolyn Lynch, Scottsdale AZ; Mike Passell, Las Vegas NV; Garey Hayden, Tucson AZ; Mark Lair, Canyon TX; Melih Ozdil, New York NY	vs
Judy Chapman - Dora Lee, Edmonton AB; Paul Sorensen - Allan Sorensen, Berwyn AB	
Rose Meltzer, Los Gatos CA; Kyle Larsen, San Francisco CA; Zia Mahmood, New York NY; Bob Hamman, Dallas TX; Russ Ekeblad, Portsmouth RI; Ron Rubin, Miami FL	vs
Robert Tremblay - Alain Dufour - Pierre Choquette - Gerard Bouchard, Quebec QC	
Marc Jacobus - Drew Casen, Las Vegas NV; Eddie Wold, Houston TX; Roger Bates, Mesa AZ; James Krekorian, Pensacola FL	vs
Robert Donald - Diane Burger, Troy NY; William Fisher, Rochester NY; Lynda Flanger, Gainesville VA	
Richard DeMartino, Riverside CT; John Stiefel, Wethersfield CT; Pat McDevitt, Brookline MA; Geoffrey Brod, Avon CT; Lew Finkel, Jupiter FL; Gaylor Kastle, Boca Raton FL	vs
Jill Wooldridge, Buffalo NY; Gerald Ungar, Pt Charlotte FL; Steven Cohn, Clearwater FL; Wayne Christensen, Jr, Laporte TX	
Dan Morse, Houston TX; John Sutherlin, Dallas TX; Kit Woolsey, Kensington CA; Fred Stewart, Bloomington NY; Daniel Gerstman, Buffalo NY; Steve Landen, Ellicott City MD	vs
Hans Jacobs, Downsview ON; Debbie Bennett, Scarborough ON; Bill Parks, Macungie PA; Gerald Laflamme - Linda Cobham, Grnd-Bay-Wfld NB	
Hamish Bennett, Menlo Park CA; Gene Simpson, San Rafael CA; Bruce Ferguson - Brenda Keller, Palm Springs CA; Mark Itabashi, Murrieta CA; Ross Grabel, Palm Desert CA	vs
Craig Robinson - Elaine Landow, Lansdale PA; Jeffrey Taylor, Eugene OR; Barry Senensky, Thornhill ON; Robert Kuz, St Andrews MB	
Mike Levine, Boca Raton FL; Dennis McGarry, Stuart FL; Chuck Said, Nashville TN; David Siebert, Little Rock AR; Dennis Clerkin - Jerry Clerkin, Bloomington IN	vs
Steve Mager, Hermosa Beach CA; Subba Ravipudi, Downey CA; Bruce Horiguchi, Gardena CA; Mark Teaford, Seal Beach CA	
Mel Colchamiro, Merrick NY; Sheila Gabay, Newton MA; Steve Bloom - Betty Bloom, Duaneburg NY; Daniel Colatosti, Boca Raton FL; John Malley, Pascoag RI	vs
Alan Osofsky, Palm Beach FL; James Parker - Darcy Parker, Hollywood FL; Robert Rosen, Delray Beach FL	



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vs

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Karen Lee Barrett, Elk Point SD; Jim Looby, Burbank CA; Steve Robinson, Arlington VA; Peter Boyd, Darnestown MD; Anne Dawson, Delhi LA; Barry Harper, Regina SK

vs

Stephen Shane, White Plains NY; Ali Koray Selcuk, Istanbul Turkey; Eugene Davidson, Boynton Beach FL; Sedat Nassi - David Reiter, Hollywood FL; Norman Schwartz, San Marcos CA

Mark Ralph, San Francisco CA; Farid Assemi, Fresno CA; Ed Wojewoda, Clovis CA; Bruce Noda, Corte Madera CA; Keith Garber, Las Vegas NV; Cam Doner, Richmond BC

vs

Richard Popper, Wilmington DE; William Esberg, Long Branch NJ; Abe Pineles, Jackson NJ; Alexander Allen, Annandale NJ

Linda Smoak - J Fletcher Smoak, Roanoke VA; Fred Hamilton, Las Vegas NV; Julian Heicklen, Teaneck NJ; Robert Heller, Decatur GA; Leonard Case, Charlotte NC

vs

Jerry Helms - Robert Bitterman, Charlotte NC; Michael Cummings, Palm Beach Gdn FL; David Lindop, Toronto ON

Michael Kovacich, Stone Mountain GA; Robert White, Raleigh NC; Sangarapil Mohan, Oak Brook IL; Robert Gardner, Glenview IL

vs

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Victor Markowicz, Boca Raton FL; Victor Melman, Scarsdale NY; Apolinary Kowalski, Warsaw 0 Poland; Julian Klukowski, Warsaw Poland; Jerzy Russyan,

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John Atlee Macgregor - Tony Kasday, Miami FL; David Ruderman, Burtonsville MD; David Abelow, Owings Mills MD

vs

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Barnet Shenkin, Boca Raton FL; Richard Coren, Delray Beach FL; Gerald Haase, Teddington Midd England; Victor Silverstone, London United Kingdom; Ian Panto, Chlftnt St Giles England; Peter Lester, United Kingdom

vs

Robert Teel Jr - Jane Teel, Birmingham AL; John Potter, Panama City FL; Richard Potter, Black Mountain NC; Hugh Brown Jr, Mc Cormick SC; Robert Fendrick, Marietta GA

## WOMENS LIFE MASTER PAIRS

### 26.0 Tables

		Carryover
1	Bernace De Young, Miami FL; Mickie Chambers, Atlanta GA	79.75
2	Judi Radin - Sylvia Moss, New York NY	76.12
3	Cindy Bernstein, Memphis TN; Kathy Baum, Germantown TN	66.76
4	Shawn Quinn, Houston TX; Petra Hamman, Dallas TX	63.57
5	Hjordis Eythorsdottir, Huntsville AL; Valerie Westheimer, New York NY	58.16
6	Cheri Bjerkan, Elmhurst IL; Rozanne Pollack, Basking Ridge NJ	52.74
7	Kathleen Sulgrove, Twinsburg OH; Brenda Bryant, Ferndale MI	50.64
8	Tobi Sokolow, Austin TX; Geeske Joel, Palo Alto CA	47.54
9	Ina Demme, Maple ON; Lesley Thomson, Toronto ON	43.45
10	Shelly Dunietz - Migry Zur Campanile, New York NY	41.09
11	Gigi Simpson - Gen Geiger, Sarasota FL	39.46
12	Phyllis Fireman, Chestnut Hill MA; Shannon Cappelletti, Delray Beach FL	39.37
13	Robin Taylor, Gaithersburg MD; Sharon Gerstman, Buffalo NY	39.20
14	Roberta Trayman - Cathy Bradbury, Naples FL	38.73
15	Ljudmila Kamenova, Stony Brook NY; Sylvia Caley, Montreal QC	37.89
16	Elaine Katzman, Boynton Beach FL; Carolyn Sessler, Boca Raton FL	37.76
17	Bronia Jenkins, Vero Beach FL; Susan Miller, Boca Raton FL	37.62
18	Gila Guttmann, Boca Raton FL; Gail Bell, King of Prussia PA	35.96
19	Rebecca Clough, Culver City CA; Rhonda Foster, Victoria BC	33.12
20	Tania Reyes Hiller, Shrub Oak NY; Melissa Baker, West Harrison NY	30.53
21	Vonnie Lavender, Burke VA; Sarah Anne Cressy, Falls Church VA	30.05
22	Sylwia McNamara, White Plains NY; Darina Demirev, Arlington Hts IL	27.29
23	Donna Rodwell, Clearwater Bch FL; Sheila Pies, Osprey FL	25.57
24	Peg Waller, Eden Prairie MN; Sharon Anderson, Eagan MN	24.80
25	Rebecca Rogers - Diane Graese, Las Vegas NV	24.48
26	Sandy Kay - Vicki Lerner, San Francisco CA	23.74
27	Renee Mancuso, Los Angeles CA; Sheri Winestock, Las Vegas NV	23.19
28	Lynne Feldman, San Diego CA; Chris Benson, Le Roy IL	22.51
29	Patty Hinze - Donna Watkins, San Antonio TX	21.88
30	Anne Brenner, Denver CO; Suzanne Jones, Boulder CO	21.49
31	Sally Strul - Lisa Berkowitz, Boca Raton FL	21.20
32	Sandra Fleischman, Bradenton FL; Harriette Buckman, University Park FL	20.74
33	Lynn Deas, Schenectady NY; Judith Shulman, Delmar NY	20.30
34	Jadwiga Polujan, Port Coquitlam BC; Irina Ladyzhensky, Ellenton FL	18.77
35	Marilyn Elyakin, Monroe Twp NJ; Ricki Rogers, Mt Laurel NJ	18.38
36	Amanda Jeger, Frankfurt Am Ma Germany; Estera Lisker, East Quogue NY	18.17
37	Susan Fuller, Miami FL; Nancy Kalow, New York NY	17.96
38	Nancy Passell, Plano TX; Nell Cahn, Shreveport LA	16.96
39	Susan Picus - Gail Greenberg, New York NY	16.17
40	K Fung, Edmonton AB; Marjorie Michelin, Laguna Woods CA	15.42
41	Bette Cohn, Sarasota FL; Susi Ross, Winter Spgs FL	15.32
42	Jo Morse, Palm Bch Gdns FL; Barbara Kasle, Boca Raton FL	15.30
43	Claire Tornay, Palm Beach Gdns FL; Peggy Sutherland, Dallas TX	15.00
44	Nadine Wood, Silver Spring MD; Barbara Heller, Decatur GA	12.25
45	Lori Jacobs - Maggie Shenkin, Boca Raton FL	9.94
46	Jo Anne Casen, Wellington FL; Carol Clifford, Miami FL	7.43
47	JoAnn Sprung, Philadelphia PA; Janet Robertson, Timonium MD	5.85
48	Meg Myers, Portland OR; Theresa Andino, Tallahassee FL	5.16
49	Sally Meckstroth, Tampa FL; Betty Ann Kennedy, Shreveport LA	3.22
50	Janice Seamon-Molson, Hollywood FL; Carlyn Steiner, Seattle WA	2.59
51	Candace Griffey, Vero Beach FL; Joan Eaton, North York ON	0.16
52	Myriam Milgrom, Port St Lucie FL; Sheila Balson, San Francisco CA	0.00

## Electronic Device Policy

The electronic device policy is revised as follows:

1. For all NABC+ rated events at NABCs: Electronic devices, including but not limited to, phones, cameras, PDAs, and others capable of sending or receiving electronic communication are excluded from the playing areas during any session of play. This does not apply to health-related equipment.

2. For all events at an NABC other than a NABC+ rated event: Except for health-related equipment, or by permission of the Director-in-Charge of the tournament, cell phones, audible pagers or similar equipment may not be operated or operable in any manner in the playing area during a session of play. Any such equipment must not be visible during the session. Sponsoring organizations of other ACBL-sanctioned events are encouraged to adopt a similar policy.

3. These restrictions in numbers 1 and 2 above apply to all pairs, team members, captains, coaches, play recorders (except those designated by ACBL) and kibitzers and are in force throughout any actual playing session or segment of play.

4. A violation of any of the restrictions in numbers 1 and 2 above will result in a disciplinary penalty of one full board (12 IMPs at that form of scoring) for the first offense. A second offense will result in disqualification from the event for the pair/team. Kibitzers violating this policy will be removed from the playing area for the remainder of the session.

## Tournament Terminology 101

If you're confused by the terms used to describe the different types of bridge events played at clubs and tournaments, you're not alone. Here's a list of common bridge events with explanations.

**Knockout Teams:** an event in which a team (of four, five or six players, with four playing at a time) plays another team. The losers are eliminated or "knocked out" while the winners play other winners until only one winning team remains.

The length of a KO match may vary from a single session to a full day (the Vanderbilt and Spingold) to a multi-day event (the Bermuda Bowl).

**Bracketed Knockout Teams:** a KO event in which teams are divided into groups, usually of 8, 16 or 32 teams, based on their masterpoint holdings. The top group (Bracket I) and all other groups compete in a separate event with their own set of winners.

**Compact Knockout Teams:** a shorter version of Bracketed KO teams.

**Swiss Teams:** an event in which a team (of four, five or six players, with four playing at a time) plays other teams in seven-, eight- or nine-board matches. Team A sits North-South at Table 1 and East-West at Table 2 while Team B sits East-West at Table 1 and North-South at Table 2. The results are compared and scored by International Match Points (IMPs).

Pairings for the first round are random. Pairings for succeeding rounds are determined by a team's win-loss record or Victory Point total.

**International Match Points (IMPs):** the most

common method of scoring Swiss Team matches. Scoring example: if Team A scores plus 620 for bidding and making 4♠ on a particular deal and Team B scores only plus 170 (they didn't bid the game), the difference is 450, which converts to 10 IMPs. The IMP chart is shown on the inside of your convention card.

**Victory Points (VPs):** a method of scoring Swiss Team matches. After the scores are compared and converted to IMPs, the IMP total is converted to Victory Points. A team's VP total may be used to determine its next opponents and its final standing.

**Side Game Series:** a series of single-session pair games that pay red points. These series include at least three sessions and may have as many as six. You may play in as many sessions as you like, but only pairs who play in at least two sessions are eligible for overall gold points. Your best two sessions are used for determining overall winners.

**Flighted pairs:** When flighting is used, the field is divided by expertise or experience or both into several separate games. Flight A ("unlimited masterpoints") will be open to all players while the remaining flights will be limited. Flight B might be 0-500 MPs or 0-1000 MPs while Flight C might be 0-300 or 0-500.

Each flight is scored individually, and masterpoint awards are made for each flight.

The masterpoint holdings of the players determine their flight. If one player is quite expert while his partner is new to the game, the pair must compete in Flight A.

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## Look deeply

By Barry Rigal

A normal result on this deal from the first qualifying session of the Nail Life Master Open Pairs is for North-South to compete to 3♠ on the following auction.

Dir: East ♠ Q J 4  
 Vul: Both ♥ J 5  
 ♦ 9 8 7  
 ♣ Q 10 8 5 3

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

♠ A K 8 7 6 3  
 ♥ K 9 8 2  
 ♦ J 3 2  
 ♣ —

West	North	East	South
			1♠
Dbl	2♠	3♣	3♠
All Pass			

East might well double 3♠, and the defenders must be careful to play trumps twice to kill dummy's ruffs. When North records his minus 100 on the scoresheet he will doubtless remark at the fact that 3♣ rates to go down, and yet according to our infallible friend, Deep Finesse, 3♣ by East is makeable, if not by (an unlikely) West. A heart lead would defeat the contract.

Can you see how to make 3♣ with the sight of all 52 cards?

Best defense is the impossible low spade lead from South for the ♥J shift. Declarer ducks, wins the next heart to lead a club to the king to find the bad news. Then come four rounds of diamonds, declarer discarding his spade whether North ruffs in or not – it looks best to ruff. North leads a spade, and declarer ruffs, then leads a trump to the jack and queen. This is the ending:

♠ —	♠ Q	♠ —
♥ Q 10	♥ —	♥ 7
♦ —	♦ —	♦ —
♣ 6	♣ 10 8	♣ A 9
	♠ A K	
	♥ 9	
	♦ —	
	♣ —	

North must play back a spade to avoid immediate defeat, but declarer ruffs in dummy for the trump coup at trick 12.

More normal – human – defense is to lead the ♠A and see North drop the queen. An underlead in spades lets North win the jack for a heart to the king and a second heart. East wins and leads a club: he must put the jack in on the first round of the suit. North wins the ♣Q, and a spade exit lets declarer ruff in dummy and cash the red-suit winners, then overruff North in the four-card ending, cross back to the ♣K and execute the trump coup.

So North exits instead with a diamond. Declarer runs the diamonds to reach this position:

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

When the ♦A is led, North cannot ruff low or declarer overruffs and draws trumps. North pitches his spade, East discards his heart and now declarer can lead a heart, overruff North and go back to the ♣K for the trump finesse at trick 12.

## Real world

By Barry Rigal

On this deal from the first qualifying session of the Nail Life Master Open Pairs, the field overreached to an inelegant 3NT.

Dir: South ♠ A K 10  
 Vul: Both ♥ Q 9 8 7 2  
 ♦ 4  
 ♣ 6 5 4 2

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

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

At many tables, no doubt West opened 1♦ and raised 1NT to 3NT.

On a spade lead, most Easts tried a desperate ♠Q. Now the defense cashed their spades and declarer had not more than seven tricks . . . or does he? Again, our omniscient friend, Deep Finesse, indicates eight tricks are there for the taking. Can you deduce the winning line at double dummy?

Let's look at East declaring 2NT on a low spade lead. If declarer ducks in dummy, North wins the ♠10, king and ace and gets out with a club. Declarer cashes the ♣A, ♦A, then all the clubs. In the five-card ending, leads a low heart, intending to play dummy's 6. South puts in the ♥10, but declarer wins and ace and exits with the ♥6 – and North is endplayed to lead hearts into the tenace.

Let's revert to the real world:

South leads a low spade against 3NT and East misguesses by playing the ♠Q. The defense can cash four spades, East and West discarding diamonds. This is the ending:

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

It looks natural to play the ♦K, doesn't it? East wins the ♦A and runs the clubs to execute the one-suit squeeze on North again. At heart to the 10 and ace and a low heart catches North. So maybe South plays his ♥10, as requested? Declarer covers with the ♥A, takes the ♦A and four clubs, and leads a heart to the 5, 6 and 7. Curtains!

But there is a defense to this ending: South must lead the ♥5 right after cashing the 13th spade. That breaks up the squeeze-throw-in.

## Notice to players who live outside North America

Participation in the Kaplan Blue Ribbon Pairs and the 0-5000 Mini-Blue Ribbon Pairs is limited to those ACBL members who have earned a Blue Ribbon qualification (or for those members on the Lifetime Top 100 masterpoint list).

Participation in the Life Master Open and Women's Pairs is restricted to ACBL members who have achieved the rank of Life Master. Foreign players who do not meet these criteria, but feel they are otherwise eligible, must receive a waiver prior to the commencement of these contests.

Previously granted waivers will be honored.

For waiver information, please see Tournament Director Millard Nachtwey here at the tournament. He may be contacted through the Tournament Headquarters office, and he will also be available at the selling sites.

## Fung

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corporate lawyer.

"If you grow up Asian," she says, "there is a lot of pressure to be some kind of professional – and I couldn't stand the sight of blood," a reference to medical school, which two of her three brothers attended on their way to becoming physicians.

Fung graduated from Law School at the University of Alberta in Edmonton in 1986. She now spends long hours working for the City of Edmonton on multi-million-dollar projects. "I put together deals," she says.

She took up bridge while working as an intern after leaving law school. Fung and several friends, all card players, had taken up bridge – "The only thing I knew was that 4NT was Blackwood," she says – when one of them spotted the Edmonton Bridge Centre in the phone book. They went to give it a try, and Fung was hooked.

While awaiting the birth of her first child – Andrea, now 22 – Fung played bridge about 10 hours a day at home and at the bridge club. She also has a son, Sean, 20.

Fung believes that the time she put in studying bridge has been a major factor in her success, although she protests that it's mainly that "I'm very lucky."

Brian Glubok, Fung's partner in the Mixed Pairs in Philadelphia, has a different view.

"Kismet," he says, "has three big things going for her – she is intelligent, she has intellectual honesty in that she is prepared to change her opinion when necessary, and she has an outstanding competitive presence and great focus at the table."

Fung was originally scheduled to play with someone else in the Mixed Pairs in Philadelphia, but the first partner cancelled and another possible partner wasn't available, so she called Glubok and reminded him "you owe me a game." She was prepared to be turned down again, but Glubok said, "You mean I get to play with the great Kismet Fung?"

They practiced very little, but exchanged a lot of e-mails with discussions of opening leads and bidding theory. Fung soon will do a workshop at the Edmonton club based on the e-mails from Glubok.

In the Mixed Pairs, they started well but were struggling in the second qualifying session, ending with about 40%. During that session, Fung just didn't want to be there. Every decision she made turned out wrong and she was discouraged.

Glubok pulled her aside for a pep talk: "Do you think Bob Hamman would ever say that he didn't want to be here? You have to sit there like it's where you want to be."

They easily made it to the final and played well in the first two sessions, but the second session didn't score well and they entered the final session of the event in 30th place. Without much hope for earning a medal, they relaxed and focused on enjoying the game. All of a sudden, the tops started coming. Fung reckons that five pairs bid unsuccessful grand slams against them, and there were plus 800s mixed in with plus 1100s.

They didn't know that they were leading the event, only to be overtaken by Donna Compton and Fulvio Fantoni, whose last two rounds were off the charts, but were delighted with the silver medal.

With Susan Culham in the Women's Pairs, the same relaxed attitude helped them recover from a rocky start to pull into second place behind Lynn Deas and Beth Palmer.

Rather than being disappointed about finishing second in two big events, Fung looks at what happened in a much different way:

"There is always the fear . . . will I ever get this close again? I have to believe that I will get this close again. It does give me something to strive for."

## Harbingers

By Barry Rigal

Sometimes the success or failure of a complete set can be determined by the first round. Take a look at what happened to us on the first round of the opening qualifying session of the Nail Life Master Open Pairs.

Dir: East ♠ Q 6  
 Vul: N-S ♥ K Q 10 7  
 ♦ A K 9 7  
 ♣ 7 5 2

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

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

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

(1) Transfer to spades.

Eric Leong found himself in 3♥ doubled. West understandably led the ♦6 (a heart or a club works better). Remarkably, on best play from there, 3♥ is cold. Declarer cannot afford even one round of trumps – East gets in with the ♠A to underlead in clubs, and West, after winning the king, can play the ♥A and another heart.

You must lead the ♠Q at trick two. East wins and might as well play back a club because there is no diamond ruff. If West plays another club, declarer crossruffs with impunity. If West wins to play the ♥A and another heart, declarer wins the king, plays the ♠K, ruffs a spade with the ♥Q, then overtakes the ♥10 with the jack and runs the spades. The defense can score two trumps and one trick in each black suit.

Just to put the record straight, we did emerge with plus 730, and any resemblance between the indicated lines above and what took place at the table is purely coincidental!

## Electronic scoring

We are using electronic scoring devices all tournament.

Do not necessarily expect them to be ready to go when we give the announcement to start the game. Play the first board; the tournament director will make an announcement when they are ready to use.

## Monitoring

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

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

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



## NAIL LIFE MASTER PAIRS

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1	Roy Welland, New York NY; Steve Garner, Chicago IL	2120.15
2	Sabine Auken, Charlottenlund Denmark; Daniela von Arnim, Hockenh Germany	2086.28
3	James Rasmussen - Pamela Miller, Cambridge MA	2085.65
4	Chris Compton, Dallas TX; Jeff Meckstroth, Tampa FL	2084.39
5	David Berkowitz, Boca Raton FL; Alan Sontag, Gaithersburg MD	2053.02
6	Hakan Nilsson, West Palm Beach FL; Peter Fredin, Malmo Sweden	2041.09
7	Ira Chorush, Houston TX; Venkatrao Koneru, San Antonio TX	2024.86
8	Bjorn Fallenius - Lynne Tarnopol, New York NY	2001.57
9	William Pettis, Silver Spring MD; Frederick Allenspach, Plantation FL	1990.74
10	Corey Krantz, Drexel Hill PA; Prahalad Rajkumar, Germantown MD	1987.14
11	Bert Newman, West Bloomfield MI; Robert Crafton, W Bloomfield MI	1983.37
12	Brad Moss, San Anselmo CA; Fred Gitelman, Las Vegas NV	1980.43
13	Joapaulo Campos, Sao Paulo Brazil; Miguel Villas-Boas, Sao Paulo Spain	1980.23
14	Susan Boye - Daniel Boye, Farmington NY	1963.72
15	Hiroaki Miura, Fuchu City Japan; Kazuo K. Furuta, Kanagawa Japan	1951.42
16	Dennis Ryan, Menomonie WI; Bruce Thiher, The Villages FL	1928.34
17	Boye Brogeland, Norway; Erik Saelensminde, Jessheim Norway	1913.78
18	Lee Atkinson - Mark Yaeger, Hollywood FL	1911.25
19	Howard Parker III, Clements CA; Richard Reitman, Los Gatos CA	1905.90
20	Nikolay Demirev, Arlington Hts IL; Kevin Bathurst, New York NY	1891.41
21	Bart Bramley, Dallas TX; Barry Schaffer, Frisco TX	1891.13
22	Tadashi Teramoto - Hiroki Yokoi, Tokyo Japan	1886.66
23	David Bakhshi, London England; David Gold, Reading England	1883.48
24	Michael White, Atlanta GA; Mike Cappelletti, Winter Park FL	1880.47
25	Michael Moss - Joe Grue, New York NY	1879.45
26	Jim Munday - Susan Munday, Camarillo CA	1873.55
27	David Kent, Lake Mary FL; Stephen Brown, Ottawa ON	1870.87
28	Eric Greco, Philadelphia PA; Geoff Hampson, Las Vegas NV	1865.42
29	Michael Rosenberg, New Rochelle NY; Richard Zeckhauser, Cambridge MA	1862.27
30	Ira Hessel, San Antonio TX; Boris Baran, Cote Saint-Luc QC	1859.13
31	Daniel Lavee, Thornhill ON; Allan Graves, Barnet VT	1848.95
32	Steve Weinstein, Andes NY; Robert Hampton, Blythewood SC	1841.31
33	Steve Shirey, Fort Worth TX; Allan Stauber, Palm Bch Grdns FL	1839.38
34/35	Ron Smith - Linda Smith, Hixson TN	1838.43
34/35	Jerry Premo, Sacramento CA; Kay Beck, Noblesville IN	1838.43
36	Ahmed Hussein - Tarek Sadek, Cairo Egypt	1835.29
37	Jacob Morgan, Madison WI; Michael Polowan, New York NY	1831.94
38	Leao Carvalhu - Renato Fernandes, Sao Paulo Belize	1824.79
39	Justin Lall, Dallas TX; Darren Wolpert, Thornhill ON	1822.75
40	Cornelis Van Prooijen, Nieuw Vennepe Netherlands; Gavin Wolpert, Jupiter FL	1820.86
41	Jonathan Steinberg, Toronto ON; Daniel Korbel, Waterloo ON	1820.36
42	Jorgen Molberg, Trondheim Norway; Terje Aa, Heimdal Norway	1818.98
43	Roger Coffman, West Palm Beach FL; Chris Coffman, West Palm Bch FL	1813.96
44	Charles Showalter, Lady Lake FL; Joe Sacco, The Villages FL	1812.40
45	Martha Katz, Burr Ridge IL; Lynne Schaefer, Ellicott City MD	1810.19
46	Robert Heitzman Jr - Helen Raleigh, Suffern NY	1805.53
47	Michael Ranis, New York NY; David Caprera, Denver CO	1805.28
48	Ishmael Delmonte, Sydney Australia; Leslie Amoils, Toronto ON	1804.94
49	Carlos Pellegrini - Clara Gaist Klein, Buenos Aires Argentina	1801.86
50	Donald Kersey - Kenneth Allan, Kingston ON	1800.36
51	Sally Wheeler - Buddy Hanby, Spring TX	1799.42
52	Billy Miller, Las Vegas NV; Nicolas L'Ecuyer, Montreal QC	1798.52
53	Steve Zolotow, Las Vegas NV; Harold Lillie, Chicago IL	1797.33
54	Harlan Barnard, Deland FL; James Di Napoli, Wall NJ	1795.58
55	John Zilic, Houston TX; Chris Moll, Raleigh NC	1791.95
56	Barry Rigal, New York NY; Eric Leong, Oakland CA	1788.92
57	Steven Reuschlein, Middleton WI; Eileen Cripps, Madison WI	1788.86
58	Robert Blanchard - Shane Blanchard, New York NY	1785.58
59	Pablo Lambardi, Buenos Aires Argentina; Pablo Ravenna, Buenos Aires Argentina	1785.47
60	Joyce McMonagle - Lelvin Crowe, Cordova TN	1785.10
61	June Pocock - Larry Pocock, New Westminster BC	1783.85
62	Ava Grubman - Elliott Grubman, Brooklyn NY	1783.61
63	Kenny Horneman, Charlottesville VA; Gordon Zind, Ottawa ON	1783.22
64	Jeff Schuett - Ginny Schuett, Riverwoods IL	1781.63
65	James Bridges, Bradenton FL; Jerry Manioci, Rochester NY	1779.45
66	Jody Plummer, Chattanooga TN; Joe Rickman, Maryville TN	1777.22
67	James Griffin - Patricia Griffin, Sausalito CA	1775.69
68	Manny Marks - Jerry Stamatov, Lauderhill FL	1774.84
69	Qing Yang, Cupertino CA; Melody Bi, West Warwick RI	1773.80
70	Linda Lewis, Sioux Falls SD; Brian Glubok, New York NY	1773.08
71	Thomas Bessis, Issy-Les-Moulin France; Jessica Pfafsky, New York NY	1771.92
72	Jan Martel - Chip Martel, Davis CA	1770.04
73	Douglas Doub, W Hartford CT; Adam Wildavsky, New York NY	1769.90
74	Robert Levin, Lake Ariel PA; Walid Elahmady, Cairo Egypt	1769.28
75	Sandra Marlin - Mike Marlin, Versailles KY	1767.34
76	Larry Bausher, West Haven CT; Melvin Marcus, Waltham MA	1766.90
77	Lew Stansby - Jo Anna Stansby, Dublin CA	1765.72
78	Raghavendra Rajkumar, Ithaca NY; Rajeswaran Rajkumar, Germantown MD	1763.31
79	Fred King, Falls Church VA; Samuel Marks, Atlanta GA	1761.91
80	Jay Borker, Greenwich CT; Jan Jansma, Malden Netherlands	1761.89
81	Garry Karst - Jason Dufault, Edmonton AB	1759.78
82	George Jacobs, Hinsdale IL; Norberto Bocchi, Barcelona 080 Spain	1759.44
83	Robert Morris - Terry Currie, Houston TX	1758.75
84	William Treble - Sue Moore Treble, Winnipeg MB	1758.58
85	Joan Cremin, Paradise Vly AZ; Haig Tchamitch, Scottsdale AZ	1756.95
86	Larry Sealy, Huntsville AL; Zeke Jabour, Boca Raton FL	1755.76
87	Sean Ganness, Miami FL; Michael Donnelly, Fort Lauderdale FL	1753.68
88	Greg Hinze, San Antonio TX; Josephine Grabow, Grey Forest TX	1751.22
89	Lawrence Lau, Westport CT; John Klayman, Haymarket VA	1751.08
90/91	Karen Callihan - Steve Callihan, Raleigh NC	1748.08
90/91	Kent Mignocchi, Bronx NY; Irina Levitina, Hackensack NJ	1748.08

92	Allan Siebert, Little Rock AR; Randy Pettit, Marietta GA	1746.83
93	Ronald De Harpporte, Edina MN; Roger Anderson, Eagan MN	1746.72
94	John Russell, North Barrington IL; Valentin Kovachev, Stony Brook NY	1744.95
95	Steve Beatty, Mill Creek WA; Ralph Katz, Burr Ridge IL	1744.94
96	Jose Nader - Marcos Thoma, Sao Paulo Belize	1743.59
97	Marc Rabinowitz, Sunny Isles Bch FL; George Tornay Jr, Palm Beach Gdns FL	1739.17
98	Stephen Goldstein, Anaheim CA; Gary Brown, San Francisco CA	1731.28
99	Jason Feldman, San Diego CA; Richard Anderson, Regina SK	1731.14
100	Paul Kirby - Roberto Verthelyi, New York NY	1727.86
101	Gerry McCully, Victoria BC; Joel Martineau, Vancouver BC	1725.95
102	Geir Helgemo, Trondheim Ca Norway; Rune Hauge, St Petersport Great Britain	1725.44
103	Mark Aquino, Jamaica Plain MA; Richard Budd, Portland ME	1724.63
104	Winthrop Allegaert - Judith Bianco, New York NY	1721.09
105	Ross Rainwater, Vancouver WA; Isolde Knaap, Salem OR	1717.96
106	Martin Andresen, Oslo Norway; Tor Helness, Oslo Norway	1717.33
107	Allan Falk, Okemos MI; Lloyd Arvedon, Bedford MA	1716.09
108/109	Bob Etter, Sacramento CA; Roger Lee, Monrovia CA	1715.45
108/109	Matt Cory, Indianapolis IN; Owen Lien, Hickory NC	1715.45
110	Eric Rodwell, Clearwater Bch FL; John Diamond, Boca Raton FL	1714.11
111	Chris Willenken - R Jay Becker, New York NY	1712.31
112	G Gard Hays, Veradale WA; Pam Stratton, Las Vegas NV	1709.80
113	Marion Michielsens, Rotterdam Netherlands; Laura Dekkers, Netherlands	1709.18
114	Thomas Carmichael, Kennesaw GA; Larry Mori, Clearwater FL	1707.61
115	Marshall Kuschner, Reston VA; Zeke Letellier, Crofton MD	1706.65
116/117	Patricia Tucker, Atlanta GA; Kevin Collins, Dunwoody GA	1705.42
116/117	Sean Gannon, Atlanta GA; Dana Berkowitz, Boca Raton FL	1705.42
118	Jay Cohodes, Sunrise FL; John Veltri, Bradenton FL	1703.72
119	John Hurd - Joel Wooldridge, New York NY	1703.53
120	Lee Bukstel, Boca Raton FL; Michael Wolf, Coral Springs FL	1702.36
121	Adam Parrish, Arlington MA; Randall Rubinstein, East Falmouth MA	1700.39
122	Charles Miner, Orlando FL; Steven Barcus, Altamonte Spg FL	1699.76
123	Jerry Goldberg, Yonkers NY; Eleanor Seaman, New York NY	1697.89
124	Stephen Gladyszak, Chelsea MA; Yiji Starr, Wayland MA	1694.74
125	Mark Gordon, Purchase NY; Pratap Rajadhyaksha, Venice FL	1694.26
126	Kelley Hwang, New York NY; Adam Kaplan, New Port Richey FL	1694.12
127	William Muir, Kansas City MO; Jim Russell, Bradenton FL	1687.48
128	Uday Ivatury - Christal Henner-Welland, New York NY	1686.74
129	Stephen Drodge, McLean VA; John Miller, Vienna VA	1685.60
130	D Dong, Chicago IL; Howard Liu, Naperville IL	1685.33

## Glossary

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In flighted events, you may play up but not down. That means you may play in Flight A or Flight B even if your masterpoint holding qualifies you for Flight C. Conversely, you may not play in Flight B or Flight C if you are a Flight A player.

**Stratified Pairs:** The idea is to compete against everyone but to be ranked only with your peers.

Each pair is assigned a stratum or "strat" based on the masterpoint holding of the partner with more masterpoints.

Example: A = 1000+ masterpoints; B = 300-1000; C = 0-300.

Thus, the most experienced players are placed in Strat A, intermediate players in Strat B and less experienced players in Strat C. Masterpoints are awarded for placings in all strats but gold points are awarded only in A and B.

The game proceeds normally; the difference comes when the scores are tabulated and ranked.

In a three-strat game, the scores are ranked three times. The first ranking is done as in a regular open game. These are the Strat A results.

If a B or C pair does well in this ranking, they receive full credit for that performance. It is not all that uncommon for a Strat C pair to place first overall, and they receive the full masterpoint award for that game.

*Note:* A pair is eligible for only one set of masterpoint awards and automatically receives the highest award.

**The second ranking compares the scores of only the B and C pairs:** The scores of the Strat A pairs are eliminated. Once again, if a C pair does well, they receive points for their finishing position in the Strat B results.

**The third and final ranking compares the scores of only the C pairs:** All the scores of the Strat A and B pairs are eliminated.

**Strati-Flighted Pairs:** The top group plays in a game of their own -- Flight A. The rest of the field in divided into strats and plays as in a regular stratified pairs.

There can even be stratification within Flight A. Flight A may be listed as 3000+ MPs while Flight X may be listed as 0-3000 MPs.

## Wireless Electronic Scoring Tip of the Day

When entering your player number into the devices, you cannot use letters. If your ACBL number starts with a letter, please make this conversion:

J = 1	K = 2	L = 3
M = 4	N = 5	O = 6
P = 7	Q = 8	R = 9

## 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.

### NAIL LIFE MASTER PAIRS SECOND QUAL SESSION

NORTH-SOUTH		EAST-WEST			
1	James Rasmussen - Pamela Miller, Cambridge MA	70.14%	1	David Berkowitz, Boca Raton FL; Alan Sontag, Gaithersburg MD	71.30%
2	Ira Hessel, San Antonio TX; Boris Baran, Cote Saint-Luc QC	59.73%	2	Hakan Nilsson, West Palm Beach FL; Peter Fredin, Malmo Sweden	65.91%
3	June Pocock - Larry Pocock, New Westminster BC	58.94%	3	Joaopaulo Campos, Sao Paulo 01229 Brazil; Miguel Villas-Boas, Sao Paulo Spain	65.08%
4	Chris Compton, Dallas TX; Jeff Meckstroth, Tampa FL	57.81%	4	Sabine Auken, Charlottenlund Denmark; Daniela von Arnim, D-68766 Hockenh Germany	63.91%
5	D Dong, Chicago IL; Howard Liu, Naperville IL	57.69%	5	Corey Krantz, Drexel Hill PA; Prahalad Rajkumar, Germantown MD	62.44%
6	John Russell, North Barrington IL; Valentin Kovachev, Stony Brook NY	57.01%	6	Bjorn Fallenius - Lynne Tamopol, New York NY	61.80%
7	Jerry Premo, Sacramento CA; Kay Beck, Noblesville IN	56.30%	7	Larry Bausher, West Haven CT; Melvin Marcus, Waltham MA	60.82%
8	Roy Welland, New York NY; Steve Garner, Chicago IL	56.18%	8	Bert Newman, West Bloomfield MI; Robert Crafton, W Bloomfield MI	58.45%
9/10	Michael White, Atlanta GA; Mike Cappelletti, Winter Park FL	55.81%	9	Paul Eberman, Sarasota FL; Al Blinder, Torrance CA	58.41%
9/10	Andrew Gumperz, Castro Valley CA; Michael Crawford, San Diego CA	55.81%	10	Roger Coffman, West Palm Beach FL; Chris Coffman, West Palm Bch FL	58.11%
11/12	Greg Hinze, San Antonio TX; Josephine Grabow, Grey Forest TX	55.62%	11	Joyce McMonagle - Lelvin Crowe, Cordova TN	57.88%
11/12	Charles Miner, Orlando FL; Steven Barcus, Altamonte Spg FL	55.62%	12	Michael Rosenberg, New Rochelle NY; Richard Zeckhauser, Cambridge MA	56.75%
13	Bart Bramley, Dallas TX; Barry Schaffer, Frisco TX	55.58%	13	Cornelis Van Prooijen, Nieuw Vennepe Netherlands; Gavin Wolpert, Jupiter FL	56.45%
14	Ross Rainwater, Vancouver WA; Isolde Knaap, Salem OR	55.47%	14	Justin Lall, Dallas TX; Darren Wolpert, Thornhill ON	56.07%
15	Ron Smith - Linda Smith, Hixson TN	55.35%	15	Chris Willenken - R Jay Becker, New York NY	54.60%
16	Jerry Himes - Pam Himes, Merritt Island FL	55.28%	16	Robert Morris - Terry Currie, Houston TX	54.30%
17	Kent Mignocchi, Bronx NY; Irina Levitina, Hackensack NJ	55.09%	17	James Bridges, Bradenton FL; Jerry Manioci, Rochester NY	54.15%
18	Karen Callihan - Steve Callihan, Raleigh NC	54.00%	18	David Moss - Andrew Rosenthal, New York NY	53.92%
19	Qing Yang, Cupertino CA; Melody Bi, West Warwick RI	53.70%	19	Peter Latkany, Brooklyn NY; Bonnie Britton, Staten Island NY	53.77%
20	Kelley Hwang, New York NY; Adam Kaplan, New Port Richey FL	53.62%	20	Martha Katz, Burr Ridge IL; Lynne Schaefer, Ellicott City MD	53.05%
21	Jay Borker, Greenwich CT; Jan Jansma, Malden Netherlands	53.17%	21	James Griffin - Patricia Griffin, Sausalito CA	53.02%
22	Eric Greco, Philadelphia PA; Geoff Hampson, Las Vegas NV	52.72%	22	Matt Granovetter - Pamela Granovetter, Cincinnati OH	52.11%
23	Ahmed Hussein - Tarek Sadek, Cairo Egypt	52.45%	23	Stan Tulin, Highland Beach FL; Louk Verhees, 2215 SH Voorhou Netherlands	51.70%
24	John Hurd - Joel Wooldridge, New York NY	52.26%	24	Adam Parrish, Arlington MA; Randall Rubinstein, East Falmouth MA	51.66%
NORTH-SOUTH		EAST-WEST			
1	Tadashi Teramoto - Hiroki Yokoi, Tokyo Japan	66.21%	1	Dennis Ryan, Menomonie WI; Bruce Thiher, The Villages FL	64.27%
2	Ira Chorush, Houston TX; Venkatrao Koneru, San Antonio TX	64.06%	2	Hiroaki Miura, Fuchu City 183- Japan; Kazuo K. Furuta, Kanagawa-Ken 21 Japan	63.37%
3	William Pettis, Silver Spring MD; Frederick Allenspach, Plantation FL	63.61%	3	Jim Munday - Susan Munday, Camarillo CA	61.63%
4	Donald Kersey - Kenneth Allan, Kingston ON	60.62%	4	David Bakhshi, London England; David Gold, Reading England	61.09%
5	David Kent, Lake Mary FL; Stephen Brown, Ottawa ON	58.86%	5	Nikolay Demirev, Arlington Hts IL; Kevin Bathurst, New York NY	59.89%
6	Garry Karst - Jason Dufault, Edmonton AB	57.78%	6	Susan Boye - Daniel Boye, Farmington NY	59.84%
7	Sally Wheeler - Buddy Hanby, Spring TX	57.77%	7	Steve Weinstein, Andes NY; Robert Hampton, Blythewood SC	59.59%
8	George Colter, Fredericton NB; Mike Cappelletti Sr, Alexandria VA	57.66%	8	Brad Moss, San Anselmo CA; Fred Gitelman, Las Vegas NV	59.57%
9	Boye Brogeland, Norway; Erik Saelensminde, Jessheim Norway	57.48%	9	Paul Kirby - Roberto Verthelyi, New York NY	58.73%
10	William Treble - Sue Moore Treble, Winnipeg MB	57.18%	10	Jonathan Steinberg, Toronto ON; Daniel Korbel, Waterloo ON	57.42%
11	Lee Atkinson - Mark Yaeger, Hollywood FL	56.69%	11/12	Lew Stansby - Jo Anna Stansby, Dublin CA	56.52%
12	Fred King, Falls Church VA; Samuel Marks, Atlanta GA	56.04%	11/12	Ronald De Harpporte, Edina MN; Roger Anderson, Eagan MN	56.52%
13	Robert Heitzman Jr - Helen Raleigh, Suffern NY	55.59%	13	Bob Etter, Sacramento CA; Roger Lee, Monrovia CA	55.50%
14	Ishmael Delmonte, Sydney Australia; Leslie Amoils, Toronto ON	55.44%	14	Douglas Doub, W Hartford CT; Adam Wildavsky, New York NY	55.12%
15	Leora Dubrovsky - Richard Dubrovsky, Howell NJ	55.38%	15	George Jacobs, Hinsdale IL; Norberto Bocchi, Barcelona 080 Spain	55.11%
16	Jacob Morgan, Madison WI; Michael Polowan, New York NY	55.28%	16	Allan Falk, Okemos MI; Lloyd Arvedon, Bedford MA	55.04%
17	Daniel Lavee, Thornhill ON; Allan Graves, Barnet VT	55.22%	17	Hendrik Sharples, Brush Prairie WA; Gerry Marshall, Las Varas Mexico	54.77%
18	Robert Levin, Lake Ariel PA; Walid Elahmady, Cairo Egypt	55.17%	18	Lawrence Lau, Westport CT; John Klayman, Haymarket VA	54.46%
19	Steve Zolotow, Las Vegas NV; Harold Lillie, Chicago IL	55.03%	19	Leao Carvalho - Renato Fernandes, Sao Paulo Belize	54.06%
20	Steve Shirey, Fort Worth TX; Allan Stauber, Palm Bch Grdns FL	54.16%	20	Barry Rigal, New York NY; Eric Leong, Oakland CA	53.93%
21	Robert Blanchard - Shane Blanchard, New York NY	54.09%	21	Michael Ranis, New York NY; David Caprera, Denver CO	53.64%
22	Warren Rosner, White Plains NY; Kerri Sanborn, Stony Point NY	53.88%	22	Bob Jones, Acworth GA; Donna Marks, Atlanta GA	53.34%
23	John Zilic, Houston TX; Chris Moll, Raleigh NC	53.73%	23	Lars Ritzman, Stockholm Sweden; Ellis Feigenbaum, Laguna Woods CA	52.84%
24	Joan Cremin, Paradise Vly AZ; Haig Tehamitch, Scottsdale AZ	53.67%	24/25	Fredrik Nystrom, 11421 Stockholm Sweden; Grace Jeklin, Surrey BC	52.70%
25	Michael Moss - Joe Grue, New York NY	53.19%	24/25	Jeff Schuett - Ginny Schuett, Riverwoods IL	52.70%
26	Lee Bukstel, Boca Raton FL; Michael Wolf, Coral Springs FL	52.98%	26	Robb Gordon - Linda Gordon, Sedona AZ	52.58%
27	Manny Marks - Jerry Stamatov, Lauderhill FL	52.67%	27	Linda Lewis, Sioux Falls SD; Brian Glubok, New York NY	52.46%
28	Thomas Carmichael, Kennesaw GA; Larry Mori, Clearwater FL	52.19%	28	Jim Reiman, Mansfield OH; Jay Baum, Germantown TN	52.40%
29	Saul Agranoff, Newton MA; Stuart Whittle, Waltham MA	51.98%	29	P Vick - Dewayne Kimbell, Amarillo TX	52.25%

**WOMEN'S LIFE MASTER PAIRS FRIDAY EVENING - 2ND SESSION**

NORTH-SOUTH		SECTIONS E F G	EAST-WEST	
1	Bernace De Young, Miami FL; Mickie Chambers, Atlanta GA	68.27%	1	Tobi Sokolow, Austin TX; Geeske Joel, Palo Alto CA
2	Hjordis Eythorsdottir, Huntsville AL; Valerie Westheimer, New York NY	59.31%	2	Ina Demme, Maple ON; Lesley Thomson, Toronto ON
3	Samantha Nystrom, Port Moody BC; Angela Fenton, North Vancouver BC	58.78%	3	Gigi Simpson - Gen Geiger, Sarasota FL
4	Jadwiga Polujan, Port Coquitlam BC; Irina Ladyzhensky, Ellenton FL	58.43%	4	Judi Radin - Sylvia Moss, New York NY
5	Bette Cohn, Sarasota FL; Susi Ross, Winter Spgs FL	58.38%	5	Donna Rodwell, Clearwater Bch FL; Sheila Pies, Osprey FL
6	Robin Taylor, Gaithersburg MD; Sharon Gerstman, Buffalo NY	58.15%	6	Patty Hinze - Donna Watkins, San Antonio TX
7	Phyllis Fireman, Chestnut Hill MA; Shannon Cappelletti, Delray Beach FL	57.49%	7	Shawn Quinn, Houston TX; Petra Hamman, Dallas TX
8	Cheri Bjerkan, Elmhurst IL; Rozanne Pollack, Basking Ridge NJ	55.26%	8	Tania Reyes Hiller, Shrub Oak NY; Melissa Baker, West Harrison NY
9/10	Rebecca Clough, Culver City CA; Rhonda Foster, Victoria BC	54.61%	9	Nancy Passell, Plano TX; Nell Cahn, Shreveport LA
9/10	Kathleen Sulgrove, Twinsburg OH; Brenda Bryant, Ferndale MI	54.61%	10	Bronia Jenkins, Vero Beach FL; Susan Miller, Boca Raton FL
11	Edith Maislin, Cote Saint-Luc QC; Sheila Greenwald, Montreal QC	54.45%	11	Sally Strul - Lisa Berkowitz, Boca Raton FL
12	Karen McCallum, Exeter NH; Lynn Baker, Austin TX	54.35%	12	Rebecca Rogers - Diane Graese, Las Vegas NV
13	Elaine Katzman, Boynton Beach FL; Carolyn Sessler, Boca Raton FL	54.15%	13/14	Lynne Feldman, San Diego CA; Chris Benson, Le Roy IL
14	JoAnn Sprung, Philadelphia PA; Janet Robertson, Timonium MD	53.74%	13/14	Lori Jacobs - Maggie Shenkin, Boca Raton FL
15	Shelly Dunietz - Migry Zur Campanile, New York NY	53.04%	15	Renee Mancuso, Los Angeles CA; Sheri Winestock, Las Vegas NV
16	Meg Myers, Portland OR; Theresa Andino, Tallahassee FL	51.85%	16	Cindy Bernstein, Memphis TN; Kathy Baum, Germantown TN
17/18	Nadine Wood, Silver Spring MD; Barbara Heller, Decatur GA	51.57%	17	Jo Anne Casen, Wellington FL; Carol Clifford, Miami FL
17/18	Gila Guttman, Boca Raton FL; Gail Bell, King of Prussia PA	51.57%	18	Peg Waller, Eden Prairie MN; Sharon Anderson, Eagan MN
19	Sheila Sache, Delta BC; Polly Dunn, Bellevue WA	51.27%	19	Anne Brenner, Denver CO; Suzanne Jones, Boulder CO
20	Susan Fuller, Miami FL; Nancy Kalow, New York NY	51.24%	20	Susan Picus - Gail Greenberg, New York NY

**MANFIELD NON-LIFE MASTER PAIRS SECTION D**

1	Janet Parsons - Margaret Gibbons, St. John's NL	58.70%
2	J Roger Pryor, Madeira Bch FL; Dianne Pryor, Madeira Beach FL	57.04%
3	Eleonore Freihofer - Dennis Walsh, Mashpee MA	56.85%
4	Miodrag Novakovic, Southampton Bermuda; Paul Thompson, Warwick Bermuda	56.67%
5	Fran Cowie - Debbie Keyser, Maitland FL	55.56%
6	Ryan Miller, Tampa FL; Brandon Harper, Winter Park FL	54.44%
7	Dianne Arman, Brighton MI; Frank Jones, West Palm Beach FL	53.33%
8	John Nowell, Jr - Millie Nowell, Orlando FL	52.59%
9	Eleanor Patton - Bobby Patton, Lawrence KS	52.22%

**JAYNE THOMAS STRAT OPEN SECOND OF TWO SESSION**

NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION OO	EAST-WEST		
1	George Retek, Montreal QC; Jerry Fleming, Los Alamos NM	64.42%	1	Bill Kertes, Toronto ON; Allan Smith, Peterborough ON	64.10%	
2	James Andre, Sugar Land TX; Nongyu Li, Sunnyvale CA	62.50%	2	Loughlin Black - Ardean Black, Lakeland FL	56.25%	
3	Richard Lesage, Montreal QC; Joan Priebe, Mississauga ON	61.86%	3	Jim Relihan, Tampa FL; Joerg Schneider, Vancouver BC	55.61%	
4	Norma George - Herbert Wegener, Summerfield FL	57.85%	4/5	Hazel Schoenberg - Jules Schoenberg, Plano TX	53.53%	
5	Robert Nock - Elizabeth Nock, Ocean City MD	55.13%	4/5	Dick Wilson - Marilyn Goldman, Rochester NY	53.53%	
6	Victoria Muir, Kansas City MO; Paul Wright Jr, Mount Pleasant SC	51.92%	6	Clair Chisler, Montgomery AL; Daniel Dorney, Charleston IL	53.37%	
7	Maurice Brazeau - Chantal Murphy, Ottawa ON	51.76%	7	Carolyn Feldman, Pembroke Pines FL; Joo-Hee Janicki, Markham ON	52.72%	
				1	Martha Marlow - Peter Fleischer, Osprey FL	51.76%
				2	Terry Terrana - Clara Terrana, Sanibel FL	42.95%
				EAST-WEST		
				1	Andrew Tylman - Jennifer Swimmer, Toronto ON	66.83%
				2	Brett Kunin, West Orange NJ; Irwin Klugler, Montclair NJ	59.13%
				3	Susan Sugar, Yonkers NY; Philip Sugar, New York NY	58.33%
				4	Ronald Sutherland - Wendy Dooley, Mississauga ON	53.85%
				5	Kirk Elyakin, Monroe Twp NJ; Julie Zhu, Vero Beach FL	53.21%
				6	Thomas Corlett - Ethel Corlett, Waco TX	52.40%
				7	Martin Pieterse - Barbara Pieterse, Portage MI	51.28%
				8	Susan Sommerfeld - Lucille Davis, Melbourne FL	50.64%
				9	Kathy Guinyou - Robert Marcus, Toronto ON	49.84%

**INTERNATIONAL FUND STRATIFIED OPEN - 4TH OF 4 SESSION**

NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION VV	EAST-WEST		
1	Carolyn Fryar - Samuel Brams, Palm Beach Gdns FL	62.17%	1	Jim Looby, Burbank CA; Karen Lee Barrett, Elk Point SD	60.51%	
2	Livingston Johnson, Fairfax VA; Sheryl McEwan, Reston VA	57.87%	2	Mary Poplawski - Harry Nuckols, Vestal NY	59.03%	
3	Dennis Newman, Scarsdale NY; Susan Meyers, Mt Kisco NY	52.91%	3	Richard Polangin - Amy Peterson-Reznik, Tallahassee FL	53.01%	
4	Lawrence Gelman, Boynton Beach FL; Bonnie Rosen, Boca Raton FL	50.99%	4	Robert Fendrick, Marietta GA; Hugh Brown Jr, Mc Cormick SC	52.31%	
5	Inger Hjellemarken, 7088 Heimdal Norway; Judith Arbus, Toronto ON	50.83%	5	Carol Rynders - Rebecca Anspach, Saint Paul MN	51.76%	
				3	Jeffrey-Conr Uyemura-Reyes, Kaneohe HI; Ranjan Bhaduri, Chicago IL	50.43%
				2	Glenn Eddy, Whittier CA; Tracy Boys, Sherman Oaks CA	48.25%
				EAST-WEST		
				1	Gloria Flicker - Ron Flicker, Forest VA	64.14%
				2	Marilyn Bennett - Brian Collins, St. John's NL	60.02%
				3	Hemant Lall, Dallas TX; Stefanie Scott, Holly MI	54.83%
				4	Andreina Panion - Don Leisey, Naples FL	54.80%
				2	Stephen Granet - Andrea Granet, West Orange NJ	53.91%

**FIRST FRIDAY EVENING 100/200/300 PAIRS - ONLY SESSION**

NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION DDD	EAST-WEST		
1	Portia Craven, Ocala FL; Henry Harman, North Haven CT	66.37%	1	T Goodwin, Northville MI; Carl Gentile, Dallas TX	63.10%	
2	Cheryl Macintosh, Halifax NS; Ginny Saunders, Dartmouth NS	62.80%	2	Judy Ripley - Robert Ripley, lac des Loups QC	62.80%	
3	Mary Jean O'Connor, US; Prema Durairaj, Venice FL	53.27%	3/4	Marcia Jameson, Austin TX; Kirk Miller, Palm Harbor FL	55.65%	
4	Margaret Pemble - Robert Pemble, Dundee Dd3 6hg United Kingdom	52.98%	3/4	Peter McKay, Gainesville FL; Bill Larsen, Micanopy FL	55.65%	
	J.Steven Hudson, Boynton Beach FL; Rebecca Miller, Highland Beach FL	50.00%	3	Marie Skop, Odessa FL; Bridget Harris, Lutz FL	50.30%	

**FIRST FRIDAY EVENING 05/20/50 PAIRS - ONLY SESSION**

NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION CCC	EAST-WEST		
1	Barbara Hooper, Fernandina FL; Jan Gunderson, Fernandina Beh FL	58.33%	1	Bernadina Dufour - Donald Dufour, Weyburn SK	57.50%	
2/3	Thomas Hart, Brandon FL; Margaret Hart, FL	51.67%	2	Charles Britney, Nepean ON; Jamie Hayden, Torrence ON	54.17%	
2/3	Barbara Nevils - Timothy Nevils, Stuart FL	51.67%				

**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.

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FRI-SUN MORN SIDE GAME FRI MORN 10F4 SESSION									
NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION WW			EAST-WEST			
A	B	C	Dick Wilson - Marilyn Goldman, Rochester NY	58.67%	1	1	Daniel AlbertRozenberg - Michael Albert, Cambridge MA	59.82%	
1	1		Lynda Flanger, Gainesville VA; William Fisher, Rochester NY	58.59%	2		Bernard Neuhart, Niskayuna NY; Robert Neuhart, Troy NY	56.38%	
2	2		Bob Soni - Kenneth Andino, Tallahassee FL	54.97%	3		Alan Walters, Naples FL; Marilyn Nesbit, Ketchum ID	54.72%	
3			Greg Humphreys, Charlottesville VA; Adam Kaplan, New Port Richey FL	52.72%	4	2	Joan Fitzgerald, St. John's NL; Angie Knechtges, Grafton OH	52.72%	
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INTERNATIONAL FUND STRATIFIED OPEN - THIRD OF FOUR SESSION									
NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION WW			EAST-WEST			
A	B	C	Gene Simpson, San Rafael CA; Hamish Bennett, Menlo Park CA	62.96%	1		Alexander Allen, Annandale NJ; Abe Pineles, Jackson NJ	56.94%	
1			Gerald Haase - Victor Silverstone, Teddington Midd England	61.11%	2		G S Jade Barrett, Elk Point SD; Gabriel Tawil, Glendale WI	56.71%	
2			Robert Gardner, Glenview IL; Sangarapil Mohan, Oak Brook IL	57.18%	3	1	Brian Collins - Marilyn Bennett, St. John's NL	54.86%	
3			Norman Schwartz, San Marcos CA; Ali Koray Selcuk, Istanbul Turkey	56.02%	4	2	Alain Blaise, Saintemarguerit QC; Francois Falardeau, Repentigny QC	54.40%	
4			Robert Kent - Ellen Kent, Marina Del Rey CA	53.24%	5		Karen Lee Barrett, Elk Point SD; Jim Looby, Burbank CA	53.94%	
5			Barbara Phillips, Stuart FL; Harriet Whitaker, Palm City FL	48.38%		1	Mario Gauvin, Sainte-Agathe QC; Michel Doyon, Rosemere QC	48.38%	
	1	1	Ruby Grant - Will Grant, St Peterburg FL	47.69%					
	2/3		Rena Hansch - Walter Hutton, Fort Collins CO	47.69%					
	2/3								
NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION XX			EAST-WEST			
A	B	C	Eugene Davidson, Boynton Beach FL; Stephen Shane, White Plains NY	62.27%	1		Pat McDevitt, Brookline MA; Geoffrey Brod, Avon CT	63.19%	
1			Richard Popper, Wilmington DE; William Esberg, Long Branch NJ	59.26%	2		Ian Panto - Peter Lester, Chlft St Giles England	57.18%	
2			Mary Poplawski - Harry Nuckols, Vestal NY	57.41%	3		Jerry Helms - Robert Bitterman, Charlotte NC	56.71%	
3			John Atlee Macgregor - Tony Kasday SJO2097, Miami FL	52.78%	4	1	Sidney Greeley, Paradise NL; John Brake, Torbay NL	53.47%	
4			Gerald Skellenger - Judith Skellenger, Rochester Hills MI	50.00%		2	Michael Smith - Susan Seitz, Des Moines IA	46.53%	
	1		Ron Hutchins - Joan Hutchins, Ann Arbor MI	41.90%					
	2	1							
FIRST FRIDAY AFTERNOON 100/200/300 PAIRS									
NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION DDD			EAST-WEST			
A	B	C	Bridget Harris, Lutz FL; Marie Skop, Odessa FL	59.52%	1	1	Marilyn Ankenmann, Scarborough ON; Betty Lemon, Toronto ON	65.48%	
1	1		Morris Mitchem Jr, Columbia SC; Edmond Douville, Hobart IN	55.65%	2		John McClenathan, Vero Beach FL; Lynn Leisy, Amelia Island FL	55.95%	
2			Cheryl Macintosh, Halifax NS; Ginny Saunders, Dartmouth NS	54.76%	3	2	Gale Hudson, Mattapoisett MA; Alan Hudson, Stuart FL	54.46%	
3			Sandra Ainsworth - Doris Bryant, The Villages FL	53.87%	4	3	Judith Miller - Olivia Ehmer, Jacksonville FL	50.89%	
4	2	1	Virginia Connelly - Lone Darrow, Celebration FL	53.27%					
	3		Michael Lynch, St Augustine FL; Marie Louise Bechina, St. Augustine FL	46.43%					
NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION CCC			EAST-WEST			
A	B	C	Becky Bien, Maumelle AR; Byron Southern, Little Rock AR	66.07%	1	1	Peter McKay, Gainesville FL; Bill Larsen, Micanopy FL	61.01%	
1			Joseph Hicks - Thomas Tews, Hendersonville NC	56.25%	2		Judy Ripley - Robert Ripley, lac des Loups QC	59.23%	
2	1	1	Josh Furman - Patricia Furman, Orlando FL	51.79%	3	2	Janet Hinrichs, Marion IA; Duane Hinrichs, Clearwater FL	58.63%	
3	2		Pauline Beaudoin, North Hatley QC; Patricia French-Folk, Chalfont PA	49.40%	4		Portia Craven, Ocala FL; Henry Harman, North Haven CT	50.60%	
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FIRST FRIDAY AFTERNOON 5/20/50 PAIRS									
NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION EEE			EAST-WEST			
A	B	C	Sonja Luckie - Janet Martin, Cleveland TN	65.83%	1		Beverley McAlpine, Scarborough ON; Colleen Fox, Richmond Hill ON	61.11%	
1			Meredith Schainblatt, Clearwater FL; Mary Debree, Dunwoody GA	59.57%	2	1	Bruce Hartwigen, Maitland FL; Charles Britney, Nepean ON	60.06%	
2	1		Darryl Wile - Edith Wile, Wolfville NS	58.61%	3		Barbara Nevils - Timothy Nevils, Stuart FL	55.83%	
3			Bruce Hanzel - Sharon Hanzel, Celebration FL	57.01%	4	2	Barbara Hooper, Fernandina FL; Jan Gunderson, Fernandina Beh FL	54.94%	
4	2		Bernadina Dufour - Donald Dufour, Weyburn SK	55.16%	5	3	Brendan Tansey, Edmonton AB; Susan Bantler, Toronto ON	52.72%	
5	3		Mark Fitzmorris - Victoria Fitzmorris, St Augustine FL	53.55%	6		Mary Walters, Edgewood WA; Gaye Little, Dade City FL	52.04%	
6	4	1	Joyce Hitchman - John Hitchman, Winter Haven FL	51.39%		4	Eugene Carpenter - Charlene Carpenter, Casselberry FL	50.16%	
	5		Joseph Lieberman, Los Angeles CA; Christopher Welland, New York NY	50.28%					
	2		Jillian Blanning - Kenneth Blanning, Orlando FL	43.02%					
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HAPPY BIRTHDAY JAYNE THOMAS DAYLIGHT OPEN - SECOND SESSION									
NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION PPP			EAST-WEST			
A	B	C	Bernhardt Trout, Longboat Key FL; Joseph Godefrin, Sarasota FL	58.19%	1		Steven Gaynor - Jean Boettcher, Minneapolis MN	67.88%	
1			Thomas Loveday, Sequim WA; Charles Williams, Palm Desert CA	57.21%	2		Lowell Andrews, Huntington Bch CA; Dave McClintock, Bluffton SC	59.17%	
2	1		John Ide, Cape Canaveral FL; Merle Stetser, Honolulu HI	56.02%	3		James Fowlkes - Patricia Fowlkes, Garner NC	56.48%	
3			Rosemary Dunn, Alamo TX; Mary Gorkin, Hallandale Bch FL	51.59%	4	1	Gladys Hardcastle - Kenneth Hardcastle, Atlanta GA	54.95%	
4			Leonard Fagen, Toronto ON; Edward Berg, Jacksonville FL	51.25%	5		Steve Clark - Louise Clark, Glencoe IL	49.48%	
5	2	1	David Loeb, Heathrow FL; Maureen Loeb, Lake Mary FL	50.15%		2	Elizabeth Kavcak - Michael Kavcak, Orlando FL	48.44%	
		2				3	John Kardach, Melbourne FL; J Kardach, Vacaville CA	47.12%	
GATOR JAYNE SENIOR PAIRS - SECOND SESSION									
NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION MMM			EAST-WEST			
A	B	C	Thomas Heuring, Longwood FL; John Long, Casselberry FL	60.65%	1		William Alexander, Clermont FL; Harvey Mandel, Nanuet NY	73.38%	
1			Eileen Easterling, Casselberry FL; Richard Wieland, Redding CT	60.42%	2	1	Brady Lotridge - Leanne Lotridge, New Orleans LA	60.42%	
2/3			Ronda O'Farrell, Sun City Center FL; Ed Weiss, Sun City Ctr FL	60.42%	3	2	Sue Williamson - Robert Williamson, Englewood CO	59.72%	
2/3			John Hartigan - Pamela Hartigan, Hamden CT	56.48%	4		Bud Stein, Mequon WI; Barbara Recht, Milwaukee WI	57.18%	
4	1	1	Rosemary Plane - Donald Plane, Deland FL	53.70%	5		Arnold Fisher - Joelyn Shilliday, Clementon NJ	51.39%	
5	2		Gloria McCain, Orlando FL; Mara Tuttle, Lake Mary FL	51.85%		3	Lillian Johannessen - Tor Johannessen, Honolulu HI	50.93%	
	3		Arthur Morton - Marji Morton, Amarillo TX	50.46%		4	Ann Brosius, Maitland FL; Betty Burch, Wintermere FL	49.31%	
	4						P Oates - W Oates, Brighton MI	47.92%	
NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION NNN			EAST-WEST			
A	B	C	Marcia Teitelbaum - Daniel Teitelbaum, Boca Raton FL	61.81%	1		Hugh Brown Jr, Mc Cormick SC; Robert Fendrick, Marietta GA	66.67%	
1			Virginia Giza, Timberlea NS; Ted Withers, Windsor NS	58.33%	2		Michele Foran, Oconomowoc WI; William Malesovich, Mayville WI	59.49%	
2/3			Sunny Kooztz, Palm Beach FL; Charles Lanigan, Centerville MA	58.33%	3		Forrest Wardwell Jr, Bucksport ME; Robert Spitzner, Sun City Center FL	57.87%	
2/3	1	1	Carmon Lee Woodley, Niceville FL; William Perry, Riverview FL	55.32%	4	1	Eileen Tonroe, Savannah GA; Brenda Vitty, Maidenhead United Kingdom	56.48%	
4			Janet Kane - Bruce Jacobs, Sarasota FL	52.78%	5/6		Sandra DeMartino, Riverside CT; Phyllis Bausher, West Haven CT	53.70%	
5	2		Geoff Jones III, Orlando FL; Herbert Terpening, Longwood FL	51.39%	5/6	2	Edgwin Simpson - Gail McBeth, San Diego CA	53.70%	
	3		Barbara McNany - Mary Ellen Anderson, Sebring FL	46.53%		3	Thomas Cox, Mount Juliet TN; Joe Handler, Toronto ON	50.00%	
NON LIFE MASTER PAIRS FIRST SESSION									
NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION D			EAST-WEST			
1			Carol Weir, Bedford NS; Cynthia Burney, Dartmouth NS	58.65%	1		Herbert Heller, Pittsburgh PA; Sally Kellar, Toronto ON	58.42%	
2			Gary Reinblatt - Cynthia Winkler, Toronto ON	54.81%	2		J Roger Pryor, Madeira Bch FL; Dianne Pryor, Madeira Beach FL	58.25%	
3			Ann Sahlman - Bettie Drake, Tampa FL	52.92%	3		Ryan Miller, Tampa FL; Brandon Harper, Winter Park FL	56.11%	
4			Eleonore Freihofer - Dennis Walsh, Mashpee MA	51.48%	4		Dianne Arman, Brighton MI; Frank Jones, West Palm Beach FL	55.21%	
JAYNE THOMAS STRATIFIED OPEN - FIRST SESSION									
NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION OO			EAST-WEST			
A	B	C	James Andre, Sugar Land TX; Nongyu Li, Sunnyvale CA	61.86%	1		Kim Dean, Belleair FL; Tsing-Hai Wann, Tampa FL	62.82%	
1	1		Brett Kunin, West Orange NJ; Irwin Klugler, Montclair NJ	60.10%	2	1	Martin Pieterse - Barbara Pieterse, Portage MI	59.29%	
2			Kirk Elyakin, Monroe Twp NJ; Julie Zhu, Vero Beach FL	57.37%	3		George Retek, Montreal QC; Jerry Fleming, Los Alamos NM	57.53%	
3			Richard Lesage, Montreal QC; Joan Priebe, Mississauga ON	57.21%	4		Thomas Corlett - Ethel Corlett, Waco TX	56.57%	
4			Margery Pecoraro, Tamarac FL; Alice Sunshine, Boca Raton FL	54.33%	5		Jenni Carmichael, Kennesaw GA; Jennifer Lin, Bethesda MD	55.77%	
5	2		Maurice Brazeau - Chantal Murphy, Ottawa ON	54.01%	6	2	Susan Sugar, Yonkers NY; Philip Sugar, New York NY	55.13%	
6	3	1	Barbara Jur, Warren MI; Ram Hira, North Vancouver BC	51.76%	7		Victoria Muir, Kansas City MO; Paul Wright Jr, Mount Pleasant SC	53.37%	
7			Mary Lou Turner - Betty Whidden, Bradenton FL	50.16%		3/4	Barbara Accolla, Palm Bch Garden FL; Joseph Benenati Jr., Jupiter FL	52.24%	
						3/4	Vincent Messina, Wolfboro NH; Pierce Smith, Rutland VT	52.24%	
NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION PP			EAST-WEST			
A	B	C	Ludmila Antonova, New York NY; Barbara Clark, West Orange NJ	62.66%	1	1	Hazel Schoenberg - Jules Schoenberg, Plano TX	57.05%	
1			Frank Cusumano - Dolores Gracie, Pompano Beach FL	59.13%	2		James Edmunds, Altamonte Spg FL; H Fertig, Winter Springs FL	56.89%	
2			Lucette Flanagan - Eugene Flanagan, Palm City FL	58.81%	3/4		Dewitt Hudson Jr, Arlington TX; Anita Morse, North Vancouver BC	56.57%	
3			Chris Champion - Wendy Turk, Colorado Spgs CO	55.93%	3/4		John Derald - Jan Derald, Western Springs IL	56.57%	
4			Ed Schulte, Tampa FL; Jay Whipple III, Boca Grande FL	55.77%	5		Richard Hunter - Ann Harris, Port St Lucie FL	56.09%	
5			Gerri Soffa Carlson, Torrance CA; Wayne Gergen, Minneapolis MN	55.61%	6	2	Ping Chen, Winter Springs FL; Tom Wilson, Orlando FL	54.97%	
6	1		Clair Chisler, Montgomery AL; Daniel Dorney, Charleston IL	55.13%	7		Mary Vickers, Apex NC; Gail Rust, Port Orange FL	51.28%	
7	2		Michael Arthur - Elizabeth Arthur, Pearl River LA	53.21%		3	Loughlin Black - Ardean Black, Lakeland FL	50.48%	
	3	1	Dick Wilson - Marilyn Goldman, Rochester NY	45.35%		4	Jessie Macdonald, Musquodoboit Ha NS; Mary Mackay, Halifax NS	49.52%	
	4		Terry Terrana - Clara Terrana, Sanibel FL	42.95%			Michael Albert - Daniel AlbertRozenberg, Cambridge MA	47.44%	
		2					Martha Marlow - Peter Fleischer, Osprey FL	46.47%	



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**Time: 11a.m. to 12 p.m.**

**WOMEN'S LIFE MASTER PAIRS FRIDAY AFTERNOON -- FIRST SESSION**

NORTH-SOUTH		SECTIONS E F G	EAST-WEST		
1	Cindy Bernstein, Memphis TN; Kathy Baum, Germantown TN	65.91%	1	Judi Radin - Sylvia Moss, New York NY	62.99%
2	Shawn Quinn, Houston TX; Petra Hamman, Dallas TX	63.06%	2	Cheri Bjerkan, Elmhurst IL; Rozanne Pollack, Basking Ridge NJ	59.87%
3	Ljudmila Kamenova, Stony Brook NY; Sylvia Caley, Montreal QC	60.52%	3	Kathleen Sulgrove, Twinsburg OH; Brenda Bryant, Ferndale MI	59.86%
4	Roberta Trayman - Cathy Bradbury, Naples FL	58.30%	4	Shelly Dunietz - Migry Zur Campanile, New York NY	58.39%
5	Hjordis Eythorsdottir, Huntsville AL; Valerie Westheimer, New York NY	57.54%	5	Gila Guttmann, Boca Raton FL; Gail Bell, King of Prussia PA	58.23%
6	Sandy Kay - Vicki Lerner, San Francisco CA	56.73%	6	Marilyn Elyakin, Monroe Twp NJ; Ricki Rogers, Mt Laurel NJ	57.35%
7	Vonnie Lavender, Burke VA; Sarah Anne Cressy, Falls Church VA	55.72%	7	Sylvia McNamara, White Plains NY; Darina Demirev, Arlington Hts IL	56.97%
8	Bernace De Young, Miami FL; Mickie Chambers, Atlanta GA	55.44%	8	Elaine Katzman, Boynton Beach FL; Carolyn Sessler, Boca Raton FL	56.22%
9	Lynn Deas, Schenectady NY; Judith Shulman, Delmar NY	54.83%	9	Myriam Milgrom, Port St Lucie FL; Sheila Balson, San Francisco CA	56.02%
10	Sandra Fleischman, Bradenton FL; Harriette Buckman, University Park FL	54.41%	10	Jo Morse, Palm Bch Gdns FL; Barbara Kasle, Boca Raton FL	55.77%
11	Claire Tornay, Palm Beach Gdns FL; Peggy Sutherlin, Dallas TX	53.40%	11	Bronia Jenkins, Vero Beach FL; Susan Miller, Boca Raton FL	55.27%
12	Kamla Chawla, Longmeadow MA; Ersilia Valente, Lugano Italy	53.32%	12	Rebecca Clough, Culver City CA; Rhonda Foster, Victoria BC	54.29%
13	Penelope Millar, Indianapolis IN; Sharon Austin, Bainbridge IN	53.19%	13	Kathy Newman, West Bloomfield MI; Cindy Sealy, Huntsville AL	53.54%
14	Amanda Jeger, Frankfurt Am Ma Germany; Estera Lisker, East Quogue NY	52.88%	14	Phyllis Fireman, Chestnut Hill MA; Shannon Cappelletti, Delray Beach FL	53.40%
15	Tania Reyes Hiller, Shrub Oak NY; Melissa Baker, West Harrison NY	52.86%	15	Susan Fuller, Miami FL; Nancy Kalow, New York NY	52.84%
16	K Fung, Edmonton AB; Marjorie Michelin, Laguna Woods CA	52.74%	16	Peg Waller, Eden Prairie MN; Sharon Anderson, Eagan MN	52.84%
17	Linda Perlman, Lake Park FL; Jayne Thomas, Lutz FL	52.60%	17	Robin Taylor, Gaithersburg MD; Sharon Gerstman, Buffalo NY	52.68%
18	Renee Mancuso, Los Angeles CA; Sheri Winestock, Las Vegas NV	52.05%	18	Anita Heitler, Englewood CO; Jean Grunwald, Golden CO	52.61%
19	Mildred Breed, Austin TX; Helen Corbin, Palo Alto CA	51.99%	19	Rebecca Rogers - Diane Graese, Las Vegas NV	52.18%
20	Anne Brenner, Denver CO; Suzanne Jones, Boulder CO	51.87%	20	Frances Esposito, Fernandina FL; Joan Brod, Avon CT	52.07%

**NAIL LIFE MASTER PAIRS - FIRST QUALIFYING SESSION**

NORTH-SOUTH		SECTIONS I J L M	EAST-WEST		
1	Steven Reuschlein, Middleton WI; Eileen Cripps, Madison WI	63.01%	1	Roy Welland, New York NY; Steve Garner, Chicago IL	71.23%
2	Sabine Auken, Charlottenlund Denmark; Daniela von Arnim, D-68766 Hockenh Germany	61.46%	2	Chris Compton, Dallas TX; Jeff Meckstroth, Tampa FL	67.46%
3	Bert Newman, West Bloomfield MI; Robert Crafton, W Bloomfield MI	60.75%	3	Jorgen Molberg, Trondheim Norway; Terje Aa, Heimdal Norway	61.05%
4	Jason Feldman, San Diego CA; Richard Anderson, Regina SK	59.35%	4	Eric Greco, Philadelphia PA; Geoff Hampson, Las Vegas NV	59.39%
5	Bjorn Fallenius - Lynne Tarnopol, New York NY	58.48%	5	Kenny Horneman, Charlottesville VA; Gordon Zind, Ottawa ON	58.90%
6	Thomas Bessis, Issy-Les-Moulin France; Jessica Piafsky, New York NY	57.92%	6	Sean Gannon, Atlanta GA; Dana Berkowitz, Boca Raton FL	58.64%
7	Corey Krantz, Drexel Hill PA; Prahalad Rajkumar, Germantown MD	56.98%	7	Bart Bramley, Dallas TX; Barry Schaffer, Frisco TX	58.07%
8	Hakan Nilsson, West Palm Beach FL; Peter Fredin, Malmo Sweden	56.75%	8	Winthrop Allegaert - Judith Bianco, New York NY	57.92%
9	Martha Katz, Burr Ridge IL; Lynne Schaefer, Ellicott City MD	55.73%	9	Ahmed Hussein - Tarek Sadek, Cairo Egypt	57.84%
10	Allan Siebert, Little Rock AR; Randy Pettit, Marietta GA	55.69%	10	Michael White, Atlanta GA; Mike Cappelletti, Winter Park FL	57.20%
11	Jan Martel - Chip Martel, Davis CA	55.66%	11	G Gard Hays, Veradale WA; Pam Stratton, Las Vegas NV	56.52%
12	Michael Rosenberg, New Rochelle NY; Richard Zeckhauser, Cambridge MA	55.17%	12	James Rasmussen - Pamela Miller, Cambridge MA	55.20%
13	Don Piafsky, Toronto ON; Barry Piafsky, New York NY	54.98%	13	Ron Smith - Linda Smith, Hixson TN	55.13%
14	Joao Paulo Campos, Sao Paulo 01229 Brazil; Miguel Villas-Boas, Sao Paulo Spain	53.92%	14	Matt Cory, Indianapolis IN; Owen Lien, Hickory NC	54.30%
15	James Griffin - Patricia Griffin, Sausalito CA	53.70%	15	Jerry Premo, Sacramento CA; Kay Beck, Noblesville IN	54.19%
16	Justin Lall, Dallas TX; Darren Wolpert, Thornhill ON	53.47%	16	Ernesto Dorsi, Sao Paulo Sp 05 Brazil; Marcelo Branco, Rio De Janeiro Brazil	54.11%
17	Cornelis Van Prooijen, Nieuw Venneep Netherlands; Gavin Wolpert, Jupiter FL	52.98%	17	Qing Yang, Cupertino CA; Melody Bi, West Warwick RI	52.90%
18	James Bridges, Bradenton FL; Jerry Manioci, Rochester NY	52.79%	18/19	Paul Janicki, Markham ON; James Priebe, Mississauga ON	52.72%
19	Terry Smith, Jacksonville FL; Calvin Rowe, Gainesville FL	52.68%	18/19	Jay Borker, Greenwich CT; Jan Jansma, Malden Netherlands	52.72%
20	Marion Michielson, 3024 AM Rotterdam Netherlands; Laura Dekkers, Netherlands	52.53%	20	Steve Gross, Westlake Vlg CA; Ellen Anten, Encino CA	52.11%
21	Bill Anderson, Tillsonburg ON; Robert Colton, Brantford ON	52.45%	21	Ira Hessel, San Antonio TX; Boris Baran, Cote Saint-Luc QC	52.00%
22	Jerry Goldberg, Yonkers NY; Eleanor Seaman, New York NY	52.41%	22	Paul Wacks, Peabody MA; Michael Schrage, New York NY	51.85%
23	Martin Andresen, Osl Norway; Tor Helness, Oslo Norway	52.38%	23	Stephen Gladyszak, Chelsea MA; Yiji Starr, Wayland MA	51.73%
24	Gretchen Teich - Mark Teich, Bluffton SC	52.15%	24	Karen Callihan - Steve Callihan, Raleigh NC	51.06%
NORTH-SOUTH		SECTIONS N P Q R S	EAST-WEST		
1	Charles Showalter, Lady Lake FL; Joe Sacco, The Villages FL	63.88%	1	Michael Moss - Joe Grue, New York NY	59.76%
2	Howard Parker III, Clements CA; Richard Reitman, Los Gatos CA	62.34%	2	Uday Ivatury - Christal Henner-Welland, New York NY	58.47%
3	Carlos Pellegrini - Clara Gaist Klein, Buenos Aires Argentina	62.10%	3	Harlan Barnard, Deland FL; James Di Napoli, Wall NJ	58.30%
4	Brad Moss, San Anselmo CA; Fred Gitelman, Las Vegas NV	59.45%	4	Ira Chorus, Houston TX; Venkatrao Koneru, San Antonio TX	57.62%
5	Steve Beatty, Mill Creek WA; Ralph Katz, Burr Ridge IL	58.76%	5	Boye Brogeland, Norway; Erik Saelensminde, Jessheim Norway	57.53%
6	Jeff Roman, Alexandria VA; Steve Reed, Arlington VA	58.48%	6	Rita Shugart - Andrew Robson, Pebble Beach CA	57.50%
7	Susan Boye - Daniel Boye, Farmington NY	58.18%	7	Sandra Marlin - Mike Marlin, Versailles KY	57.21%
8	Lee Atkinson - Mark Yaeger, Hollywood FL	58.17%	8	Steve Shirey, Fort Worth TX; Allan Stauber, Palm Bch Gdns FL	56.38%
9	Jody Plummer, Chattanooga TN; Joe Rickman, Maryville TN	57.04%	9	Billy Miller, Las Vegas NV; Nicolas L'Ecuycer, Montreal QC	56.24%
10	Mark Aquino, Jamaica Plain MA; Richard Budd, Portland ME	56.77%	10	William Pettis, Silver Spring MD; Frederick Allenspach, Plantation FL	56.02%
11	Pablo Lambardi, Buenos Aires 10 Argentina; Pablo Ravenna, Buenos Aires 14 Argentina	56.40%	11	Daniel Lavee, Thornhill ON; Allan Graves, Barnet VT	55.90%
12	Sean Ganness, Miami FL; Michael Donnelly, Fort Lauderdale FL	56.21%	12	Ava Grubman - Elliott Grubman, Brooklyn NY	55.73%
13	Leao Carvalho - Renato Fernandes, Sao Paulo Belize	55.61%	13	Raghavendra Rajkumar, Ithaca NY; Rajeswaran Rajkumar, Germantown MD	55.42%
14	Eric Rodwell, Clearwater Bch FL; John Diamond, Boca Raton FL	54.97%	14	Michael Ranis, New York NY; David Caprera, Denver CO	54.85%
15	Marc Rabinowitz, Sunny Isles Bch FL; George Tornay Jr, Palm Beach Gdns FL	54.80%	15	Jacob Morgan, Madison WI; Michael Polowan, New York NY	54.81%
16	Jeff Schuett - Ginny Schuett, Riverwoods IL	54.36%	16	Charles Trayman - Bruce Greenspan, Naples FL	54.81%
17	Jose Nader - Marcos Thoma, Sao Paulo Belize	54.36%	17	Gerry McCully, Victoria BC; Joel Martineau, Vancouver BC	54.27%
18	Linda Lewis, Sioux Falls SD; Brian Glubok, New York NY	54.09%	18	Geir Helgemo, Trondheim Ca Norway; Rune Hauge, St Petersport Great Britain	54.22%
19	Hiroaki Miura, Fuchu City 183- Japan; Kazuo K. Furuta, Kanagawa-Ken 21 Japan	53.90%	19	Manny Marks - Jerry Stamatov, Lauderhill FL	53.99%
20	Larry Sealy, Huntsville AL; Zeke Jabbour, Boca Raton FL	53.84%	20	John Zilic, Houston TX; Chris Moll, Raleigh NC	53.96%
21	Nikolay Demirev, Arlington Hts IL; Kevin Bathurst, New York NY	53.78%	21	George Krizel, Fstrvl Trvose PA; Albert Shekhter, Brooklyn NY	53.90%
22	Barry Rigal, New York NY; Eric Leong, Oakland CA	53.58%	22	Jordan Cohen, Thornhill ON; Tom Kniest, University City MO	53.82%
23	Paul Klarreich, Miami FL; Anna Bromberg, Brooklyn NY	53.51%	23	Peter Levathes, Palm Beach Gdns FL; Gary Croland, Delray Beach FL	53.77%
24	Mark Gordon, Purchase NY; Pratap Rajadhyaksha, Venice FL	52.20%	24	Betty Scull - Martin de Bruin, Egg Harbor Twp NJ	53.60%
25	David Bakhshi, London England; David Gold, Reading England	52.10%	25	David Kent, Lake Mary FL; Stephen Brown, Ottawa ON	53.57%
26	Jonathan Steinberg, Toronto ON; Daniel Korbel, Waterloo ON	51.97%	26	Stephen Goldstein, Anaheim CA; Gary Brown, San Francisco CA	53.47%
27	Dennis Ryan, Menomomie WI; Bruce Thiber, The Villages FL	51.61%	27	Marshall Kuschner, Reston VA; Zeke Letellier, Crofton MD	53.42%
28	Jay Cohodes, Sunrise FL; John Veltri, Bradenton FL	51.37%	28	Philip Dewitt Jr, Summerville SC; Gerald Lemieux, Clearwater FL	53.36%
29	Douglas Doub, W Hartford CT; Adam Wildavsky, New York NY	51.25%	29	Robert Blanchard - Shane Blanchard, New York NY	53.22%

**FIRST FRIDAY MORNING 5/20/50 PAIRS - ONLY SESSION**

NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION E	EAST-WEST				
A	B	C		A	B	C		
1	1	1	Bernadina Dufour - Donald Dufour, Weyburn SK	56.80%	1	1	Edward Bullock, Ponte Vedra FL; Olivia Bissell, Ponte Vedra Bch FL	71.43%
2			Barbara Nevils - Timothy Nevils, Stuart FL	54.46%	2	1	Christopher Welland, New York NY; Joseph Lieberman, Los Angeles CA	62.33%
3			George Syme, Altamonte Spgs FL; Philip Holtsberg, Windermere FL	52.00%	3	2	Arlene McCord, Casselberry FL; Sheila Greenspoon, Maitland FL	57.86%
4			Jennifer Pandolfi - Catherine Cohan, Tampa FL	51.87%	4		Jane Chadwick - Joan Romain, Ponte Vedra Bch FL	55.06%
	2	1	Howard Gilberg, Tallahassee FL; Stefanie Scott, Holly MI	50.00%				
NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION EEE	EAST-WEST				
A	B	C		A	B	C		
1	1	1	Bernadina Dufour - Donald Dufour, Weyburn SK	56.80%	1	1	Edward Bullock, Ponte Vedra FL; Olivia Bissell, Ponte Vedra Bch FL	71.43%
2			Barbara Nevils - Timothy Nevils, Stuart FL	54.46%	2	1	Christopher Welland, New York NY; Joseph Lieberman, Los Angeles CA	62.33%
3			George Syme, Altamonte Spgs FL; Philip Holtsberg, Windermere FL	52.00%	3	2	Arlene McCord, Casselberry FL; Sheila Greenspoon, Maitland FL	57.86%
4			Jennifer Pandolfi - Catherine Cohan, Tampa FL	51.87%	4		Jane Chadwick - Joan Romain, Ponte Vedra Bch FL	55.06%
	2	1	Howard Gilberg, Tallahassee FL; Stefanie Scott, Holly MI	50.00%				

**FIRST FRIDAY 100/200/300 PAIRS - ONLY SESSION**

NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION DDD	EAST-WEST				
A	B	C		A	B	C		
1	1	1	Marilyn Ankenmann, Scarborough ON; Betty Lemon, Toronto ON	62.50%	1	1	Janet Hinrichs, Marion IA; Duane Hinrichs, Clearwater FL	58.07%
2			Emiel Domis, Christiansted VI; Sharon Amberg, St Croix VI	60.02%	2	2	Gale Hudson, Mattapoisett MA; Alan Hudson, Stuart FL	57.85%
3			Becky Bien, Maumelle AR; Byron Southern, Little Rock AR	58.14%	3		Dynan Candon - Frank Ebright, Palm City FL	56.80%
4			Margaret Pemble - Robert Pemble, Dundee Dd3 6hg United Kingdom	56.42%	4	3	Judith Miller - Olivia Ehmer, Jacksonville FL	56.28%
5			Cheryl Macintosh, Halifax NS; Ginny Saunders, Dartmouth NS	52.18%	5	4	Deborah Leach - Patricia Cunningham, Clayton GA	56.15%
6			Virginia Connelly - Lone Darrow, Celebration FL	51.72%	6		Morris Mithem Jr, Columbia SC; Edmond Douville, Hobart IN	50.92%
	4		Arlene Resnick - Bertye Gluckstein, Toronto ON	51.71%				
		2	Portia Craven, Ocala FL; Henry Harman, North Haven CT	50.46%				

**GATOR JAYNE SENIOR PAIRS - FIRST SESSION**

NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION MMM	EAST-WEST				
A	B	C		A	B	C		
1	1	1	Joan Besley - Letitia Stallard, Winter Park FL	60.88%	1	1	James Easterling, Casselberry FL; Robert Michaud, Sun City West AZ	62.27%
2			Ronda O'Farrell, Sun City Center FL; Ed Weiss, Sun City Ctr FL	58.56%	2		Dan Dayani, Rancho Santa Fe CA; Bette Cornelius, La Jolla CA	56.94%
3			Forrest Wardwell Jr, Bucksport ME; Robert Spitzner, Sun City Center FL	55.79%	3/4	2/3	Thomas Cox, Mount Juliet TN; Joe Handler, Toronto ON	54.63%
4			Eileen Tonroe, Savannah GA; Brenda Vitty, Maidenhead United Kingdom	52.78%	3/4	2/3	John Hartigan - Pamela Hartigan, Hamden CT	54.63%
5			Melbourne Hamer - Joan Hamer, Westcott R England	51.16%	5		Thomas Heuring, Longwood FL; John Long, Casselberry FL	54.17%
NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION NNN	EAST-WEST				
A	B	C		A	B	C		
1			William Alexander, Clermont FL; Harvey Mandel, Nanuet NY	65.28%	1		Darwin Afdahl - Kay Afdahl, Oro Valley AZ	64.42%
2	1		Sue Williamson - Robert Williamson, Englewood CO	57.50%	2	1	Lillian Johannessen - Tor Johannessen, Honolulu HI	56.71%
3			P Oates - W Oates, Brighton MI	53.94%	3		Marcia Teitelbaum - Daniel Teitelbaum, Boca Raton FL	55.70%
4			Arnold Fisher - Joelyn Shilliday, Clementon NJ	51.07%	4		Carmon Lee Woodley, Niceville FL; William Perry, Riverview FL	52.92%
5			Terry Sussman - Denise White, Palm City FL	50.55%	5	2	Gwendolyn Baker - James Baker, Dunnellon FL	50.78%
	3	2	Ann Brosius, Maitland FL; Betty Burch, Windermere FL	48.18%		3	Geoff Jones III, Orlando FL; Herbert Terpening, Longwood FL	49.31%
						2	Sunny Koontz, Palm Beach FL; Charles Lanigan, Centerville MA	48.99%

# WORKSHOP FOR TEACHERS OF YOUTH PLAYERS

Informal meeting for anyone currently teaching young students or considering a youth program.

**FREE OF CHARGE.**

**Date: Sunday, November 28**

**Time: Between sessions – 5 p.m. to 6 p.m.**

**Location: Miami Room**



## Tomorrow's Bridge Events

### Sunday, November 28, 9 a.m.

Event	Session	Sold	Entry/player/session ACBL members**	Other
Sunday-Tuesday Morning Bracketed Knockout Teams	1st	Cypress 2	\$16	\$18
Saturday-Sunday Morning Bracketed Compact Knockout Teams	3-4	Cypress 2	\$16	\$18
Friday-Sunday Morning Side Game Series	3rd single session	Cypress 1	\$16	\$18

### Sunday, November 28, 10 a.m.

Happy Bridge <i>Free lesson, then 14-board game at 12:30 p.m. No card fee.</i>	single	Grand 1-6	Free	Free
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### Sunday, November 28, 10 a.m.

Stratified 299er Swiss Teams	single	Crystal G	\$15	\$17
Jerry Helms 299er, 199er, 99er & 49er Pairs	single	Crystal G	\$15	\$17
Jerry Helms 0-20, 0-5 Pairs	single	Crystal G	\$15	\$15

### Sunday, November 28, 10 a.m. & 1 p.m.

Stratified Fast Open Pairs	1-2	Crystal H	\$16	\$18
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### Sunday, November 28, 10 a.m. & 3 p.m.

Peg Dubois Strati-Flighted Daylight Swiss Teams	1-2	Crystal H	\$16	\$18
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### Sunday, November 28, 1 p.m.

Saturday-Sunday Side Game Series	3rd single session	Cypress 1	\$16	\$18
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### Sunday, November 28, 1 & 7:30 p.m.

<b>MITCHELL OPEN BOARD-A-MATCH TEAMS</b> <b>MARSHA MAY STERNBERG WOMEN'S BOARD-A-MATCH TEAMS</b> <i>Both events: two qualifying, two final sessions.</i>	1-2 Q	Grand 7-8	\$20	—
	1-2 Q	Grand 7-8	\$20	—

### **BAZE SENIOR KNOCKOUT TEAMS**

*Screens: second session at 8 p.m.*

Lucy Yearwood Memorial Strati-Flighted Swiss Teams	1-2	Cypress 2	\$16	\$18
Stratified Open Pairs	1-2	Cypress 1	\$16	\$18
Sunday-Monday Bracketed Knockout Teams	1-2	Cypress 2	\$16	\$18
South Florida Bridge Players Golf Tour Saturday-Sunday Bracketed KO Teams	3-4	Cypress 1	\$16	\$18

### Sunday, November 28, 3 p.m.

Stratified 299er Swiss Teams	1-2	Crystal G	\$15	\$17
Jerry Helms 299er, 199er, 99er & 49er Pairs	single	Crystal G	\$15	\$17
Jerry Helms 0-20, 0-5 Pairs	single	Crystal G	\$15	\$15

### Sunday, November 28, 7:30 p.m.

Stratified Side Board-a-Match Teams <i>Open to Swiss drop-outs and new entrants.</i>	single	Cypress 1	\$15	\$17
Saturday-Sunday Side Game Series	4th single session	Cypress 1	\$16	\$18
Stratified 299er Swiss Teams	single	Crystal G	\$15	\$17
299er, 199er, 99er & 49er Pairs	single	Crystal G	\$15	\$17
0-20, 0-5 Pairs	single	Crystal G	\$15	\$15

### Sunday, November 28, 11:30 p.m.

Zip Knockout Teams	single	Crystal G	\$12/team/match	
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\*Members whose dues payment is current and Life Masters whose service fee payment is current.

## Sunday's Sponsors

### **Jerry Helms 0-5, 0-20, 99er, 199er, 299er Pairs**

Annabelle Hudmon would like you to meet Jerry Helms. Jerry, of Charlotte NC, is a Platinum Life Master. He has more than 18,000 masterpoints. In addition to being a fine player, Jerry is one of the most successful and charismatic bridge teachers in the country. He gives seminars throughout North Carolina, South Carolina, Florida, Georgia, Alabama and Virginia. He is adding California and Nevada to his very busy schedule in the coming year. Jerry is truly a national figure.

### **Peg Dubois Strati-Flighted Daylight A/X and B/C/D Swiss Teams**

Peggy Dubois was born in Greensboro NC. She traveled all over the world with her career military officer husband and her two daughters, Kitty and Jackie. It wasn't until she married Rene Dubois that bridge became an important part of her life. She was very active in starting the bridge club in Naples FL. She lived there part time and part time in Neuchatel, Switzerland. Her many achievements in bridge include winning a women's pairs in Gstaad, Switzerland, with her good friend, Diana Holt. She also played in the Friendship Trophy Teams in Beijing, China, in 1988, as a member of one of the two American teams. Peg was a popular member of the Unit 128 Board. In recent years she lived at Palm Beach Gardens, where she moved to be closer to her daughter, Kitty.

### **Lucy Yearwood Memorial Strati-Flighted A/X and B/C/D Swiss Teams**

Peggy Higginbotham talks about her mother, Lucy Yearwood, as, "My mother, my best friend and my favorite bridge partner." She was still a winner on her 90th birthday and enjoyed the game every time she played. She liked teaching others to play More than she liked playing and winning herself. She is fondly referred to by former students as "Saint Lucy." In bridge discussions you may still hear the comment: "Lucy said." She was a STAR teacher, a Gold Life Master and a true goodwill ambassador for the bridge world. As one of her former partners said, "They just don't make 'em any better." Sponsoring a game in her memory is only scratching the surface when it comes to thanking her for her many contributions and her love of the game.

### **South Florida Bridge Players Golf Tour Bracketed KO 2**

The tour works as follows: Via email, each week, Mike Becker, ("The Commissioner"), finds out the number of times each player wants to play, and on what days and what hours they are available. "Senior" players take into account their doctor's appointments. Mike organizes them into foursomes and sends them to one of the 10 private courses the tour plays in the Boca Raton area. In 2009, 667 rounds were played by tour members. Mike also tracks the money won and lost through small

stakes betting, and at year end, the player who won the most money earns the "Tour Leader Award." Players also vote on the Most Improved Golfer Award. Some years no one gets the M.I.G.A., because, well, there is no player who actually improved.

The tour members are: Mike Becker, David Berkowitz, Larry Cohen, Gary Cohler, Richie Coren, Marc Culberson, John Griscom, Marshall Hall, John Lewis, Bob Jones, Joe Machotka, Victor Markowicz, Bernie Miller, Barnet Shenkin and Stan Tulin.

### **Eugene Maurice Short Jr. Memorial Zip KO Teams**

Gene was a man for all seasons — a Renaissance Man and a man who loved his family completely. Gene touched many lives in his law career. He served his country in the Korean War. Gene was a member of the Florida Bar for more than 50 years. He was known in his profession as an attorney's attorney. He was a member of Who's Who on American Law. He started playing bridge when five years old with his father, Gene Short Sr. He was an avid bridge player who played at least five times a week. He started the Eugene and Mary Short Mentor Series for beginning players at the Fort Lauderdale Bridge Club. He was a loving husband and father. His quick wit and charm will be missed at the bridge club.

#### HAPPY BIRTHDAY JAYNE DAYLIGHT OPEN

NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION PPP			EAST-WEST		
A	B	C	A	B	C			
1			60.88%	1		Stephen Rzewski, South Dennis MA; Margie Sullivan, Sagamore Beach MA		
2/3			57.64%	2		John Ide, Cape Canaveral FL; Merle Stetser, Honolulu HI		
2/3			57.64%	3		Bernhardt Trout, Longboat Key FL; Joseph Godefrin, Sarasota FL		
4			54.63%	4	1	Mira Frosolono - Carl Gray, Benton AR		
5	1		53.94%	5	2	Gladys Harcastle - Kenneth Harcastle, Atlanta GA		
	2	1	47.22%		3	Thomas Loveday, Sequim WA; Charles Williams, Palm Desert CA		
		2	44.68%		2	John Kardach, Melbourne FL; J Kardach, Vacaville CA		
						62.04%		
						61.34%		
						53.47%		
						53.01%		
						51.16%		
						46.06%		

## Today's Bridge Events

### Junior Day & Youth Bridge Day

**Saturday, November 27, 9 a.m.**

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

**Saturday, November 27, 10 a.m.**

Bridge-Plus <i>Free lesson, then 14-board game at 12:30 p.m. No card fee.</i>	single	Grand 1-6	Free	Free
Cardroom Pairs (19 & younger, fewer than 20 masteroints)	single	Crystal G	Free	Free
299er, 199er, 99er & 49er Pairs	single	Crystal G	\$15	\$17
0-20, 0-5 Pairs	single	Crystal G	\$15	\$15

**Saturday, November 27, 10 a.m. & 3 p.m.**

Stratified Daylight Open Pairs	1-2	Crystal H	\$16	\$18
Stratified Senior Pairs	1-2	Crystal H	\$16	\$18

**Saturday, November 27, 1 p.m.**

Saturday-Sunday Side Game Series	1st single session	Cypress 1	\$16	\$18
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**Saturday, November 27, 1 & 7:30 p.m.**

<b>NAIL LIFE MASTER OPEN PAIRS</b>	1-2 F	Grand 7-8	\$20	—
<b>SMITH LIFE MASTER WOMEN'S PAIRS</b>	1-2 F	Grand 7-8	\$20	—
<b>BAZE SENIOR KNOCKOUT TEAMS</b>	Round 2	Grand 9-14	\$20	—
Stratified Open Pairs (2500+/0-2500)	1-2	Cypress 1	\$16	\$18
Kickoff Orange Blossom 750/300 Pairs <i>Gold points for 0-750</i>	1-2	Cypress 1	\$16	\$18
South Florida Bridge Players Golf Tour Bracketed KO Teams <i>Continues Sunday</i>	1-2	Cypress 2	\$16	\$18
Saturday Bracketed Compact KO Teams	1-4	Cypress 2	\$16	\$18
Friday-Saturday Bracketed Knockout Teams	3-4	Cypress 1	\$16	\$18

**Saturday, November 27, 3 p.m.**

Colleen M. Wiley 299er, 199er, 99er & 49er Pairs	single	Crystal G	\$15	\$17
Colleen M. Wiley 0-20, 0-5 Pairs	single	Crystal G	\$15	\$15

**Saturday, November 27, 7:30 p.m.**

William Seamon Memorial Strati-Flighted Side Swiss Teams	single	Cypress 2	\$15	\$17
Saturday-Sunday Side Game Series	2nd single session	Cypress 1	\$16	\$18
Stratified 299er Swiss Teams	single	Crystal G	\$15	\$17
299er, 199er, 99er & 49er Pairs	single	Crystal G	\$15	\$17
0-20, 0-5 Pairs	single	Crystal G	\$15	\$15

**Saturday, November 27, 11:30 p.m.**

Zip Knockout Teams	single	Crystal G	\$12/team/match	
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## Saturday's Sponsors

### Colleen M. Wiley 0-5, 0-20, 99er, 199er, 299er Pairs

Colleen M. Wiley signed up to take lessons in a beginning bridge class on Sept. 1, 2001, and began playing the next week. It was love at first bridge hand! She received the Goodwill Ambassador Award in May 2007, and made Life Master in August 2007. She then began teaching a beginning bridge class in February, 2008, which she taught (and loved teaching) through September, 2008. In September, 2008 Colleen and her husband, Bill, were in a devastating automobile accident. After two years of surgeries and rehabilitation, she is now back at the bridge tables three times a week. Her passion for bridge continues on.

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### William Seamon Memorial Stratiflighted A/X and B/C/D Side Teams

Billy Seamon was the patriarch of one of America's greatest bridge dynasties. Billy, his wife, Rita; his sisters, Edith Kemp-Freilich and Ann Burnstein; his daughter, Janice Seamon-Molson; his son, Michael, and his son-in-law, Mark Molson, have won a total of 74 NABC championships and finished second 60 times! Billy's five NABC victories include the Vanderbilt KO Teams, the Grand National Teams and the Spingold Knockout Teams (twice). He was proudest, however, of his win in the Master Mixed Teams with Rita and Edith in 1974. He also had six second-place finishes in NABC+ events. Billy was a contributing editor to *The Official Encyclopedia of Bridge* and a syndicated bridge columnist. Billy passed away in 1992 at the age of 75.



## GET ONLINE WITH BRIDGE BASE

Don't miss this opportunity to meet with Fred Gitelman, the creator of the ACBL's Learn to Play Bridge program. Get a guided tour of the Bridge Base site and its outstanding teaching features.

**FREE OF CHARGE.**

**Date:** Monday, November 29

**Time:** 11 a.m. – noon • **Location:** Crystal B