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GNT semifinals pit East vs. West and North vs. South



East plays West and North opposes South in today's 64-board semifinals of the Flight A Grand National Teams. In Flights B and C, teams will compete in 32-board quarterfinal matches this afternoon. The

four winners in each group then will compete in 32-board semifinal matches this evening.

Representing the East in Flight A is the District 3 team made up of New York and New Jersey players. Playing with Captain Luella Slaner of Scarsdale NY are Joel Friedberg, Scarsdale; Steve Weinstein, Glen Ridge NJ; Ethan Stein, Irvington NY; Fred Stewart, West Hurley NY, and Marty Bergen, Farmingdale NY.

They will play a California team representing District 22: Ross Grabel, Huntington Beach; Jon Wittes, Claremont; Mark Itabashi, Murrietta; Fred Hamilton, Fresno, and Gene Simpson, Redlands.

In the other semifinal it's Illinois (District 13) vs. Texas (District 16).

On the Illinois team are Tom Fox and Dick Melson, Chicago; David Lehman, Glenview, and Walter Schafer Jr., Bloomingdale.

The Texas team consists of Bobby Goldman, Highland Village; John Sutherlin, Mike Passell and Malcolm Brachman, Dallas, and Eddie Wold, Houston.



New inductees of the ACBL Bridge Hall of Fame who were in attendance at last night's banquet were Dorothy Truscott, Dave Treadwell and Mary Jane Farrell.

8 inducted into Hall of Fame

Eight all-time bridge greats were inducted into the ACBL of Fame at the annual Hall of Fame dinner here last night. Three of the four living aces were on hand to accept their "Academy Awards" -- (Hall of Fame Chairman Larry Cohen's words) -- and the fourth sent his acceptance and thanks via a video. Once again, David Ezekiel of Bermuda did an outstanding job as master of ceremonies.

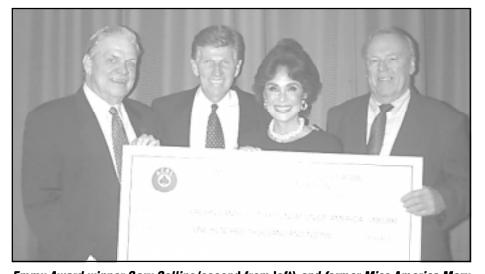
John Gerber

George Rosenkranz, a bridge great in his own right, was the presenter for John Gerber, a great player, captain, coach and adviser. "John was my mentor, my guru, my friend," said Rosenkranz.

"John had a different view of the game from most of us. I didn't agree with him, but that didn't keep him from being a winner. He believed winning was a result of play and defense. Bidding was a definite last in his view. But he had a great eye for talent and he had uncanny analytical ability. I remember how he would sit in the lobby and everyone would come to him for advice and counsel."

Gerber perhaps is best known for the convention he invented -- the four-club ace-asking bid -- which bears his name. He won four North American cham-

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Emmy Award Winner Gary Collins (second from left) and former Miss America Mary Ann Mobley accept a check from the ACBL Charity Foundation's Virgil Anderson (far left) and Don Moeller on behalf of the Crohn's & Colitis Foundation of America.



KIDSS for Kids President Rod Feldgreber and Michael Goldman (center) accept a check from ACBL Charity Foundation members Virgil Anderson (far left) and Don Moeller.

Charity Foundation makes two special donations

Former Miss America Mary Ann Mobley's role as a spokesperson for the Crohn's & Colitis Foundation of America (CCFA) is not merely a case of a celebrity assisting a charitable cause. Mobley herself is one of the estimated two million Americans who live with Chron's disease and ulcerative colitis.

The ACBL Charity Foundation, which named CCFA as its Charity of the Year, donated \$100,000 to the organization whose purpose is to provide funds for research, education and support programs in the field of inflammatory bowel disease.

Mobley, who has appeared on *Designing Women*, *Diff'rent Strokes* and *Falcon Crest*, accepted the check for CCFA with Emmy award winner Gary Collins. Collins is also well known for his work on the *Home* show and *Hour Magazine*. The couple serves as co-

chairs of the CCFA's Celebrity Club, and Mobley also serves on CCFA's national Board of Trustees.

CCFA's national chairman Scott Allswang said, "We are pleased to accept this generous donation from the ACBL Charity Foundation. Our organization, which was founded in 1967, spends 81% of its funds directly on research and education, an excellent record for a non-profit group."

Mobley and Collins also thanked the players in attendance at the Charity Game Thursday evening for their generous support to find the cure for these mysterious diseases.

The ACBL Charity Foundation also donated \$5000 to Kindness Is Doing Something Special for Kids (KIDSS for Kids), a Chicago-based charity. The all-volunteer organization is dedicated to improving the quality of life of children battling serious illnesses.

KIDSS for Kids President Rob Feldgreber, along with fellow representative Michael Goldman, accepted the check on behalf of the organization.

"Our group is an auxiliary of Children's Memorial Medical Center. Starting in 1991, we were assisting 15 families and had a fundraising goal of \$5000. In just a few short years, our program has grown to assist some 250 families who have donated over \$1 million to Children's Memorial."

This accomplishment makes KIDSS for Kids one of the fastest-growing benefactors of the Children's Memorial Medical Center and the largest contributor to its various Family Support Services programs.

"Our group is dedicated to helping the whole child. Special emphasis is given to emotional healing of the child and his or her entire family," said Feldgreber.



SPECIAL EVENTS

Friday, July 24

Teacher Accreditation Program. No fee. Marquette Room. 9 a.m. - Noon 12:15 p.m. Intermediate/Novice Speakers Program -- Jerry Helms: Understanding the Language, Williford Room. Helms, who lives in Charlotte NC, is a full-time bridge professional, club owner, bridge teacher and TAP Teacher/Trainer for the ACBL Education Department. He has trained more than 1200 teachers and has taught thousands of students. Helms is a member of the National Appeals Committee and National Goodwill Committee. He is a Diamond Life Master with more than 50 regional wins.

Intermediate/Novice Speakers Program -- Audrey Grant: Weak Two-Bids, 7:15 p.m. Williford Room. **Grant,** Toronto, is the developer of *Bridge America*, an

> alternative to duplicate bridge. She is a regular columnist for the Bridge Bulletin and the author of ACBL's teaching books -- the Club, Diamond, Heart and Spade Series. Grant has been the producer and star of several television teaching series including The Bridge Class, Play Bridge with

Audrey Grant I and Play Bridge with Audrey Grant II. 8 - 10 p.m. Bridge America Game, Marquette Room. No charge. Midnight Blues and R&B with Blues Images, Boulevard Room.

Saturday, July 25

Junior Day

Bridge America Directors' Course, Part I. \$50 for BA members; \$80 for 9 a.m. - Noon

non-members. Conference Room 4-J.

10 a.m. - Noon Free Bridge Lesson with Peg and Dewy Cundiff, Williford Room.

Teachers are welcome to help out or observe as Peg and Dewy entertain our new-to-duplicate players with a free lesson designed to make them comfortable playing in the I/N games here.

10 a.m. - Noon Coffee with Jane Johnson, manager of the ACBL club-membership

department, Conference Room 4-K.

Intermediate/Novice Speakers Program -- Ken Monzingo: Thinking 12:15 p.m.

> Bridge, Williford Room. Monzingo, San Diego, is the managing editor of the Contract Bridge Forum, the monthly publication of districts 17, 20, 21 and 22. He is a frequent editor of Daily Bulletins at western regionals. Monzingo, a theatrical press agent for national touring shows, was the entertainment chairman of the 1994 San Diego NABC. A Diamond Life Master with numerous regionals wins, he is also a member of the

National Goodwill Committee.

5 - 6:30 p.m. Reception for Intermediate/Novice players, Williford Room. Special

guests will be former world champions Eric Rodwell and Kathie

Wei-Sender.

5 - 7 p.m. Seminar: Using the Computer for Teachers/Clubs with Lynn Berg. No fee

(purchase of course materials is optional). Watch big-screen demonstrations and learn how to use your computer for advertising,

teaching, playing, scoring and more.

Junior dinner, Marquette Room.

5 - 7 p.m. 7:15 p.m. Intermediate/Novice Speakers Program -- Max Hardy: Game Tries,

> Williford Room. Hardy, Las Vegas, is an Associate National Tournament Director, a bridge teacher and a professional player. His total of more than 10,000 masterpoints is tops among tournament directors and ACBL employees. Hardy, founding editor of Southern California Bridge News, is the author of eight books including Five Card Majors -- Western Style.

Midnight Latin Night with the Jose Valdez Salsa Band, Boulevard Room.

Sunday, July 26

Bridge America Directors' Course, Part II. \$50 for BA members, \$80 for 9 a.m. - Noon

non-members. Conference Room 4-J.

Seminar: Bridge Teachers and Bridge Cruises with Val Covalciuc and 9 a.m. - Noon

Lynn Berg, Waldorf Room. \$25 fee at the door. Learn to be a successful bridge teacher/game director on a cruise ship. Tips on how to get

assignments. Certificates to participants. 9:30 a.m. - Noon Board of Governors Meeting, Marquette Room.

10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. ITT meeting, Conference Room 4-K.

12:15 p.m. Intermediate/Novice Speakers Program -- Jade Barrett: It's All in your

Head, Williford Room. Barrett, Vancouver WA, is a full-time bridge professional, a columnist and frequent speaker. A Diamond Life Master in the ACBL and the ABA, he has won more than 60 regional titles and several ABA national championships. A longtime supporter of Junior bridge, Barrett was coach of U.S. Junior Team II at the World Junior Bridge championships in Hamilton ON in 1997. He was non-playing captain of the U.S. Junior team at the HERO International Youth Bridge

Festival in s'Hertogenbosch, the Netherlands, in January.

5 - 7 p.m. Accredited Teachers' Dinner Meeting, Marquette Room. \$10 fee. Sign up

at the ACBL Info Desk. Join the ACBL Education Department staff for a

celebration of our Star Teachers.

7:15 p.m. Intermediate/Novice Speakers Program -- Howard Piltch: Shape,

Beautiful Shape, Williford Room. Piltch, Andover MA, was the 1997 ACBL president. He represents District 25 (New England) on the ACBL Board of Directors. A licensed real estate and insurance broker, he is a

Diamond Life Master who has won more than 100 regional titles.

Midnight Bingo, Boulevard Room.

Computer competition begins today

Baron Barclay/ OKbridge World Computer Bridge Championships, scheduled to begin today, will truly be international in scope.

Competing in the main event will be Hans Leber (O Plus Bridge) from Germany, Tomio Uchida and Yumiko Uchida (Micro Bridge 8) from Japan, Mike Wittaker (Blue Chip Bridge) from Great Britain, along with U.S. participants Matt Ginsberg (GIB), Don Farwell (Bridge Baron 8), Rolf Wilson (Bridge Genii) and Rodney

Competing in the bidding contest only will be Vince Oddy (BridgeWare) from Canada and Bob Richardson (Bridge Mate 3) from the U.S.

Kibitzers are welcome.

Ludwig (Meadowlark Bridge).

The contest begins as a round-robin, with the top four programs advancing to the semifinals on July26. The finals are scheduled for Thursday, July 30.

A 16-board match is scheduled July 28 between the computer programs and four-person Junior teams. The sponsors, Baron Barclay and OKbridge, will contribute \$500 to the Junior program and Junior participants are eligible to receive a one-year membership to OKbridge (or a one-year extension if already a member).

The computer bidding contest is scheduled for July 29.

A special Computer vs. Expert match between GIB and Zia-Michael Rosenberg is scheduled July 28, and can also be seen on OKbridge.

Play or defend?

This interesting deal came up in a qualifying match in the Canadian Open Teams Championship. Would you rather play or defend the spade slam?

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★8 7 5 3
                ♥A K
                ♦Q 6
                ♣QJ965
                              ♦9 2
    ♠A 6
    ♥J 10 8 7 4
                              ♥9 2
    ♦94
                              ♦KJ108732
    ♣8 4 3 2
                              ♣10 7
                ♠K Q J 10 4
                ♥Q653
                ♦A 5
                ♣A K
West
                        East
           North
                                   South
Pass
           1 💠
                        3♦
                                   3♠
Pass
            4♠
                        Pass
                                   4NT
            5♦
                        Pass
                                   6♠
Pass
All Pass
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Naturally the opening lead is a diamond -- 9, queen, king, ace. Clearly declarer can't knock out the trump ace immediately -- the defense will cash a diamond. Somehow declarer must get rid of a diamond from either his hand or dummy.

How about cashing his top clubs and getting to dummy with a heart? Then he can lead a high club and overruff when East trumps in. Then he can cross to dummy again with a heart and lead another high club. Once again he overruffs East. Now East is out of trumps, so declarer can ditch dummy's last diamond on the $\mathbf{\nabla} \mathbf{Q}$. Making $\mathbf{6} \mathbf{\triangle}$.

But wait a moment! We assumed that East would ruff clubs both times. What if East ditches his second heart after declarer gets to dummy with a heart the first time? Now declarer can't rid of his troublesome diamond and has to go down one.

Coffee with Jane

You are invited to have coffee with Jane Johnson, manager of ACBL's club-membership department, tommorow (Saturday).

The coffee is scheduled for 10 a.m. in conference room 4-K.

Johnson has hosted a coffee for club owners and players at every Summer NABC since the Las Vegas tournament in 1991.

Hall of Fame

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pionships, represented the United States in the 1961 Bermuda Bowl, and captained the American teams in world championships on several occasions.

Alphonse "Sonny" Moyse

David Berkowitz, another who already has made his reputation as a bridge great, was the presenter for Alphonse "Sonny" Moyse, a fine player who perhaps earned more fame for his work for Bridge World.

"Sonny was a traditionalist," said Berkowitz. "He believed you should have clubs when you bid clubs and hearts when you bid hearts." However, he recognized the inevitability of science making its mark in

Moyse, Bridge World in the era between Ely Culbertson and Edgar Kaplan, was famous for his love of playing 4-3 trump fits. He became such a champion of this fit that it is now known world-wide as the Moysian Fit.

Peter Pender

Hugh Ross, presenter for Peter Pender, recalled that he first ran across Pender in 1966 -- and "only" 15 years later Peter asked Hugh if he wanted to form a serious partnership. The partnership worked — they won many world championships together in the Eighties. A major reason for their success was their attitude — "We agreed to disagree," said Ross. "There was never even a trace of resentment."

Ross told about Pender's trip to Perth, Australia, for the 1989 Bermuda Bowl to illustrate how strongly Pender was willing to work to make his point. Pender qualified for Perth, but the Australian government learned he suffered from AIDS and refused to allow Peter into the country. Well, Peter called the ACBL and the World Bridge Federation, the American government and the Australian government, newspapers and magazines, TV and radio stations. Finally an embarrassed Australia allowed him to come to play -- and the city of Perth gave Peter to keys to the city.

Peter won a Bermuda Bowl and was second in another. He also had 13 North American championships to his credit.

Dave Treadwell

Henry Francis told about Dave Treadwell's entry into duplicate bridge more than 50 years ago. David went to the Boston Chess Club without a partner. They found him a partner and he came in second. "Easy game," he thought. But he changed his mind when he failed to make average his next five outings. That was a challenge, a challenge he has been meeting ever

His three children -- Martha, Dave and Tony -were all on hand to watch him accept his honor. He was the Blackwood Award recipient -- the award that goes to a player who has made outstanding contributions to bridge away from the bridge table. He was chairman of the Board of Governors for three years and a chairman or co-chairman of the Appeals Committee for 24 years. He also has been president of both his unit and his district. But he's a fine player as well -- a Grand Life Master with two North American championships in his portfolio.

When Dave went to the podium, he told how he had been asked not to tell any of his stories -- Dave has earned his reputation as a great story teller many times over. Then the emotion of the occasion got to him. His voice broke as he said, "Thanks to all the people who have made this possible."

Alvin Landy

"The ACBL owes a huge debt to Alvin Landy," said Dick Freeman, presenter for Landy. Freeman pointed to the many changes Landy made in ACBL practices -- bigger and better monthly Bulletins, an improved tournament program, upgraded administrative practices, etc. Landy was the winner of the Von Zedtwitz Award, whereby contributions to the game of bridge through bridge-playing expertise are recognized.

Landy is the only player in history to win the Men's Teams four times -- a record that can't fall because there are no more North American Men's Pairs events. His first major victory occurred in 1936 when he won the American Bridge League's Knockout Team Challenge. Landy also won a Spingold and

Missing -- and missed

ACBL staff members are missing at this tournament --Charlotte and Gary Blaiss. It's the first time in a long time they have not made it to



an NABC, but they have a good reason. Gary, ACBL's chief tournament director, underwent open-heart surgery last week (a triple bypass) and is recuperating at home in Cordova TN, a Memphis suburb, and watching the Yankees on television whenever he can.

Charlotte, director of Junior programs and assistant manager of the ACBL Education Department, plans to stay with Gary until next week, when she will arrive in Chicago and go on to Wisconsin to supervise final plans for the ACBL Junior Bridge Camp.

was second twice in the event.

Billy Eisenberg

"The maverick of all mavericks" was the way presenter John Solodar classified Billy Eisenberg. Billy, because of a scheduling conflict, was not present to accept his honor, but modern technology made the difference here. He prepared a video which was shown to the gathering at the banquet.

"I am with you because of modern technology," said Eisenberg. "I am very thankful for all that bridge had done for me. I hope to have the opportunity to return something to the game.

Billy has won five Bermuda Bowls, and he credited "fine partners" for his success. His partners were Bobby Goldman, Bob Hamman, Fred Hamilton and Eddie Kantar (twice).

Mary Jane Farell

"She's been playing bridge since she was 17," presenter Roy Green said of Mary Jane Farell. "She is well-known for her Coffees with Mary Jane. Even the Los Angeles Times recognized her achievements -- in 1964 she was named Woman of the Year.

"I've had a wonderful, wonderful 60 years in bridge," said Mary Jane. "The best thing that ever happened to me in bridge was meeting my wonderful husband Jules."

Mary Jane also had something to say about another Hall of Fame inductee. "I never played as a partner with Dorothy Truscott, but when I played on a team with her, it was always a great comfort to know she was in the other room. She is a good friend."

In 1978 Mary Jane and Marilyn Johnson won the six-session Life Master Pairs, the only women's pair ever to triumph in this event. At the world level she is a Grand Master with several world championships to her credit.

Dorothy Truscott

"Dorothy Truscott has an amazing commitment to win," said presenter Gail Greenberg. Then she told the story of the 1990 Women's KO Teams. "It finished in the early morning hours, and it was a tie. Originally we were given the option of playing the extra eight boards the next day, Then somebody told the other team we were a team of grandmothers, so suddenly they wanted to play right

"'Let's show them something about grandmothers', is what Dorothy told us. And we proceeded to mop them up in the playoff, finishing about four in the morning. I was so tired I didn't play in the Mixed Teams, but when I went downstairs that afternoon, there was Dorothy at the table, looking as bright and perky as ever."

"I've been extremely lucky all my life," Dorothy said. "I have had wonderful partners -- people like B. Jay Becker and Emma Jean Hawes. And now I have my husband Alan backing me. Not only that, but three of my daughters are here with their husbands tonight." Watching as their mother was honored were Margaret Cooke and her husband Jim, Cathy Thurston and her husband David, and Bobette Thorsen and her husband Todd.

Dorothy has won all manner of world and North American women's championships, but the achievement she treasures most is a second-place finish. She was a member of the U.S. team that finished second in the Bermuda Bowl in 1965. She has four world championships and more than 30 North American titles to her credit.

Juniors: sign up to battle computers

Junior players are invited to sign up for a chance to play a 16-board match against computer bridge programs competing in the Baron-Barclay/OKbridge World Computer Championships.

Juniors are asked to sign up as four-person teams during the Junior dinner on Saturday (5-7 p.m., Marquette Room). Entries will close at 6 p.m. and a drawing will be held to pick the Junior team that will play against the computers on July 28.

The championship sponsors, Baron-Barclay and OKbridge, will contribute \$500 to the Junior program. The Junior players will be eligible to receive a oneyear membership to Okbridge (or a one-year extension if already a member).

Junior coupons

Junior players (25 or younger) may compete for only \$5 per player per session -- with a Junior coupon for each player and session.



The coupons are available at the ACBL Information Desk, at the I/N selling station or from a member of the ACBL Education Department.

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"I received and read lesson 301-1. I think that you have done an exemplary job of explaining some very complex issues in a way that they can be understood by the vast majority of bridge players that are making an effort to improve."

> —Harvey Bernstein The Cleveland Plain Dealer

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Daily Bulletin

Chicago NABCs: a look back

Chicago hosted its first NABC in the fall of 1927 and its last in the summer of 1989 -- this is the 15th NABC hosted by the Windy City

Attendance figures for the early tournaments are not available but the *Auction Bridge Magazine* reported that "complete success in every respect marked the first tournament under the auspices of the American Auction Bridge League in Chicago" in December 1927.

"All of the events were keenly contested. The total number of competitors exceeded 300, making a remarkably formidable presentation of high grade talent."

Less than 40 years later, the 1965 Summer NABC drew a record 14,511 tables.

The *Bridge Bulletin*, reporting on the record-shattering tournament, noted that Chicago "marked a milestone in the new era of the super tournament with a smoothness and efficiency that had to be seen to be believed."

A highlight of that tournament was a repeat win in the Spingold by the all-star Canadian team of Eric Murray, Sami Kehela, Percy Sheardown and Bruce Elliott. With their win, the Canadians became the only four-man team to boast back-to-back victories in the Spingold.

Slam bidding was a key: Dlr: East **★** 10 8 7 6 5 Vul: Both **♥** 8 ♣ A K J 10 7 6 3 **♦** O J 9 4 **★** 3 2 **♥** 9 4 **♥**QJ6 ♦ A 10 8 6 2 ♦ KQJ954 **♣** 9 8 **♣** 5 4 ♠ A K ♥ A K 10 7 5 3 2 **♦** 7 3 ♣ Q 2 West North East South Elliott Sheardown 2♦ 3♥ 4♥ Pass 4♣ **Pass** 4♠ 6 Pass Pass **7♣** All Pass

One heart ruff was all that was required to make 13 tricks a laydown.

Murray and Kehela bid their share of slams too.

West found the only lead that would give Murray -- and his optimistic slam -- a chance: the \P 2. Murray won East's 10 with his ace and immediately ran the \P 8

When this lost to the king and a third heart went to dummy's queen, Murray was home. He cashed one high trump in dummy and followed with two top spades and a spade ruff.

Now he cashed the ◆A and ruffed a diamond, ruffed his last spade and cashed dummy's ♣Q. He ruffed a diamond and drew the last trump.

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The Summer NABC returned to Chicago in 1971 and, once again, the Spingold had a repeat winner. The original Precision Team -- Tom Smith, Steve Altman, Joel Stuart, Peter Weichsel and David Strasberg -- won in Boston in 1970. With Gene Neiger replacing Strasberg, they took the championship in Chicago the next year.

This was a key deal: Dlr: East ♠ 10

Dlr: E	East ♠ 10)	
Vul: I			
	♦ O	8654	
	_	J 9 8	
♠ A J	95432		♦ K Q 7
♥ 96	2	,	∀ J 5
♦ 32			♦ K 9 7
♣ 2			♣ K 7 6 5 3
	★ 8	6	
	♥ K	Q 10 8 4	
	♦ A	J 10	
	♣ Q	10 4	
West	North	East	South
		Pass	1♥
Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
Pass	4♥	All Pass	S
Desp	ite his seven-	card spade s	uit, Neiger (W

Despite his seven-card spade suit, Neiger (West) elected to pass throughout. As a result, declarer went wrong in the play.

With no reason to suspect an unbalanced hand on his left, declarer assumed the club lead to be fourthbest. He had some work to do in the minor suits anyway and elected to play low from dummy.

East won the •K and returned the 7 as a suit preference signal for spades. Neiger ruffed and dutifully returned a low spade. A second club ruff set the contract one trick.

At the other table:

West	North	East	South
		Pass	1♥
2♠	4♥	4♠	Pass
Pass	Dbl	All Pass	

Declarer lost the obvious five tricks for down two and 11 IMPs to the Precision team.

Freak hand

Jo Morse and Steve Robinson, playing in the Mixed Teams, were one of the few pairs to reach a laydown grand slam.

West	North	East	West
Robinso	on	Morse	
	1♥	1NT	2♥
3♥	Pass	3NT	Pass
5♠	Pass	6♣	Pass
6♦	Pass	7♠	All Pass

After Robinson's 5♠ bid, Morse made two fine judgment calls.

First, rather than tamely raising to 6.4, she cuebid 6.4.

Next, when Robinson showed continued interest with his 6♦ bid, she judged to bid the grand slam which was unbeatable.

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Mark Lair won his first NABC title at the 1977 Summer NABC in Chicago. He and Nancy Alpaugh, Joan DeWitt McKean and Sidney Lazard won the Master Mixed Teams by almost 3 ½ boards.

No arguments here

Tournament director Jerry Machlin asked Bobby Wolff the score of his Grand National Teams match.

"52-40," replied Wolff.

"Who's ahead?" asked Machlin.

"The 52," answered Wolff.

A classic swindle

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♠ KJ10975
 Dlr: South
  Vul: Both
              ♥ 8 4
              ♦ J 10 8
              ♣ K 4
 ★ 3 2
                             ♠ A Q 6
                             ♥ J 9 7 5
 ♥ 10 6 2
                             ♦ A Q 5
 ♦932
  ♣ QJ987
                              ♣ 10 3 2
              ♦ 8 4
              ♥ A K Q 3
              ♦ K 7 6 4
               ♣ A 6 5
West
                                  South
          North
                      East
                                  1NT
Pass
          4♥ (1)
                      Pass
                                  4♠
All Pass
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(1) Transfer to spades.

West led the $\clubsuit Q$ won by declarer in hand with the ace.

Put yourself in the East chair: since declarer can get rid of a diamond on the third top heart and diamonds are favorably placed for declarer, how can you beat this game?

Mike Passell found a way. When declarer took the spade finesse at trick two, Passell won with the ace. Next he cashed the ♦A and continued a diamond, declarer winning the king.

At this point, declarer could make his game by cashing three rounds of hearts but what was the point? He could take the "proven" finesse against the ΦQ , draw trumps and take his discard with impunity.

It didn't work out that way. A spade to the jack - and Passell won his ♠Q and cashed the ♠Q for the setting trick.

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The 1989 Summer NABC in Chicago boasted a table count of 14,901.5 -- easily beating the Chicago record set in 1965 when 14,511 tables turned out -- a mark that set the standard for many years.

The Summer record of 24,221 tables was set in Las Vegas in 1991.

Flight A Grand National Teams

Ross Grabel, Huntington Beach CA; Jon Wittes, Claremont CA; Mark Itabashi, Murrieta CA; Frederick Hamilton, Fresno CA; Gene Simpson, Redlands CA

Luella Slaner - Joel Friedberg, Scarsdale NY; Steve Weinstein, Glen Ridge NJ; Ethan Stein, Irvington NY; Fred Stewart, West Hurley NY; Marty Bergen, Farmingdale NY

Tom Fox - Dick Melson, Chicago IL; David Lehman, Glenview IL; Walter Schafer Jr, Bloomingdale IL

Bobby Goldman, Highland Village TX; John Sutherlin -Malcolm Brachman - Mike Passell, Dallas TX; Eddie Wold, Houston TX

Steve Robinson, Arlington VA; Peter Boyd, Silver Spring MD; William Cole, Beltsville MD; Eric Greco, Annandale VA

17.30 5/8 Robert Levin, Windermere FL; Jeff Meckstroth, Tampa FL; Neil Silverman - Richard Pavlicek, Fort Lauderdale FL; Michael Seamon, Miami Beach FL; Jeffrey Wolfson, Boca Raton FL

Walter Johnson, Columbus OH; Dennis 17.30 5/8 Clerkin, Bloomington IN; Marinesa Letizia, Louisville KY; Paul Lewis, Powell OH; Jerry Clerkin, North Vernon IN Kyle Larsen, San Francisco CA; Hugh 17.30 5/8 Ross - Ralph Buchalter, Oakland CA; Michael Lawrence, Berkeley CA

7.71 9/12 Jeanne Fisher - Arnold Fisher, Clementon NJ; Martin De Bruin, Northfield NJ; David Treadwell, Wilmington DE; Marc Labovitz, Philadelphia

9/12 Bob Balderson Jr - Cynthia Balderson, Minnetonka MN; Peder Langsetmo - Jerome Lee, Minneapolis MN; Craig Satersmoen, Prior Lake MN

Roger McNay, Beaverton OR; Mark 7.71 9/12 Tolliver, Portland OR; Dennis Sorensen, Gresham OR; Troy Horton, Clatskanie OR

James Cayne, New York NY; Alan 7.71 9/12 Sontag, Gaithersburg MD; David Berkowitz, Old Tappan NJ; Larry Cohen, Boca Raton FL

Flight B Grand National Teams

Dottie Kennedy, Durham NC; Albert Bender - Fred Gaines, Raleigh NC; Paul Page III, Cary NC

Robert Latulippe - Rene Pelletier - Jocelyn Bernier, Quebec PQ; Richard Wildi, Cap Rouge PQ; Jacques Carel, Sillery PQ; Herve Chatagnier, Saint Augustin PQ

Rowen Bell - Jiun-Ming Chen, Evanston IL; Daniel Levin - Matt Johnson, Wheaton IL; Paul Stern, Arlington Hts IL; Yifan Yang, Oak Park IL

Marel Bates, Glendale CA; James Glickman, Woodland Hills CA; Howard Einberg - Bruce Altshuler, Los Angeles

Richard Wegman, Bethesda MD; Kefu Xu, Laurel MD; Yi Zhong - Weizhong Bao, Fairfax VA

David Coberly - Alexander Labry - Patricia Griffin -Stephen Wood - David Sokolow, Austin TX

Pamela Miller - Walter Lee - James Rasmussen - Andy Stark, Cambridge MA

Fred Dischman, Kansas City MO; Dave Chipman, Lawrence KS; Robert Munger, Overland Park KS; Jerry Mandelkehr, Shawnee Msn KS

Flight C Grand National Teams

22 Teams

Jerzy Jelen, River Grove IL; Marek Dalecki, Gurnee IL; Ted Ryll, Des Plaines IL; Romuald Mindak - Wieslaw Kalita, Chicago IL; Zbigniew Muszynski, Itasca IL

Corey Krantz - Sarah Haley - Howard Kahlenberg - Sidath

THURSDAY CHARITY PAIRS

206 Pair	rs				
	Α	В	C		
19.75	1	1		Burton Lipsky, Scarsdale NY; Arnold Goldstein, Lake Worth FL	174.50
14.81	2			G. Margie Gwozdzinsky, New York; Drew Casen, Coconut Creek FL	174.00
11.11	3			Rita Allen, Jamaica Plain MA; Ruth Grossman, Framingham MA	173.63
8.33	4			Henry Moss, Glenview IL; David Moss, New York NY	172.50
6.25	5			Sarah Cressy, Cataumet MA; Frank King Jr, Alexandria VA	170.50
4.69	6			Dick Bruno - Kenji Miyakuni, Chicago IL	169.45
3.52	7			Norman Byrnes, Boston MA; Judi Smith, Houston TX	165.15
3.15	8			Iftikhar Baqai, Los Angeles CA; Mitch Dunitz, Sherman Oaks CA	164.50
3.27	9			Marlene Konik, Highland Park IL; Jim Humphrey, Wheeling IL	164.00
2.21	10			Mike Graham, Ann Arbor MI; Robert Bitterman, Charlotte NC	163.68
2.21	11			Howard Piltch, Andover MA; Ray Johnson, Park City UT	163.00
8.36		2	1	Deborah De Witt, Ann Arbor MI; Rick Warburton, Scherville IN	159.77
6.27		3		Shawn Samuel, Cambridge MA; Russell Samuel, Locust Valley NY	157.00
4.70		4	2	Carl Nauman, Toronto ON; Grant Mackinnon, North York ON	155.50
3.53		5	3	Steven Brashler, Lockport IL; Richard Valpey, Frankfort IL	155.00
2.65		6		Nancy Weil, Lake Forest IL; Louise Mandel, Saint Louis MO	153.00
2.24			4	Loren Loesell, Renton WA; Galen Hesson, Shoreline WA	149.50
1.70			5	Marjorie Mazer, Pittsburgh PA; Victoria Gregory, Pittsburg KS	144.50
1.26			6	David Hemmer, Chicago IL; David Katz, San Diego CA	143.50
				THURSDAY 199R PAIRS	
38 Pair	S				
001411	Α	В	C		
3.72	1	1	1	Barbara Rucker - Cleo Terrell, Chicago IL	82.00
2.79	2			Rachel Chittaro, Lake Zurich IL; M Jorndt, Lake Barrington IL	81.00
2.09	3			David Hoffman - Miriam Hoffman, Indianapolis IN	79.50
1.93	4	2		Mary Harris - Mary Jo Brooks, Chicago IL	79.00
1.22	5			Neal Goldman - Merrick Trossman, Northbrook IL	77.00
0.90	6			Abbie Margolies - Martin Margolies, Dothan AL	73.00
1.50		3	2	Gary Nalhman, Omaha NB; Steve Denenberg, Omaha NE	71.00
0.95		4/5		Diane Scott - Mary Lunsford, Clinton IN	68.00
0.95		4/5		Thomas Burke - Ellen Burke, Aurora IL	68.00
1.13		6	3	Gary Martin, Spring Hill FL; Dennis Martin, Omaha NE	65.50
0.74			4/5	Janet Blust, Toledo OH; Pauline Lamantia, Dayton OH	65.00
0.74			4/5	Ramon Aleman - Alice Aleman, Lemont IL	65.00

Gunawardena, Philadelphia PA

Ed Williams, Dearborn MI; Kurt Dasher, Petersburg MI; Thomas Reband, Shelby Township MI; William Gliesman III, Macomb MI

Jennifer Heymont, Medford MA; Richard Willey, Milford MA; Rosemary Tietge, Natick MA; Linda Robinson, Cambridge MA

Charles Forsythe - Maurice Mowrey - Craig Sullivan, Wichita KS; Theo Lichtenstein, Goddard KS

Gilbert Brooks - Walter Flory III, Winston Salem NC; Jean Chamberlain - Robert Chamberlain, Oak Ridge NC

Jessica Hayman - Philip Tilearcio - Gennifer Binder - Paul Frean, New York NY; Yefim Shoykhet, Bronx NY

Bruce Scott - Andrew Stevens - Andrew Coghill - Thomas Allen, Iowa City IA

Fees increased

Players are reminded that the ACBL Board of Directors has approved a \$1 per session fee increase for all NABC events effective with this NABC.

Here is the schedule of entry fees per player per

*Life Master Pairs, Spingold and Women's KO Teams, IMP Pairs and Flight A of the GNT.. \$13.50

Other North American championships .. \$12.00

Regional championships\$11.00 All other events\$10.00

*\$1.50 per person to benefit the International Fund.

Defending champions

Grand National Team Flight A -- Jeffrey Wolfson, Robert Levin, Jeff Meckstroth, Neil Silverman, Richard Pavlicek, Michael Seamon

Life Master Pairs -- Steve Garner, Howard Weinstein

Senior Swiss Teams -- Harry Ross, John Gustafson, Helen Gustafson, Jerry Gaer, Marilyn Hemenway, Mike Albert

IMP Pairs -- Tom Carmichael, Joel Wooldridge

Non-Life Master Swiss Teams -- John Ledet, Paul Perkowski, Bonnie Bagley, Denis Murphy

Spingold Knockout Teams -- Grant Baze, Tipton Golias, Adam Zmudzinski, Marek Szymanowski, Marcin Leniewski, Cezary Balicki

Women's Knockout Teams -- Jill Meyers, Randi Montin, Tobi Sokolow, Mildred Breed, Renee Mancuso, Shawn Quinn

Mixed Board-a-Match Teams -- Marc Low. Sandra Low, Sue Sachs, David Sachs

Red Ribbon Pairs -- Tony Miller, Diane Miller

Grand National Teams Flight B -- Harold Jordan, Sigridue Kristjansdottir, Andy Kaufman, Greg Burch

Grand National Teams Flight C -- Tim Barrett, Joe Grue, Joe Barrett, Chengwei Lee, Tom Monikowski

Today's Activities

Entertainment

After tonight's session, the Chicago NABC is proud to present the Blues Images, a versatile Rhythm and Blues act. Performing all over the Midwest in the corporate and social markets, this ensemble enjoys a wonderful reputation for exceptional entertainment. The Blues Images will be playing in the Boulevard Room on the second floor of the Hilton & Towers.

Hospitality

For those with a sweet tooth, ice cream will be served in the Boulevard Room after the evening session. Everyone is invited to enjoy the treats along with the concert.

Tomorrow's Activities

Entertainment

Tomorrow night after the evening session, everyone is invited to the Boulevard Room on the second floor of the hotel to dance to the Jose Valdez Salsa Band, a staple for all Chicago Latin-American music lovers. Valdez's group has been a fixture in the Chicago Latin club scene for the last ten years. Salsa, Mambo, ChaCha, they can do it all.

If dancing is not your thing, we have scheduled a bus trip to the Trump Riverboat Casino. We will meet the bus between 11:45 p.m. and 12:00 a.m. in the 8th Street South Lobby of the hotel. Over the course of the NABC, six riverboat trips are planned for two different casinos. Four will be in the evening and two will be during the day. All Riverboat tours require advance registration at the Tour Desk in the 8th Street South Lobby, as well as a \$15.00 deposit to hold your seat on the bus. The \$15.00 will be returned to you on arrival at the boat. Saturday's casino tour will include a box snack courtesy of the casino. The casino will send as many buses as we need, but we must have a head count in advance to let them know.

Hospitality

Following the completion of play in the evening session tortilla chips and roasted vegetables will be served in the Boulevard Room. Drop in for the treat and tunes.

Chicago Festival: Venetian Night

Tomorrow evening along the lakefront between the Shedd Aquarium and Monroe Harbor, the 41st Annual Venetian Night is anticipated by many as the fireworks phenomenon of the summer. From anywhere along the lakefront, you can view the parade of lighted, decorated boats, many of them replicas of antique schooners, ending with a lengthy fireworks display choreographed to pop music. The best viewing is along the rocks and retaining wall in front of the Adler Planetarium.

Special event

The Roy and Mary Green Senior Pairs is aptly named in honor of Roy's recent retirement. We wish them both the best of luck and look forward to seeing them playing bridge.

Restaurants Offer Special Deals

Several of the hotel restaurants are offering reduced price specials for bridge players.

Pavilion, the Chicago Hilton's full service restaurant, offers a breakfast buffet for \$11, lunch buffet for \$9.50 and a dinner buffet for \$12. (All prices include tax and gratuity.)

Buckingham's, the Hilton's fine dining restaurant,

is offering a dinner special for \$16.50. Guests may choose from aged angus steaks, chops or seafood. (Tax and gratuity not included.)



Charity Knockout Teams Bracket 1

16 Teams

Russell Ekeblad - Sheila Ekeblad, Providence RI; Kathie Wei-Sender, Nashville TN; Stasha Cohen, Glen Ridge NJ; Allan Cokin, Palm Beach FL; Juanita Chambers, Schenectady NY

James Murphy, Chesapeake VA; Ed Lewis, Falls Church VA; Adam Wildavsky, Flushing NY; John Stiefel, Wethersfield CT; Lloyd Arvedon, Medford MA; Pat McDevitt, Brookline MA

Robert Carteaux, Fort Wayne IN; Jack Coleman, San Francisco CA; Bruce Ferguson - Brenda Keller, Boise ID; Jim Linhart, Piscataway NJ

Phillip Grothus, San Antonio TX; Carolyn Peters - Thomas Peters - Patsy Arndt, Houston TX; John Sullivan, Corpus Christi TX

Virgil Anderson Jr, Springfield MO; Jayne Thomas, Lutz FL; Joan Levy Gerard, White Plains NY; Barbara Nudelman, Chicago IL; Esta Van Zandt, Houston TX; Mike Aliotta, Oklahoma City OK

Gary Sawyer, Alto NM; William Arlinghaus, Ann Arbor MI; Richard Holmes, Wichita KS; Ulker Mutlu, Spring-

Steve Levinson, Fort Lauderdale FL; Maggie Shenkin -Barnet Shenkin, Boca Raton FL; J Markland Molson, Cote St Luc PQ; Geoff Hampson, Fenton MI; Don Krause,

John Russell, North Barringto IL; Chuck Said, Nashville TN; Melvin Marcus, Framingham MA; Shome Mukherjee, Randolph MA; Randall Pettit, Marietta GA

Bracket 2

William Corliss, Davis CA; George Brown, Sacramento CA; Charles Pecarro, Falls Church VA; Susan Gehring, San Diego CA

S Scot Moir, Bensenville IL; John Kuharetz, New Milford NJ; Joan Cafarella, Winter Park FL; Anita Aquino, Orlando

Max Limbocker, Louisville KY; Laura Lee Bright, Terre Haute IN; Virginia Stipp, South Bend IN; Ed Judy, Chi-

James Barry, Twain Harte CA; John Jensen, Los Altos CA; Jerry Drennan, Redding CA; Gilbert Stinebaugh, Van Nuys CA; Marjorie Michelin, Venice CA

David Halasi, Toronto ON; Gavin Wolpert - Darren Wolpert - David Levy, Thornhill ON; Mike Nadler, North York ON; Varis Carey, Ithaca NY

Jean Cole, Richards TX; Ron Woodsum, Houston TX; Ken Monzingo, San Diego CA; Alexander Kolesnik, Austin TX; George Bessinger, Dallas TX

Bill Erickson, Racine WI; Eric Mane - David Schudson -Patrick Borman, Milwaukee WI; Bob Marheine, Waukesha

Paul Hardy, Dunrobin ON; Elizabeth Scott, Ottawa ON; Jackie Boisseau, Etobicoke ON; Monika Berlage-Smith, Kirkland PQ

Bracket 3

16 Teams

Gerrie Owen - Preston Morrow, Dallas TX; Barbara Moir, Bensenville IL; Marjorie Kidd, Plano TX

John Pendergrass - Debashis Ghosh, Houston TX; Lawrence Diamond, Las Vegas NV; John Harris, Port Huron MI; Eric Taylor, Leander TX

Bobby Maynard - Terry Currie - Jeanette Magid - Vera Sinsheimer, Houston TX

Pattie Gallwas - Carl Jones, Chicago IL; Gary Anders, Highland Park IL; Irwin Bender, Glencoe IL

Pierce Smith, Rutland VT; Geoffrey Mallette, Christiansbrg VA; H David Grace, New York NY; Stewart Mackeigan, Wilmington MA

James Jacobs, Las Vegas NV; Angie Knechtges, Grafton OH; Les Gerig, Kansas City MO; Tomasa Hankins, Clovis CA

James Green, Harrisburg PA; Jimmy Pelham, North Baldwin NY; Carol Nickels, Berwyn PA; Barbara Fitzgerald, Vergennes VT

Robert McPhee, Belleville ON; Lisa Kow, Concord CA; John Hurd, Charleston SC; Susan Griffin, Wallis TX; Dennis Goldston, Colorado Spgs CO

Bracket 4

16 Teams

Joseph Thal, New York NY; Estelle Margolin, Flushing NY; Heimo Adelsberger - Stephan Adelsberger, GE

Conrad Johnson, Des Plaines IL; Jan Ter Weele - Motoko Schoning, Falmouth ME; Louise Spiegel, Johnstown PA

Cathy Marsteller - Mary Shaheen, Niles OH; Roberta Meyers - Karen Pekkanen, Cortland OH

Nick Suciu, Lake Forest IL; Carol Langs, Sea Ranch Lakes

FL; Joan Weinstein, Vero Beach FL; Bert Koslen, Chagrin Falls OH

Stephen Sahlein - Nancy Sahlein, Larchmont NY; Gregory Berry, Buffalo Grove IL; Jay Segal, New Rochelle

Michael Kitces, Great Falls VA; Kevin Bathurst, Brentwood TN; Kathrine Strensun, NO; Eskil Hagen,

Kaye Folsom, Chicago IL; Meg Anderson - Dorothy Herren - Grace Bartlett, Houston TX

Evan Markowitz - Jared Markowitz, New York NY; David Sabourin - Ian Nicholson - Salil Dhingra, Ottawa ON

Bracket 5

10 Teams

Lee Miller, Saint Louis MO; Lois Miller, Vero Beach FL; Barbara Sedgwick - Jon Sedgwick, Naples FL

Bert Kabath, Ormond Beach FL; Eileen Kabath, Harbor Oaks FL; Phyllis Smith - Hazel Nitsch, Cambridge WI

Judi Palay - Rosemary Hinkfuss - Sajida Shariff - Marge Delahaut, Green Bay WI

Caroline Pieper, Orlando FL; Bobbie Sward, Vero Beach FL; Jerry Boothe, Glen Ellyn IL; Spencer Jones - Nancy Jones, Anchorage AK

Carol Welch, Robinson IL; Joan Musgrave, Oblong IL; Louise Kavall, Halesite NY; Lois Vaaler, Bridgeton MO

John Kuenster, River Forest IL; Michiko Tsuda, Chicago IL; Yukiko Taciuchi - Keiko Suzuk, JA

Bracket 6

11 Teams

Joanne Darling, Wilmette IL; Marie Maurer, Winnetka IL; Phyllis Warsaw, Highland Park IL; Carol Pollock, Bannockburn IL; Doralee Levoff, Chicago IL

David Walker, Valley City ND; Paul Carson, Nashville TN; Lawrence Carcare, Carmel IN; Woodie McLean, Potomac MD

Oliva Ouellette, Dunedin FL; Robert Munsell, Clearwater FL; Janet Cucurullo, Newbury MA; June Spurk, Haverhill

David Findley, Broadview IL; Blythe Olshan, Chicago IL; Mary Precht, Oak Park IL; Milo Grummons, Warrenville

Bernard Lavoie - Richard Hevrdejs, Chicago IL; Ron Blouin, Blue Island IL; George Waddell Jr, Lockport IL

Maria Roda - William Daly - Lee Ann Daly - Suzanne

Sherrier, Vero Beach FL

Welcome to the Summer NABC

Welcome to Chicago and the 1998 Summer NABC. Tournament chair Barbara Nudelman and cochair Jackie Addis, along with their volunteer staff, have a wonderful slate of events planned for you.

Do your part by being a good partner and a pleasant opponent.

Aileen Osofsky

Chairman, Goodwill Committee

Masterpoint disclaimer

Scores as reported in the Daily Bulletin are subject to change because of score changes or corrections.

Therefore, the masterpoint awards as shown are also subject to change.

THURSDAY CHARITY PAIRS ONLY SESSION

			THURSDAY CH)NL		
			NORTH-SOUTH	SECT	ION G	ř		EAST-WEST	
A	В	C			A	В	C		
1			Rita Allen, Jamaica Plain MA; Ruth Grossman, Framingham MA	173.63	1			Petra Hamman - Bob Hamman, Dallas TX	159.82
2 3			Norman Byrnes, Boston MA; Judi Smith, Houston TX Albert Comins, Flint MI; Edward White, Grand Blanc MI	165.15 162.45	2 3	1	1	Deborah De Witt, Ann Arbor MI; Rick Warburton, Scherville IN Eric Lee Shukan, Somerville MA; Paul Kinney, Roxbury MA	1 59.77 159.45
4			Rose Johnson, White Plains NY; Richard Zucker, Sleepy Hollow NY	143.50	4	2		Jack Brawner Jr, Palm Harbor FL; Barry Black, Cle arwater FL	141.92
5			Roger Bates, Mesa AZ; George Rosenkranz, Mexico City	141.00	5	3	2	Charles Vicary - Alan Salem, Scottsdale AZ	136.32
6			Robert Zwack, Allison Park PA; Gail Carns, Export PA	140.77	6			T. Seng Tjoa, Pomona NY; Lieda Bell, St John's NF	131.91
7			Rena Lieberman, Westwood MA; Sheila Gabay, Newton MA	128.77	7			Marian Muntranu - Ovidiu Teodorescu, Chicago IL	130.91
	1		Andrea Hayman, New York NY; Mason Davis, Marietta GA	126.18					
	2 3	1	Andrew Rosenthal - John Galatti, New York NY Troyanov, Germany; Ursula Maini, D-80798 Muenche N	125.14 121.00					
	3	2	Leonard Myers, Buffalo Grove IL; Barbara Flom, Chicago IL	118.13					
			NORTH-SOUTH	SECT	ION J			EAST-WEST	
Α	В	C			Α	В	C		
1			Henry Moss, Glenview IL; David Moss, New York NY	172.50	1			Murray Melton, Las Vegas NV; Simon Kantor, Agawam MA	157.50
2			Nell Cahn, Shreveport LA; Rebecca Rogers, Dallas TX	159.50	2			Mary Lee - Rhoda Prager, Allentown PA	153.00
3 4			Vivian Kilstrup, Vail CO; John Solodar, New York NY	150.50 147.50	3 4			James Hostetler - Dorothy Coakley, Naples FL Clint Morrell, Marlborough MA; William Braucher, North Billerica MA	152.00 151.50
5			Andy O'Grady, Miami FL; Peg Du Bois, Naples FL Diane Lazarus, Baltimore MD; Srikanth Kodayam, Union City CA	147.50	5	1	1	Loren Loesell, Renton WA; Galen Hesson, Shoreline WA	149.50
6			Jeanne Fisher, Clementon NJ; David Treadwell, Wilmington DE	141.00	6	•	•	Joy Scher - Ellen Gabriel, Chicago IL	145.00
7			David Silber, Foster City CA; George Retek, Montreal PQ	137.00	7			Jo Johnson, New York NY; Jill Levin, Bronx NY	135.50
	1	1	Robert McKinney - Sharon McKinney, Greenwood AR	135.00		2	2	Bill Sack - Mary Schultz, Elmhurst IL	135.00
	2		John Glick, Hope IN; Nancy Zakim, Greenbrae CA	129.00		3		David Parshall, Wheaton IL; Roy Grayson, Clarkdale AZ	133.50
	3	2	Ellen Bierman - Barbara Henkind, Scarsdale NY Rochelle Shapiro - Judith Gidden, Chicago IL	127.00 118.00					
		-	NORTH-SOUTH	SECT	ION K			EAST-WEST	
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1	_		Dick Bruno - Kenji Miyakuni, Chicago IL	169.45	1			Arnold Jones - Bobbye Caldwell, Chicago IL	155.55
2			Mike Graham, Ann Arbor MI; Robert Bitterman, Charlotte NC	163.68	2			Jill Meyers, Santa Monica CA; Dennis Sorensen, Gresham OR	155.00
3			Joshua Stark, Grayslake IL; Suzanne Dunn, Crystal Lake IL	159.18	3			Carolyn Sessler, Brookline MA; Morry Neiman, Needham MA	148.50
4	1		Nancy Weil, Lake Forest IL; Louise Mandel, Saint Louis MO	153.00	4	1	1	Marjorie Mazer, Pittsburgh PA; Victoria Gregory, Pittsburg KS	144.50
5 6	2	1	Francis Bowers - Dorothy Bowers, Hot Springs AR	142.68 135.00	5	2	2	Alexander Ladyzhensky - Irina Ladyzhensky, Bradenton FL	144.45 142.50
7	3		Clement Gosiewski II, Chicago IL; Jeffrey Carter, Lombard IL Marilyn Charlson - Robert Charlson, Oconomowoc WI	133.00	6 7	2	2	Matthew Bribitzer-Stull - Jason Bribitzer-Stull, Rochester NY Janet Gookin, Annandale VA; Robert Gookin, Falls Church VA	135.00
·			,		·	3		Betty Duer, Atlanta GA; Kay Carley, Wilmette IL	133.50
			NORTH-SOUTH	SECT	ION L			EAST-WEST	
A	В	C			A	В	C		
1	1		Burton Lipsky, Scarsdale NY; Arnold Goldstein, Lake Worth FL	174.50	1			Iftikhar Baqai, Los Angeles CA; Mitch Dunitz, Sherman Oaks CA	164.50
2	2		Howard Piltch, Andover MA; Ray Johnson, Park City UT	163.00	2	1		Shawn Samuel, Cambridge MA; Russell Samuel, Locust Valley NY	157.00
3 4	2		Alice Leicht - Brenda Mason Carter, San Diego CA Sarah Wiener, Wantagh NY; Milly Curman, Teaneck NJ	143.50 142.00	3 4			W Wayne Sands, Coralville IA; James Hall, Ankeny IA John Jeffrey - Jeffrey Gargrave, Las Vegas NV	156.50 153.50
5/6			Suanne Blair, Morehead KY; E Mickey Vastine, Otway OH	141.50	5			Cynthia Hinckley, Guayanabo PR; Diana Schuld, Glen Head NY	151.50
5/6	3		John Wells - Maryl Wells, Elgin IL	141.50	6			Michael Flader, Saint Paul MN; Manfred Michlmayr, Orinda CA	136.00
7	4	1	Marilyn Nestor - Gerry Mitchell, Grand Rapids MI	139.50	7	2		Deborah Kirby - William Kirby, Bowling Green OH	132.00
		2	Robert Oslin - Richard Frost, Chicago IL	131.50		3	1	Bruce McDonough, Farmington MI; Gary Amundson, Beverly Hills MI	129.00
			NORTH-SOUTH	SECT	ION M	1	2	Kikuko Yamasaki, Mamaroneck NY; Michiko Kondo, New York NY EAST-WEST	128.50
Λ	В	С	NORTH-SOUTH	SECT	A A	В	С	EAST-WEST	
A 1	ь	C	Sarah Cressy, Cataumet MA; Frank King Jr, Alexandria VA	170.50	1	ь	C	Terry Michaels, Prairie Vlg KS; Jo Morse, West Palm Beach FL	156.00
2			Lilly Lachter, Culver City CA; Harold Feldheim, Hamden CT	158.00	2	1	1	Steven Brashler, Lockport IL; Richard Valpey, Frankf ort IL	155.00
3	1		Ian Wilson, Irvine CA; George Harman, Los Angeles CA	149.50	3			Joann Glasson - Bob Glasson, Pennington NJ	152.50
4/5	2	1	David Hemmer, Chicago IL; David Katz, San Diego CA	143.50	4	2		Rachel Nachman, Lantana FL; D Hinckley, Guayanabo PR	148.00
4/5 6			Nannell Edmunds, Annapolis MD; Lee De Simone, Alexandria VA	143.50 136.00	5 6	3		Robert Steigmann - Sherry Steigmann, Urbana IL John Goldstein - Rochelle Goldenberg, Chicago IL	145.50 143.00
7			Rita Shugart, Pebble Beach CA; Andrew Robson, Carmel CA Bonn Tanner, Humble TX; Jan Hunt, Long Beach MS	135.50	7			Dianna Gittelman - J Gittelman, Houston TX	136.50
•	3	2	Blair Brickman, New York NY; J Mark Donovan, Oreland PA	134.00	•			Financia Grandina, Foundaria, Francia Fra	150.50
			NORTH-SOUTH	SECT	ION N			EAST-WEST	
Α	В	C			A	В	C		
1			G. Margie Gwozdzinsky, New York NY; Drew Casen, Coconut Creek FL	174.00	1			Marlene Konik, Highland Park IL; Jim Humphrey, Wheeling IL	164.00
2			Marlene Keliher, Chestnut Hill MA; Birgit Arons, Newton MA	154.50	2	1	1	Carl Nauman, Toronto ON; Grant Mackinnon, North York ON	155.50
3 4			Halina Jamner, Hawthorne NY; Faye Marino, Greenwich CT Lynn Rose-Hall - Burt Hall, Lake Worth FL	153.50 153.00	3 4	2		Thomas Dressing, Chicago IL; Linda Weinstein, Pinehurst NC Eric Rodwell, Naperville IL; Douglas Simson, Columbus OH	150.00 149.00
5			Mark Lair, Canyon TX; Virginia Noelke, San Angelo TX	152.50	5			Jesus Arias - Shira Jacobson, New York NY	147.50
6			Phillip Becker - Martin Baff, Beachwood OH	144.50	6			Sheryl McDonald, Las Vegas NV; Jill Mellstrom, Brottby SW	145.50
7			Alvin Roth, Boca Raton FL; Bernie Chazen, Tamarac FL	137.00	7			Dale Johannesen - Lynn Johannesen, Sunnyvale CA	141.00
	1		Chyah Burghard, Cordova TN; Henk Uijterwaal, The Netherlands,	132.00		3 4		Nancy Berg - Valerie Nelson, Hopkins MN	135.00
	2 3	1	Harry Goland, Skokie IL; Martin Moltz, Chicago IL Geoffrey Cross, Fernandina FL; E.Jacqueline Ball, New York NY	130.50 129.50		4	2	Marguerite Tanner, Boynton Beach FL; Leona Sabatino, Quakertown NJ Mike Whittaker - Stan Frost, Herts UK	125.00 120.00
	4	2	M Crawford - Gerald Bachorowski, Dallas TX	118.50			2	Mike Wilitaker - Stail Flost, Herts OK	120.00
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			NORTH-SOUTH	SECT	ION H	[EAST-WEST	
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1	1	1	Neal Goldman - Merrick Trossman, Northbrook IL Gary Nalhman, Omaha NB; Steve Denenberg, Omaha NE	77.00 71.00	1 2	1 2		Mary Harris - Mary Jo Brooks, Chicago IL Thomas Burke - Ellen Burke, Aurora IL	79.00 68.00
3	2	1	Diane Scott - Mary Lunsford, Clinton IN	68.00	3/4	2		Noreen Bryant - Tana Holt, Clinton IN	65.50
4			Joan Heilbroner, New York NY; Mildred Hamberg, Long Is City NY	65.50	3/4	3	1	Gary Martin, Spring Hill FL; Dennis Martin, Omaha NE	65.50
		2	Janet Blust, Toledo OH; Pauline Lamantia, Dayton OH	65.00			2	Ramon Aleman - Alice Aleman, Lemont IL	65.00
			NORTH-SOUTH	SECT	ION I			EAST-WEST	
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1	B 1	C 1	Barbara Rucker - Cleo Terrell, Chicago IL	82.00	1			David Hoffman - Miriam Hoffman, Indianapolis IN	79.50 73.00
1 2			Rachel Chittaro, Lake Zurich IL; M Jorndt, Lake Barrington IL	81.00	2			Abbie Margolies - Martin Margolies, Dothan AL	73.00
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1 2 3	1		Rachel Chittaro, Lake Zurich IL; M Jorndt, Lake Barrington IL Andor Fleischman - Marlene Fleischman, Boca Raton FL	81.00 68.00	2 3/4	1	1	Abbie Margolies - Martin Margolies, Dothan AL W Moore - Billy McCool, Jackson MS Chuck Avery, Champaign IL; Doug Avery, Indianapolis IN Gerald Greene, Glnview IL; Mary Rootes, Chicago IL	73.00 67.50 67.50 64.00
1 2 3	1	1	Rachel Chittaro, Lake Zurich IL; M Jorndt, Lake Barrington IL Andor Fleischman - Marlene Fleischman, Boca Raton FL Thomas Johnson, Commerce Twp MI; Jeffrey Buckwalter, Papillion NE	81.00 68.00 61.00	2 3/4	1 2/3 2/3	1	Abbie Margolies - Martin Margolies, Dothan AL W Moore - Billy McCool, Jackson MS Chuck Avery, Champaign IL; Doug Avery, Indianapolis IN	73.00 67.50 67.50

TODAY'S SCHEDULE -

*Unless otherwise indicated, strat breaks for Stratified Open and Senior events are: A (1500+), B (500-1500), C (0-500). For Continuous Pairs and single-session open events, strat breaks are A (750+), B (0-750).

Friday, July 24, 1998, 9:00 a.m.	Friday.	July 24	4, 1998.	9:00	a.m.
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Event	Session	Entry	Sold
Charity Bracketed KO Teams	2nd	\$44 team	NorthWest Exhibit Hall, lower level
Orlando Morning Continuous/Side Pairs*	1st	\$22 pair	NorthWest Exhibit Hall, lower level
Stratified 199er Pairs	single	\$20 pair	NorthWest Exhibit Hall, lower level
	Friday, July	24, 1998, 1:00 p.m.	
ACBL Charity Game*	single	\$22 pair	Continental Ballroom, Lobby level
	Friday, July 24, 19	998, 1:00 p.m. & 8:00	p.m.
LIFE MASTER PAIRS	1st & 2nd Q	\$54 pair	International Ballroom, 2nd level**
Grand National Teams A	5th & 6th	\$108 team	Room 4A, 4th floor
Grand National Teams B & C	4th & 5th	\$96 team	Waldorf Room, 3rdfloor
Solomon, Smith Barney			
Stratified Open Pairs*	1st & 2nd	\$44 pair	NorthWest Exhibit Hall, lower level
Stratified Senior Pairs*	1st & 2nd	\$44 pair	NorthEast Exhibit Hall, lower level
Bracketed KO Teams I	1st & 2nd	\$44 team	NorthWest Exhibit Hall, lower level
(Continues Saturday)			
199er, 99er, 49er, 0-20 & 0-5 Pairs	single	\$20 pair	Williford Room, 3rd floor
0-5 Newcomer Pairs play free today!			
	Friday, July	24, 1998, 8:00 p.m.	
International Fund Game*	single	\$22 pair	Continental Ballroom, Lobby level
Stratified Board-a-Match Teams*	single	\$40 team	NorthWest Exhibit Hall, lower level
Friday, July 24, 1998, Midnight			

single

TOMORROW'S SCHEDULE

\$40 team

Williford Room, 3rd floor

Junior Day

Saturday, July 25, 1998, 9:00 a.m.

Event	Session	Entry	Sold
Charity Bracketed KO Teams	3rd	\$44 team	NorthWest Exhibit Hall, lower level
Orlando Morning Continuous/Side Pairs*	2nd	\$22 pair	NorthWest Exhibit Hall, lower level
Stratified 199er Pairs	single	\$20 pair	NorthWest Exhibit Hall, lower level
Stratified Speedball 299er Swiss Teams	single	\$40 team	NorthWest Exhibit Hall, lower level
	Saturday, July 25, 1	998, 1:00 p.m. & 8:00	p.m.
LIFE MASTER PAIRS	1st & 2nd SF	\$54 pair	Continental Ballroom, Lobby level
Grand National Teams A	7th & 8th	\$108 team	Room 4A, 4th floor
Grand National Teams B & C	6th & 7th	\$96 team	Room 4A, 4th floor
Strati-Flighted Open Pairs*	1st & 2nd	\$44 pair	
Flights A1-A2		_	NorthWest Exhibit Hall, lower level
Flights B-C-D			International Ballroom, 2nd level**
Roy and Mary Green			
Stratified Senior Pairs*	1st & 2nd	\$44 pair	NorthEast Exhibit Hall, lower level
Bracketed KO Teams I	3rd & 4th	\$44 team	NorthWest Exhibit Hall, lower level
Bracketed KO Teams II	1st & 2nd	\$44 team	NorthWest Exhibit Hall, lower level
(Continues Sunday)			
Saturday-Sunday Continuous/Side Pairs*	1st & 2nd	\$22 pair	International Ballroom, 2nd level**
199er, 99er, 49er, 0-20, 0-5 Pairs	single	\$20 pair	Williford Room, 3rd floor
	Saturday, Jul	y 25, 1998, 8:00 p.m.	
Stratified Board-a-Match Teams*	single	\$40 team	NorthWest Exhibit Hall, lower level
	Saturday, Jul	y 25, 1998, Midnight	
Zip KO Teams*	single	\$10 per match	Williford Room, 3rd floor
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^{**} Follow signs on Lobby level to escalator to 2nd level.

International Fund Stratified Zip Swiss Teams*

^{*}Unless otherwise indicated, Strati-Flighted Open events are divided: A (3000+/0-3000 and separate); B, C & D stratified -- B (750-1500), C (300-750), D (0-300). Strat breaks for Stratified Open and Senior events are: A (1500+), B (500-1500), C (0-500). For Continuous Pairs and single-session open events, strat breaks are A (750+), B (0-750).