

# Great Lakes Bay Riverfront Regional

June 11-16, 2017

Sponsored by the Eastern Michigan Bridge Association



DoubleTree Hotel

Excursion Boat

River Walk

## DoubleTree Riverfront Hotel, Bay City

1 Wenonah Park Place • Bay City, MI 48708

(989) 891-6000 or (800) 222-TREE

Room Rate: \$115 (plus tax) Free Parking,  
Reserve by May 21<sup>st</sup> to guarantee rate

Directions: From I-75 take the M-25 Bay City exit, then left at the first light after crossing the river.

- ♠ GOLD RUSH for Intermediates and Newcomers
- ♥ Over 100 restaurants and retail outlets within walking distance
- ♦ Sailing, boating trips available, see <http://www.gogreat.com/cities/bay-city/> and <http://downtownbaycity.com/>
- ♣ 30 minutes to the Birch Run outlet mall and Frankenmuth
- ♠ 10% discount on meals at host hotel
- ♥ Largest antique mall in Michigan
- ♦ Riverwalk connects to more than 15 miles of hiking/biking trails
- ♣ Penthouse hospitality room open every day with wrap-around view of the waterfront
- ♠ Reduced entry fees for evening and Friday games

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## Schedule of Events

	10:00 AM	2:30 PM	7:30 PM
Sun., June 11	Stratified Swiss (1 of 2) AM Side Series (1 of 3)	Stratified Swiss (2 of 2) PM Side Series (1 of 3)	Zip Swiss (5-5-5)
Mon., June 12	KO 1 - 1st Session Open Pairs (1 of 2) Gold Rush Pairs (1 of 2)	KO 1 - 2nd Session Open Pairs (2 of 2) Gold Rush Pairs (2 of 2)	EVE/FRI a.m. Side Series (1 of 3)
Tues., June 13	KO 1 - 3rd Session Open Swiss (1 of 2) Gold Rush Swiss (1 of 2) AM Side Series (2 of 3)	KO 1 - 4th Session Open Swiss (2 of 2) Gold Rush Swiss (2 of 2) PM Side Series (2 of 3)	Zip Swiss (5-5-5)
Wed., June 14	KO 2 - 1st Session Open Pairs (1 of 2) Gold Rush Pairs (1 of 2)	KO 2 - 2nd Session Open Pairs (2 of 2) Gold Rush Pairs (2 of 2)	EVE/FRI a.m. Side Series (2 of 3)
Thurs., June 15	KO 2 - 3rd Session Open Swiss (1 of 2) Gold Rush Swiss (1 of 2) AM Side Series (3 of 3)	KO 2 - 4th Session Open Swiss (2 of 2) Gold Rush Swiss (1 of 2) PM Side Series (3 of 3)	Zip Swiss (5-5-5)
Fri., June 16	EVE/FRI a.m. Side Series (3 of 3) Strat Swiss - One Session		

Note 1 - SIDE SERIES: There are three side series, AM, PM, and EVE/FRI a.m. To qualify for overall and section-top gold points, you must play in at least 2 games in the side series.

Note 2 - KNOCK-OUTS: All KO's will be bracketed; if fewer than 2 brackets the event will be handicapped.

Note 3 - GOLD RUSH EVENTS: Gold Rush events will be stratified 0-100, 100-300, and 300-750.

Note 4 - SRATIFICATION: Open events with parallel Gold Rush events will be stratified at C = 0-1500, B = 1500-3000, and A = 3000+. Events without a parallel Gold Rush event (i.e. Sunday Swiss, Friday Swiss, Evening Zip Swiss, and the EVE/FRI a.m. Side Series) will be stratified C = 0-500, B = 500-1500, A = 1500+. Stratification will be determined by averaging the total number of masterpoints for a pair or team. No players having over 750 master points may compete in Gold Rush events.

Note 5 - ZIP SWISS (5-5-5): Five of rounds of five boards. Twenty-five minutes per round.