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Looking ahead to No. 10



Piper Ziebarth

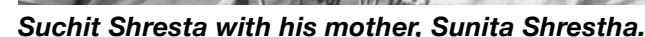
She made the trip to Georgia in 2008 without knowing what to expect. “There we a lot more kids than I thought there would be,” she says. One vivid memory was a group of young players from Hawaii. “I thought that was really cool.”

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All card play is in the Thurgood Marshall Ballroom

Saturday, July 30

2 p.m.	Single Session Consolation Swiss Teams
5:30 p.m.	Single Session Master Point Press Sportsmanship Award Ceremony



Trophy winners



Martha Johnson and Ibrahima Sacko, first North-South, Strat B, afternoon Cardrook Pairs.



Sam Swaggerty and Hallie Presley, first North-South, Strat A, afternoon Cardrook Pairs.



Helena Hsieh and Lauren Liu, first North-South, Strat A (80.63% game), afternoon Cardrook Pairs.



Samuel Li and Michelle Yang, first East-West, Strat B, afternoon Cardrook Pairs.



Nathan Bedell and Grace Stoker, first North-South, Strat B, afternoon Cardrook Pairs.



Kendal Smith and Kaiden McKeoun, first North-South, Strat A, morning Cardrook Pairs.



Anjani Hansalia, first-third, North-South, Strat C, afternoon Cardrook Pairs with Madelyn Bedell (not pictured).



Zihan Liu and Wu Jingyan, first North-South, Strat A, morning Cardrook Pairs.



Colin Fair and Katelyn Ashley, first East-West, Strat A, afternoon Cardrook Pairs.

Ziebarth

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Ziebarth has played with Montessori classmate Eric Rodriguez at all but one of the Youth NABCs and has enjoyed every tournament. “It’s just good to see people from around the country who are your age, and it’s great to go to all the different places. I

have had a lot of fun along the way.” Ziebarth graduated from high school at age 17 and is now a sophomore at Christian Brothers University in Memphis. She is studying math. If she makes it to Toronto next year, it will be her last Youth NABC as a player. By the time the 2018 Youth NABC rolls around, she will be too old. The cutoff is age 19.

Although she won’t be able to play at the tournaments, she might still show up. “When my nieces and nephews get older,” she says, “I want to teach them bridge; then I can take them.”



Wen Zhou Gao and Ziyang Wang, first North-South, Strat A, morning Cardrook Pairs.



Owen Burns and Jolie Hartley, first North-South, Strat A, afternoon Cardrook Pairs.



Yiming Liu and Hao Yi Pang, first East-West, Strat A, morning Cardrook Pairs.



Yili Yao, Yiyang Xu, Haoyu Cheng and Jia Rui Luo, first overall, Thursday afternoon Youth Teams.



Eric Lou, Eric Chai, Justin Wang and Kyle Lui, first, Strat B, Thursday afternoon Youth Teams.



Yimin Yang and Zhefan Yang, first North-South, Strat A, morning Cardrook Pairs.

Parents, teachers

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students.

Harlem says she has seen improvements in her students’ classroom achievements since they started learning bridge. “I have noticed they are becoming more analytical in their thinking and in applying it to reading and math.”

Cynthia Jackson works as a secretary at Oakwood Avenue Community School. Her daughter, Anahyah Muldrow, is a student there and a member of the bridge club. Jackson and other parents and friends of bridge in Orange help raise funds for the annual trip to the Youth NABC. There are bake sales, candy sales, car washes and donations from local churches. The fundraising, says Jackson, is a year-

round activity, but it’s worth it. Bridge, she says, has given her daughter confidence. “I saw a great difference in her just from bridge,” says Jackson.

The young players come with parents or chaperones, all of them donating their time. “They are here on a completely volunteer basis,” she says.



Cynthia Jackson



Maia Walzer and Kayleen Iguban, first North-South, Strat C, morning Cardrook Pairs.

THURSDAY MORNING CARDROOK PAIRS

19.0 Tables					
	A	B	C		
2.06	1	1		Zi Han Liu - Jong Yan Wu, Tian Jin China	86.25%
1.55	2	2		Zi Yang Wang - Wen Zhuo Gao, Tian Jin China	70.82%
1.26	3	3	1	Kendal Smith - Kaiden McKeoun, Williamsburg VA	70.00%
0.95	4	4	2	Yiming Liu, Tian Jin China; Hao Yi Pang, TianJin China	68.75%
0.50	5/7	5/7		Katelyn Ashley, Altamonte Spg FL; Colin Fair, Longwood FL	64.57%
0.50	5/7	5/7		Delaney Rosenblatt - Darian Ramella, Altamonte Spg FL	64.57%
0.71	5/7	5/7	3	Wesley Dominica - Evan DeVaney, Apopka FL	64.57%
0.53			4	Samuel Li, North York ON; Michelle Yang, Scarborough ON	57.20%
0.53			5	Kayleen Iguban, Virginia Beach VA; Maia Walzer, Tenafly NJ	50.00%



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NORTH-SOUTH		
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32.5 Tables		
	A	B
8.53	1	1
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4.80	3	
3.60	4	2
2.70	5	3
2.08	6	4
1.52	7	
1.46	8	5
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1.04		
0.73		
1.46		

15.0 Tables		
	A	B
1.78	1	
1.48	2	1
1.11	3	2
0.75	4	
0.83	5	3
0.64	6	
0.62		4
0.84		5
0.63		6
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33 Tables		
	A	B
6.82	1	
5.12	2	
3.84	3	
2.88	4	
2.16	5	
1.62	6	
2.44	7	1
1.60		2/3
1.60		2/3
1.12		4
0.77		5
0.58		6
0.84		
0.63		

THURSDAY MORNING YOUTH PAIRS

Yidi Liu - Jingfan Chen, Beijing China	73.56%
Cornelius Duffie - Sarah Youngquist, Palo Alto CA	72.14%
Michael Hu - Arthur Zhou, San Jose CA	69.25%
Tianxing Huang - Kangbo Lyu, Beijing China	67.24%
Zhefan Zhang - Yimin Yang, MY China	65.44%
Zhenhao Cai - Zhongtian Wang, Beijing China	64.64%
Albena-Maria Vassileva, North Bay ON; Olivia Laufer, Toronto ON	63.35%
Xuefeng Chen - Songyi Wang, Beijing China	63.24%
Justin Wang - Kyle Lui, Morganville NJ	62.19%
Zimu Chen, Beijing China; Garry Li, Palo Alto CA	58.61%
Yuxuan Zhang - Chuwei Xie, Beijing China	58.48%
Sihan Zou - Xichen Song, Beijing China	58.03%

THURSDAY AFTERNOON CARDROOK PAIRS

Lauren Liu, Cranbury NJ; Helena Hsieh, Naperville IL	80.63%
Samuel Li, North York ON; Michelle Yang, Scarborough ON	70.63%
Katelyn Ashley, Altamonte Spg FL; Colin Fair, Longwood FL	67.50%
Anahyah Muldrow - Reginald Smith, Orange NJ	66.88%
Elise Bedell, Apopka FL; Kyra Martin, Altamonte Spg FL	60.00%
Owen Burns, Altamonte Spg FL; Jolie Hartley, Longwood FL	58.75%
Ibrahima Sacko - Martha Johnson, Orange NJ	57.50%
Nathan Bedell, Apopka FL; Grace Stoker, Altamonte Spg FL	54.70%
Hallie Presley, Altamonte Spg FL; Sam Swaggerty, Altamonte Sprgs FL	52.50%
Anjani Hansalia, Altamonte Spg FL; Madelyn Bedell, Apopka FL	51.25%
Justin Dapoah - Momo Sacko, Orange NJ	51.25%
Munachiso Iherobiem - Prince Antwi, Orange NJ	51.25%

THURSDAY AFTERNOON YOUTH TEAMS

Jiarui Luo - Haoyu Cheng - Yiyang Xu - Yili Yao, Beijing China	63.00
Zihang Fan - Yincong He - Rui Hao - Yuankai Gao, Beijing China	61.00
Arthur Zhou - David Zheng - Jonathan Yue - Michael Hu, San Jose CA	59.00
Tingrui Zhang, Beijing China; Chengwei Li - Moxuan Liu - Changlan Wang, Beijing China	57.00
Jake Williams - Luke Williams, San Diego CA; Albena-Maria Vassileva, North Bay ON; Olivia Laufer, Toronto ON	56.00
Jonathan Baumel, Kennett Square PA; Gianni Hsieh, Naperville IL; Nathan Finkle, New York NY; Jack Gillispie, Ringgold GA	53.00
Eric Chai, Marlboro NJ; Eric Lou - Kyle Lui - Justin Wang, Morganville NJ	52.00
Matthew Shi - Jonathan Shi - Lucas Huang, Palo Alto CA; Samuel Perlow, Mill Valley CA	50.00
Jackson Miller, Discovery Bay CA; Nathan Gennaro, San Carlos CA; Jonathon Youngquist, Palo Alto CA; Ezra Mowbray, Menlo Park CA	50.00
Yuxuan Zhang - Chuwei Xie - Guangfu Liu, Beijing People’s Republic of China; Wendy Liu, Haidian Distric People’s Republic of China	49.00
Cutter Green, Falkville AL; Tanner Hess, Fairhope AL; David Schnatter, Cary NC; Samay Desai, Alpharetta GA	48.00
Arika Britt D’Arezzo - Olivia D’Arezzo - Sarah Youngquist - Cornelius Duffie, Palo Alto CA	47.00
V J Lamoureux, Dartmouth NS; Mary Eliza Balof - Daniel Balof, Walla Walla WA; Kayleen Iguban, Virginia Beach VA; Maia Walzer, Tenafly NJ	35.00
Olivia Schireson, Stanford CA; Stella Q. Wan, Palo Alto CA; Michael Zheng, San Jose CA; Miranda Schuyler, Discovery Bay CA	34.00

THURSDAY MORNING YOUTH PAIRS

SECTION O			EAST-WEST		
A	B	C			
73.56%	1	1	1	Zhenhao Cai - Zhongtian Wang, Beijing People’s Republic of China	64.64%
58.03%	2	2	2	Xuefeng Chen - Songyi Wang, Beijing People’s Republic of China	63.24%
57.31%	3	3		Justin Wang - Kyle Lui, Morganville NJ	62.19%
57.21%	4			Xiang Gao - Jiasen Liu, Beijing People’s Republic of China	54.96%
43.75%		4		Matthew Donovan - Noah Dominic, Riverview NB	53.69%
SECTION P			EAST-WEST		
A	B	C			
65.44%	1			Tianxing Huang - Kangbo Lyu, Beijing People’s Republic of China	67.24%
61.35%	2			Jake Williams - Luke Williams, San Diego CA	62.67%
60.73%	3	2	1	Zimu Chen, Beijing People’s Republic of China; Garry Li, Palo Alto CA	58.61%
58.48%	4		2	Pengxiao Zeng - Yike Xie, MY People’s Republic of China	58.37%
		3		Haoyu Cheng - Jiarui Luo, Beijing People’s Republic of China	56.71%

THURSDAY MORNING CARDROOK PAIRS

SECTION G			EAST-WEST		
A	B	C			
70.00%	1	1		Zi Han Liu - Jong Yan Wu, Tian Jin People’s Republic of China	86.25%
62.50%	2			Giovanni Peterkin - Sayeed Bennett, Orange NJ	60.95%
57.20%	3			Ronald C Paxton-Turner - Michael Shelly, Williamsburg VA	59.08%
51.58%	4	2		Lauren Wilson, Lower Coverdale NB; Snehal Oberai, Fairfax VA	55.00%
		3		Erin Bayless - Caitlin Leek, Williamsburg VA	54.70%
			1	Abigail Dominica, Apopka FL; Anjani Hansalia, Altamonte Spg FL	48.75%
SECTION H			EAST-WEST		
A	B	C			
70.83%	1	1	1	Yiming Liu, TianJin, China; Hao Yi Pang, TianJin, China	68.75%
64.58%					
52.08%	2/3	2/3		Delaney Rosenblatt - Darian Ramella, Altamonte Spg FL	64.58%
52.08%	2/3	2/3		Wesley Dominica - Evan DeVaney, Apopka FL	64.58%
50.00%	4			Sherry Shu, Markham ON; Elissa Luo, North York ON	62.50%
47.93%					

THURSDAY MORNING YOUTH PAIRS

SECTION J			EAST-WEST		
A	B	C			
72.14%	1			Kevin Huang, Palo Alto CA; Brent Xiao, Fremont CA	62.70%
69.25%	2			Xiang Liu - Zhengwen Li, MY People’s Republic of China	59.29%
63.35%	3			Rory Xiao, Fremont CA; Suzanne Campbell, Marina CA	55.75%
58.99%	4			Chengwei Li, Beijing Congo; Tingrui Zhang, Beijing People’s Republic of China	52.95%
56.09%		1	1	Lauren Liu, Cranbury NJ; Helena Hsieh, Naperville IL	47.53%
52.22%		2		Miranda Schuyler, Discovery Bay CA; Olivia Schireson, Stanford CA	42.04%

THURSDAY AFTERNOON CARDROOK PAIRS

SECTION G			EAST-WEST		
A	B	C			
58.75%	1	1		Katelyn Ashley, Altamonte Spg FL; Colin Fair, Longwood FL	67.50%
57.50%	2	2		Elise Bedell, Apopka FL; Kyra Martin, Altamonte Spg FL	60.00%
51.25%	3		1	Hallie Presley, Altamonte Spg FL; Sam Swaggerty, Altamonte Sprgs FL	52.50%
51.25%					
SECTION H			EAST-WEST		
A	B	C			
80.63%	1	1	1	Samuel Li, North York ON; Michelle Yang, Scarborough ON	70.63%
54.70%	2			Anahyah Muldrow - Reginald Smith, Orange NJ	66.88%
51.88%	3	2		RJ Lyon - Brady Lyon, Indianapolis IN	44.45%
47.23%					