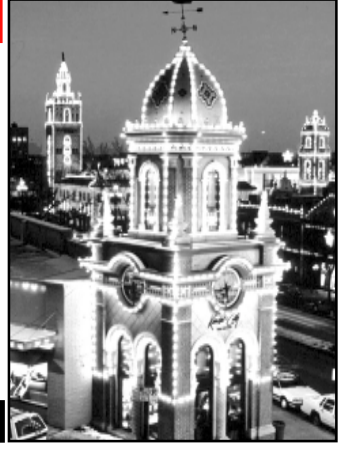




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Zero Tolerance helps ACBL Online to grow



Kent Burghard, ACBL online program manager, displays a screen that shows how online bridge is presented during play.

The ACBL online program is making great strides. IMP and matchpoint games are offered every day, special events are in the works and masterpoints are awarded at the same rate as club games.

Kent Burghard, ACBL online program manager, believes that policies involving Zero Tolerance and cheating have had much to do with the early success of the program.

"There have been lots of comments about rudeness and bad behavior on online services," said Burghard. "On ACBL online, you call the director when someone is rude. Almost all our directors are regular ACBL tournament directors, and they know how to handle situations like these. Misbehaving players are given a warning the first time. If the bad acting continues, they can lose masterpoints and possibly even be ejected from the game. The ultimate penalty is loss of membership with no return of membership fee."

What about online cheating? There's been a lot of talk about this ever since online bridge started.

"We haven't had any complaints yet," said Burghard. "Perhaps that's because all our tournament hands are played only once and everybody plays them at the same time. However, we investigate any results we feel are too unusual to let go by, whether there are complaints or not. If we find something that seems questionable, we bring it to the attention of some experts who check, the situation. If we ever find

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Time to sign up for WBF Transnational

Here's your chance to play in a world championship event, watch the best players in the world compete in the Bermuda Bowl and the Venice Cup and see one of the most beautiful places in the world all at the same time. Sign up for the Lippo Bank 3rd Annual World Transnational Open Teams that will take place in Bali from October 28 to November 2, 2001. There is no quota.

This event starts out in a Swiss Teams format. After 15 matches over four days, the top four teams move into the knockout phase, playing semifinals and a final to determine a champion.

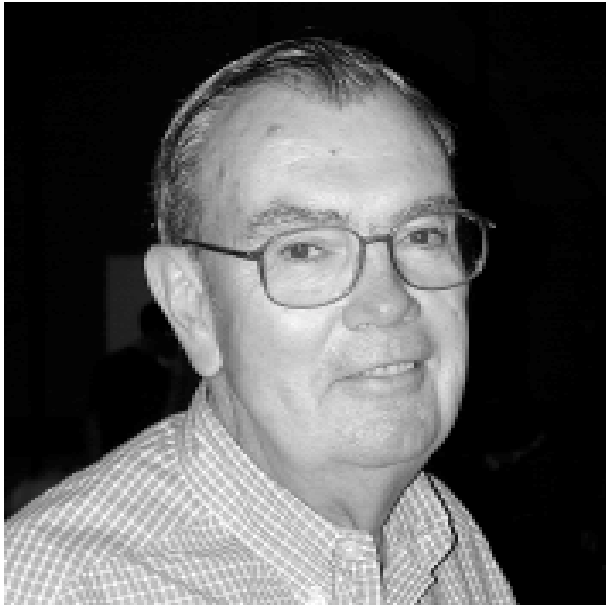
The Transnational is open to teams nominated by their national bridge organization and approved by the WBF Credentials Committee. ACBL members should apply to their national organization and also contact Rena Hetzer at ACBL Headquarters. Rena can be reached by snailmail (2990 Airways Blvd., Memphis TN 38116), by email (rena.hetzer@acbl.org), by phone (1-901-332-5586, ext. 307) and by fax (1-901-398-7754). Applicants should include the names of the players on the team plus their ACBL numbers, home addresses and phone numbers.

Bali is a delight as will be attested by anyone who was lucky enough to attend the World Junior Team Championships there in 1995. There is so much to see – it could take as many as four days to see most of the island's fascinating sights, like the cave temple that is filled with bats, the monkeys that come right up to you and grab whatever food you have in your hand and the women with huge baskets of fruit balanced on their heads.

The championships will be held at the Bali International Convention Center in Nusa Dua, which is on the southern tip of the island. Many five-star hotels are located nearby. Also nearby are good restaurants, an excellent shopping area, a championship golf course, entertainment and other recreational activities.

Air transportation from North America is available on several airlines. Flights go directly to Denpasar.

For more information go to <http://bridgeindonesia.com> or the WBF web site at www.bridge.gr.



Ryder tops 10,000

Robert Ryder of Caldwell NJ became an ACBL Grand Life Master when he topped the 10,000-masterpoint mark by coming in eighth overall in Wednesday's regional Open Pairs.

Ryder, a retired consulting actuary, has two North American championships to his credit: the Open Pairs in 1969 and the Senior Knockout Teams in 2000. He won the 1997 *Senior Player of the Year* contest and earned the George Burns Senior Trophy.

At a reception in Ryder's honor during the Spring NABC in Reno in 1998, Zeke Jabbour offered this tribute to his friend: "I never dreamed that I would cross a continent to, of all places, Reno NV, to pay tribute to a one-armed bandit." Ryder has only one arm.

Garner-Weinstein lead

Steve Garner and Howard Weinstein have a lead of slightly more than two boards going into today's two final sessions of Open Pairs II. Oddly enough, the top five scores were posted by East-West players. Garner-Weinstein earned 2204.21 matchpoints, followed by David Lehman-Dick Melson, 2080.00; Martin Fleisher-Debbie Rosenberg, 2070.90; Brad Moss-Fred Gitelman, 2048.62, and Geoff Hampson-Eric Greco, 2042.36.

Vanderbilt matches end in wee hours

What a night! Two Vanderbilt quarterfinal matches finished just barely in time to make our Daily Bulletin deadline.

What happened? The boards were distributed to the wrong tables for the third quarter in both the Jacobs-Rosenkranz and the Nickell-Meltzer matches. All four tables played the 16 boards and then the teams got together to compare results. They soon discovered that each pair had played a different set of boards.

What happens then? Well, there's no way those boards can be salvaged, so all four teams had to sit down at about 11:00 and replay the third quarter. The fourth quarter got under way just before 1:30 a.m.

Great! But who won?

The Russian-Polish team captained by Aleksander Grumov had to come from far behind (down 56 after 16 boards) to oust Billy Eisenberg, 183-165. Gromov closed to within 18 at the half and cut the margin to just 2 IMPs going into the final 16 deals.

The Andrew Robson team, which is really the Rita Shugart squad, led all the way against Steve Robinson, winning 154-93. Robson was named non-playing captain after he was severely injured in a fall over a

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Sanborn-McCallum lead Women's Pairs

Kerri Sanborn and Karen McCallum, renewing a partnership that won three world women's titles and several North American championships, have a half-board lead going into today's two final sessions of the Women's Pairs.

Sanborn-McCallum won the Venice Cup in 1989 and 1993 and the World Women's Pairs in 1990. They tallied 1647.80 matchpoints in Thursday's qualifying sessions and were closely followed by Sylvia Moss-Judi Radin with 1625.97, Hjordis Eythorsdottir-Valerie Westheimer, 1599.67; Susan Wexler-Margie Gwozdinsky, 1551.72, and Cynthia Balderson-Carole Miner, 1541.04.

SPECIAL EVENTS

Friday, March 23, 2001

- 12:15 p.m. Intermediate/Newcomer Speakers Program: Billy Miller, *Billy Miller Live*. Westin, Century Ballroom C. Miller, Las Vegas, is a professional player and teacher whose "Dear Billy" columns are a regular feature in *The Bridge Bulletin*.
- 7:15 p.m. Intermediate/Newcomer Speakers Program: Harold Feldheim, *Do You Play Blackwood?* Westin, Century Ballroom C. Feldheim, Hamden CT, a bridge writer and teacher, has won more than 200 regional titles.
- Midnight Refreshments at the Hyatt, lobby level. Ham and cheese croissants, beer and wine.

Saturday, March 24, 2001

- 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Easybridge! stages A & B with Easybridge! presenter Priscilla Smith. Hyatt, Fremont Room. (Break between stages.)
- 12:15 p.m. Intermediate/Newcomer Speakers Program: Brad Furnish, *Opening Lead - the Hardest Card You'll Ever Play*. Westin, Century Ballroom C. Furnish, Kansas City, is an economist and a bridge teacher who has represented District 15 in numerous Grand National Teams and North American Open Pairs.
- 1:00 p.m. Vanderbilt final on vugraph. Hyatt, Chicago Ballroom.
- 7:15 p.m. Intermediate/Newcomer Speakers Program: Max Hardy, *Inverted Minors*. Westin, Century Ballroom C. Hardy, Las Vegas, is a professional player and teacher who is also a retired ACBL Associate National Tournament Director. He recently completed the first of a two-volume set: *Standard Bridge Bidding for the 21st Century*.
- 8:00 p.m. Vanderbilt final on vugraph. Hyatt, Chicago Ballroom.
- Midnight Refreshments at the Hyatt, lobby level. Chips, salsa, dip and beer.



Sue Himel of Omaha is serving the remainder of Val Covalciuc's term as District 14 representative to the ACBL Board of Directors and expects to run on her own in 2002. Her first official Board meeting was "what I expected -- but it's still a lot of work." Himel is a bridge teacher -- mostly on the internet -- and a member of the Board of Directors of the Fifth Chair Foundation. Her husband Jim introduced her to duplicate but he doesn't play much any more. Daughter Stephanie will graduate from George Washington University Law School in May. Son Bryan is serving in the U.S. Army -- "He just got out of Bosnia and I talked to him in London Wednesday. He'll be back in the States today."

ACBL online

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anyone to be guilty, we will notify the ACBL Club Department and the player's home unit."

ACBL online offers three to five masterpoint games per day -- some IMP and some matchpoint. So far the average game draws about 20 tables.

Burghard feels the convention card facility is "short of where we want to be. Adjustments are being made. We are always looking for what's not up to par and taking steps to make it better."

The North American Online College Championship this spring will be the first use of the team software. An e-Bridge major pair championship is in the works. Another plan for the future is to allow online competitors to play the same hands at the same time as players at an NABC.

At present there are approximately 1000 members playing online -- about half from ACBL and about half from e-Bridge. Because of the increased interest, additional directors are being trained to handle the games. Also planned for the near future are limited masterpoint games to be run at the same time as open pair games.

The points awarded for online games are unpigmented. There is no limit on the number of points that can be earned online. However, only one-third of the points required for the next level may come from points earned online.

See you online soon.



Richard DeMartino of Riverside CT, an insurance company executive, is one of the two new members of the ACBL Board of Directors. He is a former president of District 25 (New England). He also is a bridge teacher. He is a Grand Life Master with more than 11,600 masterpoints. Last year he was a member of the team that won the Senior Knockout Teams. Back in 1980 he was a winner in the North American Swiss

What's your strategy?

You're playing in the Vanderbilt against a good team, it's the final quarter and you're down by 22. Along come these three hands, all of which are potential swings. How do you take advantage of your chances to make some big gains?

1. Your side is vulnerable, the opponents are not.

♠ A Q 4
♥ K J 10 7 5 3 2
♦ A
♣ 7 3

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|------|-------|------|-------|
| West | North | East | South |
| | | 3♣ | 3♥ |
| 5♣ | 5♥ | Pass | ? |

You were somewhat conservative over the preempt, bidding only 3♥. Now do you pass or carry on to slam? How good are the chances that partner has a singleton club?

2. Your partner opens the bidding with 1♦ and you hold:

♠ –
♥ Q 7
♦ A J 9 5 4
♣ A K Q J 6 2

What's your bid?

3. You are going to be on opening lead, and this is your hand:

♠ J 6 3 2
♥ K 10
♦ 3
♣ 9 8 6 4 3 2

This is the auction, with you sitting West:

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|------|-------|----------|-------|
| West | North | East | South |
| | | | 1NT |
| Pass | 2♣ | Pass | 2♦ |
| Pass | 3NT | All Pass | |

What do you lead?

After you decide what to do, turn to page 4 to see how Bobby Wolff handled these problems.

Attendance report

A strange phenomenon has occurred in connection with attendance at Kansas City 2001. The table count has risen each day.

Here are the day-by-day totals: Thursday 281.5, Friday 838, Saturday 967, Sunday 968.5, Monday 971, Tuesday 976, Wednesday 1005, Thursday 1016.5. If a few more folks drop in for some weekend bridge, we still may make it to the 10,000 mark.

The total to date is 7023.5 tables, still well behind Kansas City 1993, which was at 7464 after Thursday.

Honor your partner

By Mark Horton

Mark Horton is an English bridge journalist who discussed "How to be a good partner" at the World Junior Bridge Camp in the Czech Republic.

Consider your partner to be a friend. Treat your partner well, even (especially) if you are playing together for the first time. Always offer your partner a drink -- tea or coffee is a good starting point. This will lead to a relaxed atmosphere, enabling you both to play your best. By the way, always be a pleasant and courteous opponent.

Tolerate errors. Never go on about partner's mistakes -- just forget about them and move on to the next deal. You may be able to make a constructive comment at the end of the session. Your partner will surely show you the same consideration.

Be encouraging. Always be prepared to support your partner -- "well played" always goes down well and a "thank you" for the dummy does not go amiss. In one of my partnerships, if dummy was exactly what was needed, "mille grazie" would let partner in on the good news!

Keep a straight face. Never make the mistake of pulling a face or raising an eyebrow. Apart from hurting your partner's feelings, being deadpan does not let your opponents know that something may have gone wrong.

Win or lose, always stay calm at the end of the session and thank partner for the game. This is espe-

cially important if things have not gone so well. In my most successful international partnership, the first time we played together was absolutely hopeless but we stuck with it.

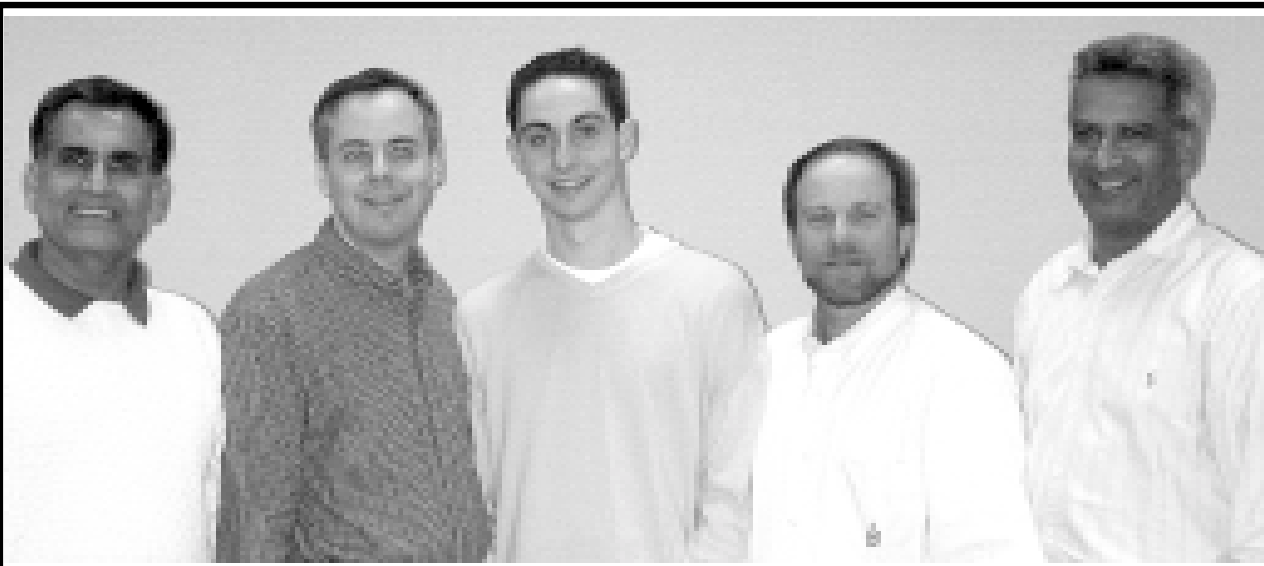
Coping with disaster: The best way to cope with the inevitable disasters is to laugh them off. This tends to disconcert even the best opponents who are used to seeing their opponents argue.

Conventions: Stick to the ones you both feel comfortable with. A player trying to remember some convention he is not familiar with will make errors in other departments.

I recently played in a tournament in the Netherlands with a strange partner. We would have won but for a couple of expensive mistakes when I forgot a couple of things because we were playing some conventions I was not familiar with.

Who's the boss? In most partnerships, one player tends to be regarded as the boss. If you are the stronger player, go out of your way to make life easy for your partner: make easy-to-understand bids, leads and signals. Don't land your partner in a tough contract -- well, not on purpose.

Have fun! You are both out to enjoy yourselves. If your partner leaves the table feeling happy, you have done your job. Of course you want to win but that objective should not mean spoiling the game for your partner or the opponents.



Victors in the 0-2000 Knockout Teams, left to right, were Ahmed Sorathia, Jim Glickman, Marc Glickman, Howard Einberg and Subba Ravipudi.

A family affair

Marc Glickman of Los Angeles learned bridge from his mother, later got some good advice from his older brother Steven and still later picked up some pointers from his younger brother Robert. He also learned a lot by reading Alfred Sheinwold's *Five Weeks to Winning Bridge*. That all led up to playing on a team with his father and winning the 0-2000 Knockout Teams here Wednesday.

Marc just turned 18, but he already has a bridge

history. He was fifth in the Rookie of the Year race last year and he is a national head caddy.

He's 18 and he got pointers from his younger brother? That's right. Those who have seen Robert play say that he's got a chance to be one of the greats. He apparently has great natural talent.

In addition to his father Jim, Marc's teammates were Ahmed Sorathia, Howard Einberg and Subba Ravipudi, all of Los Angeles.

Like a python

North had no chance on this deal from Open Pairs II as long as declarer discarded correctly.

Board 6 ♠ Q 7 5
 Dlr: East ♥ Q 10 4 3
 Vul: E-W ♦ 10 7 6 3
 ♣ 10 3

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

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|------|-------|----------|-------|
| West | North | East | South |
| | | 1♣ | 1♠ |
| | 2♠ | 3♠ | Pass |
| | 3NT | All Pass | |

Keith Garber had a spade stopper, so he bid 3NT. Actually 12 top tricks are available, but few pairs found a way to bid the slam. So it all came down to trying for the 13th trick. Not surprisingly the opening lead was a spade to Keith's ace. He ran the clubs and carefully pitched two hearts from his hand after getting rid of his other two spades. This kept open the possibility that diamonds would break 3-3.

But look what running the clubs did to North. He was forced to come down to six cards. He had to keep all four of his diamonds, so he had to discard two hearts. Since he held both the ♥Q and the ♥10, dummy's ♥9 suddenly became Keith's 13th trick..

Nelson Atkins tour

There is limited space for the Nelson Atkins tour which will take place tomorrow at 9:30 a.m. with a return by 12:30. The fee for the tour, which is hosted by Jean Howard, is \$5. Get your tickets at the Tour Desk in the lower lobby of the Hyatt.



Larry Cohen, right, and Patron Member Howard Einberg of Los Angeles came in third in their section in the opening night Educational Foundation Stratified Pairs. Einberg, who won the drawing for a game with Cohen, commented, "He had all the tough hands - I seemed not to have the decisions to make. Playing with Larry was one of the good things about being a Patron Member. The reservations and (delivery of) Daily Bulletins are nice but they're not the reason I joined. I like supporting the ACBL."

Once again, NABC is truly international

As usual, players from many countries have traveled here to take part in the North American Bridge Championships. At the latest count, 21 countries besides the basic four that make up North America are represented here.

The countries: Japan, Sweden, Italy, England, Trinidad, the Netherlands, Norway, Russia, India, Pakistan, Poland, Korea, Germany, France, China, Australia, Austria, Switzerland, Iceland, Jamaica and Israel. Strangely enough, so far we've discovered no players from South America.

A little luck

Joan Jackson had a three-loser hand and needed only a little help from partner Petra Hamman to score up a vulnerable game.

Dlr: West ♠ Q J 10 9 7
 Vul: E-W ♥ K 2
 ♦ 8 5
 ♣ 9 8 7 2

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

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|--------|-------|---------|----------|
| West | North | East | South |
| Hamman | | Jackson | |
| Pass | Pass | 1♦ | 1♠ |
| 2♦ (1) | 2♠ | 3♠ | Dbl |
| Pass | Pass | 5♦ | All Pass |

(1) Jackson-Hamman play four-card majors, so a 4-4 heart fit is unlikely.

The contract can be beaten off the top - ♣A, ♥A K. In fact, underleading the ♥A would result in a two-trick set.

South, however, led the ♠A and Jackson ruffed. She drew one round of trumps and led a low club. "I was trying to do everything before they had a chance to signal," she said. South hopped up with the ♣A and returned the ♣10. Even if she had cashed the ♥A, North would perform have played the ♥2 and South might not have continued the suit.

As it was, Jackson won dummy's ♣J, drew the last trumps and ran her clubs, pitching hearts from dummy. She lost the ♣A and ♥A for plus 600 and 47.5 out of a possible 51 matchpoints.

A little later, both players were able to appreciate the power of a long, strong suit.

Dlr: North ♠ 5
 Vul: None ♥ Q 4 2
 ♦ J 9 6 4 2
 ♣ J 10 8 6

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

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|--------|-------|---------|----------|
| West | North | East | South |
| Hamman | | Jackson | |
| 1♠ | Pass | 1♦ | Pass |
| 3♠ | Pass | 2♥ | Pass |
| 4♠ | Pass | 3NT | Pass |
| 6♣ | Pass | 5♣ | Pass |
| | | 6♠ | All Pass |

Once again, the contract could have been set off the top but North led a club. Hamman won dummy's ace, cashed two top diamonds (pitching her losing hearts) and gave up a club. She won the trump return, ruffed a club and cashed the ♦Q, pitching her last club. Plus 980 was good for 39 out of 51 matchpoints.

6NT by East is arguably a better contract and any non-spade lead gives East her 12th trick -- a club lead gives her two club tricks, a diamond lead gives her four diamond tricks and a heart lead sets up her ♥K.

On a spade lead, East has 11 top tricks - seven spades, three diamonds and a club -- and chances for a 12th in any one of three suits.

What's your strategy?

(Answers to problems asked on page 2)

1. Your side is vulnerable, the opponents are not.

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

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|------|-------|------|-------|
| West | North | East | South |
| | | 3♣ | 3♥ |
| 5♣ | 5♥ | Pass | ? |

Bobby Wolff was somewhat conservative over the preempt, bidding only 3♥. At this point, Wolff figured the opening bidder had seven clubs and opener's partner probably had three. Since he had two, that left only one for his partner. So he went on to 6♥. Wrong! This was partner's hand:

- ♠ J 5
- ♥ A Q 6 4
- ♦ K J 6 5 3
- ♣ 6 2

The defense had no problem cashing two clubs to set the slam one trick.

2. Your partner opens the bidding with 1♦ and you hold:

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

Wolff thought the chances were good that partner's hand would fit his – and he also thought a grand slam might make even if his side was off the ♥A. If the opponents led a non-heart, the clubs would provide a parking place for hearts. So he bid 7♦. Wrong! His partner had a nice hand:

- ♠ A Q 8 2
- ♥ A K 6 4
- ♦ Q 10 8 3
- ♣ 7

Clearly everything depended on the location of the trump king. It was offside. Down one.

3. Wolff was going to be on opening lead, and this was his hand:

- ♠ J 6 3 2
- ♥ K 10
- ♦ 3
- ♣ 9 8 6 4 3 2

This was the auction, with Wolff sitting West:

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|------|-------|----------|-------|
| West | North | East | South |
| | | | 1NT |
| Pass | 2♣ | Pass | 2♦ |
| Pass | 3NT | All Pass | |

Wolff thought about clubs, but he saw that it was necessary for partner to have three with the remaining clubs 2-2 with declarer and dummy. So clubs was not a likely source of tricks. The best shot appeared to be hearts, where he had a couple of cards that could help partner. So he led the ♥K. Wrong! This was the full deal:

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

On the heart lead, declarer had five diamonds, four hearts, a club and a spade for 11 tricks. On a club lead, partner Joe Chorush can win the ace and continue the suit, setting up clubs. The defense will get in with either the ♥K or the ♠A and run the clubs.

Wolff went wrong on all three and lost 42 IMPs. How did you do? Did you tighten up the match, or did you fall further behind the way Wolff (and your editor if he had been playing) did?

The result in the match was that Wolff and his teammates were looking for different games to play in the next day.



For I/N director Alice Kinningham of Denver, the North American Bridge Championships are literally a family affair. She is shown here visiting with her brother, Wayne Weaver (left), and husband, Wayne Kinningham, who are playing in the I/N games.

Appeals Case 3

Subject: Misinformation
Event: NABC Open Pairs I, March 16, First Qualifying Session

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| Bd: 6 | Stephen Schneer |
| Dlr: East | ♠ A Q 10 9 |
| Vul: E/W | ♥ Q 10 7 6 3 |
| | ♦ J 7 2 |
| | ♣ K |

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|---------------|--------------|
| Lloyd Arvedon | Pat McDevitt |
| ♠ K 8 6 5 4 3 | ♠ J 7 2 |
| ♥ K 2 | ♥ A 8 5 4 |
| ♦ A 4 | ♦ 8 6 3 |
| ♣ A 3 2 | ♣ 10 9 5 |

- Glenn Robbins
- ♠ ---
 - ♥ J 9
 - ♦ K Q 10 9 5
 - ♣ Q J 8 7 6 4

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|------|----------|------|-------|
| West | North | East | South |
| 1♠ | 2♥ | 2♠ | Pass |
| 3♠ | All Pass | | 2NT |

The Facts: 3♠ went down two, +200 for N/S. The opening lead was the ♣K. The Director was called at the end of play when the 2NT bid was described as natural. N/S said that there was no agreement that the bid showed the minors. South said that he knew the agreement was natural, but that he could always bid minors later if he needed to. West said that he would not have bid 3♠ if he had known that South had the minors. The Director allowed the table result to stand.

The Appeal: E/W appealed the Director's ruling. North did not attend the hearing. West thought 2NT was natural, so spades would have been onside. If he had suspected that 2NT was minors, he would fear that any missing spades were over him and would not have bid 3♠. South knew that 2NT was supposed to be natural, but he didn't care. He thought that nothing bad could happen; he planned to run to clubs if doubling started. South said that 1♠ - 2♥ - 2♠ - Dbl was responsive.

The Committee Decision: The Committee decided that N/S had no agreement that 2NT showed the minors and that South had taken it upon himself to bid 2NT with this particular hand. Therefore there was no misinformation. The Committee also observed that West had an automatic 3♠ bid no matter what 2NT showed. Even if 2NT was minors, there didn't have to be a trump stack behind West. No good player (which West was) could possibly sell out to 2NT or three of a minor with this particular hand, containing a known nine-plus-card spade fit, not to mention a prime opening bid. The Committee therefore allowed the table result to stand. N/S were told that if this sort of thing happened again it would constitute an implicit agreement requiring an Alert. Since West had such a clear 3♠ bid, he should not have come to Committee to try to get something to which he clearly was not entitled. E/W were each assessed an Appeal Without Merit Warning.

DIC of Event: Henry Cukoff
Committee: Larry Cohen (chair), Nell Cahn, Jim Linhart, Barbara Nudelman, Becky Rogers

Appeals Case 4

Subject: Tempo
Event: NABC Open Pairs I, March 16, First Qualifying Session

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| Bd: 12 | Zeke Jabbour |
| Dlr: West | ♠ Q |
| Vul: N/S | ♥ J 9 8 5 2 |
| | ♦ K 9 6 5 3 |
| | ♣ K 6 |

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|--------------|--------------|
| Bill Pollack | Mark Feldman |
| ♠ K 8 | ♠ J 6 4 3 |
| ♥ 10 7 6 3 | ♥ Q 4 |
| ♦ 10 7 4 | ♦ 8 2 |
| ♣ Q J 9 2 | ♣ 8 7 5 4 3 |

- Don Rumelhart
- ♠ A 10 9 7 5 2
 - ♥ A K
 - ♦ A Q J
 - ♣ A 10

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|----------|-------|------|-------|
| West | North | East | South |
| Pass | Pass | Pass | 2♣ |
| Pass | 2♦(1) | Pass | 2♠ |
| Pass | 3♥ | Pass | 4♥(2) |
| Pass | 4NT | Pass | 6♥ |
| All Pass | | | |

(1) Alerted; no questions asked, showed an ace or a king or three queens. 2♥ would have denied as much

(2) Break in tempo

The Facts: 6♥ made six, +1430 for N/S. The opening lead was the ♦8. The Director was called after play ended. E/W said there had been a break in tempo before the 4♥ bid. When asked, South agreed that the break had occurred. The Director ruled that the hesitation had suggested further bidding and that pass was a logical alternative. The contract was changed to 4♥ made six, +680 for N/S.

The Appeal: N/S appealed the Director's ruling and were the only players to attend the hearing. South had taken about 5-6 seconds to bid 4♥. Since North held 6 HCP more than he had shown, including second-round control of both unbid suits and the queen of the strong 2♣ opener's primary suit, they considered it automatic for North to continue over 4♥.

According to the N/S agreement, the initial 2♦ response was automatic showing at least a king and forcing to game. 2♥ would have been negative, 2NT balanced and 3♦ or 3♥ would have promised at least two of the top three honors. South bid 6♥ over 4NT because he did not want to risk the possibility of North's passing a 5♥ response, which would have shown two or five keycards.

The Committee Decision: The Committee was divided upon whether South's taking 5 or 6 seconds to bid over 3♥ constituted a break in tempo for this auction. South could not be expected to plan his third bid over all likely responses to 2♣. Nearly every hand containing the great strength for a 2♣ opening is likely to need to take at least a few seconds more than the "normal" 2 to 3 seconds before making what might be the last bid in the auction.

However, even if it was accepted that South broke tempo before bidding 4♥, the hesitation did not demonstrably suggest that North bid on. South would often be thinking about what strain to suggest. 3♠ and 3NT would have been very common alternatives to the 4♥ bid that South chose. On this actual hand, South was considering whether to bid 3NT.

The Committee agreed with N/S that the North hand contained substantial undisclosed values and that passing 4♥ was not a logical alternative. The Committee restored the table result of 6♥ made six, +1430 for N/S.

DIC of Event: Henry Cukoff
Committee: Doug Doub (chair), Karen Allison, Martin Caley, Bob Gookin, Ed Lazarus

Goodwill message

Today's opponent may be tomorrow's partner – a good reason to treat opponents and partner with respect and courtesy: the way you expect to be treated.

Aileen Osofsky, Chairman
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Attendance report

A strange phenomenon has occurred in connection with attendance at Kansas City 2001. The table count has risen each day.

Here are the day-by-day totals: Thursday 281.5, Friday 838, Saturday 967, Sunday 968.5, Monday 971, Tuesday 976, Wednesday 1005, Thursday 1016.5. If a few more folks drop in for some weekend bridge, we still may make it to the 10,000 mark.

The total to date is 7023.5 tables, still well behind Kansas City 1993, which was at 7464 after Thursday.

Bull picks 6 teams for Final Four

In a bizarre organizational accident (which hasn't happened in the United States since the 1994 Albuquerque Rosenblum), the boards were intertwined between the Nickell v. Meltzer and the Jacobs v. Rosenkranz matches in the third quarter of the quarterfinal of the Vanderbilt. The players were asked to replay 16 boards, so play did not finish until after 3:30 am. Last night the Bull questioned whether Bridge could survive the war between its various level administrators. Tonight the Bull is truly saddened -- he had thought he should be worried about problems more complex than passing out the boards.

The Bull ambled off to Plaza III for a wonderful vegetarian dinner while he tried to properly digest the problem that confronted him --- how to pick the Vanderbilt semifinals when the quarterfinals weren't over yet. Faced with an apparently insoluble dilemma, the Bull was 2-0 with two rain delays in the quarterfinals as the Bulletin went to press. In a last-ditch attempt to go 4-0 prognosticating the quarterfinals, the Bull decided to go with the information he had. So in an unusual Final Four, the Bull is picking six teams to play the semifinal.

Original # 12, now #4 Gromov v. either #1 Nickell or original #8 Meltzer

Gromov did not stay on the free agent market for long as another American sponsor turns foreign in the Toronto Spingold. The great Red Bears Gromov-Petrinin, and the double world champions from Poland, Balicki-Zmudzinski, continue their roll to the final. Meckwell, HamWay (used to be Wolff in there somewhere) and Nicky'n'Dickie have the best record in the history of the American Majors all-time. But today it's a Bear Market as Nickell is upset by 1 by Gromov. It's the same upset story if it's Gromov v. Meltzer as Kyle Larsen-Rose Meltzer, and Stansby-Martel with Retro Sontag-Weichsel grab a quarterfinal bye in the 2001 U.S. Team Trials. But they bow out to the Red Hot Eastern Europeans by 2.

#3 Robson v. either #2 Jacobs or original #10, now #2 Rosenkranz.

The Bull feels confident that a captain named George will face Rita Shugart who truly has an amazing record, this time without her fave pard Andy, but always with the Helgy-Forrester partnership which has shown the world how incredibly great they play. A double snort to Bruce Ferguson on showing the world he can play straight down the road. If Shugart plays Rosenkranz, Dr. Jorge-Mohan-Lev, and Gawry-Pszczola, then the extra quarter takes its toll as Shugart beats Rosenkranz. It's the opposite if the World Champion Italians and Jacobs-Katz play Shugart as Versace-Lauria and Bocci-Duboin defeat maybe the world's best female player. Jacobs over Shugart by 6.

New Life Master

NANCY GORDON of Penn Valley CA had been trying for months to get that elusive last half a gold point. Yesterday was her day -- she and Roger Keely of Los Molinos CA had 63.6% in the first session of the Senior Pairs, and that was worth two and a half golds. Nancy is here because she and Roger qualified to play in Flight C of the North American Pairs this weekend. Nancy's team also is a finalist in the District 20 Grand National Teams competition. Nancy and Roger live two hours apart, but they play together twice a week. On Tuesdays she drives an hour and a half and he a half hour to Chico. On Fridays Roger does the long drive to a different club.

Bracket 7 12 Teams

8.43 1 Amy Staska, Fargo ND; Jackie Money Penny, Burnsville MN; Edie Siemens, Prior Lake MN; Janis Ellis, Lakeville MN
 6.32 2 Nancy Shull - Barbara Bowers, Gladstone MO; Opal Thurman - Lois Craig, Lawton OK
 4.22 3/4 Trevor Joice - Rebecca Joice, Rockford IL; Arthur Nelson - Janice Nelson, Burnsville MN
 4.22 3/4 Mary Kennedy, Shawnee Mission KS; Jean Sloan, Kansas City MO; Gladys Dilorenzo, Wheat Ridge CO; Jo Anne Grundy, Westminster CO

SENIOR KNOCKOUT TEAMS II

6 Teams
 5.40 1 Joyce Christensen - Norma Johnson - Jo Nitsch - Jane Dunn, Omaha NE
 4.05 2 Marge Moffatt, Orinda CA; Jessie Tighe, Kansas City MO; Sheila Schroth, El Sobrante CA; Patricia Jackson, Baltimore MD



Wanda Brooks of Anderson MO and Jim Rinck of Republic MO were second in the 49er Championship Pairs.

**Vanderbilt
Quarterfinals**

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|--------------|----|------|------|-------|
| Nickell | 23 | 75 | 109 | 135 |
| Meltzer | 24 | 45.5 | 77.5 | 125.5 |
| Jacobs | 46 | 70 | 90 | 118 |
| Rosenkranz | 24 | 40 | 95 | 120 |
| Robinson | 21 | 50 | 70 | 93 |
| Robson (npc) | 37 | 80 | 123 | 154 |
| Eisenberg | 73 | 94 | 119 | 165 |
| Gromov | 17 | 76 | 117 | 183 |

**Vanderbilt
Semi-Final Pairings**

Nick Nickell, New York NY; Richard Freeman, Atlanta GA; Jeff Meckstroth, Tampa FL; Eric Rodwell, Clearwater FL; Bob Hamman, Dallas TX; Paul Soloway, Mill Creek WA

vs

Andrew Gromov-Aleksander Petrunin, Russia; Cezary Balicki - Adam Zmudzinski, Poland

Rita Shugart, Pebble Beach CA; Bruce Ferguson, Boise ID; Tony Forrester, Herefordshire, England; Geir Helgemo, Trondheim, Norway

vs

George Rosenkranz, Mexico City; John Mohan, Christiansted, Virgin Islands; Sam Lev, New York NY; Piotr Gawrys-Jacek Pszczola, Poland

Vanderbilt *Continued from page 1*

cliff in England and became too incapacitated to come to Kansas City.

Now the late matches. In the battle of the Georges, Rosenkranz came from behind (down 5 with 16 boards to play) to defeat Jacobs, 120-118. It was a strange ending – both teams thought they lost and congratulated each other. The Kansas City recount showed Rosenkranz on top.

Nick Nickell and Co. had a rough time against Rose Meltzer but finally made their way to the semifinal, 135 - 125.5

Thursday Evening 100/200/300 Swiss

| 10 Teams | | | |
|----------|---|---|---|
| | A | B | C |
| 2.80 | 1 | 1 | Laurie Taake - Bev Phillips, Clive IA; Barbara Mickelson, Des Moines IA; Marilyn Cloutier, Ames IA 58.00 |
| 2.10 | 2 | 2 | 1 Carol Ball - Mary Treece - Kathryn Hagen, Lawrence KS; Mary Phillips, Shawnee Msn KS 52.00 |
| 1.58 | 3 | 3 | 2 Mona Cavanaugh - Marilyn Davis Hennon, Overland Park KS; Phil Rouse, West Midlands UK; Rebecca Mueller, Marion IN 48.00 |
| 1.18 | 4 | | Jodi Walker, Tucson AZ; Russell La Force, Lawrence KS; John Yuratovich - Anne Yuratovich, Lees Summit MO 46.00 |

Southwest Air A/X Swiss

| 34 Teams | | | |
|----------|-----|---|---|
| | A | X | |
| 31.46 | 1 | | Benito Garozzo, Greenville DE; Massimo Lanzarotti - Antonio Semento - Andrea Buratti, Italy; Gerald Sosler - Kay Schulle, Purchase NY 197.00 |
| 23.60 | 2 | | Ed Lazarus - Diane Lazarus, Baltimore MD; Paul Kinney, Jamaica Plain MA; James Murphy, Chesapeake VA; Ed Lewis, Falls Church VA; Harold Feldheim, Hamden CT 183.00 |
| 17.70 | 3 | | Susi Ross - Harry Ross, Winter Springs FL; Gerald Gitles, Chicago IL; Joseph Machotka, Glenview IL; Max Hardy, Las Vegas NV 152.00 |
| 13.27 | 4 | | Arnold Fisher, Clementon NJ; Fred Paul, Secaucus NJ; Zeke Jabbour, Boca Raton FL; Donald Rumelhart, Ann Arbor MI; Allan Falk, Okemos MI; Eddie Kantar, Santa Monica CA 149.00 |
| 21.75 | 5 | 1 | Dorothy Kane - Connie Pugh - Tina Hinds, Columbia MO; Marilyn Keating, Fulton MO 148.00 |
| 16.31 | 6/7 | 2 | Gerald Mindell, Chicago IL; Yas Takeda, Hacienda Heights CA; Subba Ravipudi, Downey CA; Ahmed Sorathia, Chino CA 147.00 |
| 6.54 | 6/7 | | Tony Petronella, North Kingstown RI; Walter Fontaine, North Providence RI; Michael Yuen, Vancouver BC; Pony Nehmert, Wiesbaden, Germany 147.00 |
| 4.20 | 8 | | John Zilic, Houston TX; Thomas Peters - Carolyn Peters, Grapeland TX; Joe Quinn, Katy TX 144.00 |
| 3.50 | 9 | | John Stiefel, Wethersfield CT; David Better, Southampton PA; Daisy Goecker, Yardley PA; Mel Colchamiro - Janet Colchamiro, Merrick NY 142.00 |
| 12.23 | 10 | 3 | Lee Hastings, Chesterfield MO; John Burgener, Noble IL; Karen Erlanger - Mark Ehret, Saint Louis MO 139.00 |
| 2.86 | 11 | | Jessica Chance - Joan Anderson, West Des Moines IA; James McGinn, Des Moines IA; Elaine Graham, W Des Moines IA; Barbara Chiafos, Windsor Heights IA 138.00 |
| 2.62 | 12 | | William August - Harriet Zimmerman - Jerome Zimmerman, Palm Beach FL; Candace Fowler, Palm Bch Gdns FL; John Eaton, Winnipeg MB 132.00 |
| 9.18 | | 4 | Alan Resser, Chicago IL; Martin Morris, Wheeling IL; Gary Williams, Milwaukee WI; Lizabeth Kennedy, Germantown WI 127.00 |
| 6.88 | | 5 | Terry Currie - Jolie Hess, Houston TX; Becky Price, Fort Worth TX; Roy Baughman, Pantego TX 124.00 |
| 5.16 | | 6 | Todd Wolford, Vancouver WA; Chris Lubesnik, Glendale CA; Rae Dethlefsen, Reston VA; Allan Mazer, Towson MD 119.00 |
| 3.87 | | 7 | David Zapatka, Springfield MO; Paul Ross, Fair Grove MO; Jerry Mandelkehr, Shawnee Mission KS; Fred Dischman, Kansas City MO 118.00 |

Southwest Air B/C/D Swiss

| 66 Teams | | | |
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| | B | C | D |
| 20.71 | 1 | | Carol Lash, Somerville NJ; Beckie Stasi, Shawnee Mission KS; Donna Johnson, Lawrence KS; Gary McDole, Lees Summit MO 201.00 |
| 15.53 | 2 | 1 | 1 Jerry Laughlin - David Mullin - Mark Laughlin, Omaha NE; Jonathan Cohn, Elkhorn NE 166.00 |
| 11.65 | 3 | 2 | 2 Alisha Hudson, Walnut Grove CA; Andrew Steinheimer, Oakland CA; Stacey Huie - Jeremy Huie, Pleasant Hill CA 165.00 |
| 8.74 | 4 | | Robert Morrow, Shawnee Mission KS; Gilbert Ramirez, San Francisco CA; Charles Freeman, Saint Louis MO; Billie Sanford, Madisonville KY 163.00 |
| 6.55 | 5 | | Carlisle Garthe - Janet Garthe, Suttons Bay MI; Lutricia Cummings - Harvey Green, Kansas City MO 161.00 |
| 4.91 | 6 | | Larry Weatherholt - Katherine Weatherholt - Connie Leonard, Shawnee Mission KS; Paul Theroff, Kansas City KS 160.00 |
| 7.68 | 7/8 | 3 | 3 Nadine Hood - Janice Haneborg - Nancy Kruse, North Platte NE; Marietta Miller, Gothenburg NE 158.00 |
| 3.23 | 7/8 | | Jack Longman - Joan Webb - Keith Harrison, Clearwater FL; James Chiszar, Naperville IL 158.00 |
| 2.30 | 9 | | Joan Tschirki, Parker CO; Marilyn Bost, Aurora CO; Karen Renne - Jim Steele, Pine CO 150.00 |
| 5.76 | | 4 | 4 Ann Hamilton, Leawood KS; Stephen Sickel, Olathe KS; Kelly Stephens - Janice Stephens, Kansas City MO 146.00 |
| 3.78 | | 5/6 | Shirleen Ellsworth, Kansas City MO; Ronda O'Farrell, Chesterfield MO; William Dempler, Pittsburgh PA; Mike Giacaman, Saint Louis MO 145.00 |
| 3.78 | | 5/6 | Robert G Hicks - Barbara Hicks, Shawnee Mission KS; Marjory Rion - Mike Rion, Olathe KS 145.00 |
| 2.66 | | 7 | 5 F Plunkett - William Bedard, Bolivar PA; Mary Lou O'Leary, Greensburg PA; Justine Flashman, St Thomas VI 144.00 |
| 1.75 | | 6/7 | Dave Hutson - Annabelle Hutson, Apalachin NY; Beth Rosenthal, Shavertown PA; Carol Hinchey, Dallas PA 137.00 |
| 1.75 | | 6/7 | Gordon Medlock - Barbara Medlock, Syracuse IN; Daniel Simon - Donna Simon, South Bend IN 137.00 |

Wednesday/Thursday Afternoon/Evening Side Game Series

| 341 Players | | | |
|-------------|-----|--|---------------------------------------|
| 11.03 | 1/2 | | Mary Green, Carlisle MA 125.21% |
| 11.03 | 1/2 | | Roy Green, Carlisle MA 125.21% |
| 6.21 | 3/4 | | J Hunter, Fort Smith AR 121.69% |
| 6.21 | 3/4 | | Sharon McKinney, Greenwood AR 121.69% |
| 5.41 | 5/6 | | Velma Rice, Germantown TN 119.05% |
| 5.41 | 5/6 | | Sam Graham, Germantown TN 119.05% |
| 4.08 | 7 | | Paul White, Edmond OK 118.86% |

Wednesday-Thursday Side Games Series

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| 68 Pairs | | | | | |
| | A | B | | | |
| 6.67 | 1 | | Roy Green - Mary Green, Carlisle MA | 201.64 | |
| 5.00 | 2 | | Beryl Shapiro - Marvin Shapiro, Saint Louis MO | 197.57 | |
| 3.75 | 3 | | Nancy Berg, Hopkins MN; Linda Cates, Minnetonka MN | 191.49 | |
| 2.81 | 4 | | J Hunter, Fort Smith AR; Sharon McKinney, Greenwood AR | 190.67 | |
| 2.11 | 5 | | Donald McBride, Independence MO; William Fleming, Lees Summit MO | 189.02 | |
| 2.29 | 6 | | Andrew Petrick - William Treble, Winnipeg MB | 188.64 | |
| 4.10 | 1 | | Larry King, Hanalei HI; Georgia Ann VanWagner, Kansas City MO | 186.00 | |
| 3.08 | 2 | | Bernice Stevens, Cincinnati OH; Anne Marie Hinds, Newtown PA | 171.33 | |
| 2.31 | 3 | | Chris Burton - Robert Davidson, Fort Smith AR | 170.86 | |
| 1.73 | 4 | | Jessie Tighe, Kansas City MO; Patricia Jackson, Baltimore MD | 169.82 | |
| 1.30 | 5 | | Allan Roderiques - Lois Belliveau, Lynn MA | 164.77 | |
| 1.03 | 6 | | Jodi Walker, Tucson AZ; Mary Johnson, Freeland WA | 164.34 | |

5/20 Stratified Pairs

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| 14 Pairs | | | | | |
| | E | F | | | |
| 1.59 | 1 | | Judy Bevan - Linda Heavin, Lawrence KS | 70.40 | |
| 1.19 | 2 | | Leslie Ryan - Carol Sunde, Abilene KS | 68.80 | |
| 0.89 | 3 | | Kathryn Hagen - Mary Treece, Lawrence KS | 68.10 | |
| 0.88 | 4 | 1 | Lowell Benson - Joan Benson, Leawood KS | 68.00 | |
| 0.66 | 5 | 2 | Richard Perrin, Overland Park KS; Pat Benedict, Independence MO | 64.90 | |
| 0.50 | 3 | | Morris Taylor, Merriam KS; Karen Conklin, Shawnee KS | 62.50 | |
| 0.37 | 4 | | Helen Windsor, Kansas City MO; Mary Ann Pinkerton, Shawnee Mission KS | 61.00 | |

50/100 Stratified Pairs

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| 22 Pairs | | | | | |
| | C | D | | | |
| 2.45 | 1 | 1 | David Garst, Coon Rapids IA; James Gershman, Stamford CT | 105.39 | |
| 1.84 | 2 | | Judith Hunt, Centennial CO; Daniel Taylor, Littleton CO | 101.50 | |
| 1.50 | 3 | 2 | Bonnie Buchbinder, Overland Park KS; Natalie Hammer, Leawood KS | 95.50 | |
| 1.13 | 4 | 3 | Carol Bolen, Gibsonia PA; Margie Tiglio, Allison Park PA | 95.29 | |
| 0.86 | 5 | 4 | Carol Fredlund - Ann Carlson, Minneapolis MN | 91.00 | |
| 0.63 | 6 | 5 | Jane Fisher, Independence MO; Alex Phillips, N Little Rock AR | 90.29 | |

300/200 Stratified Pairs

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| 32 Pairs | | | | | |
| | A | B | | | |
| 3.64 | 1 | | Victoria Gregory, Pittsburg KS; John Raffel, | 168.00 | |
| 2.73 | 2 | 1 | Marjorie Lunzer - Kenneth Lunzer, McGregor MN | 153.50 | |
| 2.05 | 3 | 2 | Charlie Brown - Nancy Brown, Sunrise Beach TX | 150.50 | |
| 1.54 | 4 | | Elizabeth Gilman - Janice Brown, Topeka KS | 146.00 | |
| 1.15 | 5 | | Bill Amason - John Mc Cann, Centralia IL | 145.50 | |
| 1.45 | 6 | 3 | Darlene Rischling, Papillion NE; Marian Wascher, Omaha NE | 144.50 | |
| 1.08 | 4 | | Janet Sanborn - Janet Conway, Chatfield MN | 142.00 | |
| 0.81 | 5 | | Jon Holman, Leawood KS; Bob Axtell, Grandview MO | 141.00 | |
| 0.61 | 6 | | Carol Haynes - Shirley Hutchison, Springfield MO | 140.00 | |

Thursday Morning-Afternoon Open Pairs

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|----------|-----|---|---|--|--------|
| 52 Pairs | | | | | |
| | A | B | C | | |
| 21.00 | 1 | | | Laura Brill - Rick Goldstein, White Plains NY | 308.00 |
| 15.75 | 2 | | | Stephen Goldstein - Wonjoo Goldstein, Elkins Park PA | 307.00 |
| 11.81 | 3 | | | Virginia Lifton, Marco Island FL; Mike Cappelletti Sr, Alexandria VA | 306.50 |
| 8.86 | 4 | | | Billy Leeper, Fort Worth TX; William White, Arlington TX | 306.00 |
| 6.64 | 5 | | | Robert Varty - Dennis Blodgett, Grand Rapids MI | 304.00 |
| 4.36 | 6/7 | | | Jayne Larson - Ira White, Ames IA | 300.50 |
| 7.94 | 6/7 | 1 | | Mary White, Las Vegas NV; John Bond, Walla Walla WA | 300.50 |
| 5.96 | 8 | 2 | | Jim Pestaner - Lucy Pestaner, Potomac MD | 299.00 |
| 4.47 | 3 | | | Ron Short - Jill Burtram, Albuquerque NM | 290.00 |
| 4.32 | 4 | 1 | | Michael Bossert - Sara Bossert, Las Vegas NV | 288.50 |
| 3.24 | 5 | 2 | | Leon McCarty, Hurdland MO; Laird Schaub, Rutledge MO | 287.50 |
| 2.43 | 6 | 3 | | Jason Smith, Brooklyn NY; Herbert Lee, Durham NC | 283.00 |
| 2.68 | 4 | | | Al Spaet, Woodland Hills CA; Mark Schreiber, Van Nuys CA | 281.50 |
| 2.62 | 5 | | | Jim Evans, Brenham TX; Richard Duple, College Station TX | 277.00 |

Thursday Evening 100/200/300 Pairs

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| 40 Pairs | | | | | |
| | A | B | C | | |
| 4.20 | 1 | 1 | 1 | John Losik, Olathe KS; Norma Donathan, Pittsburg KS | 104.50 |
| 3.15 | 2 | | | James Evans, Brenham TX; Richard Duple, College Station TX | 104.00 |
| 2.07 | 3/4 | 2/3 | | Charlie Brown - Nancy Brown, Sunrise Beach TX | 103.93 |
| 2.07 | 3/4 | 2/3 | 2 | James Kelley Jr, Shawnee Mission KS; Steven Day, Shawnee KS | 103.93 |
| 1.33 | 5 | | | Janice Halperin, Laguna Hills CA; Jane Weston, New York NY | 103.43 |
| 1.30 | 6 | 4 | 3 | Jean Ford, Kansas City MO; Alex Phillips, N Little Rock AR | 103.00 |
| 0.97 | 5 | | | Janet Sanborn - Janet Conway, Chatfield MN | 98.00 |
| 0.73 | 6 | | | Floyd Kelly, Riverview NB; Bernard Poirier, Shediac NB | 97.07 |
| 0.84 | | 4 | | Tom Bernstein - Mary Bernstein, Omaha NE | 91.07 |
| 0.76 | | 5 | | Cynthia Mottle - Sally Van Valin, Albuquerque NM | 87.50 |

Thursday Evening IMP Pairs

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|----------|-----|---|---|--|-------|
| 76 Pairs | | | | | |
| | A | B | C | | |
| 6.37 | 1/2 | 1 | 1 | Donna Mann - Mary Moore, Kingwood TX | 49.00 |
| 6.37 | 1/2 | | | Richard Schechter, New York NY; Nancy Wittwer, Falls City NE | 49.00 |
| 4.10 | 3 | | | Cole Powell, Oakland CA; Chad Fisher, Kansas City MO | 48.00 |
| 4.32 | 4 | 2 | | David Coberly, Columbia MO; Jennifer Luner, Saint Louis MO | 46.00 |
| 2.30 | 5 | | | Rochelle Popkin - Bobbie Holmes, Saint Louis MO | 43.00 |
| 3.24 | 6 | 3 | 2 | Bob Burwell - Mauhsiang Lin, Chapel Hill NC | 41.00 |
| 2.43 | 4 | 3 | | James Gunn - Harry Shaffer, Lawrence KS | 37.00 |
| 1.60 | 5/6 | | | Diane Hibbard - Paul Hibbard, Arlington Hts IL | 36.00 |
| 1.79 | 5/6 | 4 | | Sonya Collins, Waukeg IA; Rita Kothari, Des Moines IA | 36.00 |
| 1.82 | | 5 | | Mary Cunningham - Richard Bowman, Wichita KS | 34.00 |
| 1.21 | | 6 | | Ronald Seeger - Theresa Seeger, Rochester MN | 30.00 |

Scott Davis - Cheryl Davis - Mark Ehret, Saint Louis MO; Patricia Shine, Chesterfield MO

vs

Charles Soukup - Steve Burnham - Stephen Kalish, Lincoln NE; Kent Livingston, San Diego CA

Bracket 3 12 Teams

Len Fetting, Lombard IL; David Freese, Kansas City MO; Charles Bauknight - Bill Bauknight, Anderson SC

vs

M Hunke - Diana Hunke - Paul Kloster - Gaye Kloster, Dickinson ND

F Plunkett - William Bedard, Bolivar PA; Justine Flashman, St Thomas VI; Mary Lou O'Leary, Greensburg PA

vs

Klee Zaricky - Sally Taylor - Shirlye Vaughn - Shirley Reese, Lawrence KS

Hyatt Knockout Teams**Bracket 1 16 Teams**

41.40 1 Jack Coleman, San Francisco CA; Ira Chorus, Houston TX; Bart Bramley, Chicago IL; Sidney Lazard, New Orleans LA; Chris Compton, Dallas TX

31.05 2 James Cayne, New York NY; Michael Seamon, Miami Beach FL; Mike Passell, Plano TX; Robert Levin, Bronx NY; Grant Baze, La Jolla CA; Steve Weinstein, Glen Ridge NJ

20.70 3/4 Reese Milner, Los Angeles CA; Dennis Clerkin, Bloomington IN; Marc Jacobus - Brenda Jacobus, Las Vegas NV

20.70 3/4 Sheila Bleiman - Jim Woodside - Norm Rosen - Susan Abrams, Sun City West AZ

Bracket 2 16 Teams

31.65 1 Don Define, Saint Louis MO; Joseph Olcott, Tucson AZ; Lewis Booker - Carlos Pace, College Station TX

23.74 2 Jim Wart, Gilbert AZ; Doug Schlosser - William Karnaze Jr, Lees Summit MO; James Biggins, Leawood KS; Denny O'Connor, Saint Louis MO

15.83 3/4 Michael Andrews - Susan Johnston, Laurel MD; Patrick Clark, Manton MI; Lynn Rattinger, Roanoke VA

15.83 3/4 Mike Sloan, Jeffersonville IN; Sara Parks M D, Owensboro KY; Betty Mattison - Christopher Overpeck - C. D. Baron - Randy Baron, Louisville KY

7.12 5/8 Walter Smith, West Sand Lake NY; Pierce Smith, Rutland VT; Stewart Mackeigan, Wilmington MA; Ross Spiro, Cherry Hill NJ

Bracket 3 16 Teams

24.73 1 Lawrence Gibbons, Independence MO; Karur Parthasarathy, Shawnee Mission KS; Gregory Jecker, Stilwell KS; Paul Bennett, Grand Forks ND

18.55 2 Dwayne Ballew - Marcia Ballew - Jerry Bertrand - Catherine Bertrand, Hot Springs AR

12.37 3/4 John Bortins, Louisville CO; Nancy Benamati, Aurora CO; Dick Duff - Thomas Lenahan, Denver CO

12.37 3/4 Robert McPhee, Belleville ON; Evelyn Recchia, Cranston RI; Mac Busby, San Diego CA; Grant Peacock, Irvine CA

5.56 5/8 Burt Kifer, Arlington TX; Lilli Gober, Cedar Hill TX; Bobby Jaeger - Georgie Jaeger, Colleyville TX

Bracket 4 15 Teams

18.44 1 Carol Rynders, Saint Paul MN; Lorrene Gaynor - Cezanne Martin, St Louis Park MN; James Bochsler, Surry, England; Byron Crittenden, Kingswood Surre Y

13.83 2 Robert Williamson - Theodore Howard - Bonnie Williamson - Maxine Howard, Kansas City MO

9.22 3/4 Frank Connerty, Sacramento CA; David Willmott, Folsom CA; Carrie Touslee, Roseville CA; Laura Raczek, Joliet IL

9.22 3/4 Jim Hansell - Linda Hansell - Bob Burwell - Mauhsiang Lin, Chapel Hill NC

Bracket 5 12 Teams

12.88 1 Peggy Naughton - Sara Stewart - Barbara Phillips, Houston TX; Connie Davidson, Friendswood TX

9.66 2 Jack Mayer - Laurence Mayer, Shawnee Mission KS; Ronald MacLennan, Lindsborg KS; Steven Goodman, Kansas City MO

6.44 3/4 Gilbert Fox, Auburn IN; Douglas Ballor, Tacoma WA; Constantine Liebolz, Parlin NJ; Walter Whitney, Milton WA

6.44 3/4 Gaye Kloster - Paul Kloster - Diana Hunke - M Hunke, Dickinson ND

Bracket 6 12 Teams

9.28 1 Richard Regan, Inman SC; Jim Griffis, Spartanburg SC; Ward Stanley, Lenexa KS; Robert Hollow, Madoc ON

6.96 2 John Miller, Lenexa KS; Chris Lane, Lawrence KS; Allen Gurwell - Ruth Gurwell, Leawood KS

4.64 3/4 Michael Foley - Jannie Earls-Foley, Springdale AR; Suzanne Bolotin, Evanston IL; Bernard Gottlieb, Skokie IL

4.64 3/4 Mary Earley, Woodway TX; Sandra Hollon - Joyce Truitt, Gainesville TX; Jacque Waghorne, Lake Kiowa TX

OPEN PAIRS II QUALIFIERS

| NORTH-SOUTH | | SECTIONS A B C D F | EAST-WEST | | |
|-------------|--|--------------------|-----------|--|---------|
| 1 | Chris Willenken, New York NY; Ron Smith, San Francisco CA | 2028.54 | 1 | Steve Garner, Northfield IL; Howard Weinstein, St Charles IL | 2204.21 |
| 2 | Michael Huston, Joplin MO; Robert Schwartz, San Pedro CA | 2005.78 | 2 | Martin Fleisher, New York NY; Debbie Rosenberg, New Rochelle NY | 2070.90 |
| 3 | Loren Hawkins, Bremerton WA; Neil Ballard, Mercer Island WA | 1950.78 | 3 | Bipin Patel, Orinda CA; Larry Cohen, Las Vegas NV | 1927.90 |
| 4 | Joe Grue, Minneapolis MN; Kent Mignocchi, Bronx NY | 1945.70 | 4 | Jill Meyers, Santa Monica CA; Randi Montin, Napa CA | 1911.00 |
| 5 | Glen Grotheim, Melhus, Norway; Terje Aa, Heimdal Norway | 1926.47 | 5 | Leszek Rabiega, Salt Lake City UT; Edward Wojewoda, Antelope CA | 1902.46 |
| 6 | Winthrop Allegaert - Judith Bianco, New York NY | 1874.00 | 6 | Jill Levin, Bronx NY; Aaron Silverstein, New York NY | 1871.43 |
| 7 | Roger Lord, Saint Louis MO; Chester Johnson, Chicago IL | 1866.02 | 7 | Donald Stack, Shawnee Mission KS; John Turner, Blue Springs MO | 1868.96 |
| 8 | Jeff Roman, Alexandria VA; Barbara Shaw, Laurel MD | 1829.83 | 8 | Randy Helmink - C Noel Helmink, Indianapolis IN | 1863.96 |
| 9 | Gail Carns - Mary Paulone Carns, Export PA | 1824.04 | 9 | Henry Caspar, Toronto ON; James Priebe, Mississauga ON | 1862.71 |
| 10 | Steven Vossler, Osawatomie KS; Deane Shapiro, Leawood KS | 1820.62 | 10 | Ken Barbour, Scottsdale AZ; Alan Truscott, Riverdale NY | 1852.72 |
| 11 | Richard Schwartz, East Elmhurst NY; Michael Rosenberg, Wykagyl NY | 1810.26 | 11 | David Siebert, Little Rock AR; Peter Friedland, Los Altos CA | 1849.35 |
| 12 | Larry Griffey, Palm Bch Gdns FL; Bill Cook Jr, Madison MS | 1801.50 | 12 | William Cole, Silver Spring MD; Mark Shaw, Laurel MD | 1831.18 |
| 13 | Mike Graham, Ann Arbor MI; Robert Bitterman, Charlotte NC | 1801.15 | 13 | Lou Reich, Wheaton MD; Marshall Miles, Redlands CA | 1814.50 |
| 14 | Michael White, Atlanta GA; Jerry Helms, Charlotte NC | 1800.04 | 14 | William Hall, Thousand Oaks CA; Irwin Kostal Jr, Cathedral City CA | 1810.80 |
| 15 | Pratap Rajadhyaksha, Powell OH; Harold Mouser Jr, Philadelphia PA | 1794.39 | 15 | Jian-Jian Wang, Clarksville MD; Hailong Ao, Laurel MD | 1799.74 |
| 16 | James Griffin - Patricia Griffin, Austin TX | 1784.00 | 16 | Wes Irby, Middletown RI; Bryan Storey, Plano TX | 1797.28 |
| 17 | Larry La Brecque, Lewisville TX; James Thurtell, Dallas TX | 1783.78 | 17 | Jan Martel, Davis CA; Sally Woolsey, Kensington CA | 1793.00 |
| 18 | David Berkowitz, Old Tappan NJ; Larry Cohen, Boca Raton FL | 1780.38 | 18 | David Hemmer, Chicago IL; Christopher Monsour, Arlington Hts IL | 1771.05 |
| 19 | Brian Gaer, Scottsdale AZ; Michael Shuman, Pasadena CA | 1769.54 | 19 | Eugene Prosnitz, Bronx NY; Simon Erlich, Forest Hills NY | 1758.00 |
| 20 | Brian Platnick, Merion Station PA; Danny Sprung, Philadelphia PA | 1756.51 | 20 | Joan Rubin, Encino CA; Gilbert Stinebaugh, Van Nuys CA | 1731.57 |
| 21 | Gary MacGregor, Portola Valley CA; Franklin Lowenthal, Pleasanton CA | 1753.21 | 21 | Bob Balderson Jr, Minnetonka MN; Kurt Schaeffer, Apple Valley MN | 1730.22 |
| 22 | Ed Groner, Duncan OK; Bob Gow, Oklahoma City OK | 1745.71 | 22 | Stephane Reiher, St-Bruno PQ; Eric Reiher, Montreal PQ | 1728.83 |
| 23 | Richard Bender - Patrick McCammon, Springfield MO | 1735.62 | 23 | B Marshall, San Luis Potosi MX; Lee Magee, Prairie Village KS | 1728.48 |
| 24 | Jerry Jackson, Wood Dale IL; Jerry Poliquin, Gurnee IL | 1732.53 | 24 | Randy Okubo, Saint Paul MN; Mark Krusemeyer, Northfield MN | 1708.43 |
| 25 | David L V Kent, Cary NC; Douglas Heron, Ottawa ON | 1719.38 | 25 | Arbha Vongsvivut, Godfrey IL; Charles Keltner, Highland IL | 1707.35 |
| 26 | Dave Westfall, Spokane WA; J David Page, Tacoma WA | 1717.10 | 26 | Andy Muenz, Glen Rock NJ; Bob Zehm, Allendale NJ | 1705.06 |
| 27 | Robert Lipsitz, Palm Harbor FL; Boris Baran, Cote Saint-Luc PQ | 1709.59 | 27 | Beverly Gardner, Southfield MI; Bert Newman, West Bloomfield MI | 1703.90 |
| 28 | Michael Cassel II, Roseville MN; Brian Ellis, Cleveland OH | 1709.28 | 28 | Craig Ganzer, New York NY; David Treadwell, Wilmington DE | 1703.12 |
| 29 | Leo Lasota, College Park MD; Alfred Steinberg, Potomac MD | 1706.65 | 29 | Gary Roberts, Leawood KS; Craig Schallert, Kansas City MO | 1689.94 |
| 30 | Barry Schaffer, Frisco TX; Steve Shirey, Fort Worth TX | 1702.00 | 30 | Robert Shair, Champaign IL; Peter Petillo, Urbana IL | 1684.06 |
| 31 | Ginny Schuett, Riverwoods IL; Dick Benson, Le Roy IL | 1700.40 | 31 | Carlos Munoz, White Plains NY; Mark Itabashi, Murrieta CA | 1669.53 |
| 32 | Robert Short, Red Deer AB; Paul Erikson, Edmonton AB | 1700.07 | 32 | Alan Popkin, Saint Louis MO; Tom Oppenheimer, Ballwin MO | 1645.46 |
| 33 | Doug Handler, Berkeley CA; Henry Unglik, Ottawa ON | 1694.28 | 33 | Charles Gray, Philadelphia PA; Gail Bell, Laverock PA | 1640.96 |
| 34 | Lawrence Lerner, Warren NJ; Lauren Friedman, Daly City CA | 1690.33 | 34 | Paul Hackett, - Justin Hackett, Manchester, England | 1639.72 |
| 35 | Lynne Schaefer, Rochester Hills MI; Martha Katz, Hinsdale IL | 1686.53 | 35 | Jay Wasserman, Boca Raton FL; David Reiter, Hollywood FL | 1631.33 |
| NORTH-SOUTH | | SECTIONS E G L M | EAST-WEST | | |
| 1 | David Sokolow, Austin TX; Stephen Gladyszak, Chelsea MA | 1979.61 | 1 | David Lehman, Glenview IL; Dick Melson, Chicago IL | 2080.00 |
| 2 | JoAnna Stansby, Castro Valley CA; Barry Rigal, New York NY | 1971.23 | 2 | Brad Moss, New York NY; Fred Gitelman, Toronto ON | 2048.62 |
| 3 | Joseph Kivel, Newport Coast CA; Chris Larsen, Costa Mesa CA | 1966.43 | 3 | Geoff Hampson, Los Angeles CA; Eric Greco, Philadelphia PA | 2042.36 |
| 4 | Steve Beatty, Destrehan LA; George Steiner, Seattle WA | 1959.94 | 4 | Jeffrey Smith, Ottawa ON; John Zaluski, Nepean ON | 1892.39 |
| 5 | Kitty Munson Cooper - Steven Cooper, Albuquerque NM | 1950.53 | 5 | Linda Hager Eakes - Mike Eakes, Shawnee Mission KS | 1886.75 |
| 6 | Richard Pavlicek, Fort Lauderdale FL; Michael Polowan, New York NY | 1903.27 | 6 | Allan Siebert, Little Rock AR; Randall Pettit, Marietta GA | 1878.59 |
| 7 | Justin Lall - Jan Lall, San Antonio TX | 1895.94 | 7 | Russell Samuel, Locust Valley NY; Eric Balkam, Halifax NS | 1864.79 |
| 8 | Rhoda Walsh, Henderson NV; Don Nemiro, Hollister CA | 1883.60 | 8 | John Uhlmann, Shawnee Mission KS; Bradley Furnish, Kansas City MO | 1862.90 |
| 9 | Tadashi Teramoto, Yokohama; Hideki Takano, Tokyo | 1878.80 | 9 | Douglas Doub, W Hartford CT; John Rengstorff, New York NY | 1834.67 |
| 10 | Paul Meerschaert, Excelsior MN; Peder Langsetmo, Minneapolis MN | 1820.23 | 10 | Brian Gunnell, Ponte Vedra FL; Ulf Nilsson, Malmo, Sweden | 1830.06 |
| 11 | Peter Fredin, Malino, Sweden; Randy Corn, Kirkland WA | 1817.51 | 11 | Fred King, Falls Church VA; Arnie Frankel, Laurel MD | 1826.72 |
| 12 | Linda Gordon, New York NY; Bernie Chazen, Tamarac FL | 1813.74 | 12 | Phil Schaefer - Nell Schaefer, Los Angeles CA | 1822.75 |
| 13 | Steve Hoff, Omaha NE; Carol Murray, South Bend NE | 1796.60 | 13 | Stephen Kemic, Los Alamos NM; Charlie Anderson, Louisville CO | 1821.90 |
| 14 | Roy Welland - Christal Henner-Welland, New York NY | 1793.47 | 14 | David Levy, Cannes La Bocca; Tom Kniest, Saint Louis MO | 1820.23 |
| 15 | Charles Coon, Marshfield MA; Ivar Stakgold, Wilmington DE | 1775.69 | 15 | James Koley, Omaha NE; Frederick Hamilton, Las Vegas NV | 1816.05 |
| 16 | Paul Kiefer, Winston Salem NC; Jim Krekorian, New York NY | 1766.48 | 16 | Curtis Cheek, Huntsville AL; Hugh Grosvenor, Alexandria VA | 1809.36 |
| 17 | James Hudson, Dekalb IL; Meyer Abarbanel, Belvidere IL | 1741.59 | 17 | Franco Baseggio - Andy Stark, New York NY | 1805.17 |
| 18 | David Wetzal - Michelle Wetzal, Rantoul IL | 1740.14 | 18 | Karen Manfield, Burlingame CA; Dale Johannesen, Sunnyvale CA | 1768.16 |
| 19 | Richard Finberg, Pittsburgh PA; Ed Bissell, State College PA | 1738.66 | 19 | Rick Roeder, Encinitas CA; Evan Bailey, San Diego CA | 1768.15 |
| 20 | Alan Myerson, Sherman Oaks CA; Stephen Schneer, Croton Hdsn NY | 1732.61 | 20 | William Muir - Victoria Muir, Kansas City MO | 1763.76 |
| 21 | John Russell, North Barrington IL; Chuck Said, Nashville TN | 1718.80 | 21 | Kefu Xu, Silver Spring MD; Weizhong Bao, Herndon VA | 1734.27 |
| 22 | Larry Ascher, Nutley NJ; Blair Seidler, Fair Lawn NJ | 1714.41 | 22 | Larry Mori, Clearwater FL; Steve Scott, Phoenix AZ | 1732.17 |
| 23 | Paul Bethe, Jersey City NJ; Jason Feldman, Champaign IL | 1693.49 | 23 | Billy Miller, Las Vegas NV; Lou Ann O'Rourke, Scottsdale AZ | 1730.73 |
| 24 | Anne Hoffman, Peru VT; Robert Morris, Las Vegas NV | 1690.36 | 24 | Michael Kovachik, Stone Mountain GA; Robert White, Raleigh NC | 1718.58 |
| 25 | Peter Grover - Jan Assini, Aurora OH | 1687.21 | 25 | Farid Assemi, Fresno CA; Srikanth Kodayam, San Leandro CA | 1715.87 |
| 26 | Brad Carmichael, Lincoln NE; Yiping Wang, Portland OR | 1685.96 | 26 | Dan Morse, Houston TX; Adam Wildavsky, Jackson Heights NY | 1713.98 |
| 27 | Cindy Harris - Joe Harris, Albuquerque NM | 1666.93 | 27 | Harvey Katz, Marina del Rey CA; John Potter, Panama City FL | 1711.48 |
| 28 | Samuel Lowell, Talent OR; Cameron Doner, Richmond BC | 1665.88 | 28 | Sheila Pies, Potomac MD; Robert Gookin, Falls Church VA | 1702.28 |
| 29 | Christopher Davis, Sparks NV; Jay Korobow, Princeton NJ | 1655.22 | 29 | Ellen Anten, Encino CA; Steve Gross, Westlake Vlg CA | 1692.02 |
| 30 | Walter Lee - Jonathan Weinstein, Cambridge MA | 1649.36 | 30 | Alice Leicht - Marvin French, San Diego CA | 1679.69 |

WOMEN'S PAIRS QUALIFIERS

| NORTH-SOUTH | | SECTIONS H I J K | EAST-WEST | | |
|-------------|---|------------------|-----------|---|---------|
| 1 | Susan Wexler - G. Margie Gwozdzinsky, New York NY | 1551.72 | 1 | Kerri Sanborn, Stony Point NY; Karen McCallum, Exeter NH | 1647.80 |
| 2 | Cynthia Balderson, Minnetonka MN; Carole Miner, Rochester MN | 1541.04 | 2 | Sylvia Moss - Judi Radin, New York NY | 1625.97 |
| 3 | Terry Michaels, Prairie Village KS; Nadine Wood, Silver Spring MD | 1530.50 | 3 | Hjordis Eythorsdottir, Huntsville AL; Valerie Westheimer, New York NY | 1599.67 |
| 4 | Ellen Siebert, Fort Lauderdale FL; Cecily Kohler, Washington DC | 1498.87 | 4 | Marion Snyder - Betsey Wolff, Dallas TX | 1510.99 |
| 5 | Jo Morse, Palm Beach Gardens FL; Susan Miller, Boca Raton FL | 1487.77 | 5 | Sandra Stover, Wichita KS; Judi Smith, Houston TX | 1498.20 |
| 6 | Joan Jackson - Petra Hamman, Dallas TX | 1484.54 | 6 | Karen Barrett, Vancouver WA; Linda Lewis, Las Vegas NV | 1473.63 |
| 7 | Barbara Nudelman, Chicago IL; Jayne Thomas, Lutz FL | 1482.71 | 7 | Cheri Bjerkan, Elmhurst IL; Sue Weinstein, Las Vegas NV | 1468.68 |
| 8 | Kathie Wei-Sender, Nashville TN; Juanita Chambers, Walpole MA | 1481.49 | 8 | Robin Klar, Spring TX; Connie Goldberg, Merion Station PA | 1462.34 |
| 9 | Jyme Schmieder, Saratoga CA; Frances Dickman, San Jose CA | 1456.37 | 9 | Sue Himel - Tupper Cunningham, Omaha NE | 1450.17 |
| 10 | Jean Talbot, New Orleans LA; Joan Van Geffen, Metairie LA | 1451.20 | 10 | Eileen Fertig, Winter Springs FL; Martha McGhee, Oviedo FL | 1448.62 |
| 11 | Mildred Breed, Bryan TX; Shawn Quinn, Katy TX | 1436.70 | 11 | Lynn Baker, Austin TX; Irina Levitina, Fair Lawn NJ | 1445.37 |
| 12 | Laurie Vogel - Gail Greenberg, New York NY | 1431.82 | 12 | Tobi Sokolow, Austin TX; Janice Seamon-Molson, Miami FL | 1426.54 |
| 13 | Helen Corbin, Menlo Park CA; Elsiemae Smith, Cuyahoga Falls OH | 1431.70 | 13 | Joan Stein, Milwaukee WI; Eunice Rosen, Highland Park IL | 1425.84 |
| 14 | Toni Bales, Pickerington OH; Diane Travis, Cincinnati OH | 1415.46 | 14 | Nell Cahn, Shreveport LA; Ellasue Chaitt, Palm Bch Gdns FL | 1405.01 |
| 15 | Nancy Molesworth, Croton Hdsn NY; Rhoda Prager, Allentown PA | 1410.04 | 15 | Judy Malcomson, Minneapolis MN; Peg Waller, Eden Prairie MN | 1389.70 |
| 16 | Lindsay Pearlman, Trumbull CT; Meredith Beck, Pearland TX | 1400.04 | 16 | Donna Rodwell, Naperville IL; Bette Dudka, Alexandria VA | 1383.46 |
| 17 | Suzy Burger, West Bloomfield MI; Barbara Sion, Las Vegas NV | 1385.00 | 17 | Jacqui Mitchell - Lynne Tarnopol, New York NY | 1365.46 |
| 18 | Kathryn Hattendorf, Joliet IL; Carol Mahoney, Kokomo IN | 1379.37 | 18 | Mildred Di Falco, Babylon NY; Edythe Crinnian, Wantagh NY | 1362.84 |
| 19 | June Deutsch, Aventura FL; Dorothy Truscott, Bronx NY | 1372.71 | 19 | Mary Beth Townsend, Baton Rouge LA; Molly Ewing, Lawton OK | 1361.14 |
| 20 | Marinesa Letizia, Kingston NY; Carlyn Steiner, Seattle WA | 1371.70 | 20 | Abby Heitner, Wheaton MD; Lynne Feldman, Champaign IL | 1358.96 |
| 21 | Georgia Heth, Morton IL; Lisa Sievers, Champaign IL | 1362.79 | 21 | Veronica McMurdie, Sacramento CA; Loretta Bromberg, Bel Tiburon CA | 1357.14 |
| 22 | Jo Ann Sprung, Philadelphia PA; Barbara Sartorius, Lake Hiawatha NJ | 1359.66 | 22 | Judy Wadas, Chicago IL; Libby Fernandez, Northport AL | 1354.51 |
| 23 | Patricia Young, Erie PA; Helen Johnston, Ajax ON | 1353.70 | 23 | Linda Sundbye, Broomfield CO; Cheryl Kedrowski, Saint Paul MN | 1348.96 |
| 24 | Jean Grunwald, Golden CO; Broma Lou Reed, Boulder CO | 1353.27 | 24 | Donna Marshall, Reading MA; Brenda Montague, Swampscott MA | 1337.96 |
| 25 | Peggy Sutherland, Dallas TX; Peggy Kaplan, Minnetonka MN | 1348.98 | 25 | Jerre Gardiner, Fort Worth TX; Fran Beard, Dallas TX | 1329.18 |
| 26 | Carol Sanders, Nashville TN; Betty Ann Kennedy, Shreveport LA | 1342.54 | 26 | Peggy Ann Mitchell, Wichita KS; Mary Hembree, Valley Center KS | 1327.62 |

Wednesday Evening Zip Swiss

| 12 Teams | | | |
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| A | B | C | |
| 3.34 | 1 | | Martin Blain, Calabasas CA; Harvey Katz, Marina del Rey CA; Kenneth Titow, Scottsdale AZ; Marjorie Michelin, Los Angeles CA 110.00 |
| 2.88 | 2 | 1 1 | Drew Becker, Mequon WI; Chuck Chang - Jason Rosenfeld, Evanston IL; Jonathan Levell, Oak Park IL 72.00 |
| 2.16 | 3/4 | 2 | Eugene Olsen, Palm Springs CA; Roger Clements, Fremont NE; William Woodfine, Toronto ON; Jeanne Gray, Boulder CO 69.00 |
| 1.65 | 3/4 | | Henry Caspar - Tom Buttle, Toronto ON; Toni Bales, Pickerington OH; Helen Johnston, Ajax ON; R Elwin Brown, Gloucester ON 69.00 |
| 1.62 | 3 | | Sharon Beck - J. Robert Beck, Pearland TX; Mahesh Rathi - Mike Ralston, Austin TX; Martha Lucas Kaplan, Lake Charles LA 68.00 |
| 1.22 | 4 | | George Charrier - Marian Charrier - Lorna Davis, West Chester OH; Belen Suarez, Cincinnati OH 59.00 |

Thursday Morning 100/200/300 Pairs

| 35 Pairs | | | |
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| A | B | C | |
| 3.92 | 1 | 1 | Jon Holman, Leawood KS; Bob Axtell, Grandview MO 172.36 |
| 2.94 | 2 | 2 | Janet Sanborn - Janet Conway, Chatfield MN 170.50 |
| 2.21 | 3 | 3 | Dee Scott - Judy Fritz, Emporia KS 165.50 |
| 1.65 | 4 | 4 | Virginia Overley - Dixie Nicholson, Topeka KS 159.50 |
| 1.24 | 5 | | Katherine Maxfield, Saratoga CA; David Willmott, Folsom CA 153.82 |
| 1.98 | 6 | 5 1 | David Garst, Coon Rapids IA; James Gershman, Stamford CT 152.73 |
| 0.70 | | 6 | Marjorie Lunzer - Kenneth Lunzer, McGregor MN 151.00 |
| 1.49 | | 2 | Kathryn Hagen - Mary Treece, Lawrence KS 150.55 |
| 1.11 | | 3 | Umesh Reghuram, Fremont CA; Elaine Wood, Southlake TX 142.00 |
| 0.84 | | 4 | Jerry Marchant - Robert Webster, Ripon WI 140.00 |
| 0.63 | | 5 | Ernest Lowden - Frances Lowden, Olathe KS 134.73 |

Thursday Morning Side Game Series Pairs

| 36 Pairs | | | |
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| A | B | | |
| 4.25 | 1 | | Al French, North Vancouver BC; Leroy Abinanti, Kent WA 102.50 |
| 3.19 | 2 | 1 | Julie Tigges, Minneapolis MN; Phyllis Anderson, Saint Paul MN 100.50 |
| 2.22 | 3/4 | | John Russell, North Barrington IL; Chuck Said, Nashville TN 100.00 |
| 2.09 | 3/4 | 2 | Lee Thurber - Margaret Hansell, Champaign IL 100.00 |
| 1.55 | 5 | 3 | Drew Becker, Mequon WI; Jason Rosenfeld, Evanston IL 99.00 |
| 2.22 | 6/7 | | Don Steele, Springfield OH; Patrick Moran, Dayton OH 98.50 |
| 1.11 | 6/7 | | Joe Smarkala, Nepean ON; Tim Edwards-Davies, Gloucester ON 98.50 |
| 1.14 | | 4 | Rachel Chittaro, Kildeer IL; Edward Nield, Westchester IL 89.00 |
| 0.98 | | 5 | Michael Pearlman, Reisterstown MD; David Ruppert, Baltimore MD 88.00 |

2nd Thursday Senior Pairs

| 98 Pairs | | | |
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| A | B | C | |
| 16.24 | 1 | | Mary Rackers, Jefferson City MO; J Darlyne Boyce, Blue Springs MO 382.50 |
| 12.18 | 2 | | Cordelia Menges - Audrey Robb, New York NY 377.00 |
| 9.53 | 3 | 1 | John Robinson, Bothell WA; Rob Thomason, Seattle WA 375.50 |
| 7.15 | 4 | 2 | John McCormack - Janet McCormack, Dallas TX 373.50 |
| 5.14 | 5 | | Jack Bryant, Saint Louis MO; Rod Van Wyk, Alton IL 370.50 |
| 5.36 | 6 | 3 1 | June Owens - Betty Wills, Tulsa OK 370.00 |
| 3.12 | 7 | | William Von Hausen - Barb Von Hausen, Cary NC 368.00 |
| 4.02 | | 4 | Charles Johnson - Lucy Johnson, McPherson KS 365.50 |
| 3.02 | | 5 | Barbara Reetz, Elkhorn NE; Mary Ann Ryan, Omaha NE 360.50 |
| 2.32 | | 6 | Lavonne Peterson, Spencer IA; Kathleen Johnson, Okoboji IA 351.50 |
| 3.00 | | 2 | Nancy Gordon, Penn Valley CA; Roger Keely, Los Molinos CA 333.00 |
| 2.25 | | 3 | Doris Suojanen - David Pettit, Melbourne FL 329.00 |
| 1.69 | | 4 | Joyce Christensen - Norma Johnson, Omaha NE 318.00 |
| 1.27 | | 5 | Judy Hildreth - Jay Hildreth, Wamego KS 315.50 |
| 0.95 | | 6 | Barbara Thompson, Old Greenwich CT; Barbro Lucas, Fairway KS 314.50 |

Thursday Evening Side Game Pairs

| 58 Pairs | | | |
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| A | B | | |
| 5.92 | 1 | | Kathy Schenk, Phoenix AZ; Jim Greenwood, 201.50 |
| 4.44 | 2 | | Pierce Smith, Rutland VT; Stewart Mackeigan, Wilmington MA 199.00 |
| 3.33 | 3 | | Louise Ellebracht, Saint Ann MO; Marguerite Burpo, Saint Charles MO 193.00 |
| 2.50 | 4 | | Benjamin Lev, West Bloomfield MI; Paul White, Edmond OK 192.00 |
| 2.80 | 5/6 | | Roy Green - Mary Green, Carlisle MA 189.00 |
| 1.96 | 5/6 | | Sharon McKinney, Greenwood AR; J Hunter, Fort Smith AR 189.00 |
| 3.49 | | 1 | Michael Warhola, Tampa FL; Mary Johnson, Freeland WA 181.50 |
| 2.62 | | 2 | Ben Roberts - Wilson Montgomery, Hickory NC 181.00 |
| 1.96 | | 3 | Saranne Frew - James Morris, Oregon House CA 180.00 |
| 1.47 | | 4 | Victoria Gregory, Pittsburg KS; Judith Mannschreck, Virginia Beach VA 173.50 |
| 1.10 | | 5 | Charles Whitman - Kay Malkmus, Chicago IL 156.50 |
| 1.31 | | 6 | Allan Roderiques - Lois Belliveau, Lynn MA 155.00 |

MORNING KO 1

| Bracket 1 16 Teams | | | |
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| 31.43 | 1 | | Kathie Wei-Sender, Nashville TN; Juanita Chambers, Boca Raton FL; Tobi Sokolow, Austin TX; Janice Seamon-Molson, Miami FL; Peggy Sutherlin, Dallas TX |
| 23.57 | 2 | | James Murphy, Chesapeake VA; Ed Lewis, Falls Church VA; Colby Vernay, Lacon IL; Barry Schaffer, Frisco TX; David Siebert, Little Rock AR; Peter Friedland, Los Altos CA |
| 15.72 | 3/4 | | G S Jade Barrett - Ann Labe, Vancouver WA; Hugh Grosvenor, Alexandria VA; Blair Seidler, Fair Lawn NJ; Mike Bandler, Alamo CA; Michael Katz, San Ramon CA |
| 15.72 | 3/4 | | Denis Murphy - Toshiko Yingst - Rebecca Gilbert - Chris Champion - Christina Champion - Bonnie Bagley, Colorado Springs CO |

Bracket 2 16 Teams

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| 22.36 | 1 | | Jesus Arias - Susan Schnelwar - Philip Lentz, New York NY; Jonathan Levine, Jackson Heights NY |
| 16.77 | 2 | | Walter Smith, West Sand Lake NY; Henry Wong, Medford MA; Ross Spiro, Cherry Hill NJ; Stewart Mackeigan, Wilmington MA; Pierce Smith, Rutland VT |
| 11.18 | 3/4 | | Byron Crittenden, Kingswood England; Liga Byrne, Mequon WI; Michele Foran, Oconomowoc WI; James Bochsler, Surry England |
| 11.18 | 3/4 | | Mahesh Rathi - Mike Ralston, Austin TX; J. Robert Beck - Sharon Beck, Pearland TX; Jerome Tilles, San Antonio TX |

Bracket 3 16 Teams

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| 15.45 | 1 | | Judy Mustico - Josephine Russin - Susan Cooper, Elmira NY; Suzi Steffenhagen, Horseheads NY |
| 11.59 | 2 | | Jonna Robinson, Burlington VT; Barbara Kalnick, Trenton MI; Harjinder Ajmani, Kula HI; Anne Marie Hinds, Newtown PA |
| 7.73 | 3/4 | | David Shaw, Shelburne VT; George Kucera, Sunnyvale CA; Gene Kazlow, Moretown VT; Ekrem Soylemez, Arlington MA |
| 7.73 | 3/4 | | Sonya Collins, Waukegan IA; Rita Kothari, Des Moines IA; Mary Lou Agocs - Joyce Williams, Clive IA |

Bracket 4 14 Teams

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| 10.12 | 1 | | Mark Krosky, Chicago IL; Gerald Greene, Glenview IL; Milo Grummons - Mary Grummons, Warrenville IL |
| 7.59 | 2 | | Amy Staska, Fargo ND; Janis Ellis, Lakeville MN; Edie Siemens, Prior Lake MN; Jackie Moneypenny, Burnsville MN |
| 5.06 | 3/4 | | Donna Harrison - Janet Baker - Jane Young, Columbia MO; Walter Harvey, Phoenix AZ |
| 5.06 | 3/4 | | Alexander Clague, Brooklyn NY; Nancy Ferguson, Greenbrae CA; Robert Webster - Jerry Marchant, Ripon WI; Alex Zisson, New York NY |

MORNING KNOCKOUT 2

| Bracket 1 16 Teams | | | |
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| Paul Bethe, Jersey City NJ; Henry Bethe - Varis Carey, Ithaca NY; Chris Lubesnik, Glendale CA; Todd Wolford, Vancouver WA; Jason Feldman, Champaign IL | | | |

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| Harold Feldheim, Hamden CT; Paul Kinney, Jamaica Plain MA; Norman Coombs, Brookville IN; Bobbi Johnson, Centerville OH; R Wayne Penrod, Dayton OH; Max Limbocker, Louisville KY | | | |
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| Earl Knipfel, Moose Jaw SK; Lyle Kinsey, Midland TX; Jack Brown, Nepean ON; R Elwin Brown, Gloucester ON; Dan Mathieson, Regina SK | | | |
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| Alan Resser, Chicago IL; Martin Morris, Wheeling IL; Gary Williams, Milwaukee WI; Lizabeth Kennedy, Germantown WI | | | |
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Bracket 2 13 Teams

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| John Bortins, Louisville CO; Nancy Benamati, Aurora CO; Dick Duff - Thomas Lenahan, Denver CO | | | |
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| John Cox, Kellogg ID; Charlene Light, Chico CA; David Gross, Sudbury MA; Alan Frantz, Wayland MA | | | |
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THURSDAY EVENING IMP PAIRS

| NORTH-SOUTH | | | | SECTION VV | | | | EAST-WEST | | | |
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| A | B | C | | A | B | C | | A | B | C | |
| 1 | | | Cole Powell, Oakland CA; Chad Fisher, Kansas City MO 48.00 | 1 | 1 | | | David Coberly, Columbia MO; Jennifer Luner, Saint Louis MO 46.00 | | | |
| 2 | | | Rochelle Popkin - Bobbie Holmes, Saint Louis MO 43.00 | 2 | | | | Bonn Tanner, Humble TX; Jan Hunt, Long Beach MS 28.00 | | | |
| 3 | 1 | 1 | Ronald Seeger - Theresa Seeger, Rochester MN 30.00 | 3 | | | | Joe Muenks, Cincinnati OH; David Tsui, Centerville OH 15.00 | | | |
| 4 | 2 | | Sharon Beck - J. Robert Beck, Pearland TX 15.00 | 4 | 2 | 1 | | Douglas Ballor, Tacoma WA; Walter Whitney, Milton WA 2.00 | | | |
| | | | | | 3/4 | | | Judy Hummel - Jerry Curtright, Colorado Spgs CO -4.00 | | | |
| | | | | | 3/4 | | | Donald Brown, Trinity TX; Yvonne Snyder, Los Angeles CA -4.00 | | | |
| NORTH-SOUTH | | | | SECTION WW | | | | EAST-WEST | | | |
| A | B | C | | A | B | C | | A | B | C | |
| 1/3 | 1/2 | | Diane Hibbard - Paul Hibbard, Arlington Hts IL 36.00 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | Mary Cunningham - Richard Bowman, Wichita KS 34.00 | | | |
| 1/3 | | | Kenn Bradley, Tulsa OK; Ken Sawyer, Olathe KS 36.00 | 2 | 2 | | | Shirley Mallette, Uehling NE; Linda Bors, Omaha NE 31.00 | | | |
| 1/3 | 1/2 | 1 | Sonya Collins, Waukegan IA; Rita Kothari, Des Moines IA 36.00 | 3 | | | | Carole Weinstein-Gorse, Acton MA; John McLaughlin, Melrose MA 25.00 | | | |
| 4 | | | Robert Reeves, Emporia KS; James Masilamani, Topeka KS 25.00 | 4 | 3 | 2 | | Carole Bardwell, Normal IL; Christopher Shaw Jr, Carlinville IL 24.00 | | | |
| 5 | 3 | | Gail Woeger - Nancy Balog, Colorado Springs CO 21.00 | 5 | | | | Jack Bryant, Saint Louis MO; Rod Van Wyk, Alton IL 23.00 | | | |
| 6 | 4 | 2 | Lucy Stinson, Shawnee Mission KS; Sheila Rohrer, Lenexa KS 14.00 | 6 | 4 | | | Donald La Rue, Blue Springs MO; Linda West, Lees Summit MO 17.00 | | | |
| | | 3 | Rosalie Campeau, Libertyville IL; Mary Kever, Grayslake IL 11.00 | | | 3 | | Jo Anne Grundy, Westminster CO; Gladys Dilorenzo, Wheat Ridge CO -9.00 | | | |
| NORTH-SOUTH | | | | SECTION XX | | | | EAST-WEST | | | |
| A | B | C | | A | B | C | | A | B | C | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | Donna Mann - Mary Moore, Kingwood TX 49.00 | 1 | | | | Richard Schecter, New York NY; Nancy Wittwer, Falls City NE 49.00 | | | |
| 2 | 2 | 2 | Bob Burwell - Mauhsiang Lin, Chapel Hill NC 41.00 | 2 | 1 | 1 | | James Gunn - Harry Shaffer, Lawrence KS 37.00 | | | |
| 3 | 3 | | Paul Witonsky - Lorraine Witonsky, Denver CO 21.00 | 3 | | | | William Treble - Andrew Petrick, Winnipeg MB 30.00 | | | |
| 4 | 4 | | Lin-Huan Chen - Ding-Hwa Hsieh, Kirksville MO 20.00 | 4 | 2 | 2 | | Paul Klaverkamp, Nisswa MN; Lloyd Graven, Minneapolis MN 17.00 | | | |
| 5 | | 3 | Burla Sims, Little Rock AR; Deb Phillips, N Little Rock AR 15.00 | 5 | | | | Jan Nathan, Manhattan Beach CA; Steve Mager, Hermosa Beach CA 11.00 | | | |
| 6 | | | Edward Nield, Westchester IL; Rachel Chittaro, Kildeer IL 14.00 | 6 | 3 | 3 | | Donald White - Carol White, Leawood KS 7.00 | | | |
| | | | | | 4 | | | Donald Chase, Lake St Louis MO; Robert Cundall, Collinsville IL 1.00 | | | |

THURSDAY AFTERNOON 300/200 STRATIFIED PAIRS

Table with columns for NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION VVV, EAST-WEST, and scores. Includes names like Charlie Brown, Nancy Brown, Sunrise Beach TX.

THURSDAY MORNING-AFTERNOON OPEN PAIRS 2ND SESSION

Table with columns for NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION Q, EAST-WEST, and scores. Includes names like Laura Brill, Rick Goldstein, White Plains NY.

Table with columns for NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION R, EAST-WEST, and scores. Includes names like Al Spaet, Woodland Hills CA; Mark Schreiber, Van Nuys CA.

OPEN PAIRS II FIRST QUALIFYING SESSION

Table with columns for NORTH-SOUTH, SECTIONS E G L XX, EAST-WEST, and scores. Includes names like David Lehman, Glenview IL; Dick Melson, Chicago IL.

Table with columns for NORTH-SOUTH, SECTIONS A B C D F, EAST-WEST, and scores. Includes names like Steve Garner, Northfield IL; Howard Weinstein, St Charles IL.

Table with columns for NORTH-SOUTH, SECTIONS H I J K, EAST-WEST, and scores. Includes names like Tobi Sokolow, Austin TX; Janice Seamon-Molson, Miami FL.

THURSDAY EVENING SIDE GAME SERIES 4TH SESSION

Table with columns for NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION JJJ, EAST-WEST, and scores. Includes names like Louise Ellebracht, Saint Ann MO; Marguerite Burpo, Saint Charles MO.

Table with columns for NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION LLL, EAST-WEST, and scores. Includes names like Roy Green - Mary Green, Carlisle MA; Nancy Berg, Hopkins MN.

THURSDAY EVENING 20/50 PAIRS

Table with columns for NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION TTT, EAST-WEST, and scores. Includes names like Dorothy Henton, Mc Cook NE; Patricia Gale, North Platte NE.

THURSDAY EVENING 100/200/300 PAIRS

Table with columns for NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION UUU, EAST-WEST, and scores. Includes names like James Evans, Brenham TX; Richard Duble, College Station TX.

Table with columns for NORTH-SOUTH, SECTION VVV, EAST-WEST, and scores. Includes names like Charlie Brown - Nancy Brown, Sunrise Beach TX; Janice Halperin, Laguna Hills CA.

TODAY'S SCHEDULE

Microsoft Day

*Unless otherwise noted, strat breaks for Stratified Open, Stratified Senior and Stratified Board-a-Match Team events are: A (1500+), B (500-1500), C (0-500). Breaks for Side Game Series (Continuous Pairs) and single-session open events are: A (750+), B (0-750).

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

| Event | Session | Sold | Entry/player/session | |
|---|--------------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------|---------|
| | | | ACBL members** | Other |
| Friday, March 23, 2001, 9:00 a.m. | | | | |
| Morning Bracketed KO Teams II <i>Continues at 9:00 a.m. Saturday.</i> | 3 rd | Hyatt, lobby level | \$12 | \$13 |
| Morning Side Game Series III* (Continuous/Side Pairs) <i>(Continues at 9 a.m. Saturday)</i> | 2nd single session | Hyatt, lobby level | \$12 | \$13 |
| Morning Compact KO Teams <i>Continues at 9:00 a.m. Saturday</i> | 1-2 | Hyatt, lobby level | \$6.00 | \$6.50 |
| Stratified 299er Pairs | single | Westin, Century C | \$11 | \$12 |
| Friday, March 23, 2001, 10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m. | | | | |
| Stratified Senior Pairs* | 1-2 | Westin, Century A & B | \$12 | \$13 |
| Friday, March 23, 2001, 1:00 & 8:00 p.m. | | | | |
| VANDERBILT KNOCKOUT TEAMS | | Hyatt, Chouteau Ballroom | \$14.50 | \$15.50 |
| OPEN PAIRS II | 1-2F | Hyatt, Regency Ballroom | \$14.50 | \$15.50 |
| WOMEN'S PAIRS | 1-2F | Hyatt, Regency Ballroom | \$14.50 | \$15.50 |
| Microsoft Stratified Open Pairs* | 1-2 | Hyatt, Exhibit Hall B | \$12 | \$13 |
| ACBL Online Stratified Mixed Pairs* | 1-2 | Hyatt, Exhibit Hall B | \$12 | \$13 |
| Bracketed KO Teams IV <i>(Continues Saturday)</i> | 1-2 | Hyatt, lobby level | \$12 | \$13 |
| Isle of Capri Casino Friday-Saturday Side Game Series* (Continuous/Side Pairs) | 1 st single session | Westin, Pershing Ballroom | \$12 | \$13 |
| 299er, 199er, 99er, 49er Pairs | single | Westin, Century C | \$11 | \$12 |
| 0-20, 0-5 Pairs | single | Westin, Century C | \$11 | \$11 |
| Friday, March 23, 2001, 8:00 p.m. | | | | |
| Senior Bracketed KO Teams | 4th | Westin, Pershing Ballroom | \$12 | \$13 |
| Stratified Board-a-Match Teams* | single | Hyatt, Exhibit Hall B | \$11 | \$12 |
| Isle of Capri Casino Friday-Saturday Side Game Series* (Continuous/Side Pairs) | 2nd single session | Westin, Pershing Ballroom | \$12 | \$13 |
| 299er Stratified Swiss Teams | single | Westin, Century C | \$11 | \$12 |
| 299er, 199er, 99er, 49er Pairs | single | Westin, Century C | \$11 | \$12 |
| 0-20, 0-5 Pairs | single | Westin, Century C | \$11 | \$11 |
| Friday, March 23, 2001, midnight | | | | |
| Zip Swiss Teams* | single | Hyatt, Empire Ballroom | \$11 | \$12 |

TOMORROW'S SCHEDULE

Allegra Day

*Unless otherwise noted, strat breaks for Stratified Open, Stratified Senior and Stratified Board-a-Match Team events are: A (1500+), B (500-1500), C (0-500). For Strati-Flighted events, A/X are 3000+/0-3000 and play in their own game; B (500-1500) and C (0-500) play in their own game. Breaks for Side Game Series (Continuous Pairs) and single-session open events are: A (750+), B (0-750).

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

| Event | Session | Sold | Entry/player/session | |
|--|--------------------|---------------------------|----------------------|---------|
| | | | ACBL members** | Other |
| Saturday, March 24, 2001, 9:00 a.m. | | | | |
| Morning Bracketed KO Teams II | 4th | Hyatt, lobby level | \$12 | \$13 |
| Morning Side Game Series III* (Continuous/Side Pairs) | 3rd single session | Hyatt, lobby level | \$12 | \$13 |
| Morning Compact KO Teams | 3-4 | Hyatt, lobby level | \$6.00 | \$6.50 |
| Stratified 299er Pairs | single | Westin, Century C | \$11 | \$12 |
| Stratified 299er Swiss Teams | single | Westin, Century C | \$11 | \$12 |
| Saturday, March 24, 2001, 10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m. | | | | |
| Stratified Senior Pairs* | 1-2 | Westin, Century A & B | \$12 | \$13 |
| Stratified Open Pairs* | 1-2 | Westin, Century A & B | \$12 | \$13 |
| Saturday, March 24, 2001, 1:00 & 8:00 p.m. | | | | |
| VANDERBILT KO TEAMS | | Hyatt, Chouteau Ballroom | \$14.50 | \$15.50 |
| OPEN SWISS TEAMS <i>2 qualifying, 2 final sessions</i> | 1-2Q | Hyatt, Regency Ballroom | \$13 | \$14.00 |
| WOMEN'S SWISS TEAMS <i>2 qualifying, 2 final sessions</i> | 1-2Q | Hyatt, Regency Ballroom | \$14.50 | \$15.50 |
| NORTH AMERICAN PAIRS, FLIGHTS B & C <i>Prequalification required. 2 qualifying, 2 final sessions</i> | 1-2Q | Westin, Pershing Ballroom | | |
| Allegra Stratified Open Pairs* | 1-2 | Hyatt, lobby level | \$12 | \$13 |
| Bracketed KO Teams IV | 3-4 | Hyatt, lobby level | \$12 | \$13 |
| Isle of Capri Casino Friday-Saturday Side Game Series* (Continuous/Side Pairs) | 3rd single session | Hyatt, Empire Ballroom | \$12 | \$13 |
| 299er, 199er, 99er, 49er Pairs | single | Westin, Century C | \$11 | \$12 |
| 0-20, 0-5 Pairs | single | Westin, Century C | \$11 | \$11 |
| Saturday, March 24, 2001, 8:00 p.m. | | | | |
| Isle of Capri Casino Friday-Saturday Side Game Series* (Continuous/Side Pairs) | 4th single session | Hyatt, Empire Ballroom | \$12 | \$13 |
| 299er Stratified Swiss Teams | single | Westin, Century C | \$11 | \$12 |
| 299er, 199er, 99er, 49er Pairs | single | Westin, Century C | \$11 | \$12 |
| 0-20, 0-5 Pairs | single | Westin, Century C | \$11 | \$11 |
| Saturday, March 24, 2001, midnight | | | | |
| Zip KO Teams* | single | Hyatt, Empire Ballroom | \$11 | \$12 |