

SUNFLOWER REGIONAL

More ways to play!

JULY 7-12, 2020

PRAIRIE BAND CASINO & RESORT

Unit 234

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Sanction 2007108

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Please advise of dates you need a partner, number of masterpoints, and games you wish to play.

We are excited about the new location for our 2020 Sunflower Regional. We will be playing at the Prairie Band Casino and Resort which is located on the 11 square mile Prairie Band Potawatomi Nation Reservation just north of Topeka KS. On Tuesday, we will kick-off with a teaching seminar by ACBL Columnist, Karen Walker. That evening, and for the following six days, we will offer you some new and unique games on our schedule.

KAREN WALKER WORKSHOP

Start your tournament with a workshop conducted by Bridge Columnist, Karen Walker.

Tuesday - July 7

Topics to be covered:

GOLDEN RULES of PARTNERSHIP BIDDING

• Practical guidelines to improve your communication with your partner and help you avoid common pitfalls in the bidding.

WINNING TEAM GAME TACTICS

• Tips for adapting your style and making successful bidding and play decisions in team-of-four events.

Workshop Fee: \$79.99 until June 7th then \$84.99

Cost includes:

Free welcome gift, workshop, meals and Tuesday evening game.

Mail check payable to: NE KS Unit 234 to: 1410 SW Indian Hills Rd. Topeka, KS 66615

Further details available at www.sunflowerregional.com



TWO WAYS TO STAY

Luxurious Resort

Book your luxurious resort room. Choose from a king room or a double.

Call Michelle Kuhn at 785.966.7742 M-F

Tournament Rates: M-Thur - \$99/ F-S - \$129



RV Park

Stay in the RV Park for only \$30 per night.

Call in your reservations

785.966.7742



On Location Amenities

- Free valet parking and self-parking
- Three Fires Steakhouse
- Longhouse Buffet
- Embers Bar and Grill
- Local craft beers available
- Unlimited casino beverage stations (convenient to playing area)
- Courtyard hot tubs
- 18 hole golf course
- 1200 slots plus table games & Bingo
- 24 hour security
- Convenience store on property
- Players Club

Bus Trips to the Prairie Band Casino



Along the I-35 and I-70 Corridors

Details coming soon!

Game Schedule and Related Information

| Tuesday | 12:00 | 12:45-4:45 | 6:30 |
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| Opening K/W Light lunch | x | | |
| Lesson | | x | |
| Combo Pairs and Teams | | | x |
| Wednesday | 9:30 | 2:00 | 7:00 |
| 199er (0-50, 50-100, 100-199)* | 1 of 1 | 1 of 1 | |
| Gold Rush Swiss (0-200, 200-500, 500-750) | 1 of 2 | 2 of 2 | |
| Open Pairs | 1 of 2 | 2 of 2 | |
| AM Side Game Series | 1 of 4 | | |
| Afternoon Side Game Series | | 1 of 4 | |
| Evening Side Game Series* | | | 1 of 4 |
| Open Swiss | | | 1 of 1 |
| Thursday | 9:30 | 2:00 | 7:00 |
| 199er (0-50, 50-100, 100-199)* | 1 of 1 | 1 of 1 | |
| Gold Rush Pairs (0-200, 200-500, 500-750) | 1 of 2 | 2 of 2 | |
| AM Side Game Series | 2 of 4 | | |
| Afternoon Side Game Series | | 2 of 4 | |
| Evening Side Game Series* | | | 2 of 4 |
| Open Pairs | 1 of 2 | 2 of 2 | |
| Bracketed Two Session Swiss | 1 of 2 | 2 of 2 | |
| Combo Pairs and Teams | | | 1 of 1 |
| Friday | 9:30 | 2:00 | 7:00 |
| 199er (0-50, 50-100, 100-199)* | 1 of 1 | 1 of 1 | |
| Gold Rush Pairs (0-200, 200-500, 500-750) | 1 of 2 | 2 of 2 | |
| Open Swiss | | 1 of 1 | |
| AM Side Game Series | 3 of 4 | | |
| Afternoon Side Game Series | | 3 of 4 | |
| Evening Side Game Series* | | | 3 of 4 |
| Barometer Open Pairs Qualifying | 1 of 1 | | |
| Barometer Final | | 1 of 1 | |
| Combo Pairs and Teams | | | 1 of 1 |
| Saturday | 9:30 | 2:00 | 7:00 |
| 199er (0-50, 50-100, 100-199)* | 1 of 1 | 1 of 1 | |
| Gold Rush Pairs (0-200, 200-500, 500-750) | 1 of 2 | 2 of 2 | |
| AM Side Game Series | 4 of 4 | | |
| Afternoon Side Game Series | | 4 of 4 | |
| Evening Side Game Series* | | | 4 of 4 |
| Open Pairs | 1 of 2 | 2 of 2 | |
| Two Session Swiss | 1 of 2 | 2 of 2 | |
| Combo Pairs and Teams | | | 1 of 1 |
| Sunday | 9:30 | TBD | |
| A/X Swiss, Unlimited/2500 | 1 of 2 | 2 of 2 | |
| Bracketed B/C/D Swiss (No player over 2000) | 1 of 2 | 2 of 2 | |
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| *Three table minimum | | | |

Director in Charge

Rick Beye

Our DIC, Rick Beye, has previewed the property and has assisted us in developing a game schedule that will be sure to please. He has assembled a team of directors who look forward to making your trip to the Sunflower Regional a great experience!

Stratifications

0-199er Events: A: 100-199; B: 50-100; C: 0-50

Gold Rush Pairs/Swiss: 750/500/200 (no player over 750)

Open Strats: Open/2000/1250 (when Gold Rush is concurrent)

Open Strats: Open/2000/750 (without concurrent Gold Rush)*

Stratified Events: A: Open; B: 2000-750; C: 0-750

Bracketed Flight B Swiss Teams 0-2000 (no player over 2000 MPs); teams play in small groups by masterpoint average: gold points in each bracket. (All team events 20 VP).

Barometer Game: Not Stratified

*Examples: Friday Swiss, Combo Pair/Team, Side Series

All Strats may be adjusted as determined by DIC

Eligibility for flighted events based on top player's total MP. Thereafter, strats determined by average of pair or team.

More ways to play!

Bring along a friend or family member who doesn't play bridge, and they will be entertained and enjoy many nearby amenities.

- Golf lessons
- 18 hole golf course
- Mystery Dinner
- Tribal Memorial at Prairie People's Park
- Join the casino's Players Club and receive free play
- Bison Herds
- Walking Paths
- Live Entertainment
- Experience 11 sq miles of the Prairie Band Potawatomie Reservation

And only 15 minutes away is the capital city of Kansas, Topeka.

There you will find:

- Kansas State Capitol
- Mulvane Art Museum
- Combat Air Museum
- Topeka Zoological Park
- Great Overland Station
- Lake Shawnee
- Brown vs Board of Education National Historic Site
- Old Prairie Town at Ward Meade Historic Site
- Kansas Children's Discovery Center
- And many more interesting sites and things to do!

Entry Fees:

- Student (under 25) \$7 Tues-Sat
- Tues-Sat \$15 per session
- Sunday \$140 team (\$35 per person)
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(\$4 additional per session for lapsed ACBL members)
Effective 3/1/18 the surcharge notation will only apply to those ACBL members whose membership fees are not current. Non-ACBL members will be required to join on an annual basis or join on a new temporary one-month membership for \$7.99.

