



# MISSISSIPPI RIVER BLUFFS REGIONAL

## COLLINSVILLE, ILLINOIS *(St. Louis Metro-East)*

### Tuesday, Sept 10 – Saturday, Sept 14, 2024



**WORLD'S LARGEST  
CATSUP BOTTLE**

**Gateway Convention Center**  
**1 Gateway Dr**

**FREE PARKING and Wi-Fi FOR THE EVENT**

#### **Hospitality**

Pastries and coffee every morning  
Snacks during sessions

#### **Hotel Information**

*(Very Close to Convention Center)*

DoubleTree by Hilton (618) 345-2800  
1000 Eastport Plaza Dr

*(Has open-air ramp to Convention Center)*

Hampton Inn by Hilton (618) 346-4400  
7 Commerce Dr

Bridge Rate \$120; Book by 8/10/2024

La Quinta Inn & Suites by Wyndham  
(618) 855-8400 6 Gateway Dr

Bridge Rate \$125; Book by 7/1/2024

Super 8 by Wyndham (618) 223-5383  
2 Gateway Dr

Days Inn by Wyndham (618) 803-4032  
12 Commerce Dr

Fairfield Inn by Marriot (618) 346-0607  
4 Gateway Dr

Comfort Inn by Choice Hotels (618) 477-8946  
8 Commerce Dr

Drury Inn & Suites (618) 345-7700  
602 N Bluff Rd

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#### **Hosted By Unit 223**

#### **Entry Fees**

\$17/session. Payable by cash at the event.

#### **ACBL Members Only**

All players must have an ACBL membership. Free guest membership is available for a player who has never been a member.

An ACBL member whose dues have lapsed will be charged an additional \$4 per session.

#### **Results**

Visit <https://live.acbl.org>

#### **Restaurants**

*(Very Close to Convention Center)*

Porter's Steakhouse (\$\$\$\$)  
1000 Eastport Plaza Dr

Colton's Steakhouse (\$-\$-\$)  
5 Eastport Plaza Dr

Zapata's Mexican Restaurant & Cantina (\$-\$-\$)  
8 Eastport Plaza Dr

Ravanelli's Italian Steakhouse (\$-\$-\$)  
26 Collinsport Dr

Bandana's Bar-B-Q (\$-\$-\$)  
4 Commerce Dr

Bob Evans (\$-\$-\$)  
600 N Bluff Rd

Various other fast-food options.

#### **Greater Collinsville Area**

Mungo's Italian Eatery (\$\$\$)  
100 E Main

Old Herald Brewery & Distillery (\$-\$-\$)  
115 E Clay St

Sloan's Pub House (\$-\$-\$)  
119 W Main St

Fazzi's Greek Cuisine (\$-\$-\$)  
1813 Vandalia St

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10:00 am & 3:00 pm

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***Gold Rush Pairs, 2-session***  
Open Pairs, 2-Session *(can play 1 session)*  
Bracketed Swiss, 2-Session

## Game and Stratification Information

***Gold Rush Pair*** No player above 750 MP.

Play in a single session, earning Red points; or 2 sessions, earning Gold points.

Stratification: 0-300/500/750.

## Wednesday

10:00 am & 3:00 pm

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***Gold Rush Pairs, 2-session***  
Open Pairs, 2-Session *(can play 1 session)*  
Bracketed Swiss, 2-Session

***2-Session Open Pairs*** Can play in only one-session, earning Red points.

To earn gold, must play in both sessions in the same day.

Stratification: 0-1500/1500/3000+

***Bracketed Swiss*** 2-session team event. Bracketed from bottom up. Play only teams in your bracket. Winners in each bracket.

## Thursday

10:00 am & 3:00 pm

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***Gold Rush Pairs, 2-session***  
Open Pairs, 2-Session *(can play 1 session)*  
Bracketed Swiss, 2-session

## ***Additional Information***

Stratification Eligibility for Pairs events based on highest MP player.

Eligibility for Team events based on team average.

Stratifications subject to adjustment by Director to create roughly equal-sized groups.

3-table minimum for all events.

## Friday

10:00 am & 3:00 pm

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***Gold Rush Pairs, 2-session***  
Open Pairs, 2-Session *(can play 1 session)*  
Bracketed Swiss, 2-session

## Saturday

10:00 am

10:00 am

Bracketed Swiss, 2-session, 0-3000  
A/X/Y Swiss, 2-session, 0-4000, 6000, 6000+

*Note: Lunch break provided. If attendance does not support above schedule, an Open Swiss, 2-session event will be held with stratification by Director.*