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# PALM SPRINGS

## Regional

### DEC 9-14, 2024

The Westin Rancho Mirage Golf Resort & Spa • 71333 Dinah Shore Drive, Rancho Mirage, CA. 92270 • 877-253-0041

### Monday, December 9

Top Flight Pairs .....	2:00 p.m. & 7:00 p.m.
Gold Rush Pairs .....	2:00 p.m. & 7:00 p.m.
0-300 Pairs (single sessions) .....	2:00 p.m. & 7:00 p.m.
Charity Bracketed Teams (double session).....	2:00 p.m. & 7:00 p.m.
Side Pairs (1 <sup>st</sup> of Morning Side Game Series) (single session) .....	2:00 p.m.
Charity Fast Open Pairs (single session) .....	7:00 p.m.

*The designated charity for the evening games is Mizell - Meals on Wheels*

### Tuesday, December 10

Morning Side Games Series (2 <sup>nd</sup> of six sessions) .....	10:00 a.m.
Top-Flight Pairs 0-5000 / + .....	10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m.
Mid-Flight Pairs 0-1500 / 3000 .....	10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m.
Gold Rush Pairs 0-200 / 200-400 / 400-750 .....	10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m.
Tue-Wed Top Tier Mini Soloway (1 <sup>st</sup> & 2 <sup>nd</sup> of four sessions) .....	10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m.
Bracketed Teams (double session), 0-10,000 by average .....	10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m.
0-100 & 0-300 Pairs (single sessions) .....	10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m.
Afternoon Side Game Series (1 <sup>st</sup> of five sessions) .....	3:00 p.m.

### Wednesday, December 11

Morning Side Games Series (3 <sup>rd</sup> of six sessions) .....	10:00 a.m.
Top-Flight Pairs 0-5000 / + .....	10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m.
Mid-Flight Pairs 0-1500 / 3000 .....	10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m.
Gold Rush Pairs 0-200 / 200-400 / 400-750 .....	10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m.
Bracketed Teams (double session).....	10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m.
Tue-Wed Top Tier Mini Soloway (3 <sup>rd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> of four sessions) .....	10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m.
0-100 & 0-300 Pairs (single sessions) .....	10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m.
Afternoon Side Game Series (2 <sup>nd</sup> of five sessions) .....	3:00 p.m.

### Thursday, December 12

Morning Side Games Series (4 <sup>th</sup> of six sessions) .....	10:00 a.m.
Top-Flight Pairs 0-5000 / + .....	10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m.
Mid-Flight Pairs 0-1500 / 3000 .....	10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m.
Gold Rush Pairs 0-200 / 200-400 / 400-750 .....	10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m.
Thu-Fri Top Tier Mini Soloway (1 <sup>st</sup> & 2 <sup>nd</sup> of four sessions) .....	10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m.
Bracketed Teams (double session), 0-10,000 by average .....	10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m.
0-100 & 0-300 Pairs (single sessions) .....	10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m.
Afternoon Side Game Series (3 <sup>rd</sup> of five sessions) .....	3:00 p.m.

### Friday, December 13

Morning Side Games Series (5 <sup>th</sup> of six sessions) .....	10:00 a.m.
IMP Open Pairs 0-5000 / + .....	10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m.
Mid-Flight Pairs 0-1500 / 3000 .....	10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m.
Gold Rush Pairs 0-200 / 200-400 / 400-750 .....	10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m.
Thu-Fri Top Tier Mini Soloway (3 <sup>rd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> of four sessions) .....	10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m.
Bracketed Teams (double session).....	10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m.
0-100 & 0-300 Pairs (single sessions) .....	10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m.
Afternoon Side Game Series (4 <sup>th</sup> of five sessions) .....	3:00 p.m.

### Saturday, December 14

Morning Side Games Series (6 <sup>th</sup> of six sessions) .....	10:00 a.m.
Fast Open Pairs .....	10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m.
Mid-Flight Pairs 0-1500 / 3000 .....	10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m.
Gold Rush Pairs 0-200 / 200-400 / 400-750 .....	10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m.
Bracketed Teams (double session).....	10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m.
0-100 & 0-300 Pairs (single sessions) .....	10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m.
Afternoon Side Game Series (5 <sup>th</sup> of five sessions) .....	3:00 p.m.



## The Westin Rancho Mirage Golf Resort & Spa

**Bridge Rate:** \$153 **Reservations:** 877 253-0041 **Resort:** 760 328-5955

Mention ACBL for this special rate • Reserve by November 25

Resort Fee Waived at Check-in • Free Guest Room Wi-Fi • Free Self Parking

Your credit card will be charged for one night plus tax at host hotel bridge rate on Nov 11.

This non-refundable deposit will be applied to your final bill at check out.

An early departure fee of \$75 will apply for checking out prior to confirmed date.

Reserve hotel rooms online at: [www.d22acbl.com/palm-springs-regional-hotel](http://www.d22acbl.com/palm-springs-regional-hotel)

## Tournament Highlights

- Six-day schedule: Monday to Saturday
- Soloway KOs start Mon-Wed-Fri
- Bracketed Teams on Tue-Thu-Sat
- Double sessions Top Fight and Gold Rush Pairs on Monday
- D22 NAP Finals on Sunday at Duncan Bridge Center
- Daily speakers including Panel of Experts roundtable
- Amazing D22 hospitality

## D22 North American Pairs Final – Sunday, December 15, 9:30 a.m. & 2:00 p.m.



Pre-qualification required

**DUNCAN BRIDGE CENTER**

34202 Cook St, Palm Desert

NAP expected to be: A (Open), B (0-2500), C (0-500 Non-LM)

Flight determined by top player

## Flights & Strats

**Stratified Pairs (Side & Fast):** 0-750 / 750-2000 / unlimited

**Top-Flight Pairs:** 0-5000 / unlimited

**Mid-Flight Pairs:** 0-1500 / 1500-3000

**Gold Rush Pairs:** 0-200 / 200-400 / 400-750

**0-300 & 0-100 Pairs:** 0-5 / 5-50 / 50-100 / 100-200 / 200-300

**Bracketed:** Bracketed by average MP into groups of seven, eight or nine

**NAP:** Expected to be A (Open), B (0-2500), C (0-500 Non-LM)

## Intermediate / Newcomer Program & Events

ACBL Members with 0-20 MPS Play Free on Tuesday!

**Monday 11:00 a.m. Randy Bissett,** Bridge Instructor and Director

**I / N 2-Hour Lecture:** "Improving Your Defensive Skills"

**Reservations:** Lamy Agelidis • [lamy.agelidis@gmail.com](mailto:lamy.agelidis@gmail.com)

Tuesday-Saturday Expert Guest Speakers ..... 2:00 p.m.

Monday 0-300 Pairs (*single sessions*) ..... 2:00 p.m. & 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday-Saturday 0-100 / 0-300 Pairs (*single sessions*) ..... 10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m.

## Top-Tier Mini-Soloway Knockout Teams

Tuesday-Wednesday Knockout Teams (4 sessions) ..... 10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m.

Thursday-Friday Knockout Teams (4 sessions) ..... 10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m.

Two-day team event – Day 1 is a Round Robin that qualifies four teams to a KO final. Open to all participants

Teams with an average greater than 10,000 MPs must play in the Mini-Soloway

## Card Fees

**Card Fees:** \$18 per person

Credit cards only accepted

Unpaid ACBL Members: \$4 extra

Juniors 25 & under: \$9

**Website:** [www.d22acbl.com/palm-springs-regional](http://www.d22acbl.com/palm-springs-regional)

## D22 Safety Protocols

- Proof of Covid vaccination no longer required
- Masking recommended if an attendee is at high risk for severe illness
- If a masked partnership requests their opponents to wear masks, those opponents are expected to comply
- Masked partnership expected to stay masked during the entire event
- Masks will be available at Directors' stations
- If you don't feel well, please forgo playing