

Columbia, SC

District 7 Regional
July 26 - 30, 2026



Southern Hospitality the Columbia Way

If you want a shorter tournament with big hospitality, this is for you. Popular attractions including scenic riverwalks, the Riverbanks Zoo and Gardens, and the Columbia Museum of Art. Enjoy a variety of dining options in the Vista and Five Points areas.

- ♠ Prizes for section tops and overall winners
- ♥ Five **GOLD RUSH** events — Pairs and Teams
- ♦ Three Mid-Flight events — Pairs
- ♣ Three Bracketed Round Robin Teams — play against others with similar Masterpoints
- ♠ Intermediate / Newcomer programs with some of your favorite speakers (Sunday - Thursday)



DoubleTree by Hilton

2100 Bush River Road, Columbia, SC 29210

Reservations: (866) 247-3572

Online: [Columbia 2026 Regional](#)

Room rates: \$119/night when you mention District 7 Bridge, code ACB

Deadline: June 26, DoubleTree will charge one night room rate and tax to each reservation after cutoff date

Cancellations: If you need to cancel your hotel stay, please contact the Tournament Chair, first before canceling.

The DoubleTree is at the intersection of I-20 and I-26, 10 miles from the Columbia airport. Free parking and airport shuttle. Extra check-in and housekeeping services throughout the tournament.

Alternate hotel: Sleep Inn

\$109/night, (803) 731-9999
(next door to DoubleTree)

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Sunday, July 26 - Thursday, July 30

All Monday 2-session gold-point pair games benefit the Grass Roots Fund

WEDNESDAY, JULY 29 • Goodwill Day

Cottontown Knockout (1, 2 of 4)	10 & 2:30
<i>Continues 9:30 and TBA Thursday</i>	
A/X Pairs	10 & 2:30
Mid-Flight Pairs	10 & 2:30
Columbia Canal GOLD RUSH Pairs	10 & 2:30
99er and 499er Pairs	10/2:30
Congaree River Side Series (3, 4 of 4)	10/2:30
Swiss Teams, single session	2:30/7:30
Riverbanks Zoo Side Series (1 of 3)	7:30

THURSDAY, JULY 30

Round Robin Teams	9:30/TBA
Riverbanks Zoo Side Series (2, 3 of 3)	9:30/2:00

SUNDAY, JULY 26

Round Robin Teams	10 & 2:30
Open Pairs	10 & 2:30
Five Points GOLD RUSH Pairs	10 & 2:30
99er and 499er Pairs	10/2:30
Broad River Side Series Pairs (1, 2 of 4)	10/2:30
Old Shandon Side Series (1 of 3)	7:30

MONDAY, JULY 27

Gamecocks Knockout (1, 2 of 4)	10 & 2:30
<i>Continues 10 and 2:30 Tuesday</i>	
A/X Pairs	10 & 2:30
Mid-Flight Pairs	10 & 2:30
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99er and 499er Pairs	10/2:30
Broad River Side Series (3, 4 of 4)	10/2:30
Swiss Teams, single session	2:30
Open & GOLD RUSH Swiss Teams	7:30
<i>Two sessions continue 7:30 Tuesday</i>	
Old Shandon Side Series (2 of 3)	7:30

TUESDAY, JULY 28

Round Robin Teams	10 & 2:30
A/X Pairs	10 & 2:30
Mid-Flight Pairs	10 & 2:30
Gervais Street GOLD RUSH Pairs	10 & 2:30
99er and 499er Pairs	10/2:30
Congaree River Side Series (1, 2 of 4)	10/2:30
Swiss Teams, single session	2:30
Old Shandon Side Series (3 of 3)	7:30

- Strats determined by MP average, but no player may exceed event limit
- All KOs are bracketed, random draw with no playbacks until unavoidable. Top two brackets may have fewer than 9 teams and be played as a two-session Round Robin qualifying four teams to a KO. See the District 7 web page for Conditions of Contest
- Round Robin Teams are bracketed, typically in groups of 7 teams (3 winning gold) or 9 teams (4 winning gold), with the bottom bracket possibly played as Swiss

Unless noted otherwise:

- All **Open** events, including Side Series: 1500/3500/3500+
- **A/X Strats:** 0-6000/6000+
- **Mid-Flight Strats:** 0-1500/1500-3500
- **Gold Rush Strats:** 200/500/750
(gold points for 750 strat overalls and section tops)
- **99er and 499er** games stratified at the director's discretion
- **&** Indicates 2 session event and **/** indicates 2 separate events