## American Contract Bridge League District 16

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Bridge News Bulletin for The Texas Regional Conference

## Four Teams Qualify For GNT at Washington Nationals



San Antonio, Texas

GRAND NATIONAL TEAMS SUPERFLIGHT Ira Hessel - Nagy Kamel Dan Morse - Greg Hinze



GRAND NATIONAL TEAMS FLIGHT A Tom Edwards - Stan Kohan Charlie Price - Marc Poe



GRAND NATIONAL TEAMS FLIGHT B Pamela Wiegmann - David Farris J Weigmann - Peter Hudson



July/August 2009

GRAND NATIONAL TEAMS FLIGHT C Herb Kalman - Robert Reichek Harry Elliott - Byron Elliott (NP) Brett Elliott

RICHARDSON — 49 teams competed over the Memorial Day weekend to determine which four teams would represent District 16 at the national finals in Washington at the end of July....and the winners are:

Superflight: Dan Morse, Greg Hinze, Nagy Kamel, and Ira Hessel Flight A: Charles Price, Marcus Poe, S Kohan, and Tom Edwards Flight B: Peter Hudson, David Farris, J Wiegmann, and Pamela Wiegmann

Flight C: Brett Elliott, Robert Rei chek, Herbert Kalman, Harry Elliott, and Byron Elliott

There were 4 Superflight teams, 10 in A, 26 in B and 9 in C. The total of 49 teams was about average for this event. The superflight went right into the KO round with 32 board semifinals and a 48 board final. The other three flights had round robins to determine the teams to advance to the KO round.

The Superflight final was close all the way. The runner-ups included Bob Hamman, Hemant Lall and Bart Bramley who were members of the team that took third in last year's national final and Chris Hamman, After 48 boards the final margin was 8. The Morse team led by five after 32 boards and held on in a match many pivotal hands.

The same Flight A team also won Flight A in 2006 and after adding Greg Hinze and Mark Bumgardner they finished second at the Chicago Summer Nationals. This year they will augment their team with two of the most promising players of the 1970's, John Bromberg and Paul Burka. Paul was a Scorecard editor in 1980's.

Robert Reichek and Herbert Kalman of the Flight C winners and Ira Hessel in the Superflight also won their respective Flights in the NAOP at the district finals in January earlier this year.

## **District 16 Well Represented** In Sao Paolo World Championships



Shawn Quinn



**Bob Hamman** 



Peggy Sutherlin



Lynn Baker

## Virus Alert

The district 16 website has recently been a victim of a computer virus. All the Unit sites are connected with the district site so many or all of them were likewise infected. Bert Onstott, our district webmaster, has done yeoman's work in ridding the sites of the problem which was quite the daunting task. The webservers and internet browsers are equipped with their own protection software but they are not infallible. We are all responsible to have protective software installed in our computers, so please do your part.

Those with Firefox may still get a warning and may be blocked. You can use Internet Explorer to check these sites until Firefox approves or you can lower Firefox's sensitivity.



AMERICAN CONTRACT BRIDGE LEAGUE

DISTRICT 16 **SCORECARD** 

**Bridge News Bulletin for** The Texas Regional Conference 2826 Barrel Oak San Antonio, TX 78231

SACRAMENTO CA. & WHITE PLAINS NY --- District 16 has players on three of the four Open and Woman teams being sent to São Paulo, Brazil this Fall to compete in the World Championships. The Seniors trials will be in July and we have some worthy entrants.

At the recently concluded Open team trials in White Plains, New York, Bob Hamman's powerhouse squad came from behind to capture the USA2 spot. Bob was playing with Zia Mahmood on a squad that included Jeff Meckstroth, Eric Rodwell, Richard Freeman and Nick

In the Woman's team trials, Lynn Baker was on a team that harrowly defeated a squad that included Shawn Quinn and Peggy Sutherlin to

qualify as the USA1. Shawn and Peggy then went on to win the plavoff for the USA2 team, so District 16 will have players on both USA women's teams in Brazil. If they both prevail in the early going they will have to meet in the semifinals, as only one USA team can reach the finals. Baker's team includes Kerri Sanborn, Beth Palmer, Karen McCallum Irina Levitina and Lvnn Deas. Baker's husband, Sam Dinkin, is NPC. Shawn and Peggy's team includes Renee Mancuso, Connie Goldberg, Pamela Wittes and JoAnn Sprung.

All the trials were featured on the viewgraph at Bridge Base online. Many of the matches featured thrilling nands and exciting linishes Two redoubled slams that could have been defeated on opening lead

but were not were observed. In the match to determine USA2 there was some vuja dé when Hamman was defending 5C redoubled! The lead here didn't matter and the 1600 our man picked up yielded 19 IMPs and essentially settled the match. Check out the action at .http:// www.bridgebase.com/ to watch the São Paolo action this Fall.

In the Youth trials to determine a team to play in Turkey former D16 members Zach Brescoll and Justin Lall won the right to represent USA. Justin will be playing with Jeremy Fournier who is currently living in Dallas so we can temporarily claim this pair as our own.

Ira Hessel District 16 President



thank them for their many contribu- to continue to do so. tions which are far too many to list here, and wish them both well.

After many years of volunteering and have helped retain the newer the above noted chairpeople or myand all the time spent on the recent members. After a long steady de- self. Houston nationals Toni and Eric cline ending in the early millennium, Snow are taking a well deserved the District has continually increased Here's hoping to see you all at the hiatus from their current posts. On its membership (see membership San Antonio regional. Please feel behalf of District 16 I would like to chart on page 16) and will endeavor free to talk to me about any recom-

our bylaws is "To preserve and pro-tive is continually gained by chatting Scott Humphries has been appointed mote the best interests of the com- with players from all levels. as Chair of the Jacoby Awards competitive or tournament form of conmittee and Donna Compton as Chair tract bridge and any modifications

of the Scorecard committee. Betty thereof." To this purpose a commit-Starzec will be the chair of a new tee has been formed on Tournament committee, Unit Growth Strategies. Standards, whose chair is not yet The purpose of this committee is to been determined. Anyone who gather and share strategies that have wishes to serve on/or contribute to introduced new players to duplicate any of these committees can contact

mendations or information that you feel will help improve bridge in any One of the fundamental objectives in way at any level. A deeper perspec-

### Judicious Ruling By Ira Hessel

Once, when I tried to give a hand to Spider Harris, he exclaimed-"Do I ever tell you rulings!" Well I always asked him for some good ones. This one is for you old friend.

My New York friend Bob Heitzman reported an interesting reruling at the recent nationals. It seems that throughout a round the east-west pair was being particularly abrasive to Bob. So when Bob made an obvious claim, on a hand he was declaring, they asked him to explain his plan. Bob then simply used a euphemism that New Yorkers substitute often for an exclamation point. The director was summoned and Bob was given a 3-IMP penalty for spreading some Manhattan culture. But to be fair, the director checked with some other north-south pairs in the same section and the penalty was reduced to 1-IMP.

<b>DISTRICT 16 TOURNAMENTS</b>							
JULY							
SAN ANTONIO REGIONAL	6/29-7/05						
Austin (NLM) (May)	18-19						
Tyler (May)	10-12						
Dallas (0-100) (May)	10-12						
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AUGUST							
Richardson (14)	6-9						
Abilene (0-300)	14-15						
Arlington (NLM)	15-16						
Austin (0-100)	15-16						
Houston (7)	21-23						
Lubbock (15)	21-23						
San Miguel Allende (nc)	14-16						
San Antonio (NLM)	29-30						
SEPTEMBER							
Odessa	11-13						
FORT WORTH REGIONAL (16)	1-7						
Richardson (NLM) (15)	11-13						
Spring(0-300)	11-13						
Austin (11)	17-20						
Athens(0-500NLM)	24-27						
New Braunfels	24-27						
OCTOBER							
BEAUMONT REGIONAL	12-18						
Austin (0-100)	3-4						
Wichita Falls (8)	2-4						
Dallas NLM	8-11						
U-174 STaC	5-11						
San Antonio	9-12						
Fort Worth	24-25						
Houston (0-100)	24-25						
Rockport	23-25						
Houston	30-Nov 1						
Abilene	30-Nov 1						
NOVEMBED							
NOVEMBER PUERTO VALLARTA REGIONAL	2-8						
Houston 0-300	2-8 6-8						
Richardson	5-8						
Austin NLM	3-8 14-15						
San Antonio	12-15						
Fort Worth	20-22						
McAllen	20-22						
DECEMBER	20-22						
San Miguel Allende	18-20						
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### Garner McDaniel

1919 - 2009.

Garner McDaniel of Houston passed away May 28, She was a very successful figure on the national scene in the 60's. From 1962-1967 she won 3 Nationals and was second in 4 others . We thank Dr. George Pisk for the following:

I was saddened recently to learn of

the demise of my dear friend Garner McDaniel, whom I have known and admired for half a century or thereabouts. Garner had many personal, financial, and familial problems in her hard life, but she managed to cope with all of them with courage, grace, and a terrific sense of humor. Back in the distant past, we played bridge together occasionally, and I found her to be a fearless competitor who generated lots of action. Once we were entered in a small tournament, playing in a so-called "Revenge Mitchell" movement where one plays 3 boards per round and finishes with another 3 in the last round against one's first-round opponents. I wish I could claim credit for some of our good results, but they were mostly due to Garner's psychological dominance of the poor befuddled opponents. I never had the slightest idea of what she was doing, but then neither did they. Believe it or not, we scored six absolute tops, a 100% showing



against a single pair which I have never even come close to duplicating

Unfortunately Garner lived most of her life many miles from me, so that I was not able to enjoy her always cheerful company as often as I would have liked, but it was always a treat to visit with her. I have many fond memories of this fine lady, and shall miss her very much.

Dr. George M. Pisk

## **Instructions for Submitting Photos**

1. Use a flash to insure adequate lighting.

10/5-10/11

11/26-12/6

- 2. Choose a background that does not have distractions.
- 3. For team photos, have the two tallest members sit down, and the two shorter members stand behind them. Ask the ones standing to lean in a little so everyone will be
- in focus.
- 4. Center your photos, so no cropping will be necessary later. 5. Have the players write their names, the date, and the event they won on a sheet a paper. Have them write their names as they are positioned in the photo: left, right. For team photos: left rear, right rear, left front, right front.
- 6. After downloading the photos on the computer, rename the photos by the players' last names as they appear in the photo. For example: Hamman-Wolff for a pair; or Meckstroth Rodwell Nickell Freeman using the format left rear, right rear, left front, right front for teams.

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## North American Open Pairs

Bv Ellen Hessel

The North American Open Pairs has been a major open pairs championship since its beginning in 1979. The prize for coming in first in your district was a free trip to the site of the Spring North American Championships so you could play in the finals. It was initially known as the Grand National Pairs, but in 1987 the name was changed to the North American Open Pairs Flight A to accompany the birth of the North American Non-Life Master Pairs. The event continued to evolve when in 1992 the league added a Flight B (under 1500 masterpoints). Additionally, there's now a Flight C category. The 2009-2010 NAOP flight eligibility is as follows: Flight A is open to any player, Flight B is for players with less than 2000 MPs as of the 2009 June masterpoint cycle, and Flight C is for Non-Life Masters with fewer than

500 MPs as of the 2009 June masterpoint cycle. Enough for now of the background, as the point here is to encourage everyone to come out and play in this really awesome contest! It all begins at the club level where you need to play and finish in the top 50% of your field. There are multiple opportunities to succeed at this initial stage which are to be set during the months of June, July and August of 2009. Check your local club schedules to see when they will be holding these special games, as you may not continue to the next level without first qualifying at the club. The next tier is the local unit qualifying game (there's only one of these per unit) which usually takes place sometime in the fall (the Sept./Oct. Scorecard will be publishing the particulars). There, you must finish in the top 50% of your field (the flight you're playing in) to qualify for the district level which will be held on Jan 9-10,

2010 in Austin. The prizes for winning at the district level have also undergone some changes. First and second place in each flight now receive cash from the ACBL - \$700 per person for first and \$300 per person for second. In large fields when four pairs qualify second may get \$700 a player as well. The 2010 Spring North American Championships will be held in Reno, Nevada. \$700 would certainly be plenty for a decent flight and hotel with a bit left over for "some other fun." I'm fairly certain that many of you have been asked by non-bridge players, "Bridge, this game you love so much, what do you get for winning?" I know that I often seem to have some difficulty with this query, but not when it comes to this event! So here's wishing you luck and hoping to see you out there competing at the club, unit, and district levels of the NAOP and maybe even in Reno!!

## he Good Old Days"

By Ira Hessel

"plus ça change, plus c'est la même chose" - Jean-Baptiste Alphonse Karr ... "The more things change the more they remain the same"

Recently I have been getting a lot of

emails pointing out how great life was in the mid part of last century. Nostalgia is a powerful force but all of these observations ignore the real progress man has madeas well as many problems. Remember the endless problems with TV and radio, the

cold war, no air conditioning, 2 hour subway rides to school? Despite the nightmares of the news today it is the safest time to be alive! My father's car never started easily in the cold (I did increase my vocabulary) and I could not produce a good typed

paper for love or money. Sure I miss the \$2 Knick, Jet, Met and Yankee tickets but I can now watch all the Spur games at home in giant HD. If not for advances in medicine I would have been blind 9 years ago. If you dropped out of school you were drafted.

As I move toward adulthood I reflect on the changes in bridge in my lifetime. I started playing in the 70's. When I started playing bridge I was a graduate student in Austin. I spent the 60's in Greenwich Village and the 70's on 6<sup>th</sup> street in Austin. I was born at the right time.

We bid audibly without bidding boxes. Reviews were commonplace. Down 4 doubled was 700. There were 7 events in a regional and 6 events in a 4 day sectional. Regionals were reported in the ACBL bulletin and only 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> were listed. Only 7 pictures. Saturday pair games at sectional were 2-session qualifying events. There was always the consolation. The internet was still a gleam in Al Gore's eye. The Scorecard was 8 smaller pages and had an average of 15 pictures. Often a lot of the content was not regional but covered national team trials and

I was proud of the 0.06 masterpoints I won in my first duplicate and beamed brightly when I made junior master-1 point. At the clubs we received masterpoint slips that required the hassle of having to be mailed in but the play was still the thing. One time I did scurry to get my points in so I could qualify for the Master's pairs at the San Antonio nationals. I had to get up to 20 points! Many players smoked at the table incessantly. Swiss teams were 8 rounds of 7 and we started at noon or later on Sunday. The second session was at 5:30 and they always

In the 70's they introduced flight B and eventually C and AX. The first Grand National teams was one flight and everyone had to qualify at the Unit level. At the district finals 64 teams played four round robins to get down to 16 and another round robin to get to 4 or 8 for KO. The final was 64 boards. It was played on Monday. In Houston in 1978 72 teams played at the qualifying stage to send 12 teams to the district finals

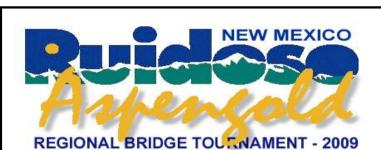
There was one KO at the regional. There was a Swiss team qualifier of 40-80 teams and the 16 top teams started the KO round. They played it in the mornings and the matches were 32 hands each. I remember sometimes the finals on Saturday morning was on vugraph with commentary. Winning one was quite an accomplishment. I remember the first time I took second to a team that included Hamman, Soloway and Goldman by 6 IMPs. In that atmosphere second was quite a feat and my reward was that I got to play Hamman backgammon for the first

A non-bridge playing friend's mom started when Ely Culbertson was still the man. She didn't become LM until the 90's but I saw her at every local sectional before and after. She played because she loved the game.

We always had a dance Saturday night at regionals. It was nice to see Dallas return to that. Folks dressed up for the mixed pairs. We partied and socialized a lot after the game.

People traveled to regionals and sectionals. A sectional in the 60's (this was a bit before my time) in Fort Worth drew players from New Orleans, Chicago, New York and the west coast. Lifemaster was the highest rank and did not require more than 3 colors. There was a total of 10 LM's in the 1930's originally and no-they never gave one to Ely Culbertson. They did make him an "honorary" LM. Who was he? Check the internet if you must know. He was to bridge what Newton was to gravity.

Well I still love the game. The intrinsic appeal never wanes. The variations in format are often well intended. The price of entries has increased less than 2.5 % a year. Bidding boxes, time clocks and no smoking greatly enhances the game. Players have many more resources to improve their game. I cherish the friendships that I have made and know wherever I go, anywhere in the country, I will rekindle them. Old friends seem to always come out of the woodwork. The volunteers that really make the game thrive are plentiful. New friends abound. Bridge attracts highly intelligent and interesting people. Studies show that bridge players remain lucid and productive much longer than non active folks. I don't look back with regret and anticipate a bright future for bridge. I am well knowing that in a few years that today will be the good old days.



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Handicapped KO #1, 1st and 2nd round A and B Stratified open pairs, single session Stratified 299er pairs, single sessions

10:00am & 3:00pm 10:00am & 3:00pm 10:00am & 3:00pm

#### Saturday, September 19

Handicapped KO #1, final round Marie Sharp Stratified Open Pairs, 2 sessions Stratified 299er pairs, single sessions

10:00am 10:00am & 3:00pm 10:00am & 3:00pm

### Sunday, September 20

Betty Kennedy Stratified Swiss Teams 10:00am & TBA Open Stratified games: A: 1500+; B: 300 – 1499; C: 0 – 299

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**Bob Morris** has earned over 13,000 masterpoints in his career and is a perennial top 50 finisher in the Barry Crane Race. He is a 2-time National Champion and has captured over 200 Regionals. Formally trained as a high school teacher, he is comfortable teaching students of all levels.



Lisa Berkowitz is a World Champion, a 16-time National Champion and a Pan-American Champion. She taught at both Honors and Hartes bridge clubs in the New York area before relocating to Florida. She is especially adored by her students of all levels.

David Berkowitz is an author, an editor of The Bridge World, a 26-time National Champion and a silver and bronze medalist at the World Championships. He also won the Pan American Games and the prestigious Cap-Gemini tournament. He is one of the ACBL's top 20 Life Masters. He frequently lectures and typically leaves them rolling in the aisles.



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DAY	9:30A-11:30A	1:30P-4:30P	7:30P-10:30P
Sunday	xxx	xxx	Game
Monday	Lecture	Game	Game
Tuesday	Lecture	Game	Game
Wednesday	Lecture	Game	Game
Thursday	Lecture	Game	Game
Friday	Lecture	Game	Game
Saturday	Lecture	Game	xxx

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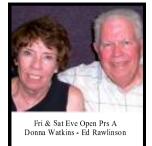


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Fri Aft 299ers Carol Ellis - Karen Ellis



William Scapero - Laurie Levin

Sat KO Jack Lacey - Patti Hinze George Pisk - Ira Hessel



Sun Swiss A Patti Hinze - George Pisk Jerry Bigler - Steve Bruce



Sun Swiss B Jane Bowers - Jodie McMahon Barbara Altgelt - Susie Willerson



Sat Aft 199ers C Janet & Richard Mitchell



Sat Aft Open Prs A

**Unit 172** San Antonio

David Mitchell



Congratulations to our members achieving new levels in the ACBL. Carole O'Connor garnered 49 gold points in Gatlinburg and became a new Life Master. Terry Rice also earned Life Master status. Annette Frasher reached Bronze Life Master. Jerry Harrington and Patricia Jackson achieved Silver Life Master, and C. David Mitchell became a Gold Life Master.

We're currently gearing up for the very popular Fourth of July Regional Tournament – June 30-July 5, 2009 – at the Omni Hotel on I 10 West just north of Wurzbach. Come and enjoy great bridge, speakers and San Antonio hospitality. Check out our flyers in print or on line at the ACBL, District 16 and Unit 172 web sites.

Our unit has set up a few Pro-Am events. The next one is July 18 at the Bridge Club of San Antonio. Out of towners will be welcomed with open arms. Call 210-590-9100 for times and directions.

On a personal note I want to thank all of the Unit 172 members who called, sent cards, had consoling words, gave hugs and attended one or both of the services for my son who passed away May 5, 2009. It is the worst thing in the world to bury vour only child. We have established

THE ALFRED DAVID MITCHELL FOUNDATION C/O TUMS 5319 Newcome Drive San Antonio, TX 78229 Attention: D. Schneider

Any and all donations will go to upgrade the library and computer lab at the wonderful private school where I teach. Our son loved to read and tinker with computers.

Y'all have a great summer. Hope we see you in San Antonio soon.

### **Turtle Creek** Sectional

June 5-7 San Antonio 190 players 181 tables.

- 26.11 Jack Lacy,
- 2 22.63 George Pisk,
- 3 21.87 Patty Hinze,
- 4 19.97 Donna Watkins 5 13.54 Jerrold Harrington
- 6 13.17 Ira Hessel
- 7 12.95 Bill Walker
- 8 12.71 Jyme Schmieder, 9 12.10 Cecelia Zachar
- 10 11.73 Marilyn Arnold,

Fri Aft Open Pairs-33.0 Tables / Based on 44 Tables A1. Shervleen Grothus-Donna Watkins A2. Jack Lacy-Jyme Schmieder B1. Mary Cooper-Patty Moncus B2. K Carpenter-Gool Castleberry C1. Bob Steidel -S.K. Sharma C2. Rand Schmidt-Josoeph Caldarola Fri Aft 299'er Pairs-11.0 Tables

AB1/2 Sharon MacMorran-Kenneth MacMorran AB1/2 Carol Ellis-Karen Fillis

C1. Dee Baker-Stewart Windler C2. Sharon Long-Sandy Chandler

Friday Eve Open Pairs-20.0 Tables A1. Donna Watkins-Ed Rawlinson A2B1, Jerrold Harrington-Cecelia Zachar B2C1. Anne Evers-Robert Evers C2. Jacquelyn Fisher-Ginny Littrell Boerne

Sat Eve Open Pairs-18.0 Tables A1. Ed Rawlinson-Donna Watkins A2, Marilyn Arnold-Bill Walker Bulverde

B1. William Scarpero-Laurie-Ann Levin B2. Charles Loeffler-Eugene Lux C1. Anyemarie Weaver-Dee Pollock A2. Susan Hernandez-Jo

Sat KO-7 Tables 1. Patty Hinze-Ira Hessel-Jack Lacy-George Pisk 2. Arline Rubin-Olivia Brown-Paula Wissman-Jay Thorne

Sat Aft Open Pairs-27.5 Tables / Based on 34 Tables A1. Marilyn Arnold-Bill Walker A2B1. Jerrold Harrington-Cecelia Zachar B2. Alonzo Britton-Mary Britton C1. Carole Lee O'Connor-Patricia Balhorn C2. Judith Hoffman-Stephen Hoffman

Saturday Afternoon 199ers-6.0 Tables AB1. Kenneth MacMorran-

Sharon MacMorran AB2 C1. Richard Mitchell-Janet Mitchell C2. Carol Ellis-Karen Fillis Sunday Swiss Teams-26 Tables 1. Stephen Bruce-Jerry Bigler-George Pisk-Patty HinzE 2. Jack Lacy-Wayne Rauschuber-Janet Clark-Thomas Clark B1. Susie Willerson-Jodie McMahon-Barbara Altgelt-Jane Bowers B2C1. Sherill Harris-Andrea Williams-Ross Thornbrugh-Loretta Thornbrugh

**Unit 174** Houston Anne Page

Condolences to all who mourn the recent deaths of these members of our bridge community: Raleigh Barker, Pat Elmendorf, Jane Ely, Allen M. Kinghorn, Joe Levine, Marie Provenzano Lout, Garner McDaniel, Betty G. Miller, Georgia Sampson, Jay Strassner, Ruth J. Tausch, Earline Winn, Sympathy to Patti Mullendore who is mourning the death of her husband.

Best wishes to Sue Adamson, Bob Dowlen, and Robert Reichek, our new members of the Board of Directors voted in at the Election Sectional, as they begin their duties. Thanks in advance to the Board's elected new officers, Pat Levy (President), Paul Cuneo (Vice President), John Erickson (Secretary), and re-elected non-Board member Jim Woodward (Treasurer) for the countless hours of volunteer work they will be doing for us.

Congratulations to Marcella Thomas and Karen Nimmons for winning the 2009 Unit Goodwill Award which was presented to them at the May Election Sectional.

From among the 2,328 tables that played in the April District 16 STaC where 6.675.82 masterpoints were earned by 2,773 players, several of our Unit 174 players placed high in the rankings list. Congratulations to #12 Gil Micheletti (20.70), #15 Anton (Tony) Haddad (20.17), #16 Pat

Levy (20.16), and #19 James Hibbetts (19.57).

Our second Social Bridge Day on April 25 consisted of class for 2 hours in the morning, a catered lunch, and an afternoon 3-section (6-5-5) duplicate bridge game at which the 16 tables played 5 rounds of 2 boards each and prizes were awarded to top winners. The committee, Bert Onstott (Chair), Sue Adamson, Laura Lee Jones, Gary King, Anne Knott and Pat Levy deserve many pats on their backs for this successful Unit event! Special thanks to Gary King for teaching the class and to Bill Baker, Betsy DuBose, Mimi Hagedorn, Jolie Hess, Robert Reichek, Vic and Joan Sitton, Don and Phyllis Timko, and Jim Woodward who volunteered to be helpers that day. (If you would like to work on the next Social Bridge Day, please tell any Board member).

Thanks to Chuck Michalski for being the brave soul who volunteered to try to fill Arlene Weingarten's shoes as publisher of the Unit's periodic email newsletter. My take after seeing his first two issues is that he's doing a great job! He needs your help keeping in touch with Unit happenings, so please send him "all the news that's fit to print" at camichalski@sbcglobal.net or call him at 281 -221-0613 (hm) or 281-251-1682 (mb).

We had 476 tables at the May Election Sectional, and 1,832.67 masterpoints were earned by 514 players. Our top winners were #1 Dianna Gittelman (43.17) and #2 Anthony Bianchi (33.85) followed by an almost 3 way tie of #4 Tony Haddad (25.65), and #5/#6 J. Gittelman (25.61) and Gary King (25.61).

Eric Snow presented the final financial report of our successful Spring NABC at the June 1 meeting of the Board. Approximately \$51,000 is being returned to us!!! This money will be used in ways that will benefit the Unit's members.

79.70 masterpoints were earned by 65 of the players at 40 tables attending the May 299er Sectional. Top winners were #1 Margot Leonard

(4.20), #2 Catherine Gonzales (4.04), and #3/#4 Stephen Banks and Carol Banks (3.03).

A new Online Unit 174 Directory has been created on the Unit 174 Website for the convenience of members who use the Internet To access it, you must register with your ACBL number and a password of your choosing (which can be the same as the one you use for the Online Partnership Desk if that one meets the criteria for this one or you can change that one to match as I did). Then log in using your ACBL number and password and click on Unit Pages/Unit Directory to access the directory (or vice versa as these actions can be done in either order). Thanks to Bert Onstott, Webmaster, for this terrific addition. Your data is secure because only members of ACBL Unit 174 can gain access to this area of the website.

Congratulations to these recent Life Masters and Masterpoint Achievers for their accomplishments: NEW LIFE MASTER (300+ MPs): Judy Brown, Gary Hercules, Terri Orlean, John Taylor, Steve Varner, Kathy Watkins, Eric Watson. BRONZE LIFE MASTER (500+ MPs): Allen Brandt, Rick Burton, Beverly Cheatham, Carolyn Campbell, Lana Guise, Pat Kubicek, Ann McDougal, Margaret Raymond, Robert Reichek, James Simmons, June Smith, Charles Tillery, Elizabeth Ward, Eric Watson, Carol Wilson. SILVER LIFE MASTER (1,000+ MPs): Lily Andre, Paula Hradecky, John Lai, Phyllis Maness, Gabriel Perry, Charles Sommer, Yvonne Strangmeyer, Nancy Tiner, Richard Wilson. EMERALD LIFE MASTER (7,500 MPs): Pat Levy.

Lots of applause for Eric Snow for his many outstanding years of service as our Unit 174's representative to District 16. He has asked to step down and many thanks go to Bert Onstott for accepting the Board's unanimous appointment to the posi-

After the dust settled at the District 16 GNT 2009 Playoffs during Memorial Weekend, our Unit ended up

being well represented in the Finals. Dan Morse is on the winning Superflight team. Our team of Henry Casper, Bill St. Clair, Vin Tran and Bill Lease tied with the Carolyne and George Fox and Jane and Robert Matcha team for #3/#4 in Flight A. Our teams of Daniel Jackson, Duane Friedrich, Mark Wallet and William Gervais took #2 in Flight B and Katherine and Bert Onstott, Donna Sparks and Nic Prado were part of a Flight B tie for #3/#4. Then #1 in Flight C was grabbed by our team of Brett Elliott, Robert Reichek, Herbert Kalman, Harry Elliott and Byron Elliott. Good luck to all at the Summer NABC in Washington DC.

With the arrival of summer comes the club level qualifying games for the North American Open Pairs competitions in Flights A, B, and C. They began in June. If you haven't qualified yet, check your club's schedule for its NAOP dates in July and August. You must qualify at the club level to compete in the unit level NAOP in October in which qualifies players for the District NAOP in January from which the winners compete in the Finals at the Spring NABC.

After enjoying this August's Sectional at the Westchase Marriott, you can look forward to being there every August through 2012 as well as for

our February Regionals thanks to our Board's excellent negotiations with hotel management.

If you have news to share, please send an email to annepage@halpc.org or leave a phone message at 281-442-1509 (days).

### **Houston Election** Sectional

May 1-3 2009 514 players.476 tables.

- 1 43.17 Dianna Gittelman
- 2 33.85 Anthony Bianchi
- 3 25.65 Jo Smith
- 4 25.65 Anton (Tony) Haddad
- 5 25.61 J Gittelman
- 6 25.61 Gary King
- 7 22.68 Dan Morse 8 22.32 Thomas Peters
- 9 22.32 Gil Micheletti
- 10 22.32 Carolyn Peters

Friday Afternoon Open-46.0 Tables / Based on 70 Tables A1. Anton (Tony) Haddad- Jo Smith A2. Ralda St Pierre-Dianna Gittelman B1. Mary Stevens- Virginia Melville B2C1 Sherry Greisen- Brent McDaniel C2 Betty Schell- Betsy Wiley Friday Afternoon 299er-18.5 Ta-

bles ABC1. O Bunn-Patricia Bunn

AB2. Joseph Cunningham-Kailash Sachdev C2. Geri Noel-Mary Jennings

Friday Afternoon 49er-5.0 Tables A1/2 BC1 Betty Ryan Tomball TX-Peggy Clough A1/2 Jean Foltz-Jo Ann Pierce BC2. Sandra Barnes-Linda Cornell

Friday Evening Open-32.0 Tables / Based on 44 Tables A1. Dianna Gittelman-Anthony Bianchi A2. Paul Nimmons-Jolie Hess B1. Steve Vaughn-Richard Stell B2C1 Sherry Greisen- Brent McDaniel C2. Helene Baskir-Jean Swenson Friday Evening 299er-12.0 Tables A1 Anne Knott-John Knott A2BC1. Jean Foltz-Jo Ann Pierce B2. Joseph Cunningham Conroe TX- Kailash Sachdev C2. O Bunn-Patricia Bunn Fri-Sat Handicapped KO-16 Tables 1. Dan Morse-John Zilic-Gil Micheletti- Thomas Peters-Carolyn Peters 2. J Pettigrew- Elizabeth Vondy-

Norma Becker-Genie Hayden Saturday Morn 299er-8.5 Tables AB1. Jim McCormick-David Durand AB2. Marvin Livingston-Michael McKown C1. O Bunn-Patricia Bunn C2. Calvin Beard-Janet Beard A1. Clairlee Hirsch-William Schneider A2BC1. Ann Sinclair-Joyce Eveld BC2. Geri Noel-Jean Clarke Saturday Aft 49er-6.0 Tables

ABC1. William Harris Jr-Carolyn Harris AB2. Kyle Lueders- David Lueders C2. Ron Peck- Mary Peck

Saturday Eve Swiss Teams-25 Tables A1. Carolyne Fox-George Fox- Victor Sitton-Joan Sitton A2. Wayne Christensen Jr- Joan Pleason-Terry Currie-Paul Nimmons BC1/2 1/2 Patricia Ward- Donna Hrachovy-Ann Blohm-Faye Baker BC1/2 1/2 Evelyn James-Catherine Gonzales-Dianne Segerstrom- Virginia Wilson-Bette Liebgold-Linda Marlin-Carolyn Lanier

Sat Eve Choice Pairs-22.5 Tables / Based on 31 Tables AB1. Fred Wang -Amy Wang A2. Sally Wheeler-Buddy Hanby B2C1. Vijay Shirsat-James Woodard C2. Muriel Gilmour-Nancy Reader

Sat Eve Strat Side Pairs-5.0 Tables A1. Shirley Stanton- Jo Ellis A2. Anton (Tony) Haddad- Jo Smith B1. Richard Davidson- Sherry Greisen B2. Eric Watson- Clairlee Hirsch Sat Eve Strat 299er Pairs-8.0 Tables AB1. Myra Sue Pruet-Ronald Pruet Jr AB2. O Bunn-Patricia Bunn C1. Jurgen Stielow-Rosemary Stielow C2. Peggy Clough- Betty Rvan

Sat Compact KO Brkt 1-14 Tables 1. Anthony Bianchi-Gary King-J Gittelman-Dianna Gittelman 2. Pat McMullin-Chuck Germeyer III -Ralda St Pierre-Sadhana Dalal Sat. Compact KO Brkt 2-14 Tables 1. Melanie Dunn-Brian Stevens-Mavis Warren- Frances Robbins 2. Raymond Alexanian-Leo L T Chiang

- Atsuko Nakamura- Gordon Yee Sat. Compact KO Brkt 3-16 Tables 1. Ulla Skovdal-Mary Stevens- Joan Torrance-Merlene Gager 2. Clarissa Dowdy-Bathsheba Perry- Yin Choo-Cathy Chen

Sunday A/X Swiss Teams-24 Tables / Based on 66 Tables A1/2 Anthony Bianchi-Gary King-Dianna Gittelman-J Gittelman A1/2 Henry Caspar-Vinh Tran-Toni Snow-Eric Snow X1. Duane Friedrich- Mark Wallet- Daniel Jackson- Bill Gervais X2. Daniel Schomer- Jack Stone-Ing-Tai Chen- Ed Harper 94.00

Sunday B/C/D Swiss Teams-42 Tables B1. Edwin Bain III- Karla Riddick- Kristy Garrison-David Garrison B2C1. Herbert Kalman- Harry Elliott-Allen Brandt-Robert Reichek C2. Robert Graber-Sharon Graber-Rodney McCullough- Doug Boswell D1. Carolyn Robertson-Janet Williams-Lynn Luster-Geri Noel D2. Evelyn James-Catherine Gonzales-Margie Nagle-Dianne Segerstrom Sun Aft Strat Open Pairs-6.0 Tables / Based on 9 Tables AB1. Ariel Leibovitz-Stephen ReichekB2. Shirley McKee-Bobby Maynard B2 Fredi Weinbaum- Carol Noble Sun Aft Strat 299er Pairs-4.5 Tables / Based on 3 Tables 1. Jean Foltz -Jo Ann Pierce 2. Alick Einav- Jeff

## **HOUSTON MAY ELECTION SECTIONAL VICTORS**



Fri Aft Open A Tony Haddad - Jo Smith



Fri Eve Open A Anthony Bianchi - Dianna Gittleman



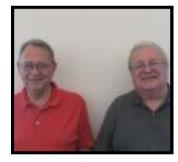
Sat Choice Pairs A & B Fred & Amy Wang



Sun Swiss 1/2 Gary King, Joe & Dianna Gittleman Vinh Tran, Anthony Bianchi Tony & Eric Snow, Henry Caspar



Fri Aft ABC &Sat Morn 299er C Patricia & Owen Bunn



Sat Aft 299er A William Schneider - Lee Hirsch



Sat Eve 299er A B Ron & Myra Pruet



Fri Aft & Eve Open C Brent McDaneil - Sherry Greisen



Dianna & Joe Gittleman Gary King - Anthony Bianchi



Fri Aft 49ers 1/2 Peggy Clough - Betty Ryan



Jean Foltz - Jo Ann Pierce



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Tommy & Carolyn Harris



Fri/Sat KO Bkt 1 John Zilich, Carolyn & Tom Peters Dan Morse - Gil Micheletti

### Jolly June Sectional

Houston 6/12-14/2009 534 players. 530 tables.

- 1 29.25 Thomas Peters Grapeland 2 29.25 John Zilic
- 3 29.25 Gil Micheletti
- 4 29.25 Carolyn Peters Grapeland
- 5 26.30 Eddie Wold
- 6 21.35 Marsha Bernstein
- 7 20.44 Georgiana Gates
- 8 20.38 Randall Lake 9 19.90 Patty Hinze San Antonio
- 10 19.90 Ira Hessel San Antonio
- 11 19.90 Greg Hinze San Antonio 12 19.90 Ellen Hessel San Antonio
- 13 19.68 Daniel Suty

## Fri Aft Strat Open Pairs-34.0

Tables / Based on 59 Tables A1. Eddie Wold-Sam Dodson A2. Elton Lipnick-Bobby Maynard B1. Gregory Lester-Sherry Withers B2. Connie Robichaux-Jessie Schoppe C1 Lucy Hofmann – Marilyn Jordan C2.. Garv Hercules-Carol Noble Fri Aft Strat 299er Pairs-17.0 Tables AB 1. Gail Gillespie-Willie Jo Schaefer AB2C1.. Phyllis Kuchta

Barbara Bogan Fri Aft Strat 49er Pairs-8.0 Tables ABC1. William Harris Jr-Carolyn Harris AB2. Mary King-Paul King Jr B2. Joe Durrett-Carolyn Durrett Fri Eve Strat Open Pairs-31.0 Tables / Based on 47 Tables A1.

Marsha Bernstein-Randall Lake A2.

-Ivan Hudson C2. Patricia Howard-

George Fox Manvel-Lenny Roberts B1. Gregory Lester-Sherry Withers % B2. Atsuko Nakamura Pearland-Lucy Terrill C1. George Dabney-Barbara Dabney C2. Herbert Kalman Bellaire-Robert Reichek Fri Eve Strat 299er Pairs-12.0 Tables A1. Bobbie Moutz El Lago-Thomas Wulfers A2. Connie Burnett-Dianne Foussac B1. Jeff Armstrong-Chris Whitelonis B2. Ben Ball Sugar Land-Betty Cochran C1. Attice Smith-Pat Richey C2/3 Jean Foltz-Phyllis Chaney C2/3 Virgia Walker-David Walker Lufkin

Fri Eve Strat Swiss Teams-16 Tables A1. William Baker-Chuck Gillis-Paul Nimmons-A2 B1. Jeff Nuttall-Nancy Strohmer-Hans

Strohmer-Rai Pruthi B2. Kathleen Malcolmson-Wilma Booth-Geoff Booth-Robert Sandfield C1. Karla Riddick Conroe-Joe Everette Montgomery-Becky Ellisor-C2. Eric Sandberg-Arlene Rawitscher-Jack Rawitscher-Janice Kofman Fri-Sat KO-Bracket 1-9 Tables 1. John Zilic-Dan Morse-Gil Micheletti-Carolyn Peters-Thomas Peters

2. Julian Barr-William Breslin-Robert Cohen-Helen McCabe Fri-Sat KO-Bracket 2-12 Tables 1. Don Morgan-Catherine Brown-Marcella Thomas-Daksha Adhia 2. Edwin Zwald-Joseph Wald-Luca Dona Nandlal Khatri

Fri-Sat KO-Bracket 3-11 Tables 1. Bob Dowlen-Larry Landers-Carolyn Labouliere-Larry Morris 2. Thomas

Lin-Shou Chao-Shih-Ming Yang-Shvue Yuan Wu

Sat Aft Strat Side Pairs-9.0 Tables Al John Lindsey-Theron Lindsey A 2B1. Bob Eisenschmidt-Bill Land B 2/3 Carol Wood-Susan McMahan B 2/3 A. Richard Devaul College Station-Billie Watkins

Sat Aft Strat 299er Pairs-18.0 Tables AB1. Brenda Della Mea-Nancy Starks ABC1. Gary Winston-Shari Winston C2. Charlene Bolten-Stehpanie Slattery

Sat Morn Strat Open Pairs-6.0 Tables / Based on 22 Tables AB1. Daniel Schomer-Ing-Tai Chen AB2C1. Robert Stell-Brent McDan-

Sat Morn Strat 299er Pair-9.0 Tables ABC1. O Bunn-Patricia



## Houston Awesome August Sectional August 21-23, 2009

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Intermediate/Novice Events				
Friday, August 21				
299'r Pairs	1:30 pm			
49'r Pairs (attendance permitting)	1:30 pm			
299'r Pairs	7:00 pm			
49'r Pairs (attendance permitting)	7:00 pm			
Saturday, August 22				
299'r Pairs	9:00 am			
49'r Pairs (attendance permitting)	9:00 am			
299'r Pairs	1:30 pm			
49'r Pairs (attendance permitting)				
0-5 Pairs (attendance permitting)	1:30 pm			
299'r Pairs	7:00 pm			
49'r Pairs (attendance permitting)	7:00 pm			
Sunday, August 23				
299'r Swiss	10:00 am & 3:00 pm			
Play as Strat D of Strati-Flighted Swiss				

299'r Pairs (single sessions) 10:00 am & 3:00 pm

Stratification

299ers: A: 200-300; B: 100-200; C: 0-100

49ers: A: 20-50; B: 5-20; C: 0-5

## Sunday is Arlene Weingarten Day!

There will be a cake at 2:45 pm - just before the 3 pm session.

### **Partnerships**

For partnerships in advance of the tournament, please use <a href="www.Unit174Partnership.com">www.Unit174Partnership.com</a>

### **Open Events** Friday, August 21 Single Session Open Pairs\*\_\_\_\_\_1:30 pm Handicapped KO (Session 1 of 4) 1:30 pm Single Session Open Pairs\* 7:00 pm Handicapped KO (Session 2 of 4) 7:00 pm Single Session Swiss Saturday, August 22 Single Session Open Pairs\* 9:00 am Single Session Open Pairs\* 1:30 pm Handicapped KO (Session 3 of 4) 1:30 pm Compact KO (Session 1 of 2) 1:30 pm Single Session Open Pairs\* 7:00 pm Handicapped KO (Session 4 of 4) 1:30 pm Compact KO (Session 2 of 2) 7:00 pm Single session Swiss 7:00 pm Sunday, August 23 Strati-Flighted Swiss 10:00 am & 3:00 pm Two Session Open Pairs 10:00 am & 3:00 pm Stratified Events:

A = 2000+;B = 750-2000; C = 0-750

Strati-Flighted Event:

A: 3000+; AX: 0-3000; B: 750-2000; C: 300-750; D: 0-300 A & AX play together; B, C & D play together

### **Host Hotel**

Westchase Marriott 2900 Briarpark Houston, TX 77042 713-978-7400 Bridge Rate: \$89 Deadline: August 7<sup>th</sup>

### No Sunday Meal!

**Tournament Co-Chairs** 

Ralda St. Pierre 281.556.0433

Darlene Moody 713.972.1433

Pat Levy

Paul Cuneo

**Partnership** 

Hospitality

Sandy Stevens

Sue Adamson

**Caddies** 

I/N

There will be a break for lunch between sessions to allow players to visit nearby restaurants.

Free Parking!

### \*Pairs Series Championship

The open pairs games held Friday @ 1:30 & 7:00, Saturday @ 9:00, 1:30, & 7:00 make up a 5 Session Series!

Overall awards will be based on the two best scores for each individual

### **Entry Fee**

Only \$10/session all three days! Non ACBL and non-paid members -\$2 extra

Bunn ABC 2/3 Maureen Viaclovsky-H Patricia Leavitt ABC2/3 Ann Frayler-Jeralee Ice

Sat Morn Strat 49er Pairs-7.0 Tables A1. Virgia Walker-David Walker A2B1. Virginia Mayhew-Sharon Kirkland B2C1. William Harris Jr-Carolyn Harris C2. Joe Durrett-Carolyn Durrett

Sat Compact KO-Bracket1-10
Tables 1. Betty Starzec-Bobbi Kauffman-Eddie Wold-Robert Morris 2.
James Stevens-Sandra Stevens-Robert Curl-Betsy Dubose
Sat Compact KO-Bracket2-16

Tables

1. Lisa Sommer-Charles Sommer-Philip Duterme Belaire-James Andre 2. June Ardoin-Elsie Reid-Muriel Gilmour-Joyce Gore

Sat Compact KO-Bracket3-12 Tables 1. Joseph Cunningham Conroe-Keith Everett-Gina Russell-Susan Barker 2. Fredi Weinbaum-Hillel Weinbaum-Harry Elliott-Allen Brandt

Sat Aft Strat 49er Pairs-9.0 Tables A1. Virginia Mayhew-Sharon Kirkland A2. Jean Foltz-Phyllis Chaney BC1. Janet Stanger-Frances Garcia B2. Janet Beard-Calvin Beard Seabrook C2 Bobbie Reid-Joyce Weber

Sat Eve Strat Swiss Teams-23 Tables ABC1. Carmen Keys-Paul Cuneo-Steve Varner-Darlene Moody A2. Carolyne Fox-George Fox Manvel-Victor Sitton-Joan Sitton BC2. Ann Mc Dougal-Laura Jones-Merry Modica-David Dyer

Sat Eve Strat Open Pairs-22.0 Tables / Based on 47 Tables A1. Georgiana Gates-Daniel Suty A2. L Laird -W Lease B1.. Stephen Reichek-Don Fizer B2C1. Susan Kaplan-Alfred Fortier III C2. David Goldfarb-Lourdes Fletcher

Sat Eve Strat 299er Pairs-6.0 Tables AB1. Gail Gillespie-Willie Jo

Schaefer AB2C1. Norma Callender-Robert Foote C2. Ronald Montague-Nancy Montague

Sun Morn Strat 299er Pair-6.0 Tables AB1. Michele Halligan-Tim Halligan A 2 Edna Kelly-Norma Porter B2. H Patricia Leavitt-Robert Foote C1. Jane Buckman-Linda Cornell C2. Diane Kaminsky-Barbara Frankel

Sunday A/X Swiss Teams-22 Tables / Based on 74 Tables A1.. Ira Hessel-Ellen Hessel-Patty Hinze-Greg Hinze X1.. Chuck Gillis-Aleksandr Adelman-Anna Marlatt-Brigitte Sandifer X2.. Mike Doyle-

Nancy Boothe-Anton (Tony) Haddad -Karen Snyder

Sunday B/C/D Swiss Teams-52
Tables B 1. Eleanor Sherwyn-Donald
Varvel-Adolph Kubicek-Pat Kubicek
B2. Marilyn Joyner-Russell JoynerPhil Bellan-Debra Bellan CD1.
Nancy Starks-Brenda Della MeaSamuel Pakenham Walsh CD 2
Karen Dittert-Barbara GadeaBeverly Fanarof-Susan Belding
Sun Aft Strat Open Pairs-4.0 Tables / Based on 10 Tables
ABC1. Norman Moore Jr-James
Stech AB2. Kristy Garrison-David
Garrison

## HOUSTON JOLLY JUNE SECTIONAL STARS



Fri Aft Open B Greg Lester - Sherry Withers



Fri Aft Open C Marilyn Jordan - Lucy Hofmann



Fri Aft Open A Eddie Wold - Sam Dodson



Sat Compact KO Bkt 1 Bob Morris - Betty Starzek Bobbi Kaufman - Eddie Wold



Sat Compact KO Bkt 2 Phillip Duterme - Lisa Sommer James Andre - Charles Sommer



Sunday Swiss A Ellen Hessel - Patti Hinze Ira Hessel - Gerg Hinze



Sunday Swiss AX Aleksandr Adelman - Chuck Gillis Anna Marlatt - Brigitte Sandifer



Sun Open Prs A Norman Moore Jr - James Stech



Sunday Swiss B
Pat Kubicek - Eleanor Sherwyn
Adolph Kubicek - Donald Varvel



Sunday Swiss C Nancy Starks - Brenda Della Mea Sunny Laird - Samuel Pakenham -Walsh



Fri Aft 299er A Willie Jo Schaefer - Gail Gillespie