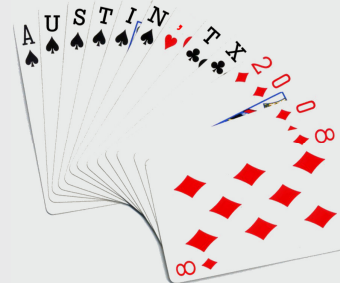




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Thursday July 3, 2008

Welcome to Day 4 of the Austin Regional!

On Sunday, there will be a double-session pairs event along with the Swiss Teams, so stay with us on Sunday even if team events are not your *thang* (as we say in Texas). For those of you who enjoy your stay in the Lone Star State (hopefully, *all* of you), come back in March of next year and attend the Spring Nationals in Houston. The District 16 President, Larry Davis, will have "office hours" during the tournament. Larry will have a table in the pre-function area (just outside of the playing area) from 11:00 AM to noon on Thursday and from noon to 1:00 PM on Friday. He would like to hear your concerns, suggestions, criticisms, and /or questions.

STOP! Check out these winners from Wednesday!

KO 2 Winners:

- Bracket 1: Eddie Bass, Jonathan Ferguson, B Marshall & Ellen Hessel
- Bracket 2: Everette Lewis, C David Mitchell, Cecelia Zachar, Jerrold Harrington
- Bracket 3: Kathy Coleman, Francis Chang, Patricia Sears, Janet Jordan
- Bracket 4: Gary Carey, Jo Bryan, Ruby Hill, Helen Olechna

Wednesday Open Pairs

- A - Thomas Peters & John Zilic
- B - Mark Heep & Jason Daming
- C - Mark Heep & Jason Daming

Wednesday Evening Swiss Teams

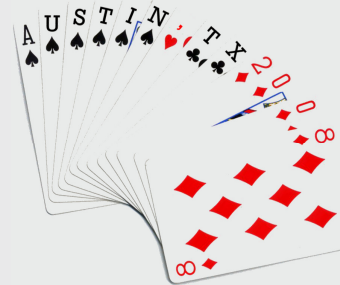
- A - Dan Morse, Greg Hinze, Ira Hessel, John Sutherlin & Peggy Sutherlin
- B - Libby Boeye, Phyllis Mehrens, Bea Williamson & Betty Jo Betterworth
- C - Pamela Gladysz, Joy McKenzie-Smith, Judy Phillips & Helen Callaway

ALERT Congratulations to our NEW LIFE MASTERS!

Nancy Dean of Austin, TX
Ennis Dyess of Tyler, TX
Linda Angelle of Baton Rouge, LA



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Today's Schedule

- Team Events
 - KO 4 (continued) - 1:30 PM & 7:00 PM
 - KO 3 (continued) - 9:00 AM
 - KO 5 - 1:30 PM & 7:00 PM
 - Compact Swiss 7:00 PM
 - ZIP KO - 10:30 PM
- Choice Pairs - 9:00 AM, 1:30 PM & 7:00 PM (**must** play two of the three sessions)
- Side Games - 9:00 AM, 1:30 PM & 7:00 PM
- 299er Novice - 1:30 & 7:00 PM (Austin Room)

Check Writing

Please make all checks payable to "Texas Capital Bridge Association". We CANNOT accept checks made out to the ACBL. Thank you.

Novice/Newcomer Lecture Series

We are honored to have guest lecturers speak on different topics to help improve your game. The lectures are given daily, Tuesday through Saturday, at 12:45 PM in the Austin Room.

Today's speaker is **Diane Olson** speaking on the topic: "**Who needs Reverses? You do!**"

Tomorrow's speaker is **Rosemary Kelly** speaking on the topic: "**Even this is odd...or is it?**"

Please join us to hear these great speakers. **ALL** are welcome to attend the lectures; you do not need to be a novice.

Novice/Newcomer Questions and Partnerships

All 299er Novice-Newcomer games will be held in the Austin Room. If you would like more information regarding the 299er Novice/Newcomer games, please contact Nancy Dean. Nancy is happy to answer any questions you might have.

All Novice/Newcomers looking for a partner need to visit the Partnership desk outside the main playing area. (Nancy Dean does not handle partnership requests.) The Partnership desk will be happy to help you find a partner for any of the 299er Novice/Newcomer games.

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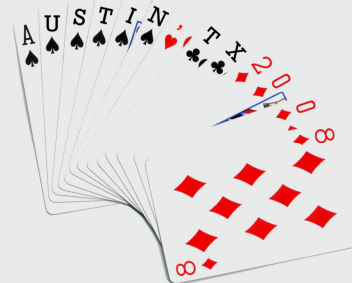
Stop! and join us for the Zip KO tonight at 10:30!

Meeting with District President

The District 16 President, Larry Davis, cordially invites representatives (even if you are not the official representative) of the smaller units (excluding units from Austin, Dallas/FW, Houston and San Antonio) to meet with him on Friday at 10:00 AM in Room 286. Larry would like to hear your concerns, suggestions, criticisms and/or questions. This is an informal gathering. Official business will be conducted (as usual) at the District 16 Board of Directors meeting on Saturday (official representatives or their designated substitutes only).



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ATTENTION NEW LIFE MASTERS!

If you earn enough master points during the Austin Regional to achieve the rank of Life Master, Congratulations! Please contact one of the following people and let them know: Larry Davis, Mary Anne Laier (Tournament Co-Chairs) or Matthew Grant (Bulletin Editor).

Photography

Pictures of overall winners (of each strat) and knockout events are taken from noon to 12:30 PM and immediately after the evening session Monday through Saturday. Pictures for the 2008 Austin Regional will be taken by Mark McAllister and Nancy Joe. Mark will be taking the pictures from noon to 12:30 PM and Nancy will be taking the pictures after the evening session. Pictures are taken just outside the Austin Room. Look for the "Photos Taken Here" banner.

District 16 Board of Directors Meeting

The District Meeting will be held at 10:00 AM Saturday morning in the 4th Floor Conference Room. (Take the elevator to the 4th floor and the conference room is right there.) For those attending the meeting, breakfast will be served at 9:00 AM in the hotel restaurant.

Prizes

The prize desk is located in the concourse outside of the main playing area, on the opposite wall. The prize desk is open 15 minutes before and after the afternoon and evening sessions, Tuesday - Sunday. Section top prizes (of each strat) are awarded for all pair events and for the winners (of each strat) of all one-session team events (except the Zip KOs) and the two-session Sunday Swiss. Overall prizes are awarded to the first place winners (of each strat) of two-session pair events and full-length Knockout events (each bracket). Novice/Intermediate awards are not handled at the prize desk, but at the Novice/Intermediate playing area.

Hotel/Parking Information

Parking is free. Just mention that you are here for the bridge tournament. If you are staying at the Doubletree, please be sure to let them know you are with the bridge group.

Choice Pairs Events - How They Work

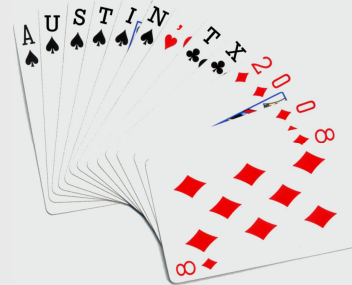
Choice Pair events are offered on today and Saturday. Sessions are offered at 9:00 AM, 1:30 PM & 7:00 PM. To be eligible for overall award, your pair must play in **exactly** two of the three sessions. You may not play in all three sessions. The Thursday and Saturday Choice Pair events are separate events. You don't have to play in the same sessions in the two events.

Lost & Found / First Aid / Eyeglass Repair

The Lost & Found is located at the Hospitality Desk. If you lose or find something, please stop by the Hospitality Desk. First Aid and an eyeglass screwdriver are also available at the Hospitality Desk.



July 4th Regional Winners from Wednesday



TUE-WED KO 2 - BRACKET 1 - 11 Tables

33.38	1	Eddie Bass - Jonathan Ferguson, Austin TX; B Marshall, San Luis Potosi Mexico; Ellen Hessel, San Antonio TX
23.37	2	Kerr Godfrey, Houston TX; George Pisk, Manchaca TX; Michael Huston, Joplin MO; Stephen Bruce, Austin TX
13.35	3/4	Rosemary Kelley - Paul Kelley Jr, Austin TX; Melody Euler, Temple TX; James Thurtell, Dallas TX
13.35	3/4	Dan Morse, Houston TX; John Sutherlin - Peggy Sutherlin, Dallas TX; Greg Hinze - Ira Hessel, San Antonio TX; Nagy Kamel, Plano TX

TUE-WED KO 2 - BRACKET 2 - 15 Tables

17.49	1	Everette Lewis - C David Mitchell - Cecelia Zachar, San Antonio TX; Jerrold Harrington, Garden Ridge TX
12.24	2	William Griffith - Susan Griffith, Houston TX; Angela Lennon - Shirley George, Austin TX
7.00	3/4	Pam Phillips - Linda Bishop, Austin TX; Phil Brown - Phyllis Giffin, San Antonio TX
7.00	3/4	Lawton Hutchison - Jennifer Stocker - Dean Truair - Barbara Hutchison, Austin TX

TUE-WED KO 2 - BRACKET 3 - 16 Tables

12.44	1	Kathy Coleman - Francis Chang - Patricia Sears, Fort Worth TX; Janet Jordan, Aledo TX
8.71	2	Gloria Rowland - Bonnie Magee, Mabank TX; Sandy Molander, Malakoff TX; Yvonne Houston, Enchanted Oaks TX
4.98	3/4	Judy Hitt - Sandra Helton - Jacqueline Fiegel - Dionne Green, Austin TX
4.98	3/4	Milton Ellisor - Becky Ellisor, Spring TX; Ron Brown - Judy Brown, Houston TX

TUE-WED KO 2 - BRACKET 4 - 16 Tables

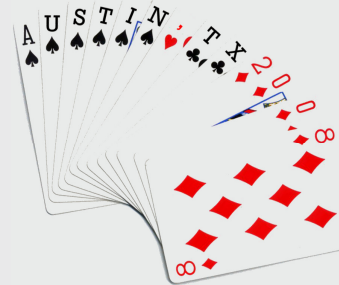
8.40	1	Gary Carey, Coppell TX; Jo Bryan, Denton TX; Ruby Hill, Argyle TX; Helen Olechna, Aubrey TX
5.88	2	Patty Moncus, Boerne TX; Jeri Tribo, Fair Oaks Ranch TX; Rebecca Brown, San Antonio TX; Dorothy Prater, Horseshoe Bay TX
3.36	3/4	William Coleman - Jane Coleman, Cincinnati OH; Robert Kleinman - Madelaine Kleinman, Vail CO
3.36	3/4	Charles Afill - Danna Redford - Vivian Thompson, Austin TX; Jan McLaurin, Cedar Park TX

WEDNESDAY MORNING SIDE PAIRS - 17.0 Tables

	A	B	C		
4.10	1	1	1	Kathy Coleman - Francis Chang, Fort Worth TX	62.71%
3.08	2	2	2	Christina Siemer, Lewistown MT; Joseph Lebeau, Smyrna TN	61.12%
2.31	3	3		Maurice Bell - Elizabeth Bell, Montgomery AL	60.40%
2.52	4			Mary Anne Laier, Lakeway TX; Marilou Powell, Round Rock TX	59.42%
1.76	5			Chris Compton, Dallas TX; Phil Merkel, Frisco TX	58.06%
1.70	6	4	3	Jane Murphy, Burton TX; Patsy Boedeker, Bryan TX	57.91%
2.15		5	4	Ruby Hill, Argyle TX; Royal Smith, Southlake TX	57.07%
0.96		6	5	Dianne Ebert - Carol Nelson, Austin TX	56.04%
1.51			6	Cliff Dillard, Tyler TX; Khalifa Ahmed, Longview TX	55.83%



July 4th Regional Winners from Wednesday



WEDNESDAY OPEN PAIRS - 26.0 Tables

	A	B	C		
12.60	1			Thomas Peters, Grapeland TX; John Zilic, Houston TX	66.18%
9.45	2			Puddin Barnes, Brenham TX; J Bachman Nabors III, Kempner TX	65.76%
7.09	3			Jack Lacy, Lago Vista TX; Mike Bukala, Waco TX	60.58%
5.32	4			Gary Powell - Marcia Powell, Austin TX	58.97%
7.38	5	1	1	Mark Heep, Austin TX; Jason Daming, St Charles MO	57.90%
3.60	6			Donna Watkins - Darlene Riely, San Antonio TX	57.22%
5.54	7	2		Joyce Klein - Benjamin Klein, Houston TX	56.88%
2.80	8			Maureen O'Rourke, Port Washington NY; Herbert Wilton, Fredericksburg TX	56.67%
4.15		3		Kalpna Sutarra - Swadesh Mahajan, Austin TX	53.65%
3.11		4		Ellen Meyer, Austin TX; Wiley McMinn III, Cedar Park TX	53.51%
3.53		5	2	Cliff Dillard, Tyler TX; Khalifa Ahmed, Longview TX	53.22%
2.11		6		David Warner, Austin TX; Lydia Bearden, Lakeway TX	52.23%
2.64			3	Charles Truby - Ann Truby, Stephenville TX	49.64%
2.41			4	Janet Revenaugh, Marble Falls TX; Jo Dee Bowen, Jonestown TX	46.77%
1.57			5	Terry Gaudet - Beverly Gaudet, Lafayette LA	46.68%

WEDNESDAY EVENING SWISS TEAMS - 13 Tables

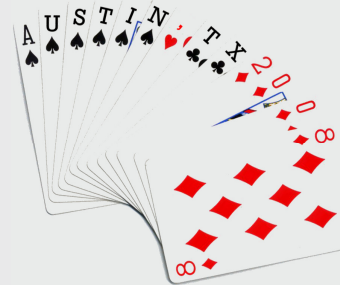
	A	B	C		
3.49	1			Dan Morse, Houston TX; Greg Hinze - Ira Hessel, San Antonio TX; John Sutherlin - Peggy Sutherlin, Dallas TX	115.00
2.62	2			Melody Euler, Temple TX; James Thurtell, Dallas TX; Rosemary Kelley - Paul Kelley Jr, Austin TX	79.00
3.19	3	1		Libby Boeye, Corpus Christi TX; Phyllis Mehrens, Leander TX; Bea Williamson, New Braunfels TX; Betty Jo Betterworth, McQueeney TX	73.00
2.39	4	2		Kelly Moses - Michael Moses, Biloxi MS; Judy Kincaid - Gene Kincaid, Denison TX	69.00
2.58	5	3	1	Pamela Gladysz, Ft Worth TX; Joy McKenzie-Smith - Judy Phillips - Helen Callaway, Fort Worth TX	63.00
1.70		4/5	2/3	Milton Ellisor - Becky Ellisor, Spring TX; Ron Brown - Judy Brown, Houston TX	59.00
1.70		4/5	2/3	Melvin Ball - Gay Nell Ball - Verna Frank, Hurst TX; Elizabeth Peterson, N Richlnd Hls TX	59.00

WEDNESDAY EVENING 299ER PAIRS - 6.0 Tables

	A	B	C		
2.26	1	1		Susan Emerson - Jeffrey Emmert, Austin TX	61.27%
1.70	2	2	1	Esther Ellis - Susan O'Dell, Austin TX	59.85%
1.27	3	3		Diana Whitfield - Joanie Gates, Austin TX	58.56%
0.95	4			Susan Adamson - Garold Adamson, Houston TX	58.42%
1.10		4	2	Blair Lapwing - Sean McGrath, Austin TX	58.27%
0.83			3	Ron Peck - Mary Peck, Georgetown TX	51.74%



July 4th Regional Winners from Wednesday



WEDNESDAY EVENING SIDE GAME - 21.0 Tables

	A	B	C		
4.70	1			Marc Levine, Lubbock TX; Chris Compton, Dallas TX	66.12%
3.94	2	1		Kathy Baldwin, Bryan TX; Phyllis Maness, College Sta TX	62.04%
2.64	3			Brenda Baker - Emily Leake, Tyler TX	61.69%
3.49	4	2	1	Charles Raines, Katy TX; Van Ziegler, Georgetown TX	60.71%
2.62	5	3	2	Billie Carter - Sandy Parkhurst, Orange TX	60.68%
1.87	6			Verna Dahlquist - Wilbur Dahlquist, Lake Charles LA	57.96%
1.96		4	3	Qiang Zhang, Austin TX; Danny Feng, Cedar Park TX	57.31%
1.47		5	4	Caroline Baumann - Donna Gerber, Georgetown TX	56.71%
1.11		6		Ralph Cox, Littleton CO; Karen Williams Cox, Centennial CO	56.57%
1.10			5	Linda Angelle - Carol Perrin, Baton Rouge LA	55.58%
1.11			6	Callie Weller - Patricia Reynolds, Dallas TX	54.86%

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON SIDE - 20.0 Tables

	A	B	C		
4.55	1			Verna Dahlquist - Wilbur Dahlquist, Lake Charles LA	70.60%
3.94	2	1		George Shelley - G Kania, Austin TX	61.57%
2.96	3	2		Libby Boeye, Corpus Christi TX; Phyllis Mehrens, Leander TX	59.87%
1.92	4			Brenda Baker - Emily Leake, Tyler TX	59.63%
1.87	5			Janise Saul, San Antonio TX; George Watkins, Austin TX	58.80%
3.03	6	3	1	Elizabeth Hutchison, Aledo TX; Royal Smith, Southlake TX	57.99%
2.27		4	2	Marilyn Sharratt - Robert Pflugbeil, Austin TX	57.18%
1.70		5	3	Dianne Ebert - Carol Nelson, Austin TX	55.79%
1.24		6		Kathy Baldwin, Bryan TX; Phyllis Maness, College Sta TX	54.63%
1.28			4	Richard Murphy, Round Rock TX; Bart Jacob, Austin TX	54.52%
0.96			5	Diane Sobolak - Martha Norman, Austin TX	53.94%
0.63			6/7	James Glathar - Robert Foster, Austin TX	50.69%
1.24			6/7	Reid Delfeld, Corpus Christi TX; Laura Delfeld, Austin TX	50.69%

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON 299ERS - 11.0 Tables

	A	B	C		
2.97	1	1		Jo Pennington, Pflugerville TX; Donna Williams, Kyle TX	62.20%
2.23	2			Judy Phillips - Helen Callaway, Fort Worth TX	59.82%
1.79	3	2	1	Edward Parken - Judith Parken, Austin TX	59.52%
1.34	4	3	2	Kenneth Macmorran - Sharon Macmorran, Austin TX	58.93%
1.01	5	4	3	Sue Wilson - Jerrell Wilson, Austin TX	57.44%
0.72	6	5		Annette Ruth - Suzann Patterson, Georgetown TX	54.76%
0.84			4	Jenny Carr, Christchurch New Zealand; Cindy Reid, Rochester NY	52.98%
0.59			5	Marilyn Vallario - Sarah Loffredo, Georgetown TX	52.68%



Don't PASS on the Zip KO tonight at 10:30!