



Cincinnati Fall Sectional "OctoberBest 2006"

(and CBA Board Elections)
October 13-15, 2006

SHARONVILLE CONVENTION CENTER
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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 13

Stratified Future Pairs.....1:00 p.m., 7:00 p.m.
A: 200-300 B: 50-200 C: 0-50
Stratified Open Pairs.....1:00 p.m., 7:00 p.m.
A: 1500+ B: 500-1500 C: 0-500

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 14

Stratified Future Pairs.....9:00 a.m., 1:00 p.m., 7:00 p.m.
A: 200-300 B: 50-200 C: 0-50
Stratified Open Pairs.....9:00 a.m., 1:00 p.m., 7:00 p.m.
A: 1500+ B: 500-1500 C: 0-500
North American Open Pairs.....1:00 p.m. & 7:00 p.m.
Flight A (2000+) Flight B (0-1999) Flight C (NLM 0-499)

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 15

Stratiflighted Swiss:10:30 a.m. Play-Through; Box lunches available.
Flt AX: 1500+; A: 0-1500+; B: 300-1000; C: 100-300; D: 0-100
AX and A play together; B, C, & D play together.

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(for new schedule of food & water service, see page 7)

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COMING EVENTS	
CBA Charity Game & Halloween Party	Sunday, October 29, 1 PM Bridge Center
ACBL-Wide Charity Game	Monday, November 20, 7 PM Bridge Center
CBA Holiday Party	Kenwood Country Club Wednesday, December 13, 6 PM
ACBL-Wide Senior Game	Monday, February 26 (?) 1 PM Bridge Center

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

One of my dear friends had surgery that had sidelined her from the bridge table for quite a while. Keeping up with her recuperation, I knew she was doing well, but was delighted to hear from her just the same. She called to say that she had been able to get out and go play bridge...that was great! But...the rest of the conversation was even better. She went on to say that she had had a great time going back to the club. The center looked great, everyone was nice, and greeted her upon her return. She said it was fun playing bridge that day. What? Fun playing bridge that day! I thought...wow...that is music to my ears...just what I wanted to hear, and it made my day.

*When I became the President of the CBA, I announced that one of my goals was to improve the atmosphere when you come to play bridge. We had just remodeled the club and it looked fabulous. I wanted the intangible playing conditions to be 'fabulous' too. It seems from my friend's comments that we are making progress. A work in progress, but once we all realize that bridge is a game.....a **game**....and that win or loose, you always come away with knowledge that you did not have before you began.*

Part of the frustration that causes the atmosphere to be so....volatile at times, is mistakes that are made at the table. I was expressing this sentiment to my husband one day, going on and on and on about a mistake that I had made and why I felt so stupid. I lamented that when I played tennis I made many mistakes, but they just didn't 'get to' me like bridge mistakes. His explanation, which had me in awe, not because it was such a good one (which it was), but more so because he does not play bridge ...was this. He said that when I made a tennis mistake it was a physical act, hitting the ball too hard, out of bounds, or even whiffing it! Yes..I did that a time or two. But when I make a bridge mistake, it is a mental mistake, and I project that to be a reflection of my intelligence..... like ...I am stupid. Well how stupid is that! Do I think that I will never make a mistake while playing bridge? Or ...do I think that if I do I am stupid? No...but for one fleeting moment, come on, admit it ...you do feel stupid!!! The important point here is to not let your partner think that his/her mistake is stupid to you, even if it really was. And ...that leads us to how nice the bridge atmosphere can really be.

"The only man who never makes mistakes is the man who never does anything."

Theodore Roosevelt

It should be fun playing bridge everyday.

Patti English



CBA Charity Game



and

Halloween Party

Sunday, October 29, 2006, 1:00 PM
at the Bridge Center

\$10.00

This year the Charity Game at the CBA will benefit the

FREE STORE FOOD BANK

while at the same time we have a good time playing bridge!

DOOR PRIZES

RAFFLE

Half the money goes to the Free Store Food Bank



Members of the board will have tickets for the raffle.
You don't have to be present to win.

Make checks payable to "CBA Charity"

Please purchase your tickets ahead of time.

We look forward to seeing all of you there!

For further information, contact:
Jerry Violetta, 513-961-7499

or any CBA Board member

On Courtesy in Bridge

BY

OTTO WALTER

With very little effort on our parts, we can make the game of bridge more enjoyable for everyone. Here are some things to keep in mind.

- Often times at the start of the game and occasionally during the game, the director will need to make an announcement. Typically the director will ask for quiet. Comply !!
- Directors, don't abuse the microphone by making needless announcements. For instance, if the North-South pair at table 27 is taking too much time, go talk to them. Don't subject the other 53 pairs to a disruptive announcement about finishing on time.
- Speaking of time, bridge is a timed event. Arrive at the game on time such that you are at your table and ready to play when the game is started. Don't monopolize the "table time" by conversation (this isn't the time to educate partner in the finer points of bidding, signaling, and card play). As an individual, you are entitled to **only** one-fourth of the "table time" for your bidding and play decisions. It is both discourteous and unfair to the opponents if you regularly take more time than this. When the round is called, get up and move on. Even if the next table is not available to you, you need to make your table available to the next players. Finally, if your table is still playing when the round is called, finished boards should be passed to the next table so that they can start and have their fully allotted time.
- After the round is over and before the next round begins is the time for discussions, but only private discussions. Step away from the playing area far enough so that you will not disturb those people who are still playing and be heard by others who may not have played the hands you are discussing.
- If you might be contagious because of the on-set of the flu or cold, or if you spent the day pulling out poison ivy with your bare hands, stay home. Also, use good hygiene practices. Others will be touching the cards, boards, and table surfaces that you touched and will be sitting in the chairs that you used.
- Be courteous and judicious with your words in regard to director calls. If your LHO is on lead and your RHO states that her daughter got an engagement ring last night after which your LHO makes the most hurtful lead of a diamond, you certainly should call the director. However, don't accuse the opponents of cheating, being unethical, coffee housing, etc. Simply tell the director events of the situation and let the director decide what the facts suggest.
- It is good to complement the opponents on their fine bidding and play. However, don't do an "end zone dance" to celebrate your own cleverness or that of your partner. If the opponents just got a top in spite of some ill-advised bid or play, grin and bear it. Don't talk about fixes, stupid bridge decisions, etc.

Lets keep the game fun.

CBA ELECTION TO BE HELD AT FALL SECTIONAL

Election of five members to the Cincinnati Bridge Association Board of Trustees will take place at the Fall Sectional at the Sharonville Convention Center, October 13-15. Polls will open one hour before the afternoon and evening games on Friday and Saturday, and one hour before the Sunday morning 10:30 AM game. Candidates' petitions should be submitted to Carolyn Ahlert or another Board member no later than September 23, so their names can be placed on the ballot. (A copy of the petition appears on the CBA website at www.cincybridge.com.) Absentee voting instructions for members unable to vote in person follow the candidates' profiles below.

Current Board members are Carolyn Ahlert, John Burpee, Tom Deddens, Mike Dickman*, Pat Dutson, Patti English* (President), Barbara Levinson, Michael Lipp*, Steve Megerle*, Jim Myers (Recording Secretary and Acting Membership Chair), Pat Newman, Potter Orr (Treasurer), Sandy Orr* (Executive Secretary), Alex Pappas, and Jerry Violetta. (* Indicates that their terms expire at the end of 2006.) As of press time, we have the following five candidates running for election to the CBA Board:

PATTI ENGLISH

I have been Recording Secretary, Vice President, and am now serving as President of the CBA Board. I have enjoyed being a part of the changes that the Bridge Club has experienced. If re-elected, I will not only continue to develop ways to expand the opportunities for our members, but will help develop strategies to attract new members.

MIKE LIPP

Raised in Cincinnati and a former member of the U.S. Navy, I currently reside in Trenton, Ohio, and am employed by Priority Dispatch. I enjoy life. I ride my motorcycle, play golf, socialize with close friends, and adore the game of bridge. Loyalty to family and friends is especially important to me.

Although very open-minded to trying new things, when I have an opinion about something, I am usually firm in my convictions. I try to be the backbone when times are hard. I like to solve problems and others know they can count on me. I feel I possess intuition and consider myself a good judge of character.

ADRIENNE NETHERWOOD

I am another of the many duplicate bridge enthusiasts who are playing again after being away from the game for many years. I couldn't put my energy into bridge and have a family and a career, so I gave up the game, hoping to come

back to it someday. Now that I am retired from being a CPA and my family is grown, I have time. I would love the opportunity to serve on the Board of the CBA. I will be committed to the betterment of the association and am willing to work hard.

SANDY ORR

My husband says my motto should be "What's worth doing is worth over doing to Sandy." Perhaps he is right. I believe that everything we do should be given that extra effort -- work, games, hobbies, family, etc. I particularly feel that fun should be given every effort -- especially at Bridge.... I promise to give the CBA my every effort should you choose to vote for me. Thank you.

MIKE PURCELL

Cincinnati Bridge is something special. I knew it when I started playing in the Thursday night non-life master game 11 years ago and I still believe it today. We have a combination of great bridge play and ever better people that is hard to find anywhere else.

I am running for the CBA Board to build on our tradition of bridge excellence. I will not enter this position with any specific agenda, just a simple wish to promote our game with the dedication to make it happen. If you prefer bridge that is as fun as it is challenging, then I would appreciate your support.

ABSENTEE VOTING INSTRUCTIONS

1. Contact Carolyn Ahlert, (513) 624-0535 or cahlert@earthlink.net, to request an absentee ballot no later than October 1st.
2. An individual must request an absentee ballot personally; no group requests will be honored.
3. One ballot and return envelope will be mailed to the member's address of record.
4. Once an absentee ballot has been issued, that member's name will be recorded as having voted.
5. Follow instructions included in the envelope.
6. Return envelopes containing more than one ballot will be declared invalid.
7. Only absentee ballots *received* by mail through Saturday, October 14, will be counted.

NOTE: The mail is sometimes slow, so please allow ample time for your ballot to be received.

HURRY UP AND THINK

(Excerpts)

by

Bruce McIntyre

The biggest irritant in duplicate bridge, claimed a survey not too long ago, is not table rudeness, or complicated systems -- it is slow play!

To play fast you don't need to play fast; you just need to play slow less often.

Suppose the auction goes 1NT (15-17) on your right, you pass an eleven count, LHO makes a transfer. You should see that there is a great chance for you to be on opening lead eventually, and you should start figuring out what your best lead might be against notrump, or against the suit about to be bid by RHO. Once the auction is over, you can immediately place a card on the table.

The Golden Rule is that there is only one person responsible for slow play: you. I don't care what the circumstances are, I don't care if you've never been late getting to a table in your life. If you make no effort to get caught up, you are guilty. If your attitude is: "I won't help because it isn't my fault," you are hurting the game more than any slow pair ever could.

Fast players don't play "fast." They just slow the game down less often. As a result, they have more time to think. What we need to do is look for the ways we all slow down the game and get rid of them, filling them with awareness and pauses for thought.

Slow players don't play "slow." They lose the thread and take time doing a whole slew of unnecessary things that slow the game down. It takes only one player to cause delays. "Don't let that person be you." Keep your game moving: **hurry up--and think!**

At all times -- be aware of how much time you have before the round is to be called.

Greeting the opponents: too many of us don't greet our opponents. But some of us do so with such profusion that by the time the first bid is finally made, other tables have played three tricks already. The happy medium is to greet and pull cards from the slot simultaneously. This keeps everybody happy.

Claiming: Many players have run into the Laws while trying to claim and have decided apparently to never try it again. This costs them time. If you fear claiming because there's a trump out and you might muff the claiming statement, just play a few more tricks until all you need to do is show your cards. If you're on defense and you can see that dummy is good (and you know that partner cannot win another trick), concede. It saves time.

Food & Water
at the
OctoberBest Sectional, October 13-15

Friday and Saturday the Concession Stand will be open 12-8 PM.

Coffee and cookies will be available Saturday AM.

*Sunday the Concession Stand will be open 10 AM-4 PM
with box lunches available for the Swiss play-through.*

Water will be available for free during the entire Sectional.

**The First ABA/ACBL
Nationwide Unity Game**

Saturday, June 24, 2006

Flight A Winners:

1st Karen Kendall-Cliff Pleatman**

2nd Nancy Sachs-Amitabh Raturi

3rd Bill Coombs-Howard Ringel

Flight B Winners:

1st David Britt-Paul Pschesang

2nd Mary Lou Zimmer-Carol Greve

3rd/4th Barbara Thoman-Madeleine Gordon

3rd/4th Verdell Walker-Doris Kehoe

Flight C Winners:

1st Verdell Walker-Doris Kehoe

2nd Gerald Black-Julie Lane

3rd Erwin Johnson-Bill Jackson

****Karen Kendall and Cliff Pleatman had a 66.43% game,
finishing #21 in the entire country!!**

The 20th Annual ACBL-Wide INSTANT MATCHPOINT GAME

Thursday, September 14, 2006

N/S Winners: Kay Mulford-Larry Klein - 63%

E/W Winners: Cliff Pleatman-Karen Kendall - 60%

299er N/S Winners: Kevin Smyth-Erwin Johnson

299er E/W Winners: Ronald Neal-Nancy Willis

◆ ♥ TOURNAMENT WINNERS ◆ ♣

Cincinnati Summer STaC, June 26- July 2, 2006

Monday Day

Flight A: 1st/2nd Norman Coombs-Larry Klein

Monday Evening

Flight A: 1st Norman Coombs-Karen Kendall

Flight C: 1st Arun Goyal-Rachna Goyal

Tuesday Day

Flight B: 1st Peggy Simpson-Lynne Schoemaker

2nd/3rd Everitt Kitchen-Allan Reeves

Flight C: 1st Everitt Kitchen- Allan Reeves

Tuesday Evening NLM Pairs

Flight A: 2nd Elaine Lazarus-Susan Moskowitz

3rd/4th Alice Price-Charlene Comeaux

3rd/4th Heroldine Ukelson-Sue Mandel

Flight B: 2nd Elaine Lazarus-Susan Moskowitz

3rd Alice Price-Charlene Comeaux

Flight C: 1st Gene Vaughn-Marilyn Werner

2nd Gary Busch-Carl Willig

3rd Barbara Schanzle- Marilyn Demmier

Tuesday Evening

Flight B/C: 1st Jim Bangel-Mike Tafuri

Wednesday Day

Flight B: 2nd Adrienne Netherwood-Vince Netherwood

Flight C: 1st Adrienne Netherwood-Vince Netherwood

Wednesday Evening

Flight A: 3rd Karen Kendall-Gordon Adkins

Flight C: 2nd Dan Hance-Don Duritsch

3rd Arun Goyal-Rachna Goyal

Thursday Day

Flight B: 2nd Peggy Ann Gatch-Patricia Scheimann

Flight C: 1st Victor Soukup-Becky Johnson

Thursday Evening

Flight A: 3rd Larry Klein-Cliff Pleatman

Flight B: 3rd Timothy Martin-Jackie Swango

Flight C: 1st Mary Lou Zurborg-Sue Brinkman

2nd Dan Hance-Don Duritsch

Thursday Evening NLM Pairs

Flight A: 1st Erwin Johnson-Kevin Smyth

2nd Nancy Willis-Shirley Reischman

3rd Jerry Glendening-Tonya Glendening

Flight B: 1st Erwin Johnson-Kevin Smyth

2nd Jerry Glendening-Tonya Glendening

3rd Elaine Lazarus-Laurence Lazarus

Friday Day

Flight A: 2nd Amitabh Raturi-Norman Coombs

Flight B: 1st Carolyn Mendenhall-Charles Mendenhall

2nd Dan Hance-Don Duritsch

Flight C: 1st Dan Hance-Don Duritsch

3rd Courtney Thurman-Nancy Augsdorfer

Friday Day NLM Pairs

Flight A: 1st Victor Soukup-Becky Johnson

3rd Sylvia Maltz-Susan Moskowitz

Flight B: 2nd Sylvia Maltz-Susan Moskowitz

Friday Evening

Flight A: 3rd/4th Amitabh Raturi-Larry Klein

Saturday Day

Flight A: 1st William Higgins-Yauheni Siutsau

3rd Pat Hoffman-Joyce Dennis

Flight B: 1st Pat Hoffman-Joyce Dennis

3rd Jerry Katz-Joann Katz

Saturday Evening

Flight A: 1st Norman Coombs-David Britt

Sunday Swiss Teams

Flight A: 1st Amitabh Raturi-Nancy Sachs-Norman Coombs-Bruce Parent

2nd Patricia Armstrong-Dona Latourneau-Patrick Lammers-Joseph Bagby

3rd Peggy Ann Gatch-Herb Behr-Ed Lee-Patricia Scheiman

Flight B: 1st Patricia Armstrong-Dona Latourneau-Patrick Lammers-Joseph Bagby

2nd Peggy Ann Gatch-Herb Behr-Ed Lee-Patricia Scheiman

3rd Arun Goyal-Larry Klein-Rachna Goyal-Yauheni Siutsau

Flight C: 1st Patricia Armstrong-Dona Latourneau-Patrick Lammers-Joseph Bagby

2nd Gerri Heineman-Talmdage Dunkle-Janice Austerman-Barbara Wagner

Sunday NLM Swiss Teams

Flight A/B 1st Anthony Brockman-Donald Duritsch-Daniel Hance-John Woeste

2nd Mary Smith-Bruce Smith-Charlene Comeaux-Alice Price

3rd Tonya Glendening-Jerry Glendening-Marilyn Werner-Gene Vaughn

♠ ♥ **TOURNAMENT WINNERS** ♦ ♣

Middletown Sectional, August 18-20, 2006

Friday AM Open Pairs

- Flight A:** 1st Marshall Tuly-Norm Coombs
2nd Ronald Babcock-Patrick Moran
Flight B: 1st Marilyn Braun-Lois Cohen
2nd Phyllis Minor-Phyllis Romans
3rd Daniel Hance-Donald Duritsch
Flight C: 1st Phyllis Minor-Phyllis Romans
2nd Daniel Hance-Donald Duritsch
3rd Gerri Heineman-Janice Austerman

Friday AM 299er Pairs

- Flight D:** 2nd Marilyn Beitung-Suzanne Sales
Flight E: 2nd Marilyn Beitung-Suzanne Sales
3rd Carl Stiles-Jennifer Stiles
Flight F: 2nd Carl Stiles-Jennifer Stiles
3rd Suresh Kamat-Jayant Sudame

Friday Aft 299er Pairs

- Flight D:** 2nd Nancy Reams-Matthew Reams
Flight E: 3rd/4th Marilyn Compton-Louise Goforth
3rd/4th Carl Stiles-Jennifer Stiles
Flight F: 2nd Carl Stiles-Jennifer Stiles

Friday Aft Open Pairs

- Flight A:** 1st Rob Weidenfeld-Larry Klein
Flight C: 3rd Gerri Heineman-Janice Austerman

Saturday AM Open Pairs

- Flight A:** 2nd Kay Mulford-Jackie Toth
3rd Cliff Pleatman-Larry Klein
Flight B: 2nd Al Paster-Herb Behr
3rd Robin Carver-Phyllis Downey
Flight C: 1st Robin Carver-Phyllis Downey
2nd Arun Goyal-Rachna Goyal
3rd Doris Kehoe-Lynn Shannon

Saturday AM 299er Pairs

- Flight D/E:** 2nd Ann Bayou-Anna Carolyn Davidson
3rd Gilbert Eckler-Carey Eckler
Flight F: 1st Ann Bayou-Anna Carolyn Davidson
2nd Gilbert Eckler-Carey Eckler

Saturday Aft Open Pairs

- Flight A:** 3rd Kay Mulford-Jackie Toth
Flight B: 2nd Stuart Petersen-William Nicolai
3rd Rob Weidenfeld-Cliff Pleatman
Flight C: 1st Joseph Begby-Patricia Armstrong
2nd Gerri Heineman-Janice Austerman
3rd Arun Goyal-Rachna Goyal

Saturday Aft. 299er Pairs

- Flight D:** 3rd Heroldine Ukelson-Louis Ukelson
Flight E: 3rd Alice Price-Charlene Comeaux
Flight F: 1st Alice Price-Charlene Comeaux
2nd Karen Coy-Cordell Coy

Hdcp KO Teams Bracket A

- 1st Michael Pierce-Norman Coombs-Marshall Tuly-Jerry Fink
2nd Daniel Hance-Donald Duritsch-Barbara Wagner-Betty Hurst

Hdcp KO Teams Bracket B

- 1st Jerry Grogan-Peggy Grogan-Carolyn Pierce-David Britt
2nd Suzanne Sale-Marilyn Beitung-A.J. Stephani-Vivek Choudhury

Flight A/X Swiss Teams

- 1st Amitabh Raturi-William Higgins-Yauheni Siutsau-Judy Cohn

Flight B/C/D Swiss Teams

- Flight B:** 3rd Arun Goyal-Rachna Goyal-Elena Hickman-Richard Pleshek
Flight C: 3rd Phyllis Minor-Patricia Myers-Lynne Waxweiler-Lois Upton-Werder
Flight D: 1st Everitt Kitchen-Dave O'Connor-Brian Pleshek-Donald Freeland
2nd Alice Price-Charlene Comeaux-Mary Smith-Bruce Smith

FALL 2006 BRIDGE LESSONS

at the Cincinnati Bridge Center

BEGINNERS	Saturday mornings 10:00 AM - Noon Beginning October 7
REVIEW THE BASICS	Thursday evenings 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM Beginning September 21
INTERMEDIATE II	Doubles: Takeout, Penalty, and Negative Saturday mornings 10:00 AM - Noon Sept. 16 & 30; Oct. 7 & 21; Nov. 4 & 18
ADVANCED SUPERVISED PLAY	Wednesday afternoons 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM Sept. 20; Oct. 11, 18, & 25; Nov. 15 & 20

A complete schedule of the class sessions will be discussed at the first class. Each series includes six two-hour lessons. The fee for a series is \$75 per person. The fee is based on a class size of 12 to 16 students. An adjustment will be made for classes with fewer than 12 or more than 16 students. Individual classes are \$17.50 per class.

SPECIAL CLASSES

Class; Play in Duplicate Game; Review Hands Played
9:45 AM Tuesdays – September 12, November 21, December 5
Fee: \$17.50 per class; \$50 for all 3 classes

STUDENT GAME 1:00 PM, Sunday, November 5
Duplicate game with Hand Analysis Sheets,
Master Points, Prizes, and Refreshments
Fee - \$7.00

INFORMATION and/or RESERVATIONS: Nancy Sachs 561-1766 or nspp@fuse.net
Linda Wolber 522-1771



COUNTING – Part I

a seminar with Matthew Granovetter

We will study how to count: high cards -- trumps -- distribution of each suit -- distribution of the other players' hands -- using inferences and negative inferences.

Counting will help you in every area of the game, and help your concentration as well.
Every player, who wants to succeed, must become a counter – and you can do it too!

9:15 to 10:45 a.m. at the Bridge Center
Tues, Oct. 24 -- Thurs, Oct. 26 -- Tues, Oct. 31 -- Thurs, Nov. 2

Cost: \$77.00 (all materials included) -- Advance sign-up required.
Phone (513) 924-1770 or email mgranovetter@bridgetoday.com.

New Games at the Bridge Center

The Wednesday Game, 1 PM

Director: Carol Greve

Hand records available after the game each week. You can then go home and log on to the password-protected website, www.WednesdayGame.com, to see an Analyses of all Hands, plus a Bidding Quiz and Play Problems.

Thursday Evening Games, 7 PM

Director: Annease Comer

All bridge players are cordially invited to attend Thursday Evening Games.

There is room for everyone in an

Open Stratified Game as well as a **Stratified 0-299 Game**.

If you have not been out -- come and check us out -- you will want to make us a habit.

If you have been out, you already enjoy the good bridge, camaraderie, and good refreshments. So try not to miss the fun!

On October 19th we will have a "**Homecoming Game**". Come and see old friends.

For details, call the Burpees at (513) 677-8240

CBA MAGNETIC NAME BADGES

A large number of our members now wear their blue and white CBA magnetic name badges at club games, bridge tournaments, and other bridge functions.

To order yours, give Tom Deddens just \$3.00 and the name you want on the badge. Tom is always at the Bridge Center on Tuesday evenings or can be reached at Tom1118@cinci.rr.com.

KNOW ANY NEW DUPLICATE BRIDGE PROSPECTS?

The Tuesday Night I/N (Intermediate/Novice) game is always looking for new players. Many of these can come from our members' circles of friends.

Our players are very friendly and supportive to "first timers." We need to tap into your social bridge-playing friends to get them to experience the competitive world of duplicate bridge. **YOU** need to direct them to our game!

All players need a partner, but by contacting Tom Deddens a few days before the game, a compatible one can usually be found. The game is limited to players under 50 points with stratifications of 0-5, 6-20, and 21-50.

Either you or your friend can contact Tom (513) 851-3857 or a Tom1118@cinci.rr.com.



CBA Gift Certificates

\$6.00 Gift Certificates for games at the Cincinnati Bridge Center are available for purchase from Sandy Orr, (513) 271-6318, Joy Norris, (513) 984-8783, or Nancy Sachs (513) 561-1766.



GERALD STEUERNAGLE AWARD

Jerry Steuernagle (1940-1971) was one of Cincinnati's most liked and respected bridge players, known particularly for his sense of humor and for always being a gentleman at the bridge table. Since 1972 the Cincinnati Bridge Association has presented the Gerald Steuernagle Award to outstanding CBA players, based on the following criteria:

1. The nominee's contribution to the promotion of duplicate bridge.
2. The nominee's action in setting high ethical standards.
3. The nominee's compassion, sportsmanship, and sense of humor.
4. The nominee's willingness to help less experienced players.

Please take a moment to reflect on someone who meets these qualifications. Any CBA member is eligible and this is your opportunity to help the CBA honor one of its outstanding members.

Write to Debbie Cummings, 912 Ravine Drive, Villa Hills KY 41017-3679, or send an e-mail to dcummings14@insightbb.com, with your nomination, giving your reasons why you think your candidate should be considered. Mail your nomination so it is **received** no later than November 1, 2006.



HOLIDAY PARTY



Wednesday, December 13, 2006



6:00 PM – Cocktails

6:30 PM – Dinner

7:30 PM – Bridge



Kenwood Country Club

Appropriate semi-formal attire required (no jeans, sweatshirts, tennis shoes, etc.)

Price: \$25 for dinner and bridge

Tickets will be available at the Bridge Center after October 17 and must be purchased by Monday, December 11. Attendance is limited, so buy your tickets early!

For information, call Nancy Luetge at (513) 793-2337 or Patti English at (513) 791-5506. If you are interested in donating a door prize, call Jane Burpee at (513) 677-8240.



CBA Awards to be presented



ROOKIE OF THE YEAR to the player starting with fewer than 50 masterpoints who wins the most masterpoints between October 2005 and October 2006.

MASTER & FUTURE MASTER OF THE YEAR to the two players, starting with more than 50 masterpoints but not yet Life Masters, who win the most masterpoints between October 2005 and October 2006.

JANE WARD MEMORIAL TROPHIES to two players who earn the most masterpoints at our summer sectional – one a novice player and one an experienced player.

MANNY ISRALSKY AWARD to the player winning the most masterpoints at all CBA sectional tournaments during the award year.

JAN WEYANT AWARD to the player who won the most masterpoints at the 2006 Cincinnati Regional.

DON WALKER AWARD to the player who won the most masterpoints between October 2005 and October 2006.

GERALD STEUERNAGLE MEMORIAL AWARD to the player who has demonstrated outstanding contributions to the promotion of duplicate bridge, exemplary behavior at the bridge table, and willingness to help new players.

STEVE SHAMROY BEQUEST

Steve Shamroy was a valued member of the CBA who passed away earlier this year. Steve made a bequest of \$5,000 to the CBA to be used for educational purposes.

Input was sought from a number of our members as to how this bequest could best be used. Thanks to all of you who have provided your input. Your input has been summarized and will be presented to the CBA's Board of Directors at its September meeting for a decision. We anticipate announcing our decision soon.

NORM COOMBS IS AT 1800 AND CLIMBING

Like that battery bunny, Norm Coombs just keeps going and going!! Most recently he cruised past the 18,000 Masterpoint mark, making him #72 in the ACBL rankings.

Norm accomplished the milestone playing with Larry Klein in the Pittsburgh Regional over the Labor Day Holiday. They finished 3rd in a three section Open Pairs with 51 pairs.

CONGRATULATIONS!!

BRIDGE BRINGS PLAYER FROM SOUTH AFRICA TO CINCINNATI

by Herb Schapera

When asked why I came from South Africa to Cincinnati, I reply "because of the game of bridge!" Needless to say, this is a surprise until I explain.

In my final year of medical school, I knew I still had to do one year of internship somewhere and, for me, America was the choice. But where in America?

Since I did have a friend doing his internship in America, I contacted him for advice. His comment was to do the same as he was doing – namely, come to Jewish Hospital in Cincinnati because he was happy there. His name is Jack Budow.

So now the question is: why did Jack choose Cincinnati? Answer: while he was playing bridge one lunchtime, he had no paper on which to keep score, so he opened up a British Medical Journal and used the space to write down the scores. Each time he did this, his eye caught an ad from Jewish Hospital seeking interns for their program. His intrigue led him to follow up on the ad and ultimately he came to our River City.

So, because of BRIDGE, Jack came here, and so he was responsible for my coming!

MEMBERSHIP NEWS

Welcome New Members and Transfers

Dean Campbell	Sarah Girshoff	Ross Love	Polly Plettner	Margaret Stoops
Geraldine Chavez	Pat Hassoun	Alan Mannheimer	Randall J Rubinstein	Charmy Voss
Tim Crank	Ann Howard	Mary Nephew	Barbara Schoenfeld	Helen Watkins
Donald Daly	Kay Jellison	Walter Nephew	Marie Strasser	Sue Weller
Ruth Eubank		Tom Owens	Jean Stoops	

Congratulations New Life Masters

Peggy Ammon
Vila Sill

Frank Guiher
Robert Wurster

Adrienne Netherwood
Susan Wurster

Member Upgrades

JUNIOR MASTERS

Jim Bangel
Trisha Blackwell
Mary Joan Blum
Dean Congbalay
Denis Daly
Anna Carolyn Davidson
Elaine Fischer
Vernon Goetz
Rennie Greenfield
Bill Jackson
Gayle Kearney
Patricia Leikhim
Lawrence Linder
Debbie Linville
Ron Neal
Judy Rouse
Nancy Sage
Esther Silverman
Patricia Smaracko
Mike Tafuri
Sue Weller
Lilitha Yalamanchili

CLUB MASTERS

Sarah Beckman
James Eger
Carolyn Gaker
Jerry Glendening
James Hurst
Rodney Gray
Florine Jacobson
Donald Kelley
Nelson Leist
Cyril Pierce
Yauheni Siutsau
Marilyn Werner
Wendy Wasserman
Carl Willig

BRONZE LIFE MASTERS

Bobby Carter
Marvin Comer
Rose Hornsby
Myrna Rosen
Peggy Simpson
John Stoppiello

SECTIONAL MASTERS

Nancy Augsdorfer
Vera Sue Brinkman
Charlene Comeaux
Joy Cronin
Elaine Lazarus
Alice Price
Allan Reeves
Gail Schimpf
Yauheni Siutsau
Bruce Smith
Joseph Stegmaier
Jennifer Stiles
Sue Leslie Wheeler
Marilyn Williams
Nancy Willis

SILVER LIFE MASTERS

Carolyn Ahlert
Mike Broida
Jerry Katz
Michael Purcell

REGIONAL MASTERS

Joseph Bagby
Marilyn Beitung
John Caster
Donald Duritsch
Adrienne Frieberg
Doug Reams
Suzanne Sale
Diane Thaller

NABC MASTERS

Lynn Ankerstar
Jack Burns
Rachna Goyal
Everitt Kitchen
Vince Netherwood
Adrienne Netherwood
Gerald Olson
Joe Pike

GOLD LIFE MASTER

Linda Wolber

In Memoriam

***Elmore Ahr, Jr. -- Bill de la Vega -- Polly Anne Drury -- Flo Gibbs
Heidi Leeb -- Rita McCarthy -- Robert Nerenberg -- John Norman***

PROMOTIONAL ACTIVITIES REPORT

by
Pat Dutson

Thanks to all those who provided input regarding activities to promote bridge in Cincinnati. We have a lot of great ideas -- many of them we have already implemented and the remainder are being evaluated as part of our 2007 plan. We hope to have a specific promotional plan in place for 2007 by the end of the year.

John Burpee will be partnering with me to help in promoting the Cincinnati Bridge Center (CBC) games and bridge in the Cincinnati area. Al Paster has volunteered to help with external education activities and his report is included below.

During September and early October, we will be seeking your input as to how we can make Unit 124 the best Unit in the ACBL. We will be distributing a member survey to get your input regarding a wide variety of issues. Please be sure to complete the survey when you get it—we need your input. There will be a valuable prize, drawn randomly, to two of the people who complete the survey.

Thanks to all of you who participated in the Top 100 Contest. The winner was Frank Lichtenberger with a guess of 187 (versus an actual number of 185). Cindy Grimes and Sue Mandell were a close second with a guess of 189.

This month's contest is: Guess how many people played 50 times or more at the Cincinnati Bridge Center (CBC) in the 12 months ending 6/30/06. As before, put your guess on a 3" by 5" card, add your name, and deposit it in the Suggestion Box. This contest ends October 15th and the winner will receive a free entry to a future CBC game. Members of the Board of Directors are ineligible.

Please remember the new games on Wednesday afternoons and Thursday nights. They need your help to be successful.

Thanks again to all of you for helping to make Unit 124 a success.

EXTERNAL EDUCATION REPORT

We need your help!!! The CBA's Board of Directors needs volunteers to help with external education targeted at teaching bridge to adults, high school students, and college students.

I have developed a preliminary plan, structure, roles, and responsibilities for our external educational efforts. If you are interested in volunteering, please call me at 513-459-1316 or e-mail me at alpaster@yahoo.com and I will give you a copy of what I have developed. Of course, I want the input of all of our volunteers into the final plan.

Al Paster

CBA Board Meeting Summaries

Complete minutes of each board meeting are posted on the bulletin board. Meetings are usually held at the Bridge Center on the second Tuesday of each month at 5:30 PM unless a conflict requires rescheduling. All CBA members are welcome to attend.

JUNE

May 2006-May 2005 – approximately the same financial position.

We have changed air conditioning companies.

Pat Dutson was selected for vacant Board position.

All reports on the renovation of the Bridge Center are positive.

Attendance at the Regional was off 10%. There will be a week-long I/N program at the next Regional.

With only 3.5 tables, the CBA was unable to participate in the Worldwide Pairs.

Pat Dutson was appointed to be in charge of publicity.

JULY

New Board member, Pat Dutson, was welcomed. He will take responsibility for development of CBA.

A new site for the Cincinnati Regional tournaments has not been found.

The profit from the recent STaC was approximately \$3300.

A new open Thursday night game, along with a 0-299 game, has begun with mixed results.

AUGUST

John Burpee was selected to fill a vacant Board position.

The 2007 Regional will begin on Tuesday, May 1, rather than on Monday and will have a revised schedule.

Jim Myers has agreed to take over Membership Chair responsibilities.

The game on September 12th at 7 PM will be “Matt Granvetter Night,” in recognition of Matt’s recent world championship



The CBA Telephone Directory

(a note from Jim Myers, CBA Membership Chair)

The CBA Phone Directory for 2007 is being prepared for delivery at the CBA Holiday Party on December 13. It will also be available at the Bridge Center thereafter. The Directory allows you to list up to two phone numbers. If you do not want any of this information included for yourself, please notify me. If you know people who are playing bridge at any of our Unit games but are not an ACBL members, remind them that they will not be in the phone directory and they will not get the ALERT newsletter mailings. If you have not renewed your membership (even if you are a Life Master), you will not be in the Phone Directory.

The online CBA website has phone numbers and some e-mail addresses. You can access it at www.cincybridge.com. Click on CBA Member Directory and then enter the Username “cbamember” and Password “director!” (Be sure to use all lower case letters and include the ! mark.) Please check to see if your name, phone number(s), and e-mail address are on the list and are correct. If not, please notify me.

The ACBL sends me all mailing address changes, but not new phone numbers nor email addresses!

If you do not have access to the web site and your phone number changed in the last year, double check with me to be sure I have it corrected. I can be reached by e-mail at jmyers9@cinci.rr.com (spell “Myers” the way I do!) or by phone at (513) 361-0885.

Income	Jan 1 - Sep 10	2006	2005	ASSETS	Sep 10, 06	Sep 10, 05
ACBL		1,517.14	2,824.21	Current Assets		
Interest income		54.04	436.11	Checking/Savings		
Miscellaneous		13.00	44.00	Firstar M M	50,473.58	67,298.52
Total ADMIN INC		1,584.18	3,304.32	Star Checking	9,504.10	1,288.49
BRG CTR INC				US Bank CD	50,000.00	50,000.00
Coke - Pepsi Income		503.87	444.87	Total Checking/Savings	109,977.68	118,587.01
Gift Cert		0.00	218.00	Total Current Assets	109,977.68	118,587.01
Lessons		899.00	337.00	Fixed Assets		
Table fees		55,130.00	36,492.43	Leasehold Improvements	14,673.42	0.00
Total BRG CTR INC		56,532.87	37,492.30	Total Fixed Assets	14,673.42	0.00
TOURN INC				Other Assets		
NAOPIGNT		1,437.00	2,138.00	2860 Building	1,945.38	1,945.38
Regional Income		25,350.00	25,618.00	ACBL Bridge Bucks	11.00	0.00
STaC Income		0.00	3,347.50	Sharonville Conv Center Deposi	2,000.00	2,000.00
Stac Passthrough		49.07	692.93	Short Pays	271.50	0.00
Unity Game ABA		710.00	0.00	Total Other Assets	4,227.88	3,945.38
Total TOURN INC		27,546.07	31,796.43	TOTAL ASSETS	128,878.98	122,532.39
Total Income		85,663.12	72,593.05	LIABILITIES & EQUITY		
Expense				Equity		
Alert Postage		313.31	295.57	Opening Bal Equity	23,247.02	23,246.92
Alert Printing		1,433.55	1,385.91	Retained Earnings	100,784.35	108,831.60
Annual Bd & District Mtg		637.11	145.00	Net Income	4,847.61	-9,546.13
Awards Party		684.54	1,321.02	Total Equity	128,878.98	122,532.39
Badges		201.30	20.80	TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY	128,878.98	122,532.39
Bank Fee		61.40	62.68			
Insurance		601.00	596.00			
Midwest Monitor		828.00	1,477.50			
Miscellaneous		22.81	69.61			
Office		0.00	483.88			
Postage		65.71	37.15			
Total ADMIN EXP		4,848.73	5,895.12			
BRG CTR EXP						
ACBL fees		598.79	253.08			
Advertising		0.00	168.49			
Cleaning		7,052.80	6,993.00			
Director Pay		6,810.50	1,068.00			
Free Plays		430.00	131.00			
Furniture&Equip		200.00	5,472.00			
Rent		25,115.67	25,843.23			
Repairs		1,748.63	1,944.72			
Supplies		4,639.91	3,682.33			
Util. CG&E		7,104.06	5,985.25			
CI Bell		1,068.76	1,051.44			
Total Util.		8,172.82	7,036.69			
Total BRG CTR EXP		54,769.12	52,592.54			
TOURN EXP						
Hol. Party Expense		0.00	157.06			
NAOPIGNT		951.00	1,637.92			
Regional Expense		19,643.45	21,363.98			
STaC Expense		603.21	492.56			
Total TOURN EXP		21,197.66	23,651.52			
Total Expense		80,815.51	82,139.18			

♣♫ **CLUB NOTES** ♣♫

Deschappelles (Invitational game, Monday 11 AM at the Bridge Center) Watch for announcements about the ACBL-Wide Senior Game in February, when the time will change to 1 PM!

PM Homestyle Bridge (Open, fun, non-duplicate game, 1st and 3rd Mondays only at 7 PM at the Bridge Center) You must make reservations! Call Kay at (513) 631-8070.

Century Club (Open strat game, 1st and 3rd Mondays only at 7 PM at the Bridge Center)

Middletown Duplicate (Open game, Monday 7 PM at Mt. Pleasant Retirement Village in Monroe) There were 9 tables at the 6/12 Club Championship – Winners: 1st Mary Clifton-Don Brunswick; 2nd Louis Gaker-Virginia Getter.

NKY Bridge Club (Open game, Tuesday 10 AM at the Elsmere KY Senior Center)

Tuesday Morning Duplicate (Open strat game, Tuesday 11 AM at the Bridge Center) The last Tuesday of each month is a Team Game.

Duplicators (Open game, Tuesday 11 AM at the New England Club) 8/1 winners: N/S 1st Vi Sill-Ann Hagerty, 2nd Arch Ott-Dan Sherman; E/W 1st Bob & Sue Wessinger, 2nd Alice Pateman-Joanne Jester. 8/8 Club Championship winners: N/S 1st Arch Ott-Dan Sherman, 2nd Bill Osborn-Ron Babcock; E/W 1st Barb Wagner-Helen Armstrong, 2nd Al Fultz-Ray Wulf. 8/22 winners: N/S 1st Arch Ott-Dan Sherman, 2nd Irene Fry-Chris Pugh, E/W 1st George & Marilyn Edwards, 2nd Dorothy Wierwille-Jean Allread. 8/29 winners: N/S 1st Al Fultz-Ray Wulf, 2nd Ed Galloway-Dan Sherman; E/W 1st Micky Dasenbrock-Jane Burpee, 2nd George & Marilyn Edwards.

****Springboro DBC** (Open game, Tuesday noon at the Springboro YMCA) There were 3 tables at the 6/13 Club Championship – Winners: 1st Ed Huffman-Davey Smith; 2nd Lynda Walker-Joan Kiralfy.

****CBA Game (Open strat game, Tuesday 7 PM at the Bridge Center) A CBA Board member is always available as a Stand-by partner.**

“I/N” Intermediate/Novice Game (Limited game 0-50 mps, Tuesday 7 PM at the Bridge Center) Free novice-oriented lecture each week at 6:45 PM before the game. Three stratifications, including 0-5 (to help beginners earn points). Players wear nametags and all are friendly and helpful. Duplicate should be FUN. Anyone interested in the I/N game should contact Tom Deddens at Tom1118@cinci.rr.com.

Kings and Queens DBC (Open game, Wednesday 11 AM at the New England Club) 8/2 winners: N/S 1st Pat Newman-Irene Lewis, 2nd Cynthia Shultz-Suzy Haerr; E/W 1st Ray Wulf-Dick Day, 2nd Frank & Verlie Guiher. 8/9 winners: N/S 1st Bill Osborn-Dick

Day, 2nd Jackie & Mitch Meyers; E/W 1st Louise Adams-Sug Urban, 2nd Frank & Verlie Guiher. 8/16 winners: N/S 1st Pat Newman-Irene Lewis, 2nd Helen Ogle-Arch Ott; E/W 1st Al Fultz-Dick Day, 2nd Ed Galloway-George Ahlrich. 8/22 winners: N/S 1st Joan Rogers-Joan Meyer, 2nd Ray Wulf-Dick Day; E/W 1st Jean Schmidlin-Janet Knomme, 2nd John Boyd-Chris Malas. 8/30 winners: N/S 1st Vi Sill-Joan Rogers, 2nd Al Fultz-Marilyn Edwards; E/W 1st Ray Wulf-Dick Day, 2nd Betty Toennisson-Norma Shanks.

****AM Homestyle Bridge** (Open, fun, non-duplicate game, Wednesday 11 AM at the Bridge Center) Great snacks and always a partner available! New member Ron Neal accumulated the most masterpoints for June and July. Nancy Willis was second. Club championship winners: Elmer Hubka-Chuck Kuess.

Wednesday Game (New Open strat game, Wednesday 1 PM at the Bridge Center) After each game, check www.WednesdayGame.com for each week’s hand analyses, bidding quizzes, and play problems.

****Lebanon Countryside Y Duplicate** (Open strat game, Wednesday 12 Noon at the Lebanon Countryside YMCA) There were 8.5 tables at the 6/14 Club Championship -- Winners: 1st Charles Ross-Joe Hemskey; 2nd Phyllis Bishop-Sue Hermans.

NKY Bridge Club (Open game 2nd, 4th & 5th Wednesdays 6:30 PM at the Elsmere KY Senior Center)

InterClub (Invitational Swiss Team game, first Thursday of the month, May-December.)

Thursday Morning Duplicate (Open strat game, Thursday 11 AM at the Bridge Center)

Thursday Night (New Open strat game and new stratified 0-299 game, Thursday 7 PM at the Bridge Center) Everyone welcome! October 19 will be a “Homecoming Game” -- come see old friends.

NKY Bridge Club (Open game, 1st, 3rd & 5th Thursdays 6:30 PM at the Elsmere KY Senior Center)

Friday Morning Duplicate (Open strat game, Friday 11 AM at the Bridge Center) Additional strat Non-Life Master game the 3rd and (when possible) 5th Friday of each month, with a free lesson at 10:45 am. Winners of the NLM games were: June – A) Jackie Mullins-Diane Thaller, B/C) Alice Weston-Sue Ransohoff; July – N/S Adrienne & Richard Frieberg, E/W Tom & Sue Terwilliger. The June NAP winners: Jo Ellen Spitz-Carol Berliant. The July Club Championship winners: A) Donna Levine-Beth Morgan; B) Joann & Jerry Katz; C) Ralph Terbruggen-John Meckstroth.

NKY Bridge Club (10 AM at the Elsmere KY Senior Center) 0-49 Game the first Friday each month. Open Games on 2nd, 3rd and 4th Fridays. Swiss Teams on the 5th Friday of the month.

Saturday Stratified (Open strat game, Saturday 1 PM at the Bridge Center) There will be a NLM and an Open game on the 2nd Saturday of each month, attendance permitting.

**** Standby Partner available at these games.**



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Other Unit 124 Game Locations in SW OH & N KY:

Monday

11:00 AM Deschappelles-Private Pat Newman 513-469-7172
 7:00 PM Homestyle Kay Mulford, 513-631-8070
(1st & 3rd Mondays only, reservations required)
 7:00 PM Century Club Kay Mulford 513-631-8070
(1st & 3rd Mondays only)

Monday

7:00 PM Oxford Duplicate Janet Newman 765-935-4263
 Knolls of Oxford or Mike Broida 513-523-8008
 7:00 PM Mt Pleasant Village-Monroe Fred Sigler 513-423-4140

Tuesday

11:00 AM Tuesday DBC George Deidesheimer 859-781-3704
(Strat Team Game on last Tuesday each month)
 6:45 PM Lecture & 0-50 Game Tom Deddens 513-851-3857
 7:00 PM** CBA Strat 1st Tue Otto Walter 513-471-2116
 2nd & 3rd Tue Kay Mulford 513-631-8070
 4th Tue Peggy Barrett 513-745-0075

Tuesday

10 AM Elsmere KY Sr Center, Catherine Malone 859-331-7578
 11:00 AM Duplicators (NEC) Helen Ogle 513-232-2240
 12 Noon** Springboro YMCA Fred Sigler 513-432-4140

Wednesday

11:00 AM** Homestyle Kay Mulford 513-631-8070
 1:00 PM Wednesday Game Carol Greve 513-791-2062

Wednesday

11:00 AM Ks & Qs (NEC) Helen Ogle 513-232-2240
 12 Noon** Countryside Y, Lebanon Fred Sigler 513-423-4140
 6:30 PM Elsmere KY St. Center
 2nd, 4th & 5th Wednesdays, Catherine Malone 859-331-7578

Thursday

11:00 AM Thursday Strat Agnes De Lany 513-777-2587
 7:00 PM Strat Open & 299ers Annease Comer 513-281-2027

Thursday

10:00 AM InterClub League Pat Newman 513-469-7172
(Invitational - 1st Thursday, May-December)
 12 Noon Western Hills Club Joyce Schiller 513-451-3894
(4th Thursday only except January)
 6:30 PM Elsmere KY Sr. Center
 1st, 3rd & 5th Thursdays, Catherine Malone 859-331-7578

Friday

11:00 AM Finesse Club Nancy Sachs 513-561-1766
(NLM Game 3rd & 5th Friday each month-Free Lesson at 10:45)

Friday

10 AM Elsmere KY Sr Center, Catherine Malone 859-331-7578
(1st Friday, 49er Game)
(5th Friday, Swiss Teams)

Saturday

1:00 PM 1st/3rd/5th Strat George Deidesheimer 859-781-3704
 2nd/4th Strat Kay Mulford 513-631-8070
(NLM & Open Game on 2nd Sat. each month)

** indicates a standby-by partner is available