

## 5/26 – Future Master Leaders

1<sup>st</sup> OA: **Judith Lucas & Linda Drasnin**

(61%, 0.80 MP)

2<sup>nd</sup> OA: **Joanne & Tim Oppelt**

(60%, 0.56 MP)

3<sup>rd</sup> OA: **Garen Wisner & Steven Simon**

(56%, 0.40 MP)

4<sup>th</sup> OA: **Patt & Bob Olexsey**

(52%, 0.28 MP)



## 5/22 – Fri NLM Leaders

1<sup>st</sup> OA N/S: **Fran Hamilton & Elaine Rothstein**

(61%, 0.72 MP)

2<sup>nd</sup> OA N/S: **Joanne Oppelt & Patt Olexsey**

(56%, 0.50 MP)

3/4 OA N/S: **Judy Barron & Sara Brown**

(50%, 0.31 MP)

3/4 OA N/S: **Kathy Dewitt & Elizabeth Coleman**

(50%, 0.31 MP)

1<sup>st</sup> OA E/W: **Sue Baum & Elva Jung**

(63%, 0.72 MP)

2<sup>nd</sup> OA E/W: **Ernie & Esther Zimmerman**

(60%, 0.50 MP)

3<sup>rd</sup> OA E/W: **Lisa Eisenstein & Pam Campbell**

(59%, 0.36 MP)

2<sup>nd</sup> OB E/W: **Gail Zimmer & Patricia Burnam**

(52%, 0.34 MP)

3<sup>rd</sup> OB E/W: **Liz Lin & Sue Ellen Thesing**

(51%, 0.25 MP)



## CBA Future Master Games

Mon 7PM < 2000

Tue 7PM NLM

Wed 11AM 0-10/Homestyle

Fri 11AM 0-10/NLM + Lecture

Sat 10AM Supervised Play

## Tuesday Night NLM Section Starts June 9 !!!

Get Ready for Tuesday Night! Starting Tuesday June 9, 2015, the 7:00 PM CBC Game will offer a Non-Life Master Section, replacing the 149er game. This is your chance to play evening bridge in a fun environment. We Need You!!! To make this work we'd like to see 12 tables - that's 48 NLMs playing every Tuesday Night. Tom Mess ([tmess7023@gmail.com](mailto:tmess7023@gmail.com)) and Lou Temples ([lew@powderalloy.com](mailto:lew@powderalloy.com)) will be guiding and promoting this game. Contact them with any questions.

## 10:30 Friday 2/1 Game Force Series

Phyllis Bishop's 10:30 2/1 seminar series continues:

May 29: 2/1 Part III Opening Bidder's Second Bid

June 12: 2/1 Part IV Responder's Second Bid

June 19: Review 2/1 with Quiz

June 26: Jacoby 2NT

July 3: New Minor Forcing

July 10: 4th Suit Forcing

Please come a little early as the seminar will start promptly at 10:30!!!

## Upcoming Tournaments

June 1-7 Cincinnati Flying Pig Regional

**CBC CENTER CLOSED**

**NO Saturday Supervised Play June 6**

**DAYTON NON-LIFE MASTER SECTIONAL**

**June 13 & 14, 2015**

**Tournament Flyer at:**

<http://www.mvba.com/wp-content/uploads/2015/04/June-2015-NLM-Sect2.pdf>

## Sat Sup Play Seminars – Play of the Hand Series

Seminars start promptly at 9:30:

May 30: NT Contract Play – Counting Winners

**June 6: NO GAME due to Cincy Regional**

June 13: Developing our Suits Before Opponents Establish Theirs

June 20: NT Contract Play - When to take Stoppers

You can view the entire series on the CBA website at:

[http://www.cincybridge.com/NLM/Newcomers\\_Bridge.html](http://www.cincybridge.com/NLM/Newcomers_Bridge.html)

## Hand of the Week

This week features a Tuesday hand that demonstrates the value of a long trump suit:

**Bidding** – With two passes, West with 15 HCP and strong in the minors will likely open 1♦ (12-21 HCP, 3+ diamonds) and look to rebid clubs later. Yes West has more clubs than diamonds and could open 1♣ as well. I prefer the 1♦ call on this 4-5 holding with my HCP values loaded in my suits. With more HCP in the majors I will likely open 1♣ and look to rebid 1NT instead. North has 8 solid spades and 9 HCP. With partner a passed hand and on even vulnerability, they will likely preempt this hand 4♠ (preemptive with 8 trumps). If North is conservative and only preempts 3♠, South should strongly consider a raise to 4♠ on a support hand much better than partner could expect. With 3 quick tricks game can make on a variety of holdings from partner (North).

**Play of the Hand** – On any lead, declarer (North) has 10 tricks (8♠, 2♥).

**Post Mortem** – Do not be afraid to preempt to the right level depending on vulnerability. On this deal 4♠ is right with 8 solid trump. Even if this contract goes down it is often better than letting the opponents make their part score or game.

**Post Mortem II** – I note one E-W pair doubled the 4♠ contract. Be very careful about doubling without trump controls and on HCP alone. On this deal 4♠ undoubled making 4 is actually a good result for E-W in the open game, but becomes a bottom board when doubled.

### Board 14

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 4  
♥ J 8 5  
♦ A K Q 8  
♣ A J 9 8 5

♠ K Q J 10 9 5 3 2

♥ 10 6

♦ J

♣ Q 6

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♠ 8 6  
♥ Q 9 3 2  
♦ 10 7 6 4  
♣ K 10 2

♠ A 7

♥ A K 7 4

♦ 9 5 3 2

♣ 7 4 3

NS 4♠; EW 2♥; EW 3♦; EW 3♣; Par +300:  
EW 5♣x-2; EW 5♦x-2

Contract	Score Matchpoints			
	N-S	E-W	N-S	E-W
4♠x N 4	590		4.90	0.10
4♠ N 5	450		3.70	1.30
4♠ N 4	420		1.30	3.70
4♠ N 4	420		1.30	3.70
4♠ N 4	420		1.30	3.70
4♠ N 4	420		3.50	0.50
4♠ N 4	420		3.50	0.50
2♠ N 4	170		1.00	3.00
3♠ N 4	170		1.00	3.00
3♠ N 4	170		1.00	3.00