

ACBL Unit 183



Seayon Highlands State Park

Unit 183 Newsletter

Dear Michael

Greetings! Welcome to October.

UNIT 183

Annual Election

This is just a reminder that the annual election for the Unit 183 officers is in progress. Everyone should have received a ballot by this time. Voting can be done in person at the Fort Worth sectional tournament this month or ballots can be mailed in ahead of time. Votes will be counted towards the end of the day on the last day of the tournament on October 17th.

BIG GAMES



Theresa Brantley and William Chan had a 73.50% game on September 4, 2026 at the Mansfield Duplicate Bridge Club.

Shelba Parmley and Nancy Anderson had a 74.59% game at the Burleson Duplicate Bridge Club on Monday, September 14, 2026.

Hal Schulz and Hal Spottswood had a 71.4% game on September 14th at the Granbury Bridge Club.

Congratulations to all of those who had big games last month!

ARLINGTON (ADBC)

UPCOMING SPECIAL EVENTS

There will be an ACBL-wide Instant Matchpoint game on Wednesday, 21 October. The entry fee is \$14.

Dorothy Moore's Gold Life Master party will be on Saturday, October 24. There will be a catered lunch at 12:15 pm followed by a game at 1:00 pm. Please contact the Arlington Duplicate Bridge Club ahead of time if you plan to attend the luncheon so that we can tell the caterer how many people to expect for lunch.

RSTaC games are scheduled on Monday, October 19, Thursday, October 22, Friday, October 23, and Saturday, October 24. The entry fee for the RSTaC games will be \$13 for members and \$14 for non-members.

DENTON BRIDGE STUDIO

GAMES AND SPECIAL EVENTS

There are Royal STaC games in Denton from October 19-25.

More information about the game schedule and special events can be found on the Denton Bridge Studio web site at <https://www.bridgewebs.com/dentonstudio>.

TOURNAMENTS

The Denton sectional was held at the Denton Bridge Studio October 1-3. Total attendance was 97 tables. This is a list of the top twenty-five MP winners.

17.91 Stephen Kornegay, N Richland Hls TX
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14.43 Ross Ramsey, Flower Mound TX
14.27 Brian Eaton, Fort Worth TX
11.99 Khalifa Ahmed, Denton TX
10.56 Kamal Das, Arlington TX
9.63 Kara Jean Hawthorne, Arlington TX
9.53 Steve Shirey, Fort Worth TX
8.83 John Luebkekmann, Aubrey TX
8.34 Sharon Harbach, Argyle TX
7.86 Douglas Berke, Mansfield TX
7.12 Lorelee Berg, Dallas TX
7.03 Mary Orock, Fort Worth TX
7.03 Lorraine Little, Benbrook TX
6.86 Liz Jacobson, Fort Worth TX
6.70 Lindsey Jones, Denton TX
6.62 Norris Drum, Denton TX
6.22 John Redfern, Irving TX
6.19 Stan Hsu, Denton TX
5.96 Jin Chu, Plano TX
5.96 Jianbo Chen, Frisco TX
5.80 Chen Wang, Lewisville TX
5.50 James Cothran, Dallas TX
5.41 Kimmel Jones, Euless TX
5.41 Bill Staats, Southlake TX

Congratulations to all who won master points!

FORT WORTH BRIDGE STUDIO

UPCOMING SPECIAL GAMES

There are Royal STaC games in Fort Worth from October 20-23. Games in a Royal STaC pay out sectionally rated masterpoints split evenly into four categories - 25% Gold, 25% Red, 25% Silver, and 25% Black. The entry fee for the Royal STaC games in Fort Worth this October is \$12.

The full monthly game schedule for the Fort Worth Bridge Studio can be found at : <https://d16acbl.org/U183/clubgames.htm> .

TOURNAMENTS



The fall sectional in Fort Worth will be at the Fort Worth Bridge Studio from **October 15-17, 2026**. We hope to see you all there. This is a great opportunity to get silver points if you are working on your life master.

Gloria Fields is the tournament partnership chair. You can reach Gloria at 817-266-2095 or partners183@outlook.com .

Here is a web link to the tournament flyer :

<https://d16acbl.org/U183/events-pdfs/FWSectionalFlyerOct2026.pdf> .

CLASSES & PRESENTATIONS



CLASSES

Bridge Lessons on Monday (9:30 am - 11:30 am)

Bridge lessons are still being taught at the Fort Worth studio! We have lessons every Monday.

On the 1st and 3rd Mondays of the month Kathy Coleman teaches lessons for beginners who have some experience playing bridge. Class hours are in the morning from 9:30 am - 11:30 am. Contact Kathy at kbcoleman8@gmail.com or 817-996-9039.

Gloria Fields teaches lessons every Monday for beginners who have very little or no bridge experience. Classes are **now in the evening from 5:30 pm - 7:30 pm**. Contact Gloria at gofields@gmail.com.

Lessons for all classes are \$10. The classes are very informal with lots of questions and discussion. Please come to some or all of the lessons! We would love to see you.

Monday Afternoon Game (12 noon - 3 pm)

Everyone is invited to play in Docia's game which is held every Monday afternoon at the Fort Worth Studio, starting at 12 noon.

SUNSHINE CORNER

SUNSHINE CHAIRPERSON REMINDER

If you need to pass on information about a member of our group who is going through a difficult time healthwise, please notify Linda Spangler. Her contact info is - email: spanglerl@sbcglobal.net , telephone: 682.224.4307.

WHERE TO PLAY IN UNIT 183

We have in-person games open in various locations throughout the Unit and we surely hope you'll join us.

Our principal locations are **Arlington Duplicate Bridge Club (ADBC)**, **Denton Bridge Studio (DBS)**, and the **Fort Worth Bridge Studio**. All have websites which provide information about location, game schedules, game results, and special activities.

Weekly games are also held in various other facilities throughout Unit 183. There are locations in Burleson, Flower Mound, Colleyville, Granbury, Mansfield, and Robson Ranch.

BAFLAC

BAFLAC, supporting Lewisville, Coppell, Flower Mound, and surrounding areas, have games played at the Flower Mound Senior Center, 2701 West Windsor Drive. The director is Darrel VanDyke. The BAFLAC contact number is: 214-929-8128.

Burleson

The Burleson game is on Monday at the Burleson Bridge Club. Contact Marvin Stewart at 817-929-3682.

Colleyville

The Colleyville game is at their Senior Center, 2512 Glade Rd. The director is Jan Mogged. Contact number: 817-851-6906.

Granbury

The Granbury Bridge Club is in Acton Methodist Church. The director is David Lemasters, 225-933-4074.

Mansfield

The Mansfield game is on Tuesday at the Mansfield Activities Center. Contact the director, Lauren Brown at 817-800-3886.

Robson Ranch Duplicate Bridge Club

The Robson Ranch Bridge Club is in Denton. They are an open club and everyone is welcome to play. Contact: 940-765-2159, rrdentonbridge@gmail.com.

WEBSITE ADDRESSES

District 16 Website: <https://district.d16acbl.org> . The district website is a good resource for information about upcoming tournaments throughout the district and it also has a library of past intermediate/newcomer lectures which you can view online.

Unit 183 and Fort Worth Bridge Studio: The Unit 183 home page is at <https://d16acbl.org/U183> .

Unit 183 Game Schedule: The Unit 183 website has a web page with the general game schedule and contact information for all of the different bridge clubs in Unit 183. The web link is: <https://d16acbl.org/U183/gameschedule.htm>

Arlington Bridge Studio: <https://d16acbl.org/U176/ABC/index.html>

Denton Bridge Studio: <https://www.bridgeclubsonline.com/dentonstudio>

Fort Worth Daily Game Schedule: The daily Fort Worth game schedule for the current month is at: <https://d16acbl.org/U183/clubgames.htm> . This is where you will find what kinds of games are scheduled to be played on each day of the current month - whether the game is NAI, STaC, Club Championship, Instant Matchpoint, and so on.

Newsletter Contact

Please send an email to me if you have something that you would like to include in the next edition of the newsletter. Thank you.

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