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Award Chairman Eric Snow presents Texas Star Pins to Tipton Golias, Dick Cunningham, Gerrie Owen & Andrea Klein.

Twelve Texas Stars Shine Bright at 2007 Houston Regional

ACBL President Sharon Fairchild and District 16 Awards Chairman Eric Snow presented the Texas Star Pins to recipients at the Houston Regional in February.

The Texas Star Awards are awarded to worthy volunteers at the unit level for service performed in their own unit. The District Board encourages you to submit a bio and picture to your unit board for consideration in the next few months. It is not too early for the unit boards to consider their generous volunteers for 2007.

Doug Cross – Unit 172

Doug loves bridge and the people that play bridge. He supports our club games and tournaments as often as possible. We all know that Doug would be there every day if he could. Unfortunately his business, family and charity projects do not permit it at this time. Doug is a behind the scenes helper for Unit 172 and we feel it is long overdue that we show our appreciation for his help by honoring him with this award.

For years, Doug has furnished a truck (gas included) for us to get all the supplies to our tournaments. This included Kerrville and New Braunfels as well as the local tournaments and unit games. Several years ago he made a suggestion to the board that we might consider buying a trailer to not only save on the expense of renting a space, but also to save time in getting the supplies to the playing areas. When the board approved purchasing a trailer, it was Doug who took care of the order and getting the trailer to San Antonio and then providing a place for us to a

park the trailer. He also made the arrangements to get the lettering put on the truck. On more than one occasion he has provided us with a driver to bring the trailer to a unit event.

The board of Unit 172 feels very fortunate to have Doug helping us. If we're lucky, when he decides to retire and slow down a little, we might even get him to serve on our board with all of his expertise, enthusiasm and energy. We can't thank him enough for his contributions to our unit.

Lew Levy – Unit 174

Lew was elected to the Unit 174 Board of Directors in April 2002 and was appointed to the position of vice president. Later that year he became President when the current President could not continue to serve and he continued as president for the next full year. During his tenure, several

important management practices such as financial planning and budgeting were implemented. The Unit's financial system was completely overhauled and simplified, bringing the Unit into compliance with generally accepted accounting practices, and enabling all Unit members to have access to and understand the organization's operating cash flows and financial strength. A manual detailing Board practices and policies was prepared for incoming Board members to allow them to be immediately productive. As President and vice president, Lew was co-chair of the Lone Star Regional for two years.

In 2006, Lew served as chair of the Unit's Nominating Committee. In 2007, he was elected to the position of executive treasurer for District 16. He is also co-chair of fundraising for the 2009 Nationals.

Gerrie Owen – Unit 176

She began playing bridge in 1971 and served as the tournament chairman for Unit 176 from 1983-1992 organizing all local tournaments for 9 years. In 1996, she opened Valley View Bridge Club with Preston Morrow and together they have taught bridge locally. She also served as tournament chair from 1999-2006, and most importantly serving as chair for the National Bridge Tournament held at the Hyatt Regency in April 2006. She has served as president of Unit 176 and president of District 16. Lastly, Gerrie was awarded the Oswald and Jim Jacoby Award

Mary Hoger – Unit 183

A graduate of the University of North Dakota, Mary and her husband, Jim, moved to Fort Worth in 1972 as part of Jim's military career. Prior to this move, Mary became one of the first "certified bridge directors" in the United States in 1968, all this while raising five children. She was elected to the Fort Worth Board of Directors in 1983 and has served in all capacities on the Board and as Treasurer since 1992. She directs four games a week, plays in several more, pays all the bills on a timely basis and prepares the annual tax return. She is a lifetime member of the National Charity Committee, a position of which she is justifiably proud.

The Fort Worth bridge players are unanimous in their feelings of respect and admiration for Mary's integrity at the table, her bridge playing expertise

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Ten Pairs Head to St. Louis To Compete in the NAOP National Finals

By Ira Hessel

The 2007 District 16 National Open Pairs Finals were held in Austin on the second weekend of the New Year to qualify 3 pairs from Flights A and C and four from B to represent District 16 at the national finals to be held at the St. Louis Nationals in March.

The qualifying pairs are:

Flight A

1. Bart Bramley and Sidney Lazard, Dallas; 2. Thomas Peters and John Zilic, Houston; 3. Ellen and Ira Hessel, San Antonio.

Flight B

1. Charlene Sands, Pflugerville and Virgil Massey, Driftwood; 2. Hazel and Jules Schoenberg, Plano; 3. Nancy Boothe, Houston and Karen Snyder, Spicewood; 4. Bob Scallan and Martha Young, Dallas.

Flight C

1. George Keiller and John Heath, Houston; 2. Don Morgan and David Dyer, Houston; 3. Ruth Bracken, Grapevine and Laura Nash, Stephenville.

Players qualified in specially designated games at the club level and then competed in a 2-session Unit Final to determine who would go on to compete at the District level. The leading (usually 3-4) pairs in each flight from each ACBL District go on to compete in the National Finals at the Spring Nationals in St. Louis in March. This year, 112 pairs competed in the District Finals. Ten pairs less than last years but still way ahead of the lowest

we have had. The event continues to be well attended and we have always had a dedicated core in Flight A that always participate. The keen competition is always a draw and the subsidies for the top pairs from the ACBL is always a good draw. The top pair in each Flight gets their hotel and airfare. The second pairs get just airfare. While the ACBL provides nothing for the third place pairs I mentioned that the third pair gets a complimentary cocktail. I was surprised that Tom Peters was refuting it. I do expect Tom to buy me an Iron Monkey (1 part Jaegermeister and one part Banana liquor-not shaken and not stirred please) in St Louis for aiding his free trip.

Only in Flight A did the first place pair break free of the field. Bart and Sidney won by 3 boards. In all the Flights the battle between 2nd and 3rd was remarkably close. Flight C were separated by 0.35 mps and Flight A by 0.034. But in Flight B Nancy and Karen were nicked for the free trip by .08 mps. 247.81 to 247.74. Do you suppose the computer scoring them was named HAL? Chemists would cringe at such a score that ignores rules for significant digits.

The action in Flight A was, as usual, way tougher than a typical Regional pair game. 6 of top 8 pairs contained National Champions The winners had one player, Sidney Lazard, who has won National titles for six consecutive decades!

In the battle for second, Ellen and I led John and Tom by almost 6 mps going in to the final round where we met head up. I held Ax, 10xx, AQxxx and xxx. To my left it started 1S-2H-2S to me. I made a responsive dbl and Tom bid 3C as a game try on my left. Ellen bid 3D and I decided to bid only 3H as a stronger raise to 3 rather than if I bid it directly. Ellen held x AKxxx Kxxx Qxx. 4H was a poor contract but duly made. Many defended 4S dbl'd for 300 and we only got 1 mp.

On the second hand I held AK10xxx, Kxx xxx A as dealer, all red. It went 1S P 3C (Bergen 7-9 with 4S's) Dbl. I bid 4S and dbl'd 5C bid on my left. Ellen led the SQ and dummy hit with x Qxxx Axxx KQxx. What is your plan? I overtook to cash the trump Ace and shifted to a Diamond. Better than a red card by either of us at trick 2. Tom held xx A10 QJ J10xxxxx. If I shift to the Diamond before the CA I get ended. We beat them 200 and 4S goes bait but we only scored 2 out of 6 to lose the last round by 9-3 and the 2nd que by 0.34. The good news is that our Unit provides \$300 a piece for the non-money que and \$100 for the money que. Our tickets were \$197 so we made 3 dollars a piece for finishing 3rd instead of 2nd. I may buy my own Iron Monkey. It's good to be a member of the San Antonio Unit which also covered all the entries at the District finals.

I wish all the contestants good luck in St. Louis.

District 16 Elects 2007 District Officers



Eric Snow
President



Larry Davis
1st Vice-President



Ira Hessel
2nd Vice-President



Lew Levy
Executive Treasurer



Donna Compton
Executive Secretary

The District 16 Board of Directors elected new Officers for 2007 during the Houston Regional in February. The District Officers for this year are President-Eric Snow, Houston, replacing Dewitt Hudson; 1st Vice President-Larry Davis, Austin, replacing Eric Snow; 2nd Vice President-Ira Hessel, San Antonio, replacing Charlie Price; Executive Treasurer-Lew Levy, Houston, replacing Tom Hughes; and Donna Compton is returning as Executive Sec-

retary

The Houston meeting was the best attended District meeting in recent history. The District Board would like to thank all of the Unit Representatives for joining us at the meeting. Be sure to pass along ideas and concerns through your Unit Representative. Communication between the District and Units is key to increasing our membership across the District.

The Board members serve for one year

and attend the District meetings which are held on Saturday mornings during the three regular District 16 regionals. The next District meeting will take place at the San Antonio 4th of July Regional.

The District Board would like to increase communications between the District and the units. If you are a District Representative for your unit, please visit www.d16acbl.org/d16BOD.html and send updated information to Donna Compton.


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and her personal high standards of moral behavior and ethics. Her multiple contributions to Unit 183 are renown to the players as is her intelligence and leadership and her ever present practice of active ethics.

Bobbie Walker -Unit 187

Bobbie has been very active keeping the Rockport Club going. For the Unit she has been doing our Newsletter bi-monthly which is a difficult job as we have trouble getting folks to send in info for same. She also has been for the last 4 or 5 tournaments in Rockport in charge of the wonderful snacks provided for attendees and will be continuing in this job in February. She is a member of our Board of Directors and is now going to be our audit person working on our taxes. She is always ready to help in any way possible.

Mary Hildebrand - Unit 197

Mary has chaired the past 3 or 4 Sectionals for us and through her able leadership, has put us firmly in the black financially. Mary has even caddied herself to save us the expense of paying for caddies. She has ordered all the lunches, helped Alice and Marge in the kitchen, and set up and taken down tables for the playing area, seen to housing for the director and done many other things behind the scenes on our behalf. I think Mary even managed to win a session while doing all this work! We are grateful to have such a bright and capable person in our Unit.

Tipton Golias - Unit 201

Tipton is not only a successful area business owner, but leads our club in total master points. In 1997 Tipton played on the team that won the Spingold trophy, one of the most prestigious events in bridge.

Not only is he an exceptional player, but quietly and without fanfare Tipton has provided a remarkable amount of support to our club and its events and activities. In the 1990's as past unit representative to the District 16 board he was instrumental in bringing a regional tournament to the Beaumont area and thanks to his efforts an additional sectional tournament. He has most generously underwritten countless club activities such as member directories, tournament newsletters, new gold life master

parties and other special events.

Tipton's many contributions to bridge in general and Unit 201 in particular make him well deserving to be our Texas Star Award recipient.

Don Ross - Unit 205

Don Ross was born in Montreal, Canada, and was educated at Sir George Williams and Bishops Universities. Ross spent his entire working life in education. He taught in Montreal for eighteen years which included a four-year leave of absence to work at a teacher-training college in Kenya. He ended his thirty-six year career in 1976 as a high school principal. Don and his wife of forty-nine years Janith have two sons and three grandchildren.

Don, a Bronze Life Master, was taught to play bridge at home by his parents who were both life masters. He infrequently played duplicate bridge in Montreal in the 60's, but not seriously until he competed in tournaments in 1966 with his sister, a member of the Canadian Provincial Teams. He ran a bridge club in East Africa from 1966-1970 and competed in the East African championships.

It was not until he moved to Ajijic in 1999 that he became heavily involved in the "work" of duplicate bridge. Since then he has been a tireless worker and has served as a director, Unit Tournament Chairman, coordinator and trainer of club directors, a voluntary bridge teacher, and long-time member of the board of directors of the Lake Chapala Duplicate Bridge Club.

Rosemary Kelley - Unit 207

Rosemary Kelley has been a vital part of the bridge community for many years, both at district and local levels. She first served District 16 as GNT Chairman in the early nineties. During her six-year tenure she was instrumental in revamping the GNT program by creating new conditions of contest and making it profitable. She continued her involvement in the district for many years with unparalleled hard work and dedication, serving as Treasurer, Vice-President, and eventually President. Just one important contribution she made included the creation of the District Executive Treasurer office.

Rosemary's energy and impressive level of commitment are also evidenced at the local level. In addition to serving on the Boards of San Antonio Unit 172

and Austin Unit 207, she co-chaired Regionals in 1995 and 1996. Rosemary played a key role in restoring fiscal balance during a critical part of Unit 207's history. Her many contributions include creation of the club's tax-exempt status.

This past year, Rosemary rallied a group of dedicated and generous bridge players to establish Austin's own Bridge Center. With a home of its own, Austin Bridge is now enjoying impressive growth. An essential element of that growth is due to the teaching program Rosemary has instituted, along with a set of Bridge Plus games. She is a popular teacher who welcomes new players with a warmth and interest that ensures their return.

Jimmie Penn - Unit 209

Jimmie was a school teacher for many years, the mother of 3 and the grandmother of 5. She loves to shop and is a terrific bridge player.

Jimmie has held many offices for The Permian Bridge Club Inc., and is a perennial board member, locally and for Unit 209. She works untiringly and is always available to help if needed.

Some of her jobs!! She takes care of our bulletin board, frames and hangs pictures taken at bridge functions throughout the year, is in charge of our monthly birthday night, obtains sanctions and schedules all special games, is manager of Permian Bridge Club Inc., purchases supplies for Allison Bridge Center. We all look forward to her articles for Unit 209 in the Scorecard. She does so much - hope we haven't forgotten something!

We shouldn't forget that she also volunteers and supports the Midland Rape Crisis Center and the Childs' Advocacy Center."

Richard Cunningham - Unit 233

Richard, a Life Master and retired Head of the Ophthalmology Department at Scott and White Memorial Hospital, actively supports bridge in the Unit, playing regularly in the Temple and Waco bridge clubs and at tournaments throughout the District.

Promotion of bridge is manifested by his enthusiasm to assist with teaching a six-week intermediate bridge class in Temple and the six-week Audrey Grant Club Series Lessons for Beginners in Waco, both having received many favorable comments and results.

He served a three-year term on the board of directors and was elected vice president in 2002 and president in 2003. For the past four years, he has provided exemplary service on the Unit Christmas party hospitality committee, arranging a catered meal and providing snacks and hors d'oeuvres for over 100 people. He can always be counted on to run errands or perform any work that needs to be done on behalf of the Unit.

In addition to duplicate bridge, Richard has many professional, civic, and cultural interests in the city and is highly respected as a gentleman and a leader. He is well liked by Unit members at all levels, being willing to share his knowledge with other bridge players in a kind and helpful manner. He has worked graciously as a volunteer to promote bridge and to further Unit activities.

Andrea Klein - Unit 237

Andrea was a late starter in Bridge. She had not played party bridge for over 25 years when she was asked by a

friend [Lois Kenover] to play a round of bridge in November after 9-11. When the two met prior to her first game, Lois was talking about transfers, Staymen, and other conventions and she became fascinated.

A year later, Kathryn McNamee, a director of the game in Port Isabel, retired, and afterwards she was asked by several members to start her own game, thus she began her bridge career in a big way. Bette Sturkie said she would direct her game until Andrea became a qualified director. She went to work, studied for a month, took the test, and passed and became a director. A year later, Jesse Avinger, a legend in his own time for his hard work and dedication to the Unit, passed away and she assumed his place as manager of the Harlingen Bridge Club and managed it for 3 years.

During the past 5 years Andrea has been heavily involved in promoting the game of bridge in the Magic Valley. She became a life master, owns two clubs, and has started an education program where she now has 30 students and is planning to set up a program in the school system this next September.

Additionally, she was the chair person for 2 sectionals in Harlingen,

and made them profitable. This past Dec 1-3, 2006, she was the food chairman for the unit sectional.

Julia Lucas - Unit 353

After playing party bridge for many years, Julia took up duplicate bridge in about 1995 with beginning lessons from the Bridge Studio. Her talents as a bridge player were soon evident — when she and partner Liz Meux had only about five masterpoints they took off for the Dallas Regional (against the advice of their teacher) and won the very first Claire and Harry Weisz Regional Championship. She has been an avid duplicate bridge player ever since, so far achieving the rank of Bronze Life Master. Julia is a skillful and considerate partner, well-liked by all.

Julia has served her unit on the Board of Directors as a member and officer, she has organized our unit Christmas dinner for the past several years, and is always one of the first people to show up when the hard work needs to be done, such as at our annual Sectional tournament where she has done every possible task with skill and good grace.

Our unit is fortunate to have a member with such talent and devotion to the needs of her game and to all its players.

and our hearts.

Since this news is almost two months old before you see it, I am hoping the people I mention are all back at the bridge room and just beating our socks off by the time this article is printed. At this time, we are missing Jean Britt, Clara Gordon, Lon Argabright, Annette Myers and Pat Barrett. Jean Ray has moved to New Mexico. Her address and phone number are listed on the board.

Lastly, I would like to comment on the passing of two of our favorite tournament directors, Jack Mehrens and Doris Allen. Ann Bailey said when she went to her very first tournament, she called for a card and her partner asked which one? The director was called, at once, by a mean woman at her table. Ann was terrified. Jack took one look at her, and announced of course she intended to play the high card and win the trick, then promptly left the table. He won Ann's heart right there.

Doris has helped direct in a lot of our smaller tournaments around here, and was always so vivacious, helpful to the new players, smiling and making funny comments. She could make a ruling against you, but she did it in a way that you didn't get mad. That takes a special talent. Once I complimented her on her hair style and color, and she said, "Oh, this is the first time you have seen my actual hair. It has grown out enough I don't have to wear my wig." That was the first time I knew she had been battling cancer for several years. What courage! I think these two would be pleased to know that when people speak of them, they always smile.

Unit 204
Fort Concho
Helen Barker

Our club's Christmas party was held the 8th of December. Ebba Ann & Bobby Barber and Calvert Curry were elected into our Hall of Fame and their names added to the Trudy Bunch Memorial Plaque. Stirring testimonials were given by Suzanne Dorris, George Finley, Lucille Cohen, and Bill Collins. There were several misty eyes around the room as memories were recounted about past members. You know, a bridge club is more than a place for playing a card game. It is our extended family, our friends, and people who will remember.

It was announced at the Christmas party that Jean Ray had once again won the "Velma McCandless Award". This award is given for winning the most points during the year as a non-life master. Congratulations, Jean. We missed having you at the party and hope your recovery is speedy.

In January, Virginia Knoelke was recognized for her thirty-five years of professorship by ASU. An award dinner was given in her honor. Congratulations, Ginny.

Also in January, Fran Grogan and Candyce Gregston went to a sectional in Austin, and won 1st overall in the Wednesday pair's session, then placed 2nd on Thursday. Congratulations!

The Club is happy to introduce some new members. We welcome Mike and Jerre McAfee from New Mexico, and John & Diane McCarthy from Florida!! We welcome you to our club, our city,

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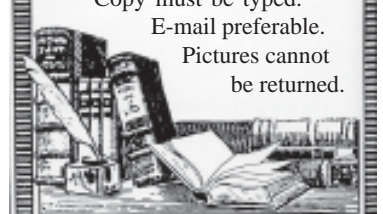
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Cavendish Invitational (Las Vegas, NV)	May 9-13
3rd Open European Championships (Antalya, Turkey)	June 15-30
Summer NABC (Nashville, TENN)	July 19-29

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January 2007 greeted our Unit with several ice storm warnings and almost two weeks of missing our Texas sun shining down upon us! In fact, on Friday, the 12th, several brave souls came to play despite the warnings and were greeted with the furnace malfunctioning during the game. Nevertheless we prevailed with frozen toes and runny noses. The next day, another brave group decided to take on the cold room and played through while enjoying hot soup, corn bread and dessert. At last the problem was repaired over the weekend and games resumed on Tuesday, the 16th. However, the icy weather did claim a victim from our midst, namely, Darla Mawson, who broke her ankle while retrieving her daily paper and needed surgery to repair the damage. We are relieved to know that she is now home recuperating from the accident.

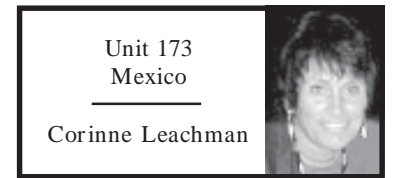
The beginning of the year also brought changes to our Board of Directors. Welcome to our newly elected members: Will Dix, Warren Haney and Margaret Gregory. Since Sammie Gibson resigned just before the election (due to her husband's illness), Barbara Bridges consented to serve Sammie's term of one year. Our thanks go to the out-going members: Sammie Gibson, Mary Ann Hall, Fran Herchenhahn, Jackie Sonnenburg and Ginny Wisdom. Thanks also goes to Mary Lou Gross who was our Club Manager. Coyita Bowker and Martha Murphy were elected for additional terms while Delbert Hess, Norma Labarthe, Dee Sterns and Beverly Walker remain on the Board.

Board members elected Martha Murphy as president, Beverly Walker as vice-president, Norma Labarthe as secretary, Delbert Hess as treasurer and Barbara Bridges as Club Manager. We congratulate Jackie Sonnenburg

and Henry Doscher who received the Heat Winner certificate in the 2006 World Wide Bridge Contest. We also received a "Big Thank You" from Celia Talbot of London who played here during November.

Our condolences to Howard Wilkins and his family upon the death of his wife, Hope, in late December. And to Mary Ellen Headstream who lost her brother, Billy Wayne Williams just recently. Good to hear that Daisy Shivers is doing well after her back surgery and that Hazel Honacker has recuperated from her medical emergency.

We are also grateful to have Beverly Walker taking over as Unit Director while Darla's ankle is on the mend.



Paradise, a.k.a. San Miguel de Allende, just keeps getting better. The Bridge Studio just finished expanding, and can now hold up to 25 tables. This is allowing us to offer Open games and 0-100 games running concurrently.

Our new beginners' series of lessons set a record with 17 students taking up the game.

On January 24th, we held an awards' game along with the monthly Unit Championship. Our 2006 Ace of Clubs winners will receive their Certificates of Achievement.

All of March is Charity month at the Bridge Studio of San Miguel. Our choice this year is Computadores Pro Jovenes. This is a new organization that gets computers donated, fixes them up and gets them into the classrooms of local schools. How is that for a project for some of you!! Get people in your area to donate their old computers, and we will get them here.

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OSWALD & JAMES JACOBY SERVICE AWARD

Description of the Award Guidelines for Nominations, Selection Committee and Presentation Ceremony

1. The Oswald & James Jacoby Service Award ("the Award") shall be presented once annually at the Dallas-Fort Worth Regional Tournament held in the fall.

2. The Award shall be presented by Judy Jacoby. If for any reason she is unable to make the presentation, the Jacoby Service Award Committee ("the Committee") shall select a person to make the presentation.

3. The Award shall be presented just prior to the commencement of play of the second session of the game held on Saturday. If play is held in more than one location, a presentation ceremony shall be held in each location. Presentation of the Award shall be shown on the printed schedule of the tournament. Sufficient time for the presentation(s) shall be allowed by the Director in charge of the tournament.

4. The identity of the recipient of the Award shall be kept secret until that person's name is announced by the presenter during the presentation ceremony. Members of the Committee shall take every precaution to insure confidentiality from commencement of the selection process until the presentation of the Award.

5. Each Unit within District 16 may, but need not, nominate a person whom it considers to be a suitable recipient of the Award. Only persons nominated by a Unit may be considered by the Committee. A Unit may nominate only one person, who need not be member of that of that Unit, and who shall be a member in good standing of the ACBL, resident within District 16. A Unit may nominate a person for more than one year. A person who has received the Award in a prior year is not eligible for nomination. No member of the Committee shall participate in the nomination process at the Unit level; one who inadvertently does so shall be disqualified to participate in the screening and selection process of the Committee.

6. The Committee and its Chair shall be appointed by the President of the District at the annual meeting held during the Lone Star Regional tournament in Houston at the beginning of each calendar year. Each member of the Committee shall be a recipient of the Award for a prior year. The Committee shall meet at a time of its own choosing to review nominations currently received and nominations on file, and select one nominee as recipient of the Award. Normally the Committee will choose to meet during the July Regional tournament. The Committee may screen nominees by a process which it deems appropriate in order to determine that each nominee is in fact qualified to receive the Award. The method, screening and selection process shall not be discussed by members of the Committee except among themselves. The Committee shall retain nominations on file for a reasonable time, normally not more than five years.

7. A recipient of the Award shall be a volunteer who has worked diligently at the Unit level and who has risen to recognition at the District level after many years of outstanding service. Receipt of nominal compensation for burdensome tasks does not automatically classify a person as a non-volunteer. The Committee shall determine the volunteer status of each nominee during its screening process.

8. The Chair of the Committee shall notify each Unit each March of the opportunity to nominate a recipient of the Award for that year. Such notification may be by letter or by publishing the notice in the *Scorecard*. The notice to the Units should outline the qualifications which the Unit should keep in mind in making its nomination and should stress the need for confidentiality. Nomination by the Unit must be received by the Committee by July 1 of each year.

9. The Committee shall maintain a record of all recipients of the Award.

DISTRICT 16 AMERICAN CONTRACT BRIDGE LEAGUE OSWALD AND JAMES JACOBY SERVICE AWARD

TO: PRESIDENTS AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF ALL
UNITS IN DISTRICT 16

RE: NOMINATIONS FOR THE OSWALD AND JAMES JACOBY
SERVICE AWARD FOR 2007

Each year District 16 selects one member, from the many dedicated volunteers whose hard work supports the District, to receive the Oswald and James Jacoby Service Award. A description of the guidelines are printed on this page, and it can also be found on the District's internet page.

Every Unit is encouraged to nominate a special person in District 16 who has served diligently at the Unit level and who has risen to recognition at the District level for their outstanding service. Please send your nomination to the Jacoby Award Committee. Include a brief personal sketch and a description of the way the nominee has served his/her Unit and District 16. Nominations must be received by the Committee by July 1, 2007.

This year's award will be presented at the Dallas Regional on Saturday, September 1, before the evening session. Please keep your nomination a secret, as surprise is an important part of the Award presentation.

Feel free to call the Committee if you have any questions.

OSWALD AND JAMES JACOBY SERVICE AWARD COMMITTEE
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Houston Regional - February 5-11, 2007



Tues Strat Open Prs A
Steve Toplansky & George Pisk



Tues Strat Open Prs B
Louis Sachar & Nancy Jo Gordy



Tues Strat Open Prs C
Patricia Bowles & Peggy Naughton



Tues Morn Strat Side Prs BC
Bertha Easton & Charles Lawson



Thurs Strat Open Prs B
Dave Glandorf & James Frick



Tues Eve Strat Side Prs B
Sylvia Bliss & Puddin Barnes



Tues Eve Strat Side Prs A
Pat McMullin & Chuck Germeyer



Wed Strat Open Prs A
Bill StClair & Jan Lall



Wed Strat Open Prs B
Joe Choate & Nelson Brown



Wed Strat Open Prs C
Pat & AJ Kubicek



Wed Aft Side Pairs AB
Barbara Finch & Gerry Earnest



Thurs Strat Open Prs C
Jo Graves & Billie Graves



Mon Eve Strat Open Prs BC
John Lai & Etsuko Kamo



Fri Morn Side Pairs ABC
Adam Kaplan & Todd Kaplan



Mon Eve Strat Prs A
Rita Ellington & Bob Morris



Fri Strat Open Prs B
Martha DeCou & Anne Jackson



Wed & Thurs Eve Side Prs A
Mark Wallet & Duane Friedrich



Sat Morn Side Prs B
Joe Nance & Jeff Brown



Sat Eve Strat Side Prs B
M. Patel & Ashok Shingari



Sat Strat Open Prs A
Roger Bates & Vivian Kilstrup



Thurs Strat Open Prs A
Buddy Bass & Knut Pettersen



Fri Strat Open Prs A
Shatrugna Prasad & (np) Jerry Bigler



Sun Strat Open Prs B
Atsuko Nakamura & Barbara Grantham

Results: Houston Regional
Justin Lall, Dallas, top district masterpoint winner with 111.93 masterpoints.

Eric Rodwell, FL, top non district masterpoint winner with 118.16 masterpoints.

Pair Events
Mon Eve Win An Entry Strat Prs A1. Rita Ellington, FL-Robert Morris, Houston A2. Britain Beezley-Shelba Parmley, OK A3. Mike Doyle-Jack La Vigne, Houston A4. Roger Bates, AZ-Vivian Kilstrup, CO A5.B1.C1. Etsuko Kamo-John Lai, Houston B2. Richard Perreault-Dawn Perreault, UT B3. Jackie Sonnenburg-Mary Lou Gross, Abilene B4. Robert Young, Navasota-Joe Nance, Bryan B5.C2. Jo Graves-Billie Graves, Austin C3. Eleanor Cherryholmes, OH-Nancy Caldwell, The Woodlands.

Tues Strat Open Prs A1. Stephen Toplansky, Houston-George Pisk, Manchaca A2. Roger Bates, AZ-Vivian Kilstrup, CO A3. Shatrugna Prasad-Oren Moore, Missouri City A4/5. Jeanne Linzel, Stafford-John Erickson, Houston A4/5. Rebecca Hyzer, Conroe-John Byrnes, Houston B1. Louis Sachar, Austin-Nancy Jo Gordy, WA B2. Kay Vogler, Spring-Sandra Sue Davis, Houston B3. John Lai-Leo L T Chiang, Houston B4. Ronald Brown-Jo Ann Brown, Dickinson B5. Deborah Case-Wanda Meyer, Houston C1. Herbert Kalman, Bellaire-Robert Reichel, Houston C2. Donna Gerber-Caroline Baumann, Georgetown C3. Patricia Bowles, AR-Peggy Naughton, Houston.

Tues Morn Strat Side Prs A1. Mike Miller, Temple-Roy Baughman, Pantego A2.B1.C1. Charles Lawson, Huntsville-Bertha Easton, FL A3.B2.C2. Dan O'Malley-Jo Ann O'Malley, Katy A4.B3.C3. Karen Nimmons-Christine Kollenberg, Houston A5. Margaret Womack, LA-Chris Moll, TN B4. Phil Brown-Phyllis Giffin, San Antonio B5. Betty Schell-Gay Rod, Houston.

Tues Aft Strat Side Prs A1. Michael Hout-Karen Hout, Plano A2. Howard Wilkins, Abilene-James Tucker Jr, ALA A3. Gail Wells-Michael Walrath, Keller A4.B1.C1. Marcia Warner-Herbert Warner, Montgomery A5.B2.C2. Nan Fulwebe-Rosemary Brooks, Houston B3. Margie Beegle, Houston-Ann Ankrum, Cypress B4. Mary McManus-Elizabeth Ghrist, Houston B5.C3. Renee Shapiro-Silvana Smith, Houston.

Tues Eve Strat Side Prs A1. Chuck Germeyer III-Pat McMullin, Houston A2. James Breihan, Houston-Tom Marsh, San Antonio A3. Alta Peck-Brenda Baker, Tyler A4.B1. Puddin Barnes, Brenham-Sylvia

Bliss, Rosharon A5/6.B2. Virginia Mc Innis-Carolyn Watkins, LAA5/6. Howard Wilkins, Abilene-James Tucker Jr, AL B3/4. Randolph Worsham-Helen Worsham, Dallas B3/4.C1. Linda Angelle-Carol Perrin, LA B5.C2. William Harlin-Joyce Harlin, GA C3. Dan Cavanaugh, OH-Eugene Cavanaugh, Austin.

Wed Mark Solomon Strat Open Prs A1. Bill St Clair Jr, Cypress-Jan Lall, Houston A2. Esta Van Zandt-Lew Levy, Houston A3. Carolyne Fox, Manvel-Edward Groner, Houston A4. Ralda St Pierre-John Erickson, Houston A5. L Laird, Sugar Land-W Lease, Houston B1. Joe Choate, League City-Nelson Brown, Jr, Houston B2. Puddin Barnes, Brenham-J Bachman Nabors III, Kempner B3. Kris Digre, Conroe-Cedric Hill, Spring B4. Patricia Wright, NC-Linda Luther, SD B5. Ellen Meyer, Austin-Wiley McMinn III, Cedar Park C1. Pat Kubicek-Adolph Kubicek, Pearland C2. Julian Silverblatt-Jack Rawitscher, Houston C3. John Lai-Etsuko Kamo, Houston.

Wed Morn Strat Side Prs A1. Alta Peck-Brenda Baker, Tyler A2.B1.C1. Todd Kaplan-Adam Kaplan, FLA3.B2. Ethan Lake-Randall Lake, Houston A4. Frances Schenk-Charlie Robert, LA A5. T. Richard Grammer-Ron Woodsum, Houston B3.C2. Joyce Seibert-Judith Smith, Houston B4.C3. Linda Adamchik-Dolores Belton, Beaumont.B5. Donna Olson, IL-Gladys Ulrich, Conroe.

Wed Aft Strat Side Prs A1.B1. Gerry Earnest, Montgomery-Barbara Finch, Houston A2.B2. Janelle Frusha, Montgomery-Lydia Lafferty, Spring A3. Michael Curley-Robert Varty, MI A4.B3. Robert Cohen-Jim Middleton, Houston A5.B4. Audrey Thompson-Tommy Thompson, Houston B5. Susan Kupper-Susan Munn, Houston C1. Avik Kaufman-Jill Hendricks, Houston C2. Joyce Seibert-Judith Smith, Houston C3. Linda Anthony-Joe Black, Austin.

Wed Eve Strat Side Prs A1.B1. Mark Wallet, Katy-Duane Friedrich, Houston A2. Alta Peck-Brenda Baker, Tyler A3.B2.C1. Harry Selldin-Mary Le Grand, Houston A4.B3. Walter Lauckner, Mission-Frances Buckingham, Pharr A5.B4.C2. RaeDonna Jones, Kingwood-Carmen Keys, Houston B5. Anne Page-Trudy Trivette, Houston C3. William Harlin-Joyce Harlin, GA.

Thurs Strat Open Prs A1. Eddie Bass, Austin-Knut Pettersen, Houston A2. Roger Bates, AZ-Vivian Kilstrup, CO A3.B1. David Glandorf, Houston-James Frick, Friendswood A4. Gary Bush, Dallas-George Pisk, Manchaca A5.B2. Brady Allen-Shaun Chooi,

Dallas B3. Dawn Perreault-Richard Perreault, UT B4. Puddin Barnes, Brenham-J Backman Nabors III, Kempner B5. Victoria Ornowski-Connie Robichaux, Katy C1. Jo Graves-Billie Graves, Austin C2. Gabriel Perry-Shmuel Harari, Houston C3. Gary Larson-Chloe Johnson, San Antonio.

Thurs Morn Strat Side Prs A1.B1. Jayne Reiner-June Broussard, Missouri City A2. Mike Aliotta-OK-John Pataki, Mesquite A3. Reanette Frobouck, PA-Dennis McGarry, FL A4. Margaret Womack-LA-Chris Moll, TN A5.B2. Ronald Sills-Donald Patterson, CO B3. Janet McCormack-John McCormack, Dallas B4. Carol Ann McGill-Robert McGill, Orange B5. Paul Stereff, Pasadena-George Wieland, Houston C1. Linda Anthony-Joe Black, Austin C2. Malou Flato-Mark McAllister, Austin C3. Kay Martin, Sugar Land-Margaret Hanneman, Rosenberg.

Thurs Aft Strat Side Prs A1. Alta Peck-Brenda Baker, Tyler A2.B1. John McCormack-Janet McCormack, Dallas A3. Edmund Cappel-Mary Freet, LAA4. Rick Burton-Pat McMullin, Houston A5.B2.C1. Richard Wilson, Houston-Sheldon Camenson, Cypress B3.C2. Carlys Swenn-Ann Wual, Houston B4.C3. Michael Lee Stabler-Carl Stabler, CO.B5. Henry Robin, OK-Ellen Meyer, Austin.

Thurs Eve Strat Side Prs A1. Mike Aliotta-Carol Pielsticker, OK A2.B1. Mark Wallet, Katy-Duane Friedrich, Houston A3. Michael Walrath, Keller-Gail Wells, Plano A4.B2. Ronald Sills-Donald Patterson, CO A5.B3. Cynthia Strahm, Georgetown-Helen Simonette, Salado B4.C1. Linda Thomas-Carolyn Bradford, Dallas B5.C2. RaeDonna Jones, Kingwood-Carmen Keys, Houston C3. Bob Reese-Georgia Reese, Houston.

Fri Strat Open Prs A1. Jerry Bigler, Austin-Shatrugna Prasad, Missouri City A2. Barry Schaffer, Frisco-Nagy Kamel, Plano A3/4. Beth Coker, Bryan-Nancy Stanton, Frisco A3/4.B1. Patricia Jackson, Kerrville-Martha De Cou, Corpus Christi A5. Art D'Entremont, SK-Wayne Rauschuber, San Antonio B2. William Smith, Houston-Wayne Christensen, Jr, Laporte B3. J Bachman Nabors III, Kempner-James McCommons, Dallas B4. Chris Jones-Lillian Jones, Houston B5. Sandra Clark-Audley Karrasch, Houston C1. Christopher Rimkus-Barbara Montgomery, Houston C2. Doug Boswell, Spring-Rodney McCullough, Galveston C3. James Montz-Ronald Knot, Horseshoe Bay.

Fri Morn Strat.Side Prs A1.B1.C1. Adam Kaplan-Todd Kaplan, FL A2. John Russell,

IL-Chuck Said, TN A3.B2. Steve Brower, FL-Charles Brower, Spring A4. Art D'Entremont, SK-Wayne Rauschuber, San Antonio A5.B3.C2. Linda Anthony-Joe Black, Austin B4. Marcella Thomas-Catherine Brown, Houston B5. Rosemary Dunn, Alamo-Frances Buckingham, Pharr C3. Mark McAllister-Malou Flato, Austin.

Fri Aft Strat Side Prs A1.B1. Virginia Melville, Houston-Mary Stevens, Missouri City A2.B2. Gay Roach, Nacogdoches-Philip Duterme, Bellaire A3.B3. Nadia Branisa-Silvana Smith, Houston A4/5. William Chan, ME-Susan Munn, Houston A4/5. Karin Griffin, NM-Nancy Boothe, Houston B4.C1. Jack Evans-Rajendra Dhamankar, Beaumont B5.C2. Robert Reichel-Jay Karkowsky, Houston C3. Herman Westbrook-Alla Mae Westbrook, McAllen.

Fri Eve Strat Side Prs A1. Vic Sowers-J Evans, Houston A2.B1.C1. Harry Selldin-Mary Le Grand, Houston A3.B2. Norman Gautier-Joyce Gautier, The Woodlands A4.B3. Catherine Tucker-Martha Young, Dallas A5.B4. Jim Truitt-Brenda Truitt, NM B5. Elsie Reid-Jill Hendricks, Houston C2. Bob Reese-Georgia Reese, Houston C3. Jack Evans-Rajendra Dhamankar, Beaumont.

Sat Shi-Lang Hsu Strat Open Prs A1. Roger Bates, AZ-Vivian Kilstrup, CO A2. John Russell, IL-Chuck Said, TN A3. Ralda St Pierre-Wolf Schroeter, Houston A4.B1. Donald White-Clif Capen, Baytown A5. Jolie Hess-Pat Levy, Houston B2. Mike Tannery-Sandra Clark, Houston B3. Gregory Lester, Houston-Youssef Youssef, Katy B4. Mark Meigs, Baytown-James Beasley, Lake Jackson B5. Claudette Roush-Billie Shotwell, Houston C1. Jim Harp, Dallas-Leslie Lawrence, Kingwood C2. Harry Selldin-Mary Le Grand, Houston C3. David Buck-Juanita Buck, Temple.

Sat Morn Strat Side Prs A1. Michael Walrath-Gail Wells, Keller A2. Edmund Cappel-Mary Freet, LAA3.B1. Jeffrey Brown, CO-Joe Nance, Bryan A4. Mike Miller, Temple-Roy Baughman, Pantego A5/6.B2. Sanford Lobliner, Houston-Raj Pruthi, Bellaire A5/6. John Russell, IL-Chuck Said, TN B3. Steve Brower, FL-Charles Brower, Spring B4.C1. George Van Amburg, Harlingen-Diane Schafer, MI B5. Brady Lotridge, Houston-Nile Gross, Katy C2. Mike Huiatt, Fair Oaks Ranch-Joyce Cooper, Austin C3. Judy Brown-Ron Brown, Houston.

Sat Aft Strat Side Prs A1.B1.C1. Bente Davies, Sugar Land-Sue Olstad, Houston A2.B2. Tiger King, Houston-James Zhan,

Sugar Land A3. David Hurd-Carol Noble, Houston A4.B3. Wayne Pinsonneault, MN-Larry Pinsonneault, Houston A5. Thomas Jahnke-Ken Navarro, Houston B4. Daniel Schomer, Pearland-Ing-Tai Chen, Sugar Land B5. Raymond Derr, Tyler-Susan Ohm, San Antonio C2. Francine Hargrove-Edwin Bain III, Houston C3. Tamah Goad-Rick Goad, LA.

Sat Eve Strat Side Prs A1. Patricia Hurlbert, Laredo-Ken Gee, SK A2.B1. Ashok Shingavi-Madhusudan Patel, Houston A3. Geoff Booth-Robert Sandfield, Houston A4. Marilyn Mac Donald-Bill Mac Donald, Corpus Christi A5.B2. Elsie Reid-Jill Hendricks, Houston B3/4. Walter Lauckner-Maite Ona-Ovono, Mission B3/4. Norman Gautier-Joyce Gautier, The Woodlands B5. Laima Gaizutis, Missouri City-Ervie Freeman, Houston C1. Jane Turner-W Turner, College Station C2. Karen Nimmons-Christine Kollenberg, Houston C3. Sandra Jackson-Richard Jackson, Bellaire.

Morn Strat Side Series 1/2.. Roy Baughman, Pantego 1/2. Mike Miller, Temple 3/4. Todd Kaplan, FL 3/4. Adam Kaplan, FL 5/6. Chuck Said, TN 5/6. John Russell, IL.

Aft Strat Side Series 1/2. Alta Peck, Tyler 1/2. Brenda Baker, Tyler 3. Susan Munn, Houston 4/5. John McCormack, Dallas 4/5. Janet McCormack, Dallas.

Eve Strat Side Series 1/2. Duane Friedrich, Houston 1/2. Mark Wallet, Katy 3/4. Mary Le Grand, Houston 3/4. Harry Selldin, Houston 5/6. Alta Peck, Tyler 5/6. Brenda Baker, Tyler.

Sun Strat Open Prs A1. Shirley McKee-Henry Schroder, Houston A2. Mary Gentry-Pat Levy, Houston A3. Gail Wells-Michael Walrath, Keller A4. Roger Bates, AZ-Vivian Kilstrup, CO A5.B1. Atsuko Nakamura, Pearland-Barbara Grantham, Houston B2. Gregory Lester, Houston-Youssef Youssef, Katy B3. John Lai-Leo L T Chiang, Houston B4.C1. Joyce Settle, Katy-Carl Hogan, Houston B5. Lourdes Fletcher-Paula Hradecky, Houston C2. Sandra Ebert-Marian Pedley, Austin C3. Don Morgan-William Zelle, Houston.

Team Events
Mon-Tues KO Teams Bkt I 1. Eric Rodwell-Jeff Meckstroth-Dennis McGarry-Linda McGarry, FL-Reanette Frobouck, PA 2. Robert Grantham Jr-John Zilic-Georgiana Gates-Kerr Godfrey-August Plate, Houston 3/4. Betty Ann Kennedy, LA-Stacy Jacobs, IL-Shannon Cappelletti, FL-Peggy Sutherland, Dallas-Jenny Ryman, ON-Peggy Kaplan, MN 3/4. Dan Morse, Houston-Ira Hessel, San

Team Events at Houston Regional Pay Lots of Gold!



Mon-Tues KO 1 Bkt II
Betty Starzec & Jane Armstrong
Sanford Lobliner & Marsha Bernstein



Mon-Tues KO 1 Bkt III
Debbie Jackson & Jane Rice
Daniel Jackson & Cliff Rice



Mon-Tues KO 1 Bkt IV
Millicent Wear & Jeanne Ingraham
Paul Wear & Frank Ingraham



Mon-Tues KO 1 Bkt V
Joyce Trimble & Don Trimble
Cynthia Bohnenblust & Carol Black



Tues-Wed KO III Bkt 4
Adam Kaplan & Todd Kaplan
Ted Bain & Jeanne Childe



Tues-Wed KO III Bkt 3
Theron Lindsey & Lisa Sommer
John Lindsey & Charles Sommer



Wed Eve Swiss Teams B
Steve Tuggle & J D Frick
Sandra Parker & Dave Glandorf



Wed-Thurs KO IV Bkt 2
Mike Doyle & Marilyn Arnold
George Fox & Steve Boothe



Wed-Thurs KO IV Bkt 3
Madhusudan Patel & Sadhana Dalal
Richard Grady & Rajesh Seth



Wed-Thurs KO IV Bkt 5
Joyce Cooper & Barbara Hutchison
Mike Huiatt & Janet Huiatt



Wed-Thurs KO IV Bkt 6
Sam Shah & Jo Shah
Mary Groves & Peggy Allen



Tues-Wed KO III Bkt 6
Mercedes Snyder & Janet Smith
Barbara Langendorf & (np) Emma Davis



Thurs-Fri KO V Bkt Bkt 3
Adam & Todd Kaplan
Carl Garcia & David Vine



Thurs-Fri KO V Bkt 5
Helen Olechna & Mary Lou Collins
Nancy Horvat & Jean Roberts



Thurs-Fri KO V Bkt 6
Joe & Donna Dean
Mel & Gay Nell Ball



Wed-Thurs KO IV Bkt 1
John & Virginia Zilic, Georgiana Gates, August Plate & Kerr Godfrey



Morning KO Bkt 2
Gay Roach & Phillip Duterme
Mark Wallet & Duane Friedrich



Compact KO 2
Ed Freiter & Barbara Phillips
James Barry & Bill Schindler



Fri-Sat KO VI Bkt 3
Amy & Fred Wang
Bert & Katherine Onstott



Fri-Sat KO VI Bkt 4
George & Helen Van Amburg
Diane Shafer & Elaine Mickelson



Fri-Sat KO VI Bkt 5
Joyce Cooper & Barbara Hutchinson
Mike & Jan Huiatt



Fri-Sat KO VI Bkt 6
Carol Scott & Liz Hutchison
Becky & Clifton Vance



Compact KO Bkt 5
Karla Riddick & Sarah Hardin
Joe Everette & Tom Farrell



Sat Eve Swiss B
Mark Pan & Kathryn Ritterbach
Gene Katz & Thomas Lin



Sat Eve Swiss C
Rae Donna & Jones Kay
Lynch Don & Inez Grider



Morning KO Teams Bkt III
Jeanette Hughes & Carolyn LaBouliere
Nita James & Inger Blount



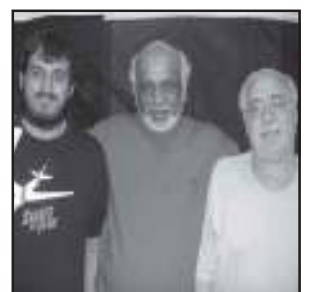
Sun Strati-Flted Teams B
Bill Land & Siraj Jiwani
Charles Markowitz & Chuck Gillis



Sun Strati-Flted Teams AX
Donna Sparks & Fred Feigley
Mark Wallet & Duane Friedrich



Compact KO I Bkt I
John Zilic & Gus Plate
Justin Lall & (np) Tom Peters



Sun Strati-Flted Teams A
Justin Lall & Hement Lall
Ira Chorush & (np) Bob Hamman



Compact KO Bkt III
Jim Hargrove & Jim Nichols
Sandra Parker & Bob Arnett

Montgomery-Sonia Bryant, Spring 3/4. David Dyer-Linda Marlin-Sallie Shirey-Joe Shirey, Houston Bkt V 1. Don Trimble-Joyce Trimble, Houston-C Black, Grapevine-Cynthia Bohnenblust, Eules 2. James Morgan-Thelma Morgan, Cypress-James Mays, Houston-Bobbie Turner, Crosby 3/4. Laura Jones-Carolyn Campbell-Terri Orleans-Kathy Watkins, Houston 3/4. Patrick Tourais-Jack Roth- Sandy Roth, Kingwood-Terry Raatz, Humble.

Tues-Wed KO Teams Bkt A 1. Carolyn Lynch, AZ-Dennis Dawson, NM-Mark Lair, Canyon-Joe Grue, NY-Curtis Cheek, AL-David Berkowitz, FL 2. Kimmel Jones, Eules-Hugh Hillaker, Grand Prairie-Nancy Kornegay-Stephen Kornegay, N Richld Hls 3/4. Anita Cokins-Mildred Breed, Austin-Chris Compton-Justin Lall, Dallas 3/4. Chuck Said, TN; John Russell, IL-Carolyn Peters-Thomas Peters, Grapeland Bkt II 1. Frances Schenk-Charlie Robert-Gary Graham-James Jackson, LA 2. John Mc Connell, Desoto-William Chan-Molan Chan, ME-Robert Michaud, AZ-Lorraine Coomes, Houston 3/4. William Boyer, Spring-Judy Cupps-L Travis-Al Cupps, Houston 3/4. Gregory Lester-Sherry Withers, Houston-Linda Rensi-Youssef Youssef, Katy 5/8. Melody Euler-James La Fountain, Temple-Gene Kaplan, Georgetown-Jon Richard Ware, New Braunfels Bkt III 1. John Lindsey-Theron Lindsey-Lisa Sommer-Charles Sommer, Houston 2. Joe Nance-Barbara Nance, Bryan-Robert Young, Navasota-Gene Thompson, Brenham 3/4. Marion Collins-Sarah Webster-Charles Collins, Magnolia-Kenneth McAllister, Pearland 3/4. Steven Tuggle, Pearland-Sandra Parker, Sugar Land-James Frick, Friendswood-



Thurs-Fri KO V Bkt 1
Marc Jacobus & Mike Passell
Lou Ann O'Rourke
Eddie Wold & Geoff Hampson

David Glandorf, Houston Bkt IV 1. Adam Kaplan-Todd Kaplan, FL-Jeanne Childe, Spring-Edwin Bain III, Houston 2. Martha Bookman-Mary Terry-Jean Brickhouse-Mary Jane Garth, Beaumont 3/4. Patsy Williams, Gilmer-Jody Henry-Mavis Warren, Huntsville-Khalifa Ahmed, Longview 3/4. Linda Adamchik-Dolores Belton-Sally Blewett, Beaumont-Patsy Pierce, Hardin Bkt V 1. Don Morgan-William Zelle-Chloe Ella Fackenthal, Houston-Jim Greaves, Pearland 2. Richard Davidson, Pasadena-Meriedith Pfister-Thomas Wulfers, Seabrook-Elgene Smith, Houston 3/4. Patricia Rose, Dallas-Patricia Marchman, Garland-Ann Blohm-Joanne Chadderdon, Houston 3/4. Mary Anne Woessner, Montgomery-Barbara Atkins-Diane Beardsley, The Woodlands-Nancy Carlin, Spring 5/8. Gladys Ulrich-Dona De Cook, Conroe-Donna Olson, IL-Joe Everette, Montgomery Bkt VI 1. Emma Davis-Mercedes Snyder-Janet Smith-Barbara

Langendorf, Kingwood 2. Susan Stone, Kingwood-Merlene Gager-Karla Riddick, Conroe-Steve Varner, Houston 3/4. Bette Liebgold-Rosa Materson-Judith Fecel-Sue Oistad-Ann Mc Dougal, Houston 3/4. Brenda Peavy-Ruth Singletary-Ollie Cavin-William Wadsack, LA 5/8. Otis Halliday-Marilyn Holmes-Don Grider-Inez Grider, Georgetown. Tues Eve Strat Swiss Teams A1. Stacy Jacobs, IL-Shannon Cappellett-FL-Betty Ann Kennedy, LA; Peggy Sutherlin, Dallas-Peggy Kaplan, MN-Jenny Ryman, ON A2. Sally Wheeler-Buddy Hanby, Spring-Merri-Jo Hillaker, Grand Prairie-Nagy Kamel, Plano A3/4. Terry Currie-John Link-Joan Pleason-Dianna Gittelmann, Houston A3/4. Patricia Hurlbert, Laredo-Jacob Morgan-WI-Shelba Parmley-Britain Beezley, OK; Ken Gee, SK A5.B1. Wiley McMinn III, Cedar Park-George Richards-Lawton Hutchison-Ellen Meyer, Austin B2.C1. Laura Jones-Carolyn Campbell-Nancy Strohmmer-Hans Strohmmer, Houston B3. Gerry Earnest-Janelle Frusha, Montgomery-Barbara Finch, Houston-Lydia Lafferty, Spring B4. Roger Marlatt-Barbara Babbitt, Houston-Lester McCracken, FL-Barbara Arthur, Spring B5. Joan Torrance, Conroe-Mary Hahn, Austin-Joan Miller, Montgomery-Joyce Seitz, Crp Christi C2. Lucy Hofmann-Donna Mann-Marilyn Jordan-Mary Moore, Kingwood C3. Alan Dennis-Janet Rauscher, Katy-George Keiller-Elizabeth Gast, Houston. Tues Late Night Zip KO Teams 1. Melody Euler-James La Fountain, Temple-James Breihan, Houston-Thomas Corlett, Waco 2. Debra Bellan-Ellen Greenfield-Betty Starzec-Jane Armstrong, Sugar Land 3/4. Merlene Gager-Karla Riddick-Joan Torrance,



Sun Strati-Flted Teams C
Cheri Staples & David Wicks
Ann Blohm & Joanne Chadderdon

Conroe-Susan Stone, Kingwood 3/4. Steven Tuggle, Pearland-Jeff Nuttall, Houston-William Breslin, Katy-Julian Barr, Missouri City. Wed-Thurs KO Teams Bkt I 1. John Zilic-Kerr Godfrey-August Plate-Georgiana Gates-Virginia Zilic, Houston 2. Robin Klar, Spring-Petra Hamman-Joan Jackson, Dallas-Nancy Passell, Plano 3/4. Eric Rodwell-Jeff Meckstroth-Linda McGarry-Dennis McGarry, Stuart FL-Reanette Frobouck, PA 3/4. Betty Ann Kennedy, LA-Stacy Jacobs, IL-Shannon Cappelletti, FL-Peggy Sutherlin, Dallas-Jenny Ryman, ON-Peggy Kaplan, MN Bkt II 1. George Fox, Manvel-Stephen Boothe-Mike Doyle, Houston-Marilyn Arnold, San Antonio 2. Thomas Corlett-Ethel Corlett, Waco-Nancy Stanton, Frisco-Beth Coker, Bryan 3/4. Laima Gaizutis, Missouri City-Ervie Freeman, Houston-Donald Patterson-Ronald Sills, CO 3/4. Hazel Keith, England-Sandra Sue Davis-Linda Coapland, Houston-Preston Morrow, Dallas Bkt III 1. James Grady-Sadhana Dalal-Madhusudan Patel, Houston-Rajesh Seth, AB

Antonio-Buddy Hanby-Sally Wheeler, Spring-Merri-Jo Hillaker, Grand Prairie-Nagy Kamel, Plano Bkt II 1. Marsha Bernstein-Sanford Lobliner, Houston-Jane Armstrong-Betty Starzec, Sugar Land 2. Janice Henderson-Bobby Maynard-Ralda St Pierre-Jonathan Holmes, Houston 3/4. Bert Onstott III-Katherine Onstott, Stafford-Wilma Booth-Geoff Booth, Houston 3/4. Madhusudan Patel-Joseph Wald-Chris Curran-Sadhana Dalal, Houston Bkt III 1. Clif Rice-Jane Rice, Houston-Daniel Jackson-Deborah Jackson, Spring 2. Jan Hauck, Sugar Land-Virginia Melville-Joyce Seibert, Houston-Mary Stevens, Missouri City 3/4. Dona Hatthorn, Danbury-Joyce Grindle-Ann Van Volkenburgh-Nancy Tiner, Lake Jackson 3/4. Ginger Rhamey-Karol Rank, Murchison-Nell Velvin-Karen Owen, Athens Bkt IV 1. Millicent Wear-Paul Wear-Jeanne Ingraham-Frank Ingraham, Houston 2. Marvin Greenfield, Sugar Land-Susan Kupper-Arthur Smith-June Smith, Houston 3/4. Beverly Cheatham-Francine Hargrove, Houston-Sarah Hardin,

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Mon Eve Strat 299er Prs A
Gary Hercules & Peaches Eads



Mon Eve Strat 299er Prs B
Patsy Ralston & Sally Kimpton



Mon & Tues Eve 49er Prs A
Kristy & David Garrison



Mon Eve 0-20 Prs
Brad Etnyre & John Linskey



Mon Eve 0-5 Prs
Norma Porter & Anne Davis



Mon Eve Strat 299er Prs C
Jean Swenson & Helene Baskir



Tues Morn 299er Prs C1/2
Sherri Romer & Stella Gallaher



Tues Eve Strat 299er Prs AB
J Stech & Norman Moore



Tues Eve Strat 299er Prs C
Ennis Dyess & Cliff Dillard



Tues Eve Strat 49er Prs BC
Pat Ireland & Chris Whitelonis



Wed Eve Strat 49er Prs BC
Ellen Rochelle & Peg Crider



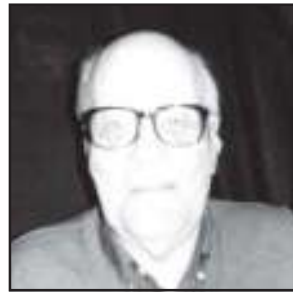
Wed Eve Strat 49er Prs A
June Silverblatt & Arlene Rawitscher



Wed Eve Strat 299er Prs ABC
Valerie Chapman & Betty Lane



Thurs Morn 299er Prs AB
Rich Brandenburg & Max Frey



Thurs Aft 299er Prs A
John Abercrombie & Carl Estes



Thurs Aft 299er Prs C
Gaylene Jewel & Helen Hollis



Thurs Aft 49er Prs AB
Debbie Steele & Margaret Farese



Thurs Aft 49er Prs C
Chris & Mike Whitelonis



Thurs Eve 299er Prs A
Khalifa Ahmed & Roger Parsons

Smith-June Smith, Houston 3/4. Sally Blewett-Dolores Belton-Linda Adamchik, Beaumont-Patsy Pierce, Hardin Bkt II 1. James Jackson-Gary Graham, LA-Britain Beezley-Shelba Parmley, OK 2. Karen Lee Barrett-G S Jade Barrett, WA-Richard Helams Jr.-Anne Dawson, LA 3/4. Steven Johnson-Anna Marlatt-Lucy Terrill, Houston-Raymond Derr, Tyler 3/4. Tito Ariwibowo-Lauri Laufman-Elizabeth Ghrist, Houston-Rebecca Hyzer, Conroe.

Thurs Eve Strat Swiss Teams A1. Betty Ann Kennedy, LA-Peggy Sutherlin, Dallas-Stacy Jacobs, IL-Shannon Cappelletti, FL-Jenny Ryman, ON A2. Larry Davis-Lawton Hutchison-Robert Donathan-Dean Truair, Austin A3.B1.C1. Stephen Olson-Evelyn Smith-Tom Denson-Kathleen Midkiff, Temple A4. Chuck Said, TN-John Russell, IL-Carolyn Peters-Thomas Peters, Grapeland A5.B2. Donna Sparks-Fred Feigley, Houston-Bert Onstott III-Katherine Onstott, Stafford B3.C2. Inger Lise Blount, Horseshoe Bay-Jeanette Hughes, Marble Falls-Carolyn Labouliere, Seabrook-Nita James, Kingwood B4. Rene Wallace-Walter Lauckner, Mission-Rosemary Dunn, Alamo-Frances Buckingham, Pharr B5.C3. Paula Warren-Polly McCamey-Mary Rita de Hoyos-Kimi Lambert, New Braunfels.



Thurs Eve 299er Prs BC
Jane Wren & Pat Howard

Pfister, Seabrook 3/4. Richard Cunningham-David Pennington, Temple-Ross Sams Jr, Waco-Peggy Kenny, Marlin Bkt V 1. Mary Lou Collins-Jean Roberts-Nancy Horvat, Denton-Helen Olechna, Aubrey 2. Mary Anne Woessner, Montgomery-Barbara Atkins-Diane Beardsley, The Woodlands-Nancy Carlin, Spring 3/4. Don Morgan-William Zelle-Chloe Ella Fackenthal, Houston-Jim Greaves, Pearland 3/4. Eric Watson-David Wicks-Cheri Staples-John Laehy-Becky Moores, Houston 5/8. Milton Ellisor-Becky Ellisor-Christy Morrissey-Beverly Cheatham, Houston Bkt VI 1. Joe Dean-Donna Dean, Keller-Melvin Ball-Gay Nell Ball, Hurst 2. Otis Halliday-Marilyn Holmes-Don Grider-Inez Grider, Georgetown 3/4. Herbert Warner-Marcia Warner-Joe Cocklin-Kyong Cocklin, Montgomery 3/4. Hans Strohmmer-Nancy Strohmmer, Houston-Carol Bloom, Friendswood-Julius Rasmussen, Galveston 5/8. Patrick Tourais-Jack Roth-Sandy Roth, Kingwood-Terry Raatz, Humble.



Thurs Eve 49er Prs C
Renata Frutiger & Joyce Eveld

2. Gail Carter-Bonnie Terrell-Betsy Birkett-Paula Tolbert, Kingwood 3/4. Joe Proulx, CT-Wayne Pinsonneault, MN-Larry Pinsonneault-Nadia Branisa, Houston 3/4. Marcia Joy Varel-Milton Aston, Dallas-Anna Alix, Houston-Carla Satterfield, FL Bkt IV 1. William Griffith-Susan Griffith, Houston-Angela Lennon-Peggy Geiler, Austin 2. Suzanne Cliffe-Betty Schwall-Keenan Romig-Bobbi Long, LA 3/4. Stephen Olson-Evelyn Smith-Kathleen Midkiff-Tom Denson, Temple 3/4. Inger Lise Blount, Horseshoe Bay-Jeanette Hughes, Marble Falls-Nita James, Kingwood-Carolyn Labouliere, Seabrook Bkt V 1. Joyce Cooper-Barbara Hutchison, Austin-Mike Huiatt-Janet Huiatt, Fair Oaks Ranch 2. James Brown-Kay Lynch-Susan Lambert-Bette Messelt, Georgetown 3/4. Glenda Faragher-Mary Reece-Marsha Sachs, Sugar Land-Patricia Ward, Stafford 3/4. Jacqueline Fetzer-Donna Maddox-Eleanor Lipscomb-Darlene Moody, Houston Bkt VI 1. Sam Shah-Jo Shah-Mary Groves-Peggy Allen, LA 2. Owen Whitlock, Seabrook-Claudia Parr-Diane Conick-Gloria La Prade, Houston 3/4. Marcy Cochran-Jean Townsend-Donna Gerber, Georgetown-Anne McKamy, Belton 3/4. Arthur Smith-June Smith, Houston-Debra Bellan-Ellen Greenfield, Sugar Land 5/8. Gary Hercules, Stafford-Lauri Laufman, Houston-Marvin Greenfield-Sharon Carmel, Sugar Land.

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Wed Zip Late Night KO Teams Bkt I 1. Hugh Hillaker-Merri-Jo Hillaker, Grand Prairie-Kimmel Jones, Euless-Nagy Kamel, Plano 2. Carl Garcia, Houston-David Vine, TN-Becky Vance-Clifton Vance, Fort Worth 3/4. Debra Bellan-Ellen Greenfield, Sugar Land-Arthur

Smith-June Smith, Houston 3/4. Sally Blewett-Dolores Belton-Linda Adamchik, Beaumont-Patsy Pierce, Hardin Bkt II 1. James Jackson-Gary Graham, LA-Britain Beezley-Shelba Parmley, OK 2. Karen Lee Barrett-G S Jade Barrett, WA-Richard Helams Jr.-Anne Dawson, LA 3/4. Steven Johnson-Anna Marlatt-Lucy Terrill, Houston-Raymond Derr, Tyler 3/4. Tito Ariwibowo-Lauri Laufman-Elizabeth Ghrist, Houston-Rebecca Hyzer, Conroe.

Thurs Eve Strat Swiss Teams A1. Betty Ann Kennedy, LA-Peggy Sutherlin, Dallas-Stacy Jacobs, IL-Shannon Cappelletti, FL-Jenny Ryman, ON A2. Larry Davis-Lawton Hutchison-Robert Donathan-Dean Truair, Austin A3.B1.C1. Stephen Olson-Evelyn Smith-Tom Denson-Kathleen Midkiff, Temple A4. Chuck Said, TN-John Russell, IL-Carolyn Peters-Thomas Peters, Grapeland A5.B2. Donna Sparks-Fred Feigley, Houston-Bert Onstott III-Katherine Onstott, Stafford B3.C2. Inger Lise Blount, Horseshoe Bay-Jeanette Hughes, Marble Falls-Carolyn Labouliere, Seabrook-Nita James, Kingwood B4. Rene Wallace-Walter Lauckner, Mission-Rosemary Dunn, Alamo-Frances Buckingham, Pharr B5.C3. Paula Warren-Polly McCamey-Mary Rita de Hoyos-Kimi Lambert, New Braunfels.

Thurs Late Night Zip KO Teams 1. Gary Shepley-Christine Kollenberg-Donna Sparks-Fred Feigley, Houston 2. Linda Lawrence-Rebecca Lu Tanner-Arline Rubin-Olivia Brown, San Antonio 3/4. Kimmel Jones, Euless-Hugh Hillaker, Grand Prairie-Stephen Kornegay-Nancy Kornegay, N Richlnd Hls 3/4. G S Jade Barrett-Karen Lee Barrett, WA-Anne Dawson-Richard Helams Jr, LA.

Fri-Sat KO Teams Bkt I 1. Eric Rodwell-Jeff Meckstroth-Linda McGarry-Dennis McGarry, FL-Reanette Frobouck, PA 2. Joan Jackson-Norman Beck, Dallas-Bryan Storey, Plano-Tom Edwards, Grand Prairie 3/4. James Tucker Jr, AL-Bob Hamman-Petra Hamman-Hemant Lall, Dallas-Ira Chorus, Houston 3/4. Dan Morse, Houston-Sharon Fairchild, OH-Ira Hessel-Ellen Hessel, San Antonio-Judy Bramley-Bart Bramley, Dallas Bkt II 1. Nelson Brown, Jr-Dana Brown-Barbara Costanzi-Rose Marie Cleveland, Houston 2. Joe Nance, Bryan-Rajesh Seth, AB-Ronald Sills-Donald Patterson, CO 3/4. Madhusudan Patel-Chris Curran-Sadhana Dalal-Elton Lipnick, Houston-Bob Reinman, CO 3/4. Brady Allen-Shaun Chooi, Dallas-Ned Nolte, Fort Worth-John Stansbury, MN 5/8. Charles Jefferson, San Antonio-Paul Spellman, Dallas-Robert Sandfield-Geoff Booth, Houston 5/8. Sandra Marlin-Mike Marlin, KY-Kurt Brescoll-Janet Brescoll-Zachary Brescoll, Mansfield Bkt III 1. Bert Onstott III-Katherine Onstott, Stafford-Fred Wang-Amy Wang, Houston 2. Phil Brown-Phyllis Giffin, San Antonio-Billie Graves-Jo Graves, Austin 3/4. James Evans, Brenham-Richard Duble, College Station-Bonnie Terrell-Betsy Birkett, Kingwood 3/4. Tom Nobis-James Grady, Houston-Preston Morrow, Dallas-Mark Craiker, Carrollton TX 5/8. Marilyn Mac Donald-Bill Mac Donald-Melissa Plumb-Margaret Crumpler, Corpus Christi 5/8. Adolph Kubicek-Pat Kubicek, Pearland-Verna Dahlquist-Wilbur Dahlquist, LA Bkt IV 1.

Gail Carter-Paula Tolbert-Emma Davis-John Davis, Kingwood 2. Flora Pettit-Harriette Bowles-Chris Hull-Sandra Harris, Austin 3/4. Jody Henry-Mavis Warren, Huntsville-Khalifa Ahmed, Longview-Patsy Williams, Gilmer 3/4. Eugene Hanson-Rita Greer, Houston-Joyce Gore, Missouri City-Charles Raines, Katy 5/8. Bobbie Walker, Rockport-Nandal Khatri, Sugar Land-Bob Lester-Karur Krishnan, Houston Bkt V 1. Joyce Cooper-Barbara Hutchison, Austin-Mike Huiatt-Janet Huiatt, Fair Oaks Ranch 2. Charles Brower, Spring-Robin Johnson, Kingwood-Donna Frederick, The Woodlands-Peter Hanson, Houston 3/4. Rebecca Hyzer-Dianne Kraft-Arthur Smith-June Smith, Houston 3/4. Larry Franz-Jackie Franz, Brownwood-Linda Garrett-Kay Karnau, Gonzales Bkt VI 1. Carol Scott-Becky Vance-Clifton Vance, Fort Worth-Elizabeth Hutchison, Aledo 2. Gladys Ulrich, Conroe-Sue Lee-Shirley Watts, College Station-Donna Venn, IL 3/4. Sam Shah-Jo Shah-Mary Groves-Peggy Allen, LA 3/4. Carol Kiehl, Jonestown-Brenda Tranchon-Patsy Martin-Barbara Hollahan, Austin.

Fri Tosi Liang KO Teams Bkt I 1. Lou Ann O'Rourke, AZ-Marc Jacobus-Mike Passell-Geoff Hampson, NV-Eddie Wold, Houston 2. Anita Cokins-Mildred Breed, Austin-Justin Lall-Chris Compton, Dallas 3/4. Carolyn Lynch, AZ-Dennis Dawson, NM-David Berkowitz, FL-Mark Lair, Canyon-Curtis Cheek, AL-Joe Grue, NY 3/4. G S Jade Barrett-Karen Lee Barrett, WA-Richard Helams Jr.-Anne Dawson, LA-Miguel Reygadas, Polanco-Greg Hinze, San Antonio Bkt II 1. James Stevens-Sandra Stevens, Katy-Robert Curl, Houston-David Curl, Fort Worth-Betsy Dubose, Bellaire-Thomas Schmalz, Galveston 2. Barbara La Vigne-Wolf Schroeter-John Erickson-Ralda St Pierre, Houston 3/4. Carla Skeen-Carolyn Skeen, TN-Patricia Wright, NC-Linda Luther, SC 3/4. Bill St Clair Jr, Cypress-Victor Sitton, Sugar Land-Jan Lall-Chuck Gillis, Houston Bkt III 1. Adam Kaplan-Todd Kaplan, FL-David Vine, TN-Carl Garcia, Houston 2. Mary McManus-Sharon Haley-Luca Dona-Joseph Wald, Houston-Ann Ankrum, Cypress 3/4. Charles Sommer-Lisa Sommer-John Lindsey-Theron Lindsey, Houston 3/4. Norman Gautier-Joyce Gautier-Frances Robbins, The Woodlands-Raleigh Barker, Montgomery Bkt IV 1. George Van Amburg, Harlingen-Helen Van Amburg-Diane Schafer-Elaine Mickelson, MI 2. Patricia Rose, Dallas-Patricia Marchman, Garland-Joanne Chadderdon-Ann Blohm, Houston 3/4. Sherry Greisen, Houston-Sibyl Bellview, Bacliff-Birendra Singh-Meriedith

Patricia Norman, Houston-Jan Janitschke, CO-Buddy Hanby-Sally Wheeler, Spring A2. G S Jade Barrett, WA-Anne Dawson-Richard Helams Jr.-LA-Miguel Reygadas, Polanco-Greg Hinze, San Antonio A3. Jonathan Ernest, Lindale-Diane Estep-Keith Estep, Bullard-David Farris, Austin A4. Janice Henderson-Charles Markowitz-Bobby Maynard-Jonathan Holmes, Houston A5/7. Dianna Gittelman-Lew Levy-Tiger King, Houston-James Zhan, Sugar Land A5/7. Ken Gee, SK-Shelba Parmley-Britain Beezley, OK-William McFall, WI-Patricia Hurlbert, Laredo A5/7. Nancy Kornegay-Stephen Kornegay, N Richlnd Hls-Kimmel Jones, Euless-Hugh Hillaker, Grand Prairie B1. Kay Humphries-Hugh Humphries, Bellaire-Marcella Thomas-Catherine Brown, Houston B2. Debra Bellan-Ellen Greenfield-Marvin Greenfield, Sugar Land-Susan Kupper, Houston B3.C1. Helen Nelson-Linda Madding-Mary Ellen Stanton, Grand Prairie-Barbara Odom, Cedar Hill B4. Inger Lise Blount, Horseshoe Bay-Jeanette Hughes, Marble Falls-Nita James, Kingwood-Nita James, Kingwood B5.C2. Joe Cocklin-Kyong Cocklin-Marcia Warner-Herbert Warner, Montgomery C3. Barbara Courtright, Houston-Kathy Irene Tuggle, League City-Cathy Rantz-Kathleen Savino, LA.

Fri Late Night Zip KO Teams Bkt I 1. Kimmel Jones, Euless-Stephen Kornegay-Nancy Kornegay, N Richlnd Hls-Hugh Hillaker, Grand Prairie 2. Shirley Mueller-Hannah Davis-Barbara Tommasini-Ronald Tommasini, KY 3/4. Steven Tuggle, Pearland-Jeremy Dilbeck-Anna Marlatt-Lucy Terrill, Houston 3/4. Eric Watson-David Wicks-William Van Dame-Lesly Van Dame, Houston Bkt II 1. Adam Kaplan-Todd Kaplan, FL-Carl Garcia, Houston-David Vine, TN 2. Arline Rubin-Olivia Brown, San Antonio-Brenda Della Mea-Joanna Overbaugh, Lake Jackson 3/4. Julian Barr, Missouri City-William Breslin, Katy-Chris Moll, TN-Margaret Womack, LA 3/4. James Beasley, Lake Jackson-Mack Meigs, Baytown-Karla Riddick, Conroe-Sarah Hardin, Montgomery.

Sat Morn KO Teams Bkt I 1. Lou Ann O'Rourke, AZ-Marc Jacobus-Mike Passell-Geoff Hampson, NV-Eddie Wold, Houston 2.

Carolyn Lynch, AZ-Dennis Dawson, NM-Mark Lair, Canyon-David Berkowitz, FL-Curtis Cheek, AL-Joe Grue, NY 3/4. Anita Cokins-Mildred Breed, Austin-Chris Compton-Justin Lall, Dallas 3/4. Karen Lee Barrett-G S Jade Barrett, WA-Greg Hinze, San Antonio-Miguel Reygadas, Polanco-Richard Helams Jr.-Anne Dawson, LA Bkt II 1. Mark Wallet, Katy-Duane Friedrich, Houston-Gay Roach, Nacogdoches-Philip Duterme, Bellaire 2. Kathryn Ritterbush, NM-Beverly Geurin-Dianne Decker, Austin-Polly Schoning, KS-Kenlynn Gilbert, WA 3/4. Madhusudan Patel-Chris Curran-Bob Lester-Sadhana Dalal, Houston 3/4. Edmund Cappel-Mary Freet, LA-David Hurd-Carol Noble, Houston Bkt II 1. Inger Lise Blount, Horseshoe Bay-Jeanette Hughes, Marble Falls-Nita James, Kingwood-Carolyn Labouliere, Seabrook 2. Milton Ellisor-Becky Ellisor-Christy Morrissey-Beverly Cheatham, Houston 3/4. Giovanna Spiker-Rita Greer-Silvana Smith-Merry Modica, Houston 3/4. James Morgan-Thelma Morgan, Cypress-Bobbie Turner, Crosby-James Mays, Houston.

Sat Compact KO Teams Bkt I 1. John Zilic-August Plate, Houston-Thomas Peters, Grapeland-Justin Lall, Dallas 2. Mike Sloan, IN-Sara Parks M.D., KY-Christopher Overpeck, KY-Robert Hollow, ON 3. Carol Schoenhals, Lubbock-Joseph Clark, Dallas-Linda Spangler, Dumcanville-Pat Cassidy, Arlington 4. Lou Ann O'Rourke, AZ-Marc Jacobus-Mike Passell, NV-Eddie Wold, Houston Bkt II 1. William Schindler-James Barry Jr-Edward Freiter, Kingwood-Barbara Phillips, Spring 2. Janice Henderson-Bobby Maynard-Jonathan Holmes-Charles Markowitz, Houston 3. Mark Wallet, Katy-Duane Friedrich, Houston-Gay Roach, Nacogdoches-Philip Duterme, Bellaire 4. Fred Feigley-Donna Sparks-Marilyn Joyner-Russell Joyner, Houston Bkt III 1. Robert Arnett, Houston-James Nichols Jr-Sandra Parker, Sugar Land-Jim Hargrove Jr, Austin 2. Julia Blancet-Bobbie Jones, Friendswood-Marcella Tigner, Angleton-Jerry Conkling, Seabrook 3. Eric Sandberg-Joyce Ryan-Jeff Nuttall, Houston-Janice Kofman, FL 4. Barbara Babbitt-Carol Wilson, Houston-Diane Estep-Keith Estep, Bullard Bkt IV 1. George Van Amburg-Helen Van Amburg-Elaine Mickelson-Diane Schafer, MI 2. Becky Moores-Eric Watson-David Wicks-Cheri Staples, Houston 3. Debra Bellan-Ellen Greenfield-Marvin Greenfield, Sugar Land-Susan Kupper, Houston 4. D Russell Long, Houston-John Bedford, Spring-Jennifer Lindner-Cathy Digre, Conroe Bkt V 1. Karla Riddick, Conroe-Joe

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Carol Casey & Tiffany GreeneSat Morn Strat 299er Prs B
Bob Ziegler & Bill ChamberlainSat Aft Strat 299er Prs ABC
Ann Mason & Mary BellSat Morn Strat 299er Prs A
Shi-Lin Yeh & Bob ChiangSat Eve 49er Prs C
Bajjanti & Bharat ShresthaSat Aft Strat 49er Prs A
Gayle Longmire & Titia SmuldersSat Aft Strat 49er Prs B
Tekin Kunt & Don DealSat Aft Strat 49er Prs C
Linwood Olson & Lucy ShawSat Eve 299er Prs A
Joanna Overbaugh & Brenda DellaMeaFri Eve 49er Prs BC
Grace & Carroll PhillipsFri Aft 49er Prs C
Rogie Peyton & Marion Shortle299er Overall
Masterpoint Winner
Sue AdamsonFri Eve 49er Prs A
Dianne Segerstrom & Mary DodsonSat Eve 299er Prs B
Maureen Wittels & Nancy ReaderWed Morn Strat 299er Prs AB
Wed Aft Strat 49er Prs AB
Penny Barroso & Stephanie SlatteryTues Aft Strat 299er Prs BC
Wed Aft Strat 299er Prs A
Joe & Gaylene JewellTues Morn Strat 299er Prs AB
Sun Aft Strat 299er Swiss A
Sue Adamson & Nancy SelanderSun Aft 299er Teams AB
Carolyn Campbell & Susan Belding
Laura Jones & Kim O'Hara

Everette-Sarah Hardin, Montgomery-Thomas Farrell, Spring 2. Phil Bellan-Sharon Carmel-Jeffrey Parker, Sugar Land-Lewis Crippen, Laredo 3. Karen Dittert-Erica Jaeger-Barbara Gadea-Jo Devine, Houston.

Sat Eve Strat Swiss Teams A1. Sandra Campbell, Kaufman-David Farris, Austin-Charles Newton Jr, Rosenberg-Jonathan Ernest, Lindale A2. Brady Allen-Shaun Chooi, Dallas-Ned Nolte, Fort Worth-John Stansbury, MN A3. David Sokolow-Tobi Sokolow, Austin-Carlynn Steiner, WA-Marinesa Letizia, NV A4. Jennifer Breihan-James Breihan, Houston-Tom Marsh-Doug Cross, San Antonio A5. Martin Harris, IL-Jacob Morgan, WI-Stephen Landen, MD-Pratap Rajadhyaksha, OH B1. Eugene Katz, CA-Kathryn Ritterbush, NM-Thomas Lin, Houston-Yixin Pan, Spring B2. Clemens Struve-Stanley Marshall Jr-Roma Marshall-Cynthia Struve, Corpus Christi B3/4.C1. Don Grider-Inez Grider-Kay Lynch, Georgetown-RaeDonna Jones, Kingwood B3/4. June Aulbaugh-Marian Jones, Beaumont-Betty Poindexter-Kazue Bell, Sour Lake B5.C2. Nandlal Khatri, Sugar Land-Charles Collins, Magnolia-Karur Krishnan, Houston-Mahesh R Maruvada, Corpus Christi C3. Peggy Naughton-David King, Houston-Patricia McCoy, League City-Charles Ensor, Seabrook.

Sat Late Night Zip KO Teams 1. Jim Harp, Dallas-Margaret Raymond, Kingwood-Eric Watson-David Wicks, Houston 2. Harry Selldin-Mary McManus-Gary Shepley-Sharon Haley, Houston 3/4. Carl Mathews-Linda Albright, Bellaire-Francine Hargrove-Edwin Bain III, Houston 5/8. Julian Barr, Missouri City-William Breslin-Sandra Stevens, Katy-Barbara Phillips, Spring 5/8. Mike Doyle, Houston-Marilyn Arnold-Patricia Lozano, San Antonio-Justin Lall, Dallas 5/8 Mack Meigs-Mark Meigs, Baytown-Nancy Joe, Austin-James Beasley, Lake Jackson.

Sun Strati-Flted Swiss Teams AX A1. Justin Lall-Hemant Lall-Bob Hamman, Dallas-Ira Chorush, Houston A2. Eric Rodwell-Jeff Meckstroth-Dennis McGarry, FL-Art Desmond-Ralph Herz, Houston-Reanette Frobouck, Pittsburgh A3. Victor Sitton, Sugar Land-Shatrugna Prasad-Oren Moore, Missouri City-Suzan Kaplan, Houston A4. Carolyn Lynch, AZ- Dennis Dawson, NM-David Berkowitz, FL-Mark Lair, Canyon-Curtis Check, AL-Joe Grue, NY A5. Carol Schoenhals, Lubbock-Joseph Clark, Dallas-Linda Spangler, Duncanville-Pat Cassidy, Arlington X1. Duane Friedrich-Donna Sparks-Fred Feigley, Houston-Mark Wallet, Katy X2. James Breihan-Mike Doyle, Houston-Marilyn

Arnold-Patricia Lozano, San Antonio X3. Sandra Marlin-Mike Marlin, KY-Kurt Bresscoll-Zachary Bresscoll, Mansfield X4. Ralda St Pierre-Wolf Schroeter-Christoph Eick-John Du Bose Jr, Houston X5. Luca Dona-Joseph Wald-Jeremy Dilbeck, Houston-Steven Tuggle, Pearland-Strait BCD B1. Siraj Jiواني, Pearland-Charles Markowitz-Bill Land-Chuck Gillis, Houston B2. Janice Henderson-Jonathan Holmes-Ed Harper, Houston-Jack Stone, Sugar Land B3.C1. David Wicks-Ann Blohm-Joanne Chadderdon-Cheri Staples, Houston B4. Jim Harp-James McCommons, Dallas-Margaret Raymond, Kingwood-J Backman Nabors III, Kempner B5/6.C2. Adam Kaplan-Todd Kaplan, FL-David Vine, TN-Carl Garcia, Houston B5/6. Robert Donahan-Patrick Long-Dean Trueair-Lawton Hutchison, Austin C3. Charles Ensor-Judith Ensor, Seabrook-Daada Rodgers-David King, Houston D1. John Heath-George Keiller, Houston-Janet Rauscher-Alan Dennis, Katy D2. Robert Reichkek-Raymond Alexanian, Houston-Robert Maul, OK-Marisa Grossi, Seabrook D3. Robert Graber-Sharon Graber, Seabrook-Doug Boswell, Spring-Rodney McCullough, Galveston.

Intermediate/Newcomer Events
Mon Eve Strat 299er Prs A1. Gary Hercules, Stafford-Hallie Eads, Houston A2.B1. P Ralston, Humble-Sally Kimpton, Kingwood A3.B2. Norman Moore Jr-J Stech, Houston B3.C1. Helene Baskir-Jean Swenson, Houston C2. Don Grider- Inez Grider, Georgetown C3. Ennis Dyess-Cliff Dillard, Tyler.

Mon Eve Strat 49er Prs A1. Kristy Garrison-David Garrison, Spring A2.B1. Bradley Etnyre, Sherman-John Linskey, Houston A3. B2. Tekin Kunt-Kamuran Kadipasaoglu, Houston B3. Penny Barroso-Stephanie Slattery, Houston C1. Anne Davis-Norma Porter, Houston C2. Sally Choufat Jackie Fakhouri, Houston C3. Ilene Crook-Bill Crook, Houston.

Tues Morn Strat 299er Prs A1.B1. Nancy Selander-Susan Adamson, Houston A2.B2. Donna Floyd, Sugar Land-Judy Walker, Missouri City A3.B3. Anne Knott-Sally Knight, Houston C1/2. Stella Gallaher, El Lago-Sherri Romer, League City C1/2. Rogie Peyton-Marion Shortle, Houston C3/4. Joyce Eveld-Elizabeth Glaser, Houston C3/4. Yvonne Gill-Marion McKernan, Pearland.

Tues Aft Strat 299er Prs A1. Paul Cuneo, Spring-Carmen Keys, Houston A2. Stephen Bickel-Nicholas Rasmussen, Houston A3.B1.C1. Gaylene Jewell-Joe Jewell, Houston B2. Hallie Eads-Ken Russell,

Houston B3. Charlotte Lunsford, Mission-Jackie Burroughs, McAllen C2. Penny McAdams-Lynn Rafferty, Houston C3. Julie Harris-Martha Kessler, Spring.

Tues Aft Strat 49er Prs A1.B1.C1. Alan Holzberg-Paul Horwitz, Houston A2.B2.C2. Kathryn Kent-Janet Pickell, Houston A3. Donna Floyd, Sugar Land-Judy Walker, Missouri City B3.C3. Maureen Vialovskoy-Pat Leavitt, Friendswood.

Tues Eve Strat 299er Prs A1.B1. Norman Moore Jr-J Stech, Houston A2.B2. Bernie Ellison, Sugar Land-Theda Cook, Daingerfield A3.B2.C2. Charo Barnette-Norma Porter, Houston C2. Rich Brandenburg, Coppell-Max Frey, Dallas C3. August Birke-Tom Hamilton, Montgomery.

Tues Eve Strat 49er Prs A1. David Garrison-Kristy Garrison, Spring A2.B1.C1. Chris Whiteloniis, Houston-Pat Ireland, Katy A3.B2.C2. Charo Barnette-Norma Porter, Houston B3. Karla Dunn-Martha Muncrief, Houston C3. Joyce Eveld-Connie Reid Colley, Houston.

Wed Morn Strat 299er Prs A1.B1. Penny Barroso-Stephanie Slattery, Houston A2.B2. Cynthia Holliday-Vicky Dyer-Smith, Houston A3.B3. Rich Brandenburg, Coppell-Max Frey, Dallas C1. Patsy Howell-Jeanette Goode, Houston C2. Rogie Peyton-Marion Shortle, Houston C3. Deborah Steele-Margaret Faresse, Houston.

Wed Aft Strat 299er Prs A1.B1.C1. Gaylene Jewell-Joe Jewell, Houston A2.B2.C2. Lynn Rafferty-Penny McAdams, Houston A3.B3.C3. Ennis Dyess-Cliff Dillard, Tyler.

Wed Aft Strat 49er Prs A1.B1. Penny Barroso-Stephanie Slattery, Houston A2. Hilda Bourne-Douglas Bourne, Houston A3. Mary Dodson-Dianne Segerstrom, Houston B2. Patsy Howell-Jeanette Goode, Houston B3.C1. Jean Foltz-Carolyn Giles, Pearland C2. Susan Baum-Sallee Loeser, Houston C3. Chris Whiteloniis, Houston-Pat Ireland, Katy.

Wed Eve Strat 299er Prs A1.B1.C1. Valarie Chapman, Athens-Betty Lane, AR A2.B2.C2. Clifton Vance-Becky Vance, Fort Worth A3. Chuck Brown-Betsy Goldsmith, Dallas B3.C3. Don Grider-Inez Grider, Georgetown.

Wed Eve Strat 49er Prs A1. Arlene Rawitscher-June Silberblatt, Houston A2.B1.C1. Ellen Rochelle, Houston-Peg Crider, Cypress A3. B2. Patsy Howell-Jeanette Goode, Houston B3.C2. Sally Choufat-Jackie Fakhouri, Houston C3. Bharat Shrestha-Bajjanti Shrestha, Katy.

Thurs Morn Strat 299er Prs A1.B1. Rich Brandenburg, Coppell-Max Frey, Dallas A2.B2. Gay Rod-Titia Smulders, Houston A3.B3. Donna Floyd, Sugar Land-Judy Walker, Missouri City C1. Katsy Katsurinns-Frances

Hoyt, Houston C2. Dianne Foussac-Norma Porter, Houston C3. Yoli Herrmann-Carmen Nash, Houston.

Thurs Aft Strat 299er Prs A1.B1. John Abercrombie-Carl Estes, Houston A2. Bobby Stinebaugh-Audrey Stinebaugh, Bellaire A3. B2. Carolyn Campbell-Susan Belding, Houston B3.C1. Gaylene Jewell-Helen Hollis, Houston C2. Ennis Dyess-Cliff Dillard, Tyler C3. Evelyn James-Margie Nagle, Houston.

Thurs Aft Strat 49er Prs A1.B1. Deborah Steele-Margaret Faresse, Houston A2.B2.C1. Chris Whiteloniis-Michael Whiteloniis, Houston A3. Patti Mullendore-Roberta Newman, Houston B3.C2. Lucy Shaw, CA-Linwood Olson, Houston C3. Pat Ireland-William St raub, Katy.

Thurs Eve Strat 299er Prs A1. Roger Parsons, Fort Worth-Khalifa Ahmed, Longview A2. Stephen Bickel-Nicholas Rasmussen, Houston A3.B1.C1. Patricia Howard-Jane Wren, Houston B2.C2. Nancy Beard-Barbara Scherr, College Station B3.C3. Clifton Vance-Becky Vance, Fort Worth.

Thurs Eve Strat 49er Prs A1. Tiffany Greene, GA-Carol Casey, Dallas A2.B1. Penny Barroso, Houston-Charlene Bolten, Cypress A3.B2.C1. Joyce Eveld-Renata Frutiger, Houston C3. Michael Whiteloniis-Chris Whiteloniis, Houston.

Fri Morn Strat 299er Prs A1.B2.C1. Alan Holzberg-Paul Horvitz, Houston A2.B2. Susan Adamson, Houston-Yin Choo, Sugar Land A3. Ron Hollister-Janel Hollister, Fort Worth B3. Anne Knott-Patsy Howell, Houston C2. Faye Baker-Helen Oliver, Houston C3. Maureen Vialovskoy, Friendswood-Bonnie Boyd, Houston.

Fri Aft Strat 299er Prs A1.B1.C1. Nancy Beard-Barbara Scherr, College Station A2.B2. Hannah Davis-Shirley Mueller, KY A3.B3. Ann Mc Dougal-Laura Jones, Houston C2. Susan Theiss-Muriel Gilmour, Houston C3. Myra Sue Pruet-James Andrew Pruet, Houston.

Fri Aft Strat 49er Prs A1. Titia Smulders-Gayle Longmire, Houston A2. Bob Dowlen-Marilyn Bein, Houston A3. B1. Dee Winchester-Madeline Morgan, Houston B2. Faye Baker-Helen Oliver, Houston B3. Margie Dalton, Houston-Rita Floeck, College Station C1. Rogie Peyton-Marion Shortle, Houston C2. Billie Harlow, Kingsland-JoAnn Bailey, Granite Shoals C3. Chris Whiteloniis-Michael Whiteloniis, Houston.

Fri Eve Strat 299er Prs A1.B1.C1. Patricia Howard-Jane Wren, Houston A2.B2.C2. Jeff Armstrong, Houston-Ann Montgomery, Beaumont A3/4.B3. Stephen Lavoot-Barbara Lavoot, Missouri City A3/4. Marie Sarsten-

Gunnar Sarsten, VA. C3. Myra Sue Pruet-James Andrew Pruet, Houston.

Fri Eve Strat 49er Prs A1. Dianne Segerstrom-Mary Dodson, Houston A2. Edna Kelly-Anne Goldston, Houston A3.B1.C1. Carroll Phillips-Grace Phillips, Houston B2. John Linskey, Houston-Bradley Etnyre, Sherman B3.C2. Shirley Dee Vlaun-Elizabeth Moore, Kingwood C3. Thomas McIntosh-Jean McIntosh, Houston.

Sat Morn Strat 299er Prs A1. Bob Chiang, Houston-Shi-Lin Yeh, Sugar Land A2.B1. Robert Ziegler-Bill Chamberlain, Houston A3. Marie Sarsten-Gunnar Sarsten, VA B2. Titia Smulders-Gayle Longmire, Houston B3. Julie Harris, Spring-Steve Varner, Houston C1. Katie Gray, Houston-Virginia Cunningham, Bellaire C2. Myra Sue Pruet-James Andrew Pruet, Houston C3. Marion McKernan-Yvonne Gill, Pearland.

Sat Aft Strat 299er Prs A1.B1.C1. Ann Mason-Mary Bell, Houston A2.B2. Carolyn Campbell-Laura Jones, Houston A3. B3. David Anton-Dick Zinser, Friendswood C2. Kathy Watkins-Terri Orlean, Houston C3. Myra Sue Pruet-Andrew Pruet, Houston.

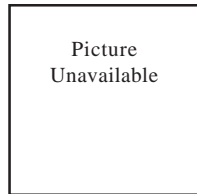
Sat Aft Strat 49er Prs A1. Titia Smulders-Gayle Longmire, Houston A2.B1. Tekin Kunt, Houston-Don Deal, Nassau Bay A3.B2.C1. Lucy Shaw, CA-Linwood Olson, Houston B3. Donald Dawson-Kent Rogers, Kingwood C2. Michael Whiteloniis-Chris Whiteloniis, Houston C3. Kay Kennedy-Nannette Chapman, Houston.

Sat Eve Strat 299er Prs A1. Joanna Overbaugh-Brenda Della Mea, Lake Jackson A2.B1. Maureen Wittels-Nancy Reader, Houston B2.C1. Bajjanti Shrestha-Bharat Shrestha, Katy B3.C2. Myra Sue Pruet-James Andrew Pruet, Houston C3. Joyce Eveld-Connie Reid Colley, Houston.

Sun Morn Strat 299er Teams A1. Robert Clarke-Alma Farley, Richardson-Chuck Brown-Betsy Goldsmith, Dallas A2.B1.C1. Clarissa Dowdy-C. Jane Lacy-Katsy Katsurinis-Kathryn Kent, Houston A3.B2. John Abercrombie-Ken Russell-Hallie Eads, Houston-Cassandra Manley, NC B3. Laura Jones-Carolyn Campbell-Susan Belding, Houston-Kim O'Hara, Humble.

Sun Aft Strat 299er Swiss Teams A1.B1. Laura Jones-Carolyn Campbell-Susan Belding, Houston-Kim O'Hara, Humble A2. Robert Clarke-Alma Farley, Richardson-Chuck Brown-Betsy Goldsmith, Dallas A3.B2.C1. Susan Adamson-Nancy Selander-Raymond Prizler-Lindsay Prizler, Houston B3. Clarissa Dowdy-C2. Jane Lacy-Katsy Katsurinis-Kathryn Kent, Houston.

2006 District 16 Ace of Clubs Winners



Bonnie Magee



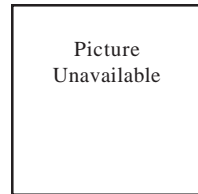
Tony Pellegrini



Dan O'Malley



Sandy Molander



Dick Simon



Pamela Gladysz



Nancy Crabtree



Don Morgan

0-5 Masterpoints

1. Bonnie Magee, Mabank 54
2. Tony Pellegrini, Plano 49
3. Jean Roach, Kaufman 42
4. Charlotte Bingham, Lubbock 42
5. Ruby Hill, Argyle 40
6. Helen Olechna, Aubrey 37
7. Nancy Estes, Denton 34
8. Shirley Griffith, Georgetown 34
9. Bob McNeill, Frisco 33
10. Yvonne Houston, Mabank 33
11. George Cross, Mansfield 32
12. Trudy Crippen, Laredo 32
13. Genevieve Lockley, Georgetown 31
14. William Heim, KY 31
15. Nancy Selander, Houston 31
16. Mary Scarola, Lubbock 28
17. Joan Boney, Lubbock 26
18. Theresa Ann Brantley, Mabank 25
19. Anne McKamy, Belton 25
20. Barbara Poole, Mexico 24

5 to 20 Masterpoints

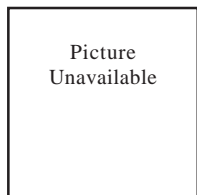
1. Dan O'Malley, Katy 83
2. Sandy Molander, Malakoff 78
3. Carol Claybrook, Arlington 60
4. Mary Klein, Georgetown 59
5. Lewis Crippen, Laredo 56
6. Mary Jane Kinnebrew, Houston 52
7. Barbara Hollahan, Austin 50
8. Gloria Wilson, Jacksonville FL 48
9. Richard McGill, N Richmond Hls 43
10. Pravin Shrimankar, Arlington 42
11. Laura Jones, Houston 42
12. Rose Van Meter, Wichita Falls 39
13. Cliff Dillard, Tyler 36
14. Ludmilla Bellazough, Houston 34
15. Carol Sossamon, Kemp 32
16. Muriel Gilmour, Houston 31
17. Beverly Fanarof, Houston 30
18. Florence Macdougall, Mexico 29
19. Frances Sanders, Mabank 27
20. Norman Meyer, Laredo 26

20 to 50 Masterpoints

1. Dick Simon, Ft Worth 126
2. Pamela Gladysz, Ft Worth 91
3. Joy McKenzie-Smith, Fort Worth 79
4. David Adams, Fort Worth 78
5. James Brown, Georgetown 64
6. Delpha Garcia, Denton 61
7. Bill Strange, Fort Worth 59
8. Jim Bufkins, Denton 59
9. Etsuko Kamo, Houston 58
10. Jeannette Nestvold, Houston 57
11. Jane Burgland, Mabank 55
12. Tito Ariwibowo, Houston 51
13. Shirlene Kehoe, Lubbock 49
14. Carol Hall, Horseshoe Bay 49
15. Charles Collins, Magnolia 48
16. Beverly Lynn Martin, Odessa 46
17. John Areias, Laredo 46
18. Bert Dempsey, Sherman 44
19. Eric Diamond, Plano 44
20. Carol Lombardino, Houston 43

50 to 100 Masterpoints

1. Nancy Crabtree, Houston 129
2. Don Morgan, Houston 106
3. Francine Hargrove, Houston 90
4. Mary Ellen Stanton, Grand Prairie 84
5. Karla Riddick, Conroe 72
6. Martha Jacobson, Arlington 71
7. Barbara Odom, Cedar Hill 70
8. Joe Dean, Keller 70
9. Donna Dean, Keller 68
10. Arthur Smith, Houston 66
11. Ann Mc Dougal, Houston 61
12. Glenn West, Arlington 61
13. Patricia Caldwell, Arlington 59
14. George Jones, Austin 57
15. Marie Stinnett, Bryan 57
16. Billie McConnell, Midland 56
17. Marvin Greenfield, Sugar Land 49
18. Ann Overfield, Arlington 49
19. Dee Payne, Orange 47
20. Julie Allbritton, Laredo 46



Mary Gentry



David Mitchell



Jeanne Linzel



Randy Ausmus



Donna Watkins



Ron Woodsum



Tipton Golias



Linda Spangler

1000 to 2500 Masterpoints

1. Mary Gentry, Houston 248
2. David Mitchell, San Antonio 184
3. Don Holst, Beaumont 180
4. Carole Price, San Antonio 180
5. Anna Marlatt, Houston 177
6. Svetlana Oden, Missouri City 174
7. Vinh Tran, Houston 173
8. Ralda St Pierre, Houston 173
9. Marsha Bernstein, Houston 172
10. Rose Calvin, Houston 171
11. Josephine Grabow, San Antonio 163
12. Bobby Maynard, Houston 161
13. Wolf Schroeter, Houston 160
14. John Lindsey, Houston 159
15. Oren Moore, Missouri City 151
16. Jimmy Reynolds, Arlington 149
17. Mrs. V. S. Sekac, Austin 148
18. William Baker, Bellaire 142
19. Judith Hoffing, Houston 141
20. Judy Lewis, Atascosa 140

2500 to 5000 Masterpoints

1. Jeanne Linzel, Stafford 352
2. Randy Ausmus, Fort Worth 287
3. Shirley McKee, Houston 277
4. Carolyne Fox, Manvel 215
5. Milton Freedman, Houston 212
6. Joan Pleason, Houston 207
7. Tosi Liang, Houston 202
8. William White, Arlington 200
9. Gail Wells, Keller 195
10. Arlene Weingarten, Houston 192
11. Michael Walrath, Keller 184
12. John Smalley, Beaumont 177
13. N. N. Caruthers, San Antonio 175
14. Terry Currie, Houston 172
15. Gloria Crites, Midland 168
16. Marilou Powell, Round Rock 167
17. Grady Fuller, Kennedale 166
18. Pat Cassidy, Arlington 153
19. Melody Gann, Arlington 152
20. Nell Morgan, New Braunfels 150

5000 to 7500 Masterpoints

1. Donna Watkins, San Antonio 222
2. Ron Woodsum, Houston 218
3. Pat Levy, Houston 202
4. Diane Olson, San Antonio 155
5. Peggy Fritsch, San Antonio 148
6. Dottie Ann Goodloe, Houston 144
7. Thomas Hughes Jr., Fort Worth 127
8. Stephen Schwall, Houston 123
9. Darlene Riely, San Antonio 86
10. Howard Wilkins, Abilene 82
11. Michael Dalton, Carrollton 79
12. Paul Kelley Jr., Austin 75
13. Betty Anthony, Lubbock 67
14. Kerr Godfrey, Houston 66
15. Donna McBride, Kerrville 56
16. Marilyn German, Corpus Christi 55
17. Stephen Kornegay, N Richlnd Hls 49
18. Nancy Kornegay, N Richlnd Hls 49
19. Toni Snow, Houston 45
20. Gonzalo Herrera, Mexico 39

7500 to 10,000 Masterpoints

1. Tipton Golias, Beaumont 182
2. Linda Spangler, Duncanville 152
3. Joe Quinn, Houston 72
4. Jacqueline Tucker, San Antonio 72
5. Terry Riely, San Antonio 48
6. Georgiana Gates, Houston 20
7. Venkatrao Koneru, San Antonio 18
8. Jim Miller, Dallas 17
9. Derrell Childs, Garland 14
10. Ira Hessel, San Antonio 13
11. Kenneth Schutze, Austin 11
12. Hemant Lall, Dallas 5
13. Robert Morris, Houston 2

Attention Unit Officials

Visit <http://www.acbl.org/units/units.html> to find helpful handbooks for unit volunteers.

Unit 174

Houston

Anne Page



Condolences to all who mourn the recent deaths of these members of our bridge community: Doris Allen (our TD from Harlingen), Guy Caldwell, Bill Erwin, Ernestine Graef, Jack Mehrens (our TD from Corpus Christi).

Sympathy to Miller Quarles who is mourning the recent death of his youngest daughter.

Of the 707 players who won Silver MPs during the January STaC, #1 was Lew Levy (20.25) and #2 was Mary Pat Gentry (19.24). Congratulations!

Several of our Unit's top players are on the ACBL's national ranking list, The Barry Crane Top 500 Leaders, for total masterpoints won in 2006. Congratulations to Eddie Wold (#3), Robert Morris (#28), John Zilic (#95), and Dan Morse (#135).

Don't forget that April 13-15, 2007 is our Election Sectional and that you may vote absentee for new members of the Board of Directors if not attending. Just send a SIGNED letter requesting a ballot and a stamped, self-addressed envelope to Election Judges (Natalie Greene and Dale Crumbaugh) 32 Villa Bend Drive, Houston, TX 77069-1431. The address on the return envelope must be your address of record. If you are a member in good standing, an Official Ballot will be mailed. It must be returned postmarked no later than March 30, 2007 and be received by April 11, 2007 to be counted.

A thought I have too frequently heard people express over the years in these or similar words

is I believe the foundation of our Board's philosophy about zero tolerance of bad behavior: "Bridge is a social game that, unfortunately, attracts some antisocial people." When you encounter such a person, please remember that the yellow "Smiley Face Card" in your bidding box is there to provide you with a non-confrontational way to support the Unit's zero tolerance policy. If you observe improper behavior, please take out the card and place it on the table. If that notification that the offender's behavior is making others uncomfortable does not make him or her stop it, please promptly call the Director to the table.

The 2007 tournaments scheduled for Arabia Shrine Temple are set, but confirmation of the contracts for 2008 are pending because of a possible sale of that site. We don't want to be caught short if that happens and we are told the building will be torn down in 2008 for other use of the property. So a search for an alternate tournament site is underway. If you know of a suitable location, please tell a member of the Board of Directors about it.

Congratulations to Norm Gautier, our Unit 174 President, on his recent appointment to the National Charity Committee.

According to her Unit email newsletter, Arlene Weingarten has analyzed our latest statistics and they show that, as of January 1, 2007, the average Unit 174 member is 66.24 years old and has been a member of ACBL for 19.18 years.

Congratulations to our most recent Masterpoint Achievers for their accomplishments: Bronze Life Master (500+ MPs): Jean Brandt, Betty Pace, Britt Siem, Edwin Zwald, Jr. Silver Life Master (1,000+ MPs): Walter Engle, Bobbie Jones, Bonnie Terrell.

Plan ahead! Mark your calendar now. May 18-20 a 299er Sectional; June 8-10 a Sectional; August 10-12, a Sectional.

Bridge & Games Studio is for sale. Please contact Svetlana Oden at 281.844.3634 for details.

As most of you know, the top 3 pairs in each flight in the District 16 NAP held in Austin in January 2007 qualify to compete in the NAP Final at the 2007 Spring National in St. Louis, and the top placers receive stipends to travel there. Unit 174 will be well represented at this national competition!

Congratulations to Thomas Peters and John Zilic (2nd Flt A) and Nancy Boothe and Karen Snyder (3rd Flt B) who receive airfare and to George Keiller and John Heath (1st Flt C) and Don Morgan and David Dyer (2nd Flt C) who receive airfare and 3 nights lodging.

Carolyne Fox was recently appointed by the Board to chair the Bridge in Schools Program. This semester there will be 10 classes totaling over 100 students in the various Kipp Academy middle schools. Our teachers at Kipp are Bonnie Boyd, Carolyne Fox, Mauvelyene Henry, Barbara Phillips, Bill St. Clair, and Lesly Van Dam. They are using the EasyBridge curriculum again. We may soon be adding to our program as one of the YES college prep schools has expressed interest in it.

As the coordinator of Bridge in Schools, Carolyne Fox is currently evaluating various teaching methods. She wants to use elementary, middle and high school teachers in our Unit as a resource to help determine which way is most effective. If you are a current or former teacher and would be willing to assist her in an advisory capacity, please email carolynefox@houston.rr.com or call her at

281.931.4000.

Joyce Ryan, I/N Coordinator, reports that the number of I/N games in our unit has decreased. She says it is very important that new players have sheltered games in which they can play when they are starting duplicate and asks that you encourage the clubs where you play to offer such games. She also wants to publicly thank Sue Williams for donating to the Unit for new players 2 dozen free plays at her Thursday games in Sugar Land which have been distributed to I/N beginners.

Quotable Thoughts About Declaring — "A player who can't defend accurately should try to be declarer." (Alfred Sheinwold) — "It is not the handling of difficult hands that makes the winning player. There aren't enough of them. It is the ability to avoid messing up the easy ones." (Alan Sontag)

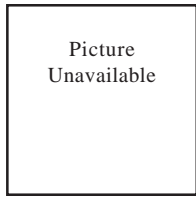
If you have news to share, please send e-mail to annepage@hal-pc.org or leave a message at 281.442.1509 (days).

**2007 GNT District
Finals
May 26-28, 2007**

Held in conjunction with
Richardson Sectional

See May/June Scorecard for
further details.

2006 District 16 Ace of Clubs Winners



David Dyer Edwin Bain

100 to 200 Masterpoints

1. David Dyer, Houston 186
2. Edwin Bain III, Houston 136
3. Harriette Bowles, Austin 107
4. Patricia Sears, Fort Worth 104
5. Roger Marlatt, Houston 103
6. Francis Chang, Fort Worth 91
7. Caroline Baumann, Georgetown 86
8. Thomas Lin, Houston 84
9. Linda Marlin, Houston 84
10. Clyde King, Lubbock 81
11. Debra Bellan, Sugar Land 81
12. Ronald Sears, Fort Worth 80
13. Laura Nash, Stephenville 75
14. Jeri Quinton, Ft Worth 73
15. Stan Kurtzer, Austin 69
16. Darlene Moody, Houston 69
17. Linda Lawrence, San Antonio 68
18. Sarah Hardin, Montgomery 68
19. Tony Morinello, Arlington 67
20. Carmen Keys, Houston 66



Philip Duterme John Lai

200 to 300 Masterpoints

1. Philip Duterme, Bellaire 152
2. John Lai, Houston 151
3. Jo Ann O'Malley, Katy 133
4. Joe Jarone, Sugar Land 127
5. Daksha Adhia, Missouri City 125
6. Gary Larson, San Antonio 115
7. Karen Tabak, Sugarland 108
8. David Pearlman, Trophy Club 102
9. Rebecca Hyzer, Houston 101
10. Ralph Herz, Houston 98
11. Marilyn Jacobs, San Antonio 88
12. Howard Janotta, San Antonio 88
13. Terry Harrison, Houston 88
14. Mickey Tryon, Arlington 85
15. Nancy Fisher, San Antonio 80
16. Phyllis Savell, Dallas 77
17. Linda Adamchik, Beaumont 75
18. Sue Kimbrell, Houston 74
19. Lauren Brown, Arlington 69
20. Jim Harp, Dallas 68



Sandra Parker Theron Lindsey

300 to 500 Masterpoints

1. Sandra Parker, Sugar Land 172
2. Theron Lindsey, Houston 140
3. Lynn Shapiro, Houston 122
4. Karen Nimmons, Houston 114
5. Gabriel Perry, Houston 107
6. Robert Arnett, Houston 106
7. Charles Abbott, San Antonio 100
8. Patricia Rivers, Lubbock 99
9. Avik Kaufman, Houston 86
10. Linda Anthony, Austin 85
11. Van Ziegler, Georgetown 83
12. Charles Ensor, Seabrook 83
13. Susan Griffith, Houston 80
14. Joyce Garner, Pearland 80
15. William Griffith, Houston 80
16. Barbara Babbitt, Houston 80
17. Ruby Collins, Orange 79
18. Charles Sommer, Houston 77
19. Diana Rogers, Austin 77
20. Lisa Sommer, Houston 76



Elizabeth Ghrist Bill Gervais

500 to 1000 Masterpoints

1. Elizabeth Ghrist, Houston 191
2. Bill Gervais, Cypress 155
3. Ervie Freeman, Houston 150
4. Mary Anne Woessner, Montgomery 147
5. Jim Chaffee, Fort Worth 138
6. Lucy Terrill, Houston 134
7. Jane Ellis, Maypearl 132
8. Nadia Branisa, Houston 119
9. Phyllis Giffin, San Antonio 113
10. William Ginger III, Beaumont 112
11. Arline Meyers, Beaumont 107
12. Helen McCrae, San Antonio 107
13. Irene Baker, Houston 107
14. Phil Brown, San Antonio 103
15. Youssef Youssef, Katy 98
16. Winifred Elmore, Fort Worth 98
17. Robin Ladin, Houston 98
18. Lera Lewis, Abilene 97
19. Mrs. M. V. Myers, San Antonio 96
20. Kazue Bell, Sour Lake 95



John Zilic Steve Shirey

10,000 + Masterpoints

1. John Zilic, Houston 259
2. Steve Shirey, Fort Worth 163
3. Edward Groner, Houston 150
4. Miguel Reygadas, Mexico 141
5. Esta Van Zandt, Houston 130
6. Steve Lawrence, Athens 100
7. Shawn Quinn, Houston 76
8. John Fisher, Dallas 61
9. Mildred Breed, Austin 60
10. George Pisk, Manchaca 56
11. Hugh Hillaker, Grand Prairie 50
12. Dan Morse, Houston 49
13. Jack LaNoue, LA 18
14. Tobi Sokolow, Austin 17
15. George Rosenkranz, Mexico 16
16. Peggy Sutherlin, Dallas 3
17. Petra Hamman, Dallas 3
18. Bob Hamman, Dallas 1
19. Bart Bramley, Dallas 1
20. Sidney Lazard, Dallas 1

San Antonio Regional July 2-8

See details on page 16

Unit 209
Permian Basin
Jimmie Penn



Snowmen in a Winter Wonderland were the theme for Christmas covered-dish luncheon in Odessa. Laverne Etheredge was the decorator extraordinaire. Game winners were: N-S 1. Leonora Slusher-Deborah Brookins 2. Dorothy Brenneman-Verna Chambers 3. L. Etheredge-Judy Hawkins—E-W 1. Sara Wright-Sam Sneed, Jr. 2/3. Gwen Riggs-Gracie Craig 2/3. Gloria Crites-J. Penn.

We moved on December 4 to Allison Bridge Center in Midland where lighted trees & garlands and poinsettias were the trimmings courtesy of Peggy Cook & Deborah Brookins. Finger foods were on the menu. Winners were N-S 1. Aggie Anguish-Sandra Rea 2. Frances Levin-Dr. Greg Bartha 3. Herb Wales-Charlie Grimes E-W 1. Jean Rockford-Deborah Brookins 2. Jean Pistole-Gloria Crites 3. J. Penn-Flo Curry. We kept eating finger foods til December 6 Winners were N-S 1. Mary Hammond-Aggie Anguish 2. Jane Myers-Deborah Brookins 3. Kathryn Locke-Gloria Crites E-W 1. Dixie Gifford-L. Slusher 2. Suzy Boldrick-Wayne Rector 3. Debbie Kemp-Sandra Rea.

Houston 174 STaC, January 8-14, 2007

Mon Day Strat Open Prs A1 Edgar Hoffing-Judith Hoffing A2. Shirley McKee-Henry Schroder B1. Barbara Savrick-Peggy Naughton B2.C1. Thomas Lin-Van Ziegler C2. Beverly Cheatham-Peter Hanson Mon Night Strat Open Prs A1. Marsha Bernstein-William Baker A2.B1. Henry Gurley-Joan Miller B2. Charles Collins-Marion Collins C1. Karla Riddick-Francine Hargrove C2. Wilson Elkin-Bea Hinterberger Tues Day Strat Open Prs A1. Sherry Gerdes-Marguerite Roe A2. John Link-Terry Currie B1. Mary Anna Woessner-Barbara Atkins C1. Robin Johnson-Peter Hanson C2. Sandra Parker-Debra Bellan Tues Day Side Strat Open Prs A1.B1. Claire Haring-Marge Rambo A2.B2.C1. Geraldine McKee-Patricia Swanson C2. Ruth Coale-Brenda DellaMae Tues Night Strat Open Prs A1. Kerr Godfrey-John Zilic A2.B1.C1. Barbara Savrick-Robert Graber B2. William Lindner-Jeanne Childe C2. D Russell Long-John Bedford Wed Day Strat Open Prs A1.B1. Aubrey Farb-Sylvia Farb A2. Jere Hines-Elizabeth McGee B2. Dan O'Malley-Gabriel Perry C1. Krishnan Krushmuel Harari C2. Nancy Carroll Selander-Connie Burnett Wed Day Strat Open Prs A1.B1. Ann Van Volkenburgh-Nancy Tiner A2.B2. Marge Rambo-Judy Darrell C1. Brenda DellaMea-La Nelle Bancroft C2/3. Bill

Haring-Jim Whiteside C2/3. Lucy Pierce-Nancy Starks Wed Night Strat Open Prs A1. Jane Armstrong-Betty Starzec A2.B1. Mary Anne Woessner-Peter Hanson B2. Betsy Birkett-Bonnie Terrell C1. George Whiteley-Carol Lombardino C2. Ronald French-John Ambrosi Thurs Day Strat Open Prs A1. Vinh Tran-Wolf Schroeter A2. Bobby Maynard-Ralda St Pierre B1.C1. Virginia Hillegeist-Julio Gonzalez B2.C2. Nancy Crabtree-David Dyer Thurs Night Strat Open Prs A1. Vern Schmidt-Joe Choate A2.B1. Jane Turner-W Turner B2/3. Chris Jones-Lilian Jones B2/3.C1. Elgene Smith-Tom Wulfers C2. Carol Van Dyke-Kay Pfister Fri Day Strat Open Prs A1. Lew Levy-Mary Pat Gentry A2. Bill St Clair Jr-Jan Lall B1. Faye Vincent-Frances Robbins B2.C1. Barbara Arnett-Sharon Durr C2. Ralph Herz-Gabriel Perry Fri Day 0-20 Strat Prs A1. Suzie Wilson-Ann Mason A2.B1.C1. Kathy Hurst-Jabben Farooki B2.C2. Doris Solomon-Silvia Levin Fri Night Strat Open Prs A1. Jolie Hess-Pat Levy A2. Jeanne Linzel-Stephen Schwall B1. Mary Poythress-Elizabeth Ghrist b2. Armand Shapiro-Lynn Shapiro Fri Night Conroe Side Prs A1. Allen Wolf-Aletha Cahill-Wolf A2. Faye Vincent-Frances Robbins Sat Day Strat Open Prs A1. Eugene Hoover-Elaine Piwetz A2. Dan Morse-Gil Micheletti B1.

Marie Johnson-Kenneth Baker B2. Donald White-Clif Capen C1. Diane Jobin-Edwin Bain III C2. Dan O'Malley-Jo Ann O'Malley Sat Day Strat 199er Prs A1.B1. Jeff Armstrong-Chris Whiteloni A2. George Whiteley-Carol Lombardino B2. Kathy Watkins-Terri Orlean Sat Night Strat Open Prs A1. Jeanne Linzel-Paul Nimmons A2. Eric Snow-Toni Snow B1. Norma Becker-Daksha Adhia B2. Sharon Haley-Lucy Terrill Sun Day Strat Open Prs A1. Jolie Hess-Pat Levy A2. Kay Johnson-Martha Black B1. Daksha Adhia-Mary Poythress B2. Eric Sandberg-Janice Kofman Sun Day Strat Swiss Teams A1. Dan Morse-Gil Micheletti-Edward Groner-Oren Moore-Shatrugna Prasad A2. Jeanne Linzel-Svetlana Oden-Mary Pat Gentry-Joe Jarone-Stephen Schwall B1. Marcella Thomas- Nadia Branisa-Joseph Wald-Ann Ankrum Sun Day Strat Swiss Teams A1. Sally Wheeler-Buddy Hanby-Joan Sitton-Victor Sitton A2/3. Jim Brister-Joanne Duke-Barbara La Vigne-Jack La Vigne A2/3. John Lindsey-Theron Lindsey-Jo Ann O'Malley-Ralph Herz B1. Janelle Frusha-Georgia Sampson-Helen Pruitt-Wilma Bailey B2. Charles Collins-Marion Collins-Carol Lombardino-George Whiteley C1. Dan O'Malley-Darlene Moody-Nancy Crabtree-David Dyer.

Then off to MCC December 8 Brunch/Lunch where we had tasty bites from beginning to end—First three winners in Strats A,B, & C both directions returned home w/decorator tins of popcorn. Also, a person at each dining table had a lucky no. under his or her chair for popcorn tins. Winners were N-S 1. Vangie Lindsey-Janet Stoltz 2. Norma James-Peggy Leeton 3. Carol Hastings-Billie McConnell E-W 1. Betty Dickerson-J. Penn 2. Roz Grover-Wy Whitlow 3. Fran Fischer-Vicki Fisher.

Stopping off at weigh station, we knew resolution to lose weight was close. So we returned to the genesis of the crime—Odessa. Winners were: 1. Lena Nichols-Nancy Harris 2. Bob Bennett-Roberta Bacon 3. Verna Chambers-Clarence Marley 4/5. Sue Gardiner-L. Slusher 4/5. Fran Fischer-Bob Bacon.

Off to Big Spring Country Club for their great hospitality and victuals. Winners were: N/S 1. Helen South-Wayne Rector 2. Barbara Russell-Ladd Smith 3. Joan LaFond-Tom Vick E/W 1. Bobbie Wooten-Sandra Rhodes 2. B. J. Filley-Clarence Marley 3. Willene Humphrey-Carlos Humphrey.

Midland Thursday Evening Invitational group winners were 1. Bessie Collins-Carol Hastings 2. Roni Oppenheim-Paulette Turner 3. Dee Carlson-Shyla McGill 4. Billie McConnell-Leilani Matthews.

Friday, December 15, Odessa Invitational Game winners were 1. Irene Hamm-Jane Taylor 2. Beverly Martin-L. Etheredge 3. Amy Marshall-Neal Marshall 4. Barbara Davis-Melissa Hirsch.

Winners at the December 17th Unit Holiday Party were: N/S 1. Flo Curry-J. Penn 2. Deborah Brookins-Becky Kinsey 3. Dee Carlson-Shyla McGill E/W: 1. Fran Fischer-Sandra Rea 2. Roni Oppenheim-Charlie Grimes 3. Jean Pistole-Sue Gardiner.

At the December 19th Xmas Party/Club Championship/Salad Luncheon overall "A" winners were: 1. Jean Banks-Frances Levin 2. Jane Myers-Jean Pistole 3. Deborah Brookins-Bob Baker 4. Roni Oppenheim-Charlie Grimes. Overall "B" winners were: 1. Frances Levin-Jean Banks 2. Roni Oppenheim-Charlie Grimes 3. Vangie Lindsey-Wy Whitlow 4. Helen South-D. Brenneman.

Santa made a visit—Then back to the bridge table for black-eyed peas & good luck. Big Spring began on December 29th. Odessa served them up w/cornbread at December 30th Junior Fund Game. Good luck came early to N-S 1. Sally Whiteley-Brenda Brauner 2. D. Brenneman-Verna Chambers 3. Sarah White-Clarence Marley. E-W 1. Lena Nichols-Fran Fischer 2. J. Penn-G. Crites 3. Roberta Bacon-Bob Bacon.

Ann Servatius says her 95 year Mother was a firecracker to the end. Her Mom was once a

violinist with the Chicago Symphony—among many other accomplishments!

A member of the well-known greatest generation, Ken Hill, passed away December 23, 2006. Ken was a player with many medals and a purple heart.

Mark Stark, a long-time member of 209, passed away in January. Alan Copeland was a favorite partner.

Kathryn Locke and Barbara Davis were winners of red point team event in Reno. Congrats!

Playing at the Albuquerque Regional, Nancy Harris, with partner Barbara Davis, is now our newest Life Master. Congratulations to Nancy!

Tommie Fraser and Sue Conner have returned home. Tommie is back at the table. we hope to see Sue soon!

Odessa hosted ACBL Wide International Fund Game Saturday, February 3, 2007, Winners were: N/S 1. Ruby Woods-Gloria Crites 2. Verna Chambers-D. Brenneman 3. B. Brauner-Billie McConnell. E/W winners were: 1. Ricki Perry-Aggie Anguish 2. Jane Taylor-Irene Hamm 3. Deborah Brookins-Peggy Cook.

BRRRR! We all may seek financial aid for utilities!!

The difference between genius and stupidity is that genius has its limits.

San Antonio Sectional, January 12-15, 2007

Results: San Antonio Sectional Marilyn Arnold, San Antonio, and Derrell Childs, Garland, were the top masterpoint winners with 26.64 masterpoints.

Fri Aft Strat Open Prs A1. Everette Lewis-Terry Riely A2. Janise Saul-Donna Watkins B1. Bette Allen-Carole Price B2. Ulric Laquer-Cecelia Zachar C1. Kay Laird-Pat Prichard C2. Gary Larson-Linda Lawrence.

Fri Aft Strat 299er Prs A1.B1. Arthur Wages-Richard Turner A2/3.B2/3. Carol Ashbacher-Richard Ashbacher A2/3.B2/3. Polly McCamey-Barbara Davis.

Fri Eve Strat BAM Teams A1. Greg Hinze-Ellen Hessel-Ira Hessel-Josephine Grabow A2. Marilyn Arnold-Derrell Childs-Deborah Brookins-Alan Copeland B1/2. Everette Lewis-C David Mitchell-Sandra Weber-Beverly Santos B1/2. Richard Lampman-Sally Armstrong-Carole Price-Bette Allen C1. Norma Marvel-Edwyna Testerman-Alison Andrews-Sandy Smith.

Fri Eve Strat Open Prs A1. Doug Cross-Barbara Caruthers A2.B1. Charles Grimes-Irene Oppenheim B2. K Voges-Mae Pearce C1. Becky Mosely-Olivia Brown C2. Jerrold Harrington-Arline Rubin.

Sat Aft Strat Open Prs A1. Anita Cokins-Mildred Breed A2. John Mc Connell-Narasimhan Swaminathan B1. Norma Marvel-Edwyna Testerman B2. K Voges-Susan Ohm C1. Arline Rubin-Gool Castleberry C2. Robert Maak-Beverly Maak.

Sat Aft Strat 299er Prs A1.B1.C1. Carolyn McCollister-Kenneth McCollister A2.B2.C2. Joy Price-Jane Phillips.

Sat Eve KO Teams Bkt I 1. Greg Hinze-Patricia Lozano-Ira Hessel-Ellen Hessel 2. Donna McBride-Kenneth McBride-Ed Rawlinson-

Bill Walker Bkt II 1. Carol Cobler-Nancy Fisher-Homer Stevens-Stephanie Stevens 2. Carole Price-Sally Armstrong-Barbara Deberry-Bea Williamson.

Sat Eve Strat Open Prs A1. Gail Huie-Penny Snow A2. Darlene Riely-John Bowers B1. Pollye Campbell-Martha Stillabower B2. Helen McCrae-Phyllis Giffin C1. Gerald Jackson-Rita Jackson C2. Jo Neesvig-Tessa Bodnar.

Sun Aft Strat Open Prs A1. Thomas Trudeau-Wayne Rauschuber A2. Ira Hessel-Ellen Hessel B1.C1. Stephanie Stevens-Homer Stevens B2. William Charowhas-Nancy Brown C2. Grant Coon II-Becky Mosely.

Sun Eve KO Teams Bkt I 1. Marilyn Arnold-Donna Watkins-Derrell Childs-Bill Walker 2. Ed Rawlinson-Venkatrao Koneru-Phillip Grothus-Virginia Noelke Bkt II 1. Albert Lochli-Neal Perlman-John Mc Connell-Narasimhan Swaminathan 2. Charles Grimes-Irene Oppenheim-Verlyn Stahlecker-William De Shane.

Sun Eve Strat Open Prs A1. Pam LaShelle-Scott Humphrey A2. Thomas Trudeau-Wayne Rauschuber B1. Everette Lewis-C David Mitchell B2. Roxana Tom-Katherine Gary C1. Paula Wissman-Jay Thorne C2. Arline Rubin-Jerrold Harrington.

Mon Strat Swiss Teams A1. Marilyn Arnold-Derrell Childs-Ed Rawlinson-Bill Walker A2. Everette Lewis-Terry Riely-Carolyn Riely-C David Mitchell B1. Bette Allen-Sheryleen Grothus-Cecelia Zachar-Kevin Perkins B2. M Morgan-Lottie Di Giovanni-Mary Lou Click-Harry Pierson C1. Paula Wissman-Arline Rubin-Clifford Jensen-Gool Castleberry C2. Richard Ashbacher-Carol Ashbacher-David McCarron-Mary Kocurek.



Unit 207
Austin
Linda Anthony

There's lots on tap in the next few months, but before getting down to it, a hearty thanks goes to Laura Delfeld and Diana Rogers for chairing our sensational January Sectional. Attendance records were shattered and we actually made a tidy profit-a novelty for a sectional! Some of that success was probably due to a new Knock Out format which we will use again in the May Sectional. Teams will be flighted as follows: players with less than 2,000 points apiece will be in the lower bracket, while those teams whose players have more than 2,000 points will form the higher bracket. We will also run a morning side game Thursday, Friday and Saturday for those who don't want to participate in team games or for knockout players whose bracket doesn't make. We hope this new format will encourage more people to play.

By the time you read this, there will be some new faces on the unit board. Outgoing members Laura Delfeld and Hal DeShong deserve many pats on the back for the work they've done on behalf of members during their tenure. They helped make education and outreach a priority for the Board, and championed many of the programs now in place targeting newer players.

Our ranks keep swelling, and we are not only the second fastest growing, but the second youngest unit in our District. If we didn't have to compete with Mexico - (imagine - a country, not another city is actually in our District!) we would handily walk off with the top spot for growth but I don't know what we can do about Dallas edging us out in youth! To help accommodate and foster our growth, the Bridge Center is scheduling another game geared towards novices. The new game will be held Wednesday nights (the inaugural game was February 7) for players with fewer than 20 masterpoints. It will run concurrently with the regularly scheduled Wednesday evening game and replaces the Bridge Plus game.

Quite a few members achieved masterpoint milestones in the last few

months. Our newest Life Masters are Caroline Baumann and Robert Purvis. Reaching the rank of Bronze Life Masters are Beverly Guerin and Joe Black. Marcia Powell attained Gold Life Master status when her team won the Swiss Team event at our January Sectional. Other players reaching personal milestones are David Sokolow (3,500 MPs); Mike Stout (2,000); Anita Cokins and Darlene Gilmore (750); Stan Kurtzer (200); Louise Davis; Nancy Dean and Terri O'Brien (100) and David Collins; Alice Johnson and Bob Merrifield have each won 50 points. On another front, our Unit was extremely well represented in the District 16 NAP competition. Charlene Sands and Virgil Massey won Ft. B and will be St. Louis bound in March for the Spring NABCs! Karen Snyder and Nancy Boothe (a Houston-based partner) placed 3rd in Ft. B and will also be heading that direction. Inger Blount and Jeanette Hughes placed 5th in Ft. B while Jim Griffin and Ken Schutze placed 8th in Ft. A. And last, but by no means least, members

winning 15 points or more at the January Sectional were: Paul Tobias; Louis Sachar; Rosemary Kelley; Jack Lacy; Mildred Breed; Anita Cokins; George Pisk; Beth Tobias; Richard Ryan; Jim Wueste; Harvey Browning; Pam LaShelle; Gary Powell; Steve Bruce; Joe Black and Diana Rogers. Congratulations and well played to all!

Now get out your calendars and make a note of the upcoming opportunities to rack up more masterpoints. Our Spring Non-Life Master Sectional will be held at the BCA March 24-25th. A light meal will be served between sessions Saturday. Three Junior Fund games will be held in March along with several club championships so please check our website for details. And it's never too early to start planning for our Spring Sectional which will be held May 3-6th at the Clarion Inn.

Lastly, and very sadly, we say goodbye to two members who died way too young. Bill Erwin and Dena Bruce will long be remembered and sorely missed.



Unit 183
Fort Worth
Kay Jones

Everyone agrees that the 2007 Goodwill Ambassadors were picked perfectly: Colleen Tiernan and Pat Krannichfeld. Colleen and Pat have spent countless hours volunteering at the studio making it attractive and decorative. They also decorated the work tables at the tournaments. They are not only creative, they are charming, warm, and personify the demeanor we would wish for all bridge players. Congratulations, ladies. A well deserved award!

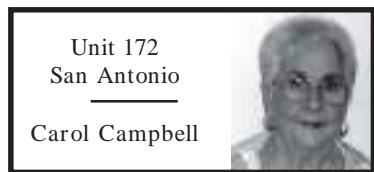
Someone else who is spending a lot of her time at the studio is Carolyn Pinto. Carolyn directs the Wednesday Unit Game as well as the "up-to-2000" Thursday night game. She is also our Educational Liaison and Coordinates our newcomer lessons and classes. She does all this as well as works full time and plays a mean game of bridge!

Carolyn was born in New York City and after losing her parents at a young age, moved to Washington DC. She moved to Texas in 1978, started

working for Lockheed, earned her undergraduate degree from TCU and her Masters from the University of Dallas. Mind you she did all this while raising two handsome sons! A friend, Norman Frost, taught her bridge on her lunch hour about 15 years ago and she has never stopped playing since! She is working with some new partners and will hopefully solidify a couple of good partnerships for Regional and National play.

A certified Bridge Director and Teacher, Carolyn is very interested in bringing new people to the game and teaching them to love it as much as she does. Although she definitely approves of the classes for intermediate players to improve their game, she feels it is very important that we encourage brand new players and offer beginning classes if we want to maintain strength and increase membership in our bridge studio.

Her students say she is very humorous when teaching and very patient. She is an excellent bridge player and a logical thinker which helps in the game of bridge. Carolyn has a wonderful smile; she is also intelligent, enthusiastic, funny and a positive influence at the studio.



Unit 172
San Antonio
Carol Campbell

Our Winter Fun Sectional was another success coordinated by Janise Saul and her volunteers. We had great playing space, super hospitality and good attendance. We were fortunate to finish every event before the big freeze which enveloped us the very next day. Pictures of the winners are in this issue and congratulations go to all.

Carm Squires, our Care and Sympathy Chair, has been busy sending cards to our people who are experiencing some difficult times right now. We are hoping to see Les and Billie Langus back at bridge soon. Madeline Wolf has been absent too long and we look forward seeing her back at Table 2. Our sympathy is extended to the families of Millie Davies, Nita Ray Olson and Betsy Berg who lost her mother.

The Texas Star Award, given at the Houston Regional, is an honor bestowed on a member of Unit 172 each year. We are so proud to have this award go to Doug Cross. Doug has been such a help when we needed transportation for our supplies here and out of town. He was instrumental in securing a trailer for our supplies and providing a place to house it. We are now able to move our equipment and expedite the process in a more efficient manner. This busy businessman is also one of our most

gregarious people and everyone he sees is greeted with hugs for the girls and great big grins and handshakes for the guys. Hopefully, when Doug is retired we will see him on our Unit Board in any capacity. He can handle anything!

Unit 172 is also proud to nominate Tom Marsh and Ed Rawlinson for the ACBL Goodwill Awards for 2007. Everyone knows both of these fine men. Ed is currently President of our unit. Since his retirement as Superintendent of the Northeast School District Ed has devoted much of his time and talent to promoting bridge. He makes play dates with many of our less-experienced players and imparts his bridge knowledge to anyone who asks. Bridge in San Antonio is better because of him.

Tom Marsh is another fine friend of bridge in our Unit. Always able to advise us at board meetings and scope out tournaments sites for suitability and local, Tom has spent a great deal of time helping our tournament chairs with his knowledge as an ACBL Tournament Director. He is a volunteer bridge teacher in our new player program and is very willing to discuss bidding and play problems with anyone who asks. He is more than deserving of this award.

It is important to thank the people who promote bridge in our area. Sometimes we fail to realize that we are truly a family of diverse people who love this game. Be willing to acknowledge others and share in the promotion of it. Life is good in Unit 172!

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NEWCOMER PROGRAM PRESENTS 299ER SCHEDULE

Thursday, April 12	
Pairs	1:00 pm
Pairs	7:00 pm
Friday, April 13	
Pairs	1:00 pm
Pairs	7:00 pm
Saturday, April 14	
Pairs	1:00 pm
Pairs	7:00 pm
Stratifications	
0-100, 100-200, 200-300	
3-table minimum	

Thursday, April 12	
Stratified Pairs, single session	1:00 pm
Board-A-Match, single session	7:00 pm
(A pair game will be added if needed)	
Friday, April 13	
KO Teams	9:00 am, 1:00 & 7:00 pm
Stratified Pairs, single sessions	1:00 & 7:00 pm
Saturday, April 14	
AM Early Bird Pairs	9:00 am
KO Teams	9:00 am, 1:00 & 7:00 pm
Stratified Pairs, single sessions	1:00 & 7:00 pm
Sunday, April 15	
Margaret Higgins Strati-Flighted Teams	10:30 am & TBA
Flight A & AX separate & unlimited, BCD stratified together	
Stratifications	
Open Pairs: A: 2000+, B: 500-2000, C: 0-500	
Strati-Flited Teams	
A: Unlimited, AX: 0-5000, B: 750-2000, C: 300-750, D: 0-300	
Hospitality Room available all 4 days with coffee, sodas and snacks!	
No smoking in playing area, smoking breaks	
\$5/person/session Student Discount	
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Swiss Teams \$80.00/team lunch provided	
Tournament Chairman Margaret Higgins 830.634.7254	
Partnership Chairman Richard Hamm 830.895.2085	
San Antonio Tournament Coordinator Janise Saul 210.481.1766	

Austin Sectional, January 4-7, 2007



Thurs Aft Strat Open Prs A
Louis Sachar & Paul Tobias



Thurs Aft Strat Open Prs B
Puddin Barnes & Pam LaShelle



Thurs Aft Strat 199er Prs ABC
Joanie Gates & (np) Liz Cooper



Thurs Eve Strat Open Prs AB
Sue & Robert Williamson



Thurs Eve Strat 199er Prs A
Alan & Connie Bath



Thurs Eve Strat 199er Prs B
Martha Norman & Deane Rowe



Thurs Eve Strat 199er Prs C
Candyce Gregston & Frances Grogan



Fri Eve Strat Open Prs A
Janet & Tom Clark



Fri Eve Strat Open Prs A
Ed Rawlinson & George Pisk



Fri Eve Strat Open Prs B
P. Poondla & Roger Arockiam



Fri Eve Strat Open Prs C
Bette Messelt & Kay Lynch



Sat Strat Open Prs AB
S. Mahajan & K. Sutaria



Fri KO Teams Bkt II
Sandra Helton & Jacqueline Fiegel
Jewel Stewart-Dahl & Dionne Green
Sandra & Dionne also won
Thurs Aft Strat Open Prs C



Thurs KO Teams Bkt I
Fri KO Teams Bkt I
Mildred Breed & Anita Cokins
Justin Lall & Greg Hinze



Thurs KO Teams Bkt II
Richard Ryan & Ruby Handcox
James Wueste & Harvey Browning



Thurs KO Teams Bkt III
Shirley Griffith & G. Lockley
C. Baumann & Donna Gerber



Fri KO Teams Bkt III
Mary Lou Collins & Jean Roberts
Helen Olechna & Nancy Horvat



Sat Eve Strat 199er Prs AB
Robert Frederick & Gary Cheatham

"I would know what to think...
if I knew who to believe (my partner or my opponents)."



Austin Spring Sectional May 3-6, 2007

Thursday, May 3

Bracketed KO Teams I 9:00 am, 1:30 & 7:00 pm
(Open Bracketed and 0-2000 Bracketed KO)
New Event: Stratified Open Pairs 9:00 am
Stratified Open Pairs, single sessions 1:30 & 7:00 pm
Stratified 199er Pairs, single sessions 1:30 & 7:00 pm

Friday, May 4

Bracketed KO Teams II 9:00 am, 1:30 & 7:00 pm
(Open Bracketed and 0-2000 Bracketed KO)
New Event: Stratified Open Pairs 9:00 am
Stratified Open Pairs, single sessions 1:30 & 7:00 pm
Stratified 199er Pairs, single sessions 1:30 & 7:00 pm

Saturday, May 5

Bracketed KO Teams III 9:00 am, 1:30 & 7:00 pm
(Open Bracketed and 0-2000 Bracketed KO)
New Event: Stratified Open Pairs 9:00 am
Stratified Open Pairs, single sessions 1:30 & 7:00 pm
Stratified 199er Pairs, single sessions 1:30 & 7:00 pm

Sunday, May 6

Stratified Swiss Teams 10:00 am & TBA

Stratifications

Open Pairs: A: 1500+, B: 500-1500, C: 0-500
199er Pairs: A: 100-200, B: 50-100, C: 0-50
Teams: A: 3000+, X: 0-3000 (play together)
B: 750-1500, C: 300-750, D: 0-300 (play together)

Meal served between sessions on Sunday

General Convention Card only except Midchart for A/X Swiss Teams

Tournament Site

Clarion Inn & Suites 2200 South IH 35, Austin, TX 78704
800.434.7378 Bridge Rate: \$79+tax

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Joyce Cooper janncooper@sbcglobal.net 330.0954

Entry Fees

Thursday, Friday & Saturday

\$9.00/member/session, \$10.00/nonmember/session

Sunday: \$10.00/member/session, \$11.00/nonmember/session



Fri KO Teams Bkt IV
James Brown & Otis Halliday
Susan Lambert & Marilyn Holmes



Sat KO Teams Bkt I
Marilyn Arnold & Ed Rawlinson
Derrell Childs & Bill Walker



Sun StratiFted Swiss Teams X
David Farris & Preston Morrow
Jonathan Ernest & Mark Craiker

Results: Austin Sectional
Ed Rawlinson, Helotes, was the top
masterpoint winner with 30.51.

Thurs KO Teams Bkt I 1. Anita
Cokins-Mildred Breed-Justin Lall-Greg
Hinze 2. Jack Lacy-Tom Breed-
Melody Euler-James Thurtell Bkt II
1. James Wueste-Ruby Handcox-
Richard Ryan-Harvey Browning 2. Joe
Black-Kathy McCabe-Diana Rogers-
Patrick Long-Dean Yarian Bkt III 1.
Shirley Griffith-Genevieve Lockley-
Caroline Baumann-Donna Gerber 2.
James Glathar-Nancy Dean-Mark
Miller-Robert Pflugbeil.

Thurs Aft Strat Open Prs A1. Louis
Sachar-Paul Tobias A2.B1. Puddin
Barnes-Pam LaShelle B2. Robert
Chambers-Donna Lantz C1. Dionne
Green-Sandra Helton C2. Ginger Lake-
Billie Graves.

Thurs Aft Strat 199er Prs
A1.B1.C1. Joanie Gates-Liz Cooper
A2. Sandy Molander-Betty Wilkinson
B2. Martha Norman-Shirley Cornett
C2. Zella Abbate-Vivian Thompson.

Thurs Eve Strat Open Prs A1.B1.
Sue Williamson-Robert Williamson
A2.B2. Kalpana Sutaria-Swadesh
Mahajan C1. Terry Richardson-David
Hettema C2. Wreatha Leonard-Mary
Hahn.

Thurs Eve Strat 199er Prs A1.
Connie Bath-Alan Bath A2.B1. Martha
Norman-Deane Rowe B2. Immie
Pamplin-Gayle McCarron C1. Frances
Grogan-Candyce Gregston C2. Simon
Shaw-Susan Shaw.

Fri KO Teams Bkt I 1. Anita
Cokins-Mildred Breed-Greg Hinze-
Justin Lall 2. Jack Lacy-James Thurtell-
Rosemary Kelley-Paul Kelley Jr Bkt
II 1. Jewel Stewart-Dahl-Dionne
Green-Sandra Helton-Jacqueline Fiegel
2. Joe Black-Doreen Harris-Diana
Rogers-Lydia Bearden Bkt III 1. Mary
Lou Collins-Jean Roberts-Nancy
Horvat-Helen Olechna 2. Don Morgan-
Hallie Eads-Terry Harrison-David Dyer



Sun StratiFted Swiss Teams BC
Richard Ryan & Laura Delfeld
James Wueste & Harvey Browning



Sun StratiFted Swiss Teams A
CG Bell & Steve Bruce
(NPC) Dena Bruce
Gary & Marcia Powell

Bkt IV 1. Otis Halliday-Marilyn
Holmes-James Brown-Susan Lambert
2. Wanda Carter-Barbara Odom-Mary
Ellen Stanton-Barbara Lyons.

Fri Aft Strat Open Prs A1. Thomas
Clark-Janet Clark A2. George Pisk-Ed
Rawlinson B1. Emily Ada Johnstone-
George Jones B2. Carol Katz-Darlene
Gilmore C1. Bette Messelt-Kay Lynch
C2. Rusty Cribbs-John Nichols.

Fri Aft Strat 199er Prs A1. Kathy
Watkins-Laura Jones A2.B1.C1. Inez
Grider-Don Grider B2.C2. James Hurst-
Jo Pennington.

Fri Eve Strat Open Prs A1. Ed
Rawlinson-George Pisk A2. Thomas
Peters-John Zilic B1. Reddy Siva
Prasada Poondla-Roger Arockiam B2.
Dean Yarian-Shirley George C1. Brenda
Trancon-Carol Kiehl C2. Sandra
Ebert-Marlene Brandt.

Fri Eve Strat 199er Prs A1. Kathy
Watkins-Laura Jones A2.B1. Nancy
Reader-Maureen Wittels B2.C1.
Edward Parken-Judith Parken C2.
Laverne Purcell-Patsy Martin.

Sat Open KO Teams 1. Marilyn
Arnold-Derrell Childs-Bill Walker-Ed
Rawlinson 2. Venkatrao Koneru-
Darlene Riely-Donna Watkins-Virginia
Noelke.

Sat 0-2000 KO Teams Bkt I 1.
Donna Lantz-Ronald Lantz-Tom
Smith-R Harry Akin 2. Billie Graves-
Dianne Decker-Beverly Geurin-

Marilyn Sharratt Bkt II 1. Don Grider-
Inez Grider-Kay Lynch-Ginger
McPhail 2. Wanda Carter-Barbara
Lyons-Immie Pamplin-Gayle
McCarron.

Sat Aft Strat 199er Prs A1.B1.C1.
Zella Abbate-Vivian Thompson
A2.B2.C2. Bobbie Gruhlkey-Wanda
Kuehler.

Sat Strat Open Prs A1.B1.
Swadesh Mahajan-Kalpana Sutaria A2.
Paul Tobias-Louis Sachar B2. Shirley
George-Don Shimmom C1. Dean
Yarian-George Richards C2. Joseph
Wald-Rebecca Hyzer.

Sat Eve Strat 199ers A1.B1. Robert
Frederick-Gary Cheatham A2.B2.
Martha Norman-Jane Clark C1. Wanda
Kuehler-Bobbie Gruhlkey C2.
Lawrence Caplan-David Wilson.

Sun Strati-Fted Swiss Teams AX
A1. Stephen Bruce-C G Bell-Marcia
Powell-Gary Powell A2. Louis Sachar-
Elizabeth Tobias-Paul Tobias-
Rosemary Kelley X1. Jonathan
Ernest-Mark Craiker-David Farris-
Preston Morrow X2. Thomas Corlett-
Ethel Corlett-Cynthia Strahm-Pam
LaShelle Strati BCD B1.C1. James
Wueste-Laura Delfeld-Richard Ryan-
Harvey Browning B2.C2.D1. Sandra
Harris-Gloria Wilson-Nancy Dean-
Mark Miller D2. Scott Wansbrough-
Daralynn Cameron-Greg Schepens-
Jesse Gordon.

Magic Valley - Harlingen Sectional, January 19-21, 2007



Fri Aft Strat Open Prs A
Barbara Landreth & Edwin McKay



Fri Aft Strat Open Prs B
Bill Clark & Jason Kiker



Fri Aft Strat Open Prs C
Nels Nielson & David Smith



Fri Eve Strat Open Prs AB
Roxana Tom & Roxana Tom



Fri Eve Strat Open Prs C
Arvid & Nancy Stephens



Sat Strat Open Prs AB
Pete Voges & Ann Jensen



Sun Strati-Fltd Teams A
Rosemary Kelley & Ann Schwall
Paul Kelley & Stephen Schwall



Sun Strati-Fltd Teams X
Anna & Roger Marlatt
Joyce Park & Barbara Babbitt



Sun Strati-Fltd Teams B
Virginia Wynne & Beulah Mae Pearce
Carol Ashbacher & Pete Voges




Sun Strati-Fltd Teams C
Mahesh Maruvada & Stanley Gimpleson
Maria Hedin & Margaret Crumpler



Sun Strati-Fltd Teams D
Vonnice & Curt Eggleston
Pat Rohl & Susan Wheeler

Unit 237
Magic Valley



Alla Mae
Westbrook

I had no sooner submitted the January/February issue news to the *Scorecard* than I felt the need to beg the editor to add the unexpected passing of our good friend and very favorite cheerful director, Doris Allen. We all really loved Doris and will always feel her presence with us at our Unit and club games but mostly at our tournaments as Jack Mehrens "side kick" tough 'lil assistant. Something like this affects all of us in just a different way. Those who won plants as door prizes at the Sectional Tournament at Padre Island have a living memory of Doris. Treasure it. Our Friend Doris just didn't want to give up her position next to Jack in Bridge Heaven. Can you see them there 'runnin' the events? The old saying "God takes the best" is true.

Several of her Unit friends attended the Lone Star Tournament in Houston recently. Alla and Herman Westbrook, Charlotte Lunsford, Jackie Burroughs, Rosemary Dunn, Frances Buckingham, Rene Wallace and Walt Lauckner played in the memorial dedicated to Doris and placed among the different events and in the Jack Pairs event. Helen and George Van Amburg were winners of Bracket 4 KO's.

Herman Westbrook, President of Unit 237 presented the honor of Goodwill award to Robert and Lavone Cell for their dedication and countless contributions to the Unit and McAllen club. They arrived in the valley in the late 70's and as a director, immediately

began to volunteer at the local games. After retiring as a Professor at the University he and Vonie joined the "bridge at sea" program as lecturers and director taking some 65 cruises and visiting 105 countries. They are a couple that would be ideal to emulate as all players we should follow their example. They are active at the Monday game and act as manager and director in Carol Waller's absence when she is vacationing.

Herman announced Andrea Klein as recipient of the Texas Star award for the Unit. Like most of us, she is a transplant to South Texas. She and spouser, Jerry, live on South Padre Island. Andrea became fascinated by Duplicate bridge after having not played any bridge for about 25 years when agreed to play with a friend at the Island. She quickly became a director and started her own game at Louie's. She directed the Harlingen game for about three years and is beginning a class at Brownsville. A couple years ago she became a Life Master. Andrea deserves the Star Award for her organization, dedication to bridge and gets the job done!! Proud to have her in our Unit.

Kay McNamee who owned the game at Port Isabel (Island game) passed away in early February. She will be remembered as a very fine and gentle lady and director.

Harlingen Magic Valley Sectional Tournament was held January 19-21 with a very successful attendance. The unit member with the highest points of the tournament was: Jean Burgoine of La Feria with 14.60. Jean will be receiving the Marie McCallum trophy and a commemorative flute. The highest

points for the tournament with 19.52 went to Everette Lewis and Ed Rawlinson of San Antonio and Helotes respectfully. Tied for top in the Swiss Team Event on Sunday went to teams: E. Lewis, E. Rawlinson, K. McBride and D. McBride of the hill country. J. Palmer, F. Buckingham, R. Volkman and G. Sage of Unit 237.

We have a new Silver Life Master!! Dianne Vander Putten earned enough points at the Harlingen tournament to get over 1000 MP's. Congratulations Dianne! She has played bridge many years but became "serious" in early 90's when she started duplicate with the late Jessie Avinger as her favorite partner. She contributes her success at becoming a Silver Life Master to her partners. Dianne was raised in Harlingen and has been married to Joe for about 8 years.

It has been suggested the Unit have an awards' day to catch up on presentations. A special event will be held at Las Palmas Community Center in McAllen on March 17, 2007 to recognize all winners and special awards to members. This will take place of the regular Unit game in Harlingen that day. The general meeting and presentations will start at 11 AM and snacks, beverages (pot-luck) will be served at Noon/12 pm. The Thomas trophy will go to co winners-Bettie Hollon and Ilse Drawe. The McCallum flute will go to Jean Burgoine. New Gold, Silver, Bronze & Life Masters will be recognized. Be there to get your awards, trophy and certificates and celebrate with your bridge friends.

Remember: Doris's wishes are for us to "be kind to our partners and play a happy, fun game."

Results: Magic Valley Sectional Everette Lewis, San Antonio, and Ed Rawlinson, Helotes, were the top masterpoint winners with 19.52 masterpoints.

Fri Morn Strat Open Prs A1. James Bagley-Sarah Imig A2.B1.C1. Jean Burgoine-Charlie Schmidt B2. N Tarbet-Laverne Hill C2. Donna Ahlquist-Helen Marberry.

Fri Aft Strat Open Prs A1. James Gormong-Jane Ann Gormong A2.B1.C1. Jean Burgoine-Charlie Schmidt B2.C2. Marilyn Gesme-Delores Bloomingdale.

Sat Strat Open Prs A1. Everette Lewis-Ed Rawlinson A2. Massoud

Banan-Chuey Lum B1.C1. Curtis Nordhougen-Esther Nordhougen B2. Lorraine Barkey-Richard Burgess Jr C2. Larry Harrington-Ramona Harrington.

Sun Strat Swiss Teams A1/2. Gary Sage-Jean Palmer-Dick Volkman-Frances Buckingham A1/2. Everette Lewis-Ed Rawlinson-Donna McBride-Kenneth McBride B1. Robert Macdormand-Kay Nelson-Jean Burgoine-Donna Ahlquist B2.C1. Albert Krall-Bettijane Krall-Fred House-Donna House C2. Richard Papineau-Mona Bertrand-Darlene Jones-Beverly Kinnebrew.

Unit 225
East Texas



Ginger Rhamey

Special Games: Pro/Am Swiss will be held at The Bridge Studio at Cedar Creek on March 31, 2007 starting at 10:00 A.M. Space is limited so get your team together and sign up now.

Grand National Teams unit level qualifications will be held in Athens on April 21, 2007. The event will be two sessions beginning at 10:00 A.M. A percentage of the points will be gold stratification will be: Championship (Open), A (0-5000), B (0-2000), C (0-500 Non-Life Masters)

Seventy Percent Games: Jimmie Lou Conner & Betty Wareing 72.73% Nacogdoches DBC; Frauline Gresham & Mike Graham 71.8% at Mineola DBC; Judy Adams & Nell Velvin 70.83% at Athens Country Club; Mike Graham & Khalifa Ahmed 70% Longview DBC Charity Game, Mike Graham and Dorothy McCasland 75% at Longview DBC Club Championship.

Moving on up the ladder: Carol Bates *Junior Master*; Theresa Ann Brantley *Sectional Master*; Jerrell Wolaver *Regional Master*.

Congratulations: Mona Buchanan, Karol Rank, and Carol Walliser are Unit 225's newest *Life Masters*.

Members in and out: We are truly saddened by the lost of Dick Rehm of Bullard, Mary Berry of Grand Saline and Anne Todd of Gun Barrel City.

Tournament & Special Events: Athens will host its first Sectional Tournament to be held at the First Presbyterian Church Fellowship Hall in Athens on May 31, June 1 & 2, 2007. Check your next Scorecard for more details or go to District 16's website and print off a schedule.

Upcoming Unit Games: Unit games are now being held at the Garden Valley Senior Citizens Building-1915 Garden Valley Road, Tyler Texas. Upcoming games will be held on March 10, 2007; April 14 will be our annual awards presentation and luncheon, starting at 11:30AM, all games start promptly at 12:30 P.M. If you need a partner call Wanda Allen 903.526.5575.

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Athens
Black Eyed Pea Sectional
May 31-June 2, 2007

First Presbyterian Fellowship Hall
306 E. Tyler Street (Hwy 31)
Athens, TX 75751 903.675.2130

Thursday, May 31	7 pm
Bracketed KO Teams (1st of 4 sessions)	
Friday, June 1	
Bracketed KO Teams (2nd, 3rd, & Final)	9 am, 1:30 & 7 pm
Stratified 299er Pairs (3 single sessions)	9 am, 1:30 & 7 pm
Stratified Continuing Open Pairs (2 sessions)	1:30 & 7 pm
Stratified Open Pairs Side Game (single sessions)	9 am, 1:30 & 7 pm
Saturday, June 2	
Swiss Teams (2 sessions - teammates available)	9 am & 1 pm

Stratifications
Open Pairs: A: 1500+, B: 500-1500, C: 0-500
199er Pairs: A: 100-200, B: 50-100, C: 0-50
Teams: A: 3000+, AX: 0-3000, B: 500-1250, C: 200-500, D: 0-200

Free Coffee & Tea & Refreshments
(Compliments of Unit Membership)
Complimentary Saturday Dinner Provided for Teams
Box Lunches Available on Friday - \$5.00

Door Prizes
Tournament Chairpersons & Partnerships
Ginger Rhamey 903.469.3006 gingerrhamey@msn.com
Gloria Rowland 903.451.3219 glowfishcc@earthlink.net

Tournament Directors: Su Doe & Mike Graham
Entry Fees: \$10/ACBL Member - Saturday Swiss Teams \$96

Playing site is a couple of blocks East of downtown Athens

Hotels		
Spanish Trace Inn 716 E. Tyler Street Athens, TX 75751 800.488.5173	Holiday Inn Express Opening February 2007 Athens, TX 75751	Super 8 Motel 205 Dallas Hwy 175 Athens, TX 75751 800.800.8000
Victorian Inn 1803 Hwy 31E Athens, TX 75751 903.677.1470		Best Western 2050 Hwy 31E Athens, TX 75751 903.675.9214

Dallas Sectional, January 25-28, 2007



Thurs Aft/Sat Morn Open Prs A
Jim Bauer & Gerrie Owen



Thurs Eve Strat Prs A
Helene Blumenau & Dori Smith



Thurs Eve Strat Open Prs B
Bob Wilkin & Nancy Peterson



Fri Eve Strat Open Prs A
Joan Jackson & Peggy Sutherlin



Sat Aft Strat Open Prs AB
Jeffrey McKee & Betty Finley



Sat Eve Strat Open Prs A
Linda Spangler & David Horner



Fri Strat 299er Prs A
Alma Johnson & Ann Sims



Sat Aft Strat 299er Prs C
Ann Drees & Patricia Lodewick



Sat Eve Strat 299er Prs AB
Jim Bufkins & Delpha Garcia



Sat Aft Strat 299er Prs AB
Chris Anderson & Donna McKay



Thurs Aft Strat 299er Prs AB
Bob McNeill & Tony Pellegrini



Thurs-Fri KO Teams Bkt II
Dee Berg & Janet Brescoll
Kurt Brescoll & Zachary Brescoll



Fri Eve Strat BAM Teams A
Peggy Duffey & Marion Gebhardt
Gail Wells & Michael Walrath



Thurs-Fri KO Teams Bkt VI
Judy Mays & Helen Skiles
Margaret King & Martha Gehrig



Sun Strati-Flted Swiss Teams B
Kathy Bumgardner & Bill Osborn
Judy Edmiston & Willie Bumgardner



Sun Strati-Flted Swiss Teams C
Tom Moore Fred Boddy
Dorothy Moore & Sandra Boddy



Sat KO Teams Bkt II
Sun Strati-Flted Swiss Teams X
Ned Nolte & Kevin Podsiadlik
Jack Borenstein, Jim Clark, Murray Berger



Sun Aft 299er Teams A
Joe Dean & Larz Smith
Donna Dean & Anne Smith



Sun Aft 299er Teams B
Travis Roten & Mike Davis
Judy Matlock & Lyn Davis

Results: Dallas Sectional Nagy Kamel, Plano, was the top masterpoint winner with 32.99.

Thurs Aft Strat Open Prs A1. James Bauer-Gerrie Owen A2. Helene Blumenau-Dori Smith B1. Nancy Jipp-Norma Booth B2. Jeanine Wofford-David Nurenberg C1. Shay

Ura-Rhonda Huser C2. Margaret Raymond-Jim Harp.

Thurs Aft Strat 299er Prs A1.B1. Tony Pellegrini-Bob McNeill A2.B2. Erica Walker-Donna McKay C1. Tommie Anglemyer-Bonnie Arnold C2. Elvis Huynh-Jun Park.
Thurs Eve Strat Open Prs A1.

Helene Blumenau-Dori Smith A2. Larue Stott-Ilene Greene B1. Bob Wilkin-Nancy Peterson B2. Kerry Goldsmith-Dan Goldsmith, Jr C1. Bert Dempsey-David Reynolds C2. Dion Dubois-John Overstreet.

Thurs Eve Strat 299er Prs A1.B1. Delpha Garcia-Jim Bufkins A2.B2.C1. Alma Johnson-Ann Sims C2. Wanda Prokop-Vona Nason.

Thurs-Fri KO Teams Bkt I 1. Bryan Storey-Nagy Kamel-Barry Schaffer-Bill Staats-Merri-Jo Hillaker 2. Pat Cassidy-Jerry Derby-James Thurtell-Roy Baughman-Gerry McKim-Carolyn Pinto Bkt II 1. Zachary Brescoll-Kurt Brescoll-Janet Brescoll-Dee Berg 2. Jack Borenstein-Murray Berger-James Lilly-Kevin Podsiadlik-Jim Clark-Ned Nolte Bkt III 1. David Pearlman-Penny Mixon-Stephen Hibbard-Joseph Gill 2. John McConnell-Swaminathan Narasimhan-Charles Gibson Jr-Mickey Tryon Bkt IV 1. Bill Osborn-Bob McNeill-Richard McGill-Tony Pellegrini 2. John Galey-Donna McKay-Khalifa Ahmed-Roger Arockiam Bkt V 1. Marlow Muldoon-Joyce Muldoon-Cecil Parsons-Gay Anderson 2. Joe Dean-Donna Dean-Melvin Ball-Gay Nell Ball Bkt VI 1. Helen Skiles-Judy Mays-Martha Gehrig-Margaret King 2. Karen Franklin-Betty Ellis-Pat Lewis-Carl Rieger.

Fri Aft Strat Open Prs A1. Ronald Mankoff-D Witt A2.B1. Mark Craiker-Preston Morrow B2. Margaret Irvine-Loretta Green C1. Lue Waddle-Adele Hudgins C2. Brian Dalton-George Farrington.

Fri Aft Strat 299er Prs A1.B1.C1.

Alma Johnson-Ann Sims A2.B2. Susan Flick-Leah McCarthy C2. Barbara Sifuentes-Suzanne Smith.

Fri Eve Strat Open Prs A1. Joan Jackson-Peggy Sutherlin A2. Frank Matthews-Gary Booth B1.C1. Dion Dubois-John Overstreet B2. Jules Schoenberg-Hazel Schoenberg C2. Bert Dempsey-David Reynolds.

Fri Eve Strat 299er Prs A1. Doris Doores-Martha Jacobson A2.B1. Mike Mulligan-Carole Mulligan B2. Rich Brandenburg-Max Frey C1. Dick Nierling-Phillippa Nierling C2. Kay Hasseltine-Ann Stone.

Fri Eve Strat BAM Teams A1. Michael Walrath-Gail Wells-Marion Gebhardt-Peggy Duffey A2. Stephen Kornegay-Nancy Kornegay-Michael Dalton-Mark Bumgardner B1. Preston Morrow-Virginia Sherman-Claybourne Waldrop Jr.-Mark Craiker.

Sat KO Teams Bkt I 1. Charles Price-S Kohan-Tom Edwards-Marcus Poe Jr 2. Justin Lall-Petra Hamman-Bob Hamman-Hemant Lall Bkt II 1. Jack Borenstein-Murray Berger-Kevin Podsiadlik-Jim Clark-Ned Nolte 2. Truett Cates-David Haratyk-Raymond Clark-Jack Carter Bkt III 1. David Pearlman-Penny Mixon-Stephen Hibbard-Joseph Gill 2. Joy Cogburn-Mary Weiser-Barbara Hadaway-George Davis Bkt IV 1. Cecil Parsons-Bonnie Shea-Gay Anderson-Gay Czikota 2. Linda Spooner-Leah Stapleton-Donald Davis-Eric Sieg Bkt V 1. Lyn Davis-Mike Davis-Ellen Heck-Joyce Graf 2. Jean O'Neal-Jo Driscoll-Shyanne Merritt-Gay Schleicher.

Sat Morn Strat Open Prs A1/2.B1. Chris Anderson-Donna McKay A1/2. James Bauer-Gerrie Owen B2.C1. Tommie Anglemyer- Bonnie Arnold C2. Sandra Fedro-Jaci Leeper.

Sat Aft Strat Open Prs A1.B1. Jeffrey McKee-Betty Finley A2. Bill Staats-Mike Bukala B2. Claybourne Waldrop Jr.-Virginia Sherman C1. Paul Taylor-Robert Scrimale C2. Charles Morse-Nancy Morse.

Sat Aft Strat 299er Prs A1.B1. Donna McKay-Chris Anderson A2.B2. Helen Olechna-Delpha Garcia C1. Ann Drees-Patricia Lodewick C2. Sandra

Fedro-Jaci Leeper.

Sat Aft Strat 49er Prs A1.B1.C1. Linda Tootle-Gerald Bates A2. June Jones-Carol Casey B2. David Baltimore-Nancy Baltimore C2. Beverly Ginsberg-Natalie Rosenbloom.

Sat Eve Strat Fast Prs A1. Bill Staats-Mike Bukala A2. Michael Hout-Greg Resz B1. Kit Campbell-Judy Northup B2. Paul Taylor-Robert Scrimale.

Sat Eve Strat Open Prs A1. Linda Spangler-David Horner A2. Marion Gebhardt-Peggy Duffey B1. Tom Nute-Cynthia Benton B2.C1. Ricardo Azevedo-Khalifa Ahmed C2. Shay Ura-Phyllis Savell.

Sat Eve Strat 299er Prs A1.B1.C1. James Overtree-Bodil Overtree A2.B2. Donna McKay-Chris Anderson C2. Jackie Long-Gloria McCowen.

Sun Morn Strat 299er Swiss Teams A1.B1. Bob McNeill-Richard McGill-Rod Wicklander-Tony Pellegrini A2. Chuck Brown-Betsy Goldsmith-Hilda Lacher-Marcia Hansen B2/4. Natalie Cousins-Joyce Graf-Ann Stone-Kay Hasseltine A2/4. Pamela Lane- Barbara Sifuentes-Barbara O'Dell-Ivanette Dennis B2/4. Nancy Garrett-Betty Gilmore-James Overtree-Bodil Overtree C1. Sandra Fedro-Bonnie Arnold-Tommie Anglemyer-Jaci Leeper.

Sun Strati-Flted Swiss Teams AX A1. Justin Lall-Hemant Lall-Bob Hamman-Petra Hamman A2. Judy Bramley-Sidney Lazard-Bart Bramley-Nagy Kamel X1. Jack Borenstein-Murray Berger-Kevin Podsiadlik-Ned Nolte-Jim Clark X2/3. Jonathan Ernest-Martha Young-Michael Hout-Stewart Angel X2/3. John Mc Connell-Dewitt Hudson Jr-Swaminathan Narasimhan-Dee Berg Strati BCD B1. Bill Osborn-Willie Bumgardner-Judy Corey Edmiston-Kathleen Bumgardner B2.C1. Tom Moore-Dorothy Moore-Sandra Boddy-Fred Boddy C2.D1. Jim Harp-Robert Scrimale-Paul Taylor-Margaret Raymond D2. Carolyn Bradford-Charles Morse-Nancy Morse-Patricia Marchman.

Sun Aft Strat 299er Swiss Teams A1. Joe Dean-Donna Dean-Larz Smith-Anne Smith A2.B1. Lyn Davis-Mike Davis-Travis Roten-Judy Matlock B2. Deanna Drab-Theresa Ann Brantley-Frances Schmitz-Takiko Caperton C1. Karen Franklin-Betty Ellis-Carl Rieger-Pat Lewis.

A Dear Friend Will Be Missed...



Doris Allen
1941-2006

Doris Allen passed into Heaven on December 26, 2006. She was born February 2, 1941 in Palestine, Texas to Thomas Frederick and Lena Stevens Henderson.

She is survived by her husband of 46 years Wilbert (Bert) Allen of Harlingen; one son Troy (Sheila) Allen of Delta Lake; daughter Elizabeth (Betsy) Allen of Philadelphia; brother Don (Jackie) Henderson of Old Hickory, Tennessee; grandchildren Brandi, Kevin, and Chris Thomas.

Doris graduated from High School early and was working as a hairdresser when she was seventeen. She established five hair salons in the Harlingen area.

At age 56, after retiring from the beauty business, she started a new career, traveling all over the United States, as a tournament director, for the American Contract Bridge League. She was chosen the most valuable director in her district. She respected her fellow directors and truly enjoyed being around tournament bridge players. She loved to garden and said she never felt closer to God than when she was working in His earth.

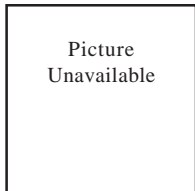
She hoped that after she was gone, her loved ones and friends would not be sad, but would rejoice in the wonderful life she'd had.

Special thanks to South Texas Cancer Clinic and M.D. Anderson Cancer Clinic in Houston. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center in Houston, Texas.

"It's not enough to win the tricks that belong to you.
Try also for some that belong to the opponents."

Alfred Sheinwold

2006 District 16 Mini McKenney Winners



Clair Kretschmann



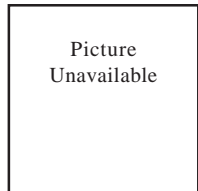
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Dan O'Malley



Barbara Hollahan



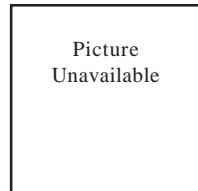
Dick Simon



Marilyn Sharratt



Don Morgan



Francine Hargrove

0-5 Masterpoints

1. Clair Kretschmann, Livingston 112
2. Reddy Poondla, Grand Prairie 110
3. Tony Pellegrini, Plano 95
4. Bob McNeill, Frisco 79
5. Bonnie Magee, Mabank 78
6. Trudy Crippen, Laredo 58
7. Helen Olechna, Aubrey 58
8. Jean Roach, Kaufman 54
9. Theresa Ann Brantley, Mabank 50
10. Paul Cuneo, Spring 50
11. Nancy Estes, Denton 49
12. Yvonne Houston, Mabank 49
13. Inez Grider, Georgetown 45
14. Anne McKamy, Belton 44
15. Charlotte Bingham, Lubbock 43
16. Max Frey, Dallas 42
17. Kathleen Malcolmson, Houston 42
18. Ruby Hill, Argyle 40
19. Mimi Lempert, Plano 40
20. Don Grider, Georgetown 39

5 to 20 Masterpoints

1. Dan O'Malley, Katy 175
2. Barbara Hollahan, Austin 112
3. Gloria Wilson, FL 107
4. Laura Jones, Houston 106
5. Sandy Molander, Malakoff 105
6. Lewis Crippen, Laredo 91
7. Nancy Dean, Austin 81
8. Mary Klein, Georgetown 76
9. Richard McGill, N Richmond Hls 75
10. Cliff Dillard, Tyler 75
11. J Reagan Dixon, Dallas 71
12. Mary Jane Kinnebrew, Houston 67
13. Carol Claybrook, Arlington 66
14. Sandra Harris, Austin 62
15. Rich Brandenburg, Coppell 60
16. Ann Montgomery, Beaumont 54
17. Carol Sossamon, Kemp 54
18. Rose Van Meter, Wichita Falls 52
19. Terri Orlean, Houston 50
20. Greg Giem, Houston 49

20 to 50 Masterpoints

1. Dick Simon, Ft Worth 197
2. Marilyn Sharratt, Austin 132
3. Pamela Gladysz, Ft Worth 124
4. Bert Dempsey, Sherman 119
5. Tito Ariwibowo, Houston 111
6. Joy McKenzie-Smith, Fort Worth 109
7. Carolyn Campbell, Houston 107
8. David Adams, Fort Worth 100
9. Nancy Strohmmer, Houston 100
10. Hans Strohmmer, Houston 100
11. Charles Collins, Magnolia 97
12. Tommie Bullard, Ft Worth 93
13. Carol Hall, Horseshoe Bay 90
14. Callie Weller, Dallas 88
15. Eric Diamond, Plano 84
16. James Brown, Georgetown 84
17. Bill Strange, Fort Worth 79
18. Delpha Garcia, Denton 79
19. Beverly Lynn Martin, Odessa 78
20. Jim Bufkins, Denton 77

50 to 100 Masterpoints

1. Don Morgan, Houston 298
2. Francine Hargrove, Houston 187
3. Nancy Crabtree, Houston 180
4. Karla Riddick, Conroe 163
5. Joe Dean, Keller 138
6. Donna Dean, Keller 137
7. Kimi Lambert, New Braufels 124
8. Mary Ellen Stanton, Grand Prairie 117
9. Karen Owen, Athens 105
10. Dee Payne, Orange 101
11. Barbara Odom, Cedar Hill 99
12. Ann Mc Dougal, Houston 91
13. Hilda Lacher, Dallas 87
14. Jack Roth, Kingwood 87
15. Arthur Smith, Houston 85
16. Martha Jacobson, Arlington 85
17. Gay Nell Ball, Hurst 84
18. Carolyn Labouliere, Seabrook 83
19. Melvin Ball, Hurst 82
20. Elgene Smith, Houston 79



Joe Clark



Ralda St Pierre



Greg Hinze



Justin Lall



Nagy Kamel



Donna Watkins



Bob Morris



Ira Hessel

1000 to 2500 Masterpoints

1. Joseph Clark, Dallas 464
2. Ralda St Pierre, Houston 357
3. Jack Borenstein, Dallas 355
4. Tony Haddad, Houston 328
5. Carole Price, San Antonio 323
6. Janet Brescoll, Mansfield 320
7. Patricia Lozano, San Antonio 318
8. C David Mitchell, San Antonio 318
9. Mary Gentry, Houston 316
10. Ned Nolte, Fort Worth 311
11. Marc Levine, Lubbock 304
12. Wolf Schroeter, Houston 301
13. Elton Lipnick, Houston 297
14. Kevin Podsiadlik, Dallas 297
15. Marilyn Arnold, San Antonio 295
16. Marsha Bernstein, Houston 291
17. Murray Berger, Dallas 285
18. Bob Scallan, Dallas 281
19. William Baker, Bellaire 279
20. Bobby Maynard, Houston 279

2500 to 5000 Masterpoints

1. Greg Hinze, San Antonio 1060
2. Justin Lall, Dallas 709
3. Gail Wells, Keller 575
4. Michael Walrath, Keller 534
5. Jeanne Linzel, Stafford 490
6. Marion Gebhardt, Richardson 475
7. Mark Bumgardner, Carrollton 447
8. Ed Rawlinson, Helotes 434
9. Carolyne Fox, Manvel 434
10. Billy Leeper, Fort Worth 423
11. Rosemary Kelley, Austin 419
12. Terry Currie, Houston 403
13. James Bauer, Dallas 370
14. Randy Ausmus, Fort Worth 368
15. Marilou Powell, Round Rock 368
16. James Thurtell, Dallas 368
17. Carolyn Pinto, Fort Worth 365
18. Roy Baughman, Pantego 357
19. Shirley McKee, Houston 354
20. Phillip Grothus, San Antonio 348

5000 to 7500 Masterpoints

1. Nagy Kamel, Plano 882
2. Donna Watkins, San Antonio 464
3. Stephen Kornegay, N Richlnd Hls 392
4. Michael Dalton, Carrollton 391
5. Nancy Kornegay, N Richlnd Hls 391
6. Pat Levy, Houston 377
7. Ron Woodsum, Houston 361
8. Barry Schaffer, Frisco 354
9. Carolyn Peters, Grapeland 332
10. Paul Kelley Jr., Austin 328
11. Diane Olson, San Antonio 306
12. Sally Wheeler, Spring 295
13. Stephen Schwall, Houston 284
14. Kerr Godfrey, Houston 279
15. Thomas Hughes Jr., Fort Worth 250
16. Jack Lacy, Round Rock 241
17. Toni Snow, Houston 225
18. Darlene Riely, San Antonio 211
19. Kimmel Jones, Euless 210
20. Peggy Fritsch, San Antonio 201

7500 to 10,000 Masterpoints

1. Robert Morris, Houston 1264
2. Ira Hessel, San Antonio 752
3. Hemant Lall, Dallas 623
4. Joe Quinn, Houston 531
5. Derrell Childs, Garland 527
6. Linda Spangler, Duncanville 465
7. Venkatrao Koneru, San Antonio 318
8. Tipton Golias, Beaumont 254
9. Georgiana Gates, Houston 166
10. Terry Riely, San Antonio 158
11. Kenneth Schutze, Austin 122
12. Jacqueline Tucker, San Antonio 106
13. Jim Miller, Dallas 29

Unit 176
Dallas




Marvin Migdol

AND THE WINNERS ARE...They have just handed me the envelope. Dallas Unit elections, held in late January, resulted in these worthy winners:(in alphabetical order) Jim Bauer, Tomi Fitzgerald and Jim Harp. Kevin Pfeiffer is an alternate. Most of us don't realize how much time and effort goes into making our large Unit hum. All of us are grateful to the Board and Committees for bringing us better bridge and introducing bridge to hundreds who might never have received the thrill of making a doubled contract (vulnerable).
 AND THE KING IS...Only 1 King lacks a mustache. Answer later.
 AND THE KING OF U.S., MEXICO AND CANADA is...Bob Hamman. As noted in the February *Bridge Bulletin* cover, Bob was named ACBL Player of the Year. It's the third time for Bob and those of us in the Dallas area couldn't be prouder.
 AND THE OLDEST IS...Jack McCormick continues to be a storehouse of ancient knowledge. Who has been around the Big D Unit the longest? Dr. John Fisher told me that Jack is right. Fisher and Bob Titus played in a Dallas duplicate game at the White Plaza in 1944 or 45. Oldtimers recall that Fisher later racked up the most Masterpoints in one year in the nation. It's not true that year he had to give 20 minute exams in 1 minute!
 AND THE BEST DRESSED IS...ack also raised this question, excluding his wife Janet of course. I got welcomed calls from Dr. John. The

doc nominated Patricia Rose, Shirley Ashby, Marcia Varel and Jessica Brown. We'll second the nomination! Columnist nominates Gail Wells. CHEERS FOR OUR UNIT INTERMEDIATE/NEWCOMER COMMITTEE: Donna Compton, Chairman; Carol Casey, Partnership; Jole Luehrs, Sally Unger, Ellen Krane, Barrie Gravel, Lori Mall, Members.
 AND DO YOU REMEMBER 1982? It was Kickapoo and Tyler too. It was the city's centennial and Carol Crowder was Sectional chair. Betty Ingram (now in Dallas) was Partnership Chair; Tom Whitesides was Director.
 At the Summer Nationals in Albuquerque then, Mike Passell and Jim Jacoby lost in the semi-final round of the Grand Nationals. Bobby Goldman was on the Appeals Committee. Minda Brachman, John Fisher, Fran Beard, Ellen Adams, Joan Jackson, Charles Weed, Montie Sheltron, Bob Hamman, Bobby Wolff and Susie Kennedy did well. Alice Hendry and Lindad a section top; Morris Chang and Lynn Williams, Stuart and Margot Bunday did well in that event. Tom Leberman and Bill Bazter had section tops; Rick Price did well.
 AND THE NEW FACES ARE...Chester Neel Jr. and Grace Hunt at the Unit's December Holiday Party/Game.
 AND WHO SAID IT: "Learn all you can from the mistakes of others. You won't have time to make them all yourself." The late Alfred Sheinwold. Was he talking about life, talking about bridge-or both?
 UNIT GAMES: There has been a good reception to starting Unit Games at 7 p.m. Y'all come!
 LIKE TO PLAN AHEAD? We're having a Sectional at the Richardson Civic Center, November 8-11, 2007.
 BRIDGE CRUISES: There is increased interest

in bridge cruises within the Unit. Gerrie Owen is planning one to Alaska. As of February 3, about 30 people were signed up for the cruise package of July 18-25, 2007. The trip is July 18-25, with Holland America's Zandam leaving Vancouver, BC on July 18. Anchorage is included. For details, call Gerrie at 214.477.4181.
 Chris/Donna Compton and Marv/Fay Migdol are putting the finishing touches on one for August 2008.
 ONLY KING WITH NO MUSTACHE: King of Hearts.
 WHICH WITCH? Which card is known as "laughing boy?" It's the Jack of Diamonds.
 NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS for Marv: fmmigdol@tx.rr.com

Unit 187
Corpus Christi



Dee Schade

December 14 was a day of mixed emotions for friends and family of Jack Mehrens. We said goodbye in a memorial service. Prior to the service there was a collage of pictures that were shown on a DVD. Very happy times for the Mehrens family and we all appreciated sharing them. In addition to the minister, Jack and Phyllis' daughter-in-law, Fredra (Tom) Mehrens, his son-in-law, Don (Meri) Wilson, and his brother, Bill, spoke about the man they knew and loved. Dee Schade spoke for the bridge club. It was very emotional. Jack and Phyllis' son, Jay (Peri), and their daughter, Cara (Jim) Davis, along with grandchildren, great-grandchildren and many extended family members were there. It appeared to be about 300 people in attendance. After the

service, about 125 joined in a celebration of Jack's life at the bridge club. Barbeque brisket and ham was furnished by the unit and many individuals brought a multitude of side dishes and sweets. We had some wine, cried a bit and told our favorite stories about a man everyone loved very much. We will miss him greatly. Adding to our loss, Phyllis has indicated she will probably move to Austin to be closer to her daughters and youngest grandchildren. It is certainly the end to an era in the South Texas bridge world.
 Thank you to Martha DeCou and the many who helped her put the dinner together. As one gentleman said to Martha, "The next time I have something, I want you to ramrod it!" Bless you Martha for all you do for us.
 Our condolences also to Burt Allen on the loss of his wife, Doris. Burt and Doris were in Corpus Christi for Jack's memorial service, so it really was a shock to our unit to hear of her death so soon after they were here. Doris directed our fall sectional in Rockport. Things ran smoothly and she was such a gracious lady. We will certainly miss her.
 There are some special games coming up on Tuesday night. March 20 will be a stratified Swiss Team and April 17 will be the annual awards party with pizza and wine for all. If you got an award, come get your prize and hear your name called. If you didn't get an award, you can just come and drink wine! The regular Tuesday game will follow the awards presentation.
 October is tournament time. The Jack Mehrens Memorial Regional will be October 30-November 4 at the Omni Hotel. Please see our ad for details. Martha DeCou is tournament chairperson and Ann Crumpler is partnership chairperson.
 Los Amigos Club of Laredo held their annual award luncheon on December 7. The most points award winner was Bessie Dodier. She was presented with the club trophy. Bessie also won last year. Way to go! Anita Macdonald was second, Joyce Norton came in third and Laurie Goldberg was fourth. Congratulations to all. January high point winners were Beverly Cantu and Diana Lecuons.

2006 District 16 Mini McKenney Winners



David Dyer



Patricia Sears

100 to 200 Masterpoints

1. David Dyer, Houston 264
2. Patricia Sears, Fort Worth 246
3. Tony Morinello, Arlington 245
4. Edwin Bain III, Houston 220
5. Ronald Sears, Fort Worth 218
6. Francis Chang, Fort Worth 197
7. Zachary Brescoll, Mansfield 193
8. Roger Marlatt, Houston 186
9. Patricia Marchman, Garland 175
10. Sarah Hardin, Montgomery 171
11. Laura Nash, Stephenville 168
12. Jeri Quinton, Ft Worth 164
13. Sam Dodson, Houston 162
14. Harriette Bowles, Austin 157
15. Caroline Baumann, Georgetown 154
16. Glenda Cooper, Irving 147
17. Ken Quinton, Ft Worth 145
18. Adam Ruprecht, Austin 133
19. Paula Wissman, San Antonio 132
20. Linda Marlin, Houston 132



Philip Duterme



David Pearlman

200 to 300 Masterpoints

1. Philip Duterme, Bellaire 394
2. David Pearlman, Trophy Club 310
3. Jo Ann O'Malley, Katy 246
4. Joseph Gill, Richardson 234
5. Daksha Adhia, Missouri City 210
6. Mickey Tryon, Arlington 204
7. Stephen Hibbard, Arlington 196
8. Karen Tabak, Sugarland 195
9. John Lai, Houston 190
10. Jim Harp, Dallas 177
11. Tom Pearce, Dallas 174
12. Kevin Pfeiffer, Dallas 174
13. Terry Harrison, Houston 163
14. Gary Larson, San Antonio 159
15. Becky Mosely, San Antonio 159
16. Rebecca Hyzer, Houston 155
17. Joe Jarone, Sugar Land 152
18. Ralph Herz, Houston 149
19. Barbara Atkins, The Woodlands 144
20. George Richards, Austin 144



Sandra Parker



Anita Cokins

300 to 500 Masterpoints

1. Sandra Parker, Sugar Land 312
2. Anita Cokins, Austin 292
3. Pam LaShelle, Round Rock 273
4. Theron Lindsey, Houston 239
5. Robert Arnett, Houston 228
6. Penny Mixon, Arlington 227
7. Karen Nimmons, Houston 202
8. Linda Anthony, Austin 200
9. Joe Black, Austin 199
10. Diana Rogers, Austin 198
11. Charles Ensor, Seabrook 185
12. Jeff Dater, Dallas 173
13. Bonnie Shea, Plano 168
14. Susan Griffith, Houston 164
15. Hugh Miller, Houston 164
16. William Griffith, Houston 164
17. Lorraine Little, Fort Worth 159
18. Tom Nute, Fort Worth 158
19. Joyce Garner, Pearland 157
20. Irene Oppenheim, Midland 155



Kurt Brescoll



Brady Allen

500 to 1000 Masterpoints

1. Kurt Brescoll, Mansfield 296
2. Brady Allen, Dallas 291
3. Phil Brown, San Antonio 283
4. Bill Gervais, Cypress 283
5. Elizabeth Ghrist, Houston 270
6. Robert Donathan, Austin 243
7. Mary Anne Woessner, Montgomery 237
8. Margot Hirsch, Arlington 235
9. Steven Tuggle, Pearland 213
10. Ervie Freeman, Houston 208
11. John Taylor, Lago Vista 200
12. Sue Gerard, Mexico 200
13. Thomas Trudeau, San Antonio 196
14. Lucy Terrill, Houston 189
15. Jim Chaffee, Fort Worth 189
16. Chuck Gillis, Houston 189
17. Phyllis Giffin, San Antonio 184
18. Mary Ann Belden, FL 180
19. Irene Baker, Houston 178
20. Arline Meyers, Beaumont 168



Bob Hamman



Chris Compton

10,000 + Masterpoints

1. Bob Hamman, Dallas 1035
2. Chris Compton, Dallas 990
3. Bart Bramley, Dallas 818
4. Shawn Quinn, Houston 813
5. John Zilic, Houston 807
6. Dan Morse, Houston 708
7. Mildred Breed, Austin 696
8. John Sutherlin, Dallas 649
9. Miguel Reygadas, Mexico 611
10. Peggy Sutherlin, Dallas 472
11. Tobi Sokolow, Austin 454
12. Petra Hamman, Dallas 450
13. Thomas Peters, Grapeland 434
14. Steve Shirey, Fort Worth 410
15. George Pisk, Manchaca 396
16. Edward Groner, Houston 372
17. Hugh Hillaker, Grand Prairie 358
18. Esta Van Zandt, Houston 311
19. John Mohan, Mexico 294
20. George Rosenkranz, Mexico 199

Meyers, John Smalley and Nancy Smalley. A 749er club champ game starred Martha Darden & Edwina Landrum, 1st overall in A and B, Marilyn Maxum & Patsy Pierce, 2nd and Jack Evans & Jan Niederstadt, who placed 3rd in A, 2nd in B and 1st in C. In a Unit charity championship game held on January 8, Tipton Golias & Merrill Lott took 1st and Flo Gillispie & Martha Sigler were 2nd. Bill Ginger & Don Holst placed 3rd and Dr. B. and John Smalley tied for 4th/5th with Shirley Chapman and Ernestine Fisher, who were 1st overall in B and C. Jean Davis & Julie Thedford were 2nd overall in B and C.

The month of January was our rainiest if not consistently coldest in modern history, but the event on the 20th brightened everything for all area players: Arline Meyers' *life master* party. Arline has never gone to any out of town tournaments. Years ago, she had over 500 points but not enough gold. Then, a few more years passed and she had enough for *silver life master* but still needed gold. Then, in a few more years of playing, and by last October, she needed only a fraction of a gold point. Here at our Spindletop Regional, with her long-time partner, Joan Hataway and friends Flo Gillispie & Martha Sigler, she garnered over *thirty-three gold points*. Our studio was transformed with black & white decorations, the food was simply great-even a chocolate fountain for fresh strawberries. A record 25 tables were in play. Flight A winners in this event were: Verna & Wilbur Dahlquist, 1st overall, Jayne Eisen & Marian Jones, 2nd, and A. Bharathi & Tipton Golias, 3rd. B winners were: Dessie Crow & Edna Mazzola, 1st, Loretta Gary & Mary Jo Nix, 2nd and Noel Buff & Ron Stueber, 3rd. C winners were: Lynn Adamchik & Ozzie Osberg, 1st, Andy Lewis & Sarah Smith, 2nd and Dana & Joan Burnett, 3rd. On January 12, the Thursday Morning Club celebrated birthdays for: Vivian Breedlove, Liz Karnicki, Paul Keedy, Bill Lucas, Edna Mazzola and Julie Thedford. Warmer weather is on the way.

Unit 353
Wichita Falls

Shirley Bond

Unit 353 has been very busy making plans for 2007. We consider our Unit very fortunate to have numerous dedicated and hard working members. Two outstanding members of Unit 353 are: Wanda Gaynor and Julia Lucas.

It is with great pleasure and pride that our Board of Directors has selected Wanda Gaynor to represent Unit 353 as our Goodwill Ambassador nominee. Her quiet and unselfish devotion to the bridge unit and everyone of our bridge players is remarkable. Wanda has served on the Board of Directors in every elected office. She is in her second decade as a board member and has served as Tournament Co-chair four times. She is in charge of the Monthly Unit Meeting - preparing a substantial meal for the players, transporting all the supplies to and from the playing site, and many times serving as a non-playing director. She

is a dynamic director. She is an excellent bridge player, who will partner with anyone regardless of experience or ability.

Words alone seem insufficient to describe the contributions Wanda Gaynor makes to her church, her family, her friends and Unit 353.

Unit 353 is pleased to select Julia Lucas as our Texas Star honoree. After playing party bridge for many years, Julia took up duplicate bridge in 1995 with beginning lessons at the Bridge Studio with Bettie Ingram as her instructor. She has been an avid duplicate player ever since, so far achieving the rank of Bronze Life Master,

Julia is a skillful and considerate partner, well-liked by all. She has served her unit on the Board of Directors as a member and officer; organized our Unit Christmas Dinner for several years; and she is always one of first people to show up when there is hard work to be done. She does every possible task with skill and good grace.

Newly reelected officers for another term are: President-Gail Simpson; Vice President-Bernie Lange; Treasurer-Susan Brower. Ronni Davis, our newly elected Secretary, replaces Jolene Brantley, who capably served two years as Secretary. Our appreciation to all of our officers for their excellent service.

We were all saddened by the death of Anita Dudenhoefter. Anita lived in Grandfield, Oklahoma, but Unit 353 considered her one of our own because she always played at the Wichita Falls Clubs.

Congratulations to: Susan Couch and Ann Halsell on their recent 78.5% game at the Vernon Duplicate Bridge Club; Dave Hertzog and Ray Renk on their recent 73.61% game at the Bridge Club; Jamie Bourland and Martha Smith on their recent 72% game at the Vernon Duplicate Bridge Games; Leon Vaccarella and Wanda Gaynor on their recent 71.53% game at the Bridge Club; Bill and Babs Kleinecke on their recent 71% game at Bridge-A-Gap; Leon Vaccarella and Tomie Evans on their recent 70.14 % game at Bridge-AGap; and Tom Johnson and Tomie Evans on their recent 70% game at the Bridge Club.

During Bob Cunningham's illness we have been very fortunate to have several dedicated members keep all three games going at the Bridge Club each week. The following bridge players have worked very hard: Susan Brower, Barbara Cunningham, Wanda Gaynor, Dave Hertzog, and Annetta and Leon Vaccarella. Unit 353 appreciates you very much.

Unit 233
Central Texas

Helen Levy

Congratulations to Richard Cunningham who received the Texas Star Award for Unit 233 at the Houston Regional, and to Peggy and Lyndon Phelps chosen by the Unit board for the annual Good Will award.

Eight Flt. B and seven Flt. C teams participated in th Unit GNT Qualifying game Jan. 28. Flt. B winners were: 1. Mary Adams, David Pennington, Puddin Barnes, Bachman Nabors. 2. Caroline

Baumann, Beverly Larsen, Helen Simonette, Sue Strahm. 3. Melody Euler, Genie Kaplan, Jody McMahan, Doug Cross. Flt. C winners were: 1. Anne McKamy, Marcy Cochran, Tom Denson, Lynn Sykes. 2. Shirley Griffith, Genevive Lockley, Olive Ozanus, Diane Mehaffey. 3. Jose Marin, Monty Schriber, Jacque Ekhooff, Meg Tormey. Also qualifying to enter the Flt. B District finals May 26 were Belva Barrington, Ila Bates, Ross Sams, Peggi Kenny, and in Flt. C, Dorothy Dvosky, Gladys Oliver, Betty Guthrie, Ruby Waggoner.

Special thanks to Bobbye Hays for arranging the light lunch and to the ladies who brought sandwiches and cookies.

Welcome new members Shirley Griffith, Genevive Lockley, Ann Malpass, and Glenda Kelley. We are pleased to have you in our Unit.

We are saddened by the death of Maxcene Cure who died Jan. 19, and to former members Doris Fowler and Winkie Sutton who also died in January after long illnesses.

We hope you are enjoying the new membership directory. Please thank Richard Wall who did the computer work and put the book together. We have discovered two telephone errors: Richard Cunninghams No. is 254.778.3957 and Asa Waterman's No. is 254.772.6285.

Unit 197
Lubbock

Sandi Krahmer

I am sorry to report the death of Thelma Bennett. She was a long-time member of our unit and a fine player. She was the winner of several sectional events, and I considered a fine teammate besides a good friend. Even though Thelma moved to San Angelo several years ago, she continued to support our Unit by always sending memorial donations on the death of many of our members. Our sympathy is extended to her family.

Congratulations to our Unit 197 Ace of Clubs and Mini-McKenney winners. They are as follows: Charlotte Bingham-Ace & Mini 0-5; Gina Schultz-Ace & Mini 5-20; Shirlene Kehoe-Ace & Mini 20-50; Anita Woodard-Ace & Mini 50-100; Clyde King-Ace & Mini 100-200; Mary Ann Anthony-Ace & Mini 200-300; Pat Rivers-Ace & Mini 300-500; Sammie Johnson-Ace & Mini 500-1000; Marc Levine-Mini 1000-2500; Carol Schoenhals-Mini 2500-5000; Betty Anthony-Ace & Mini 5000-7500; Bee Ward-Ace 1000-2500; and Bonta Thompson-Ace 2500-5000. Congratulations to all these great players!

Plan to play in our King Cotton Sectional March 30-April 1. Alice Alene Floyd and Marge Chisum will man the kitchen and serve the delicious food that is always provided by many of our members. Come on out and join the fun.

It was good to see Al and Marsha Postar visiting and playing at the Bridge Center recently.

We wish a speedy recovery to Frances Green and to Glenna Esmond. We miss you, ladies! Hurry back soon.

Houston Election Sectional

April 13 - 15, 2007

The Arabia Shrine Temple, 2900 North Braeswood Blvd.



Intermediate/Newcomer Events

Friday, April 13

Stratified 299ers (1 session) 1:30 pm
 Stratified 49ers (1 session) 1:30 pm
 Stratified 299ers (1 session) 7:00 pm
 Stratified 49ers (1 session) 7:00 pm

Saturday, April 14

Stratified 299ers (1 session) 1:30 pm
 Stratified 49ers (1 session) 1:30 pm
 0-5 Pairs (1 session) 1:30 pm
 Stratified 299ers (1 session) 7:00 pm
 Stratified 49ers (1 session) 7:00 pm

Sunday, April 15

299er Swiss 10:30 & TBA
Play as Strati-Flighted Swiss
 Stratified 299ers 10:30 & TBA
The first session is free for players with 0-5 masterpoints.

Stratification

299ers: A: 200-300; B: 100-200; C: 0-100
 49ers: A: 20-50; B: 5-20; C: 0-5

The Candidates

Bob Dowlen
 John Erickson
 Lauri Laufman
 Pat Levy
 Don Morgan
 Gabriel Perry



The Annual Meeting will be held between sessions on Sunday and awards will be presented.

Main Events

Friday, April 13

Stratified Pairs (1 session) 1:30 pm
 Stratified Pairs (1 session) 7:00 pm
 Handicapped KO (Session 1 of 4) 7:00 pm

Saturday, April 14

Handicapped KO (Session 2 of 4) 9:00 am
 *Stratified Pairs (choice of 2) 9, 1:30, 7:00
 Handicapped KO (Session 3 of 4) 1:30 pm
 Compact KO (Session 1 of 2) 1:30 pm
 Handicapped KO (Session 4 of 4) 7:00 pm
 Compact KO Session (2 of 2) 7:00 pm
 Stratified Swiss (1-session) 7:00 pm

Sunday, April 15

Strati-Flighted Swiss 10:30 & TBA
 Stratified Pairs 10:30 & TBA

Stratified Events: A = 1500+;

B = 750-1500; C = 0-750 Non Life Master

Strati-Flighted Event:

A: 3000+; AX: 0-3000;

B: 750-1500; C: 300-750; D: 0-300

A & AX play together; B, C & D play together.

* = Play in any 2 sessions and you can compete for overall awards.

Host Hotel: Holiday Inn
Astrodome/Relliant Park
 8111 Kirby
 713-790-1900
 \$70
 Reservation Cut-Off Date
 March 13, 2007

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FREE Parking ★
FREE Meal on Sunday
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 A dollar from each entry fee goes for Nationals.

San Antonio July 4th Regional

July 2-8, 2007

Omni Hotel

I-10 & Wurzbach - Free Parking!

210.691.8888 or 1.800.843.6664 Bridge Rate \$99



Open Pair Events

Mon	Win-an-Entry Pairs*	7 pm
Tues	Stratified Pairs	1 & 7 pm
Wed	Strati-Flighted Pairs	1 & 7 pm
Thurs	Stratified Pairs	1 & 7 pm
Fri	Strati-Flighted Pairs	1 & 7 pm
Sat	Stratified Pairs	1 & 7 pm
Sun	Stratified Pairs	10:30 am & TBA

Team Events

KOI	Mon 7 pm and Tues 9 am, 1 & 7 pm
KOII	Tues 1 & 7 pm and Wed 1 & 7 pm
KOIII	Wed-Sat 9 am
Strati-Flighted Swiss Teams	Wed 1 & 7 pm
KOIV	Thurs 1 & 7 pm and Fri 1 & 7 pm
KOV	Fri 1 & 7 pm and Sat 1 & 7 pm
Compact KOI	Fri and Sat 9 am
Compact KOII	Sat 1 & 7 pm
Strati-Flighted Swiss Teams	Sun 10:30 & TBA
Stratified Swiss Teams, single sessions	Tues and Sat 7 pm
Board-A-Match, single session	Thurs & Fri 7 pm
Zip KO, single sessions	Tues-Sat 10:45 pm

Tournament Co-Chairs

Janise Saul 210.481.1766 & Jo Grabo 210.382.6211

Partnerships

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Entry Fee

\$12/Mon-Sat; \$13/Sun - Lunch provided on Sunday
 Includes surcharge for Houston 2009 NABC's
 (\$2 more/session for non & unpaid members)

299er Events

Mon	Stratified Pairs	7:00 pm
Tues-Sat	Stratified Pairs	10 am & 3 pm

Senior Pairs (55 or older)

Tues-Sat, 2 sessions	10 am & 3 pm
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Side Game Series

Each side game runs five days Tuesday-Saturday

Your best 2 sessions count toward the overalls

Morning Side Game Series	9 am
Afternoon Side Game Series	1 pm
Evening Side Gam Series	7 pm

Stratification and Flighting

Pair Events: A: 2000+, B: 500-2000, C: 0-500

Strati-Flighted Events: A: 3000+, AX: 0-3000 (play together)

B: 1000-2000, C: 300-1000, D: 0-300 (play together)

KOs may be handicapped and/or shortened to three sessions at DIC's discretion

Marie Bailey

Intermediate/Newcomer Program

Intermediate/Newcomer Chairman

Sherry DiBaggio 210.415.1159

Mon Eve 7 pm

Tues-Sat 10 am & 3 pm (single sessions)

Review of hands after 10 am sessions

A: 200-300, B: 50-200, C: 0-50

Prizes

Section tops for pair games
 Overall prizes for pair games
 Pictures for overall winners
 *Win-An-Entry for any two-session event at this regional.

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