



FEBRUARY, 2008

TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE FOR DISTRICT 5

February 16-17	Cleveland Mid-Winter 299er Sectional
February 29-March 2	Pittsburgh Winter Sectional
March 24-29	Canton – Progressive Qualifier (afternoon)
March 28-30	Seven Cities Sectional (Titusville)
March 31- April 5	Canton – Progressive Qualifier (evening)
April 4-6	Cleveland Ohio Masters Sectional
April 12	Greensburg/Johnstown Spring 299er
April 11-13	Buffalo Spring
April 13	Canton – Progressive Final

Ann McGilvrey Award

It is time to propose candidates for the prestigious McGilvrey Award for sportsmanship and ethics. This award honors a District 5 player, or in some cases a pair, who epitomize(s) ethical behavior and good sportsmanship at the bridge table. On June 8, 1973 the District V bridge community suffered the loss of Ann Lytle McGilvrey, Ralph Vichill and Lee Coito in a tragic boating accident. In honor of Ann's memory, and her reputation as one who exemplified the highest standards of sportsmanship and ethical behavior at the bridge table, the Board of Directors of District V instituted the Ann McGilvrey Award. It is presented at the May regional each year to a player or partnership who reflects those same positive qualities. These recipients are not chosen on the basis of service or bridge ability. Only past winners are invited to participate in the selection process. Typically the selection committee will look for someone who has established a districtwide reputation for active ethics and good manners. Here is a list of previous winners, with the year if known:

William Babb	Yik Young	1998 Alice Lind	2002 Alice Williams
Kay & Richard Barbaris	1986 Elmer Schwartz	1999 Roni Gitchel and Tom Wolstoncroft	2003 Sandra Fleischman
Gail Carnes	1988 Richard Fleischman	2000 Howard Lebow and Mary Paulone Carnes	2004 Pat Rasmus
Irene & Jeff Darrow	1990 John Toy	2001 Jim Zimmerman	2005 Jim Reeve
Robert Freedman & James Mathis	1991 Arthur Goldsmith		2006 Ernie Retetagos
Harry Ganelin	1992 Judi Sonon		2007 Peter Grover
Julia Halloran	1993 Marvin Melamed		
Keyla Lawton	1994 Joe Dragoun		
Grace Moore	1995 Richard Early		
Woody Van Court	1996 Sharon Fairchild		
Joyce Wade	1997 Jan Assini & Nomi Connell		

The deadline for submitting nominations is May 10, 2008. Send to: Roni Atkins, 5419 Aylesboro Ave, Pittsburgh, PA 15217 or email them to gitchelatkins@verizon.net. The 2008 winner will be announced at the All-American Regional in May.

President's Message

by Jim Zimmerman, District 5 President

Happy New Year everyone. I hope that all of you had a happy holiday season. Several players have asked me about the function of the District. District 5 basically runs 9 bridge events including The Rock and Roll Regional in January (Cleveland), the All-American Regional over Memorial Day Weekend (Cleveland/Akron), the Labor Day Regional in Pittsburgh and the Buffalo Regional which is held at different times and locations during the year. In addition, the District sponsors the North American Pairs, the Grand National Teams, and the summer and winter STaCs. The District also hosts the Olympiad every other year in Cleveland/Akron. District 5 also publishes the Fifth Column.

The District has a treasury of over \$100,000 mainly because of the success of the Pittsburgh Nationals. Both the District Executive Board and I feel that the best way to spend this money is to keep the entry fees at the Regionals as low as possible. We are now charging \$10 per session which is a real bargain compared to Regionals in other Districts where some are as high as \$16 per session. We will maintain this rate of \$10 as long as we can. One other place that we will spend the money is for bridge education. A program has been in effect for a year whereby Units can apply for funds directed toward education. If a Unit has an education program or an idea for one, contact either **Arlene Port** or **Dick Early**. Your program could receive a subsidy from the District. The 2008 Officers of District 5 in addition to myself, are **Roni Gitchel Atkins**, Vice-President, **Mary Paulone Carns**, Secretary, **Brian Ellis**, Treasurer and **Sharon Fairchild**, District 5 Representative to the ACBL Board.

The Executive Board consists of the officers plus **Jan Assini**, **Arlene Port**, and **John Toy**. **Dick Rasmus** is the Tournament Coordinator and **Mary Paulone Carns** is the STaC Coordinator. **Bill Holt** is the District 5 Webmaster. Check out what a great website he has produced under acbl.org for District 5. If you have any suggestions or issues, feel free to contact any of them.

There are two District meetings every year where all 13 units can send representatives. It is a dinner meeting held Sunday evening between sessions of the Memorial Day and Pittsburgh Regionals. Each unit can send between 1 and 5 representatives depending on their membership.

On a personal note I would like to congratulate **Sharon Fairchild** on a great year as President of the ACBL. We were all proud of the fact that the President came from our District. Also, thanks to **Dick Early** for his service as Treasurer of the District for 24 years. You deserve your retirement. Dick is, however, going to stay on as Chairman of the Olympiad.



Deadlines for Columns and Tournament Information:

April Issue – March 1
June Issue – May 1
August Issue – July 1

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Erie Excitement

by Lori A Benacci

By now we are ready for winter weather to be over here in Northwestern Pennsylvania. Our next issue will be in April and that sounds good. Of course, you can always forget the weather and attend a challenging bridge game at your favorite club.

In November, **Judie Lamberton**, President of the Erie Bridge Association, wrote in a letter to the general membership of her vision for Unit 127 in the coming new year. Increasing attendance at our games and urging support of the Association were her main themes. Also in December, a survey was completed to help the directors plan for better attendance based on member's availability. **Jim Wise** is now directing on Mondays and Tuesdays and attendance in both Double Trouble Games has been excellent. **Lori Benacci** is directing the Grand Slam Open Game on Fridays and has initiated a Newcomer Game also on Friday morning. This new game has boosted the overall attendance on Fridays. Many new faces are in the building and that is most gratifying to the

Association after all the changes that have taken place since last fall. Our membership has responded by playing more often and their support is appreciated.

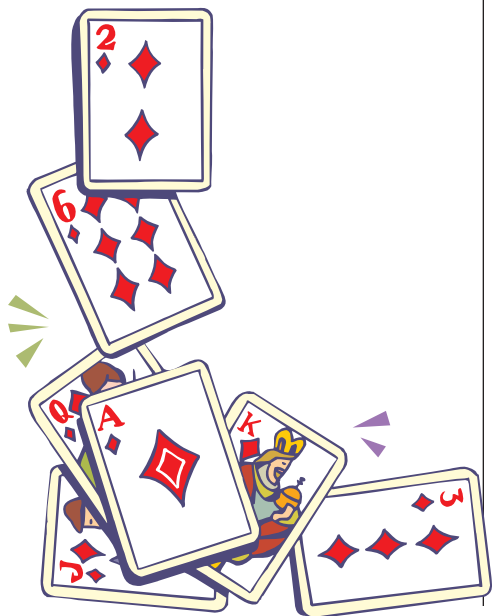
In November, **Pat Smith** announced he accepted a full-time position in the community and would be handing over his Grand Slam games to other directors. He further agreed to direct the Wednesday night and 3rd Sunday Afternoon Unit games on a continuing basis starting in January 2008.

The Yalta Team League sponsored by the Meadville Bridge Club concluded in November. The Flight A winning team included **Mary Ann Dolak**, **Lois DiPlacido**, **Judy Lyons**, and **Jim Davis**. The Flight B winning team included **Elaina Dylewski**, **Kathy Dobrzynski**, and **Lois and Chet Mott**.

At the Christmas Party ProAm Game held on December 12, 2007, **Pat Smith** and **Scott Baldwin** won overall with a 71% game. Eighteen tables in two sections were in play that night. Second Overall winners were **Kay Jordan** and **Lois Buseck**. Finishing Third overall were **Chet Mott** and **Jim Davis**.

TABLE TACTICS

Give some consideration before opening Weak Two Diamond bids in first and second seat. With a weak diamond suit, two features, three or four hearts or spades, or a void: a PASS may be more desirable. Partner may open in third or fourth seat or may overcall in fourth seat and you can use better judgment with your 'problem' weak diamond hand. The opportunity for a major suit part score or game, a game in no trump, or a slam might be missed by opening your hand. However, having most of your point count in the diamond suit, having only one feature, and no four card major, by all means, start the bidding in first or second seat at the two level.



44th Annual Seven Cities
Sectional Bridge Tournament

Northwestern PA, A.C.B.L. Unit #226

cordially invites you to the

CROSS CREEK RESORT

Route 8, Titusville, PA 16354 (4 miles south)



Friday, March 28, 2008

Women's Pairs (1 session)1:30 pm
Open Pairs (1 session).....1:30 pm
Stratified Open Pairs (1 session)7:30 pm
[2000 - ∞, 500 - 2000, 0 - 500]

Saturday, March 29, 2008

Stratified Open Pairs (2 session)12:00 pm & 6:00 pm
[2000 - ∞, 500 - 2000, 0 - 500]
Open Side Game6:00 pm

Sunday, March 30, 2008

Flighted Swiss Teams11:00am & TBA
[victory pt. scoring - (0 - ∞, 0 - 2000, 0 - 500)] (7 matches - 7 boards)

Zip Swiss Teams Fri. & Sat night if enough teams
199er available for any session (5 table minimum)

ACCOMMODATIONS

Room rates: \$45 + tax per person, per night (dbl occupancy)
\$85 + tax per person, per night (single occupancy)

SPECIAL WEEKEND PACKAGE (*no exceptions*)

2 nights - 3 dinners - 2 brunches per person (dbl occupancy)
\$152 + tax per person (+85 single occupancy)
Meal package only - \$ 82 + tax per person



Reservations: 814-827-9611

Tournament Chairman: Steven Grzegorzewski (814) 573-4743
Tournament Co-chairman: Grant Shorts (814) 282-2719
Partnerships: Barbara Grzegorzewski (814) 336-1447

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Akron Alert

by Jim Sullivan

Fall 2007 IMP League – The winners of the Fall session that ended in December were:

Bracket A: 1st **Dick Early, Monica Early, Don Sulgrove, Kathy Sulgrove, Ken Kranyak, & Laurie Kranyak;** 2nd **Marge Baldwin, Pat Chisholm, Chuck Harrison, & Frank Aquila.**

Bracket AX: 1st **John Harper, Jerri Harper, Adele Bianconi, & Walter Bianconi.**

Bracket B: 1st **Judi Shapiro, Marv Shapiro, Sue Roberts, Rick Roberts;** 2nd **Lewis Sage, Gladys Fleming, Gayle Nelkin, & Gary Nelkin.**

Congratulations to all of the winners. Thanks to Don and Helen Brock who did another good job as this season's IMP League co-chairs.

Akron Board of Directors Election

– The election of new Board members will be held at Club games throughout March and conclude at the Membership Meeting on Sunday, March 30. Five Board members are to be selected. Each will be elected for a three-year term. Voting information will be posted on the akronbridge.org web site and published in the Newsletter.

Membership Meeting – Membership Meeting and Banquet will be held at the Quirk Center on Sunday, March 30. Any member who has not yet voted will be allowed to do so prior to the start of the program. The Ace of Clubs, Mini-McKenney, Hugh Weinberg, and Holland awards for 2007 will be presented. Also the new Life Masters will be honored at this event. A Unit Championship game will follow.

The Springtime Sectional – The Springtime Sectional will again be held at the Tadmor Temple on April 25 –27. There will be Stratified 499ers Pairs and Stratified Open

Pairs events at both sessions on Friday, and Saturday. This Sectional will feature a three-session Bracketed Handicap KO Team event, with the first session at 7:00 p.m. on Friday and the final two sessions on Saturday. Times for the Saturday sessions will be 11:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. This should still allow players time for their Saturday night social events. The Sunday event will be a Stratified Swiss Team Game starting at 11:00 a.m. The calculations for the Swiss Team Strats will be the average of the four players with the highest Master Points. This is the same formula that is used in bracketing. If you need a partner for any of the events, contact **Judy Taylor** at jtay1624@sbcglobal.net and phone 330-923-6595. For more information about this tournament contact **Jon Wendelken** at jonwendel@aol.com and phone 330-836-0757. Please pick up a flyer and mark your calendar for this popular event at a great location.

Friday Night Unit Games

– Start your weekend with Bridge at the Friday Night Unit Game. Come on out and enjoy the fun, competition, and hospitality. If you need a partner call **Roy Larson** at 330-334-7002. The schedule is:

Feb. 1 – 7:00 A Unit Championship Game, Dick Early will present a “Chalk-Board Talk”.

Feb. 8 – 7:30 The second Winter IMP League team game.

Feb. 15 – 7:00 A Stratified Pairs game.

Feb. 22 – 7:00 A Stratified Pairs game.

Feb. 29 – 7:30 The third Winter IMP League team game.

Mar. 7 – 7:00 A Unit Championship Game, Dick Early will present a “Chalk-Board Talk”.

Mar. 14 – 7:00 A Stratified Pairs game.

Mar. 21 – No Game – Good Friday

Mar. 28 –7:30 The fourth and final Winter IMP League team game.

Unit 111 News

by Cathy Marsteller

The holidays are a happy time except when we lose a good friend. Not only did our unit lose a great friend, but the bridge world must say good-bye to a wonderful player. Our sympathy goes to **Chuck Coleman** & his family on the death of **Donna** in mid-December. Not only was she very active in her nursing profession, but she was also a certified bridge teacher & an accredited director of club games. In the past she has served as president of Unit 111 and did a great job getting people involved. I still can picture her wearing her cowgirl hat as if it was yesterday. We will meet again soon, but until then, you will not be forgotten!

We also extend our sympathy to **Mike Bugnone** whose brother died this past December.

This past year our unit games had a total of 104.5 tables. Let's beat that total this year. Mark down the following dates.

February 24 and March 16. These are the 2nd and 3rd of 3 scheduled unit games (the first was in January) for 2008. The games all start at noon & players are asked to bring a snack.

I will now report on 3 Christmas parties that took place in our unit. The 1st party was our unit holiday party held November 17 where we were served a very good brunch. Following are the results of the game:

1st OA in A & B – **Brad Sevcik/ Robert Carroll**

2nd OA in A & B – **Brenda Merkich/ Chet Mody**

3rd OA in A – **Sally Veauthier/ James Wheeler**

3rd OA in B, 4th in A – **Cathy Marsteller/ Joe Newton**

1st OA in C – **Agnes Hodge/ Marilyn Zaccaro**

The next party was held at the Warren club on December 14 which was catered by a popular Warren chef - The dinner was great! Results of that party are as follows:

N/S

E/W

1 in A & B **Carole Johnson/ Virginia Knox** 1 in A & B **Millie Artman/ Fran Eggar**

2 in A & B **Cathy Marsteller/ Donna Guerra** 1 in C, 2 in A & B **Serena Nevant/ Agnes Heard**

1 in C **Cathy Abruzzo/ Barb Young**

The last party to be reported on was held on December 15 by the SS club at the A-La-Cart where a delicious breakfast was served.

There were 2 sections. The 1st section had 19 non life master pairs.

1st OA – **Liz Kelly/ Irene Kasmer**

2nd OA – **Jeannine & Norm Howell**

3rd OA – **Mary Wansack/ Jane Edmiston**

The 2nd section had 21 pairs

1st OA in A – **Cathy Marsteller/ Joe Newton**

2nd OA in A & 1st OA in B – **Robert Carroll/ Brad Sevcik**

3rd OA in A – **Sally Veauthier/ Dale Fishbeck**

4th OA in A – **Brenda Merkich/ Diana Richardson**

1st OA in C – **Tony Matrazzo/ Betty Carey**

I offer the following quote from **Eddie Kantar**, " I'm not sure whether glory or masterpoints is first on the list, but I know that learning to play better is definitely last!" Let's turn that quote around in the year 2008. See you at the bridge table.

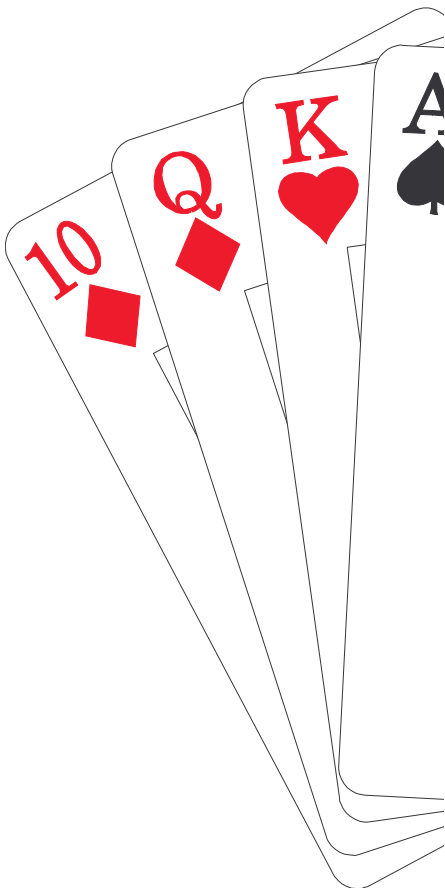
Pittsburgh Potpourri

by Mary Anne McNeirney

It is New Year's Day. I have just returned from church and am writing my article just as I did at the same time in November. Again I'll have a weather comment. Last time I commented on the oddness of the plants in bloom. This time the weather seems normal. It's cold out there and the snow falls. Last time I told you we would have a wonderful sectional, STaC Week, and parties. My crystal ball was totally on target and our bridge world enjoyed two wonderful months ... First, we gloried in the nicest sectional I've ever attended; our fall event at the Masonic was a total class act. **Ken** and **Barb Bergman** showed all who attended how sectionals should be done. Organization and elbow grease expended without letup were evidenced throughout the weekend.

The hospitality was lavish, diversified, delicious, and continuous. The area was tidied throughout the event. As the official "welcomer" of the players, I heard not one complaint. I'm going to brag a bit, too. As partnership chairman, all my pairs and teams got points. Also, **Darlene Mannheimer's** novice program was a great success. If bridge players did not enjoy the tournament, they weren't there. Here are the winners in each Event: Friday Afternoon Open: **Jim Klein** and **Jack Charles**. Friday 199ers: **Jim Fox** and **Frank Siffrin**. Friday Evening Open: **Alex Bealles** and **Henry Nelson**. Friday Evening 199ers: **Judith Perman** and **Joe Rzodkiewicz**. Handicapped Bracket I Knockouts: **Fran Feldman**, **Bill Holt**, **Bob Park**, and **Bob Quinlan**. Bracket II: **John Bernhard**, **Carol Bolen**, **Bob Kleinman**, and **Paula Shrut**. Bracket III: **Marian Cohen**, **Sue McQuillan**, **Jean Picone**, and **Freda Rosen**. Compact Knockout winners were **Barb Belardi**, **Cecilia Powell**, **Marian Smith**, and **Judi Sonon**. Saturday Open winners; **Wayne Obitz** and **James Gray**. Saturday Afternoon 199er winners: **Thomas Morris** and **Arlene O'Connor**. Saturday Evening 199ers: **Leslie Cassloff** and **Jackie Cavalier**. Sunday Open Swiss: Flight A – **Mary** and **Gail Carns**, **P.**

J. Prabhu, and **Asim Ulke**. Flight B – **Catherine** and **Paul Caplan**, **Pete Howell** and **Bob Zimmerman**. Flight C – **Felice** and **Herb Brody**, **Sally Levin**, and **Amy Lowenstein**. The 199er Swiss was won by **Barbara Gallupe**, **Gail Perez**, **Joanne Szymeccki** and **Susan Weld**. It was quite pleasing to notice that the first 19 master-point leaders hailed from the Pittsburgh Unit. Here are the first 5 leaders and their points earned: **Mary Carns** – 26; **Gail Carns** – 24.27; **Asim Ulke** – 22.27; **Bill Holt** – 18.18; and **Robert Park** – 18.18. We are proud of all our achievers and grateful to those who made all the fun a reality.



The STaC Games were also a fabulous opportunity for fun and points, Here are all our first place District V event winners; Monday Afternoon Open Pairs – **Joe Brady** and **Frank Cordier**; Daytime 99ers – **Bill Rapport** and **Mark Chernoff**; Tuesday Daytime 199ers – **Forrest Umber** and **Bette Jones**; Tuesday Evening Open – **Lou Joseph** and **Alan Lefcort**; Wednesday Afternoon Open – **Harold** and **Judy Haffner**; Wednesday Individual – **Kitty Jo Hellman**; Friday Afternoon Open – **Ron Franck** and **Jane Marshall**; Sunday Swiss – **Roni Atkins**, **Judy** and **Harold Haffner**, and **Arlene Port**. Unit 142 players, as you see, gathered many silver points. We thank all whose efforts made this happen.

Because of some health inconveniences, I have to miss the 2008 Rock'n'Roll Regional. I am sorry as I look forward to the games and the enjoyment engendered in the interaction with the many bridge friends I've made over the years. I hope all of you gained points, friends, and fun. I also hope you all make it to our sensational winter sectional 2/29 to 3/2. Grand things will greet you at the Palisades. Encourage all your newer players to join the frivolity. A splendid newcomer program is one of the priorities of the event. Hospitality and a friendly welcome await all our bridge groupies

Tri County Themes *By Alex Bealles*

Hi 229'ers. The big news this issue is the officer/board election held at our December unit game/holiday party. Our officers are:

President: **George Cross**
Vice-President: **Mary Lou Ford**
Secretary: **Bee Betke**
Treasurer: **Ruth Nelson**

Serving two year terms on the board are:

Kay Amalia
Helen Brydon
Mary Lou Ford (VP)
June Winkle

Serving one year terms on the board are:

Helen Greenberg
Patsy Bachman
Ruth Nelson
Bruce Curry

Several 229'ers did well at the Pittsburgh Fall Sectional. **Henry Nelson** and **Alex Bealles** came in first overall in the Friday evening Open Pairs. **Janice Smith**, **Doris Hess** and their teammates won the Compact KO consolation. In the 199'er Swiss on Sunday, **Brina Segal** and **Gary Marcus'** team came in second.

At our November unit game, **Iola Croner** and **Sid Steiner** came in first N/S and first overall. Coming in first E/W were **Jim Wheeler** and **Sally Veauthier**. At the December game, **Henry Nelson** and **Alex Bealles** came in first overall and first E/W. **Sally Veauthier** and **John Samarco** came in first N/S. Hope everybody did well in Cleveland. Results from that tournament and the Ace of Clubs and Mini-McKinney winners in the next issue. Until then, mjbalex@aol.com

Whistfully Yours *by Bev Carter*

ALL YOU 0-299R'S IN ALL THE UNITS IN OUR DISTRICT (and even those of you reading this that are not in our District) ... GET OUT YOUR CALENDARS AND MARK THESE DATES for Unit 125's first ever 0-299'r SECTIONAL TOURNAMENT.

It will be held at:

SOLON VALLEY PARTY CENTER
6340 Melbury Ave. Solon, OH

We have planned some great events and hospitality especially for you. On:

Saturday, February 16th:

Lecture by area expert – 11:00 am

Flight Open Pairs (Play through)

– 11:30 & 3:30 pm

A (100-300) B (50-100) C (0-50)

Sunday, February 17th:

Lecture by area expert – 11:00 a.m.

Stratified Swiss Teams – 11:30 a.m.

(100-300) B (50-100) C (0-50)

Hand records will be reviewed after each session

Enjoy Unit 125's wonderful hospitality

Lunch Saturday and Sunday; bagels on Sunday morning

Entry Fees

Pair Games \$8.00* per session per person

Team games \$84.00* per team includes buffet for four, extra meals available

*Extra charge for non-member players

If you need a partner, please contact: **Laura Ross 440-248-1340**

In other news: Elections for our Board of Directors will be held at the March Sectional. If you are interested in giving back some of your talents to further the game of bridge in our area, please contact Barb Bacon 440/331-8702 right away, or if you know of someone you think would make a great board member, let us know and we will contact them for you. Five new persons will be chosen to take the place of our outgoing members: Chet Jain, Donna Largent, Chantal Whitney and Martha Wilk. We thank them for their time and effort over the past 3 years.

The Unit website whistclub.org is being taken over by Kathy Sulgrove. If you haven't visited the site recently, take a look and let us know what you think. If you have information, comments, changes, suggestions, etc. that you would like to see implemented, please let her know. She can be reached at: 330/425-7631 or by email at dsulgrove@aol.com.



RESULTS

Unit 116 Weeklong Cheektowaga, NY 11/5-11/07

Mon Aft Open – 9 Tables

A B C

- 1 Stan Zions – B. Ruth Hnath
- 2 Sophie Chess – John Vincent
- 3 1 1 Kathy Morrison – Janet Nazar
- 4 2 2 Margaret Dykstra – Elaine Gill

Tues Morn Strat Open Pairs – 8 Tables

A B C

- 1 1 Michael Kiesel Jr – W Ganley
- 2 2 1 Eleanor Whelan – Carlton Stone
- 5 4 2 Judith Bailey – Laurette Oak

Tues Morn NLM Prs – 13 Tables

A B C

- 1 Bruce Bronstein – Jack Miller
- 2 Steve Shanley – Steve Rashkin
- 5 1 Janice Butler – Nancy Russell
- 6 2 1 Anne Astmann – Jayne Freeman
- 4/5 2 Mercedes Reinbolt – Robert Lederhouse

Tues Aft Strat Open Pairs – 11 Tables

A B C

- 1 Robert Linn – S Luke Danielson
- 2 Jim Mathis – Randolph Seidenberg Jr
- 3 1 Joan Henrikson – Carol Leroux
- 4 2 Judith Padgug – Robert Padgug
- 5/6 3 1 Marietta Kalman – Bruce Bronstein
- 4 2 Mercedes Reinbolt – Robert Lederhouse

Wed Morn Strat Open Pairs – 7 Tables

A B C

- 1 Randolph Seidenberg Jr – Beverly Cohen
- 2 Dan Gerstman – John Toy
- 3 1 Charles Schorr – Paul Libby
- 4 2 Bill Finkelstein – Alexandra Miller
- 4 1 Nancy Kessler – Carlton Stone
- 2/3 Ruth Mulligan – Carol Leroux
- 2/3 Cleveland Fleming – Ross Markello

Wed Morn NLM Prs – 8 Tables

A B C

- 1 1 James Buford – Sara Buford
- 2 2 Marilyn Hayes – Andy Fairweather
- 3/4 3 1 Peter Patterson – Linda Burroughsford
- 2/3 Marilyn Sultz – Joyce Greenspan
- 2/3 Joe Miranda – Usha Khurana

Wed Aft Strat Open Pairs – 8 Tables

A B C

- 1 1 Susan Edwards – Allan Edwards
- 2 Judith Marshall – Judith Padgug
- 5/6 2/3 1/2 Helen Panza – Paula Kotowski
- 5/6 2/3 1/2 Ed Drozen – Bruce Bronstein

Thurs Morn Strat Open Prs – 5 Tables

A B C

- 1 1 1 Nancy Kessler – Carlton Stone
- 2 Daniel Foley – Nita Ferrell
- 4 2 2 Nancy Mulhall – Murray Shapcott

Thurs Morn NLM Pairs – 13 Tables

A B C

- 1 1 Elizabeth Metz – Marietta Kalman
- 2 2 Dennis Glazebrook – Viola Heywood
- 1 Ruth Wurster – Marilyn Sultz
- 2/3 Stan Zions – Terri Zions
- 2/3 Allen Wirch – Ron Ferguson

Thurs Aft Strat Open Pairs – 11 Tables

A B C

- 1 Judith Marshall – Bill Finkelstein
2 Carolyn Siracuse – S Luke Danielson
4 1 John Vincent – Grace Boadway
5 2 Nancy Mulhall – Murray Shapcott
4 1 Mercedes Reinbolt – Robert Lederhouse
2 Sandra Scheff – Mike Silverman

Fri Morn Strat Open Pairs – 7 Tables

A B C

- 1 Jim Mathis – Beverly Cohen
2 Judith Marshall – John Toy
4 1 Harold Meyers – Nancy Russell
5/6 2/3/1/2 Nancy Mulhall – David Hawkins
5/6 2/3/1/2 Judith Bailey – Kit Nash

Fri Morn NLM Pairs – 9 Tables

A B C

- 1 Ross Markello – Shirley Cassety
2 1 Mike Silverman – Sandra Scheff
5 2 Christopher Loat – Bill Nash
3 1 Ruth Kozower – Nadine Stein
5 2 Mercedes Reinbolt – Ruth Wurster

Fri Aft Strat Open Pairs – 10 Tables

A B C

- 1 1 1 Christopher Loat – Bill Nash
2 2 2 James Buford – Sara Buford

Sat Morn Strat Open Pairs – 9.5 Tables

A B C

- 1 John Toy – Randolph Seidenberg Jr
2 Bill Finkelstein – Robert Linn
4 1 Lana Creal – Douglas Megill
5 2 1 Dennis Glazebrook – Viola Heywood
6 3 2 Sushil Amlani – Lucille Riley

Sat Swiss – 8 Tables

A B C

- 1 Mike Silverman – Bruce Burr – Ross Markello – Cleveland Fleming
2 1 Nancy Kessler – Carlton Stone – John Ricotta – Judith Padgug
3 2 Joan Henrikson – Carol Leroux – Vince Sollazzo – Elizabeth Sollazzo
1 Shea O'Loughlin – Catherine Kinsella – Richard Watson – S Roberts

Sat Aft Strat Open Pairs – 4 Tables

A B C

- 1 1 1 Elizabeth Vanhorn – Jane Romal
2 Janet Frisch – Rosemary Richert
3 2 2 Paula Salamone – Lucille Riley

Sun Morn Strat Open Pairs – 5 Tables

A B C

- 1/2 Betty Dorio – Curtis Hallis
1/2 Janet Frisch – Rosemary Richert
3 1 1 Dale Anderson – Thelma Daughtry
4 2 2 Stan Zions – Terri Zions

Sun Morn Swiss – 5 Tables

A B C

- 1 Cleveland Fleming – Judith Marshall – Shakeel Ahmad – Manju Ceylony
2 1 1 Nancy Kessler – Eleanor Whelan – Charles Schorr – Carlton Stone

Sun Aft Swiss – 7 Tables

A B C

- 1 Cleveland Fleming – Judith Marshall – Shakeel Ahmad – Manju Ceylony,
2 1 1 George Donsky – Chester Fell – Elizabeth Metz – Marietta Kalman
3 2 2 Nancy Kessler – Eleanor Whelan – Charles Schorr – Carlton Stone

Pittsburgh Fall Sectional

Pittsburgh, PA

November 9-11, 2007

Friday Aft Open Pairs – 37.5 Tables

A B C

- 1 James Klein – Jack Charles
- 2 1 1 Alan Colker – Lynne Colker
- 2 Lawrence Evans – Peggy Shivettis
- 2 David Livingston – J Livingston

Friday Aft 199er Pairs – 8.5 Tables

D E F

- 1 James Fox – Frank Siffrinn
- 2 Joseph Rzodkiewicz – Judith Perman
- 3 1 1 Gale Perez – Joann Szymecki
- 5 2 2 Sheldon Widlan – Marilyn Widlan

Friday Evening Open Pairs – 25 Tables

A B C

- 1 1 Henry Nelson – Alexander Bealles
- 2 Roslyn Sachs – Herbert Sachs
- 4 2 Raymond Kramer – Istvan Bardi
- 5 1 Kathleen Mulligan – Daniel McKinley
- 6 2 John Pickett – William Banks

Friday Evening 199er Pairs – 6 Tables

D E F

- 1 Joseph Rzodkiewicz – Judith Perman
- 2 1 Dev Meyers – Russell Sheldon
- 4 2 Elaina Dylewski – Stephen Dylewski

Handicapped Bkt 1 – 6 Tables

- 1 Robert Quinlan – Francine Feldman – William Holt – Robert Park
- 2 Kenneth Bergman – Barbara Bergman – Jane Marshall – Ronald Franck

Bracketed KOs BKT 3 – 6 Tables

- 1 Susan McQuillan – Jean Picone – Marian Cohen – Freda Rosen
- 2 Donald Toy – Cleman Rosenberger Jr – Richard Krauland – Mark Krauland – Russell Poppleton

Handicapped Teams – Bkt 2 – 6 Tables

- 1 Carol Bolen – Paula Shrut – Joseph Secka Sr – John Bernhard – Robert Kleinmann
- 2 David Kresh – Cathi Kresh – George Spine Jr – Beverly Ann Spine

Compact Bkt 1 – 11 Tables

- 1 Barbara Belardi – Judi Sonon – Marion Smith – Cecilia Powell
- 2 William Cornwell – Sally Veauthier – William Riley – Nancy Riley

Saturday Aft 199er Pairs – 12 Tables

D E F

- 1 Thomas Morris – Arlene O'Connell
- 2 1 1 Evelyn Sobol – Florence Chapman
- 5 2 2 Thomas Donehoo – Robert Heasley III

Compact Bkt 1 Cons – 5 Tables

- 1 Maureen Hunt – Louise Rippee – Lois Kort – Elizabeth Balucha
- 1 Janice Smith – Marlene Mc Connell – Doris Hess – Dorothy Mehok

Saturday Open Pairs – 18.5 Tables

A B C

- 1 1 1 Wayne Orbitz – James Gray
- 2 Mary Paulone Carns – Asim Ulke
- 6 2 Jack Goodykoontz – Vicki Goodykoontz
- 3 2 Herbert Heller – Sally Kellar

Saturday Eve 199er Pairs – 4 Tables

D E

- 1 Leslie Cassoff – Jacqueline Cavalier
- 2 1 Guy Conti – Andrew Batiuk
- 2/4 Shirley Eskew – Gloria Hetzer
- 2/4 Willa Dean Lowery – Nolly Chess
- 2/4 Dev Meyers – Russell Sheldon

Stratified Open Swiss Teams – 35 Tables

- 1 Mary Paulone Carns – Gail Carns –
Padmanabha Prabhu – Asim Ulke
- 2 1 Robert Zimmermann – Peter Howell
– Catherine Caplan – P Caplan
- 7 2 Donald Averbach – Faye Adelsberg –
Mary Anne McNeirney – Laurie Igiel
- 5 1 Amy Lowenstein – Sally Levin –
Felice Brody – Herb Brody
- 2 Janice Schultheis – Sandra Harris –
Dennis Pittman – Bharat Shah

Stratified 199er Teams – 11 Tables

- D E F
- 1 1 1 Gale Perez – Joann Szymecki –
Susan Wald – Barbara Gallupe
- 2 2 Jeannie McCormick – Gretta
Donnick – Brina Segal – Gary
Marcus
- 3/4 2 Russell Sheldon – Sylvia Williams –
Harvey Notarius – Dev Meyers

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Monday Afternoon Pairs – 10 Tables

- A B C
- 1 1 Marc Jacobson – Suzanne Wintner
- 2 2 1 Sondra Cristal – Sue Rubin
- 4 4 2 Linda Silverberg – Natalie Silverberg

Monday Daytime Open Pairs – 126 Tables

- A B C
- 1 Frank Cordier – Joseph Brady
- 2 Dorothy Murray – Nell Burney
- 3/4 1/2 Carol Cooperider – John Viola
- 3/4 1/2 Liia Margolis – Barbara Horowitz
- 11 1 Albert Jennings – Marilyn Painter
- 2 Marietta Kalman – Tova Reinhorn

Monday Daytime Small Club – 4.5 Tables

- A B C
- 1 Larry Long – J Tscholl
- 2 1 1 Retha Lakins – Barbara Hale
- 3 2 2 Phil Laier – Jerry Potter

Monday Daytime 99ers – 11 Tables

- A B
- 1 1 Bill Rapport – Mark Chernoff
- 2 2 Florence Chapman – Evelyn Sobol

Monday Evening Open Pairs – 25 Tables

- A B C
- 1 Joan Rose – Christine Urbanek
- 2 1 Patricia Kiser – Connie Boyce
- 6 2 Joanne Schumacher – Betsy Wilson
- 5 1 Carol Steele – Charles Bisesi
- 2 James Buford – Sara Buford

Monday Evening Small Club – 4.5 Tables

- A B C
- 1/2 Steven Grzegorzewski – Marc
Sylvester
- 1/2 1 George Cross – Alexander Bealles
- 3 2 C Nicholas Tredennick – A Martin

Tuesday Daytime Open – 84.5 Tables

- A B C
- 1 1 S Luke Danielson – Vincent Pesce
- 2 2 Michael Kisiel Jr – Paul Ganley
- 7 1 Eila Hattendorf, – Vera Dombcik

Tuesday Day Small Clubs – 3 Tables

- A B C
- 1 Shirley Lundstrom – Emily Hennen
- 2 Jean Fletcher – Bonnie Pruitt

Tuesday Daytime 299ers – 5.5 Tables

- A B C
- 1 Maggie McNamara – Joe Miranda
- 2 1 1 Dorothy Soong – Marilyn Sultz
- 3 2 2 Rose Bochiechio – Evelyn Vitello

Tuesday Daytime 199ers – 8.5 Tables

A B C

- 1 Forrest Umbel – Bette Jones
- 2 Harvey Notarius – Russell Sheldon
- 3 1 Mary Henry – Bill Henry
- 4 2 Janet Tilton – Jane Blackburn
- 5 3 1 Margaret Austin – Gloria Snyder
- 2 Betty Weightman – Miriam Douglas

Tuesday Evening Open Pairs – 32 Tables

A B C

- 1 Louis Joseph – Alan Lefcort
- 2 1 Janice Schultheis – Sandra Harris
- 4 2 Barbara Adams – Nina Lietzow
- 1 Barbara Logan – Robert Logan
- 2 Carol Beardmore – Dale Fishbeck

Tuesday Eve Invitational – 11.5 Tables

A B C

- 1 1 Roy Larson – Jim Pivarski,
- 2/3 Judith Vittone – Sheryl Herschok
- 2/3 Doris Bridenbaugh – Jacquelyne Plummer
- 4 2 Beverly Konovsky – Dorothy Lappin
- 5 1 Gary Procaro – Jim Tedrick
- 2 Barbara Marracino – Larry Marracino

Tuesday Eve Small Clubs – 4 Tables

A B C

- 1 John Vastine – Erna Pavick
- 2/3/1/2 Mary Lou Vermerris – Wayne Ward
- 2/3/1/2 James Buford – Sara Buford

Wednesday Daytime Open – 52.5 Tables

A B C

- 1 Harold Haffner – Judy Haffner
- 2 Jane Marshall – Frances Prus
- 1 1 Elaine Zweig – Alan Colker
- 2 Douglas Megill – Mark Pascale
- 4 2 Bernadine Bonessa – Jane Weiss

Wednesday Daytime Invitational – 33 Tables

A B C

- 1 Kathy Eisner – Brian Ellis
- 2 1 1 Barbara Cunliffe – Stephanie James
- 4 2 Barbara Gelfand – Joseph Kalk
- 6 4 2 June Shapiro – Hilda Wilkoff

Wednesday Day Small Clubs – 8.5 Tables

A B C

- 1 1 1 Carol Wise – Lawrence Wise
- 2 2 Bruce Bronstein – Carlton Stone
- 3 3 2 Karen O'Hara – Arnold Galmtiz

Wednesday Evening Open – 34 Tables

A B C

- 1 Lloyd Loux – Larry Long
- 2 1 John Bernhard – Carol Bolen
- 3 2 1 Newton Taylor – Grace Moore
- 6 4 2 Earl Edwards – W Hickmott

Wednesday Eve Small Clubs – 12 Tables

A B C

- 1 Lynn Rafferty – Alexander Bealles
- 2 Jane Crowley – Herman Feldman
- 3 1 Sam Den – Elmer Pierce
- 4 2 Samuel Mineo – Joan Zona
- 4/5 1 Istvan Bardi – Judit Bardi
- Dev Meyers – Sylvia Williams

Wednesday 299er Game – 5 Tables

A B C

- 1 Charles Bisesi – John Spooner
- 2 1 Bobbie Varble – Mike Varble
- 3 2 1 Jane Pendley – Wanda Gavriluk
- 4 3 2 Mary Ann Warner – Robert Warner

Wednesday Eve Individual – 2 Tables

- 1 Kitty Jo Hellmann
- 2 Kathleen Miller

Thursday Daytime Open – 94 Tables

A B C

- 1 1 Dexter Schleusener – Dilip Maniar
- 2 Susan Stark – Roger Tiktin
- 5 2 James Bridenbaugh – Martin Kumer
- 7 3 1 Fenton Harrison – Jack Miller
- 4 2 Elayne Rupert – Russell Kalbrunner

Thursday Daytime Small – 10.5 Tables

A B C

- 1 1 Donna Guerra – Cathy Marsteller
- 2 2 Rebekah Clocker – Susan Bedall
- 3 3 1 Anna Magee – Muriel Oswald
- 5 4 2 Agnes Heard – Agnes Hodge

Thursday Afternoon Inv – 5 Tables

A B C

- 1 1 1 Nancy McCormack – Ann Wieland
- 2 2 2 Carolyn Karch – Elizabeth Eells

Thursday Evening Open – 35.5 Tables

A B C

- 1 Chet Mody – Vernon De Jong
- 2 Larry Long – Richard Early
- 4 1 1 Betty Metz – Carol Bedel
- 2 2 Elaine Dylewski – Stephen Dylewski

Thursday Evening Small – 8 Tables

A B C

- 1 1 1 Doug Megill – Lana Creal
- 2/32/3 Cleman Rosenberger Jr – Donald Toy
- 2/32/3 Lorraine Worsley – Henry Nelson
- 5 5 2 Janice Smith – Fran McCarren

Thursday Evening 299ers – 4.5 Tables

A B C

- 1 Bette Jones – Forrest Umbel
- 2 1 Gloria Hetzer – Harvey Notarius
- 3 2 Lynn Bullions – Ronald Christiansen

Friday Daytime Open Pairs – 71.5 Tables

A B C

- 1 Ronald Franck – Jane Marshall
- 2 Stan Dub – Phillip Becker
- 3 1 Morton Rubin – Paula Rubin
- 4 2 Ann Lantz – Fred Lantz
- 7 3 1 Fred Yellen – Chongmin Zhang
- 2 Ruth Hughes – Marilyn Schwing

Friday Morning 199ers – 4.5 Tables

A B

- 1 Robert Lane – Richard Kerr
- 2 Laura Ross – Janet Auwerter
- 3 1 Eleanor(Hap) Kidder – Fred Kidder
- 4 2 Arnold Galmitz – Larry Combs

Friday Daytime Invitational – 11 Tables

A B C

- 1 1 Cheryl Halpern – Harriet Kitay
- 2 2 1 Ruth Cahn – Mickey Christgau
- 4/5/4/5 2 Nancy Fingerhut – Hilma Robinson

Friday Evening Open Pairs – 38.5 Tables

A B C

- 1 Mickey Vastine – Robert Dykes
- 2 Barbara Klein – James Klein
- 5/61/2 Joel Roteman – Micki Roteman
- 5/61/2 1 Janice Schultheis – Bharat Shah
- 4 2 Frank Siffon – James Fox

Friday Evening Small Club – 3.0 Tables

A B C

- 1 Christy Kellogg – Linda Burroughsford
- 2 Diane Jeffrey – John Bielinski

Saturday Daytime Open Pairs – 54.5 Tables

A B C

- 1 1 Barbara McBride – Edwin Dibert
- 2 Robert Linn – Michael Kiesel Jr
- 4 2 Ruth Baum – Barbara Smith
- 1 Debra Anne Glamack – Jeffrey Bender
- 2 Douglas Megill – Lana Creal

**Saturday Evening Open Pairs –
9.5 Tables**

A	B	C
1		Mickey Vastine – Chuck Ladiha
2	1	Karl Zaman – Joanne Schumacher
3	2	1 Roy Larson – Richard Dickey
4	3	2 Thomas Stopak – Kenneth Hamilton

**Saturday Evening Mixed Pairs – 8.5
Tables**

A	B	C
1	1	1 Cynthia Coddington – Woodie Coddington
2	2	2 Clark Knierman – Mary Knierman

**Sunday Daytime Open Pairs – 5.5
Tables**

A	B	C
1		Dale Anderson – Bill Finkelstein
2	1	Marie Suprinick – Cleveland Fleming
3	2	1 Gloria Brown – Jim Brown
3	2	Jean Sullivan – Anna Edwards

Sunday Swiss Teams – 12 Tables

A	B	C
1		Roni Atkins – Asim Ulke – Arlene Port – Harold Haffner – Judy Haffner
2		Robert Quinlan – Constance Hoechstetter – Robert Park – Jean Prior
4	1	Ami Elis – Nurit Elis – Theresa Wagner – Susan Portnoy
2		Janet Wolper – Joan Shapiro – Corinne Slifkin – Marjorie Mazer
1		Janice Smith – Mary Lou Flach – Rita Gavert – Joanne Mujwit

