

OCTOBER, 2007

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Erie Excitement

Our Fall Sectional is scheduled for the weekend of October 6-7, 2007 at the Erie Bridge Center on Grant Avenue. For information, contact **Judie Lamberton** 814-838-7637. Plan to attend for two great days of events and hospitality.

Many teams from the Erie area are traveling to the Meadville Bridge Club at St Brigid's Church for the Yalta Team League. Thanks to **Steve** and **Barb Grzegorzewski** for hosting this event for the second year. 16 teams in two brackets are competing once a month for 6 months. What a great time!

The Annual Meeting and Betty Davis Trophy Game were held on July 15, 2007. **Marc Sylvester** and **Judie Lamberton** won overall with 20 tables in play.

New EBA Board 2007-2008

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Please send greetings or phone those members of our club who no longer attend our games. At one time, they were our mentor and best supporters. They encouraged us over the years. Take time to remember them now.

TABLE TACTICS

Over-calling weak 5-card suits

- Often allows opponents to more easily find a 3NT contract.
- 2. Partner may lead your weak suit rather than a better natural lead.
- 3. Pass smoothly. Opponents may bid your 5-card suit with four and possibly end up in a 4-3 fit in your suit!

2007 Olympiad by Dick Early

The 2007 Olympiad had record breaking attendance at 71 tables – almost twice as many as 2005. Thank you to all who attended.

Of the units who attended, five recorded Olympic Points and Cleveland was once again the convincing winner. But they definitely had competition. The Pittsburgh Unit had two Gold Medalists but not enough team members to assist – finishing second.

The Cleveland Unit was led by **Betty Williams** of North Royalton, Ohio and **Leo Mann** of Lakewood, Ohio earning them the MVP Trophies.

The overall finishes:

	Saturday – A	ft.	Saturday – Eve.	Sunday
Gold Medal	Ami Elis Nurit Elis (Pittsburgh)		Betty Williams Leo Mann (Cleveland)	Steven Nolan David Kresh (Pittsburgh)
Silver Medal	Doris Kirsch Marc Sylvest (Erie)		John Wright Betty Wright (Cleveland)	Barbara Schidlowski Judy Saccogna (Akron)
Bronze Medal	Dan Silverbe Linda Rocke (Cleveland)	U	Robert Carroll Bradley Sevcik (Youngstown)	Constance Bogan Leo Mann (Cleveland)
Top Fit. B	Betty William Leo Mann (Cleveland)	ns	William Jaras Carol Jaras (Cleveland)	Murray Edelman Marilyn Edelman (Cleveland)
Top Fit. C	Kathleen Sev Rick LaMan (Cleveland)		Lansing Fake David Rodgers (Cleveland)	Kathryn Dobrzynski Elaina Dylewski (Erie)
Team Points:	Cleveland Pittsburgh Erie Akron Youngstown	19.47 8.36 5.27 3.00 2.05		

Congratulations to all winners. See you in two years.

Deadlines for Columns and	Send Items To:
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Tri-County Themes by Alex Bealles

Although you are reading this in October, as the leaves are changing and the weather is turning colder, I am writing this on the eve of the Labor Day regional in Monroeville. This is always a special time for me, and hopefully for a lot of you, too. It was the first tournament I ever attended and for many years was the only regional tournament in which I had ever played. I always enjoy going there and seeing bridge friends and acquaintances whom I rarely have a chance to see otherwise. Memories of past tournaments also bring a warm feeling whenever I walk into the room. Hopefully, a lot of Unit 229 members will have made their own fond memories this year. A full presentation of your successes will follow in the next issue.

The biggest bridge event for our unit was our annual sectional in July. Once again, the response from volunteers was fabulous and many, many rave reviews were garnered for the wonderful food you made. Several of our members also did well there at the bridge table. On Saturday evening, Nancy Welsh finished second in Flight B. In the same event, Jean Brackett and Patsy Bachman finished second in Flight C. Dolores Kelly finished third in C on Saturday evening. Also on Saturday evening, Kevin Hall finished first in the 199'er game. Dolores Kelly's team finished first in Flight C in the Sunday Swiss.

At our August Unit game, **Dolores Kelly** and **Louise Kylander** came in first E/W and first overall with a huge game, well over 70%. **Henry Nelson** and **Alex Bealles** came in first N/S. As an aside, Henry and Alex also came in first overall on Saturday evening at the Wheeling sectional in August.

Congratulations to **Bill Stewart** of Butler who achieved Junior Master status in August.

Here's my Top 5 list of bridge annoyances.

#5 People who don't pass the boards when the round is called. This would be higher but I'm allowing for the possibility that they are concentrating so hard that they don't hear the round being called.

#4 Women who tap their fingernails on the table while playing the hand. Before you start complaining of sexism, let me say that I would gladly include men here if any had ever done this to me. Tapping fingers and other eccentricities are bearable but that incessant clicking drives me bananas when I'm trying to think.

#3 Coffee cups on the table. What happens nearly every session we play at? Why do people still do this?

#2 People who ask you to pass boards while you are still playing and before the director has called the round. It is very disconcerting to have your train of thought broken in the middle of a difficult hand. The people who do this regularly wouldn't appreciate it if you did it to them.

#1 People who regularly beat me. You know who you are.

Until next time, mjbalex@aol.com.

Whistfully Yours by Bev Carter

The Scholarship Committee received 10 applications this year and presented awards at the August Sectional in Solon (which, by the way, almost didn't happen. One of the players happened to run into one of the center's employees at her exercise class that morning and commented, "I'll see you this afternoon." He said, "No, you are scheduled for the 24th and 25th." A panicked phone call to one of the chairpersons followed. Sure enough, the party center had the wrong dates, even though our contract was correct. Luckily the site was available, but worse yet, the person having the key was on their way to Columbus. We were envisioning hundreds of people milling about the parking lot with no place to play. Unit President Barb Bacon rallied the troops, access was gained and 75 card tables and chairs were hurriedly set up. Whew!!!)

The Sectional went off as scheduled with most of the players unaware there was ever a

Thanks to Barb, Bob Bartko, problem. Sharon Fairchild, Jim Novak and Helene Weiss for getting us "good to go"!!!

Back to scholarships: A little over \$4000 was given out. Those receiving awards were Claire Doman, Loyola, majoring in International Studies; Elavne Nowak, Denison University, majoring in Biology; Dana Phelan, Kettering University, majoring in Mechanical Engineering; Kelly Phelan, Longwood University, majoring in Early Education; Elementary Laura Robertson, University of Miami, majoring in Psychology: Dennis Ouigney, Lakeland College, majoring in Cartography; Pamela **Quigney,** Ohio Wesleyan University, majoring in Secondary Education-mathematics; Greg Sadowski, Cornell University, majoring in Computer Science; Nicole Scholtz, Cleveland State, majoring in Biology; and Alex Simko, Otterbein College, majoring in Sports Management. We wish all these fine young people the best of luck in their future careers.

Chostly Bracketed KOs

SPOOKTACULAR October 16-21 **Buffalo Regional**

Adam's Mark • Buffalo NY

TUESDAY, October 16

1t, 2nd and 3nd rounds Full Moon 299er Stratified Pairs 9 am 1:30 pm 7:30 pm 9 am Phantom Series I Pairs 1:30 pm 7:30 pm Spooky Stratified Open Pairs Coblin Series Pairs 1:30 pm 7:30 pm

WEDNESDAY, October 17

Jack O Lantern AM Bracketed KOs 9 am 1st of 4 rounds Full Moon 299er Stratified Pairs 9 am 1:30 pm 7:30 pm Phantom Series I Pairs

1:30 pm 7:30 pm Black Cat Bracketed KOs 1st and 2nd of 4 rounds 1:30 pm 7:30 pm 1:30 pm 7:30 pm 7:30 pm Werewolf Stratified Open Pairs Coblin Series Pairs Monster Mash Swiss Teams

THURSDAY, October 18 Jack O Lantern AM Bracketed KOs 9 am

2nd of 4 rounds Full Moon 299er Stratified Pairs 9 am 1:30 pm 7:30 pm Phantom Series I Pairs Black Cat Bracketed KOs 1:30 pm 7:30 pm

3rd and 4th of 4 rounds Broomstick Stratified Open Pairs 1:30 pm 7:30 pm 1:30 pm 7:30 pm Haunted House Strat. Open Swiss Tms Goblin Series Pairs 1:30 pm 7:30 pm

FRIDAY, October 19

9 am 1:30 pm 7:30 pm Jack O Lantern AM Bracketed KOs 9 am 3nd of 4 rounds Full Moon 299er Stratified Pairs 9 am 1:30 pm 7:30 pm

Phantom Series I Pairs Trick or Treat Bracketed KOs 1:30 pm 7:30 pm 1^{st} and 2^{nt} of 4 rounds Cats & Bats Stratified Open Pairs 1:30 pm 7:30 pm 1:30 pm 7:30 pm Spider Web Series II Pairs Bubbling Cauldron Swiss Teams 7:30 pm

SATURDAY, October 20

Jack O Lantern AM Bracketed KOs 9 am 4th of 4 rounds

Full Moon 299er Stratified Pairs 9 am 1:30 pm 7:30 pm Phantom Series I Pairs Trick or Treat Bracketed KOs 1:30 pm 7:30 pm 3rd and 4th of 4 rounds

1:30 pm 7:30 pm

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11 am

Zombie Compact KOs Skeleton Stratified Open Pairs Spider Web Series II Pairs

SUNDAY, October 21

Bewitching Stratiflighted Swiss Teams PLAYTHROUGH Seven 7-Board Matches Stratified Events Stratum "A" Stratum "B" 2000+ 500-2000 Stratum "C" 0 - 500Stratiflighted Events Stratum "A1 0-3000 Stratum "B" 1000-2000 Stratum "C" 300-1000 Stratum "D" 0-300

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FREE PARKING!

If you would like to contribute to this very worthy fund, please contact **Donna Largent** at 216/267-5448. Entertainment 2008 Books are sold in October to benefit this fund. See your Club Manager or any member of the Scholarship Committee to purchase yours.

The Scholarship Fund is a 501C3 entity so all your contributions are tax deductible. Memorial donations are remembered by placing the name on our memorial plaque which is displayed at all Unit events.

Summer IMP League has ended with 20 teams participating. Bracket A (9 teams) winners were: Marge Baldwin, Pat Chisholm, Lloyd Loux and Gary Sikon. Winners of Bracket B (11 teams) were: Bill Alcorn, Bev Carter, Gary Collins and Bill **Dickinson.** Overall final results, as well as those of our August Sectional, can be viewed on our website whistclub.org. By the time you read this, the winter version, Vichill League will be playing. Subs are always needed, so if you didn't sign up in time to play, you can still sign up to sub by contacting Dick Burgess, 440/1729-2392. Make sure you check the CWC schedule on our web site (shown above) for play dates, otherwise you may show up thinking it's a pairs game when it's really a team game

New Life Masters are: Michael Furlan, Euclid, Vivian Shanafelt, Medina, Leslie

Green, Lakewood, Molly Jaffe, Beachwood and Bradley Sevcik, Olmsted Falls. New Bronze Life Masters (500 points) are: John Hanson, Solon, Patrick Holden, Hudson, and Joan Ann Waletzky, Beachwood. New Silver Life Masters (1000 points): Edna Marx, Beachwood, Irene Harpst, Cleveland, Harriet Kitay, Solon, Eva Lefton, Cleveland, Joanne Schumacher, Strongsville and Toby Sternheimer, Aurora.

For those players new to bridge, **Fran Mulkins** has started a 0-1999 game on Thursday evenings in North Olmsted. She offers a short lesson followed by an evening of bridge. Contact her at 440/353-6931. The Cleveland Whist Club in Broadview Heights will again be offering free "newer to bridge" lessons and lectures starting in the fall. Lessons will be followed by a 0-299'r game. Contact **Bev Carter at** 330/722-8214 for information or to sign up.

As always, we end with the following bridge "wisdom":

You know you are in trouble when the first thing your opponents do is draw trumps and you are the declarer.

Slow players take note: a card must be played the same day it is dealt!



A STaC is a Sectional Tournament at Clubs. This is how it works:

A **STaC** is essentially a SECTIONAL Tournament except that the individual sections of the SECTIONAL take place at individual clubs, at or about the same time, instead of together at one large location.

Every game at every participating club you attend during **STaC** Week may be part of the tournament. The results of the game you play in will be combined with the results from all of the other clubs playing at the same time and one giant OVERALL will be tallied.

Let's say that Olean, Canton, Greensburg, Cumberland and Parkersburg are all playing at the same time. Scoring is first done on a club-by-club basis and SILVER points awarded for each section. Then the results of all four games are combined as if everyone were playing under one roof. Highest percentage score is first overall, next is second overall, and so forth. Because you are competing against so many people, you can earn a lot of points. All of them, whether they are section awards or overall awards, will be SILVER. Yes, it will cost a little more to play in a **STaC** game. ACBL sanction fees are higher and a director must be paid to coordinate the gathering and issuing of points.

District 5 Winter STaC

December 3rd – December 9th, 2007 Additional information can be found at the following website: http://www.d5bridge.com/STaC.htm

Players, make sure your favorite club is participating!
Club managers, be sure to sign up!

Unit 111 News by Cathy Marstellar

First I have some old news to report. **Bill Schaffer** and **Pat Agresta** had a 76% game at the Canfield Club that I neglected to report. WOW, what a game to have someone forget to publish it!

Several members of Unit III took advantage of the Olympiad held in Cleveland. **Bradley Sevcik** and **Robert Carroll** earned bronze medals, and captured three Olympic points for the Unit. Unfortunately, the Unit did not score overall. The next Olympiad will be held in 2009—it's a really good deal. Dick Early reviews all of the hands played and answers all questions.

In August there were some points won at Solon. In the Friday evening open pairs the winners were **Sally Veauthier** & **Bill Cornwell** with a huge game of 66%. In Bracket! KOs **Robert Carroll** & **Brad** were 1st, collecting another 10 MPs. In the Sunday Swiss Ax we had a second place team – **Vern DeJong, Dee Bloom, Pauline Sostarich,** & **Rosemarie Muccio.**

We had a few members of our unit attend the Nashville national tournament. **Millie Artman** had a few section tops. I understand that **Flora Sniderman** won some KO's. **Bill** and **Shirley Schaffer** collected several points, but their proudest time was when they played in the mini-Spingolds. They were seeded 132 and they played the #2 seeds and only lost by 4! This goes to show that a win is not always a win. This, though a loss, was sweeter than many wins!

August 26 was party time at the SS club. **Brad Sevcik** was honored for his achievement of becoming a life master! There was lots of fun, food & bridge. Results of that game:

NS

- 1. Brenda Merkich/Chet Moody
- 2. Bill Orton/Bill Cornwell
- 3. Irene Lenno/Nancy Tripodl
- 4. Sally Veauthier/Mary Kundus
- 5. Jim Robers/Agnes Hodge

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- 1. Maureen Irwin/Fran Egger
- 2. N. Michael/P. Neidlinger
- 3. B. Billino/T. Matrazzo
- 4. D. Guerra/G. Knox
- 5. R. Carroll/B. Sevcik

I am writing this having just returned home from the tournament – I do not know the results from Sunday & Monday. One thing I do know is that this tournament has far surpassed previous regionals. The hospitality was terrific & the prizes were plentiful with such a variety (they were very nice & useful!) This was a great job by their committee!

As always our unit did well. Bern Olmstead & Lynn Rafferty won the compact KO's & were 4th overall in the Open Pairs. Also overall was Mike Bugnone who played with a New York partner and was 2nd in B. Coming in 4th overall in C were Carole Beardmore & Dale Fishbeck. Receiving section tops were Vern Dejong & Dee Bloom, Sally Veauthier & Bill Cornwell, Rae Oltean & Alice Williams, Cathy Marsteller & Joe Newton. Also scratching were Beth Anderson & Robert Carroll.

Brad Sevcik was awarded a \$500 scholarship from the district. That reminds me – congrats are in order to Brad's mom – **Kathy Sevcik** – as she & **Rick LaManna** will be married by the time you read this! I am sure we had some winners in Sunday's game & in Monday's swiss, but they haven't happened yet. We have 2 more promotions in our unit. **Ron Carter** is now a club master and **Flora Sniderman** is an NABC master. Great job

The unit holiday party will be held at the Blue Wolf (new name & owners, but the same place as last year) on Saturday Nov.18, at 11AM. Cost will be \$12.50.

The SS party will also be a brunch at the A La Carte in Canfield. It will be from 10AM till 4PM. The cost will be somewhere around \$16 and must be paid with reservation to either **Shirley Schaffer** or **Marge Cooksey.**

The Warren Christmas party will be held around 5:30 PM Friday evening, Dec 14.

This year we are having it catered by the chef from the Buckeye club and the food promises to be spectacular! It will be held at our new home in the Scope Center. Exact price not yet set, but will probably be around \$22 (depends on our final menu selections). Reservations can be made by calling me at 330-652-7265 or email me at cmarsteller@neo.rr.com.

Overheard at the bridge table:

South: Alert! East: Yes?

South: I'm requested to further

misdescribe my hand.

See you at the bridge table!!

Pittsburgh Potpourri by Mary Anne McNeirney

"It's a beautiful day in the neighborhood."

This quote from Fred Rogers describes the bridge games we encounter at club games, sectionals and regionals throughout our district. Our players are enjoying competition, friendship, and hospitality. Volunteers are the lifeblood of our bridge world; offer your skills. Your help is needed and appreciated. One bridge player at the Regional told Day she would have been happy to help if asked. Consequently, I am asking. Run for the Boards, donate your time, your culinary talents, your cleanup abilities, and your money. Take this challenge and keep the bridge neighborhood in sparkling condition.

It is my duty to inform you of the recent deaths of two outstanding volunteers: **George Lampropolos** and **Roger Hansen.** George wrote the original bylaws for our unit, co-chaired two Nationals in Pittsburgh, served many years on the 142 Board, was President of the Unit, and was one of the finest gentlemen to grace the

My favorite story of his bridge adventures: George's wife made an effort to limit his bridge time. It was rare to see him at the clubs two days in a row. he accomplished this. When questioned as to how it occurred, he explained, "She asked me to take the garbage out and I kept on going." The Greensburg Board will hold a Memorial Club Championship for him. If I can, I will attend. Roger was a fine gentleman, a wonderful partner, and a dear friend. He played bridge at most three times a week; sometimes he couldn't get even one in. Nonetheless, he got his company, MORGAN STANLEY DEAN WITTER FUNDS, to sponsor two of our sectionals, and provide us with both registration gifts for all who attended and section top prizes for the winners. We will miss both and extend our sympathy.

The Labor Day regional is now history. What a wonderful event it was. Roni Atkins, Judy Haffner, and Lou Joseph have every reason for pride in this tremendous success. Although numbers were down, the opportunity for every bridge

player to have a grand time was there. The hospitality was spectacular. **Barb** and **Ken Bergman** are incredible. They provide abundant taste treats with style and dash. The prizes were imaginative and appreciated. The Partnership Desk, led by **Alice Williams**, was busy and successful. All the workers who made this fun possible earned our thanks.

The Olympiad was also a grand success. **Dick Early** and his crew deserve our kudos for providing this event for our newer players. All the Unit 142 players who participated in it made a point of informing me of how good a time they enjoyed and how helpful it was in broadening their bridge understanding. Our players were second in the competition, and **Steve Nolan** earned the Gold Medal as the best player. We delight in both achievements.

Another thing we have to celebrate is the supervised play bridge game with players with less than 10 points held at Rodef

Shalom in August. This was Arlene Port's brainchild, and she poured energy and heart into making it work. By the third week, the players, who had never encountered duplicate previously, were playing in tempo, keeping score and often getting to the right contracts. Arlene thanks her helpers: Lou Joseph, Judy and Harold Haffner, Reanette Frobouck, Roni Atkins and Marge Tamres for their aid in the program's success. Many of these bridge hatchlings will enter duplicate competition.

Please mark your calendars for our fall sectional. It will take place at the Masonic Center in the North Hills November 9-11. **Barb** and **Ken Bergman** are the Co-Chairs. You can expect great organization, stupendous hospitality, and wonderful competition and fun. There is a full newcomer schedule. **Darlene Mannhimer** (412-429-1147) will do novice pairings and I will do the regular partnerships(412-922-1136); come and enjoy.

RESULTS

District 5 Summer STaC

D5 Localities

June 11-17, 2007

Monday Morning/Afternoon 199er Pairs – 12.0 Tables

- A B C
- l 1 1 Arlene Johan Arlene Neft
- 2 2 Carol Nathenson Margaret Oconnell

Monday Morning/Afternoon 299er Pairs – 10.5 Tables

- A B C
- 1 1 Bernard Goodman Susan Goodman
- 2 2 Deena Strome Phyllis Froimson
- 5 4 1 Robert Hexter Ann Kiggen
 - 6 2 Natalie Silverberg Peter Gray

Monday Morning/Afternoon Invitational Pairs – 9.5 Tables

- A B C
- 1 1 Audrey May Lille Mortensen
- 2 2 1 Joan Avery Mary Jo Desmond
- 3 3 2 Elisabeth Alexander Carolyn Karch

Monday Morning/Afternoon Open Pairs – 112.5 Tables

- A B C 1 Jerome Rolnick – Roger Tiktin
- 2 1 Jane Black Betty Hitchcock
 3 2 Roslyn Sachs Myron Swartz
- 8 4 1 Beverly Cawley James Cawley 10/126/7 2 Joane D'Antonio – Margie Tiglio
- Monday Evening SP1 Pairs 4.5 Tables
 - A B C
 1 1 Bonnie Goodman Peter Miller
- 2 Phillip Becker Niel Waletzky
 - 3 2 Richard Burgess Geraldean Jones 2 Marilyn Doman – Ildiko Baxter

Monday Evening Open Pairs - 23 Tables

- A B C 1 1 Richard Kalo – John Veldhuizen
- 2 2 F Plunkett Patricia Cunkelman 4 4 2 Roy Larson – Richard Dickey

Tuesday Morning/Afternoon Invitational Pairs – 5.0 Tables

- A B C
- 1 1 Mary Kay Covington McKinley Whittlesey
- 2 2 1 Joan Oviatt Susan Hall
- 4 4 2 Joanne Lane Robert Lane

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JANUARY 16-20, 2008

Wednesday, January 16

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AM Brackeled Handicapped KO'S I (I/1 OF 4 sessions.)	9.00 AM
AM Side Game Series (#1 of 4)	9:00 AM
Bracketed KO's I (first 2 of 4)	1:30 and 7:30 PM
Stratified Open Pairs (2 sessions)	1:30 and 7:30 PM
Stratified Side Game Series I (1" session)	1:30 PM
Stratified Side Game Series II (1st session)	7:30 PM
Stratified Non-LM Pairs (single sessions)	1:30 and 7:30 PM
Single Session Swiss Teams	7:30 PM

Thursday, January 17

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AM Bracketed Handicapped KO's (#2)	9:00 AM
AM Side Game Series (#2 of 4)	9:00 AM
Stratified Open Pairs (2 Sessions)	1:30 and 7:30 PM
Bracketed KO's I (#'s 3+4)	1:30 and 7:30 PM
Stratified Open Swiss Teams (2 sessions) (VP)	1:30 and 7:30 PM
Stratified Side Game Series I (2 st session)	1:30 PM
Stratified Side Came Series II (2" session)	7:30 PM
Stratified Non-LM Pairs (single sessions)	1:30 and 7:30 PM
Late Night Mini-KO's	TBA

Friday, January 18

9:00 AM
9:00 AM
1:30 and 7:30 PM
1:30 and 7:30 PM
1:30 PM
7:30 PM
1:30 and 7:30 PM
7:30 PM
TBA

Saturday, January 19

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AM Bracketed Handicapped KO's (# 4)	9:00 AM
AM Side Game Series (I/4 of 4)	9.00 AM
Bracketed KO's II (#'s 3+4)	1:30 and 7:30 PM
Strati-flighted Open Pairs (2 Sessions)	1:30 and 7:30 PM
Stratified Side Came Series I (4" session)	1:30 PM
Stratified Side Game Series II (4th session)	7:30 PM
Stratified Non-LM Pairs (single sessions)	1:30 and 7:30 PM
Late Night Mini KO Teams	TBA

Sunday, January 20

Swiss Teams (2 sessions) 11:00 AM A and AX are separate and not bracketed. Flight B 0-1500 teams are divided into brackets by points and play a round robin within their brackets.



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The Tradition Continues

Low, Low Entry Fees
\$10.00 per ACBL member per session.
\$12 for unpaid and non-members

Stratified Open (0-750, 750-2000, 2000+)
Strati-flighted A unlimited (stands alone A2 = 0-3000 A1=3000+) B= 750-1500, C-500-750, D-0-500
Non-Life-Master(0-100,100-300, 300-NLM)

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There will be a special reception for Non-Life Masters between sessions Friday with a discussion of hands from Friday afternoon

Win a trophy for most points won in Non-LM Events

Great Cleveland Hospitality!

Non-smoking with one hospitality break per session

Tuesday Morning/Afternoon Open Pairs - 65 Tables

B C Α Donald Rop - Edia Shai 2 Margery Tamres - Donald Averbach 4 Dottie Burk - Dick Miller 1 Judit Bardi – Clifford Needham Jr 5 Rose Marie Cassmer - Dolores Stavcer

Tuesday Evening SP1 Pairs - 11.5 Tables

B C Α 1 Kyra Hayn - Joy Stones 2 Vic Vertes - Marlene Zinamon Donald Moyer - Katy Moyer 3 1 2 1 Judith Shapiro - Marvin Shapiro 6 4 2 Bob Whyler - Sherry Rosenfeld

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Α	В	C	
1	1		Barbara Grzegorzewski – Steven
			Grzegorzewski
2			Asim Ulke – Judy Haffner
4	2	1	Sheryl Hershock – Jackie Crowe
	5	2	Linda Conner – Emilie Burr

Wednesday Morning/Afternoon Invitational Pairs - 43.0 Tables

A B C 1 1 Hope Ellis - Kathy Eisner Cheryl Halpern - Harriet Kitay 2 2 Nancy Fingerhut - Hilma Robinson 5 5 2 Judy Hanna – Martha Thompson Kurt Rusch - Jack Schwartz

Wednesday Morning/Afternoon SP1 Pairs -4.5 Tables

A R C 1/2 1 1 Arnold Galmitz - Karen O'Hara 1/2 Bernard Hevman - Mariorie Loewenthal Dan Flanagan - Roy Larson

Wednesday Morning/Afternoon Open Pairs -52. 5 Tables

Α B C 1 1 Doris Bridenbaugh - James Bridenbaugh Theodore Sandson - Marion Smith 2 2 Jean Prior - Susan Konig 3 Leonard Stern - Milton Weiss 2 Lorraine Murphy - Joan Craig

Wednesday Evening Individual Game – 2 **Tables**

Jacquelyne Plummer Marian DeBone

Wednesday Evening SP1 Pairs – 3.5 Tables

Α B C 1 1 1 Kevin Siyaneri - Nithi Siyaneri 2 2 Thomas Hodous - Nancy Raley Elizabeth Byrd - Leland Byrd

Wednesday Evening Open Pairs - 55.5 Tables

A B C 1 Lloyd Loux - Sukumar Roy 2 Nancy Michael - Maureen Irwin 1 Rande Short - Charles Smith 2/3 1/2 Lana Creal - Douglas Megill 2/3 1/2 Leslie Cassoff - Jacqueline Cavalier

Thursday Morning/Afternoon Invitational Pairs – 9 Tables

в с Α Jacqueline Hallack - Ruth Friedman 1 1 Caroline Morgan - Joan Daley

Thursday Morning/Afternoon SP1 Pairs – 4 **Tables**

Α В 1 Cathy Marsteller - Lynn Rafferty 2 Rosemarie Muccio - Bernard Olmstead Sally Taylor - Nancy Van Fossan Cathy Abruzzo – Barbara Young Agnes Heard - Doris Thomas 2/3

Thursday Morning/Afternoon Open Pairs - 90 **Tables**

Δ в с Jean Sulzberger - Janet Marshall 1 1 1 2 David Frohlich - Ami Elis 2 Robert Werner - Thomas Herrick

Thursday Evening SP1 Pairs - 4.0 Tables

B C 1 Frank Cymerman - Warren Oberfield 2 Gail Carns - Mary Paulone Carns

Thursday Evening Open Pairs – 36.5 Tables

Α B C 1 1 J McElree – Berniece Auell 2 2 Doug Megill - Mark Pascale 3 Joyce Goodman - William Grant 3/4 Don Lindquist – JOJO Lindquist

Friday Morning 99er Pairs - 4 Tables

Α В 1 David Handke - Marcia Handke Martie Black - Arnold Galmitz 2 3 2 Dick Kerr - Cynthia Reece;

Friday Morning/Afternoon Invitational Pairs -18.5 Tables

Α B C 1 1 Phyllis Hershman - Iris Zahler Mitzi Sands - Susan Stark 2 Arlene Loveman - Susan Loveman 3

Friday Morning/Afternoon Open Pairs – 42 Tables

Α B C 1 1 Lawrence Evans - Linda Evans 2 Aubrey George - James Williams Nancy Davis - Robert Davis 2 3 Roy Larson - Dennis Young 6

Mary Jane Lazenga - Vicki Axtell

Friday Evening Open Pairs - 41.5 Tables Α B C

1 Patricia Katz - Richard Katz 2 1 1 David Allison - Juanita Allison Henry Essig - Arthur Ehrler 5 2 2 Charlene Benedict - Mary Jo Johnson

Autumn Sectional



AKRON UNIT 107 October 5-7, 2007 Site: Tadmor Temple 3000 Krebs Drive, Akron, OH



Friday, 1:30 p.m.

Stratified Open Pairs Stratified 499ers A 2000+, B 1000-2000, C 0-1000 A 300-500, B 100 -300, C 0-100

Friday, 7:00 p.m.

Stratified Open Pairs Stratified 499ers 1st of 3 Sessions A 2000+, B 1000-2000, C 0-1000 A 300-500, B 100 -300, C 0-100 BRACKETED Handicap KO Teams

Saturday, 11:00 a.m. New Time

2nd of 3 Sessions Stratified Open Pairs Stratified 499ers BRACKETED Handicap KO Teams
A 2000+ B 1000-2000, C 0-1000
A 300-500, B 100 -300, C 0-100

Saturday, 3:00 p.m. New Time

3rd of 3 Sessions Stratified Open Pairs Stratified 499ers BRACKETED Handicap KO Teams A 2000+, B 1000-2000, C 0-1000 A 300-500, B 100 -300, C 0-100

Sunday, 11 a.m. New Event

Stratified Swiss Teams A 2000+, B 500-2000, C 0-500

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Sanction # S0710026

COST \$8 per player per session

\$80 per Sunday Swiss Team (includes 4 lunches) \$2 Extra charge for non and unpaid ACBL members

HOSPITALITY
AFTER Friday Evening Session
BEFORE Saturday Morning Session
BETWEEN Saturday Sessions
BEFORE Sunday Morning Session

Saturday Morning/Afternoon Open Pairs - 35.5 **Tables**

1 Jack Shapiro - Stan Dub 2 Jerome Rolnick - Frank Aquila 4 Nancy Brown - William Riley Sally Leone - Nancy Frampton Lynda Gillinov - Myra Weiss Paula Madvid - Evelyn Charna

A B C

Saturday Evening Open Pairs – 10 Tables

B C 1 John Viola - Susan Craney 2 Rick LaManna - Kathy Sevcik Gary Sikon - Leo Mann 2 Barbara Bisesi - Charles Bisesi

Lake Cable Sectional

Canton, Ohio June 22-24, 2007

Open Pairs - 23.5 Tables

Α	В	Ü	
1			Lloyd Loux – Pat Chisholm
2	1		Brad Helman – Carol Ann Kuhlke
5	2		Henry Essig – Philip MacFarlane
		1	Charles Wen – Rita Davis
		2	Jo Ann Oelschlager - Wilton Workman

Friday Evening Open - 20.0 Tables

A B C Bernard Olmstead - Lynn Rafferty Lloyd Loux - Pat Chisholm 2 Doris Mikstay - Janice Smith 6 1 Flo Hinshaw - Jon Wendelken 2 John Wright - Betty Wright

Saturday Afternoon 299ers – 4 Tables

ВС 1 Ronald Gasper - Darlene Gasper 1 1 2 Marilyn Johnston - Mary Jane Smail Gary Nelkin - Gayle Nelkin 2 Ruth Braidic - Mary Lou Baker

Saturday Afternoon Open – 32 Tables B C

1 Marjorie Baldwin – Pat Chisholm 2 Jim Bachelder - Jeanne Martin Michele Allen - Lillian Allen 5 1 2 Richard Troadon - Steve Griffin Robert Schake - Kathy Kriss 3 1 6 2 Charles Wen - Rita Davis

KO Teams Bracket I – 5 Tables

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- Bernard Olmstead Vernon De Jong Lynn Rafferty; Chet Mody
- Molly Fainer Barbara Kotton Roz Wolf Nicholas Ogan

KO Teams Bracket II – 8 Tables

- Roy Larson Jack Hickey; James Pivarski Jr, Donald
- Judith Taylor Carol Helderlein Shirley Kmet Retha Lakins

Saturday Evening Open - 28.5 Tables

A B C 1 1 Shafik Ismail - Philip MacFarlane 2 2 Elena Steingraf – Gaylene Hardesty John Wright - Betty Wright 2 Aloise Bates – Martha Thompson

Stratified Swiss Teams – 28 Tables

1 Lynn Rafferty – Marjorie Baldwin – Bernard Olmstead - Pat Chisholm 2/3 Bernie Greenspan – Barbara Greenspan – Brian Ellis - Hope Ellis

James Reeve - Susan Stark; - Julia Allen -2/3 Bernard Hevman

7 Philip MacFarlane - Henry Essig - Shafik Ismail -Frank Scali

2 R Steven Schmidt -Barry Girard - Chris Kleis -Molly Fainer

499er Swiss - 8 Tables

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1	1	Linda Beringer - Jo Ann Oelschlager - Kristen
		Kemp – Wilton Workman
		Donald Moyer – Daniel Flanagan – Barbara
		Wallman – Marilyn Bolender
2		Wm Roberts - Mary Roberts - Betty Frank -
		Elsie Kilpatrick
	1	2

Pittsburgh Summer

Pittsburgh Pa June 22 To 24 2007

Friday Afternoon Open - 22.0 Tables / Based on 27 Tables

A B C 1 1 C Pfeifer - Hugo Churchill Marilyn Painter - Frank Cordier 2 2 Jack Goodykoontz - Vicki Goodykoontz Lorraine Murphy - Rose Kunkel 5 2 Shirley Meyers - Claire Morris

Friday Afternoon 199er – 5.0 Tables

Α B C 1 Jane Weiss – Bernadine Bonessa 2 Angie Smith - Wilma Lee Michaux 3 2 Willa Dean Lowery - Nolly Chess

Compact KO I - 4 Tables

- Barbara Belardi Marion Smith Judi Sonon: Cecilia
- 2 John Bernhard - Carol Bolen - Kenneth Bergman -Barbara Bergman

Compact KO II – 8 Tables

- Marian Cohen Amy Lowenstein Felice Brody Ellie
- John Hammerschmidt Dj Hammerschmidt Holiday Shoup - Jeannie McCormick

N - 12.5 Tables

A B C 1 1 Morton Rubin - Paula Rubin 1

2 2 Jack Goodykoontz - Vicki Goodykoontz

Shirley Meyers - Claire Morris

Bracketed KO I - 6 Tables

- 1 Warren Oberfield Gail Carns Mary Paulone Carns Richard Katz
- 2 William Holt Robert Park Robert Quinlan; Jean Prior

Bracketed KO II - 6 Tables

- 1 Thomas Dillon Susan Dillon; Lois Huffman Joan Ferlan
- 2 Les Morrison Chere Morrison Larry Gesoff Sumant Lall

Saturday First 199er - 7.5 Tables

- A B C
 1 1 1 Sheila Rabovsky Russell Sheldon
 2 Leslie Cassoff Robert Heasley III
- 3 2 2 Elaina Dylewski Stephen Dylewski

Saturday Open Pairs - 17.0 Tables

- A B C
- Kenneth Kranyak Frank Cymerman
 Joseph Brady Margery Tamres
- 5 1 F Plunkett William Bedard
 - 2 Graham Whitlow Steven Nolan
 1 Annemarie Gordon Joane D'Antonio
 - 2 Martin Kumer Audrey Marzolf

Saturday Second 199er - 5.0 Tables

- A B
- 1 1 Joann Szymecki Gale Perez
- 2 2 Willa Dean Lowery Nolly Chess

Saturday Single Swiss - 4 Tables

Barbara Belardi – Marion Smith – Judi Sonon; Cecilia
Powell

199 Swiss - 8 Tables

A B C

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- 1 1 Kenneth Marshall Vonnie Marshall Terry
- Barker Russell Sheldon
- 2 2 William Seran Carole Shanahan Marlene Sienicki – Dianne Franjione

2nd 199er Swiss - 8 Tables

- A B C
- 1 1 Bruce Brennan Kathleen Brennan Marilyn Widlan – Sheldon Widlan
- 2 Bette Jones Forrest Umbel Ethan Stroh Barbara Stroh
 - 2 1 Willa Dean Lowery Joann Szymecki James Gray – Gale Perez

Open Swiss Strat – 27 Tables

- A B C
 Sven Westine Padmanabha Prabhu Arlene
 Port Jan Horwitz
- 2 Frank Cymerman Warren Oberfield Kenneth Kranyak Laurie Kranyak
- 3 1 Maureen Hunt Marilyn Burk Alexander Bealles – Henry Nelson
- 5 2 1 Mary Illson Erwin Illson David Collura Lauraine Duncan
- 6 3 2 Henry Bohl Jr Mary Jane Bohl Dolores Keating – Beatrice Chiappetta

Butler Sectional

Butler, PA 07/21-2/2007

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Sat Eve Strat Pairs - 16 Tables

- A B C 1 Gail Hastings – Louis Joseph
 - Gail Hastings Louis Joseph 1 John Stonebraker – Robert Zimmermann
- 6 2 George Kury Nancy Welsh
 - 4 1 Paula Shrut Joseph Secka Sr
 - 2 Jean Brackett Patsy Bachman

Sat Eve Strat 199 Pairs – 3 Tables

- Leslie Cassoff Kevin Hall
- 2/3 Jeannie McCormick Gretta Donnick
- 2/3 Joseph Rzodkiewicz Gale Perez

Sunday Open Swiss - 23 Tables

- A B C

 1 Robert Park William Holt Suzan Lordi –
 Constance Hoechstetter
 - Robert Zimmermann John Stonebraker Catherine Caplan – P Caplan
- 4 1 Sandra Spear Ernie Retetagos Marcella Retetagos – David Kozloff
- 5 2 Dolores Kovatch Joan Ferlan Constantin Powers – Louise Barnes
 - 5 1 Christopher Wang Bruce Brennan Dolores Kelly – Jacqueline Cavalier

Saturday Aft Strat Pairs - 20.5 Tables

- B C Gail Hastings – Louis Joseph
- 2 1 Maureen Hunt Robert Kleinmann
- 3 2 Art Bonneau James Zaccardi
- 6 3 1 Ellie Scalzo John Scalzo
 - 5 2 Ursula Brown Ronald Brown

Saturday Aft Strat 199 Pairs – 4 Tables

- B 1 Wilbur Moore – Janice Moore
- Elaina Dylewski Stephen Dylewski

Silver Bowl Sectional

Solon, Ohio August 3-5, 2007

Friday Afternoon 299ers - 12.5 Tables

- A B C

 1 Elisabeth Alexander Carolyn Karch
 2 Dorothy Brookins David Plottner
- 6 1 Mary Kay Covington Helen Burns 2 Fred Kidder – Eleanor(Hap) Kidder

Friday Afternoon Flt B/C - 19.0 Tables

- ВС
- 1 1 Lynn Nosse Barbara Zink
- Kerry Davidson Donna Largent
 Ellen Rie Joan Rogoff

Stratiflighted Open - 19 Tables

- A X 1 1 Lois Butler – Paul Klarreich
- 1 1 Lois Butler Paul Klarreich 2 Molly O'Neill – Sukumar Roy
- 4 2 Gary Sikon Joe Novak

Fri Eve Scholarship Pr - 23 Tables

William Cornwell - Sally Veauthier 2 Lois Butler - Bernard Hevman

1 Mary Gleghorn - Nancy Evans

2 David Norris - Gary Montain

Lvnn Nosse – Barbara Zink 4

2 Duane Seelinger – James Novak

Fri Eve 299ers – 6 Tables

B C 1 Rick La Manna - Kathleen Sevcik

2 Ron Miner - John Reed 3 2 Robert Rvan - Victor Case

Sat Aft 299ers – 13 Tables

Α B C

1 Vi Mills - Jean Perko

2 Cathy Weber - Judy Kaye

Dee Kursh - Roslyn Fanaloff

Melinda Berke - Dean Lowrey

Sat Morn Flight B - 9 Tables

Shirley Lundstrom - Barbara Schidlowski Mary Gleghorn - Nancy Evans

Sat Morn Flight C – 14.5 Tables

Judith Rolnicki – Steven Wolotsky

James Wise - Thomas Ritter 2

KO Teams Bracket 1 – 7 Tables

Robert Werner - Anne O'Donnell - Robert Carroll -Bradley Sevcik

Marlene Zinamon - Victor Vertes - Harrison Fuerst -2 Sol Libman

KO Teams Bracket II - 6 Tables

Retha Lakins - Barbara Wallman - Carol Helderlein -Marilyn Bolender

2 Vivien Sevin - Gayle Singer - Ellen Miles - Judy Solganik

Flight A Open - 15 Tables

Α Х 1 1

Bernie Greenspan - Paul Facinelli Don Sulgrove - Kathleen Sulgrove

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Davis Bonner - Patricia Novak 5

Sat Aft Flight B – 7 Tables

Shirley Lundstrom - Barbara Schidlowski

John Harper – Jerri Harper 1/3

Charles Ladiha - Kermit Wolford 1/3

Sat Aft Flight C – 15 Tables

A B C

1 1 Fleur Howard - Laura Ross

2 Dilip Maniar - Smita Maniar

2 Karen Wolfe - Don Baumbach 4

Georgia Dixon - Frances King

2 Kathryn Dobrzynski – William Dobrzynski

Flight A Swiss Teams - 15 Tables

Α 1

Niel Waletzky - James Zimmerman - Phillip Becker - Kumar Bhatia

2 Molly O'Neill - Joanne Antoniou - Jack Weingold Roger Tiktin

James Sullivan - John Harper - Jerri Harper -4 1 James Ineich

Vernon De Jong - Dolores Bloom - Pauline 2 Sostarich - Rosemarie Muccio

0-1500 Swiss Bracket 1 - 8 Tables

Michael Stahr - Javne Fleming - Brad Helman - Carol Ann Kuhlke

Edith Dus-Garden - Douglas Henderson - Judy Saccogna - Susan Bussan

0-1500 Swiss Bracket 2 – 8 Tables

Judy Hanna - Audrey May - Isabel Worthington - Katy Gleason

2 Janice Smith - Marilyn Bolender - Barbara Wallman -Stephanie Bernstein

0-1500 Swiss Bracket 3 - 15 Tables

Pamela Jones - Barbara Cunliffe - Stephanie James -Javne Brooks 2

Ellen Rie - Vivien Sevin - Gayle Singer - Joan Rogoff

Wheeling Sectional

Wheeling WV

August 10 To 12 2007

Friday Afternoon Pairs - 7.0 Tables

Α B C David Kozloff - Francine Feldman 1 1

2 2 Dave Anthony - Roberta Brown Darlene Thieroff - June Puskarich

Eva Craft - Janice Hyre 2

Friday Evening Pairs - 7 Tables

B C

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1 David Kozloff – Francine Feldman

2 Gene Bischof - Jeanne Bischof

5/6 4/5 2 Eva Craft - Janice Hyre

Saturday Afternoon Pairs – 16 Tables Α

B C 1

Sudheer Pimputkar - Sirai Haii Eva Craft - Janice Hyre

2 L Finley - Margaret Finley 2 6

Darlene Thieroff - Jutta Heslin

Saturday Evening Pairs -13 Tables Α

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Henry Nelson - Alexander Bealles 1 1

2 Dan Roseberry - Margery Tamres

2 Linda Abraham - Timothy Aspenwall 4

6 Sally Mallett - Gary Mallett

Brett Orban - Thomas Danford

Open Swiss – 22 Tables

B C Α 1

Roni Atkins - Patricia Katz - Asim Ulke -Richard Katz

2 Robert Park - Robert Quinlan - Richard Finberg - Joanne Zambroski

Conner Boyd - Barry Boyd - Bradley Craig -3 1 William Holt

6 2 G Stanley Harman - Nancy Steele - Dean Parsons - Brian Leonard

Christopher Wang - Bruce Brennan - Joane D'Antonio - Margie Tiglio

4 Timothy Aspenwall - Brett Orban - Sylvia Camilli - Thomas Danford

North American Pairs



District 5 Finals

When: October 13th & 14th

Where: Days Inn & Conference Center

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Meadville, PA 16335

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