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f the season ended after seven months, here's what the All American team would look like:

rank MRPs name

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- 1 1829 Duane Toll (Sutherlin OR)
 - 2 1139 Roland Hall (Napa CA)
- 978 Jim Crawford (Mountain View CA)
 - 4 871 DeLynn Colvert (Missoula MT)
 - 5 866 Frank Ornie (Drain OR)
 - 6 846 Mel Ashley (Marina CA)
 - 7 801 Todd Malmgren (Clackamas OR)
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My Deal by David Aiken



Occasionally someone takes me to task for publishing my playing stats in CW (see box below).

My harshest critics are quick to tell me that it's a publicity stunt. I have no doubt that even a mediocre psychologist could dig up enough evidence somewhere in my twisted psyche to support this claim, but the original impetus for doing this is a bit more nuanced.

When I took this job in January 2007, I had a measly 840 MRPs, while my predecessor—the great **DeLynn Colvert**—led the league with 12,592 MRPs—nearly fifteen times my total!

People expected me not only to edit the magazine up to the high standards that DeLynn maintained for seventeen years, but—for some strange reason—also to be as good a cribbage player as he was! When opponents faced me, they thought they were playing the next DeLynn, and so they pulled out their A-game. Despite my efforts to persuade them that their B-game or C-game would very likely beat me, they proceeded to pummel me with some regularity.

In a fit of journalistic frenzy, in 2008 I came up with this good-natured way of

honoring those who thumped me by the biggest margin each month—and jabbing those whose flights of fancy went off-course.

Over the intervening years, this feature has provided much fun at tournaments. Opponents frequently ask about my biggest loss of the month—and then comment on their plans to top that. Of course, I am contractually obligated to remind them that they can get their name on this page by another method—by being the victim of my biggest victory.

Regardless, the box below provides a small snapshot of data about someone who plays a lot of cribbage and has had a modicum of success at the game. Since I started publishing my stats in October 2008, I've compiled an astoundingly average 3,452–2,987 record—or 53.6%. Truth be told, I'd much rather print the relevant stats for someone named Duane, Wayne, or Donna, but until the ACC tracks every game, this is the best we've got.

Speaking of Duane, when I got fantastic cards and beat him by 43 in Susanville on February 7, I was instructed by friends to make sure that I didn't beat anyone for the rest of the month by a larger marcontinued on page 9



Target practice: feel free to take aim at the CW editor whenever we play
—but be careful, or your name might end up in the center column!

My monthly batting average

February record: 115-121 (44.9%)

My biggest win of the month

I beat Kevin Post (MN) by 57 at Reno

My worst loss of the month

Don Hannula (MI) beat me by 52 at Green Bay

Your Deal



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Someone's in the Kitchen

For thirty years or so I have played "quarter kitchen cribbage" with my opponents and have enjoyed this little bit of competition. Each player puts a quarter on the board, and the dealer has to get out of the "kitchen" (15 points) on the first hand to win it. The dealer counts points pegged, hand, and crib to see if he can get a minimum of 16 points. If he has less than 16 points, the pone gets the quarters. And the pone also receives an additional quarter for each hand that the dealer is stuck in the kitchen thereafter. Although the dealer occasionally gets caught in the kitchen twice, only three times in my unaudited records has a dealer got caught three times, until a couple of weeks ago. Beth Widener played quarter kitchen cribbage against Brad Behm in our Appleton Club and got caught four times—a record that I believe will never be broken. However, she returned the following week and doubleskunked Brad. Revenge is sweet.

Frank Danielski (Little Chute WI)

Backward Pegging

I completely agree with Jack Shumate's column [March CW, page 24]. I have always been perplexed by "kinder, gentler" rules-making and judging habits. The backward-pegging problem is one of many mistakes that once begun is obviously exacerbated by the opponent's ignorance or unwillingness to point out. I was at the tournament where the rulebook

was conceived, and I know by experience that the rulebook does not exist because of mistakes. It exists because cheaters were taking advantage of honest people. Yes, most instances of mistakes where the rules have to be enforced are simply inadvertent boo-boos. But, cheaters will try to take advantage wherever money is to be won (or stolen), and standardized rules and behaviors insure a happier competition. Maybe we should institute a rule like NASCAR has: "Behavior detrimental to the organization." To put the onus on the opponent of the person who commits a mistake is unfair, unnecessary, and redundant.

Michael Barrett (Wisconsin Rapids WI)

Touching Cards

Spike Lacombe asked [February CW, page 10] what can be done to stop players from reaching over the board during the pegging of a game and touching the other player's cards. I do this when the other player stacks played cards so as to obscure previously played cards, which violates rule 7.1d requiring that the identity of all played cards be visible. I can't recall anyone ever reaching across to touch my cards, but then I make sure that all played cards are visible.

Arlene Carle (Anchorage AK)

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as of March 1

Tournament	Director	Main (MRPs)	Consolation (MRPs)	Big Hands	Satellite Winners
Mountain View Troy Challenge Thor (Loveland & Ka CO; Dec. 10)	Troy Thorson & Kathy Pacocha	38 players HQ. Dennis Combs (40) 1. Les Johnson (105) 2. Mike Comer (70) 3. Dennis Combs (42) 3. David Bute (42)	26 players HQ. Jim Brintnall (15) 1. Don Christensen (40) 2. Jim Brintnall (24)		
Finley Fam- ily Superlite Classic (West Springfield MA; Jan. 22)	Peter & Patti Vangsness	80 players HO. Richard West (45) 1. Mark Soule (147) 2. George Edge (105) 3. Albert Miller (70) 3. John Brennan (70)	30 players HQ. Phyllis Schmidt (12) 1. Roger Bouchard (40) 2. Richard Andrew (24)	28-hands: Alma Tirado* George Webb*	
Hawai'i Open (Honolulu HI; Jan. 22)	Alice Souza	<i>19 players</i> HG. Alice Souza (25) 1. Tsarkie (70) 2. Richard Kodama (42)	I		
Northern California Open (Redding CA; Jan. 27–29)	Anna Dunn	95 players HQ. Duane Toll (85) 1. Duane Toll (147) 2. Roland Hall (105) 3. Mel Ashley (70) 3. Gerald Oxford (70)	52 players HQ. Diana Webster (15) 1. Peter Jackson (60) 2. Carol Knodel (40) 3. Cres Fernandez (24) 3. Angelo Torrise (24)	28-hands: Kathryn Bray* Richard Wardenburg* Diana Webster*	Early Bird: Duane Toll Doubles: Bill Johnson & Chuck Hedin Saturday: Diana Webster All Events: Duane Toll
Space Coast Beach Blast (Cocoa Beach FL; Jan. 27–29)	Marc Leichtling	65 players HQ. Robert Amaden (50) 1. Donna LaFleur (147) 2. Sandra Lewis (105) 3. Robert Johnson (70) 3. Betty Briggs (70)	36 players HQ. Phyllis Schmidt (18) 1. Phyllis Schmidt (60) 2. Kristy Haught (40) 3. Edward Craren (24) 3. Howard Terry (24)	<i>28-hands:</i> Sandy Denmark* Sandra Lewis*	Friday: Connie Ewka - GRAND Saturday: Jerome Kelliher SLAMI
Michigan Cribbage Cup (Battle Creek MI; Jan. 27–29)	David Boyer	48 players HQ. Jeff Shimp (60) 1. Sue Schenk (105) 2. Austin Adams (70) 3. James Huser (42) 3. Marvin Lang (42)	<i>27 players</i> HQ. Emilio Perez (15) 1. Donald Urban (40) 2. Alphonse Scarantino (24)	28-hands: George Tanksley* Tom Strouf Emilio Perez Brenda Carson	Friday: Dan Selke Saturday: David Gerke All Events: David Gerke

Satellite Winners	First tournament win indicated by highlighting.		Early Bird: Frank Ornie Doubles: Beth & Keith Widener Tuesday: Rich Scott All Events: Frank Ornie	Better Than Joe! In the past month these members moved past ACC founder Joe Wergin's lifetime total of 1,728 MRPs: 1812 Paul Hirschmann (OR) 1762 Dennis M. Jacobs (CA) 1741 Roger Widdowson (CO)
Big Hands	First tournament win			28-hands: Barbara Barrett* Charles Brown* Estalita Ells* Ron Gustafson* John Heald* Noah Parker* Shirley Phelps* Donald Smith* Donald Wanta*
Consolation (MRPs)	41 players HQ. James Boren (12) 1. Bruce Aveson (60) 2. Pamela Pomeroy (40) 3. Myron Farrell (24) 3. Darlene Dean (24)	26 players HO. Alice Korn (15) 1. Jeff Shimp (40) 2. John Schafer (24)	62 players HQ. Patricia Echard (21) 1. Jim McKnight (60) 2. Diana Webster (40) 3. Roland Hall (24) 3. Fred White (24)	616 players HQ. Al Jean Simpson (24) 1. Grumpy Howard (180) 2. David O'Neil (144) 3. Roy Hofbauer (112) 5. John Syffestad (112) 5. Glenn Corway (84) 6. Mike Comer (84) 7. Mike Comer (84) 7. Douglas Henderson (84) 9. Barbara Kokoni (60) 9. Barbara Kokoni (60) 9. Paul Hirschmann (60) 9. Paul Hirschmann (60) 9. Peggy Shea (60) 9. Peggy Shea (60) 9. Al Jean Simpson (60) 9. Al Jean Simpson (60) 9. John Dellarsina (60)
Main (MRPs)	79 players HQ. Carolyn Blackman (35) 1. Cy Madrone (147) 2. Arlene Shaw (105) 3. Barbara Sacic (70) 3. Bernie Nelson (70)	44 players HQ. Donald Imber (55) 1. Kenneth Shoemaker (105) 2. Tom Strouf (70) 3. Donald Imber (42) 3. Jim Blough (42)	72 players HQ. Thomas Brent (50) 1. Duane Toll (147) 2. Frank Ornie (105) 3. Arlene Carle (70) 3. Bob Bartosh (70)	912 players HQ. Troy Thorson (75) 1. Jeanne Jelke (315) 2. Bruce Webb (252) 3. Patrick Barrett (196) 3. Frank Ornie (196) 5. Bruce Sattler (147) 5. Eric Drazek (147) 6. Catherine Perkins (147) 9. Aloha Montooth (105) 9. Aloha Montooth (105) 9. Bob Bartosh (105) 9. Bruce Wridge (105) 9. Bruce Wridge (105) 9. Tony Danihel (105) 9. Pandy Malloy (105)
Director	Obie Weeks	Jerry Adams & Dave Aiken	Steve Hastie	Scott Kooistra & Jeanne & Roy Hofbauer
Tournament	Fallbrook Avocado (Fallbrook CA; Jan. 28)	Going in the Army (Rives Junction MI; Feb. 4)	Susanville Winter (Su- sanville CA; Feb. 6–8)	JPW/ACC Open (Reno NV; Feb. 11–12)

Tournament	Director	Main (MRPs)	Consolation (MRPs)	Big Hands	Satellite Winners
Topaz Win- ter Open (Topaz NV; Feb. 13–15)	A.J. Tasker	56 players HQ. Dennis Misenar (60) 1. John Burke (105) 2. Duaine Jacob (70) 3. Dennis Misenar (42) 3. Patrick Healey (42)	40 players HQ. Leslie Sumner (21) 1. Todd Malmgren (60) 2. Patricia Echard (40) 3. Peter Stemler (24) 3. Harold Cook (24)		Early Bird: Mel Marshall Monday: Mike Henze Tuesday: DeLynn Colvert Doubles: Kerry O'Connell & Jim Clark
Valentine's Day Open (Edmonton AB; Feb. 18)	Audrey Hatto	23 players HQ. Lewis Skidmore (30) 1. Doris Sanders (70) 2. Tom Gannon (42)	19 players HQ. David Carter (21) 1. Audrey Hatto (40) 2. Tom Gannon (24)		
South Sacra- mento Moose Madness (Sacramento CA; Feb. 19)	Tom Cookman	<i>58 players</i> HQ. Farokh Ziari (55) 1. Beth Fleischer (105) 2. Bob Bartosh (70) 3. James Fanning (42) 3. Julie Felkins (42)	34 players HQ. Clay Lindgren (24) 1. Jim Crawford (60) 2. Roland Hall (40) 3. Nancy Rojas (24) 3. Clay Lindgren (24)	28-hand: Cres Fernandez*	
Florida Open (Kis- simmee FL; Feb. 24–26)	Paul & Joy Barnes	90 players HQ. Ron Lapointe (50) 1. David Fournier (147) 2. Raymond Tondorf (105) 3. Michael Burnham (70) 3. Robert Wahlgren (70)	52 players HQ. Betty Briggs (18) 1. Fred Desnoyers (60) 2. Steve Angier (40) 3. Betty Briggs (24) 3. Tom Briski (24)	29-hand: Thomas West* 28-hands: Joe Daesch* Mike Caro "Easy Ed" Craren	Friday: Clyde Awtrey Saturday: Jack Howsare
California Champion- ship (Sonoma CA; Feb. 25)	Avon Ray	78 players HQ. Tom Langford (50) 1. Tom Langford (147) 2. Richard Hinrichs (105) 3. Frank Kiernan (70) 3. James Langley (70)	38 players HQ. Clay Lindgren (18) 1. Mel Ashley (60) 2. Tracy Yott (40) 3. Jim Crawford (24) 3. Herschel Mack (24)		
Hampton Roads Shoot- out (Virginia Beach VA; Mar. 2–4)	Jack Howsare	55 players HQ. Marvin Lewis (40) 1. Robert Medeiros (105) 2. Jack Howsare (70) 3. Marvin Lewis (42) 3. Norm Ferbert (42)	38 players HQ. Chuck Yeomans (21) 1. Craig Layton (60) 2. Bruce Sattler (40) 3. Bernard Whitfield (24) 3. Keith Widener (24)	28-hands: Carlyle Elliott* Rick Allen GRAND SLAMI	Friday: Randy Skaradek Saturday: Andy Laventure * = in a sanctioned event

Tournament Tidbits

Fallbrook Avocado For the third year in a row, a player won their first tournament while munching on avocados. In 2010 it was Shelley Berman (El Cajon CA); in 2011 it was William McGinness (Oceanside CA); and this year it was Bruce Aveson (West Covina CA). So . . . if you're still looking for your first tournament win, make plans now to attend the Fallbrook Avocado in 2013!

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JPW/ACC Open For the third year in a row, a player named David took second place in the ACC Open consolation. Life Master David Campbell (Parsonsfield ME) played second fiddle in both 2010 and 2011. And this year Grand Master David O'Neil (Clarkston GA) stepped into the runner-up role.

South Sacramento Moose Madness Nancy Rojas (Citrus Heights CA) had a grand slam in the consolation, but Clay Lindgren (Reno NV) edged her out for HQ honors with a better grand slam!

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gin—even if I had to peg backward to do it! Alas, in a perfect storm of bad cards, **Kevin Post** (Minnetonka MN) barely got out of a double skunk in game nine of the ACC Open consolation.

Even though the ACC's #2 player avoided the limelight this month, I look forward to printing Duane's name in the center column. At least, that's how the little fantasy I play in my mind goes! CW



- 1. Gerald Oxford (CA): Humboldt Bay Classic Midweek (Eureka CA; Aug. 4)
- 2. Joy Barnes (FL): Silver Dollar Open (Reno NV; Sept. 28)
- 3. Frank Ornie (OR): Grand National 30 (Reno NV; Oct. 1)
- 4. Rickie Mack (OR): Crescent City Open (Crescent City CA; Oct. 16)
- 5. John Alig (AZ): Yuma Snowbirds (Yuma AZ; Jan. 21)
- 6. Thomas West (CA): Florida Open (Kissimmee FL; Feb. 25)

Cribbage Board of the Month

BY JAY FULWIDER

The cribbage board this month is more of a decorative clock for hanging on a wall. It does have a story involving many ACC members.

Sharon Hamilton of the Port Angeles Peggers Club 357 bought a maple burl wood clock in Ketchikan AK. One day when ACC member Ron Gustafson was helping Sharon with some work, she showed him the clock and wondered if he might be able to do something with it. Ron talked with ACC member Chris Christensen, who makes tournament and trophy boards (see my March 2009 column). After fixing the clock, Chris designed and made this "Time for Cribbage" tournament board wall hanging. Ron wrote me about this cribbage clock. and ACC member Jim Duff sent me the photo.

Ron and Jim also passed on a story about **Lois Slater**, one of the newer members of Port Angeles Peggers. Lois is an ER nurse at Olympic Medical Center in Port Angeles. During breaks at the hospital, Lois wanted to teach some fellow employees the grand old game of cribbage. Not having a board handy, she flattened a medical supply box and drew a cribbage board on the back and began

teaching with push pins for pegs. Thanks to Lois for being so resourceful and passing on our favorite game to others.

Jay Fulwider collects cribbage boards in picturesque Washington State. Ideas for and questions about this column may be sent to him at budandotis@msn.com (put "Cribbage Board" in the subject line). For more information on cribbage boards and collecting, visit cribbageboardsonline.com, the Cribbage Board Collectors Society website.

ACC Awards



Frank's grandmother, Frona, taught him to play cribbage when he was six years old, and she mentored him in the finer points

of the game in later years. He joined the Frank Ornie ACC in 1989. A member of Timber Capital (Drain OR) Cribbage Club in Roseburg OR, Frank has Life Master (★) #72 been club champion twice and has earned

his Silver Award. His favorite tournament is the Reno tourney in February, and his toughest opponent is **Rick Pierce**. Frank enjoys woodworking in his spare time.

Taught by her father, Jeanne learned to play cribbage as a teenager. She joined the ACC in 1999 and is a member of

Team Washington Club 39 in Pasco WA. She's earned her Bronze Award, but has never been club champion. (She claims that Life Master (*) #74 club members salivate when they see her

Jeanne Jelke (Pasco WA)

walk through the door!) Winning the ACC Open in February has to be the highlight of anyone's year, if not one's entire cribbage career, but Jeanne is also very proud of winning the first Rosemary Hendricks Memorial in November. Her cribbage mentor is **Jim Langley**; and her toughest opponents are **Cres Fernandez** and Mel Ashley. When not collecting MRPs and tournament wins



(seventeen), Jeanne enjoys spending time with her first grandson. She also spends a lot of time driving her cribbage mascot Keshi (a black lab/golden retriever mix) to tournaments up and down the West Coast. Her 2001 Subaru Outback currently has 253,000+ miles on it, and Jeanne hopes one day to beat DeLynn Colvert's mileage record on his Honda Civic!



Earl joined the ACC in 1990 and is a member of Twin City Peggers in St. Paul MN, where he has earned his Bronze Award. His fa-

Earl G. Fox (Minneapolis MN) Grand Master #318 vorite tournament is normally the St. Croix Classic, but this year his favorite was the Minnesota Snowball, which he won and where he earned his Grand Master. Earl

enjoys hunting and fishing, when not bagging cribbage trophies.

John's dad taught him to play cribbage at age six. John joined the ACC in 1988 and belongs to Orlando Cribbage Club

22. He has been club champion four times and has earned his Gold Award. His first tournament win was in Orlando in 1991. Even though his favorite tourney is the National Open in Raleigh, John will always have fond memories of the

John Blowers (Sanford FL) Grand Master #320

Georgia Open in Augusta GA this year: not only did he earn his Grand Master there, but he won the Friday night event, was high qualifier in the main, and took second place in the main! John's toughest opponent is David Fournier, who joined the ACC in Orlando just a few weeks after John joined. John is a Vietnam veteran.



The President's Column



I have just been looking at the Tournament Trail in *Cribbage World* and found the variety of tournament names to be interesting. So I went to the ACC website and looked at a whole year of tournaments, from August 4, 2011, to July 30, 2012. By arranging the tournaments into categories, here is what I came up with:

- States: Alaska, California, Connecticut, Florida, Georgia, Hawai'i, Illinois, Michigan, Minnesota, Montana, Nevada, New Hampshire, North Carolina, Oregon, Virginia, Washington
- Cities: Baltimore, Carson City, Crescent City, Detroit, Eau Clair, Edmonton, Green Bay, Kenosha, Kissimmee, Madison, Orlando, Pahrump, Portland, Raleigh, Salem, Shreveport, Sonoma, St. Croix, Woodland
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- Directions: Border, Northern, Northwest, Socal, South, Southern, West, Western
- Seasons: Fall, March, Midsummer, October, Spring, Summer, Summer End, Winter
- Holidays: Columbus Day, Halloween, Independence Day, Labor Day, New Year's, Santa, St. Patrick's Day, Thanks-

- giving, Valentine's Day, Veterans Day
- People: Abe Kealoha, Bobby Stuart, Bruce Forbes, Daniel Webster, Ed Schweitzer, Finley Family, G&P, George Bickford, Len Wahlig, Martha & Warren, Mick Michaelis, Mike Black, P&G, Schaefer/Steinmetz, Sharlene Medeiros, Tom Winter, Tsarkie
- Foods: Avocado, Brat, Cereal, Peach
- Animals: Roadrunner, Snowbird, Turkey
- Valuables: Emerald, Gem, Gold, Granite, Nugget, Silver Dollar, Topaz
- Miscellaneous: Army, Capital City, Colonial, Cowboy, Crypt, Daffodil, Flood, Grand National 30, Noon Moon, Patriot, Powwow, Saturday, Sunshine, Timber, Yankee

So to misquote Shakespeare: What's in a name? That which we call a tournament by any other name would still be as much fun!

Arizona Long Match

The inaugural Arizona Long Match has been completed, and Roger Grandgeorge (State Center IA) is the winner, beating Ronald James (Scottsdale AZ) in the finals. The other semifinalists were Kurt Bloeser (Phoenix AZ) and Thomas Halatsis (Mesa AZ). The second annual ALM will get under way in November 2012. If you would like to play, contact ALM director Brion Neeley (bneeley@aztv.com or 480.588.5667) for details.

In Memoriam

Tom Chapman

Tom's love for cribbage was second only to his love for his wife and family. He learned to play cribbage from his father, and he taught his wife, four children, their spouses, and all nine grandchildren how to play. Tom and Mitzi retired to Grand Junction CO fifteen years ago and joined the Two Rivers Cribbage Club. He was a true ambassador of the game, teaching new players and encouraging them to love it as he did. Tom had been a U.S. Marine, worked in the industrial tool distribution industry, and during retirement drove rental cars throughout the beautiful state of Colorado. It was on one of these drives that he died suddenly of an aneurysm on January 17. Tom was the ultimate nice guy, husband, father, and grandfather.

Walter R. Devine

Walter R. "Bill" Devine (Canby OR) passed away in September 2011. Born in Olympia WA in 1936, he served in the army during the Korean War. After retiring, cribbage became his passion. He helped the club find a new playing place and always showed up early to sign people in. Bill was always considerate in his love for cribbage. Bill was never club champion, but he was in first place early in the last season he played. While at hospice in the final year of his life, Bill taught the hospice employees how to play cribbage. They were so impressed that they held two cribbage tournaments in Bill's honor. Volunteers like Bill have helped the ACC become successful and will help increase membership.

Lorraine Lowther

Lorraine Lowther (CA) enjoyed cribbage and played every day with her husband.

Lunch was never complete without a game or two. Later, as a widow, when she wasn't entertaining family and playing cribbage, you could find her sitting at the kitchen counter playing cribbage solitaire. She taught children and grandchildren the grand old game, and as an inaugural, 22-year member of the Napa Century 100 Grass Roots Club she earned her Bronze Award and nearly Silver. She also made sure her daughter Cheryl and grandson Garrett played in Grass Roots! She remained mentally sharp to the end, presenting a challenge for all opponents, both in Grass Roots and regular weekend tournaments. We'll miss her immensely. She was a real sweetheart of a lady.

Tim Salmen

Tim Salmen (Waukesha WI) died March 5 at the age of 67 after a long illness. He was an easygoing, fun-loving member of Milwaukee Grass Roots Club 6 for over twenty years and enjoyed traveling cross-country to tournaments. He was a truck driver, member of Teamsters Local 200, and "Grandpa Goofy" to his eight grand-children.

Al Wilson

Members of Club 168 in West Warwick RI mourn the loss of Alan Wilson who died at the age of 77 in early March after a long battle with a debilitating blood disease. Al was a three time club champion and excelled at garnering points in the GRRTs and GRNTs. He was a dedicated player who will be remembered for his many euphemisms and competitive spirit. His often heard "I need a foot" would echo throughout the room and be repeated by others in need of a winning cut.

NTERNET Cribbage

February Wrap-Up

In the seesaw battle for first place, Mike Fetchel (*mfetchCT425*) moved into first and drop Sam Sinram (IA503) to the second spot.

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Exceptions for April: none

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- John Schafer (netview85)
- 2/2 Gordy Wise (gwise)
- 2/4 Louis Choiniere (chicopeekid)
- 2/5 Haley Hintze (hintze1)
- 2/6 Steven E. Quinnell (qqq55894)
- 2/8 Mike Fetchel (mfetchCT425)
- 2/13 Mark Van Dyke (loosespokes)
- 2/15 John Dellarsina (CA2281)
- 2/16 George R. Shea (ksanka)
- 2/18 Timothy M. Julkowski (Tim_Oregon2854)
- 2/19 Joshua Kurz (poet205)
- 2/20 Rick Allen (Excitations)
- 2/22 Anthony Keith Draper (Dapper)
- 2/23 David D. Braach (papa349)
- 2/25 Richard E. Wilken (fishinggone)
- 2/26 Alma Tirado (PR_Princess_Lace)
- 2/27 Roger D. Baxter (rdbaxter)
- 2/29 Dan Klein (Danmi601)

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IRPs name (tourneys played)

- 678 Mike Fetchel (82)
- 675 Sam Sinram (102)
- 3 651 Mark Van Dyke (97)
- 519 Richard May (106)
- 516 David Landreth (73) 513 John Dellarsina (104)
- 510 Michael T. Burgess (81)
- 480 William MacMillan (83)
- 447 John Schafer (83)
- 10 420 Richard Shea (75)

The ACC welcomed 100 new members during February. When you see these folks down the tournament trail or at your cribbage club, welcome them with a hearty handshake. answer their questions, and then sit down with them and enjoy the best two-handed card game ever invented.

Alaska

Randall Bayer (Fairbanks) Victoria Clark (Anchorage)

Arizona

Eli Cruz (Phoenix) Dawn Fleming (Chandler) Gary L. Randall (Lake Havasu Citv)

Antony Smith (Yuma) Vyvyan Smith (Yuma) Ed White (Yuma)

Irene White (Yuma)

British Columbia

Al Cohoe (Kelowna) Sharon Taylor (British Columbia)

California

Sabin Alibrandi (Mountain View) Barry L. Brownson (Redding) Diana L. Brownson (Redding) Steve Cousins (Modesto) Alnore B. Deen (El Dorado Hills) Michael Douglas (Auburn) Hank Edelstein (Redding) Shirley Gallant (Redding) Tyler Hensley (Sacramento) Sean Honeychurch (Tahoe Vista)

Mark Hubbell (Crockett) Leslie Johnson-Deen (El Dorado Hills)

Paula Jones (Grass Valley) Randy Kruger (Eureka) Louise E. Newton (Cameron Park)

Frank L. Nixon (Rancho Cordova)

John Norcio (Lakeport) Nick Norcio (Lakeport) Noah Parker (Santa Cruz) Don Prosser (North Highlands) Leslie Prosser (North Highlands) Marc Prosser (North Highlands) Earl Schoen (Sacramento) Joe Serpa (Escalon) Chris Stefani (San Jose)

Fay Yee (Fort Bragg) Tom Youngs (Newcastle)

Colorado

David Grimwood (Fruita) Cathy Hunter (Centennial) Vaughn L. Richards (Littleton) Candy Webber (Fruita)

Connecticut

Martin P. Smith (Waterbury)

Delaware

Lindsay Roberts (Milford)

England

Sir John Suckling (Twickenham) Oregon

Robert F. Amaden (Tampa) Cyndie Chase (Apopka) Phyllis A. Day (Cocoa Beach) Sandra Duffney (Titusville) William Schick (Merritt Island) Doris A. Whitaker (Orlando) Tony Zapotochny (Titusville)

Idaho

Ernie Barnett (Eagle) Roy Grant (Idaho Falls) Gary Rose (Rigby)

Illinois

Melvin Schallberg (Rockford)

Ben Mever (West Des Moines) Maine

Michael Lemay (Westbrook) Alva Stewart (Biddeford)

Marvland

Nolan Martinson (Mount Airy)

Massachusetts

Michael J. Becker (Tewksbury) Peter Labella (Franklin) Terry McCarthy (North Easton) Raymond Sanborn (Pembroke)

Michigan

Bob Bohez (Grand Rapids) Robby Bohez (Grand Rapids) Gini Havward (Delton) Gordy Hayward (Delton) Melissa Stickle (Hubbell)

Minnesota

Tom Schroer (Sauk Rapids)

Missouri

Edith L. Woodcock (Washington)

Montana

Yvonne Benson (Whitehall) Bobbi Olson (Missoula)

Nevada

Kellie Wilkerson (Silver Springs)

New Mexico

Edward Paquette (Milan)

Brenda Caldwell (Hermiston) David Caldwell (Hermiston) Stephen W. Depuis (Hermiston) Tyler Ferguson (Stayton) Kristina Spitz (Redmond) Mike Spitz (Redmond)

South Dakota

Lynda Wierewga (Sioux Falls) Wayne Wierewga (Sioux Falls)

Tennessee

Brian Walthall (Cosby)

Virginia

Frank Raposa (Arlington)

Washington

Paul Dannels III (Spokane) Mark S. Fletcher (Hoquiam) Shawn Gransbery (Vancouver) Michael A. Noble (Algona) Al Pagio (Wenatchee) Kim M. Permain (Vashon) Gavin Voelchers (Stanwood)

Annette Yonemoto (Vancouver)

Wisconsin

James Dufek (Oneida) Terry Kiley (Appleton) David Meier (Eau Claire) Joseph Pankratz (Appleton) James Redemann (Appleton)

Wyoming

James G. Eckerman (Cheyenne) T. J. Henderson (Bar Nunn)

NO CRIBBAGE PEGS WERE HARMED IN THE MAKING OF THIS ISSUE.

Years Ago in the ACC

The cover of the April 1987 *Cribbage World* announced that ACC membership had topped 4,000 for the first time. Today's attendance stands at 6,760.

Elsewhere in this issue we read that **Bud Ferrigno** (Canby OR) won the Oregon State Championship consolation.

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New Cribbage Masters

814. Troy Thorson (Loveland CO)

815. Gary Wirth (Edmonton AB)

816. Ray Fischer (The Villages FL)

817. Basil M. Rudnick (Isleton CA)

818. Robert W. Wahlgren (North Grafton MA)



by Dan Zeisler

Youth Teaching Tip

About a year ago, I featured a great website developed by Brad Gronli. It is such a perfect site for teaching kids cribbage that I want to share it again. Here is how it works. The site flashes a cribbage hand and asks for the point total. It then confirms the correct answer and breaks down the points so it is easy to see. You can access this website by going to clge.com/floridadarts/brad/cribbagetrainer/cribbageTrainer4.php

Youth News

The 19th annual Sierra Youth Cribbage Tournament took place on February 25 in Grass Valley CA. Forty-six youths aged 8 to 17 came with the hopes of winning trophy boards and being crowned 2012 champion of their age group. Thirty enthusiastic youngsters played nine games in the 12 and over group, while fourteen participated in the junior division of 11 and under and played six games. Seventeen year-old Josh Lamora (Chico CA), looking to win his third consecutive title, was high qualifier with an impressive grand slam 22/9 +279. Sherry Guzman (11), from Grass Valley CA, had a grand slam 13/6 +123 in the junior division, which was good for high qualifier honors. Here are the top four in each age group:

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- For the second straight year, Alejandra Vides-Austin traveled over 3,000 miles from Lanham MD to play!
- A huge thank you to the Sands Regency for a grant that allowed each player to receive a pair of custom pegs. Thanks also to Rich Scott and Joe Lilly for providing pegs at reduced rates.
- Thanks to ACC members Nancy Rojas, Rich Ekman, Don "Grumpy" Howard, and Bob Schmitt for volunteering to help at the event. Couldn't have done it without them.

Teaching Manuals

Recent requests for youth teaching manuals were received from the following people. Watch for a youth boom in these areas!

- Marsi Gore (Thousand Oaks CA) Julie Mack-Felkins (Woodland CA)
- Mark Whittier (Beverly MA)



Division 1

Points ♦ Name (Club)

- 325 Michael M. Rowe (600)
- 306 Joseph Cornelissen (147)
- 264 Dennis Misenar (600)
- 238 George Momaney (290)
- 236 Carolyn Maston (600)
- 236 Tony Pacheco (109)
- 234 Rex Paddock (347)
- 230 Ronald D. Gustafson (357)
- 229 Dennis Ulberg (284)
- 224 Dale Carey (62)
- 223 Duane E. Sink (107)
- 221 Al Oines (347)
- 216 Mike Sudduth (339)
- 215 Donald C. Hannula (333)
- 213 Nick Kenny (108)
- 212 James Flaherty Sr. (308)
- 206 Larry Phifer (58)
- 206 Lewis Skidmore (261)
- 205 Scott Buhrow (106)
- 205 Frank Ornie (62)
- 204 Karyn Fischer (168)
- 202 Paul Finazzo (600)
- 202 David Gerke (300)
- 198 Laurie Kenny (108)
- 198 Thomas Schroeder (357)
- 197 David Campbell (375)
- 197 William MacMillan (211)
- 196 Jerry Gooden (58)
- 196 James L. Kahue (110)
- 195 Jim Brintnall (345)
- 193 Dave Carey (213)
- 192 Daniel Crete (314)
- 191 Robert Labossiere (147)
- 190 Donna Hassett (62)
- 190 Don Russell (274)
- 190 Ed Tasca (89)
- 189 Gerald Hahn Jr. (62)
- 189 Gary Miller (374)
- 189 Jay R. Sorensen (21)
- 188 Michael Burnham (119)
- 188 Tony Danihel (6)
- 188 Jerry D. Hedden (318)
- 188 Barb Pearson (238)
- 188 Gary Reichel (300)
- 187 Brett Blanks (272)
- 187 Rollie Heath (46)
- 186 Ed Ciccone (109)
- 186 Jacob G. Taasevigen (191)
- 185 James Heemstra (61)
- 185 Craig E. Jensen (46)

- 185 Mike Kashuba (62)
- 185 Egon Koch (304)
- 185 Gary Phillipo (308)
- 184 John Blowers (22)
- 184 David Statz (314)
- 182 Tony Canzler (243)
- 182 Spike LaComb (360)
- 182 Kathy Thompson (25)
- 181 Jerome Fischer (199)
- 181 Mike Hackett (61)
- 181 Gary Rasmussen (232)
- 181 Peter Setian (72)
- 180 David P. Flaherty (109)
- 180 Leo P. Gendron (72)
- 180 Gerald Mohr (203)
- 180 William P. O'Malley (46)
- 180 Karen Smith (238)
- 179 Dianne M. Gurney (199)
- 178 Al Doucet (288)
- 178 Charles J. Dunn (43)
- 178 Pat Jungmann (274)
- 178 Michael Sofaly (148)
- 177 David Fournier (22)
- 176 Roz Berman (79)
- 176 Julie Hardardt (359)
- 176 Paul Hirschmann (285)
- 175 Elmer G. Rasmussen (232)
- 175 Jack Van Barneveld (288)
- 174 Donna Gavin (81)
- 174 Donald Urban (213)
- 174 Frank Vaccarella (230)
- 173 Eric Drazek (261)
- 173 Bill Press (100)
- 173 Bruce E. Webb (190)
- 171 David Gilkeson (62)
- 171 Jerry Hardy (375)
- 171 Erik Royland Locke (28)
- 170 John Brennan (109)
- 170 Adam Fitzhugh (272)

Division 2

- 154 Jason Matheny (281)
- 144 Ralph Haynes (219)
- 139 Gary McCuskey (281)
- 128 T. L. Gandy Sr. (356)
- 126 Nick Vowell (38)
- 123 Rob Palmer (38)

Division 3

- 64 Tony Santoro (102)
- 63 Chris Trent (102)
- 62 Clark C. Faint (102)
- 61 Robert D. Rebar (150)

Grass Roots

WRITTEN AND EDITED BY DAVE GERKE

Reader contributions are encouraged. Items of interest to Grass Roots players should be sent to Dave at davegerke29@yahoo.com



Editor's Challenge—here is the first result submitted in response to last month's challenge on how to grow and retain members. Keep the ideas coming! Dave Gerke (dave gerke29@yahoo.com)

Club 68 (West Covina CA)—our club has something we call "The New Player Rule," which has helped us retain new players. The rule has migrated to other clubs and is finding acceptance. Playing nine games in about three hours can be fast for inexperienced players. To allow new players to play faster and not worry about missing points, the West Covina club policy states: "For players new to ACC for the first time: for one month beginning with your first visit, we will make certain that you do not underpeg. Your opponent will show you anything you miss, and you take the points. Other ACC rules will normally be enforced." submitted by Norm Nikodym

Crook County Club 14 (Pineville OR)— Patti Gossett scored a 28-hand in game eight on February 15 and got a skunk against club director Graeme Gossett! And then ended up with the high card. submitted by Graeme Gossett

Editor's note: I know everybody hates to see club directors get skunked! On the other hand, it is good of directors to help others get good cards every week!

Capitol Club 46 (Salem OR)—William O'Malley had a very nice grand slam 18/9 +77 on February 16 after coming back from the Reno tournament. In the last game Bill was 38 out and dealing to club director Craig Jensen, who was 10 out and comfortably ahead, with a skunk within reach! Bill dealt Craig a 4-hand, while Bill had a 12-hand and 9-crib. In the next deal Bill still needed 16 holes, and Craig was dealing from 5 out. Bill was dealt 4-4-6-J, andyou guessed it-a 5 was cut! Bill pegged 3 holes and won the game to preserve his grand slam! submitted by Craig Jensen

Editor's note: Again, a club director helps a fellow player earn a good score!

Alaska Club 177 (Anchorage AK)—I surprised club members on February 29 by declaring a free-play night in celebration of Leap Year: there was no entry fee but the club would make the standard payouts, and all skunks would get a quarter out of the skunk jar! I was expecting about \$100 in payouts, but with a record 18 players on hand, the payout was \$160! Good thing Leap Year comes only every four years. submitted by Arlene Carle

Editor's note: Another enterprising director with another way (besides losing) to make players feel like winners!

GrassRoots *Awards*

Silver Award

Frank Corrado (26), CT David Gilkeson (62), OR Douglas I. Henderson (6), WI Catherine Perkins (58), NC Keith E. Widener (600), NC

Bronze Award

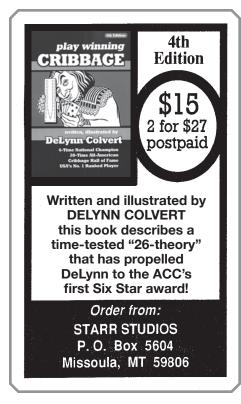
Eleanor Arnold (203), BC Jerry Burgess (276), FL Helen Daniels (274), OR Anna Dunn (205), CA Karyn Fischer (168), RI Richard Flatto (55), CA Paul R. Griffin (600), MA Donald C. Hannula (333), MI Louise L. Hardy (142), CA Genevieve Haseltine (147), FL Ted Hauptman (230), FL Mike Maiden (328), FL Mel Melliger (271), NM Wayne Momsen (347), MT Valerie Nozick (600), WA Tony Pacheco (109), MA Fred R. Padjen (213), IL Wilbur Paul (346), NC Andy Reddish (271), NM Gordon Reid (304), BC Robert Reister (221), NC Randy Skaradek (272), MD Donald Urban (213), IL James Wysocki (336), FL



Betty Johnson (Spokane WA) Gold #17

On February 12, Betty became both the first woman to earn the Gold Award and also the oldest player to reach the 4,000-GRP plateau. She

turns 86 on April 16. After learning the game from her husband, **Gil**, in 1984, she joined the ACC in 1986. Never one to simply show up and play, for many years Betty directed two clubs (#69 and #198) and two weekend tournaments (Greater Spokane Open and Idaho Open). She has been club champion a dozen times. Her cribbage mentor is **Jim Kesling**, and her toughest opponent is **De-Lynn Colvert**. Betty has earned her Grand Master in tournament action and also likes to play Texas Hold 'Em.





For "Coffee John" Sherrell, cribbage is more than a game. It's a healing method that helps rebuild his mind.

I meet John in his North Minneapolis home on a snowy winter evening. The fire is roaring, and a pair of wrought-iron sconces flicker candlelight around his living room. John hands me a beer and we clink bottles, toasting over the cribbage board. "Here's to livin'," he says, and we raise the bottles to our lips. "There's a lot of young people who don't know to at least wet your lips when you toast," he adds, grabbing a deck of cards. "A lot of Germans will take offense to that."

But John isn't German. He's Irish Catholic. And in 2004, on his way to a concert, John suffered a terrible motorcycle accident. "I was a little quaffed up," he admits. He careened through a two-way stop on his motorcycle and was struck by a vehicle. In the ensuing months, he went through speech therapy, physical therapy, other therapies. "Early on, I had to go from mumbles to slushy words to speaking correctly; I had to learn walk, learn to talk again." He points to a jagged scar down the side of his head, mostly hidden by his long auburn hair: "This is one of the only signs you can see." He tells me about the loss of dexterity, coordination, speech, and endurance. "I napped an hour before you got here," he says. He can't endure long days without one.

For John, one of the brightest moments of his recovery was when he learned about

one way to rebuild and strengthen the neural pathways between the left and right sides of his brain—cribbage. "Cribbage!" he tells me he exclaimed, "I gotta get my grandpa's board!"

For all the boards I've seen, John has one of the best. He plays on a board crafted by his great-grandfather (Orton K. Stark—Irish Catholic). It's composed of a thin piece of metal riveted to a slab of thick, finished hardwood. One of the sides features a sliding metal tab that hides a space for a deck of cards and four of the original metal pegs. It is over 125 years old.

John is the owner of the Coffee Gallery coffee shop in downtown Minneapolis, where he hosts a traumatic brain injury recovery workshop every week or so. Cribbage is part of the workshop. "If we stick together and help each other out," he says, "we'll get through this crazy-ass thing called life."

I sip a little beer, nod my head to the Dylan streaming from his stereo. "Your move," he says.



A writer living in St. Paul MN, Jordan is working on a book, *Cribbageland: The People, Craft, and Culture of a Curious Game*. Read more about it at **cribbageland**.com or on Facebook and Twitter @JordanWiklund.



Western Region	Central Region	Eastern Region
MRPs Name	MRPs Name	MRPs Name
 1 1829 Duane Toll, OR 1139 Roland Hall, CA 978 Jim Crawford, CA 	1 714 Donald Flesch, WI 2 613 Richard Frost, WI 3 609 Haley Hintze, IL	1 798 Donna LaFleur, CT 2 749 Robert Medeiros, MA 3 624 Charlie Finley, CT
4 871 DeLynn Colvert, MT 5 866 Frank Ornie, OR	4 575 Beth Widener, WI 5 502 Jeff Shimp, MI	4 585 Phyllis Schmidt, MA 5 476 Bruce Sattler, MD
6 846 Mel Ashley, CA	5 502 Jeff Shimp, MI 6 487 Wayne Steinmetz, WI	6 474 Howard Terry, FL
7 801 Todd Malmgren, OR	7 476 Doug Page, WI	7 421 Keith Widener, NC
8 774 Jeanne Jelke, WA	8 459 Marvin Lang, IL	8 404 Keith Miller, NC
9 630 Mills Brubaker, WA	8 459 Roger Grandgeorge, IA	9 393 Janet Viands, VA
10 624 Cy Madrone, CA 11 621 Beth Fleischer, CA	10 442 Patrick Barrett, WI 11 426 Emilio Perez, IL	10 382 Chuck Yeomans, VA 11 368 David O'Neil, GA
12 598 Erik Royland Locke, OR	12 376 Douglas Henderson, WI	12 360 Lee Dillon, MA
13 592 James Langley, CA	13 366 Tony Danihel, WI	13 358 Peter Legendre, ME
14 522 Ira Deutsch, OR	14 346 Austin Adams, MI	14 352 Robert Wahlgren, MA
15 520 Herschel Mack, OR	15 340 Earl Fox, MN	15 349 Jack Howsare, VA
16 511 Bruce Goff, WA	16 333 Sue Schenk, MI	16 319 Roger Bouchard, CT
17 508 Leslie Sumner, NV 18 502 Bernie Nelson, OR	17 322 Donald Patrin, MN 17 322 Bob Joslin, MN	17 318 Larry Phifer, NC18 299 Dennis Caprigno, MA
19 501 Cres Fernandez, CA	19 318 Rhynold Shave, WI	19 296 David Fournier, FL
20 496 Tom Langford, CA	20 301 David Aiken, MI	20 294 Paul Batterson, CT
21 486 Jack Moritzky, WA	21 293 Jerome Tork, WI	21 289 Robert Milk, VA
22 483 Pamela Pomeroy, CA	22 263 Todd Schaefer, MN	22 285 John Blowers, FL
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32 398 Peter Stemler, NV	32 233 Scott Hudson, IL	32 223 Hazel Carlson, FL
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36 374 Clay Lindgren, NV	35 216 Gary Haelfrisch, WI	36 216 Harold Cook, MA
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37 368 Mike McDaniel, OR	38 208 Gaylord Matti, FL	38 214 Mark Soule, ME
39 363 Richard Shea, CA	39 204 Alice Korn, IL	39 210 Sandra Lewis, FL
40 361 Ronald Hoglund, CA	40 202 Richard Horvath, WI	39 210 Carl Deyette, CT
40 361 Eric Drazek, AB 42 355 James Clark, CA	41 192 Eric Jensen, MI 42 190 Dan Taylor, MN	41 208 David Clemmey, MA 42 203 Joy Barnes, FL
43 345 Richard Wardenburg, CA	43 188 Mike Burns, MN	43 193 Bill Medeiros, NC
44 331 William O'Malley, OR	44 180 Terry Weber, WI	44 186 Mark Mano, FL
45 327 Tom Gannon, MT	45 179 Larry LaGassie, WI	45 185 Robert Drukman, MA
46 318 Peggy Shea, CA	45 179 Mike Comer, SD	46 180 Jim Lunder, FL
47 317 Annett Eiffert, CA	47 177 Sharon Schaefer, WI	47 177 Clyde Royce, VA
48 310 Adrian Levy, CA	47 177 Edward Markielewski, WI	47 177 George Edge, RI
48 310 Diana Webster, OR 50 307 Artland Kaai, CA	49 176 John Syftestad, WI 50 174 Duaine Jacob, WI	49 175 Paul Barnes, FL 50 173 Jerry Hardy, ME
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Tournament Trail

CALENDAR OF SANCTIONED EVENTS

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Unless otherwise indicated, tournaments (a) are round-robin format, (b) include a consolation, and (c) are singles competition. Most generally have satellite events. Details are accurate at time of publication, but check with the tournament director before making travel plans. For more information, visit cribbage.org.

April 13–15, Washington State Championship

Moose Lodge, 1400 Grand Ave, Centralia WA 98531. Main \$62. Contact: Chris McComas (360.577.5922), 403 Barr Dr, Kelso WA 98626 *or* Laurie Crosslin

April 13-15, Eau Claire Fest

Plaza Hotel (715.834.0498), 1202 W Clairemont Ave, Eau Claire WI 54701. Main \$60. Contact: Dennis & Maxine Ulberg (715.695.3588), N47999 Hamlin Rd, Eleva WI 54738 *or* Greg Ulberg

April 13-15, Colonial Classic

Days Hotel, 201 Water Country Pkwy, Williamsburg VA 23185. Main \$60. Contact: Bill Whiting (757.564.8955), 109 Barlows Run, Williamsburg VA 23188

April 14, New England Spring Fever

VFW, 123 Holliston St, Medway MA 02053. Main \$55. Contact: Holli Remington (508.528.3288), 301 Union St #203, Franklin MA 02038 *or* Laurie Hardy

April 14, G&P Open

Frantone's, 10808 Alondra Blvd, Cerritos CA. Main \$60. Contact: Gary Sumner (714.313.8863), 3224 Yorba Linda Rd #624, Fullerton CA 92831 *or* Pamela Pomeroy (562.929.2901)

April 15, Spring U.S. Open

Elks, 841 W Merced Ave, West Covina CA 91790. Main \$45. Contact: Norm Nikodym (909.319.6488), 2132 S Wisteria Ct, Ontario CA 91761 *or* Mary Prisk

April 20-22, Martha & Warren Memorial

Ramada (414.764.1500), 6331 S 13th St, Milwaukee WI 53221, Main \$60, Contact: Marlene

Lazachek (414.427.4595), 8102 Legend Dr, Franklin WI 53132

April 20-22, Nevada Triangle #1

Winners Casino, 185 W Winnemucca Blvd, Winnemucca NV 89445. Main \$65. Contact: Jerold Montgomery (530.527.6402), 139 Casa Grande Dr, Red Bluff CA 96080 *or* James Langley (530.527.4606)

April 20-22, Bobby Stuart Atlanta Classic

LaQuinta Inn, 6260 Peachtree Dunwoody Rd NE, Atlanta GA 30328. Main \$60. Contact: Barri Gehrand (770.402.1975), 111 Wynnes Ridge Cir SE, Marietta GA 30067 *or* David O'Neil (404.296.4689)

April 21, Daffodil Express Open

Eagles, 202 5th St, Puyallup WA 98371. Main \$52. Contact: Don Zeutschel (253.845.4226), 10520 123rd Street Ct E, Puyallup WA 98374 or Dick Albedyll

April 21, Spring Open

Sands Hotel, 12340 Fort Rd, Edmonton AB T5B 4H5.
Main \$40. Con CANCELED 780.641.5166),
3246 - 10770 winterburn Rd, Edmonton AB T5S
2R8 or Herb Schaar

April 23-24, Nevada Triangle #2

Gold Dust West, 2171 Hwy 50, Carson City NV 89701. Main \$62. Contact: Mike McCammon (775.342.0249), 50 Cour De La Celedon, Sparks NV 89434 *or* Clay Lindgren (775.384.2406)

April 24-26, Nevada Triangle #3

Gold Dust West, 2171 Hwy 50, Carson City NV 89701. Main \$62. Contact: Diane Leal (775.825.1360), 2750 Plumas St #315, Reno NV 89509 or Bryant Gilkeson

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April 27-29, Michigan Open

Comfort Inn (269.965.3201), 2590 Capital Ave SW, Battle Creek MI 49015. Main \$65. Contact: David Boyer (269.788.1289), 110 Greentree Ln #14A, Battle Creek MI 49015 or David Gerke

April 27-29, Maine Spring Fling

Best Western, 580 U.S. Hwy 1 Bypass, Portsmouth NH 03801. Main \$50. Contact: Susan Cousens (207.892.3724), 30 River Rd, Windham ME 04062

April 27-29, Nevada Triangle #3

Biltmore Hotel, Hwy 28, Crystal Bay NV 89402. Main \$72. Contact: N CANCELED 5.342.0249), 50 Cour De La Celedon, Sparks NV 89434

April 27-29, Oregon Championship

Elks, 151 N Main, Prineville OR 97754. Main \$60. Contact: Patti & Graeme Gossett (541.416.0921), 15852 SE Yakima St, Prineville OR 97754

April 28, Alaska State Championship

Moose Lodge, 4211 Arctic Blvd, Anchorage AK 99501. Main \$50. Contact: Arlene & Hank Carle (907.345.2137), 6600 Downey Finch Ln, Anchorage AK 99516

May 4-5, Madison Tournament

Howard Johnson (608.244.2481), 3841 E Washington Ave, Madison WI 53704. Main \$50. Contact: Terry Weber (608.225.8138), 2613 Golden Gate Way, Madison WI 53713

May 4-6, Oregon Coast Classic

Chinook Winds Casino, 1777 NW 44th, Lincoln City OR 97367. Main \$52. Contact: Jeanne Hofbauer (360.835.3623), 30937 NE 23rd St, Washougal WA 98671 or Bernie Nelson (503.440.0517)

May 5-6. Black River Country Classic

Castle Hill Supper Club, N9581 U.S. Hwy 12, Merrillan WI 5475 CANCELED tt. Lewis & Dianne Gurney (713.957.4104), W7178 Pine Creek Rd. Neillsville WI 54456

May 6, Ocean State Classic

Lefoyer Club, 151 Fountain St, Pawtucket RI 02860. Main \$48. Contact: John & Linda Chambers (401.231.6667), 32 Homestead Ave, Smithfield RI 02917

May 11-12, River City Open

Elks, 11440 Elks Cir, Rancho Cordova CA 95742. Main \$47. Contact: Annett Eiffert (916.521.3208), PO Box 3243, Citrus Heights CA 95611

May 12, Channel Islands Open

Marie Callenders, 1295 S Victoria Ave, Ventura CA 93003. Main \$60. Contact: Cy Madrone (805.962.1733), PO Box 40307, Santa Barbara CA 93140 *or* Kerry O'Connell (805.643.7683)

May 20, Connecticut Championship

Dante Club, 1198 Memorial Dr, West Springfield

MA. Main \$55. Contact: Bob Fitzgerald, 55 Lorraine Ct, East Hartford CT 06118 *or* Bill Shoemaker (860.243.9505)

May 18-20, Potawatomi Peggers Powwow

Super 8, 4290 Red Arrow Hwy, Stevensville MI 49127. Main \$60. Contact: Jeff & Joy Shimp (616.850.9229), 13723 Lincoln St, Grand Haven MI 49417

May 18-20, Win River Spring Fling

Win River Casino, 2100 Redding Rancheria Rd, Redding CA 96001. Main \$65. Contact: Scott Milo (707.330.4218), 2928 Hammonton Smartville Rd #20, Marysville CA 95901 or Cecil & Julie Felkins

May 18-20, Washington State Open

VFW, 615 North Ave, Sunnyside WA 98944. Main \$65. Contact: James & Cher Morrow (509.837.4224), 313 N 15th St. Sunnyside WA 98944

May 18-20, North Carolina Open

Holiday Inn Airport, 6426 Burnt Popular Rd, Greensboro NC 27409. Main \$60. Contact: Henry Douglass (336.349.7581), 726 Russell Ave, Reidsville NC 27320 or Cathy Perkins

May 20, Hawai'i Open

Fleet Reserve, 891 Valkenburgh St, Honolulu HI 96818. Main \$40. Contact: Alice Souza (808.343.3023), 5067A Iroquois Ave, Ewa Beach HI 96706 or Mary Jane Esera

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May 25-27, Greater Spokane Valley Open

Eagles, 16801 E Sprague Ave, Spokane Valley WA 99037. Main \$50. Contact: Lynn Raymond (509.928.4983), 4105 N McDonald Rd #20, Spokane Valley WA 99216 or Dave Schwartz (509.328.4022)

May 25-26, Kenosha One Day

Brat Stop, 12304 75th Ave, Kenosha WI 53142. Main \$65. Contact: Don Urban (815.568.0494), 818 Whitetail Dr. Marengo IL 60152 *or* Dan Selke

May 27-28. Kenosha Two Day

Brat Stop, 12304 75th Ave, Kenosha WI 53142. Main \$65. Contact: Don Urban (815.568.0494), 818 Whitetail Dr, Marengo IL 60152 or Dan Selke

June 1-3, Mount St. Helens

Legion Hall, 1250 12th, Longview WA 98632. Main \$55. Contact: Chris McComas (360.577.5922),

Sunrise Youth Tourney

May 19—Sunrise Elementary School, Puyallup WA 98374. No entry fee; snacks and lunch included. Contact: Don Zeutschel (253.845.4226)

403 Barr Dr, Kelso WA 98626 or Duane Toll (541.580.3221)

June 1-3, Nugget Classic

Senior Center, 877 Nunneley Rd, Paradise CA 95969. Main \$70. Contact: Dennis Phillips (530.873.2088), PO Box 1306, Magalia CA 95954 or Bethany Rolfson (530.872.3685)

June 2, NNECC One Day

Best Western, 580 Hwy 1 Bypass, Portsmouth NH 03801. Main \$55. Contact: David Campbell (207.730.2051), 1321 North Rd, Parsonsfield ME 04047 or Lana Newhouse

June 3, Southern New Hampshire Tournament Best Western, 580 Hwy 1 Bypass, Portsmouth NH 03801. Main \$55. Contact: Mark & Vicki Soule (207.442.9001), 89 Sam Moore Rd, Woolwich ME 04579 or David Campbell

June 8-10, Lake Superior Challenge

Elks, 597 Lakeshore Dr, Ishpeming MI 49849. Main \$60. Contact: Don Hannula (906.296.9107), 911 Front St, Lake Linden MI 49945 *or* Pat Healey

June 8-10, Capital City Classic

Best Western (515.964.1717), 133 SE Delaware, Ankeny IA 50021. Main \$65. Contact: Dick Ogden (515.419.6818), PO Box 35211, Des Moines IA 50315

June 8-10, Charlottesville Summer Kickoff

VFW, 1170 River Rd, Charlottesville VA 22902. Main \$60. Contact: Robin Emery (434.971.7000), 125 Wood Duck PI #201, Charlottesville VA 22902 or Scott Noble

June 9, Western Washington Open

Crystal Grange, 2106 Paulson Rd, Poulsbo WA 98370. Main \$50. Contact: Robert Maupin (360.876.6318), 4920 Sherlyn Ave SE, Port Orchard WA 98367 *or* Larry West

June 10, Daffodil Express Open

Eagles, 202 5th St NW, Puyallup WA 98371. Main \$50. Contact: Don Zeutschel (253.845.4226), 10520 123rd Street Ct E, Puyallup WA 98374 or Dick Albedyll

June 15-17, Medford Lions Tale

Southern Oregon Lions Sight & Hearing Ctr, 228 N Holly, Medford OR 97501. Main \$52. Contact: Herschel & Rickie Mack (541.855.1103), 5529 Sams Valley Rd, Gold Hill OR 97525 *or* Julie Felkins

June 22-24, Schaefer/Steinmetz Shuffle

Kettle Moraine Bowl, 1021 E Commerce Blvd, Slinger WI 53086. Main \$55. Contact: Al & Sharon Schaefer (262.677.9766), N162W20333 Butternut Ln, Jackson WI 53037 *or* Wayne Steinmetz

June 24, Hawai'i Open

Fleet Reserve, 891 Valkenburgh St, Hono-

lulu HI 96818. Main \$40. Contact: Alice Souza (808.343.3023), 5067A Iroquois Ave, Ewa Beach HI 96706 *or* Mary Jane Esera

June 24, Live Free or Die

Elks, 120 Daniel Webster Hwy, Nashua NH 03060. Main \$53. Contact: Paula & Henry Bergeron (603.648.6633), 1466 Battle St, Webster NH 03303

June 29-July 1, Cascade Classic

VFW, 1836 Veterans Way, Redmond OR 97756. Main \$55. Contact: Bill Kaufman (541.480.8642), 2908 SW Windrow Ct, Redmond OR 97756 or Margery Clark

July 1. Baltimore Summer Special

Golden Dragon, 8109 Liberty Rd, Windsor Mill MD 21244. Main \$62. Contact: Bruce Sattler (410.371.8954; b.sattler@verizon.net), 3732 Foxford Stream Rd, Nottingham MD 21236

July 4-6, Susanville Summer Classic

Diamond Mountain Casino, 900 Skyline Rd, Susanville CA 96130. Main \$62. Contact: Steve Hastie (530.310.0111), PO Box 813, Herlong CA 96113 or James Fanning

July 6-8, Independence Day Classic

Sands Regency, 345 N Arlington, Reno NV 89501. Main \$62. Contact: Valerie & Les Sumner (775.742.4241), 90 Cercle De La Cerese, Sparks NV 89434 *or* Peggy Shea

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The Sands donates to veterans charities \$10 for every player in their July and November tourneys. You can support veterans by attending these tourneys!

July 9-11, Topaz Summer Open

Topaz Lodge, 1979 Hwy 395, Topaz NV 89410. Main \$50. Contact: Les Sumner (775.342.2532), 90 Cercle De La Cerese, Sparks NV 89434 or Val Sumner

July 13-15, Walla Walla Midsummer Classic

Eagles, 350 S 2nd St, Walla Walla WA 99362. Main \$65. Contact: John Reed (541.938.7048), 85548 Highway 339, Milton Freewater OR 97862 or Zeke Blocklinger

July 13-15, Portland Open

Moose Lodge, 16411 NE Halsey, Portland OR 97220. Main \$65. Contact: Stephanie Akin (503.257.1141), 727 NE 128th Ave, Portland OR 97230 *or* Jeanne Hofbauer

July 14, Run for the Gold

Fire Department, 33950 Alta Bonny Nook Rd, Alta continued on page 26

CA 95701. Main \$60. Contact: Greg Schleusner (530.563.8432), PO Box 1526, Truckee CA 96160 *or* Rich Ekman (530.401.3627)

July 20-22, Brat Stop Open

Brat Stop (282.857.2011), 12304 75th St, Kenosha WI 53142. Main \$65. Contact: Don Urban (815.568.0494), 818 Whitetail Dr, Marengo IL 60152

July 20-22, Devil Mountain Caper

Senior Center, 415 W 2nd St, Antioch CA 94509. Main \$70. Contact: Thomas West (925.437.5491), 1028 Amberwood Ct. Antioch CA 94531

July 25-26, Midweek Challenge

VFW, 615 North Ave, Sunnyside WA 98944. Main \$55. Contact: Bob & Betty Brumley (541.643.5566), 1301 Lester Rd, Sunnyside WA 98944

July 27-29, Pahrump Open

Pahrump Nugget, 681 S Hwy 160, Pahrump NV. Main \$60. Contact: Denise Fortin (775.209.4444), 3581 Mallard Ave, Pahrump NV 89048 *or* Norm Nikodym

July 27-29, Summer Classic

VFW, 615 North Ave, Sunnyside WA 98944. Main \$65. Contact: James & Cher Morrow (509.837.4224), 313 N 15th St, Sunnyside WA 98944

July 27-30, National Open

Hilton North Raleigh, 3415 Wake Forest Rd, Raleigh NC 27609. Main \$70. Contact: Catherine & Russ Perkins (919.837.5790), 1030 Barker Rd, Bear Creek NC 27207 or Jerry Gooden

July 28, Vacaville Summer Open

Leisure Town Center, 100 Sequoia Dr, Vacaville CA 95687. Main \$62. Contact: Stan Katzman (408.472.2020), 311 Spyglass Dr, Rio Vista CA 94571 *or* Jackie Doppelt (707.447.7568)

July 29, Hawai'i Open

Fleet Reserve, 891 Valkenburgh St, Honolulu HI 96818. Main \$40. Contact: Alice Souza (808.343.3023), 5067A Iroquois Ave, Ewa Beach HI 96706 *or* Mary Jane Esera

July 30, Come Monday

North Raleigh Hilton, 3415 Wake Forest Rd, Raleigh NC 27609. Main \$50. **No consolation**. contact: John Morch (919.906.6555), 7417 Fontana Ridge Ln, Raleigh NC 27613

August 3-5, Cowboy Country Open

Eagles, 1600 Thomas Ave, Cheyenne WY 82001. Main \$65. Contact: Peggy Johnson (307.256.2918), 6800 Legend Ln, Cheyenne WY 82009

August 3-5, Humboldt Classic

Blue Lake Casino, 777 Casino Way, Blue Lake CA 95525. Main \$60. Contact: Rick & Peggy Shea

(707.444.3161), 6282 Humboldt Hill Rd, Eureka CA 95503

August 4, Schaefer/Steinmetz Shuffle Special

Kettle Moraine Bowl, 1021 E Commerce Blvd, Slinger WI 53086. Main \$50. Contact: Al & Sharon Schaefer (262.677.9766), N162W20333 Butternut Ln, Jackson WI 53037 *or* Wayne Steinmetz

August 5, Steinmetz/Schaefer Shuffle Special

Kettle Moraine Bowl, 1021 E Commerce Blvd, Slinger WI 53086. Main \$50. Contact: Wayne Steinmetz (414.353.9301), 6604 N 58th St, Milwaukee WI 53223 or Al Schaefer (262.677.9766)

August 5, Patriot Kickoff

Dante Club, 1198 Memorial Ave, West Springfield MA 01089. Main \$55. Contact: Carl Deyette (860.568.7418), 55 Legion Dr, East Hartford CT 06118 or Walter Brideaux

August 10-12, Cereal City Classic

Comfort Inn, 2590 Capital Ave, Battle Creek MI 49105. Main \$60. Contact: David Boyer (269.788.1289), 110 Greentree Ln #14A, Battle Creek MI 49015 or Dave Gerke

August 10-12, Gem State Challenge

Eagles, 7025 Overland Rd, Boise ID 83709. Main \$55. Contact: Kathy Atwood (208.353.4862), 876 S Curtis Rd, Boise ID 83705 *or* Ron & Laurie Logan (406.241.5006)

August 11, SoCal Open

Bixby Village Clubhouse, 5951 Bixby Village Dr, Long Beach CA 90803. Main \$50. Contact: Don Brown (562.597.1603), 6001 Avenida De Castillo, Long Beach CA 90803 *or* Pam Pomeroy

August 12. Summer U.S. Open

Elks, 841 W Merced Ave, West Covina CA 91790. Main \$45. Contact: Norm Nikodym (909.319.6488), 2132 S Wisteria Ct, Ontario CA 91761 *or* Mary Prisk

August 17-19, Madison Masters

Howard Johnson (608.244.2481), 3841 E Washington Ave, Madison WI 53704. Main \$60. Contact: Mike Blackburn (608.557.3940), W9595 County Road C, Cambridge WI 53523

August 17-19, Peach State Classic

LaQuinta Inn, 6260 Peachtree Dunwoody Rd NE, Atlanta GA 30328. Main \$60. Contact: David O'Neil (404.296.4689), 1069 Texel Ln, Clarkston GA 30021 or Carl Squire (404.983.5058)

August 24-26, Mt. Rainier Open

AmVets, 5717 S Tyler St, Tacoma WA 98409. Main \$65. Contact: Hal Lamon (253.839.1940), 29228 62nd Pl S, Auburn WA 98001 or Ed Johnson

August 24-26, Len Wahlig Memorial

Brat Stop (282.857.2011), 12304 75th St, Keno-

sha WI 53142. Main \$70. Contact: Dave Carey (847.669.3671), 13592 Delaney Rd, Huntley IL 60142

August 24–26, Colorado West Peach Classic Clarion Inn 755 Horizon Dr, Grand Junction CO 81506. Main \$65. Contact: Dan Vogel (970,261,1670), PO Box 4485. Grand Junction CO

81502 or Barb Chaplik

August 26, Hawai'i Open

Fleet Reserve, 891 Valkenburgh St, Honolulu HI 96818. Main \$40. Contact: Alice Souza (808.343.3023), 5067A Iroquois Ave, Ewa Beach HI 96706 *or* Mary Jane Esera

August 31-September 2, Labor Day Special

Mill Casino, 3201 Tremont Ave, North Bend OR 97459. Main \$45. Contact: Larry & Donna Hassett (541.672.1474), 729 W Union St, Roseburg OR 97471

August 31-Sept. 2, Montana Capital Classic

Eagles Manor, 715 Fee St, Helena MT 59601. Main \$60. Contact: Tom Gannon (406.442.1907), PMB 2106, 1 Jackson Creek Rd, Clancy MT 59634 or Carole Herron (406.495.9478)

September 7-9, Minnesota Open

Moose Lodge, 1946 English St, Maplewood MN 55109. Main \$65. Contact: Jerry Gruber (612.722.1292), 5121 Nokomis Ave, Minneapolis MN 55417 or Al Booth (763.783.7042)

September 9, Daniel Webster Open

Elks, 120 Daniel Webster Hwy, Nashua NH 03060. Main \$57. Contact: Henry & Paula Bergeron (603.648.6633), 1466 Battle St, Webster NH 03303

September 19-20, 31 Away (GN Midweek)

Comfort Suites (920.449.3237), 1951 Bond St, Green Bay WI 54313. Main \$65. Contact: Al Karr (920.434.3402), 2866 Shade Tree Ct, Green Bay WI 54313

September 20-23, GN 31

Radisson Paper Valley Hotel, 333 W College Ave, Appleton WI 54911. Main \$80. Contact: Joan Rein (952.448.2459), PO Box 306, Carver MN 55315 or Richard Frost or Bob Kiley

September 30, Hawai'i Open

Fleet Reserve, 891 Valkenburgh St, Honolulu HI 96818. Main \$40. Contact: Alice Souza (808.343.3023), 5067A Iroquois Ave, Ewa Beach HI 96706 *or* Mary Jane Esera

September 30, New Hampshire Open

Brookline Event Center, 32 Proctor Hill Rd (Rt 130), Brookline NH 03033. Main \$55. Contact: David Statz (davidstatz@hotmail.com or 603.247.4335), 108 Parlmont Park, North Billerica MA 01862 or Jim Hatch (check_raze@yahoo.com or 603.247.0060)

October 5-7, Columbus Day Tourney

Elks, 63120 Boyd Acres Rd, Bend OR 97701. Main \$65. Contact: Margery Clark (541.385.0330), 60945 Granite Dr. Bend OR 97702 *or* Rick Baird

October 6, Wonderful Woodland Won-Day

TBA. Main \$62. Contact: Cecil & Julie Felkins (707.372.4184), 247 Porter Ct, Woodland CA 95695

October 12-14, Capital City Classic

Best Western (515.964.1717), 133 SE Delaware, Ankeny IA 50021. Main \$65. Contact: Dick Ogden (515.419.6818), PO Box 35211, Des Moines IA 50315

October 19-21, Crescent City Open

Del Norte County Fairgrounds, 421 Hwy 101 N, Crescent City CA 95531. Main \$60. Contact: Jim Waldvogel (707.464.9168), 160 Hinky Rd, Crescent City CA 95531 *or* Jerald Cutsforth (707.464.2808)

October 19-21, Emerald Coast Open

Elks, 1335 Miracle Strip Pkwy SE, Fort Walton Beach FL 32548. Main \$60. Contact: Scott & Jenny Bailey (850.582.5945), 1951 Waterford Ridge Rd, Fort Walton Beach FL 32547

October 20, Cribbage from the Crypt

Eagles, 112 E 8th St, Port Angeles WA 98362. Main \$50. Contact: Lisa Duff (360.808.7128), PO Box 2008, Port Angeles WA 98362

October 20, Daffodil Express Open

Eagles, 202 5th St NW, Puyallup WA 98371. Main \$50. Contact: Don Zeutschel (253.845.4226), 10520 123rd Street Ct E, Puyallup WA 98374 or Dave McDonald

October 20, Black Butte Bonanza

Tollgate Clubhouse, 69316 Stirrup Rd, Sisters Or 97759. Main \$45. Contact: Winona McDaniel (541.736.1363), 1771 Kellogg Rd, Springfield OR 97477 or Carolyn Blackman

October 21, Fall U.S. Open

Elks, 841 W Merced Ave, West Covina CA 91790. Main \$45. Contact: Norm Nikodym (909.319.6488), 2132 S Wisteria Ct, Ontario CA 91761 *or* Mary Prisk

October 26-28, Abe Kealoha Extravaganza

Fleet Reserve, 891 Valkenburgh St, Honolulu HI 96818. Main \$50. Contact: Alice Souza (808.343.3023), 5067A Iroquois Ave, Ewa Beach HI 96706 or Mary Jane Esera

October 26-28, Salem Classic

Elks, 2336 Turner Rd SE, Salem OR 97302. Main \$70. Contact: Rick & Kim Simmons (503.364.1510), continued on page 28

7525 Spelbrink Ln SE, Salem OR 97317 *or* Craig Jensen (503.409.3749)

October 26-28, North Pole Open

Riverfront Inn (800.338.3305), 1821 Riverside Dr, Marinette WI 54143. Main \$60. Contact: Jeanne & Roger Wauters (920.863.3703), 4753 Denmark Rd, Denmark WI 54208

November 2-4. Sunshine State Classic

Heritage Park Inn, 2050 Irlo Bronson Hwy, Kissimmee FL 34744. Main \$55. Contact: Ray & Nancy Wanke (407.433.6791), 1983 Boggy Creek Rd #A4, Kissimmee FL 34744

November 2-4, Rosemary Hendricks Memorial Chautauqua Lodge, 304 NW 14th St, Long Beach WA 98631. Main \$65. Contact: James Morrow (509.837.4224), 313 N 15th St, Sunnyside WA 98944 or Jason Hofbauer (360.521.7129)

November 2-4, Gold Dust West Fall Festival Gold Dust West, 2171 E William St, Carson City NV 89701. Main \$62. Contact: Diane Leal (775.825.1360), 2750 Plumas St #315, Reno NV 89509 or Mike McCammon

November 4, George Bickford Memorial

Dante Club, 1198 Memorial Dr, West Springfield MA 01089. Main \$50. Contact: Charlie & Judi Finley (860.745.1143), 16 Carol St, Enfield CT 06082

November 7-9, Susanville Fall Classic

Diamond Mountain Casino, 900 Skyline, Susanville CA 96130. Main \$62. Contact: Steve Hastie (530.291.9397), PO Box 813, Herlong CA 96113 or Diane Leal

November 9-11, Veterans Day Classic

Sands Regency, 345 N Arlington, Reno NV 89501. Main \$62. Contact: Les Sumner (775.342.2532), 90 Cercle De La Cerese, Sparks NV 89434 *or* Valerie Sumner

November 12-14, Topaz Winter Open

Topaz Lodge, 1979 Hwy 395, Topaz NV 89410. Main \$50. Contact: Val Sumner (775.342.2532), 90 Cercle De La Cerese, Sparks NV 89434 *or* Les Sumner

November 16-18, Pre-Turkey Shootout

Surfside Oceanfront, 1211 Atlantic Ave, Virginia Beach VA 23452. Main \$60. Contact: Jack Howsare (757.696.2999), 248 Palace Green Blvd, Virginia Beach VA 23452

November 17, Vacaville Fall Classic

Leisure Town Center, 100 Sequoia Dr, Vacaville CA 95687. Main \$62. Contact: Stan Katzman (408.472.2020), 311 Spyglass Dr, Rio Vista CA 94571 *or* Jackie Doppelt (707.447.7568)

November 23-25, Thanksgiving Classic

Mill Casino & Hotel, 3201 Tremont Ave, North Bend

OR 97459. Main \$50. Contact: Larry & Donna Hassett (acc@cmspan.net or 541.672.1474), 729 W Union St, Roseburg OR 97471

November 30-Dec. 2, Greater Orlando Open Hampton Inn, 151 N Douglas Ave, Altamonte Springs FL 32714. Main \$60. Contact: David & Nicole Fournier (407.695.1902), 808 Osceola Trl, Casselberry FL 32707

November 30-December 2, Jingle Bell Open

Riverfront Inn (800.338.3305), 1821 Riverside Ave, Marinette WI 54143. Main \$55. Contact: Al Karr (920.434.3402), 2866 Shade Tree Ct, Green Bay WI 54313 *or* Lee Tesch

December 2, Hawai'i Cribbage Championship Fleet Reserve, 891 Valkenburgh St, Honolulu HI 96818. Main \$50. Contact: Alice Souza (808.343.3023), 5067A Iroquois Ave, Ewa Beach HI 96706 or Mary Jane Esera

December 8, Western Washington Open

Crystal Grange, 2106 Paulson Rd, Poulsbo WA 98370. Main \$50. Contact: Bob Maupin (360.876.6318), 4920 Sherlyn Ave SE, Port Orchard WA 98367 *or* Larry West

December 16, Santa Claus Special

Heritage Park Inn, 2050 E Rte 192, Kissimmee FL 34744. Main \$55. Contact: Ray & Nancy Wanke (407.433.6791), 1983 Boggy Creek Rd #A4, Kissimmee FL 34744

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January 4-6, Peg for the Border

Masonic Lodge, 4731 Date Ave, La Mesa CA 92041. Main \$68. Contact: Shelley & Roz Berman (619.444.7655), 1145 Naranca Ave, El Cajon CA 92021 *or* John Kern

January 12, Daffodil Express Open

Eagles, 202 5th St NW, Puyallup WA 98371. Main \$50. Contact: Don Zeutschel (253.845.4226), 10520 123rd Street Ct E, Puyallup WA 98374 or Dick Albedyll

January 11-13, Virginia Championships

Wyndham Crossings, 1000 Virginia Center Pkwy, Glen Allen VA 23059. Main \$60. Contact: Rick Allen (804.323.7476), 3013 Landria Dr, Richmond VA 23225 or Janet Meinert

January 20, Finley Family Superlite Classic

Dante Club, 1198 Memorial Ave, West Springfield MA 01089. Main \$50. Contact: Peter & Patti Vangsness (413.525.7787), 235 Canterbury Cir, East Longmeadow MA 01028

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January 19-February 2, Hawai'ian Cruise

Four tourneys aboard Carnival Splendor (ncl.com) —roundtrip from Los Angeles. Main \$60 each. Tour-

ney contact: Winona & Mike McDaniel (541.736. 1363) *or* Brittany & Rick Pierce (541.514.0274). Cruise contact: Roger Wilson (303.254.4670; cruisesbyroger@aol.com), 11386 Grove St Unit B, Westminster CO 80031

- •Coconut Shuffle (January 20-21)
- •Tropical Madness (January 22-23)
- •Hawai'ian Blowout (January 29-30)
- •Pineapple Express (January 31–February 1)

January 25–27, Northern California Open

Win River Casino, 2100 Redding Rancheria Rd, Redding CA 96001. Main \$60. Contact: Anna Dunn

(530.549.3154), PO Box 460, Bella Vista CA 96008 or Jerry Montgomery (530.527.6402)

March 1-3, Illinois Open

Holiday Inn (815.477.7000), 800 S Rte 31, Crystal Lake IL 60014. Main \$70. Contact: Marv Lang (815.338.2425), 1035 Rose Ct, Woodstock IL 60098

Requests to hold a sanctioned tournament should be directed to the appropriate regional commissioner. See contact info on page 23.

"You aren't going to get your grandfather to play Mortal Kombat."

—Dan Zeisler (Grass Valley CA), director of the ACC's youth program, on the cross-generational benefit of teaching kids to play cribbage

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