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ELECTIONS

Ballots will be mailed within the next few days to each member of the American Cribbage Congress for the 1986 elections to the Board of Directors.

31 members in good standing from 17 states have "tossed hats into the ring" and have declared their candidacies for 12 board positions.

Jim Arblaster - Kissimmee, Florida

A founding member and charter member of the ACC, a Board of Directors member since the inception of the ACC, the first secretary-treasurer and first editor of Cribbage World, former Rules committee chairperson and organizer of the Cribadier Generals.

I have always fought for and pledge to continue to speak up for the rights of all cribbage players wherever they reside.

Gene "Moose" Beigler - West Bend, Wisconsin

Tournament Director of the biggest little one-day tournament in the ACC, charter member, co-chairman for the development of international tournaments.

Barbara Buntrock - Cedarburg, Wisconsin

Education: BBA - Accounting. CPA. Occupation: Internal Audit Manager. Past Treasurer of Condominium Association. Campaign promises: Will attend all meetings and work for the betterment of the ACC.

Interest is high, among all those in the running, toward improving the ACC and making it an even better organization in the future.

Listed below, in alphabetical order, are the names of the 31 candidates and a brief autobiography where one was received by the Cribbage World.

John E. Chambers - Esmund, Rhode Island

Charter member and original director of the ACC, Judge at the National Open Cribbage Tournament, Founder and President of the Rhode Island Cribbage Association, Director of the Rhode Island Cribbage Open, Author of "Cribbage: A New Concept."

Al Dinwoodie - Slocum, Rhode Island

I'm 43 years old, married, with two grown children and live in Slocum, RI. I've been a Golf Course Superintendent for 20 years. I have recently returned to Quiddnessett Country Club in North Kingstown, RI, a private 18-hole golf course.

I went to my first cribbage tournament four years ago—the 2nd Annual Rhode Island Cribbage Open. Until then I never knew there was competitive cribbage played. I've been hooked on competitive cribbage since then. We've met so many nice people at the tournaments and have traveled all over the country.

DeLynn Colvert - Missoula, Montana

I am director of the Montana Open and Montana Championship tournaments. I have authored a book "Playing Winning Cribbage," representing a 20-year study of data resulting in my "26 Theory." I was the first Congress member from Montana.

Shirley Fitzpatrick - Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Use my past experience in organized activities to help build on the foundation already created by the ACC and to promote the game of cribbage along with goodwill of the members.

Robert Gilbert - Ankeny, Iowa

Retired; I have attended all meetings since my appointment to the Board of Directors. I am publicity director for the Cornbelt Classic and I have worked diligently to sign up new members and to increase tournament attendance. The Grass Roots is of great interest to me and I pledge to promote the ACC whenever possible.

Dick Graham - Englewood, Colorado

Age 59, lawyer, present Chairman of the Board, charter member, Director of the Rocky Mountain Cribbage Tournaments (3) for nine years, Director of the 1985 ACC Grand National, former Coordinator of the Tournament of Champions at Las Vegas.

Harriette G. Haight - Ann Arbor, Michigan

Broker-Owner, Haight Realty, Ann Arbor, Michigan. Director of four sanctioned tournaments since 1984. Signed up 29 new ACC members and added many more through my promotion. Tom and I are active participants in many cribbage tournaments. I plan to organize a local "Grass Roots" club in the fall.

Scott Kooistra - Yankton, South Dakota

Charter member and ACC Director for 4 years; All-American Team 3 times; Co-Director of Minnesota Open and Capital City Tournaments; Director of the 1986 ACC Grand National. I hope to increase tournament participation through better organization and added enjoyment.

Bill Irons - Sparks, Nevada

Born in a chicken coop, Crow Wing County, MN. Sioux Indian, disabled American veteran, parachutist in WWII, professional boxer. Worked Indian roles in the movies and national television. Peggin' 51 years.

Bob Julian - Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Luis Lizarribar, Martinez, Georgia

Born: January 22, 1921 in Juncos, Puerto Rico. Parents: Spanish. College: University of Puerto Rico, BBA. Business: worked both with steamship owners and as steamship agent. Married: Delia Buxo-Selles. Children: Three; Lydia, Lawyer; Luis, CPA; Jose Luis, MD. Hobbies: First, Cribbage; Second, Cribbage; Third, Cribbage.

Syl Lulinski - La Grange Park, Illinois

I am the Tournament Commissioner of the ACC and a member of the Board of Directors. I have played in tournaments in nine states. There are six of the Lulinski clan in the ACC.

Ivan Lux - Minden, Nebraska

Sod-house-born Nebraskan; 40-year cribbage player; founder of the first Nebraska Grass Roots Cribbage Club; ex-school teacher; 25 years of manufacturing experience; retired; father of four grown children.

Bob Madsen - Niles, Illinois

I am a charter member of the ACC and I am presently the Secretary-Treasurer of the ACC. I was the Tournament Director of the Grand National in Chicago in 1984 and a former editor of the Cribbage World. I have been an active member of the Board of Directors and the ACC and I pledge continued diligence if elected.

Bob McCabe - Brown Deer, Wisconsin

Fred McGibney - South Burlington, Vermont

Vermont Cribbage Tournament, Co-founder and Co-director; National Open Tournament, Raleigh, NC, Chairman; Losers, Losers Tournament, 1985, Chairman; Sunday Special Tournament, 1986; Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer, The Merchants Bank in Vermont.

Jack Miller - Northfield, Minnesota

I have been a member of the ACC for over 5 years, have assisted with the operating of a few major tournaments. Being practical about players' concerns, I recognize the need for a good working relationship.

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Dale Munroe - Unionville, Connecticut

I am a self-employed partner in an engineering consulting firm and have the time, energy, and interest to devote to the obligations and responsibilities of a member of the ACC Board of Directors. As the present editor of Cribbage World, I am devoted to making it the best publication possible. Your vote will be appreciated.

Dick Ogden - Des Moines, Iowa

I am 49 years old, have been playing cribbage for 43 years. Member of the ACC for 4 years, director of Des Moines, IA, Charter #17 Grass Roots Cribbage Club. Have played in 11 major cribbage Tournaments. Play approximately 150 games of cribbage a week. I'm a self-employed roofing contractor. I thank everyone for the opportunity to run for the Board of Directors.

Bob Plourde - Unionville, Connecticut

I am a space and layout consultant for a large corporation and the current associate editor of the Cribbage World. I ask for your vote and pledge to work on behalf of all the membership if I am elected to the ACC Board of Directors.

Robert A. Read - Winter Garden, Florida

I am one of the founding members of the ACC, a member of the Board of Directors from 1979-84, served as assistant secretary as Master Rating Point statistician from 1980-83, and a member of the Rules Committee from 1979-84. I have received the "President's Special Award" and was a member of the committee that developed our current master point system. I am active in the Florida Cribbage Association and am currently the director of the Greater Orlando Cribbage Club. I am presently co-authoring a handbook on the "Grass Roots Project." I was the runner-up at the 10th National Open. If elected to the Board, I will strive to further the concept of the "Grass Roots Project."

Joan Rein - Carver, Minnesota

An avid cribbage player who enjoys people, co-directs a couple of tournaments, runs a weekly league and wants to "keep on pegging" for you as a director for the Congress.

M. K. "Butch" Reynolds - Santa Maria, California

Leo Shwedersky (Shad-us-kee) - Lyndon Station, Wisconsin

Incumbent, Director of local Grass Roots, Charter #19, Mr. and Mrs. Cribbage 1983, winner of Tournament of Champions 1983, sponsors Wisconsin Dells Classic Tournament, travels on job promoting cribbage everywhere. Platform: Election of Directors by regions, improving Cribbage World Magazine, stronger youth program, more advertising Congress ideals and programs, and will attend meetings.

Joe Seigle - Coventry, Connecticut

I am dedicated to improving tournaments by encouraging Directors to experiment with formats that will help the average player to finish in the playoffs. I also feel there should be more assistance to Tournament Directors by the ACC.

Jeff Shimp - Allegan, Michigan

A founding member of the ACC; Board of Directors since the inception of the ACC; frequent judge and helper at tournaments; devoted many hours toward rules revisions for consideration of the Board of Directors for revised rules booklet; advocate of player protection policy and uniformity of tournament rules and operations.

John Williams - Robbinsdale, Minnesota

Current member of the Board of Directors; 2 years Assistant Director Minnesota Open 1983-1984; 2 years Director Minnesota Open 1985-1986; 2 years runner-up for Guy Pence Award for recruiting new members.

Paul Woytovich - Hickory, North Carolina

Born: Shamokin, PA. Age: 55. Married with 3 children. Graduate of University of Maryland, BBA. Military Service: U.S. Army, Korean War. Worked as a Federal civil servant (bureaucrat) in the areas of finance, budget, administration starting with the U.S. Navy Department in 1948. Transferred to NASA in 1961 and continued similar work until retirement in 1979. Cribbage enthusiast participating in sanctioned tournaments since 1979. Interested in the expansion and promotion of the game of cribbage not only with the "zillions of cribbage games over the kitchen tables" but with organized grass-roots clubs and ACC sanctioned tournaments.

PRESIDENT'S COLUMN

Joseph Petrus Wergin

THE YOUTH PROGRAM

Several people have been involved attempting to get a Youth Program rolling. Pat and Frank O'Connor in Dedham, MA, have staged tournaments for the young people, and they were probably the most successful. Charlie Steinhauer and Leo Schwedersky had side tournaments for the youth while their major tournaments were operating at Mt. Horeb and Wisconsin Dells, WI. Ralph Madsen and John Swett did the same thing when the Crystal Lake majors were playing. In the two latter promotions, there were only 8 or 10 players. The program has been more or less a failure.

A Youth Program must start at home. The O'Connors taught all their children, and the Swett family did the same. Almost everyone I ask, replies: "My dad taught me" or "Grandfather taught me when I was just a kid."

Every member of the Congress must get into the act. Take the time to teach your own children or grandchildren how to play. The kids will always be grateful to you.

There are a number of teachers on the middle school level who have instructed their students in the fundamentals of cribbage during the recess periods, especially in the northern states. The teachers always remark that grades in mathematics shoot upwards for these cribbage neophytes.

HOW THE MEMBERS OF RSVP CAN HELP!

A program coordinator for the Retired Senior Volunteer Program called me last week and asked me to teach cribbage at the Orchard Ridge Middle School here in Madison. These people are teaching various skills such as golf, knitting, fly casting, bird watching, etc., in which they have particular proficiency. The school allots 2 hours a day for one week each spring to this program. There will be two groups in cribbage, each for one hour of time. That is about the concentration limit for children of this age.

GRASS ROOTS STANDINGS

Through April 19, 1986

THE SWEET SIXTEEN

SATURN DIVISION

1.	Lew Martel, Aurora, CO	116
2.	Larry Hoover, Orlando, F	114
3.	Jerry Gagnon, Orlando, FL	109
4.	Shamus O'Connor, Western NY	107
5.	F. Schweig, Carpentersville, IL	104
6.	B. Bishop, Prineville, OR	101
7.	Bill Dunn, Prineville, OR	97
	Dan Mills, Prineville, OR	97
9.	Bob Hanes, Ankeny, IA	96
10.	Larry Loupee, Newton, IA	94
11.	Haley Johnson, St. Cloud, FL	91
12.	Iris Fuller, Aurora, CO	86
	Hal Halvorsen, Mesa, AZ	86
	Donald Heider, Tonawanda, NY	86
15.	Betty Capper, Hermiston, OR	85
16.	John W. Trapp, Mesa, AZ	84

This group plays twice a month for a total of 20 tournaments of nine hands each. Most clubs have completed 14 nights of play.

JUPITER DIVISION

1.	Vince Capaul, Monona, WI	217
2.	Ray Rasmussen, Bend, OR	209
3.	Gil Tollen, Bend, OR	208
4.	Ray Wileman, Edgerton, WI	205
5.	Ray Statz, Cross Plains, WI	193
6.	Bo Van Orsow, Redmond, OR	192
7.	Len Davy, South Madison, WI	184
8.	Fred Tilker, Madison, WI	182
9.	Scott Henderson, Madison, WI	179
10.	Bud Hauge, Madison, WI	174
11.	Paul Dyer, Bend, OR	167
12.	Roberta Dyer, Bend, OR	160
13.	Anne Haller, Bend, OR	154
14.	C. Steinhauer, Mt. Horeb, WI	150
15.	K. C. King, Madison, WI	148
16.	B. Reynolds, Santa Maria, CA	140

The Jupiters play once a week for 40 weeks. Rating points are based upon the number of entries. About 30 weeks have been completed.

PLAN AHEAD

If you want to organize a club for Grass Root competition next fall, begin the foundation work now. Locate a site to play, decide upon the night you wish to have the club meet and then start signing up players. Be ready for the kickoff in early September.

EXCITEMENT IN BEND

"What a night! We had 38 players with 12 guests," writes Dale Brandon in his weekly report.

"Two 28 hands by Carl Larson and Paul Dyer," continued the Director of Oregon's Best #12 Charter, "and then a 29 hand by Marty Symons, who did not even make the prize list."

Carl Larson scored 17 and gained 26 rating points after the 12 guests were deducted.

Symons' twenty-niner was the fourth of the season in the Grass Roots.

CAPPAUL REGAINS LEAD

"Vince, what's the reason for your being a big winner in the Grass Roots this year?" asked Jim Fritz who travels about 50 miles to the Madison tournaments. "Consistency," answered the recently retired Monona cribber.

"Please note that I have been on the rating point list in 14 of the 30 tournaments we have played here in Madison," added the veteran cribbage addict. "On every hand I try to do what I should, and the Law of Averages takes care of me."

SONDERICKER AND MICHAELIS SEEN STREAKING IN CRYSTAL LAKE, IL

The 1985 and 1984 Master Point Leaders kept their clothes on but had one hot challenge match with a best six out of eleven play-off series. Warren started off winning the first four games. Mick stuck in there and found himself down five games to two as he started dealing the eighth game. As luck would have it, Mick then matched Warren's streak of winning four games in a row to take the match six games to five. As Yogi says, "it's never over until it's over."

DID YOU KNOW?

When playing cards first appeared in the 14th century, the four suits were known in Germany as hearts, bells, leaves and acorns; but in Italy they were known as swords, batons, cups, and money.

CRIBBAGE LICENSE PLATES

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TOURNAMENT RESULTS

Fifth Annual Willows Cribbage Tournament
 At Willows, California
 February 22, 1986
 Director: Carl Martens
 Number of Entries: 56

<u>Main Tournament</u>		<u>MP</u>
1. D. Fridrich	Oroville, CA	96
2. S. Zeigler	Quincy, CA	68
3. L. Jewell	Oroville, CA	50
4. M. Munkers	Oroville, CA	37

Consolation
 None

Warren Swett Memorial Tournament
 At Crystal Lake, Illinois
 March 15-16, 1986

Directors: John Swett and Ralph Madsen
 Number of Entries: 144

<u>Main Tournament</u>		
1. B. McCabe	Brown Deer, WI	184
2. L. Lizarribar	Martinez, GA	156
3. B. Prokup	Peru, IL	138
4. S. Lulinski	LaGrange Pk, IL	125

<u>Consolation</u>		
1. K. Capodagli	Bensonville, IL	56
2. B. LaGassie	Marinette, WI	42
3. B. Christofferson		
	DeForest, WI	33
4. Nancy Latirenta		27

Ninth Annual Northwest Open
 At Baker, Oregon
 March 15-16, 1986
 Director: Rob Palmer
 Number of Entries: 126

<u>Main Tournament</u>		
1. O. Bartholow	Baker, OR	166
2. K. Vaughn	Emmett, ID	138
3. K. Capper	Hermiston, OR	120
4. G. Branson	Ronan, MT	107

<u>Consolation</u>		
1. L. Collins	Kennewick, WA	60
2. F. Symons, Jr.	Metolius, OR	46
3. R. Reynolds	Baker, OR	37
4. L. Sissel	Baker, OR	31

Western New York Open Tournament
 At Buffalo, NY
 March 15-16, 1986
 Director: E. Hargesheimer
 Number of Entries: 40

<u>Main Tournament</u>		<u>MP</u>
1. A. Dinwoodie	Slocum, RI	80
2. E. Hargesheimer	Hamburg, NY	52
3. W. Meahl	Buffalo, NY	34
4. J. Marso	N. Tonawanda, NY	21

<u>Consolation</u>		
1. R. Bett, Sr.	Lackawanna, NY	5
2. R. Schurkus	E. Amherst, NY	1
3. E. Marso	Buffalo, NY	-
4. R. Weitz	W. Seneca, NY	-

Fourth Annual North Carolina Open
 At Southern Pines, NC
 March 22-23, 1986

Directors: Howard Baum and Jay DeJaynes
 Number of Entries: 98

<u>Main Tournament MP</u>		
1. T. Miller	Raleigh, NC	138
2. B. Trainor	Asheville, NC	110
3. K. Heslop	Mooreville, NC	92
4. R. Ricke	Greenville, SC	79

<u>Consolation</u>		
1. R. Corren	Fayetteville, NC	54
2. S. Daniels	Portsmouth, VA	40
3. T. Pagliuco	Fayetteville, NC	31
4. M. Mitchell	Reidsville, NC	25

Tri-Cities Open
 At Marinette, WI
 April 5-6, 1986
 Director: Mick Michalis
 Number of Entries: 175

<u>Main Tournament</u>		<u>MP</u>
1. P. Kufahl	Merrill, WI	216
2. J. Aird	Gladstone, MI	188
3. M. Munro	Marinette, WI	170
4. B. Madsen	Chicago, IL	157

<u>Consolation</u>		
1. D. Tofte	Madison, WI	70
2. B. Buntrock	Cedarburg, WI	56
3. D. Toll	Milwaukee, WI	47
4. T. Gallagher	Green Bay, WI	41

TOURNAMENT RESULTS

Third Annual Midway Open
At Hermiston, OR
April 5-6, 1986
Director: Allen Stilwill
Number of Entries: 50

Main Tournament MP

1. D. Edwards	Hermiston, OR	90
2. B. Davis	Duphur, OR	62
3. R. Palmer	Baker, OR	44
4. O. Bartholow	Baker, OR	31

Consolation

1. J. Kirby	Stanfield, OR	17
2. M. Sailor	Pendleton, OR	13
3. E. Standard	LaGrande, OR	9
4. D. Jampolsky	Baker, OR	5

Montana Open Cribbage Championship
At Missoula, MT
April 12-13, 1986
Director: DeLynn Colvert
Number of Entries: 99

Main Tournament MP

1. R. Sterling	Missoula, MT	139
2. K. Ridge	Bonner, MT	111
3. M. Might	Missoula, MT	93
4. D. Colvert	Missoula, MT	80

Consolation

1. J. Hill	Hermiston, OR	19
2. B. Emery	Missoula, MT	15
3. C. Ault	Baker, OR	11
4. B. Sissel	Baker, OR	7

The final responsibility for the Master Points awarded to any particular player rests with Tournament Commissioner Syl Lulinsky, statistician Bob McCabe, and the individual tournament directors. The Master Points listed above are accurate, to the best of my knowledge, on the date of publication.

D.B.M.

ROOTS SEASON EXTENDED TO JULY 31

Snowstorms, floods, and flu epidemics caused the postponement of Grass Root tournaments during the past winter. The season has been extended to July 31 to make up these sessions.

THIS WILL JOG YOUR MIND

Two ACC members from Allegan, Michigan, will be running into a future together on Saturday, June 21. Jeff Shimp and Jackie Grabbert will be getting married after 90 miles of a 100-mile fund-raising run. The run is for the benefit of the American Cancer Society and lasts for 4 days, beginning in Battle Creek and progressing through Kalamazoo and Holland on the way to Grand Rapids.

For those of you who do not plan to participate in the Milwaukee Challenge that same weekend, Jeff & Jackie challenge you to join in the run in Michigan. Even if you choose not to run, they would welcome donations (check payable to Strides for Life/American Cancer Society) to assist in sponsoring them for their run. They plan to earn \$2,500 in contributions to go toward the \$25,000 goal for the run this year. Their address is 2164 116th Ave., Rt. #7, Allegan, MI 49010.

While they are sorry to have to miss the inaugural event in Milwaukee, they claim, contrary to popular opinion, there may occasionally be something more important in life than a cribbage tournament.

LETTERS TO CRIBBAGE WORLD

Edwin Marso, a Grass Roots player of the Western New York Cribbage Club, achieved a perfect score of nine wins out of nine games for a total of 18 game points at the April 7 semi-monthly tournament.

In the annual sanctioned tournament sponsored by the club in March, Ed scored third place in the consolation round.

This accomplishment was achieved by a real gentleman—a gentle man of NINETY years of age as of last December 11. An appropriate certificate will be awarded to our Ed Marso. Congratulations!

Donald C. Shaw
Secretary-Treasurer

THE TOURNAMENT TRAIL

May 17, Third Annual Windjammer Challenge

VFW Post 4551 (1/4 mile east of Illinois Rt. 83) at 75 North Avenue, Antioch, IL.
Entry Fee: \$100.

Contact: Jeff and Sarah Clarke, 26547 West Brown Avenue, Antioch, IL 60002, (312) 395-7815 or Judy Mueller, (414) 728-9284.

May 17-18, Mission Valley Cribbage Classic

Bob's Place, Ronan, MT. Entry fee: \$20. (limit 48 players)

Contact: Bob Starkle, (406) 676-9481.

May 17-18, Portside Cribbage Tournament

Holiday Inn, Waterfront, Portsmouth, VA. Entry fee: \$36 including coffee and Saturday lunch. Early bird Friday night special.

Contact Stan Daniels or Russ Cummings, P.O. Box 2095, Portsmouth, VA 23702, (804) 485-2857.

May 18, Connecticut Cribbage Championship Tournament

North Windham, CT. Entry fee: \$31, includes coffee, doughnuts and lunch.

Contact: Joe Seigle, 825 Flanders Road, Coventry, CT 06238 (203) 742-7234.

May 31-June 1, Minnesota Open Cribbage Tournament

Sheraton Park Place Hotel, Golden Valley, MN. Entry fee: \$41 including Saturday lunch.

Contact: Minnesota Open, P.O. Box 3202, Minneapolis, MN 55403. Call Joy (612) 588-5122 or George (612) 890-2106.

May 31-June 1, Sertoma Cribbage Classic

Littleton, CO.

Contact: Dick Graham, 300 East Hampden Avenue, Englewood, CO 80110 (303) 781-7854.

June 20, 21, and 22, Cascade Cribbage Classic

Conducted by "Oregon's Best" Grass Roots Cribbage Club. VFW Hall, Redmond, Oregon. Entry Fee: \$31 (ACC members) or \$36 (non-members). Friday night ice-breaker singles. Main event limited to 240 entries. Registration closes June 15, 1986 (No late entries!)

Contact: Liz and Dale Brandon, 64795 Wood Avenue, Bend, OR, (503) 389-2128.

June 20, 21, and 22, Milwaukee Challenge Cribbage Tournament

Midway Motor Lodge, Airport. Entry Fee: \$47 including Saturday Lunch (\$5 of entry fee will benefit the Leukemia Society of Wisconsin). Friday and Saturday night specials and last chance.

Contact: Walt Chowanel, Martha Fingleton (414) 374-0082, Shirley Fitzpatrick. Address any questions to: Milwaukee Challenge, 2566 N. Richards Street, Milwaukee, WI 53212.

June 21, Cupertino, California Kiwanis Cribbage Tournament

Our eighth annual charity event. Entry Fee: \$40. Trophies, coffee (all day), BBQ steak lunch, dessert.

Contact: Louis DeLu, 22273 Cupertino Road, Cupertino, CA 95014, (408) 253-4645.

THE TOURNAMENT TRAIL

June 28-29, Third Annual Ann Arbor Open

VFW Hall, 105 North Main Street, Chelsea, MI. Entry Fee: \$26. Early Bird and Saturday Night Special, Q-Pools.

Contact: Harriet and Tom Haight, 3694 Greenook Boulevard, Ann Arbor, MI (313) 426-3212.

July 19, Summer Pegger

VFW Post 1791, Country Road 10, Chaska, MN. Entry Fee: \$31, Main event \$15. Consolation. A second chance tournament will be held.

Contact Jim and Joan Rein, P.O. Box 6, Carver, MN (612) 448-2459.

July 26, 27, and 28, Thirteenth Annual National Open Cribbage Tournament

North Raleigh Hilton, Wake Forest road, Raleigh, NC. Entry Fee: \$55 (\$5 tax-deductible contribution to the Easter Seal Society of North Carolina). Best 4 of 7 Double Elimination. Consolation, Sunday Special, Last Roundup, Q-Pools. Hospitality room \$25.

Contact: National Open Cribbage Tournament, P.O. Box 12800, Raleigh, NC 27605. "A MAJOR LEAGUE EVENT."

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Qualifying Round: Top 1/8 earns one-quarter points, i.e., 100 players, top qualifier earns 25 points, 2nd earns 23, etc.

Main Tournament: Top 1/8 earns full points, i.e., 100 players, champion earns 100 points, 2nd earns 92, 3rd earns 84, etc. If 40 or more players, BONUS POINTS are earned: 1st earns 40 bonus points, 2nd earns 20, 3rd earns 10 and 4th earns 5. In this example, No. 1 earns 140 points (100 + 40).

Consolation Tournament: Top 1/8 earns one-half points, i.e., 64 players, 1st earns 32 points, 2nd earns 28 points, 3rd earns 24 points, etc. BONUS POINTS are earned: 1st earns 20 bonus points, 2nd earns 10 points, 3rd earns 5 points and 4th earns 3 points. In this example, No. 1 earns 52 points (32 + 20).

EASTERN REGION

RANK	NAME	CITY	POINTS YEAR
1	LIZZARRIBAR SR., LUIS	MARTINEZ, GA	215
2	DEVEREAUX, LELIA	SOMERVILLE, MA	210
3	O'CONNOR, PATRICIA	DEDHAM, MA	197
4	MILLER, ALBERT	NASHUA, NH	188
5	FRIETS, NEAL	KEENE, NH	168
6	PICCIANDRA, ROMOLO	MANSFIELD, MA	163
7	BERHAUPT, ED	SCHENECTADY, NY	150
8	KIONTKE, DEBORAH	HAMPDEN, MA	149
9	GILLIS, FRAN	MILLIS, MA	146
10	MOLLOY, HARRY	MILFORD, MA	140
11	BICKFORD, GEORGE	AGAWAM, MA	136
12	FITZSIMMONS, RICHARD	E. GREENWICH, RI	133
13	PALMER, HARRY	W. SPRINGFIELD, MA	132
	O'CONNOR, FRANK	DEDHAM, MA	132
15	LEPAGE, ROCH	WILTON, CT	130
	RYAN, JOE	COLUMBIA, SC	130
17	MOORE, CORINNE	WESTMINSTER, MA	127
18	CHAMBERS, JOHN	ESMOND, RI	126
19	MONROE, BABE	HONEA PATH, SC	124
20	BROUGHTON, CHARLIE	ORLANDO, FL	121
	BERG, BEVERLY	WESTBROOK, ME	121
22	SEIGLE, JOE	COVENTRY, CT	119
23	PACKARD, LEON	FAYVILLE, MA	114
24	DINWOODIE, AL	SLOCUM, RI	112
25	CORBETT, FAYDENE	WILMINGTON, NC	111

MIDWESTERN REGION

RANK	NAME	CITY	POINTS YEAR
1	SCHWEIG, FRANK	CARPENTERSVILLE, IL	432
2	BUNTROCK, BARBARA	CEDARBURG, WI	417
3	MADSEN, BOB	CHICAGO, IL	400
4	CUMMINGS, GRACE	MADISON, WI	390
5	LULINSKI, SYL	LAGRANGE PARK, IL	363
6	COOK, WILLIAM	RHINELANDER, WI	362
7	ATKINSON, BUD	NORTH CHICAGO, IL	322
8	SONDERICKER, WARREN	GREENFIELD, WI	321
9	LIPINSKI, MIKE	MUNDELEIN, IL	311
10	MICHAELIS, BOB	MARINETTE, WI	304
11	KLIORA, TED	NORTH CHICAGO, IL	296
12	JONES, RAY	PRESCOTT, WI	276
13	BOOTH, AL	COL. HTS., MN	253
14	REIN, JOAN	CARVER, MN	236
15	MCCABE, BOB	BROWN DEER, WI	211
16	HANNA, DENNIS	ALBERT LEA, MN	203
	RUTHERFORD, IKE	MAPLEWOOD, MN	203
18	LOUPEE, LARRY	NEWTON, IA	201
19	DAVY, LEONARD	MADISON, WI	200
20	BOYCE, ARTHUR	MADISON, WI	197
21	BERNARD, JOE	LIBERTYVILLE, IL	194
22	CHOWANEC, WALT	MILWAUKEE, WI	185
23	JERDEE, JOY	ROBBINSDALE, MN	180
24	LUBINSKI, EMIL	BROOKLYN PARK, MN	176
	OGDEN, DICK	DES MOINES, IA	176

RANK	NAME	WESTERN REGION CITY	POINTS YEAR
1	LUSIGNAN, JOSEPH	SALINAS, CA	520
2	AULT, CLYDE	BAKER, OR	390
3	DUNN, AUDREY	PRINEVILLE, OR	388
4	KOOISTRA, SCOTT	YANKTON, SD	366
5	JARRELL, JESSE	PITTSBURG, CA	365
6	RHODEN, JACK	PRINEVILLE, OR	310
7	MILLER, GENE	FLORENCE, MT	301
8	BARTHOLOW, OTTO	BOISE, ID	300
9	REYNOLDS, RALPH	BAKER, OR	298
	WHITSON, JAMES	BEND, OR	298
11	TUNGATE, GREG	PORTLAND, OR	290
12	STEVENS, DARYL	KENNEWICK, WA	252
13	BOURLAND, MITCH	PRINEVILLE, OR	245
14	CARNEY, BILL	HAYWARD, CA	244
15	TIMM, LARRY	BAKER, OR	240
16	PALMER, ROB	BAKER, OR	232
17	MCMURDO, JIM	KENNEWICK, WA	224
18	NEELY, HARRY	SPRINGFIELD, OR	220
19	HOFFMAN, DARRELL	EUGENE, OR	218
20	CORNWELL, MARY	SUNNYVALE, CA	200
21	ELMS, RUSSELL	BAKER, OR	192
22	HARRIS, NANCY	VACAVILLE, CA	191
	REYNOLDS, BUTCH	SANTA MARIA, CA	191
24	COLVERT, DELYNN	MISSOULA, MT	190
	SOUTHWICK, DEYONNE	PASCO, WA	190

LETTERS TO CRIBBAGE WORLD

I thought it might be of interest to the World of Cribbage and to "Cribbage World" that the First and Second International Cribbage Tournament of Alamos, Sonora, Mexico (ICTASMEX) was held on January 2 (temperature 77) and March 17 (temperature 73), 1986. At each event 14 contestants were present with representation from U.S.A. (12), Canada (1), and England (1). Although only four contestants were members of ACC, the ACC rules governed this event. Entry fees were 500 pesos (about \$1.05). All fees were distributed to the winners with a consolation prize of 19 pesos (about 4¢) to the lowest scorer. Peter T. Combs, an ACC member from Ennis, MN, and Arnold L. Intorf, also an ACC member from Tahoe City, CA, were the top scorers in both events, with Intorf winning the best 2 out of 3 in the playoff for the first event, and Combs doing the same to Intorf in the second. Margaritas were not served but should this become a larger event in the future, this will be considered.

I'll keep you informed of any future tournaments should a traveler be in this vicinity and wish to participate.

Best regards,

Arnold L. Intorf
Alamos, Sonora, Mexico

I read with great interest in the April 1986 issue of Cribbage World, the letter of Eileen A. Loser concerning her activities in the Thames River Cribbage League. I too am the secretary-treasurer of a local cribbage association in my home town and wish to report of their cribbage season just completed at Easter time.

The Negaunee Social Cribbage League is currently composed of 10 teams. Each team has 12 regular members on it. The season begins usually the first Monday evening after Labor Day in September and goes each week for 27 weeks ending up around Easter. (We take off a couple weeks for "Deer Season" and Christmas & New Year's.) The teams meet in the different private clubs and bars around this town and play a 10-game match every meeting night. They then turn over the results to me to keep records.

We stress in the League the word "social" as it should remain for the benefit of its members. We try to follow the accepted rules of play by the American Cribbage Congress, of which I am a member and several others may be members also.

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Gregory S. Rose, Secretary-Treasurer
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PROBLEM OF THE MONTH

Submitted by Dwight Van Cleve
of Denver, Colorado

Is there any way that the dealer could
peg 15 points with the last card he
holds?

There may be several ways this could be
done but the most obvious answer is:

Answer appears elsewhere in this publi-
cation.

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tember 27 and 28 as the dates for the
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Scott Kooistra

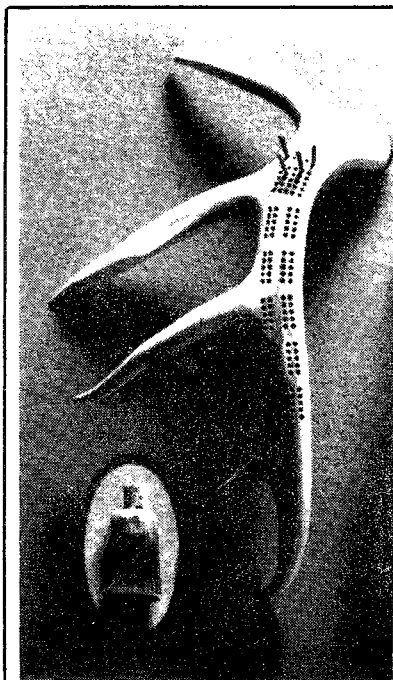
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ACC BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

AT SPARKS, NEVADA

- Adjourned at 7 p.m.

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At each cribbage tournament throughout the year, the tournament director introduces the Board members in attendance and a polite round of applause follows. Questions then arise, such as "what in hell do you people do anyways?"

Some ACC members feel who the Board is and what it does have been well-kept secrets (that has never been the intention). The Board of Directors members I've come to know are dedicated people and in the March issue of Cribbage World I listed the names, addresses and phone numbers of the members of the Board of Directors. I hope you'll make use of the list by expressing your thoughts and opinions; call or write a Board member in your area and let your thoughts and opinions be known.

There are 30 Board members who reside in the 3 regions of the country (East, Midwest, and West). Roughly half the Board of Directors openings are voted upon by the membership each year; no more than four members from any one state can serve on the Board. Elections will be held shortly, and I urge that the least you can do is vote. Ballots will be mailed to each ACC member within a few days, and Cribbage World is listing the candidates this month and a brief autobiography of those who are running for the Board of Directors if one was submitted.

HANDBOOK FOR GRASS ROOTS TO BE PUBLISHED

Robert Read, secretary of Charter #22 and a resident of Winter Garden, FL, is collaborating with President Joe Wergin in preparing a Grass Roots Handbook which will be distributed to all members of the program and to all people requesting a copy.

All phases of the program will be discussed, there will be charts and illustrations, and a section will be devoted on how to start a club in one's locality.

It is planned to have this booklet available early in September.

There are at least three Board of Directors meetings each year, and, within reason, a Board member is expected to make them all. A member serves without pay or expense money, and this year's meetings were, or will be held in Denver, Sparks, NV, and Raleigh. It takes time and it's expensive to be a participating Board member.

In the past only about 10 percent of the ACC membership has participated in the voting. I'm not sure why this apathy exists; perhaps it's the 22 cents to mail the ballot in or the time it may take to fill it out; it may be because you had to sign the ballot last year, or it's just that you don't give a damn. I suspect it's part or all of the above plus you may not have been aware of who the Board is or what its members accomplish.

Henceforth, the results of the voting at the Board of Directors meetings will be published as a regular feature in Cribbage World. As soon as I receive the approved minutes, I'll find a place somewhere in Cribbage World for them.

In the meanwhile, I think many of your complaints are justified, but bear in mind: #1 - you now have a list of the Board of Directors, their addresses and phone numbers; you know how to reach them with your points of view. #2 - in February you were invited to write your opinions to Cribbage World for publication. #3 - beginning this month you are receiving the collective results of the Board of Directors voting in matters coming before it on the agenda. #4 - Most importantly, you've got to vote to get the best person on the Board to serve you and your point of view.

D.B.M.

Problem of the Month Answer

Non-dealer holds 3-3-A-A and the dealer holds 3-2-A-A. The non-dealer leads a 3. The dealer plays on the 3 and the non-dealer takes the 3rd 3 for 6 points. The dealer then plays the 2 for a count of 11 which is followed by the 4 aces which end at 15 for 15 points, 12 for the 4th ace, 2 for the 15 and 1 for the last card.

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