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Phyllis Schmidt Scores 228 MRP's, Joins MRP Race

Robert Boulris Tops 234 In Rhode Island William Packard Takes 146-Pegger Consolation

Providence, RI- Robert Boulris, South Bellingham, RI captured the Rhode Island Open title, picking up a nifty purse and some 240 MRP's April 18. Boulris had to earn his title the hard way, as his final match was with Phyllis Schmidt, the 1992 National Champion. In finishing 2nd, Phyllis picked up a sizeable 228 MRP's, winging her total to over 700 for this cribbage year, giving her an outside chance of defending her national title.

Henry DeLong, Woburn, MA finished 3rd, and Brian Heroux, Wonnsocket, RI, took 4th. Both players will move up in the Eastern Region's standings to the 400 mark. (Heroux finished a fine 3rd in Connecticut recently to pick up another 132 MRP's to zip over the 500 mark).

Richard West, Attleboro, MA, took qualifying honors, with Charles Rapoza, Brockton, MA, in 2nd...and will move into the top 15 in the Eastern Region with this high finish.

William Packard, N. Attleboro, MA, nailed the 146-pegger consolation event (and with the 80 MRP's wings it over the 400 mark for the year). David Dudzinski, Hamden, CT, finished a fine 2nd, and picked up some 76 MRP's. Leo Horigan, Stoughton, MA, took 3rd, followed by Donna LaFleur, Bristol, CT, in 4th.

Ford Jewer, Wakefield, RI, has been burning up the track this cribbage year, and with an 8th place finish in the consolation (and 52 MRP's) wings his total to the near 800 mark.

Director Joe Ramos reports that the players donated \$694 to the MDA charity. He also hopes to conduct this tournament again April 30-May 1, 1994.



EditorialDeLynn Colvert

Cribbage Players Are The Greatest!

I have travelled from coast to coast, region to region, pegging away with America's cribbage players...and, in my opinion, no other sport can boast such fun-loving players, such camaraderie, and pure friendship among competitors.

And, as many of you well know, I truly enjoy this crazy game with all the zillion anomalies, and the see-sawing ups and downs in the space of a few minutes, the exhilarating 24's, 28's and those rare 29's...and the depressing "19's!"

One of my many peggin' pals, Rex Paddock, talked me into applying for the Grand National in little old Missoula, Montana. And, as you also know, Missoula was selected for Grand National XII!

But what I didn't know was how this cribbage fraternity would come behind this event, and lend their collective support in getting this tournament off the ground.

Rex and I timidly asked for trophy sponsors via Cribbage World, and we have been inundated with them! I am simply stunned with the generous outpouring of sponsors from among our northwest players and clubs. No arm twisting, no begging! We have reached our goal of 24 trophies...and it's only June! And Ken Capper, Hermiston, OR, is donating a "High-Roller" trophy.

In the last week, the following players and clubs have sponsored trophies:

Sue Temple Beaverton, Oregon (\$25)

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As co-directors, Rex and I are working for a 100% cash payback in all events...and we are also working for a record-breaking crowd! Our goal is for 449 players (448 is the record for a Grand National) to show up on the banks of the Clark Fork River to do a little pegging. (And I want to win my bet with President Bob McCabe...as I wagered a beer we would have at least 351 players!)

Our arrangements with the Village Inn Red Lion are on excellent terms, and the "vibes" are very good. 53 rooms have been reserved already, and no one has had an entry form (they are in this issue)!

Now, if our members will be just as generous in taking out an ad or two in the Grand National XII's Awards Program....

New Masters

151- Harvey Honeycutt Beatty, Oregon

Harvey Honeycutt 151st Master

Beatty, Oregon's Harvey Honeycutt nailed the recent Nipomo Open with a fine 4th place qualifying score...and finished 4th, picking up 82 MRP's, and his Master rating. Harvey also won Grand National VIII in Prineville, OR. in 1989.

Grass Roots Action (Club 28) Gene Goodell Nails 'Em In Portland

Gene Goodell is one of Portland OR's top Grass Roots peggers, and once again he has nailed the 18-game GR National Tournament with a super 15 wins, 4 skunks 34 GP's to top all peggers in the Portland leg of this tourney...and has won the local championship for the second time in three years. Portland's Jack Holt came close, but settled for 2nd with 30 GP's, 14 wins.

Cribbage World thanks Harry Kantas and his fine newsletter for this tidbit.

Elmer (George) Rasmussen Remembers Milo

The ACC wishes to thank Elmer Rasmussen, Alexandria, VA, for his tribute to Milo Roinstad. Milo passed away recently, and asked for all tributes be made to the ACC.

The Grand National XII will also award a trophy in Milo's memory.

Four New Judges

The following ACC members are certified Judges:

Rosemary Daun, Chilton, WI David Michals, Caledonia, WI Truey Miller, Fremont, CA Bob Sutton, Santa Rosa, CA

To take the ACC Judges Examination, send \$3 to Al Miller, 12 Michael Ave., Nashua, NH 03062-1418.

Keith Forrest On a Roll

Keith Forrest, a veteran pegger from Stevensville, MT, nailed the Capital City Classic qualifying round with a top score of 36 GP's...and came back in the Snake River Open in Nyssa, OR, to take honors in the Saturday Night Special, scoring a super 20 GP's, +244, in this 8-game match (Grand Slam with four skunks).

*Walla Walla Wizz Wins*Ray Hanes Takes Snake River Open

Master pegger Ray Hanes is on a tear this cribbage year, picking up wins at all stops...high rollers, consolations, Saturday Night Specials...and now a main event. This Walla Walla, WA pegger nailed 'em all at the recent 70-pegger Snake River Open.

Another relative newcomer on the cribbage trail--Luanne Felstet, Missoula, MT--came in 2nd to continue her fine streak. She recently won the Montana Open, was top qualifier in Portland, and with this 2nd place finish moves over the 300 MRP mark, giving her an excellent chance of qualifying for next year's Tournament of Champions.

Another perennial winner--Otto Bartholow, Boise, ID--has been on a streak lately, too, and picked up 3rd place. Paul Nolz, Redmond, OR, finished a fine 4th.

Doug Brown, another perennial winner from Pasco, WA, copped the qualifying round with a nifty 34 GP's (16) +242 in the 21-game round.

Anna Williams, Portland, OR, took on the 44 peggers in the consolation event, and came away the winner. Greta Gorden, veteran pegger from Redmond, OR, finished 2nd, followed by Bill Hill, the Master pegger from Hermiston, OR, and Phil True, Richland, WA.

The satellite events: Early-bird; Daniel Hansen, Bend, OR. Doubles; Sue Snyder & Art Ferenz, Bend OR. High Roller; Otto Bartholow, Boise, ID. Sat. Special; Keith Forrest, Stevensville, MT. Cry Baby; Art Ferenz.

Once again, director Michelle Park ran a firstclass tournament with generous paybacks...and the local Nyssa Eagles Club were fine hosts. The town of Nyssa were great supporters of this event, and sponsored many trophies. And who can forget the catfish fry on the main street in Nyssa. Michelle keeps 'em pegging in this small, friendly Oregon farm town!

Grass Rooters Take Madison Classic XV

The first 4 places in the main event, and the top two spots in the consolation were taken by Grass Rooters at the recent Madison Masters Classic XV. Frank Trojan, New Brighton, MN, nailed the championship in the main event, with local Adelia "Tootsie" Adams in 2nd. National Tournament Commissioner Martha Fingleton, Greenfield, WI, took 3rd, and "rookie" Shawn Andruska, a newcomer from Minneapolis, MN, finished 4th.

The Grass Rooters taking the top two spots in the 96-pegger consolation were Frank Danielski, Appleton, WI, winning over ACC BOD member Larry Loupee, Newton, IA, in a close 3-2 match. Karen Trojan kept the Trojan's in the money in both sanctioned events with a fine 3rd place finish. Jim Jeffers, Green Bay, WI, finished 4th.

Locals Scott Henderson and Norm Wright won the Friday night and Saturday night specials. Both players are past Madison Masters Champions, and Norm is a former National Champion (1983).

The high qualifier was veteran Dorothy Schroeder, Waupaca, WI. She posted a fine 34 GP's in this 20-game round. She then went on to place 7th in the main event.

A highlight of the tourney was Life Master Jim McManus's Super Q performance. His high finish in the qualifying round netted some \$2,000 in assorted pools, and the super pool.

Directors Jerry Dickinson and Gaylord Matti were pleased with the 152-player turnout...and on Mother's Day to boot. They admitted, however, that they will NOT schedule this event on Mother's Day in the future.

Paul Cormier Rides 28-Hand to Connecticut Championship

Paul Cormier did it all at the 13th Annual Connecticut Championship May 16th in North Windham, CT. The veteran player from Marlboro, MA, counted a 28-hand during the competition and rolled on to the championship.

George Johnson, Fitchburg, MA, took top qualifying honors in the morning, and went on to finish 2nd. Brian Heroux, fresh from a 4th place finish at the Rhode Island Open, nailed 3rd this time around, and this Woonsocket, RI, pegger is on a roll! Nelson Bakken, Chaplin, CT, took 4th in this 106-pegger event.

Eighty players signed on for the consolation and the Finley family took home most of the honors. Well-known Master pegger Charlie Finley was away on business, but his son and daughter...K. C. and Dawn...finished 1st and 5th respectively. K, C. nipped Master pegger Ken Vetterline, Bar Mills, ME, in the final match. Grand Master Harry Palmer, W. Springfield, MA, took 3rd, and newcomer John Shears, Dayville, CT finished 4th.

A highlight of the tournament was Donald Dussault's 29-hand...the 13th sanctioned gem of this cribbage year! Donald hails from Shrewsbury, MA, and will take home \$100 for this sanctioned long shot!

Directors Bill Shoemaker and Joe Seigle plan on renewing this event next year on May 15th. Mark your calendars.

NE Peer Tournament Correction

Last month's Tournament Trail section listed the New England Peer Tournament as having seating by Master Points AND Grass Roots points. Scratch Grass Roots points. Seating for qualifying-round play will be by Master Points earned (lifetime) only.

Tournament Director Joe Seigle predicts this event will be "wonderful" for many unranked players.

Cops Dyer's Hand-Painted Trophy Doug Brown Takes Cascade Classic VIII

Master pegger Doug Brown, Pasco, WA, has been winging lately, and he continues a fine run by winning the recent Cascade Classic VIII in Redmond, OR. In besting some 143 peggers, Doug picked up a sizeable purse, 160 MRP's, and a nifty hand-painted trophy (painted by Roberta Dyer).

Don Hilton, Hood River, OR, finished 2nd. This fine pegger from the banks of the Columbia River is a 1992 Western Region All-Star team member. Anne Haller, a veteran pegger from nearby Bend, OR, finished 3rd, and Vern Ward paid for his trip from Crescent City, CA, with a 4th place finish. Vern is fresh from directing the Bill Mitchell Memorial event in Smith River, CA.

Wally Jones, Bend, OR, picked the Q-pool with the hot hand in the qualifying round...a great 38 GP's.

Merl Mulkey nailed the 112 pegger consolation. This Keizer, OR, pegger is always "in the money" and continues his consistent pegging. Deena Studnick recently had a baby, but did this slow this Madras, OR, pegger? No way...as she finished 2nd. And once again, Ray Hanes, Walla Walla, WA, takes home his expenses by finishing 3rd. Greta Gorden, a veteran local player, finished 4th.

Jesse Jarrell, national MRP leader from Pittsburg, CA, showed his stuff in the high-roller event by taking all the marbles, but, alas, failed to add to his MRP total in the sanctioned events.

Clair and Jo Ann Morse, Bend, OR, took the doubles event, and Wayne Larson, Wapato, WA won two events...the early bird time passer, and the Saturday Special.

Director Lucille Endicott rolled flawlessly through her inaugural tournament, ably assisted by Marvis Reynolds. A highlight of the tournament were the hand-painted (Oregon landscapes and wildlife) trophies by Roberta Dyer and Lucille.

150th Anniversary of the Old Oregon Trail Will Be Celebrated in Portland

The upcoming Portland Summer Open (August 6, 7, 8) will celebrate the 150th anniversary of the Old Oregon Trail. Trophies will feature covered wagons and the old western motifs.

Another feature of this tournament is the usual Junior satellite events.

Directors Leslie Hein and Jeanne Hofbauer invite cribbageland to this event. See "Tournament Trail" for more details.

It Pays To Whine... To Score a 29!

In the May issue of *Cribbage World*, your editor reported that Charlotte Brady scored a 29-hand in her first-ever sanctioned game...and he whined that he had played some 7,437 sanctioned games and never had one.

Well, it pays to whine, as DeLynn Colvert, Missoula, MT (your editor) played exactly 100 more sanctioned games...and nailed the 29 in Redmond, OR, June 12!

Paul Dyer, Crooked River Ranch, OR, was sitting next to Colvert, and was nudged before the cut. When the 5 of spades was turned, he said "Well, I'll be go to hell!"

Hal Knowlton

Two 28s End Drought

After five years of faithful Grass Roots play with nary a first place finish, Hal Knowlton, Palo Alto, CA, finally struck pay dirt at the May 4 session of GR club 48. Hal scored a nifty 16 GP card to win first place...but what really makes this event unusual is that he did it with the aid of TWO 28 HANDS!

Greg Schleusner Wins...Again!

Last September, Greg Schleusner, Truckee, CA, began the cribbage year with a fine win at the sizeable Wine Valley Open, in Napa, CA...and took the national MRP lead. And, once again, Greg has won a sanctioned event to score a rare double win in one cribbage year. This time he nailed the 2nd Annual Nugget Classic, in Paradise, CA.

Phil Luke, Magalia, CA, finished 2nd, picking up a nifty 102 MRP's, followed by local Bill Sweeney in 3rd and Craig Ross, Rohnert Park, CA, in 4th.

Helen Bolstad, Martinez, CA, took the 50-pegger consolation crown, with Al Earnes, Vacaville, CA, in 2nd.

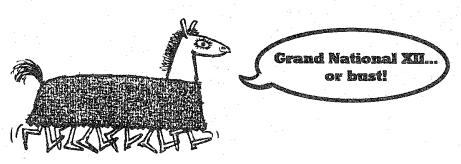
Jones Hom, a veteran pegger from Fairfield, CA, took qualifying honors (Jones is also running for a position on the ACC's Board of Directors).

Entry Deadline: Friday, July 9 20th Annual National Open

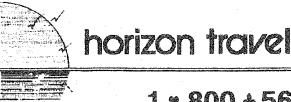
The 20th Annual National Open will once again be played at the North Raleigh Hilton, in Raleigh, NC. This event is one of the ACC's most prestigious...and is the largest sanctioned event in the Eastern Region.

Since this event is one of the last played in the cribbage year, the probability is great that the national championship will be decided, once again, in Raleigh. Last year, Phyllis Schmidt, Williamstown, MA, broke open a close MRP race with a 4th place finish in Raleigh, and claimed the 1992 National Championship.

Nick Pond, Cathy Perkins, Russ Perkins, Bob Gombatz, and Tom Miller, are running this show, promising three full days of pegging, with a variety of formats, beginning with the main event's best 4 of 7, double elimination matches (with skunks counting two games). See "Tournament Trail" this issue for details.



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Check ThoseScore Cards!



In a long day of qualifying, many players get careless about signing their opponent's score card after a game has been completed. This can lead to grievous consequences, if a score card is signed and it is not correct!

Recently at the 2nd Annual Nugget Classic, both players signed off on a 2 GP + 27 game. After play was completed, one player had an average 22 GP's...but the other player had a nifty 26 GP card (and a 25 GP qualified for the playoffs). A search was made for the two players, but, alas, one had left the hall (22 GP player), and director Vern Kennebeck had no choice but to award the other player a loss for that game...and, as a consequence, this player failed to qualify for the playoffs.

Check those score cards! It may cost you if you are careless and sign an incorrect card!

2nd Annual Nugget Classic a Success

Director Vern Kennebeck reports that the recent Nugget Classic was a complete success. Participation was up to 94, from last year's 78, with players from 31 communities pegging away. And this Paradise, CA. tourney had many favorable comments concerning friendliness, great food, a pleasant place to play, and the well-organized format. Director Kennebeck is predicting 125 players next year!

Pipeline Workers Disrupt Cribbage?

According to director Al Stillwell, pipeline workers in Hermiston, OR, may cause a motel shortage. He suggests you call early to reserve a motel if you are planning on attending the upcoming Midway Summer Classic July 16-18. You may call Stillwell at (503) 567-5180 if you have any difficulty finding a room.

Hatcher, Jarrell, Head to Head Memorable Game

Jesse Jarrell, Pittsburg, CA, is leading the nation in this year's MRP race...and Paul Hatcher, Salem, OR, is right on his heels in the torrid 1993 point race.

Luck would have it that these two premier players met head-to-head in a best 3 of 5 playoff match (top 16) at the recent Bill Mitchell Memorial Open in Smith River, CA.

Jesse sailed through the first two games, and enjoyed a nice two-game lead, needing but one to win. Paul fought back with two hard earned wins to tie the match at 2-2. The 5th and deciding game was nip and tuck, with Jesse having first count, needing 10 to win. He drew an ace-2-3-10, with a queen cut, pegged two, and was in the stink hole. Paul also needed 10 to win, and scored 9 with his hand, needing but one in the crib to win the match. Oops...the crib was blank!

Jesse dealt the deciding hand, with both players in the stink hole. Paul study long and hard, as he knew the first play would be a possible winner...or loser! Finally, after agonized deliberation, Paul made his discard. Alas, the long deliberation was all for naught...as Paul cut Jesse a jack for two points and the game! Paul confided later that he was planning on leading a queen to an ace-4...and Jesse held a 4. Who knows who would have won, had not the jack been cut!

A few breaks here and there...and who knows who will be national champion in 1994!

Interested in Computer Play?

Joseph Wetherell, Camp Hill, PA, writes that cribbage is being played via computers with other players from around the nation. Interested? Call 1-800-SIERRA 1.

Computer cribbage? Nah! Wouldn't be any fun without a little whinning on the side!

the editor

Grass Roots Corner

As of May 1, 1993, the following players are leading their respective divisions:

Division 1

1 270 Stan Babiec, N. Dartmouth, MA (31)

2 266 Joe Baglione, Hull, MA (141)

3 256 Kathy Hourigan, Santee, CA (163)

4 252 David Guyse, WI Rapids, WI (120)

5 245 Patrick Barrett, WI Rapids, WI (120)

Division 2

1 183 Jack Howsare, VA Beach, VA (117)

2 181 Carl Schaefer, Middleton WI (99)

3 180 Bill Jensen, Los Altos, CA (180)

4 174 Emil Lubinski, Brooklyn PK, MN (67)

5 172 Roger King, Santa Clara, CA (48)

Division 3

173 Sandy Pesaturo, W. Kingston, RI (168)

173 Frank Wurman, Melrose Park, PA (115)

3 72 Lee Norris, N. Kingstown, RI (168)

4 69 Charlie Ball, Everette, WA (24)

5 65 Charles Fletchall, Grimes, IA (24)

Bronze Awards

28- Frank Gallo, Cranston, RI (Club 31)

29- Amos Olmstead, Helena, MT 25)

30- Morris Schiffman, Portland, OR (28)

31- Kathy Hourigan, Santee, CA (163)

These players have earned their Bronze Awards by compiling 1,000 Grass Roots Rating Points. Frank Gallo plays in the Rhode Island Cribbage Classic League, Amos Olmstead does his pegging in "Last Chance Gulch" in Helena, MT, Morris Schiffman is the 7th player from his club (28) to reach the Bronze level, and does his pegging in Portland, OR. Kathy Hourigan is the first woman to reach this level. She pegs in Santee, CA, and is the director of Club 163.

Membership Information, call: 1_800_WE PEG 29

Jesse Jarrell Takes Bill Mitchell Memorial, Adds to National MRP Lead

Jesse Jarrell, the Life Master from Pittsburg, CA, is on a roll this cribbage year, and is forging a sizeable lead in the annual Master Point race. And he added another 97 MRP's by qualifying 2nd, and finishing first in the recent 68-pegger Bill Mitchell Memorial, in Smith River, CA.

Jim Jackson, Bandon, OR, came close but finished 2nd, and Mike Wiley, Antioch, CA, took 3rd. Clyde Ross, Grass Valley, CA took 4th.

Two of California's premier peggers took the 42-pegger consolation event...Thelma Weber, Vacaville nipped Mary Gladish, Concord, for the title.

Jack Gann, Brookings, OR, nailed the crowd in the qualifying round to take honors.

Jesse Jarrell Takes 2nd Sundae Webb In Nipomo

Masterpegger Sundae Webb, Antioch, CA nailed the Nipomo Open, and in besting the crowd of 78 peggers, has zipped over the 3,000 MRP mark (lifetime), and throws her hat in the ring for 1993 honors as well.

A week earlier, Jesse Jarrell won the Bill Mitchell Memorial, and follows that with a fine 2nd place finish, tacking on another 88 MRP's in his race for the roses.

Floryan Sowinski, Lompoc, CA, finished 3rd, followed by one of Oregon's premier players...Harvey Honeycutt.

Boyd McDonald, Mountain View, CA, grabbed the 50-pegger consolation event, edging Milt Goodman, Los Angeles, in the final match. Milt took 2nd.

Robert Carr, Santee, CA, took qualifying honors...and Butch Ehrich, Englewood, CO, scored the lone 28-hand...in the consolation.

Odds/Probabilities

Tom Mentock, Sheridan, WY, writes to clarify the hashed and re-hashed odds of losing the cut for deal 14 times in a row. His mathematics say the odds are 16,383 to 1, and the probability are 16,384 to 1.

But more interestingly, he gives the formula for figuring that elusive 29-hand, as follows:

Probability of a Perfect (29) Hand

Number of ways to deal a six-card hand:

$$\frac{52 \times 52 \times 50 \times 50 \times 49 \times 48 \times 47}{6 \times 5 \times 4 \times 3 \times 2 \times 1} = 20,358,520$$

Number of ways to deal a possible "perfect" hand (any of the jacks, the corresponding three 5's):

can't have the 4th 5

$$\frac{4 \times 1 \times 1 \times 1 \times 47 \times 46}{2} = 4,324$$

duplicate hands with the 5th and 6th card

Probability of cutting the last 5: 1 in 46

So, probability "P" of a perfect hand:

$$P = \left(\frac{\frac{4 \times 47 \times 46}{2}}{\frac{52 \times 51 \times 50 \times 49 \times 48 \times 47}{6 \times 5 \times 4 \times 3 \times 2}}\right) \left(\frac{1}{46}\right) =$$

$$\frac{4,324}{(20,358,520)(46)} = \frac{1}{216,580}$$

Whew! Thanks, Tom...the editor

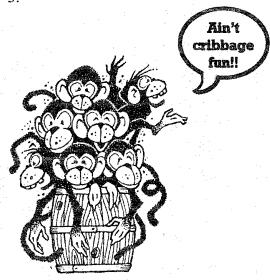
National Team Championship Tied! ... Again!

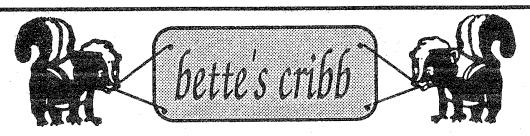
For the second time in eight years, the National Team Championship ended in a two-way tie. Seven of the 15 teams had a chance to win or tie in the final match.

The Henry DeLong, Bob Waltzer, Medford Smith trio won 2 of 9 games in the final match, while Barry Spadea, Paul Pettit, and John Croce won 5 of 9 games to forge the tie.

Medford Smith, George Webb, and Jeff Del Santo, each won 15 of 24 games to take individual honors.

This event was played in Nashua, NH, on June 5.





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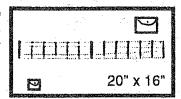
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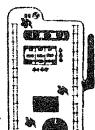


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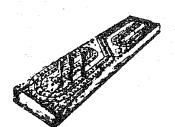
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Letters to the editor ...

is A Change in The Rules Needed?

I have been playing cribbage for many years. I currently play with GR 48 in Cupertino, CA. I have played in many tournaments across the country and never received a 28 or 29 hand.

On May 4, some of us had to play an extra game because of the odd number of players available for the night. I had completed my 9th game when our president said to play Rae Gledde her 9th game. Early in the game I was dealt a 28-hand...

...However, president Boyd McDonald said the hand didn't count for recognition and cash award. I skunked my opponent but the score wasn't used in my scorecard because it was my 10th game.

I suggest that since we sometimes have to play 10 games (not by choice), the best 9 games be used for the night's score. The exceptional hands (28 & 29) should be recognized and the cash award be granted. There must be other people who have experienced the same situation. What do you think? Should we review and make some positive changes to the rules?

Bill Venn San Jose, CA

This situation falls under local rules, and local rules are the prerogative of the members. I disagree with this format for playing odd games, however. I feel that all tournament games should be competitive. At our local club, we have a blind draw (red/black ace-2-3-4-5. etc., with matching 2's, for example, playing each other) for this last game...and all players are then playing a competitive game. The lowest scorecard of those needing another game simply does not play, as he/she has no chance of winning anyway. And, of course, this will eliminate your complaint about not receiving an award in that "extra" game that means nothing to you (and eliminates the temptation to "throw" a game to a friend).

the editor

29 In First Tournament

In case you would lake to know that was my first tournament I was in at the 3rd Orlando Open, and got a 29-hand! I have been a member since November 1, 1991, and I received a Certificate of (?) on December 26, 1991. A Grand Slam on Jan. 30. '92...and the 29-hand on Feb. 27, '93, which was my third. I had two when I was in the merchant marine, but I NEVER had a 28-hand, just in case you would like to know.

Constantine Harmacey Englewood, FL (club 29)

I scored my first sanctioned 29-hand in Redmond, OR, June 12...in case anyone would like to know!

the editor

Rumor...Or Fact?

Cribbage World received word from the "grapevine" that Iris Fuller, the Master pegger from Denver, CO, and Bob Fletcher, also from Denver, were wed in Quincy, CA, May 2.

Betty Capper Knows How to Advertise

Betty Capper is co-director of Hermiston, OR's two sanctioned tournaments every year. Hermiston is known as the watermelon capital of the USA, and Ken & Betty Capper use watermelons as a basis for their tournament trophies...and now Betty is wearing watermelon earrings. What next?

Membership Information? Call 1-800-WE PEG 29

Ah, yes, Club 109

Ah, yes, Club 109 continues to shine while our Club 54 wins more and more. While doubles don't "count", some results I must flaunt. Beginning with Fairfield's Friday night doubles Lainey and Morries Ross' grand slam burst bubbles. Similarily, while playing in Nipomo's doubles, Millie and Pat Coffey's first gave opponents troubles. In the February Willows Open Sundae Webb took 2nd token. At the San Ramon meet in March, Jesse Jarrell's second had starch. At Hermiston Helen Bolstad created a sensation qualifying second in the main and consolation! A perfect ending in the World Championship in Quincy -Wayne Glashan's first and Sundae Webb's second not chintzy! The consolation at Paradise's Nugget Classic with Helen Bolstad's first, Millie Coffey fourth fantastic. Still someone with whom to be recond, there Wayne Glashan copped Friday night second.

Now you may all sit up, take notice and shiver at our finishes in Bill Mitchell Memorial at Smith River.

Jesse Jarrell came in first, Mike Wiley third Evelyn Gillmore's not so absurd.

Mary Gladish second, Helen Bolstad third in that consolation.

Heidi Glashan copping the cry baby still caused consternation.

Then off to Nipomo we go -Coffey's doubles win the wayto show. Sundae Webb beat Jesse Jarrell for first; Mary Glagish's consolation third not the worst.

To date Jesse Jarrell leads the National Master Point race. Our Fourth Street Terrorists has carved out a place in Cribbage lore

in Cribbage fore

Mary Gladish, Director Club 54 - Fourth Street Terrorists Concord, CA

Maringer Tabulating Votes

Rich Maringer, Madison, WI, is busy tabulating the recent ACC Board of Director's election balloting.

The deadline for voting was July 1, and since Cribbage World goes to press in late June, the results were simply not available for this issue.

However, Maringer promises complete results for our August issue.

41 members of the American Cribbage Congress ran for a position on the two-year term Board of Directors. The first meeting of this newly-elected Board will be in Missoula, Montana, September 24, at 1 PM.

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TOURNAMENT TRAIL Scheduled Sanctioned Tournaments

July 16, 17, 18, Midway Summer Classic

Midway Tavern, 1750 N. 1st, Hermiston OR 97838. Entry: \$44 \$10 Q. Coffee, donuts. Fri. doubles & high-roller (\$30 Q), Sat. special, consolation, last chance. Contact: Marvis Reynolds, 220 S. Claypool St., Prineville OR 97754. (503) 447-5920. Co-director: Al Stillwell (Midway) (503) 567-5180.

July 16, 17, 18, Devil Mountain Caper (July 10 deadline for entry, non-smoking tourney)
Concord Elks Lodge #1994, 3994 Willow Pass Rd., Concrod, CA 94519. Entry: \$51.50 \$10 Q. 15% charity.
Cont. bfst Sat. & Sun., lunch Sat. Early bird, consolation, Sat. special. Contact: Mary Gladish, 833 Blarney
Ave., Concord, CA 94518. (510) 798-0329. Co-director: Jesse Jarrell (510) 427-6167.

July 24, 25, 26, National Open

North Raleigh Hilton, 3415 Old Wake Forest Rd., Raleigh, NC 27627. Entry: \$70, \$20 Q. Lunch, coffee. Main: match play best 4/7, double elim., skunks count 2 games. Early bird, Sun. special, consolation, last chance. Contact: National Open, PO Box 37595, Raleigh, NC 27627. Catherine Perkins (919) 837-5790. Co-directors: Bob Gombatz, Tom Miller, Russ Perkins, Nick Pond.

July 31, Colorado Caper IV

Aurora Moose Lodge #1824, 2390 Dayton St., Aurora, CO 80010. Entry: \$50 \$15 Q. Coffee, donuts, lunch Fri. Early bird, consolation. Contact: Jim Nohrden, 1064 Sable Blvd., Aurora, CO 80011. (303) 364-4583.

August 1, Great Plains Open

Best Western Airport Inn, Lincoln, NE. Entry: \$20 (11-game qual, best 2 of 3, 3 of 5). 7-game consolation. Contact: Marvin & Ardeth Rader, 5431 Glade, Lincoln, NE 68506. (402) 488-9254.

August 6, 7, 8, Portland Summer Open

Ramada Inn, Airport, 6221 NE 82nd Ave., Portland, OR. Entry: \$40, \$10 Q. Coffee, lunch. Sat. special, consolation, last chance, Jr. tournament. Contact: Leslie Hein, 40205 S. E. Gibson Rd., Washougal, WA 98671. (206) 835-3385. Co-director: Jeanne Hofbauer (206) 835-3953.

August 7, Chief Solano Open

Fairfield Senior Center, 1200 Civic Center Dr, Fairfield, CA 94533. Entry: \$54. \$10 to charity. Breakfast, lunch, donuts, coffee. Doubles Friday night, non-sanctioned consolation on Sat. Contact: George Halterman, 3410 Astoria Circle, Fairfield, CA 94533. (707) 428-4343. Co-directors: K. Wociki, Bill Moss.

August 8, 2nd Annual New England Inaugural

American Legion Post 12, Route 2, N. Kingstown, RI. Entry: \$36 ACC, \$43 non-ACC, \$10 Q. Coffee, pastry. Consolation. Contact: Lee Norris, 380 Davisville Rd., N. Kingstown, RI 02852. (401) 884-5145. Codirector: Ford Jewer (401) 789-8846.

August 14, 15, Stanton's Lions Club Open

Stanton Boys and Girls Club, 11050 Cedar St., Stanton, CA 90680. Entry: \$60 \$15 Q. \$15 to charity. Coffee, lunch. Fri. night doubles, consolation. Contact: Edward Jackson, 921 S. Beach Blvd., Anahein, CA 92804. (714) 956-9690. Co-director: Neal Hopkins.

August 15, ACC Hawaii Open

Pearl Harbor CPO Club, 284 Center Dr., Honolulu, HI 96818. Entry: \$25\$5 Q. \$1 to charity. GR club 110 consolation. Contact: Tsarkie, 740 9th Ave., Honolulu HI 96816. (808) 734-4800.

August 20, 21, 22, Belle City Classic

Holiday Inn, 5125 6th Ave., Kenosha, WI 53140. Entry: \$50, \$15 Q. Lunch. Early bird doubles & singles, Sat. special (\$20/\$50), consolation, last chance (\$20). Contact: Tom Maresh, 5222 Lilac Lane, Racine, WI 53406. (414) 632-3502. Co-director: Don Wrezinski.

August 20, 21, 22, Redmond Senior Center Benefit

Redmond Senior Center, 325 NW Dogwood, Redmond, OR 97756. Entry: \$40 \$10 Q. 10% to charity. Coffee, pastries. Early bird doubles, hi-rollers (Fri), consolation, Sat. nightspecial, last chance, mini-event Sat. Contact: R. & Marvis Reynolds, 220 S. Claypool St., Prineville, OR 97754. (503) 447-5920.

August 27, 28, 29 New England Championship (PEER TOURNAMENT)

Holiday Inn, Providence, RI. Entry: \$40. Coffee, lunch. Peer play seating (by Master Points, lifetime). Contact: John Chambers, PO Box 40068, Providence, RI 02940 or Joe Seigle (203) 742-7234, Al Miller (603) 882-7204.

August 27-29, Annual Redwood Classic

Veteran's Memorial Bldg., 1351 Maple Ave. (at hwy 12), Santa Rosa, CA. Entry: \$60 Q available. Coffee, lunch. Early bird, Sat. special, consolation. Contact: Marion Hawley, 978 Eleanor Ave., Rohnert Park, CA 94928. (707) 585-1577.

September 10, 11, 12, Wisconsin Dells Classic

Holiday Inn, I-90-94, Wisconsin Dells, WI 53965. Entry: \$45 \$15 Q. Fri. & Sat. specials (\$50), All-events pool, consolation, last chance. Contact: Patrick Barrett, 5821 Griffith Ave., Wisconsin Rapids, WI 54494. (715) 424-5059.

September 12, 9th Annual Greater Albany Open

Ramada Inn, 1228 Western Ave., Albany, NY 12203. Entry: \$45 \$15 Q. Coffee, lunch. Early bird, consolation, last chance. Contact: Dave Donovan, 72 Russell Rd., Albany, NY 12203. (518) 438-4996. Co-directors: Harold Belles (518) 459-2576; Georgann Wilder (518) 283-5369.

September 19, Massachusetts Open

Knights of Columbus Hall, 375 Foundry St. (Rt. 106), Easton, MA 02356. Entry: \$40, \$10 Q. 12 games, round-robin, top 4 play best 3/5 \$2 to charity Lunch. Sat. night doubles, consolation 8 games R-R, top 4, 3/5. Contact: Tony DelTufo, 9 Keenan St., W. Bridgewater, MA 02379. (508) 586-1067

September 24, 25, 12th Annual Wine Valley Open

Napa Town & Country Fairgrounds, 575 Third St., Napa, CA 94559. Entry: \$65 \$10 Q. Coffee, pastry, lunch wine & cheese tasting, dinner. Early bird doubles (\$20 includes dinner), consolation. Contact: Jack Monroe, 1303 Jefferson St. #210-A, Napa, CA 94559. (707) 253-2020. Co-directors: Ross Macky, Corky Schrette.

September 24,25,26, 7th Annual Gold Coast Classic

Pompano Beach Moose Lodge #2157, 3321 NE 6th Terrace, Pompano Beach, FL 33064. Entry: \$40, \$20 Q. Coffee, Sat. lunch, plaques or pen sets. Early bird, Sat. special, consolation, last chance. Reasonably priced food available during weekend. Contact: Joseph Daesch, 811 Oriole Ave., Miami Springs, FL 33166. (305) 885-8761. Co-director: Harry Stoops.

September 24, 25, 26, GRAND NATIONAL XII

Village Red Lion, 100 Madison, Missoula, MT 59802. Call 1-800-547-8010, say "cribbage" for reservations. Entry: \$50, \$20 Q. Donated trophies. Fri. early bird: \$20 9 games, high card, Consolation, Sat.night Awards Banquet. \$20 9 games Sat. night, high card, last chance, team play (\$50/5-person teams), \$1 "29" & "28" pool \$300 for 1st two 29's, \$25 for 1st four 28's. Contact: DeLynn Colvert, Box 5604, Missoula, MT 59806. (406) 543-6855. Co-director: Rex Paddock (406) 251-3379.

October 1, 2, 3, Montana Championship

Joker's Wild, Exit 101 I-90 (Reserve St exit), Missoula, MT. Entry: \$35 \$10 Q. Coffee. Early bird doubles & \$50 high-roller, Sat. Special, consolation, last chance, \$300 29-pool, team event. Contact: DeLynn Colvert, PO Box 5604, Missoula, MT 59806. (406) 543-6855. Co-director: Rex Paddock (406) 251-3379.

October 2, 3, Milwaukee Challenge

Holiday Inn, Highway 45/41 & 74, Menomonee Falls, WI 53051. Entry: \$45, \$15 Q. Early bird, consolation, Sat. special (Fri. & Sat.: \$20 & \$50 games). Contact: Marlene Lazachek, 4057 So. 35th, #3, Greenfield, WI 53221. (414) 325-9005.

October 3, New Hampshire Open

Holiday Inn, Northeastern Blvd., Nashua, NH 03062. Entry: \$39, \$10 Q. Approx \$2 to charity. Coffee, lunch. Sat. night doubles, consolation. Contact: Al Miller, 12 Michael Ave., Nashua, NH 03062-1418. (603) 882-7204.

October 8, 9, 10, Portside Open

Holiday Inn, 8 Crawford Pkwy, Portsmouth, VA 23704. Entry: \$45 \$10 Q. Coffee, lunch. Early bird, Sat. special, consolation, last chance. Contact: Richard McCormick, 3432 Valleyjo Place, Chesapeake, VA 23321. (804) 483-2467.

October 9, Niagara Falls Open

Elks Club, 285 Kenmore Ave., Buffalo, NY 14273. Entry: \$45\$15 Q. Coffee, donuts. Consolation. Contact: Stanley Bochinski, 2746 Eggert Rd., Tonawanda, NY 14150. (716) 832-6000.

October 9, Feather River Open

Oroville Eagles Hall, 2010 Montgomery, Oroville, CA 95966. Entry: \$50, \$10 Q. Coffee, donuts, lunch, snacks. Fri. early bird 7 PM, non-sanctioned consolation. Contact: Tom Stevens, 1130 Mt. Ida Rd., Oroville, CA 95966. (916) 589-2192. Co-director: John Mathews (916) 533-7793.

October 15, 16, 17, Capital City Classic

Keizer Elks Lodge #2472, 4250 Cherry Ave. NE, Keizer, OR 97303. Entry: \$41.50 \$10 Q. \$1 to charity. Coffee, lunch. Fri. doubles, hi-rollers, Sat. special, consolation, last chance (?). Contact: Fabian Nelson, 710 Meadowlawn Dr. SE, Salem, OR 97301. (503) 364-6418.

October 16, Bay Area Championship

Fremont Elks Lodge, 38991 Farwell Dr., Fremont, CA 94536. Entry: \$55 \$10 Q. Approx \$10 to charity. Coffee, juice, rolls, lunch. Non-sanctioned consolation. Contact: Robert Atkinson, 4348 Nagle Way, Fremont, CA 94536. (510) 792-1302.

October 22, 23, 24, Goblins and Ghosts

Eagles Lodge, 160 NW 2nd St., Hermiston, OR 97838. Entry: \$32.50, \$10 Q. \$1 to charity. Coffee, donuts. Early bird doubles and high rollers, consolation, last chance. Sat. banquet (calcutta). Contact: Ken & Betty Capper, 105 NW 3rd, Hermiston, OR 97838. (503) 567-5145.

October 23, 24, Vermont Open

Holiday Inn, 1068 Williston Rd., S. Burlington, VT 05403. Entry: \$45 ACC, \$52 non-ACC, \$10 Q. Coffee, lunch. Consolation, Sat. night doubles and high rollers. Contact: Fred McGibney, 175 Hinesburg Rd., S. Burlington, VT 05403. (802) 863-5135.

October 29, 30, 31, Ship Ashore Open

Ship Ashore Resort, 12370 Highway 101 North, Smith River, CA 95567. Entry: \$40, \$15 Q. Coffee, donuts. Early bird, Sat. special, consolation. Contact: Vernon Ward, 110 Mason St., Crescent City, CA 95531. (707) 464-4510. Co-director: Bobby Westbrooke.

October 29, November 1, Abe Kealoha Hawaiian Extravanganza

Pearl Herbor CPO Club, 284 Center Dr., Honolulu, HI 96818. Entry fee: \$50, \$10 Q. \$1 to charity. Cont. bkft, lunches, buffet dinner, refreshments. Consolation. Contact: Tsarkie, 740 9th Ave., Honolulu, HI 96816. (808) 734-4800.

November 5, 6, 7, Veterans Day Classic

Sands Hotel/Casino, 345 Arlington, Reno NV 89501. Entry: \$51.50 \$10 Q. 15% to charity. Cofee, danish Early-bird doubles, consolation. Contact: Bill & Dorthalee Irons, 333 K St., Sparks NV 89431. (702) 358-4916.

November 5, 6, 7, 6th Annual Fayetteville Classic

Howard Johnson Motel (919) 323-8282 \$48/night, I-95 at Exit 49 on Hwy 53, Fayetteville, NC. Entry: \$40, \$15 Q. Coffee, donuts, Sat. lunch buffet. Fri. early bird, Sat. special, consolation, Sun. last gasp. Contact: Lois Lam, PO Box 11068, Fayetteville, NC 28303. (919) 867-6048. Co-D: Carol Jablonski (919) 864-4905.

November 7, Great Plains Open

Best Western Airport Inn, Lincoln, NE. Entry: \$20 (11-game qual, best 2 of 3, 3 of 5). 7-game consolation. Contact: Marvin & Ardeth Rader, 5431 Glade, Lincoln, NE 68506. (402) 488-9254.

November 12, 13, 14, Prineville Lions Benefit

Eagles Lodge, 235 E. 4th St., Prineville OR 97754. Entry: \$37, \$10 Q. \$5.50 to charity. Early-bird, Sat. special, consolation, last chance. Contact: Bob St. Yves, 775 Oregon St., Prineville OR 97754. (503) 447-3739.

November 12, 13, 14, 15th Florida Open

Quality Hotel, 3835 McCoy Road, Orlando, FL 32812-4199. Entry: \$50 \$20 Q. Coffee, donuts, lunch. Early bird, Sat. special, Sat. doubles, consolation, last chance. Contact: Paul Barnes, 1316 Fatio Rd., DeLand, FL 32720. (904) 738-7659.

December 5, Hawaii 1993 Singles Championship (See Aug. 15 info)

December 12, Holiday Classic

Elks Hall, Social St., Woonsocket, RI 02895. Entry: \$42, \$10 Q. \$2 to charity. Coffee, donuts, buffet lunch. Consolation, Sat. night special. Contact: Gloria Dyndur, Box 535, Woonsocket, RI 02895. (401) 766-414(?) or Ann Somers (401) 766-4365.

May 5, 6, 1994, World Championship

Plumas County Fairgrounds, 204 Fairgrounds, Quincy, CA 95971. Entry: \$60, \$10 Q. Profits to charity. Coffee, donuts, lunch, dinner, drink. Early bird doubles & Hi-roller, consolation. Contact: Mike Taborski, PO Box B, Quincy, CA 95471. (916) 283-0800. Co-director: Dan Smith.

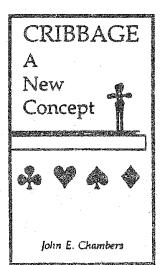
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Roger had counted his hand, and alas, was one point short of winning by a skunk, ending in the stink hole. But not to worry, right? He has the next deal, and will certainly peg a point as his opponent (Louetta Stutzman, Gibbonsville, ID), is 36 points from winning.

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Motley, Hatcher, Clemmey Top 1,000 Mark Jesse Jarrell Adds To MRP Lead

With one month remaining in this cribbage season, Jesse Jarrell, the Life Master from Pittsburg, CA, continues to set the national MRP pace, and has topped the 1,400 mark.

In late May, Jarrell nailed two consecutive tournaments...The Bill Mitchell Memorial (first) and the Nipomo Open (second)...and picked up some 185 MRP's to stretch his national MRP lead.

The runnerup position is a virtual deadheat between Gary Motley, Gresham, OR, Paul Hatcher, Salem, OR, and David Clemmey, Mansfield, MA. All three players stand at nearly 1,100 MRPs.

July 31 is the final day of the 1993 cribbage season, with only a handful of tournaments remaining to be played. The most significant are the Independence Day Open in Reno, and the National Open, in Raleigh, NC. Last year, Phyllis Schmidt, Williamstown, MA, claimed the national title with a fine 4th place finish in Raleigh, and perhaps, once again, this tournament may decide who will be crowned national champion.

Tournaments Entered This Month:

Bill Mitchell Memorial
Connecticut Championship
George Florentine Memorial
Greater Hermiston Open
Hawkeye Classic
Madison Masters Classic
Nipomo Open
North Carolina Open
Nugget Open
Oregon Coast Classic
Rhode Island Open
San Joaquin Valley Open
Snake River Open
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1 75 Dan Zeisler, Sonora CA 2 67 Jeff Monroe, Napa CA 3 58 Robert Carr, Santee CA 4 49 Mel Ashley, Marina CA

No Consolation

Rhode Island Open

Providence, RI, April 18, 1993 Director: Joe Ramos

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1 240 Robert Boulris, Bellingham MA 2 228 Phyllis Schmidt, Will'mst'n MA 3 219 Henry DeLong, Woburn MA 4 210 Brian Heroux, Woonsocket RI 5 201 Charles Reposa, Brockton MA 6 193 Harry Meneely, Quincy MA 7 186 John Croce, Cranston RI 8 178 Joyce Vanelli, Quincy MA

CONSOLATION 146

1 80 Wm Packard, N. Attieboro MA 2 76 David Dudzinski, Hamden CT 3 72 Leo Horigan, Stoughton MA 4 68 Donna LeFleur, Bristol CT 5 64 Earle Sweet, N. Scituate Ri 6 60 Bill Medeiros, Shrewsbury MA 7 56 Al Tenenbaum, Cranbury NJ 8 52 Ford Jewer, Wakefield RI

Oregon Coast Classic

Lincoln City, OR, April 30, May 1, 2 Directors: J. & R. Hofbauer

1 200 Ed Lawrence, Depoe Bay OR 2 188 Ariene Halldorson, Long B. WA 3 182 Duane Toll, Kenosha WI 4 172 Gary Motley, Gresham OR 5 165 John Hatfield, Madras OR 6 157 Larry Hassett, Roseburg OR 7 149 Art Ferenz, Bend OR 8 141 Al Grantz, Kelso WA

CONSOLATION 140

1 70 Bud Ferrigno, Canby OR 2 65 Denny Van Orsow, Culver OR 3 61 Susan Powell, Albany OR 4 56 Tim Hutsell, Crescent City CA 5 47 Wm O'Malley, Salem OR 5 47 Mike Barendse, Brownsmead OR 5 47 Roy Hofbauer, Washougal WA 5 47 Jim Brooks, Crescent City CA

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22nd World Championship

Quincy, CA, April 30, May 1, 1993 Director: Mike Taborski

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1 256 Wayne Glashan, Pittsburg CA 2 248 Sundae Webb, Antioch CA 3 241 Cy Madrone, Santa Barbara CA 4 232 James Hartle, San Jose CA 5 213 Peter Breeze, Mill Valley CA 5 213 Catherine Ryan, Gilroy CA 5 213 Harry Ward, Oroville CA 5 213 Bart Hurley, Quincy CA

CONSOLATION 120

1 60 Iris Fuller, Denver CO 2 55 Jason Severson, Chico CA 3 50 Les Lawrence, Magalia CA 4 45 Rich Burns, San Lorenzo CA

Madison Masters Classic XV

Madison, WI, May 7, 8, 9, 1993 Directors: G. Matti, J. Dickinson

1 160 Frank Trojan, New Brighton MN 2 152 Adelia Adams, Stoughton Wi 3 144 Martha Fingleton, Greenfield WI 4 136 Shawn Andruska, Minneapolis 5 128 John Syftested, Mt. Horeb WI 6 120 Andrew Veith, Sun Prairie Wi 7 112 Dorothy Schroeder, Waupaca WI 8 104 John Stamschror, Waukesa WI

CONSOLATION 96

1 50 Frank Danielski, Appleton WI 2 45 Larry Loupee, Newton IA 3 41 Karen Trojan, New Brighton MN 4 37 Jim Jeffers, Green Bay Wi

Snake River Open

Nyssa, OR, May 14, 15, 16, 1993 Director: Michelle Park

1 75 Ray Hanes, Walla Walla WA 2 67 Luanne Felstet, Missoula MT 3 58 Otto Bartholow, Boise ID 4 49 Paul Notz, Redmond OR

CONSOLATION 44

1 27 Anna Williams, Portland OR 2 22 Greta Gorden, Redmond OR 3 18 Bill Hill, Hermiston OR 4 14 Phil True, Richland WA

2nd Annual Nugget Classic

Paradise, CA, May 15, 1993 Director: Vern Kennebeck

1 111 Greg Schleusner, Truckee CA 2 102 Phil Luke, Magalia CA

3 93 Bill Sweeney, Paradise CA 4 83 Craig Ross, Rhonert Park CA

CONSOLATION 50

1 27 Helen Bolstad, Martinez CA 2 22 Al Eames, Vacaville CA 3 18 Jim Luke, Magalia CA

4 14 Millie Coffey, Concord CA

Connecticut Championship Willimantic, CT, May 16, 1993

Directors: B. Shoemaker, J. Seigle

MAIN 106

1 121 Paul Cormier, Martboro MA 2 109 George Johnson, Fitchburg MA 3 99 Brian Heroux, Woonsocket RI

4 90 Nelson Bakken, Chaplin CT

CONSOLATION 80

1 44 K. C. Finley, Enfield CT 2 40 Ken Vetterlibe, Bar Mills ME 3 35 Harry Palmer, W. Springfield MA 4 31 John Shears, Dayville CT

Bill Mitchell Memorial

Smith River, CA, May 21, 22, 23, 1993 Director: Vernon Ward

1 75 Jesse Jarrell, Pittsburgh CA 2 67 Jim Jackson, Bandon OR 3 58 Mike Wiley, Antioch CA 4 49 Ciyde Ross, Grass Valley CA

CONSOLATION 42

1 27 Thelma Weber, Vacaville CA 2 22 Mary Gladish, Concord CA 3 18 Helen Bolstad, Martinez CA 4 14 Donna Hassett, Roseburg OR

Nipomo Open

Nipomo, CA, May 28, 29, 30, 1993 Director: Darrell Hunstad

1 78 Sundae Webb, Antioch CA 2 79 Jesse Jarrell, Pittsburg CA 3 70 Floryan Sowinski, Lompoc CA 4 62 Harvey Honeycutt, Beatty OR

CONSOLATION 50

1 27 Boyd McDonald, Mtn View CA 2 22 Milt Goodman, Los Angeles CA 3 18 Mary Gladish, Concord CA 4 14 Mark Liebermann, LA CA

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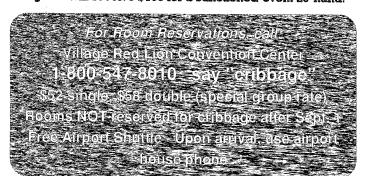
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Cribbage players of America, come join us for a gala, funfilled weekend of championship pegging. Join us for the American Cribbage Congress's annual Awards Banquet. Players who have excelled during the 1993 season will receive their Life Master, Grand Master, and Master ratings. The National Champion for 1993 will be crowned, and the top ten players will be awarded All-American honors. And for those who scored that elusive 29-hand during the 1993 season, a special framed award commemorating this once in a lifetime hand will be presented. Dale Munroe will be inducted into the Cribbage Hall of Fame...along with other awards to deserving players.

The Village Red Lion has given cribbage players special room rates...well below their normal prices...and we expect to fill the convention center with fun-loving peggers. So don't delay, make your reservation using the toll-free number below as soon as possible. This four-star facility is Montana's finest and players should truly enjoy the quality of their service.

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Optional Q-pool: \$20 (top 1/8 graduated)

Schedule of Events:

Friday Sept. 24 7 PM-Early Bird, 9-games, high card, no Q-pool, \$20 entry 7 PM-Hi-Rollers, 9 games top 4 playoff (best 2 of 3) \$100 entry

Jim Pershing 1983 (II) Marco Amato

1984 (III)

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1982 (1)

Saturday 8 AM - Registration (pick up Sept. 25 score cards, optional team play entry)

9 AM - Orientation 9:15 AM - Begin 22-game qualifying round (lunch times to be announced during play) 6:30 PM - Awards Banquet cocktail hour (no-host bar) 7:30 PM - Awards Banquet (Western Style Buffet) 7:30 PM - Saturday Special

9 games, high card, no Q-pool,

\$20 entry (for those not attend-

ing Awards Banquet)

1985 (IV) Scott Kooistra

Grace Cummings

1986 (V) **Bob Hanes**

1987 (VI) Bill Seymour

1988 (VII) Jim Heemstra

1989 (VIII) Harvey Honeycutt

Sunday Sept. 26 8 AM - Playoffs begin, top 25% play best 3 of 5, final four, best 4 of 7 10 AM - Consolation, 9 games (top 25% qualify for best 2 of 3 playoffs), \$20 entry, \$10 Q-pool Approx. 3 PM - Last Chance, 7 games, \$20 entry, no Q-pool

1990 (IX) Clay Collier

1991 (X) Joy Barnes

1992 (XI) Glenn Gauthier

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Projected Prizes:

Directors DeLynn Colvert and Rex Paddock are guaranteeing at least a 98% cash payback in prizes at the upcoming Grand National XII in Missoula, Montana

Based on 350 entries, the prizes are projected to be:

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9-16: \$200 each (\$1,600)

17-32: \$150 each (\$1,600)

33-64: \$ 100 each (\$2,400)

65-88: \$ 50 each (\$1,150)

The prize fund consists of the \$50 entry, less \$1.50 sanctioning fee. In this case $350 \times 48.50 is the prize fund, All events will have at least a 98% cash prize fund, and all Q-pools, and team events will have a 100% cash return. Trophies have been donated: 16 in the main event, 4 in the consolation, and a top qualifier trophy. Other events will also

Grand Nationals Have a Colorful History

September 18, 1982: The American Cribbage Congress began the run of Grand National events. President Joseph Wergin, and a host of helpers, conducted GN-I at the Mariott Inn of Brookfield, Wisconsin. Almost all of the Board of Directors were involved with this joint enterprise. The committees consisted of the Judges, the Tabulating, the Hospitality Room, and the Host/Hostess. In short, this first Grand National was a joint effort by the Board of Directors, and other cribbage notables. The winner? Jim Pershing from Milwaukee!

Grand National II was off and winging at Springfield, Massachusetts, as the ACC BOD decreed that the site move from the Central to Eastern to Central to Western to Central, etc. The reasoning? The Central Region is more accessible to all of our ACC players. Marco Amato, of W. Springfield took home the marbles. Two for two for the locals as the Grand Nationals began their national junkets.

Grand National III was played in Chicago, and Grace Cummings from Madison, Wisconsin, took the championship. Life Master Scott Kooistra was beginning to make his mark in cribbageland by taking 2nd.

And on to Denver for Grand National IV. Scott Kooistra came close in GN III, but in Colorado he went one notch higher and grabbed the championship. As the cribbage years have ticked by, Kooistra has established a reputation of prestigious high finishes.

Grand National V found Kooistra as the director...and Bob Hanes, Ankeny, Iowa, took the crown, besting some 256 peggers in Minneapolis.

Bill Seymour, Warwick, RI, nailed Grand National VI in downtown Hartford, CT. 184 peggers were on hand. Who won 2nd? None other than Hall of Famer Bob Madsen, Chicago. Bob was a ringleader in getting Grand National I off the ground.

Grand National VII saw the event return to Milwaukee once again. Jim Heemstra from Green Bay, WI, nipped Neal Friets, Keene, NH, in the final match to take this 248-pegger match. Life Master "Mick" Michaelis took 4th to continue his quest for cribbage honors. Eugene Mikulsky took 3rd. Both players hail from Wisconsin.

Grand National VIII in September 1989 was probably the most unique GN of all. Played in Prineville, OR, at the county fairgrounds, in a huge barn (on a dirt floor). Oregon's favorite player...Harvey Honeycutt...took the crown besting the then largest crowd in GN history (442 peggers). When Harvey was announced as the winner, the huge crowd began chanting "Har-vey, Har-vey, Har-vey, Louder and louder with each repetition, culminating with thunderous applause. Who took 3rd? None other than Scott Kooistra.

296 peggers were on hand in Des Moines, Iowa, for Grand National IX. Clay Collier kept honors almost at home as this Beatrice, Nebraskan took the championship in downtown Des Moines. Gary Motley, Gresham, OR, was honored as one of the All-Americans at the Awards Banquet, and the next day finished 3rd to prove his mettle.

Grand National X was held in Fort Lauderdale, Florida. This event also was one of the GN's most unique, as the awards ceremony was on the "Jungle Queen"...a cruise boat that took the ceremony on an inland waterway through Fort Lauderdale. And, as usual, a "local" won the event...Joy Barnes from nearby DeLand. Who won 2nd? None other than co-director of the upcoming GN XII...Rex Paddock, Missoula, MT.

Grand National XI in Green Bay, WI, set an attendance record of 448 peggers. And once again, a "local" took home the marbles...Glenn Gauthier from DePere, WI.

On to Missoula...

Western Rocky Mountain Backdrop Montana Hosts Grand National XII

Every four years the Grand National event is played in the Western Region...and this year's 12th annual will be played in Missoula,

day's pegging. And the Village Inn offers tana. A guest can literally go fishing from ing! Simply pick up the telephone at the This small Rocky Mountain college town was chosen as the playing site for several casons. First, the playing site is a classy Red Lion Village Inn Convention Center. The Village Inn has ample playing space, complete with some 300 quality rooms. The facility is on the banks of the Clark Fork River adjacent to the University of Montheir balcony rooms...or listen to the babbling brook as they doze off from a hardfree airport shuttle service, coming and goairport luggage area, and you are automatially connected to the Village Inn. Andas for transportation, Missoula is served by 1-90...an east-west arterial that zips through North Dakota (1-94) or South Dakota (1-90). I-94 and I-90 join at Billings, MT, and the final 350 miles on I-90 to Missoula rolls through scenic mountain country, with little traffic. Don't be in any hurry, however, as a speeding ticket will cost you \$5! Entering Missoula, take exit 105 (Van Buren Street). You will immediately see a huge Red Lion Village Inn sign...a mere three blocks from the exit towards the river.

Director's DeLynn Colvert and Rex Paddock are veterans of tournament play, as they have conducted two sanctioned events for the past several years, and have always had fair paybacks, with a minimum of overhead expenses. And this year's Grand National XII will be no exception. Players and sponsors from throughout the Northwest have donated trophies, and the American

Cribbage Congress has given this event \$1,000 to help with the considerable expense involved.

A card-playing license, for example, is \$260

Colvert and Paddock are getting "good vibes" from players throughout the nation, and a sizeable crowd is expected. Many players have expressed interest in a vacation in Montana, and are planning in taking in the scheduled doubleheader...as the annual Montana Championship is scheduled one week later at the usual Joker's Wild location adjacent to exit 101 (1-90). And to complete the weekdays between tournaments, a \$20 9-game high card event will be held Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday nights (7 PM) at the Joker's Wild. In short, peggers are guaranteed all the pegging they desire for 10 full days (well, they'll take Monday, and

If you're interested in a Montana vacation, write to Governor Marc Racicot, Box T, Helena, MT 59620-0533, and you will receive a nifty vacation package about Montana. See you soon...and bring your lucky pegs!

Whiners Given Ammunition in Missoula

The Grand National in Missoula is contemplating a unique name tag. Players will have color-coded tags to identify Life Masters (red), Grand Masters (orange), Masters (yellow), and the rest of our membership (blue). Can't you hear it already? The whiners will be armed with ammunition..." I had to play two reds, three oranges, and six yellows...life ain't fair!"

Feam Play

Players in the Northwest are familiar with Team Play, as this satellite event is conducted at almost all this area's events. Play consists of a 5-person team (\$50 entry: \$10 per player). You may play on more than one team. Play is scored by GP's only in the 22-game qualifying round (110 games total: 5 x 22). Cash prizes are awarded to the top 1 in 5 (20%). 100% cash payback, Jesse Jarrell, bring your check book...you're going to be in demand!

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- 4- Mark Pananos, NH Open, Oct 10 '92
- 5- Walter Miskowic, MN Valley, Oct 31 '92
- 6- Dennis Bays, Vets Day Remo, Nov 7 '92
- 7- Danny Mitchell, JPW/ACC Open, Feb 6'93
- 8- Robert Sibert, JPW/ACC Open, Feb 6 '93
- 9- Constantine Harmacey, Orlando Feb 27 '93
- 10- Sandra Stroup, W. Swett Open Mar 13 '93
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