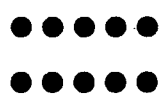


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Independence Day Open Draws 314 **Clyde Ross Takes Honors In Reno**

Clyde Ross, playing out of Grass Valley, CA, zipped to the championship at the recent Independence Day Open in Reno. Summer in Reno is "cribbage time" for Ross...as he also won the 1993 Reno July match. Ross took home \$1,800 and 287 MRP's in besting the crowd of 314 peggers. In addition to his pegging skills, Ross also makes exquisite cribbage boards, many of which have been given as trophies at recent tournaments.

Another pegger who does well in Reno in July is Otmar Borchard, Scio, Oregon. This time around he took home 2nd money. In 1991 he nailed the 200-pegger Consolation event.

Jack Brown was a long way from his Annandale, VA home, but he paid for his trip with a nice 3rd place finish. Walter Olsen, Atascadero, CA, took home 4th place.

Dale Kochenburg (CA) took honors in the qualifying round with a nice 38 (17) +294...and a sizeable "Q" prize.

The Consolation drew a huge crowd (214) and rookie Barry Rabson, Laguna Hills, CA, came away the winner in his first sanctioned event. Kathleen Hahn,

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Medford, OR, came close, but had to settle for 2nd. Grand Master Syl Lulinski, LaGrange Park, IL, finished 3rd and is at the 800 MRP mark for this cribbage year. George Petievich, Nevada City, CA, took 4th. Petievich is a newly crowned Master pegger.

A bevy of top-ranked players from throughout the USA were on hand for this match as the 1996 cribbage season is winding down and those coveted MRP's are being chased by the front-runners. Only Jeff Monroe (CA)(11-12th), Darren Black (OR)(17-32), and Syl Lulinski (IL) could break through and score sizeable amounts, keeping the MRP race up for grabs.

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The President's Column

Everett "Ev" Bey

Directing a Tournament

There are some 300, more or less, men (and women) out there in cribbage-land to whom the American Cribbage Congress owe a big round of thanks.

These are the volunteer directors of the ACC-sanctioned tournaments you-all participate in over 12 months of the year, as well as the directors of the various Grass Roots clubs scattered throughout the U. S.

Without their interest and dedication to the grand ol' game, we wouldn't enjoy the camaraderie and friendly competition of structured tournament play and/or local club involvement.

Somebody has to do it, somebody has to take the lead in organizing a tournament or directing a club, tending to the nitty-gritty that is required to present a successful, on-going program.

First, a proper playing venue must be found...hopefully at no cost, but these deals are fast disappearing. Next, submit a sanctioning application to your Regional Tournament Commissioner to qualify your date. Then, a mailing list must be compiled...using names and addresses available from Membership Secretary Jeff Monroe on an area, national or statewide basis; a printed piece, flyer or brochure must be prepared, covering all vital information (including motel/hotel info); address labels must be attached and the finished product handed over to the Post Office for what we assume is reliable delivery.

Meanwhile, out-of-pocket costs mount...acquire cribbage boards; buy (or beg) playing cards; provide scorecards; arrange for early AM coffee and donuts, catered lunches and dinners (if required by lack of other facilities); line up assistants and helpers to register participants, cross-check scorecards, maintaining scoring records and verify the top 25% of players for the play-off seeding charts.

ACC mandates an 85% payback on the main and consolation tournaments. With the payback percentage limitations in effect, it's up to the director to spread the dollars in an equitable manner among the winning players. Grass Roots clubs have their own individual arrangement for prize funding, depending on their expenses of operation.

Obviously, to enhance a tournament, additional competition and opportunity for more prize

winning are added...Q Pools, partnerships and team options, special "24" awards and other innovations. And in Grass Roots play, there's recognition for "Grand Slams" and even for that depressing "String of Pearls."

It's not finished when the tournament or regular club play is finished...there's still the report to be completed and sent to the Tournament Commissioner or Grass Roots Regional Statistician.

And it's still not over...all the equipment and supplies must be stored away until the next event.

Many times we've heard players bitching about the amount of payback. We hear rumbles that the directors are making a bundle out of the operation. We challenge both of these statements.

Hidden expenses that the players never know about can eat into the available prize-purse. Hall rental is becoming more and more of an expense item that must be accommodated. Many tournaments get free use of hotel public rooms, depending on rental of a certain number of rooms or contracting for a meal or two. However, we know of several that are forced to pay \$800 and \$1,200 per day for Fairground facilities, the only adequate space in the community. It's pretty hard to spread that kind of outlay over 200-300 players...figuring to about \$4-\$10 each.

Take our recent Arizona Roadrunner tournament, for example. As an experiment, we took 15% off the top on all events...Main, Q-Pool, Consolation, Friday Early Bird, Saturday Special, and the Last Chance. As a result, we came out \$300 in the hole, exactly the amount of the Elks Hall rental! And we still heard gripes about the prize paybacks. Next year, we're going to have to figure out how to recoup our loss and still break even.

Give the directors a break...they're doing it because of their love for the game. Quit complaining about money-grubbing tournament directors and Grass Roots leaders; nobody's making a fortune for all their work.

Finally, if you have to cancel out of a tournament at the last minute, please call and notify the director. It's only common courtesy. Show your appreciation...express your thanks for a well-run tournament, and offer to help your Grass Roots Director.

Keep peggin' Ev Bey

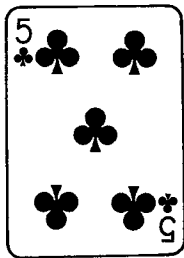
Clyde Ross Takes Honors

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This year's match ran for four days, beginning with a Thursday night doubles match. Charles and Mittie Ball, Everett, WA, came away the winner in this "Early Bird" match. Friday night's singles match was won by last year's national champion Rit Alkas, the Connecticut King. Alkas took home a nice \$700 for the effort. Saturday night's action was a "High Roller" and Roy Banducci, Arroyo Grande, CA, won going away, scoring a very nice 9/9 20 +174 Grand Slam. He carted home \$725. Sunday night's action came complete with a roll of quarters from the Sands Casino, and Louis Primc, Marysville, WA took home the prize, going 8/9 with 19 GP's.

Bill and Dorthalee Irons, with help from a large group of volunteers, once again ran a first-class tournament, attested by the large crowd...and the Sands, as usual, keep the players well supplied with pastries and coffee.

\$1,100 Five of Clubs



Jill Solle, San Carlos, CA, was stunned during Saturday's qualifying round when she cut the five of clubs...for the ACC's 17th 29-hand of this cribbage season.

This "29" was extra special, as the Sands Casino added \$1,000 for

any 29-hand scored on Saturday. And in addition to the \$1,000, the American Cribbage Congress will add another \$100, making this gem worth a cool \$1,100!

Helen Railsback Earns Grand Master

Helen Railsback, the Nebraska Queen of Cribbage, qualified 33rd, and rolled on to a 16th place at the Reno match, picking up 178 MRP's...and the ACC's 63rd Grand Master award. Railsback is a very competitive pegger and is noted for her controversial extra large "six-shooter" pegs.

Her husband, Buzz, is also a Grand Master, and this veteran pair are seen far and wide on the cribbage trail.

Hope For Old Peggers

Your editor was recently heading into Salt Lake City, cruising at 70 MPH, when he noted a blue Lincoln in his rear-view mirror closing at a very fast rate. When the car came alongside he saw two elderly ladies merrily talking to each other as they zipped down the highway. This seemed a bit unusual, but as the car roared on by at about 95 MPH, he noted their custom license plate. It read: **LIVITUP**. There is hope for us old peggers!

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Record 1,520 Grass Rooters Play National Tournament Mark Liebermann Cops Title By Winning 17 of 18

Mark Liebermann, playing out of Club 100 (Napa, CA), posted a great 38 (17/18) +300 to top a record field of 1,520 peggers in the recent National Grass Roots Tournament. This 76-year old pegger resides at the Veteran's Home in Yountville, CA and according to National GR Commissioner **Eugene Mikulsky**, he was one happy camper! He made several calls to Mikulsky to see if he was still in first place. The win came with a \$500 prize and another \$25 for the afternoon 9/9 Grand Slam. (His score card is reproduced to the right).

Jesse Jarrell, Pittsburg, CA, scored a 35 GP card, winning 16 of 18 games for 2nd place and \$400. Jarrell (Club 54) is one of five ACC One-Star players and continues his winning ways.

James Bouschor (Club 80), Juneau, AK nailed 3rd by winning 15 games (34 GP's) and took home \$300 for the 3rd place finish. **Harold Davis** (Club 219), Colebrook, NH, also won 15 games (32 GP's) and won \$200 for finishing 4th. **Alta Roberts** (Club 96), Rapid City, SD, scored 32 (14) and won \$100 for the 5th place finish.

Eleven players scored 31 GP's and received \$75. The are: **Al Libby** (111), Quincy, CA; **Karl Bremmer** (120), Wisconsin Rapids, WI; **Tom Larson** (67), Parkway Valley, MN; **Ken Richmond** (77), Gresham, OR; **Donald McIntee** (53), Mesa, AZ; **Lea Hornbeck** (28), Portland, OR; **Bruce Pearce** (223), Yreka, CA; **Walt Conell** (25), Helena, MT; **Bob Gillete** (100), Napa, CA; **Dave Clemmey** (81), Mansfield, MA; and **Edgar Bastedo** (24), Mesa, AZ.

Ron Hirschman, Sr. (6), Milwaukee, WI scored the only 29 hand. There were 15 28 hands scored and 5 Grand Slams were posted.

295 players shared in the prize money. 393 players received Grass Roots Rating Points, and players from 111 clubs participated in the largest cribbage tournament ever played! Tournaments were held in 81 cities throughout the United States. Green Bay, WI Club 61 fielded 50 players to lead the nation. Madison, WI (1) and Parkway Valley, MN (67) had 30 participants. This year's event topped the 1995 edition by 99 players.

Liebermann's Score Card:

OFFICIAL SCORECARD

NAME Mark Liebermann

TABLE _____ SEAT 32

| Game | Game Points | Game Spread | | Opponents Verification | |
|-------|-------------|-------------|-----|------------------------|-------|
| | | + | - | Initials | ID No |
| 1 | 2 | 01 | | JM | 31 |
| 2 | 2 | 23 | | BO | 27 |
| 3 | 3 | 33 | | Mac | 23 |
| 4 | 0 | | 21 | DT | 19 |
| 5 | 2 | 18 | | C.S. | 15 |
| 6 | 2 | 04 | | LP | 11 |
| 7 | 2 | 11 | | APM | 7 |
| 8 | 2 | 14 | | DM | 3 |
| 9 | 2 | 02 | | Enc | 4 |
| 10 | 2 | 29 | | KR | 8 |
| 11 | 3 | 39 | | BS | 12 |
| 12 | 2 | 01 | | OC | 16 |
| 13 | 3 | 53 | | RO | 30 |
| 14 | 2 | 02 | | KA | 24 |
| 15 | 3 | 32 | | SV | 28 |
| 16 | 2 | 27 | | | |
| 17 | 2 | 17 | | | |
| 18 | 2 | 10 | | | |
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| TOTAL | | 38 | 321 | 21 | |

GAMES WON PLUS + 321 Checked by:

17

MINUS - 21

Net Spread 300

Sun City West Finally Scores 29 Hand

Sun City West GR Club 284 has finally had a 29-hand! **Harry Shaffer**, ACC Life member 289, nailed this gem on June 3, 1996!

ACC President Ev Bey started this club in January of 1993 and it took Harry some two and one-half years to get serious! CW thanks Gene LaRouche, Club 284's President, for this tidbit.

John McCready Takes Hockomock

John McCready, surviving a scare in the 5-8 round, went on to claim the 106-pegger Hockomock Classic played in Foxboro, MA June 23. His final match with John Brennan (Milton, MA) was a close one, but McCready (Revere, MA) prevailed 3-2. He survived his 5-8 match, being down 0-2 to Frank Reddy (Winthrop, MA), but came back with three wins to advance.

The 3rd and 4th place playoffs had a unique match as Sharlene Medeiros was matched with husband Bill Medeiros, a tough-pegging duo from Shrewsbury, MA. This time around, Bill prevailed. However, Sharlene picked up 100 MRP's for qualifying 12th and finishing 4th, and has topped the 900 mark for the year, giving her a shot at playing for the Eastern Region's All-Star team in Reno next January.

Charles Rapoza, Brockton, MA, had the hot hand in the qualifying round to take honors.

George Bickford, W. Springfield, MA, came from nowhere in the final Consolation match to nip Irving Torrey, Mansfield, MA, for the 66-pegger title. Bickford scored three consecutive huge hands to win at the wire. Al Dinwoodie (CT) and Sue Turcotte (RI) finished 3rd and 4th.

Director David Clemmey will schedule this match once again next June 22, 1997.

Frank Corrado Wins Granite State High Roller

Al Miller runs a unique "High Roller" format for his annual Granite State Classic. A \$100 entry and best 4 of 7 (double elimination) matches makes each game a little more tense. This time around, Frank Corrado, E. Hartford, CT, came away the winner. Two weeks earlier, Richard West (Attleboro, MA) had won the Connecticut Championship, and came close once again, but had to settle for 2nd. Paul Cormier (Marlboro, MA) took 3rd, followed by Lucille Simpson (Lewiston, NY) in 4th.

George Webb (Halifax, MA) nailed the 32-pegger Consolation, edging Brain Heroux (Woonsocket, RI) for the title. Heroux picked up only 21 MRP's, but he is in a heated race for honors this cribbage year and every MRP counts! Bob Gombatz (Raleigh, NC) finished 3rd (after qualifying 1st) and scored some 19 MRP's to keep pace with Heroux. Cindy Veradt (MA) finished 4th.

Madison Masters Classic XVIII Tom Maresh Tops 131

Racine's Tom Maresh, after qualifying 4th, continued on and claimed one of the oldest running tournaments in the USA...the 18th Madison Masters Classic. In the 17th edition of this match, Maresh finished 2nd. Being one year older and a little bit wiser paid off with the championship.

John Syftestad (WI) finished 2nd in this huge match and picked up 170 MRP's (after qualifying 3rd). Andrew Veith (WVA) nailed 3rd, followed by Ray Hansen (IA) in 4th.

Jerry Gruber, Minneapolis, took high-qualifying honors with a 33 GP card, attesting to the bevy of slick peggers attending this match.

Rosemary Daun (WI) has been close to winning a sanctioned event and she finally prevailed by winning the 76-pegger Consolation. She edged Sylvia Swett (IL) for the title. Two BOD members finished 3rd and 4th...Jeff Shimp (MI) and Jerry Dickinson (WI).

Satellite Winners:

Friday Early Bird: Larry Rowley (WI)
Saturday Night: Lloyd Kraft (WI)
Super Pool: Russell Adams (MN)

Director Gaylord Matti reported that no 28 or 29 hands showed (very unusual) and that he will schedule this Classic for the 19th time next June 20-22, 1997. Mark your calendars.

Charlotte Brady Hot in New York

Charlotte Brady, a local pegger, nailed the recent 3rd Annual Rochester Open with a hot hand! She not only qualified first, but came away with the championship.

And in an unusual finish, Monica Marchand, another local pegger, qualified 2nd...and finished 2nd.

Maurina Boughton (Rochester) edged Hal Mueller, a pegger from Canada for 3rd place. Mueller finished 4th.

Local Norm Boughton nipped Joe Angelo (Buffalo, NY) for the Consolation win. Director Jack Marchand keeps 'em pegging in NY!

Mickey Budin Wants To Know What's Going On Here?

Mickey Budin is a new ACC member from Bloomfield, CT, and he has been baffled by CW's abbreviations, such as "MRP's," "GP's," "38 18 +243." etc.

CW apologizes to Mickey (and our other new members) for this "gobbledegook."

An explanation:

MRP's: Master Rating Points (these points are scored in sanctioned events. The top 1 in 8 will score points in the qualifying round and playoff round. The Main Event and Consolation award points. For example, in an 80-player tournament, 10 players will earn MRP's...in the qualifying round and the playoffs. The Consolation awards points in the same manner, but in lesser amounts. A MRP chart should be available for all players at a sanctioned tournament.

GP's: Game Points. ACC scoring awards 2 Game Points for a win, and 3 Game Points for a skunk win. Scoring also entails marking down your Spread Points...the points you win or lose by.

38 18 +243: This abbreviation indicates that a player had scored 38 Game Points, had won 18 games (of a typical 22 game qualifying round) and his total Spread Points were +243.

The American Cribbage Congress has an awards system:

Master: 2,000 MRP's (lifetime)

Grand Master: 4,000 (lifetime)

Life Master: 6,000 (lifetime)

One-Star: 10,000; Two-Stars: 15,000; Three-Stars: 20,000, etc.

Every cribbage year (August 1 thru July 31) a tally is made of player's MRP's earned and the top ten are named to the All-American Team.

In addition, any 29-hand scored in a sanctioned event will receive \$100 from the ACC (Main or Consolation).

And, of course, your \$10 membership covers Cribbage World magazine, maintaining a running tally of your MRP's (lifetime and yearly), and a membership card (complete with your membership number and your MRP's at the end of the latest cribbage year).

The ACC also sponsors a Grass Roots program, complete with another rating system. Check with your local director for information about this program.

\$10,000 Reno Winner Rolling...Again! Bruce Wridge

Nails Spokane Open

Bruce Wridge, the ACC's grand prize winner (\$10,000) in Reno this February still has his touch. He won the recent Greater Spokane Valley Open...and another \$800!

His final match was with the nation's MRP leader, Bob Julian (WI). Julian, in taking 2nd, tacked on another 100 MRP's to his nation-leading tally, and has zipped to some 1,627 (unofficial) points for the year and is in the "catbird's seat" for yet another national championship.

Clyde Ross (CA) had a fine toumey as he came in 3rd...and also won the High Roller event to more than pay for his trip from Grass Valley. Tim Clemenson, a local pegger playing in his first sanctioned event, nailed 4th.

The 96 peggers were mostly veteran peggers, however, and Tom Lingenfelter (MT) scored the high qualifying card with only 33 (16) +74...a score indicating the overall skill in the field.

Jim Hornbacher (WA) has been trying to shake his "bridesmaid" image...and he succeeded in grand style as he won the 62-pegger Consolation going away, nailing Todd Malmgren 3-0 in the final match. Malmgren is a newly crowned Master from Clackamas, OR. Jim Gogolin (OR) is steadily pegging his way to a fine season by finishing 3rd and is nearing the 700 MRP mark for this season. Roger Lueschow (WA) is nearing his Master rating by taking 4th.

Jack Moritzky (WA) kicked off the weekend by taking the Time Passer with a grand slam 7/7 16. Bruce Gentry (WA) teamed with Jim Gogolin to take the doubles. Richard Larson (OR) won the Saturday Special, and Margaret Pagliaro (co-director) won the Last Chance.

Carol Mullerlerle, Sandra Pagliaro, Louis Pagliaro, Don Bain, and Margaret Pagliaro all worked hard in administering a well-run tourney...and the host Eagles club served reasonable meals and drinks.

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Michaelis 4 For 9 In South Dakota

Players from 17 states attending the 9th Annual Lewis & Clark Open in Yankton, South Dakota were treated to a cribbage rarity. Mick Michaelis, a One-Star Hall of Famer from Marinette, WI, won for the fourth time (of the 9 played). And with the win came a nice \$2,000 and 180 MRP's. His 1996 totals are well over 1,000 and gives him a shot at his 8th All-American award. Never has a player dominated a tournament such as this in the history of the ACC. His road to the championship was a tough one, as he had matches with One-Star Scott Kooistra (Yankton), Life Master Duane Toll (WI), and the streaking Sue Edwards (CO).

His last match with Toll was a close one, but Michaelis prevailed 3-2. Toll, nevertheless, took home \$1,300 for 2nd...and with other winnings, had a \$2,000 weekend.

Jim Rein, Carver, MN, finished 3rd, and is within reach of the top ten in his Central Region for this cribbage year. He pocketed some \$900 for this effort. Sue Edwards, Denver, CO, is also continuing a stellar season with a 4th place finish. Her 2nd at the huge ACC Open in Reno in February, combined with the 150 MRP's earned in Yankton will certainly give her a shot as "Rookie of the Year."

Jiggs Hebberecht (SD) soared to a 38 (17) +239 to easily take qualifying honors in this 172-pegger event.

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122 peggers played the Consolation, and Ray Boesel, the Glenbeulah, WI Bomber won going away. Boesel had a fine weekend, as he also nailed one of the best 9-game scores of the year in the Friday night game, winning via a Grand Slam, complete with four skunks. His 9/9 22 +196 earned him a nifty \$400.

Roger Wilson, Boulder, CO, took 2nd in the Consolation (and is at the 700 MRP mark for the year). Howard Pearson (SD) took 3rd, followed by Iris Fletcher (CO) in 4th.

Shad Breeling, Omaha, NE, nailed the Saturday night game, propelling him to a tie with Earl Fox, Spring Lake, MN, in the All-Events competition. Both players posted 61 GP's in the 40-game match.

Luis DuPuis, Aurora, CO, nailed the ACC's 18th 29-hand of this cribbage season...and sets a new season record for 29's. 17 29's were scored in 1991 and 1993. DuPuis will receive a cool \$100 from the ACC for this gem.

Director Scott Kooistra, along with help from Linda Kooistra and Jean Clayton ran a first-class tournament, attested to by yet another record crowd. Players came from far and wide to participate in this 9th annual event. His paybacks were excellent and ***prominently posted before play.*** Anyone interested in promoting cribbage should take lessons from this South Dakota crew.

Ernie Hauge Wont Spill His Coffee

At the Lewis and Clark Classic, local Ernie Hauge poured himself a cup of coffee and continued play with the coffee at his right elbow.

His opponent eyed the situation and watched his elbow narrowly miss the coffee several times. He finally said "Hey, Ernie, you're going to spill your coffee if you don't watch it!"

Ernie replied "Oh, OK, I'll move it over by the winners hole. I never get close to that!"

His opponent couldn't help but laugh heartily at that comment. Of course, Ernie spoke with a forked tongue! He did, indeed, get into the winner's hole!

Grass Roots Winds Down 1995-1996 Season

Grass Roots Statistician Joe Ramos has compiled end-of-season statistics for the Grass Roots Program (1995-1996 Season). The following pages list the accomplishments of our ACC peggers. Club Champions are listed, Life Time Grass Roots Points, and Divisional Standings.

Ramos reports that some 3,681 players enjoyed playing this past season (a new record), with 31 states have active clubs. California leads the way with 29 clubs, followed by Oregon with 16.

Club 29 from Englewood, Florida, directed by Paul Howard, has the most members with 85. Club 61, directed by Eugene and Aggie Mikulsky, have the highest average players per night with 57.

Season highlights: 58 players reached the Bronze Level (1,000 rating points). 30 players scored that elusive 29 hand. 168 Grand Slams were recorded (winning all 9 games in one session) and a whopping 355 28 hands were scored.. Joe extends congratulations to all award winners.

Gallagher Tops Villager

Paul Gallagher, Avon, MA, nailed the 98-pegger Villager Open on June 9. The event was played at the beautiful "Sturbridge Isle" in Sturbridge, MA. His final match pitted him with Bill Cooper, Marlboro, MA. Elinor Breen (Avon, MA) finished 3rd, followed by the streaking Dick West (Attelboro, MA) in 4th.

The hot hand in the qualifying round belonged to Breen, and the combined 3rd place finish and qualifying round netted her a nice 130 MRP's!

Brian Heroux (Woonsocket. R. I.) is in a year-end race for national honors and he qualified 2nd, and finished 5-8 to gain another 101 MRP's, keeping his hopes alive for a national championship.

Frank Corrado (E. Hartford) picked up the 60-pegger Consolation win. Kathy Hoenig (Fiskdale, MA) finished 2nd, followed by Lou Petosa (Bristol, CT) in 3rd and Pat Llewellyn (Bellingham, MA) in 4th.

Director Jerry Bernier reported a drought for 28's and 29's...and he will schedule this event again next year on June 8.

Grass Roots Bronze Level

For compiling
1,000 Grass Roots Rating Points,
the following players are awarded the
Bronze Award

153- Dale Vincent, Sr.
Green Bay, Wisconsin (61)

154- Lea Hornbeck
Washougal, Washington (28)

155- Lynn Gillespie
Kennewick, Washington (184)

156- Leslie Hein
Washougal, Washington (28)

157- Justin Gorman
Englewood, Florida (29)

158- Elmer Rasmussen
Chehalis, Washington (28)

159- Walter Conell Jr.
Helena, Montana (25)

160- Harold Atamian
Fresno, California (45)

161- Eugene McDonald
Green Bay, Wisconsin (61)

162- Raymond West
Appleton, Wisconsin (90)

163- J. D. Denny
Symna, Georgia (119)

164- George Bright
Atlanta, Georgia

165- Clair Morse
Bend, Oregon (14)

166- George Riley
Taunton, Massachusetts (81)

Grass Roots Final Standings, 1995-1996 Season

Standings as of July 8, 1996

Season: 1995-96

Division 1 (club numbers in parenthesis)

- 1 373 Gerry Gagnon, Chicopee MA(72)
- 2 367 Bob Gombatz, Raleigh NC(58)
- 3 317 David Fournier, Casselberry FL(22)
- 4 310 Gene Goodell, Portland OR(118)
- 5 305 William Macdonald, Fresno CA(45)
- 6 290 Charles Douthit, Cheyenne WY(211)
- 7 269 James N. Marshall, Port Charlotte FL(29)
- 8 268 Edwin Fringer, Woodstock IL(213)
- 9 267 Dale G. Vincent Sr., Green Bay WI(61)
- 10 264 Jim Rein, Carver MN(215)
- 11 261 Alf J. Nore, Skagway AK(188)
- 261 Ruth Zimmerman, Green Bay WI(61)
- 261 Duane E. Sink, St. Joseph MI(107)
- 261 Ken Cochlin, Kennewick WA(184)
- 15 254 Ken Key, Madison WI(1)
- 16 250 Cliff McKinley, Newport OR(127)
- 250 Mark McClure, Anchorage AK(177)
- 18 249 Albert Podevels, Colby WI(199)
- 249 Dick L. Walcker, Waldport OR(127)
- 20 248 Kenneth P. Young, Cheyenne WY(211)
- 21 246 William C. Wright, El Cajon CA(79)
- 22 245 Jack A. Barrett, WI Rapids WI(120)
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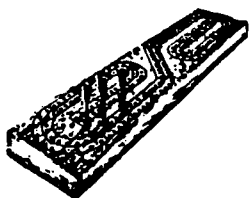
Dearol White Takes Nugget

Dearol White playing out of Modesto, CA, came on strong and took the recent 126-pegger Nugget Classic at Magalia, CA June 2. Jones Hom, the Fairfield King, has been on a roll recently, and very nearly took home the championship, but settled for 2nd...and another 130 MRP's (and nearly 800 for this cribbage year). Paul Hatcher, Salem, OR, took 3rd and continues his drive for a top-ten spot. The 122 MRP's earned place Hatcher at over the 1,100 mark. Gerold Montgomery, Red Bluff, CA took 4th.

Margaret Larsen, Hayward, CA, took top qualifying honors.

Veteran Bill Wakeman, Hayward, CA, came away with the 72-pegger Consolation title, edging Pete Chamousis, Paradise, CA, in the final play-off match. Joe Schalich (Santa Rosa, CA) took 3rd and Mike Beauvis (Red Bluff) took 4th.

Director Vern Kennebeck continues to host well-run tournaments, attested to by yet another record crowd. He will play it again next June.



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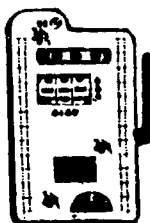
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Paul Barnes Compares MRP Systems

Paul Barnes is the Director of the Daytona Beach Open and he compared the old MRP system with the proposed system, using his June 9th tourney as a sample.

He discovered that in the Main event the present system awarded 1,000 MRP's and the proposed system awarded 1,134...a 13% increase. In the Consolation a more dramatic change occurred. The present system awarded 252 MRP's and the proposed system awarded 530 MRP's...a huge 210% increase.

The Board of Directors will take a long, hard look at the new system at their meeting in Napa in September. Hopefully, an equitable system will be worked out!

Ken Cambell Offers Airport Shuttle

Ken Cambell, director of the upcoming Georgia Open (Jan. 17-19, 1997) reports that the Holiday Inn will offer a free shuttle from the airport.

This tip (and ride) will save you a cool \$25 to \$30...and more, if you are a big tipper!

Jim Huser Goes 10 for 10

At Reno's huge Consolation event (214 peggers), Jim Huser, Berlin, WI, nailed a great 10/10 22 +160 to easily take qualifying honors!

Tournament of Champions, ACC Open Dates Set

Co-Director Roy Hofbauer announces that the dates for the upcoming Tournament of Champions and ACC Open have been approved.

The TOC will be played January 31, 1997, and the ACC Open will follow on February 1 & 2. The 7th Annual All-Star game (top 8 from each Region) will be played on Thursday, January 30.

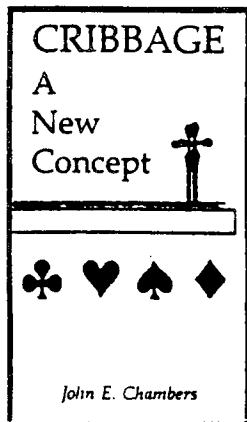
Last year's matches drew record crowds. This announcement will allow our players to make long-range travel plans...and get in some more practice sessions!

Tim Hutsell Tops Bill Mitchell Memorial

Local Tim Hutsell came away with another 53 MRP's in outlasting the field of 49 peggers at the Annual Bill Mitchell Memorial in Crescent City, CA on May 19.

Donna Hassett, Roseburg, OR, qualified first and finished 2nd to nail down a few MRP's (61). Charles Jones, Meford, OR took 3rd, and Bob Julian, Milwaukee, WI took 4th. Julian's quest for a 2nd national championship netted another 40 MRP's (after qualifying 3rd).

Bob Carr, Santee, CA, nipped Heidi Glashan, Pittsburg, CA, to take the 33-pegger Consolation title.



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\$25.00 per player . . . Registration 6:00-6:30 p.m.
Orientation 6:30 p.m. Games start 7:00 p.m. . . . 10 games. No playoff . . . Tournament cash awards paid to
15% of entrants . . . Optional \$10.00 entry Q-Pool with cash awards paid to 10% of entrants.

Gold Coast Tournament, Saturday & Sunday, September 14th & 15th

ACC Sanctioned singles competition . . . \$62.00 entry fee with cash awards paid to all Playoff participants . . .
Optional \$20.00 Q-Pool for Saturday games with cash awards paid to 15% of entrants.

Saturday: Refreshments served at Registration 7:30-8:30 a.m. Orientation 8:30 a.m.
Games start 9:00 a.m. . . . 20 games against 20 different opponents, with 25% of entrants advancing to
Sunday Playoff games . . . Lunch provided to all entrants.

Sunday playoff: Registration: 7:30-8:00 a.m. Orientation at 8:00 a.m. with games starting immediately thereafter . . .
Rounds scheduled for 5 games each.

Consolation Tournament, Sunday, September 15th

Everyone is invited to enter. Do not forward advance payment if you are entered in the Gold Coast Tournament.
Entries can be paid during tournament registration.

ACC sanctioned singles competition . . . \$30.00 each entry fee, with cash awards made to all Playoff entrants . . .
Registration 8:30 -9:30 a.m. Orientation 9:30 a.m. Games start 10:00 a.m. . . . 9 games against 9 different opponents,
with 25 % advancing to Playoff scheduled for Rounds of 3 games each . . . Optional \$10.00 entry
Q-Pool for preliminary games with cash awards paid to 15% of entrants . . .

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Entry Application

Gold Coast Classic Cribbage Tournament

September 13, 14 and 15, 1996



I submit \$_____ payment as indicated below for events on back of this page.

☐ Check or money order payable "V.C.C.A."

Print Your Name: _____

Phone No.: (____) _____

Address: _____ Apt. # _____

This Date: _____, 1996

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Mail to be received before September 6, 1996
To Cribbage Tournaments, Box 7654, Oxnard, CA 93031



Deadline For Guaranteed Entry

September 6th is the deadline for accepting advance payments for the Early Bird & Gold Coast Tournaments.
Late entry applications will be accepted up to the Registration of both events if scheduling permits.
Gold Coast Classic lunch will not be included with applications that are accepted late.



Late arrival

Entrants arriving after start of their scheduled games are subject to penalty or disqualification without refund of their entry fee.



Saturday lunch

Saturday lunches are included with entry fee for entrants in the Gold Coast Classic.
Other lunches for entrants and guests will be provided for \$11.00 each if payment received before September 6th.
Tax and gratuity is included in cost.

Handicapped Entrants (H/S)

Permanent seating for the Tournaments will be provided for all handicapped entrants checked on the entry application.

Know the No No's

No muggins, no smoking, no gambling, and no alcoholic beverages allowed in the games room. Q-Pool entrants must be 18 years of age.

Tournament Rules & Judges

All games are played according to ACC Rules. If you are an approved ACC Judge please indicated so on your application and wear your badge to the tournaments. You'll be introduced at the Orientation meetings.

American Cribbage Congress

ACC membership is not mandatory to play in our tournaments. If you're interested in ACC information phone toll free 1-800-WE-PEG-29 (1-800-937-3429)

Ventura County Cribbage Association

We are a Grass Roots ACC Club. Our members meet at 7:00 p.m. each Wednesday, January thru November at Elks Lodge #1430.
We welcome guests to join us for sociable cribbage competition. Information is provided in the Tournaments program, or phone one of the members indicated below.

Print entrant name below and indicate event paid with this application

| | H/S | Early Bird | | Gold Coast | | Consolation | | Total | ACC | | |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|------------|----------|------------|----------|-------------|----------|------------|------------|-------|--|
| | | Entry | Q-Pool | Entry | Q-Pool | Entry | Q-Pool | | No | Judge | |
| 1) _____ | _____ | \$ _____ | \$ _____ | \$ _____ | \$ _____ | \$ _____ | \$ _____ | = \$ _____ | _____ | _____ | |
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| 3) _____ | _____ | \$ _____ | \$ _____ | \$ _____ | \$ _____ | \$ _____ | \$ _____ | = \$ _____ | _____ | _____ | |
| Please provide _____ additional lunches for Saturday at \$11.00 each | | | | | | | | | = \$ _____ | | |
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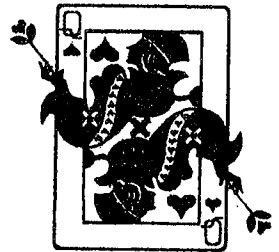
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Phone: . . . Richard (805) 987-4638 Terry (805) 382-3569 Glenn (805) 388-7043



Wisconsin Dells Classic

September 6-7-8, 1996
Holiday Inn of Wis. Dells



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FRIDAY NIGHT SUPER SINGLES-7:30 PM.....\$50
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SUNDAY "LAST GASP"-2:00 PM.....\$15



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| INSURANCE POOL _____ | \$15 | SATURDAY NIGHT _____ | \$20 |
| FRIDAY NIGHT _____ | \$20 | SATURDAY SUPER _____ | \$50 |
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TOTAL \$ SUBMITTED _____

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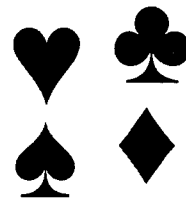


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MAIN TOURNAMENT — Saturday November 23

Play will begin at 9:00 a.m. Registration / seating 7:30 a.m. Orientation 8:30 a.m.

Entry fee is \$55 including lunch. (\$60 after November 20th)

There will be an optional \$20 Q Pool, Payoff 1 for 6 entries.

All players will play 22 games, 2 games against 11 opponents. The top 25% qualify for Match Play, Best 3 of 5 Games, Championship 4 of 7. There will be a 1st Round Playoff Saturday afternoon.

OTHER EVENTS:

FRIDAY NOVEMBER 22: 8:00 p.m. — 9 Game Early Bird - \$20 Entry

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 23: 7:00 p.m. — 9 Games - \$20 or \$50 Entry

SUNDAY NOVEMBER 24: 7:30 a.m. — Playoff Rounds Continue

8:00 a.m. — 9 Game Consolation - \$35 Entry includes \$10 Q Pool

8:00 a.m. — Registration

9:00 a.m. — Begin Play - Top 25% qualify for Match Play best 2 of 3 games

MOTELS: Country Inn: 507-645-2286 Call for rates.

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College City: 507-645-4426 Rate \$39 - 1 to 4 People

Mention Cribbage Tournament when making reservations. Call Early!

If shuttle is needed from Minneapolis - St. Paul Intl. Airport contact Jerry Gruber at 612-722-1292

Due to limited space this is a non-smoking tournament — smoking is available in the lounge area.

DIRECTORS: Jerry Gruber 612-722-1292 Al Booth 612-783-7042
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ENTRY - Please Print

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Main Tournament \$55 _____

After November 20th \$60 _____

Q Pool \$20 _____

Friday Early Bird \$20 _____

Saturday Special \$20 _____

Saturday Super \$50 _____

All Events \$20 _____

No gambling allowed — State of Minnesota prohibits gambling.

I agree to abide by the rules and regulations of the American Cribbage Congress and the Jesse James Open.

Signature _____

Date _____

Pheasant Shot By Jim Sime

Jim Sime zipped across the Columbia River from his Kennewick, WA home and did a little pheasant hunting in Hermiston, OR on July 21. He nailed the Pheasant Shoot-out, besting Joe Dunn (Boise, ID) in the final match. BOD member Larry Hassett (Roseburg, OR) finished 3rd, followed by local Bill Jones in 4th.

Bernie Saueressig (Richland, WA) was shooting pheasants all day Saturday in the qualifying round, bringing home the best score (37 18 +188).

One of the Western Region's frontrunners, Bruce Wridge, nailed the 50-pegger Consolation as this Portland pegger continues a fine season. Jo Kirby (Kennewick) took 2nd, followed by Betty Noiz (Redmond, OR) in 3rd, and Walt Swearingen (Kennewick) 4th.

Satellites:

Friday Early Bird: Frank Lake (WA)

Doubles: Phil True & Bernie Saueressig (WA)

High Roller: Clifford Allen (WA)

Saturday Night: Roger Lueschow (WA)

Cry Baby: Bob Watkins (OR)

Ken and Betty Capper, as usual, ran a fun tournament, complete with a Calcutta auction of the qualifiers. Paul Hatcher (OR) bought Jim Sime to salvage his weekend. The Pheasant Cafe & Lounge offered a spacious and pleasant playing area for the 78 peggers attending.

Roger Lueschow Comes Close

Roger Lueschow, Maple Valley, WA, came close to Darlene Johnson's Grand National XIII's score in a 9-game satellite event. Lueschow nailed a great 9/9 23 +241 at Hermiston's Pheasant Shoot-Out. In the process of recording this score Lueschow nailed 5 skunks in a row.

The record score recorded by *Cribbage World*, however, belongs to Darlene Johnson. She scored a 9/9 23 +264...some 23 spread points better. Both scores will remain among the highest ever recorded.

HERMISTON, OREGON

NAME Roger Lueschow

TABLE # _____ SEAT # _____

| GAME | GAME PTS. | SPREAD POINTS | OPPONENTS SIG. | ID OR SEAT NO. |
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| 1. | 2 | 11 | TDH | |
| 2. | 2 | 22 | TDH | |
| 3. | 3 | 31 | TDH | |
| 4. | 3 | 35 | TDH | |
| 5. | 3 | 37 | TDH | |
| 6. | 3 | 40 | TDH | |
| 7. | 3 | 38 | TDH | |
| 8. | 2 | 10 | TDH | |
| 9. | 2 | 17 | TDH | |

TOTAL GAME PTS.

23

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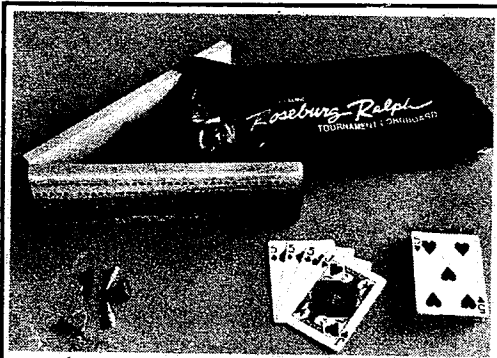
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Robert Gillete (And Others) Register Complaints

Cribbage World routinely receives mail from ACC members complaining about tournament paybacks, and a recent letter from Robert Gillete, Rodeo, CA deserves comment.

A few tournaments every year publish misleading flyers, insofar as their paybacks are concerned. This, of course, causes hard feeling from the players as they feel they have been "conned" into participating.

Tournament Directors should publish forthright and honest statements concerning their tournaments. Statements like " \$1,000 added" mean very little unless they are specific. Added to what? "100% payback minus expenses" is another statement that means very little...or how about "100% payback, cash and trophies." How much are the trophies? "Lunch included." How much is the lunch? In short, be specific

about your paybacks and your expenses. And if you are running a tourney that benefits a charity, spell out the charity and the amount that will be deducted.

We all know that sanctioning a tournament entails a lot of work, and many expenses. But misleading flyers, and less than advertised paybacks certainly leave bad feelings among our players.

In summary, be as honest and forthright as possible with your tournament information. In the long run, you will earn the player's respect...and they will return again next year!

Remember, the ACC requires at least 85% be paid back to players in player's benefits (unless specified as a charity). Let's keep the ACC humming...be honest with the players!

Why I Lost

Robert Wenzel

I lost because the cards got shuffled way too hard.
Or because I had to play with only red, and not blue cards.
I think somehow the red pegs was the reason that I lost.
Or because the Lord was mad at me for forgetting to wear my cross.

I lost because I had to start on table 29.
Or because the pegs I had to use weren't the lucky ones of mine.
I think somehow I found the chair that was supposed to lose that day.
Or because the moon was full and turned my luck the other way.

I know I lost because because I cut the cards too deep and thick.
Or because the man from Arkansas just played his cards too quick.
It must have been because I left my rabbit's foot behind
Or because my horoscope had said "Today you'll lose your mind."

I lost because dark rainclouds were hung over my head
And because I slipped and played a five when I should have played a ten.
I lost because Nobs had changed his suit three times before my eyes
and given Muggins to my foe, at least a thousand times.

I lost because I laundered all the luck out of my shirt
And washed away my fortune, along with all the dirt.
And finally I lost because I was so sure about my game
...I only hope the next time I'll win...and I won't find more things to blame.

Lake Tahoe Cribbage Challenge

September 6-7-8, 1996

North Tahoe Community Conference Center

8318 North Lake Blvd.

Kings Beach, California

Friday Time Passer 3 PM
Friday Doubles & Singles 7 PM
Saturday High Rollers 7 PM
Sunday Last Chance

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Saturday Main Event

Sanctioned by American Cribbage Congress

8 AM \$65 Entry

90%* cash payback

includes coffee, donuts, buffet lunch

22-game qualifying round

Top 25% playoff best 3 of 5

Optional \$10 Q Pool (100% payback)

Champion will receive special trophy

For information:
Jack Shumate
(916) 546-7190

9-Game Consolation Sunday

\$25 Entry, \$10 Q

Mail-In Registration deadline:

August 29

Late Entry/Walk In: \$5 additional

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Name _____

☐ **\$65 Main Event**

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City _____ State _____ Zip _____

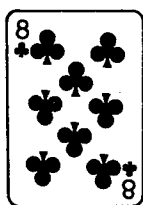
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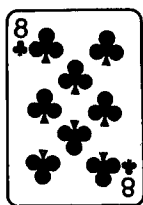
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Discarding Tips

George "Ras" Rasmussen

Does it seem that two cards to your opponent's crib have greater value than the same cards to your own crib? Some blame the "cribbage gods" and others attribute this to Murphy's Law. "I don't get any cuts" may be another explanation. Beyond those possibilities, a pattern emerges which suggests that any discard choice produces more points on the other side of the board. Is it possible that the tendency to "salt" your own crib and "balk" your opponent's crib is the major contributor to this imbalance? Discarding bias skews mathematical probability and random possibilities in the composition of the crib. Although this influence is apparent in the value of all discard choices, it is most apparent with the 8-8 discard option. Let's take a look at what happens when this identical pair is placed on opposite sides of the board:

8-8

| Your crib | 2 Points | 3-7 Points | 8-11 Points | 12-16 Points | 20 or More |
|----------------|----------|------------|-------------|--------------|------------|
| 5.49 Avg. | 347 | 634 | 146 | 138 | 6* |
| 1,271 discards | 27.3% | 49.9% | 11.5% | 10.9% | .5% |

*(None of 24)

8-8

| Pone's crib | 26 | 83 | 23 | 42 | 8** |
|--------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|---------------------|
| 8.03 Avg. | 14.3% | 45.6% | 12.6% | 23.1% | 4.4% |
| 182 discards | | | | | ** (1 of 24 points) |

Note that I have recorded 1,271 discards of the 8-8 to my own crib. My opponent has been the recipient of this pair in 182 recorded instances. By the way, I am not planning on throwing this pair more frequently to increase the recorded data base. Perhaps you can do this for me and tell me the results!

This pair looks very similar in the 3-7 column and the 8-11 category. Note that the 8-8 to your own crib produces 7 points or less nearly 80% of the time. Note that this pair to your own crib tallies 2 points 27.3% of the time while your opponent will score 2 points 14.3% of the time (approx. 1 of 4 to your own crib, and 1 of 7 to your opponent's crib). In the 12-16 point category, approx. 1 in 10 cribs are reflected for the dealer and 1 in 4 show up in this column for your opponent. And in the 20+ column, the pair of 8's is nearly 10 times more likely to benefit the opponent's crib. Some discards to pone's crib produce a moan. ***This is a double-moan discard!***

Why does this pair fail in so many instances to your own crib? Of the 46 discard possibilities which average less than 5 points, 33 do not benefit this pair (10-K, 9-K, 6-K, 6-Q, 9-Q, A-Q, 6-10, A-K, 4-K, A-9, 3-K, 4-Q, 6-J, 2-K, 4-9, Q-K, 2-9, A-10, 3-Q, 4-10, 2-10, 2-Q, 3-10, 10-Q, J-K, 2-J, 3-J, 2-6, 3-6, 9-J, A-J, A-3 and 4-6). So perhaps a blessing from the "cribbage god" is what makes this crib since not much seems to on the dealer's side of the board. Better go for the "lucky cut!"

Letters to the editor...

MRP Debate Continues

(Reference Monroe's June CW letter.)

Jeff asked the question concerning the new MRP system, "Fairer to Whom?" Here is a situation that happens with the present MRP system: Player A is in a 216-player tournament and qualifies 54th (last qualifier). **He wins two matches and finishes in the 9-16 group and receives 121 MRP's.** Player B is in a 80-player match and qualifies 20th (last qualifier). **Player B wins 5 matches and wins the tournament! Player B receives 87 MRP's. IS THIS FAIR?!**

Under the new system player A would receive less points (50), and player B would receive more (180). As anyone can see, the present MRP system is slanted toward the number of players and the new system is designed around performance. Performance based awarding of Master Points is the only **FAIR** way for everyone in the ACC.

It is my understanding that the recommendation of giving some MRP's to everyone that qualifies and is eliminated in the first round be dropped from the new system. I think this is something that should stay, whether it be 1, 5 or 10 points. Pick a number, but to get zero is absurd.

The other area of concern that I have with the present system is that of qualifying points. My suggestion is give the number of qualifying points it takes to qualify to all qualifiers. To make it a fair playing field, 22-game qualifiers get actual number of points; 20-game qualifiers get number of points times 1.1; and 12-game qualifiers get points times 1.83. This would eliminate all qualifying tables and again be fair to everyone.

I hope the BOD will keep the new system based on performance and let the old system stay dead where it should be. The BOD hopefully will not do with this issue what it did with the issue of players in tournaments being required to be members of the ACC. As everyone knows that issue was like a tennis match, back and forth, for 2 years. Change is hard for a lot of people to accept, but there comes a time when change is needed and that time is now for the MRP system.

*Jack Howsare
Virginia Beach, VA*

Sun City West Breaks Out the 29's!

Last week I wrote you about Sun City West, AZ having its first 29-hand after Ev Bey started our club 3 1/2 years ago.

Well, guess what, Monday night with 16 members present, Leona Acker had another 29 hand. Not to be outdone. in the next round of games, Bob Morehouse also had a 29 hand!

Leona got \$8.25 from the skunk bucket, and Bob got the tidy sum of 50 cents. Three 29 hands in 3 weeks is probably not a record, but it does put some excitement into our small club!

Gene LaRoche

President, Sun City West, AZ GR Club

I would bet that three 29-hands in three weeks is, indeed, a record! Ed.

Seniors Outlast Youths

Seniors Henry DeLong and Medford Smith, playing with Bob Waltzer won 41 out of 72 games to capture the 1996 National Team Title. Last year's winners including the ACC's number one player, Rit Alkas, and his youthful partners, K. C. Finley and Brian Heroux, failed to tie by one win as they dropped five of the last nine games to finish with 40 wins.

The DeLong trio had a last round bye while four teams had a shot to overtake them. They all failed.

A tie for 3rd place money occurred between George Webb--Phyllis Schmidt--Joe Beauregard and Ken Vetterline--Tom Clark--Jack Myers, both teams with 38 wins. Heroux, Beauregard, and Dennis Cousens each won 16 games for best individual performance.

The winners each took home \$900.

*Joe Seigle
Coventry, CT*

6-7-7-7-8 Is a 24-Hand?

Last month's CW reported that Bill Wakeman held a 6-7-7-8 and cut a 7...for a nice 24-hand. Is everyone awake out there in cribbage land?

Your editor simply made another of those damnable typos! Wakeman really did have a double 24-hand (6-7-7-8-8 & 4-4-4-4-7).

Need Information

I run a cribbage club for Senior Citizens on a weekly basis and once a month I have a cribbage tournament with another council. We have from 42 to 50 attending. Being new at this, I am open to suggestions and that is why I am writing.

As a new subscriber to CW, I have no idea whatsoever about acquiring points and getting to be a Master or Grand Master. What is the reason behind getting to be a Master or Grand Master? Are there any advantages and how are these points earned?

I do realize that these points have nothing to do with my club, but I do have other players who might be interested in attending some of your tournaments.

I would appreciate it if you would write an item in CW for novices like myself. I will impart any information you provide to my club members.

*Doris Peloquin
South Hadley, MA*

Doris, perhaps you should get your club incorporated into the ACC's Grass Roots Program. They have a package that explains the program. Your Regional Commissioner is Ed Horigan, 5020 Smith Farm Rd., Virginia Beach, VA 23455. You may call him at (804) 400-2596. As for the ACC's sanctioned tournaments, they are played nationwide. complete with a system of earning Master Points (roughly the top 12 1/2% of all finishers earn points on a graduated basis). Master? You must earn 2,000 points. Grand Master? You need 4,000 points. Once you attain Master, you are forever entitled to attend the Tournament of Champions, played in Reno (this coming year's match: January 31, 1997). And, of course, you get bragging rights, and the ACC presents you with a nice trophy board award at the Grand National (played every September in various parts of the country. This year's event will be played in Napa, CA Sept. 27-29). In short, the ACC has a competitive program for all our players...and the fun and camaraderie is enjoyed by some 7,000 players nationwide. So, sign up those new players, and join the fun! Also, an article in this issue expounds in greater detail about the ACC's award system. Keep on peggin'! Ed.

Mexican Open, Panama Canal Cruise Offers Peggers Exotic Cribbage

Doris Denny has arranged for some exotic pegging spots for the "Have Pegs Will Travel" group.

First, the Mexican Open will be played in Ajijic, Mexico October 12, 13. This group will travel via Delta Airlines to Guadalajara, Mexico, departing from several gateway cities. This is a week-long excursion to Central Mexico and the home-based Hotel Nueva Posada in Ajijic (on Lake Chapala). Departure will be on October 9. The entire package, including round-trip air fare is \$630 (double occupancy). The Hotel Posada throws in an excellent breakfast every day (under a huge Banyan tree in the back veranda). Director DeLynn Colvert will have daily cribbage sessions (100% cash paybacks) in addition to the sanctioned events on October 12 & 13. See "Tournament Trail" for more information.

Another cribbage experience will be the Panama Cruise in January. Departing from Montego Bay (Jamaica) on January 12, the S. S. Island Breeze (Dolphin Cruise Line) will take you to Cartagena, Colombia, Panama Canal, Puerto Limon (Costa Rica), and back again to Montego Bay on January 19. This cruise costs \$555 (inside cabin), plus \$187.50 port taxes. An outside cabin will cost \$615 (all prices are double occupancy).

For details about these excursions, contact:

**Doris Denny
5035 Bell Drive
Smyrna, GA 30080
(770) 431-9301**

In Memoriam

John Fletcher

Grand Island, Nebraska

John passed away in December and Cribbage World was not notified until recently. John was an avid pegger in Nebraska and will certainly be missed by his many friends and peggers.

Bo Van Orsow Injured

Master pegger Bo Van Orsow fractured his skull when he fell from a lift-truck platform in early July. This pegger is one of the ACC's great sports. If any of our ACC members would like to drop Bo a get-well card, his address is:

3800 NW Arrowhead
Redmond, OR 97756

Tournament Trail

Upcoming Sanctioned Events

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| Abbreviation | EF: Entry fee | LC: Last Chance |
| Keys: | EB: Early Bird | DBL: Doubles |
| | SatS: Saturday Special | SGL: Singles |
| | Cons: Consolation | HR: High Roller |

August 2, 3, 4, Portland Summer Open

Howard Johnson Airport Hotel, 7101 NE 82nd Ave., Portland, OR 98684. EF: \$45 \$10 Q. Coffee, donuts, & Sat. lunch. FriDBL, FriHR, SatS, Cons, LC. Contact: Dorothy Mickow, 16500 SE 1st St. #158, Vancouver, WA 98684. (360) 944-9701. Co-D: Jeanne Hofbauer.

August 10, Chief Solano Open

Fairfield Senior Center, 1200 Civic Center Dr., Fairfield, CA 94533. EF: \$55. 15% to charity. Bkfst, lunch, coffee, donuts. FriDBL, Cons not sanctioned. Contact: George Halterman, 3410 Astoria Circle, Fairfield, CA 94533. (707) 428-4343. Co-D: Bill Moss, Betty Croft.

August 11, ACC Hawaii Open

Murphy's Bar & Grill, 2 Merchant St., Honolulu HI 96813. EF: \$30, no Q. \$1 to charity. Cons: GR 110/9 games. Contact: Tsarkie, 3261 Kilihine Pl., Honolulu, HI 96816. (808) 734-4800.

August 11, Great Plains Classic

Holiday Inn, Airport, 1101 Bond St., Lincoln, NE 68521. EF: \$25. Cons not sanctioned. Contact: Marvin Rader, 5431 Glade, Lincoln, NE 68506. (402) 488-9254. Co-D: Ardeeth Rader.

August 11, New /England Inaugural

Elks Hall, 380 Social St., Woonsocket RI 02895. EF: \$43 \$10 Q (\$53 NMbr). Coffee, pastry, lunch. Cons. 3-Person Team Event. Muggins. Contact: Lee Norris, 380 Davisville Rd., N. Kingstown RI 02852-1712. (401) 884-5145. Co-D: C. Burgess Jr, F. Jewer.

August 16, 17, 18, Redmond Senior Center Benefit

Senior Center, 325 NW Dogwood, Redmond, OR 97756. EF: \$50, \$10 Q. \$6 to charity. No smoking, no alcohol. FriEB, SatS, Cons, LC. Contact: Marvis & Ralph Reynolds, 220 S. Claypool, Prineville OR 97754. (541) 447-5920. Co-D: Paul & Betty Nolz.

August 16-18, Omaha Open

Best Western Crossroads of the Bluffs, 2216 27th Ave., Council Bluffs, IA 51501. EF: \$50 \$10 Q. Coffee, buffet lunch. FriEB, SatS, Cons. Door prizes, free shuttle to area casinos. Contact: Bill MacQuarrie, 1322 S. 94th St., Omaha, NE 68124. (402) 397-4308. Co-D: Herman Jacobs.

August 17, Westley Special

Westley Hotel, 8615 Hwy 33, Westley, CA 95387. EF: \$55, \$10 Q. Coffee, lunch. No Consolation. Contact: Monte Ferrario, 1148 Mingo Way, Lathrop, CA 95330. (209) 858-5047. Co-D: Rodger Johnson, Bob Morganti (209) 862-0147.

August 23, 24, 25, Belle City Classic

Ramada Inn, 200 N. Perkins, Appleton, WI. EF: \$55, \$15 Q. Lunch. FriEB \$20/\$50, SatS, Cons, LC. Contact: Tom Maresh, 5222 Lilac Lane, Racine, WI 53406. (414) 632-3502. Co-D: Don Wieszinski.

August 23, 24, 25, 8th Redwood Classic

Veteran's Memorial Bldg, 1357 Maple Ave. (at Hwy 12), Santa Rosa, CA 95404. EF: \$60 \$10 Q. Coffee, lunch. FriDBL, SatS, Cons. Contact: Joe Schlich, PO Box 4173, Santa Rosa, CA 95402. (707) 546-4631. Co-D: Avon Ray (707) 546-8967, Jerry Brissel (707) 546-1083.

August 23, 24, 25, New England Champ. Peer

Ramada Inn, 624 Southbridge St., Auburn, MA 01501. EF: \$45, 3 Q's. Coffee, buffet. FriEB, SatDBL, Cons. Contact: John Chambers, Box 40068, Providence RI 02940. (401) 831-4157. Co-D: Joe Seigle.

August 31, Sept. 1, Skagway Open

Elk's Lodge, 6th and State, Skagway, AK 99840. EF: \$45, \$15 Q. EB, Cons. Contact: Wallace McCracken, PO Box 555, Skagway, AK 99840. (907) 983-2073.

September 6-8, Lake Tahoe Challenge

N. Tahoe Community Center, 8318 N. Lake Blvd., Kings Beach, CA 96143. EF: \$65 \$10 Q. 10% all events to charity. Coffee, pastries, lunch. FriTP3PM, FriSGL, FriDBL, SatS, Cons, LC. Contact: Jack Shumate, PO Box 2465, Kings Beach, CA 96143. (916) 546-7190. Co-D: J. Jarrell, J. Hassenplug.

September 6-8, Wisconsin Dells Classic

Holiday Inn, Hwys. 13 & I-90-94, Wisconsin Dells, WI 53965. EF: \$50 \$15 Q. Sat. lunch. FriEB \$20 & \$50, SatS \$20 & \$50, Cons, LC. Contact: Pat Barrett, 5821 Griffith Ave., Wisconsin Rapids, WI 54494. (715) 424-5059. Co-D: Linda Barrett. (Site of GN XVI 1997).

September 6-8, Blue Mountain Open

Eagles Lodge, 1212 Jefferson St., LaGrande, OR 97850. EF: \$35 \$15 Q. FriDBL, FriHR, SatS (?), Cons, LC. Contact: Char & Rick Springer, 69952 Summerville Rd., Summerville, OR 97876. (541) 534-9050.

September 8, Minden Open

D. S. Lounge, Minden, NE 68959. EF: \$20. Cons not sanctioned. Contact: Don Wright, 436 E. 4th, Minden, NE 68959. (308) 832-2410.

September 8, 12th Greater Albany Open

Knights of Columbus Hall, 375 Ontario St., Albany, NY 12208. EF: \$45, \$15 Q. Coffee, donuts, lunch. SatS, Cons. Contact: Holly Darlier, 196 N. Greenfield Rd., Porters Corner, NY 12859. (518) 893-7205. Co-D: Gordon Meeusen, Harold Belles.

September 13-15, Gold Coast Classic

Ventura Elks, 11 S. Ash St., Ventura, CA 93001. EF: \$62, \$20 Q. \$2 to charity. Sat. lunch, coffee, donuts, juices Sat & Sun. FriEB, SatS, Cons, LC. Contact: Terry Mixer, 2889 Bunsen Ave., Unit A, Ventura, CA 93003. (805) 644-4097. Co-D: John Mixer (805) 484-0291, Richard Price (805) 987-4638, Mel Kranz (805) 642-4932.

September 13-15, Capital City Classic (THIS IS A DATE CHANGE) Eagles, 715 N. Fee St. Helena, MT 59601. EF: \$40 \$10 Q. FriTP3PM, FriDBL, SatS, Cons, LC. Contact: Wes Walimaa, 152 Wedgewood, Helena, MT 59601. (406) 443-2241. Co-D: Tom Lingenfelter (406) 933-5317.

September 14, Gateway to Sierras Classic Clovis Senior Center, 850 4th St., Clovis, CA 93611. EF: \$58.50, \$10 Q. \$5 to charity. Coffee, tea, juices. FriDBL, Cons. Contact: Dennis Bays, 1687 5th St., Clovis, CA 93611. (209) 298-1432. Co-D: Daryl Tavaréz.

September 15, Massachusetts Open Demetri's Convention Ctr, US 1 (2 miles N. Patriot's Stadium), Foxboro, MA 02035. EF: \$48, \$15 Q. \$1 to charity. Coffee, lunch. SatDBL7:30, Cons. Contact: David Clemmey, PO Box 621, Mansfield, MA 02048. (508) 339-5225. Co-D: Shawn Jordan (617) 769-1061, Richard Kelliher (508) 697-7633.

September 20-22, Long'est Beach Classic Chautauqua Lodge, N. 14th St., Box 757, Long Beach, WA 98631. EF: \$40 \$10 Q. Coffee, donuts. FriDBL, Fri HR, SatS, Cons, LC. **\$2,000 added from local merchants. Limited to first 240.** Contact: Roy & Jeanne Hofbauer, 30937 NE 23rd St., Washougal, WA 98671. (360) 835-3623. Co-D: Hal & Arlene Halderson, PO Box 753, Long Beach, WA 98631. (360) 642-3994.

September 22, Eastern States Champ. VFW Post 1526, Hollister St., Medway, MA 02053. EF: \$45, \$10 Q. \$1 to charity. Donuts, coffee, lunch. SatDBL, Cons. Contact: Bill & Sharlene Medeiros, 34 W. main St., Shrewsbury, MA 01545. (508) 842-6824.

September 27, 28, 29, Grand National XV Napa Valley Expo (Fairgrounds), 575 Third St., Napa CA 94559. EF: \$65 \$15 Q. Cont Bkfst, lunch. Sat. Awards Banquet (incl. cheese & wine party) FriEB, SatS, Cons, LC. Contact: Jeff Monroe, PO Box 10486, Napa, CA 94581. (800) 937-3429. Co-D: Jack Monroe.

October 4-6, Montana Championship Joker's Wild, Exit 101, Reserve St, Missoula, MT. EF: \$40 \$10 Q. Coffee. FriTP3PM, FriDBL, FriHR, SatS, Cons, LC, \$1 (\$300) 29 & 28 pool. Contact: DeLynn Colvert, PO Box 5604, Missoula, MT 59806. (406) 543-6855. Co-D: Rex Paddock (406) 251-3379.

October 6, New Hampshire Open Holiday Inn, NE Blvd., Nashua, NH 03062-1418. EF: \$39, \$10 Q. \$2 to charity. Coffee, lunch. SatDBL, Cons. Muggins played. Contact: Al Miller, 12 Michael Ave., Nashua, NH 03062. (603) 882-7204.

October 11, 12, Feather River Open EAges 196, 2010 Montgomery St., Oroville, CA 95966. EF: \$55 \$10 Q. \$5 to charity. Cont. bkfst, lunch, 1 drink. FriEB, Cons. Contact: Tom Stevens, 1130 Mt. Ida Rd., Oroville, CA 95966. (916) 589-2192. Co-D: John Mathews, 3456 Charlene, Oroville. (916) 533-7793.

October 11-13, British Columbia Champ. Prince George Senior Ctr, 425 Brunswick, Prince George, BC. EF: \$45, \$10 Q. Coffee. FriEB, SatS, Cons, LC (?). Door prizes, \$500 guaranteed 1st prize. \$100 for 29, \$25 for 28. Team play, last 24. Team Canada vs. team USA. Contact: Linton Walker, 116 Douglas St., Prince George BC V2M-2L8. (604) 562-4827. Co-D: Eleanor Arnold, Dave Kee, Peter Chrosinski.

Oct. 11-13, Portside Open, S. Daniels Mem. Holiday Inn, Portsmouth Waterfront, 8 Crawford Pkwy, Portsmouth, VA 23704. EF: \$50 \$10 Q. Coffee, lunch. EB, HR, SatS, Cons, LC. Contact: Richard McCormick, 3432 Valleyjo Pl., Chesapeake, VA 23321. (804) 483-2467.

October 12-13, Mexican Open Hotel Nuevo Posada, Ajijic, Mexico. One-week tour via airlift, leaving Oct. 9 thru Oct. 16. \$630 (double occupancy) includes air fare. Contact: Doris Denny, 5035 Bell Dr., Smyrna, GA 30080. (770) 431-9301. EF: \$40 \$10. Cons. Cribbage nightly. All events 100% cash paybacks. Tournament Dir: DeLynn Colvert, PO Box 5604, Missoula, MT 59806. (406) 543-6855.

October 13, Moose's W. B. Classic Traveler's Inn, Hwy. 175 or Main St., Fond du Lac, WI. EF: \$40 (\$42 after Oct. 12), \$20 Q. SatHR \$50 (limited to first 48), Cons. Contact: Gene Biegler, PO Box 862, West Bend, WI 53095. (414) 334-2980. Co-D: Richard Frost.

October 18-20, Goblins & Ghosts Eagles Lodge, 160 NW 2nd, Hermiston, OR 97838. EF: \$40, \$10 Q. \$1 to charity. Coffee, donuts. Fri3PMTP, Fri6:30DBL, Fri7PMHR, SatS, Cons, LC. Auction. Contact: Ken & Betty Capper, 105 NE 3rd, Hermiston, OR 97838. (541) 567-5145.

October 19, 20, Vermont Open Burlington Elks, Burlington, VT 05401. EF: \$45, \$10 Q. Coffee, lunch. HR, DBL, Cons. Contact: Linda Iler, 84 Woodcrest Cir., Milton, VT 05468. (802) 893-4858. Co-D: Dan Iler, Terri Boylan.

October 20, Homestead Open Beatrice American Legion Post 27, 701 Dorsey, Beatrice, NE 68310. EF: \$30, \$10 Q. Coffee, snacks. Cons. Contact: Steve Leech, 401 Darwin, Beatrice, NE 68310. (402) 228-4355. Co-D: Clay Collier.

October 25-28, 5th Abe Kealoha Extravaganza Ilikai Hotel Nikko, 1777 Ala Moana Blvd., Honolulu, HI. EF: \$80. to charity. Cont. Bkfst, lunch, awards dinner. FriDBL, SunGR club18 (\$50), Cons. Contact: Tsarkie, 3261 Kilihune Pl., Honolulu, HI 96816. (808) 734-4800. Co-D: Fred White, Kathy Tsark.

October 25-27, Ship Ashore Open Ship Ashore Resort, 12370 Hwy 101N, Smith River, CA 95567. EF: \$42, \$15 Q. Coffee, donuts. Fri3PMTP, FriEB, SatS, Cons. Contact: Vernon Ward, 110 Mason Ct., Crescent City, CA 95531. (707) 464-4510. Co-D: Bobby Westbrook.

October 25-27, Niagara Falls Open

Niagara Falls AFB, Lockport Rd., Niagara Falls, NY.
EF: \$45, \$15 Q. \$1.50 to charity. Coffee, donuts.
FriEB, SatDBL, Cons. Entry deadline: Oct. 12.
Rooms at AFB \$6/dbl occup. Contact: Peachy
Schrock, 166 N. Main St., Angola, NY 14006. (716)
549-5628. Co-D: Richard Schurkus, Al Harris.

October 26, Minnesota Valley Open

VFW Post 1791, 620 Creek Rd. (Co. Rd. 10),
Chaska, MN 55318. EF: \$40 (\$50 after 10/25), \$10
Q. Coffee, rolls. FriSGL8PM \$20, SatS, Cons, LC.
Contact: Jim & Joan Rein, PO Box 306, Carver, MN
55315. (612) 448-2459 (eve), (612) 448-2801 (days),

October 27, Tri-State Open

Brattleboro Legion Club, 8 Linden St., Brattleboro,
VT 05301. EF: \$42, \$10 Q. \$1 to charity. Coffee,
lunch. Cons. Contact: George Cote, Box 227,
Westminster, VT 05158. (802) 722-3947. Co-D:
Elmer Tole, Tim Garland.

November 1-3, Polish Open

Ramada Inn, 200 N. Perkins, Appleton, WI 54914.
EF: \$50 \$15 Q. Lunch. FriEB, SatS, Cons, LC.
Contact: Frank Danielski, 1422 E. Capitol Dr.,
Appleton, WI 54911. (414) 734-0563. Co-D: Ginny
Danielski.

November 1-3, Prineville Lions Open

Eagles Lodge, 235 E. 4th, Prineville, OR 97754. EF:
\$40, \$10 Q. \$5 to charity. FriEB, SatS, Cons, LC.
Contact: Bob St. Yves, 775 N. Oregon, Prineville,
OR 97754. (541) 447-3739. Co-D: Sandy St. Yves,
M. & R. Reynolds.

November 2, Ed's Teeny Tiny (Under \$10)

Harry's Hofbrau, 390 Saratoga Ave., San Jose, CA
95129. EF: \$10 (\$5 goes for lunch) \$15 at door, no
Q. 7-game Cons. Used cards, rules warning req.,
min. age: 18. Contact: Ed Bloom, 22150 Wallace
Dr., Cupertino, CA 95014.

November 3, Dante Club, W. Mass. Open

Dante Club, Memorial Ave., W. Springfield, MA
01089. EF: \$40 \$15 Q. Coffee, donuts, lunch. Cons.
Contact: George Bickford, 49 Ely Ave., W.
Springfield, MA 01089. (413) 733-9288.

November 8, 9, 10, Veterans Day Classic

Sands Regency, 345 N. Arlington Ave., Reno, NV
89501. EF: \$62 (includes \$10 Q.). 15% to Vets Fund.
FriDBL, Cons. Contact: Bill & Dorthalee Irons, 333
K St., Sparks, NV 89431. (702) 358-4916. Co-D:
Robert Huff.

Nov. 8-10, Baltimore "Charm City" Classic

Best Western maryland Inn, 15101 Sweitzer Lane,
Laurel, MD 20707. EF: \$52 \$15 Q. 50/50 raffle
charity. Coffee, lunch. EDBDL, SatHR, Cons, LC.
Contact: Steven Sattler, 50 Rose Petal Court,
Baltimore, MD 21234. (410) 661-3899. Co-D: Bruce
Sattler.

November 10, Great Plains Classic

Holiday Inn Airport, 1101 Bond St., Lincoln, NE
68521. EF: \$25. Cons not sanctioned. Contact:
Marvin Rader, 5431 Glade, Lincoln, NE 68506.
(402) 488-9254. Co-D: Ardeth Rader.

November 15-17, Southern Oregon Lions

Medford Sight & Hearing Center, 228 N. Holly St.,
Medford, OR 97504. EF: \$50 \$10 Q. \$5.50 to
charity. FriDBL, FriHR, SatS, LC. Contact: Marvis
& Ralph Reynolds, 220 S. Claypool St., Prineville,
OR 97754. (541) 447-5920. Co-D: Gerald & Kathleen
Hahn.

November 15-17, Jim Arblaster Florida Open

Travel Lodge Hotel, 5711 W. Irls Bronson Hwy.,
Kissimmee, FL 34746. EF: \$45 \$20 Q. Coffee,
lunch. EB, SatS, Cons. Skunk bank: 100% to 29,
50% to 28. Contact: Paul Barnes, 1316 Fatio Rd.,
DeLand, FL 32720. (904) 738-7659. Co-D: John
Groz (407) 933-6463.

November 16, Capital City, Des Moines

Eagles Lodge 109, 6567 Bloomfield Rd., Des Moines,
IA 50320. EF: \$35, \$10 Q. \$1 to charity. Lunch.
Cons. Contact: Dick Ogden, PO Box 35211, Des
Moines IA 50315. (515) 285-6106.

November 22-24, 9th Jesse James Open

Northfield Golf Club, 707 Prairie St., Northfield, MN
55057. EF: \$55, \$20 Q. Lunch. FriEB, SatS \$20 &
\$50. Cons. LC. Contact: Jerry Gruber, 5121 Nokomis
Ave. S., Minneapolis, MN 55417. (612) 722-1292.
Co-D: Bill Morson (507) 645-9469, Al Booth (612)
783-7042.

November 23, 24, River City Open

Orangeville Grange Hall, 5807 Walnut Ave.,
Orangeville, CA 95662. EF: \$55, \$10 Q. \$3 to
charity. Coffee, juice, doughnuts, Sat. lunch. EDBDL,
Cons. Contact: Bill Pope, PO Box 3243, Citrus
Heights, CA 95611. (916) 723-8517. Co-D: Annett
Eiffert.

November 24, Yankee Classic

Machester Elks, 30 Bissell St., Manchester, CT
06108. EF: \$43, \$10 Q. Coffee, doughnuts, lunch.
SatDBL, Cons. Contact: Phil Martin, 1809 Main St.,
E. Hartford, CT 06108. (860) 291-8306. Co-D: Bill
Shoemaker (860) 523-1474.

December 1, Hawaii Singles Championship

Murphy's Bar & Grill, 2 Merchant St., Honolulu, HI
96813. EF: \$40. No Q. \$1 to charity. Lunch. Cons.
Contact: Tsarkie, 3261 Kilihune Pl., Honolulu, HI
96816. (808) 734-4800. Co-D: Fred White, Kathy
Tsark.

December 6-8, Eau Claire Classic

Ramada Inn, Eau Claire, WI. EF: \$55, \$15 Q. Lunch,
coffee. FriEB, FriHR, SatS, All-Events, Cons, LC.
Contact: Al Lindner, 121 S. Main, Box 9, Greenwood,
WI 54437. (715) 267-7660.

January 12, 1997, Hawaii Open

Murphy's Bar & Grill, 2 Merchant St., Honolulu, HI
96813. Entry: \$30, no Q. \$1 to charity. Lunch. Cons.
Contact: Tsarkie, 3261 Kilihune Pl., Honolulu, HI
96816. (808) 734-4800. Co-D: Fred White, Kathy
Tsark.

January 17-19, Georgia Open

Holiday Inn West, 1075 Stevens Creek Rd., Augus-
ta, GA 30907. Airport shuttle. EF: \$45, \$15 Q. Sat.
lunch, Sat & Sun AM donuts & coffee. FriEB, SatS
Cons, LC. Contact: Ken Cambell, 83 Lee Dr.,
Modoc, SC 29838. (864) 333-2575.

February 9, 1997, Hawaii Open

Murphy's Bar & Grill, 2 Merchant St., Honolulu, HI 96813. EF: \$30, no Q. \$1 to charity. Lunch. Cons. Contact: Tsarkie, 3261 Kilihune Pl., Honolulu, HI 96816. (808) 734-4800. Co-D: Fred White, Kathy Tsark.

February 14-16, Oregon Championship

Prineville Senior Ctr, 180 N. Belknap, Prineville, OR 97754. EF: \$40 \$10Q. \$5 to charity. FriEB, SatS, Cons, LC. Contact: Bob St. Yves, 775 N. Oregon, Prineville, OR 97754. (541) 447-3739. Co-D: Sandy St. Yves, M. & R. Reynolds.

March 9, Hawaii Open

Murphy's Bar & Grill, 2 Merchant St., Honolulu, HI 96813. EF: \$30. Lunch: \$2 to charity. Cons. Contact: Tsarkie, 3261 Kilihune Pl., Honolulu, HI 96816. Co-D: Fred White, Kathy Tsark.

April 11-13, 2nd Winnemucca Classic

Winnemucca Convention Ctr., 50 Winnemucca Blvd. W, Winnemucca, NV 89445. EF: \$50 \$10 Q. Coffee, rolls. FriDBL, FriHR, Cons, LC. Contact: Marvis & Ralph Reynolds, 220 S. Claypool St., Prineville OR 97754. Co-D: Bob & Sandy St. Yves.

April 13, Hawaii Open

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Julian Maintains MRP Lead

Life Master **Bob Julian**, Milwaukee, WI, despite some heart-breaking losses in recent weeks, nevertheless is holding on to his national MRP lead. He unofficially stands at 1,600+ for the year.

Only **DeLynn Colvert** (MT) and **Darren Black** (OR) are within shouting distance (1,500) as the season winds down to the final week. Once again, it appears that the National Open, played the last weekend of the season, will decide the national championship.

Brian Heroux (RI) in the Eastern Region has cracked the 1,300 mark and remains in the race for top honors as does perennial winner **Bob Gombatz** (NC). Gombatz is well over 1,200 for the year.

Out west, **Jeff Monroe** (CA) picked up a bundle of MRP's at the huge Reno match in July and is at the 1,300 mark. **Paul Hatcher** (OR) and **Ken**

Cochlin (WA) have an outside chance of overtaking the leaders as both players have topped 1,100 for the year.

In the Central Region, **Jim McManus** (WI), and **Joe Bernard** (IL) remain in the hunt, both having topped the 1,200 mark. **Mick Michaelis** (WI) nailed the Lewis & Clark Classic in July and has made a move upwards as the season winds down. His 1,000+ MRP's gives him a shot at yet another All-American team award.

Rit Alkas (CT), **Sharlene Medeiros** (MA), **Brenda Palmer** (MA), and **Bruce Wridge** (OR) are hanging tough in hopes of earning a spot on the ten-player All-American team. Ten players have already earned 1,100+ MRP's as the race winds down. Last year, the 10th spot (**George Bickford**) scored a sizeable 1,261 MRP's...and this year's scores will perhaps be in the same ball park to earn that coveted All-American award.

Tournament MRP's Entered This Month

Bill Mitchell Memorial
Cascade Classic
Daytona Beach Open
Granite State Classic

Hockomock Classic
Idaho Open
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Menominee/MGM Open

Nugget Classic
Rochester Open
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2 1230 Gornbatz, Bob, NC
3 957 Alkas, Rilt, CT
4 926 Medeiros, Sharlene, MA
5 902 Palmer, Brenda, MA
6 890 Medeiros, Robert, MA
7 864 DeLong, Henry, MA
8 841 Martin, Phil, CT
9 813 Chase, George, RI
10 810 Dinwoodie, Al, RI
11 807 Burgess Jr, Charles, RI
12 796 Medeiros, Bill, MA
13 758 Sattler, Bruce, MD
14 662 Samet, Laurence, MA
15 639 Johnson, George, MA
16 633 Spadea, Barry, RI
17 613 Duresky, Jim, VA
18 608 Rooney, John, MA
19 595 Lovell, Russell, MA
20 591 Chrabaszcz, Emil, MA
21 591 Diamond, Ted, MA
22 552 Ramos, Joe, RI
23 549 Kaplan, Robert, MA
24 548 Schaeffer, Betty, FL
25 536 Christiansen, Dwight, CT
26 533 Reddy, Frank, MA
27 521 Vetterline, Kenneth, ME
27 521 West, Richard, MA
29 516 Packard, William, MA
30 515 Douglass, Henry, NC
31 507 Simpson, Lucille, NY
32 492 Breen, Elinor, MA
33 483 Vanelli, Joyce, MA
34 465 Shoemaker, William, CT
35 464 Jackson, Bob, PA
36 449 Finley, Charlie, CT
37 447 Turcotte, Susan, RI
38 445 Morrison, Joan, MA
39 443 Clemmey, David, MA
40 442 Norris, Lee, RI
41 441 Chase, Rose, RI
42 436 Palmer, Harry, MA
43 421 Cormier, Paul, MA
44 417 Perkins, Doris, MA
45 412 Lunder, Jim, FL
46 411 McDonald, James, MA
47 406 Corrado, Frank, CT
47 406 Phifer, Larry, NC
49 405 Schmidt, Phyllis, MA
50 402 Drukman, Robert, MA
51 401 Ritchey, Dave, FL
52 400 Rapoza, Charles, MA
53 393 Veradt, Cindy, MA
54 392 Hutchko, Michael, MA
55 384 Riley, George, MA
55 384 Veradt, Zeke, MA
57 372 Caccia, Louis, MA
58 363 Gallagher, Paul, MA
59 360 Burrows, Rosemary, MA
60 353 Samet, Michael, NY
61 340 Meneely, Harold, MA
62 338 Edge, George, RI
63 334 McNulty, Raymond, RI
64 332 Bakken, Nelson, CT
65 331 Lozy, George, RI
66 330 Babiec, Stan, MA
67 324 Farttallone, Pat, CT
68 320 Boreham, Dorothy, MA
69 316 Brault, Richard, MA
70 315 Cundy, James, RI
71 312 Glass, Harvey, CT
72 308 Horigan, Leo, MA
73 307 Dyndur, Gloria, RI
74 294 Llewellyn, Pat, MA
75 292 Bodogh, Frank, NY

Central

1 1497 Jullan, Bob, WI
2 1263 McManus, Jim, WI
3 1206 Bernard, Joe, IL
4 877 Michaelis, Mick, WI
5 777 Page, Doug, WI
6 775 Schaefer, Todd, MN
7 774 Danielski, Frank, WI
8 764 Steinmetz, Wayne, WI
9 752 Adams, Russell, MN
10 714 Lulinski, Syl, IL
11 671 Barrett, Patrick, WI
12 664 Kvien, Les, MN
13 650 Danielski, Ginny, WI
14 613 Hiland, John, WI
15 604 Sondericker, Warren, WI
16 600 Hamilton, Ron, KS
17 588 Erickson, William, IL
18 581 Biegler, Gene, WI
19 543 Heinowski, Ed, WI
20 526 Frost, Richard, WI
21 513 Langman, Harry, WI
22 496 Rein, Jim, MN
23 486 Schaefer, Alan, WI
24 473 Chase, Robert, MN
25 461 Burns, Mike, MN
26 445 Ristom, Edmond, TX
27 436 Steplyk, Max, IL
28 434 Fingleton, Martha, WI
29 432 Kooistra, Scott, SD
30 422 Patrin, Donald, MN
31 420 Parker, Charles, MN
32 417 Stamschror, John, WI
33 411 Lazachek, Marlene, WI
34 402 Boesel, Ray, WI
35 394 Krawford, Tim, KS
36 391 Schweig, Roberta, IL
37 382 Kraft, Lloyd, WI
38 376 Andrusko, Shawn, MN
39 375 Gruber, Gerald, MN
40 370 Barrett, Arlene, WI
41 369 Chowanec, Walt, WI
42 365 McCarthy, Dan, WI
42 365 Shimp, Jeff, MI
44 356 Maresh, Tom, WI
45 345 Sather, Ronald, MN
46 343 Railsback, Helen, NE
47 342 Lui, Jeffrey, WI
48 335 Loch, Robert, WI
49 332 Vadnaiss, Shelly, MN
50 324 Stark, Noral, MN
51 320 Flesch, Donald, WI
52 318 Kniech, Norbert, WI
53 316 Shelstad, Craig, MN
53 316 Koncan, Thomas, IL
55 315 Nelson, Glenn, WI
56 309 Woelfel, Edward, WI
57 302 Lubinski, Emil, MN
58 289 Karr, Allen, WI
59 288 Tofte, Donald, WI
60 286 Hirshman Sr, Ronald, WI
61 284 Farran, Roger, MI
62 283 Peters, Willard, WI
63 275 Perez, Emilio, IL
64 273 Danielski, Gerald, WI
65 267 McCreary, Jalae, NE
66 261 Cervantes, Jean, WI
67 260 Dahl, James, WI
67 260 Leurquin, Ann, WI
69 259 Aird, John, MI
70 258 Bartlett, Dave, WI
71 255 Rice, Jim, WI
72 253 Hefty, Richard, WI
73 250 Williams, John, MN
74 249 Sperry, William, MN
75 248 Healy, Pat; Mikulsky, Gene

Western

1 1476 Colvert, DeLynn, MT
2 1273 Black, Darren, OR
3 1120 Monroe, Jeff, CA
4 1103 Hatcher, Paul, OR
5 1100 Cochlin, Ken, WA
6 916 Wridge, Bruce, OR
7 875 Hill, Bill, OR
8 817 Jarrell, Jesse, CA
9 791 Horn, Jones, CA
10 728 Lliteras, Bayard, ID
11 724 Rasmussen, Elmer, WA
12 713 Wilson, Sharon, OR
13 700 Gogolin, James, OR
14 684 King, Roger, CA
15 648 Malmgren, Todd, OR
16 629 Hassett, Donna, OR
17 622 Wilson, Roger, CO
18 620 Hofbauer, Roy, WA
19 599 Hofbauer, Jeanne, WA
20 596 Grantz, Al, WA
21 589 Edwards, Sue, CO
21 589 Lake, Francis, WA
23 586 Nielsen, Verne, OR
24 571 Stier, Darlene, AK
25 554 Morse, Clair, OR
26 550 Quigley, Chris, CA
27 549 Sladek, Charles, CA
28 539 Broadhurst, Jim, OR
29 529 Chambers, Susan, OR
29 529 Sand, Gary, WA
29 529 Smith, Donald, OR
32 517 Carr, Robert, CA
33 499 Shine, Eileen, OR
34 498 Ryan, Mary, CA
35 495 Wakeman, Bill, CA
36 494 Honeycutt, Harvey, OR
37 490 Beatt, Dale, CA
38 480 Ball, Charlie, AZ
38 480 Fisher, Art, CA
40 469 Carr, Darlene, CA
41 468 Eiffert, Annette, CA
42 458 Hornbacher, James, WA
43 454 Van Orsow, Denny, OR
44 453 Ornie, Frank, OR
45 450 Doppelt, Jackie, CA
46 449 Langley, James, CA
47 436 Mulkey, Merl, OR
48 434 Ng, Harry, CA
48 434 Thorne, David, CA
50 430 Capper, Kenneth, OR
51 429 Gillette, Robert, CA
52 426 Pruett, Lowaine, OR
53 425 Bolstad, Helen, CA
54 421 Williams, Richard, CA
55 415 Torrisse, Angelo, CA
56 408 Kochenburg, Dale, CA
57 406 Park, Edwin, OR
58 396 Bey, Everett, AZ
59 395 Montgomery, Jerald, CA
60 387 Holt, Jack, OR
61 385 Brown, Doug, WA
61 385 Dellinger, Robert, CA
63 380 Schmucker, John, CA
64 377 Irons, Bill, NV
65 376 Deveau, Edward, AK
66 375 Evans, Willie, WA
67 370 Nolz, Paul, OR
68 364 Stier, L. M., AK
69 361 Butz, George, OR
69 361 Wigger, Al, CA
71 360 Johnson, Betty, WA
72 357 Dunn, Joe, ID
72 357 Jakubos, Jason, OR
72 357 Lueschow, Roger, WA
75 356 Bodine, Robert, CA

TOURNAMENT RESULTS

Idaho Open

Coeur d'Alene, ID, March 22-24, 1996
Director: Mitche Graf
MAIN 62

- 1 111 George Maitland, Coeur d'Alene ID
 - 2 102 Jim Hornbacher, Bothell WA
 - 3 93 Paul Hatcher, Salem OR
 - 4 83 Chris Kim, Corballys OR
- CONSOLATION 52
- 1 33 George Mackie, Des Moines WA
 - 2 29 Clair Morse, Bend OR
 - 3 25 Bob Julian, Milwaukee WI
 - 4 20 Ellis Morse, Bend OR

Connecticut Championship

East Hartford, CT, May 18, 1996
Director: Bill Shoemaker
MAIN 114

- 1 120 Dick West, Attleboro MA
 - 2 109 Robert Medeiros, Quincy MA
 - 3 99 Frank Corrado, E. Hartford CT
 - 4 90 George Johnson, Fitchburg MA
- CONSOLATION 70
- 1 38 Sharlene Medeiros, Shrewsbury MA
 - 2 34 Zeke Veradt, Taunton MA
 - 3 29 Holly Darlier, Porters Corner NY
 - 4 25 Frank Sigda, Southampton MA

Menominee/MGM Open

Keshean, WI, May 31-June 2, 1996
Directors: Miller, Gallagher, Lemke
MAIN 190

- 1 200 Gene Biegler, West Bend WI
 - 2 188 DeLynn Colvert, Missoula MT
 - 3 182 Ginny Danielski, Appleton WI
 - 4 172 Lyle Stecker, Menasha WI
 - 5 165 Ray Boesel, Glenbeulah WI
 - 6 157 Richard Frost, Berlin WI
 - 7 149 Ron Sather, Northfield MN
 - 8 141 Dorothy Schroeder, Waupaca WI
- CONSOLATION 112
- 1 60 Richard Laitinen, Negaunee MI
 - 2 55 Dorothy Schaefer, Bloomington MN
 - 3 50 John Hiland, West Allis WI
 - 4 45 Joe L'Hullier, Marquette MI

Nugget Classic

Paradise, CA, June 1, 2, 1996
Director: Vern Kennebeck
MAIN 126

- 1 140 Deanol White, Modesto CA
 - 2 130 Jones Horn, Fairfield CA
 - 3 122 Paul Hatcher, Salem OR
 - 4 112 Gerald Montgomery, Red Bluff CA
- CONSOLATION 72
- 1 44 Bill Wakeman, Hayward CA
 - 2 40 Pete Chamousis, Paradise CA
 - 3 35 Joe Schalich, Santa Rosa CA
 - 4 31 Mike Beauvis, Red Bluff CA

Cascade Classic

Redmond, OR, June 7-9, 1996
Director: Lucille Endicott
MAIN 109

- 1 120 Susan Chambers, Corvallis OR
 - 2 108 Otmar Borchard, Scio OR
 - 3 99 Roger Lueschow, Maple Val. WA
 - 4 90 Sharon Wilson, Medford OR
- CONSOLATION 86
- 1 50 Paul Notz, Redmond OR
 - 2 45 Marti Symons, Madras OR
 - 3 41 Adrian Levy, LaFayette CA
 - 4 37 Margery Clark, Bend OR

Hockomock Classic

Foxboro, MA, June 23, 1996
Director: David Clemmey
MAIN 106

- 1 120 John McCready, Revere MA
 - 2 109 John Brennan, Milton MA
 - 3 99 Bill Medeiros, Shrewsbury MA
 - 4 90 Sharlene Medeiros, Shrewsbury MA
- CONSOLATION 66
- 1 38 Geo. Bickford, W. Springfield MA
 - 2 34 Irving Torrey, Mansfield MA
 - 3 29 Al Dinwoodie, Coventry RI
 - 4 25 Sue Turcotte, Narragansett RI

3rd Rochester Open

Rochester, NY, April 20, 1996
Director: Jack Marchand
MAIN 22

- 1 30 Charlotte Brady, Rochester NY
 - 2 24 Monica Marchand, Rochester NY
 - 3 16 Maurina Boughton, Rochester NY
 - 4 8 Hal Mueller, Canada
- CONSOLATION 16
- 1 15 Norm Boughton, Rochester NY
 - 2 12 Joe Angelo, Buffalo NY

Granite State Classic

Nashua, NH, June 1, 2, 1996
Director: Al Miller
MAIN 44

- 1 53 Frank Corrado, E. Hartford CT
 - 2 44 Richard West, Attleboro MA
 - 3 36 Paul Cormier, Marlboro MA
 - 4 28 Lucille Simpson, Lewiston NY
- CONSOLATION 32
- 1 20 George Webb, Halifax MA
 - 2 16 Brian Heroux, Woonsocket RI
 - 3 12 Bob Gombatz, Raleigh NC
 - 4 8 Cindy Veradt, Taunton MA

Villager Open

Sturbridge, MA, June 9, 1996
Director: Jerry Bernier
MAIN 98

- 1 111 Paul Gallagher, Avon MA
 - 2 102 Bill Cooper, Marlboro MA
 - 3 93 Elinor Breen, Avon MA
 - 4 83 Dick West, Attleboro MA
- CONSOLATION 60
- 1 33 Frank Corrado, E. Hartford CT
 - 2 29 Kathy Hoenig, Fiskdale MA
 - 3 25 Lou Petosa, Bristol CT
 - 4 20 Pat Llewellyn, Bellingham MA

Bill Mitchell Memorial

Crescent City, CA, May 18, 1996
Director: Dan Mitchell
MAIN 49

- 1 53 Tim Hutsell, Crescent City CA
 - 2 44 Donna Hassett, Roseburg OR
 - 3 36 Charles Jones, Medford OR
 - 4 28 Bob Julian, Milwaukee WI
- CONSOLATION 33
- 1 20 Bob Carr, Santee CA
 - 2 16 Heidi Glasahan, Pittsburg CA
 - 3 12 Paul Hatcher, Salem OR
 - 4 8 Jesse Jarrell, Pittsburg CA

Madison Masters Classic XVIII

Madison, WI, June 7-9, 1996
Director: Gaylord Matti
MAIN 131

- 1 140 Tom Mareah, Racine WI
 - 2 130 John Syftestad, Mt. Horeb WI
 - 3 122 Andrew Velth, Dunbar WV
 - 4 112 Ray Hansen, Des Moines IA
 - 5 105 David Gusey, WI Rapids WI
 - 6 97 Ed Heinowski, Milwaukee WI
 - 7 89 Ron Hirschman, Milwaukee WI
 - 8 82 Larry Zimmerman, Green Bay WI
- CONSOLATION 76
- 1 44 Rosemary Daun, Chilton WI
 - 2 40 Sylvia Swett, Crystal Lake IL
 - 3 35 Jeff Shimp, Shelbyville MN
 - 4 31 Jerry Dickinson, Mt. Horeb WI

Daytona Beach Open

Daytona Beach, FL, June 7-9, 1996
Director: Paul Barnes
MAIN 94

- 1 111 Steve Angier, Decatur GA
 - 2 102 Dave Fournier, Casselbury FL
 - 3 93 Ted Depizol, Winter Springs FL
 - 4 83 Gene Bradshaw, Newman GA
- CONSOLATION 70
- 1 38 Bobby Stuart, Lawrenceville GA
 - 2 34 Larry Phifer, Raleigh NC
 - 3 29 Donna Zuben, Largo FL
 - 4 25 Robert McAnelly, Port Charlotte FL

In Memoriam

Elbert Hargesheimer III

Hamburg, NY

Elbert died recently from a stroke at his New York home. He had been in ill health for several years. Elbert was one of the founding fathers of the American Cribbage Congress and a leader in promoting cribbage in the New York area. A true gentleman and great sport, he will be sorely missed by his cribbage-playing "family" nationwide.

Arthur Martin

Northboro, Massachusetts

Arthur passed away July 2 at home after a long illness at the age of 71. He enjoyed cribbage in the New England area, and an occasional fling at national tournaments. His many Massachusetts peggers and friends will greatly miss him. He asked that his favorite board go along on his last trip...and so it did.

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63- **Gene Biegler**
West Bend, Wisconsin

MASTER

283- **Jim Duresky**, Richmond, VA

284- **Darren Black**, Portland, OR

285- **Roger Lueschow**
MapleValley, WA

286- **Robert Loch**, Appleton, WI

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- 1- Betty Johnson, Redmond Senior, Aug 19 95
- 2- Russell Adams, Belle City, Aug 29 95
- 3- Plumas Stokes, Lake Tahoe, Sept 8 95
- 4- Cheryl Mussell, Feather River, Oct 14 95
- 5- Willie Evans, Goblins & Ghosts, Oct 22 95
- 6- Frank O'Connor, Vermont Open, Oct 22 95
- 7- Brenda Palmer, Vermont Open, Oct 22 95
- 8- Dale Vincent, Polish Open Nov 5 95
- 9- Ford Jewer, Charm City, Nov 11 95
- 10- Larry Meath, MN Turkey-Peg Nov 18 95
- 11- George Johnson, Holiday Classic Dec 10 95
- 12- Iris Fletcher, JPW/ACC Open Feb 3 96
- 13- Nicky Kniech, Capital City, MN Mar 3 96
- 14- John Schmucker, W. N.Y. Open Mar 31 96
- 15- Don Ernst, Hawkeye Classic, May 4 96
- 16- Gene Sissel, Oregon Coast, May 11 96
- 17- Jill Solle, Reno's Independence Day July 6 96
- 18- Luis DuPuis, Lewis & Clark Classic July 13 96

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