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AMERICAN CRIBBAGE CONGRESS

George Johnson Gets \$100 Christmas Gift

George Edge Takes Holiday Classic

The recent Holiday Classic in Woonsocket, RI, kicked off the holiday season by awarding George Johnson (Fitchburg, MA) \$100 for the 11th 29-hand scored this cribbage season.

Gloria Dyndur continues to direct the ACC's largest December tournament, and will renew this event again next December 15.

And George Edge was awarded the grand prize and 212 MRP's for qualifying 11th and finishing 1st in the sizeable 166-pegger event.

Other peggers in the holiday mood were John Rooney (Randolph, MA), Barry Spadea (Riverside, RI), and 1995 National Champion Rit Alkas (Manchester, CT). These three peggers finished 2-3-4.

Local Paul LaBrecche topped the field in the qualifying round, but Rit Alkas qualified 3rd and with his 4th place finish, has once again thrown his hat into the national MRP race (400+). Brian Heroux, another local pegger, qualified 6th, and with a 9-16 finish, has zipped to the 570+ mark for the year.

In addition to Johnson's 29-hand, Joan Morrison (Weymouth, MA) scored TWO 28 hands...the only 28's scored by the crowd.

Donna LaFleur (Bristol, CT) won the 94-pegger Consolation, nipping Robert Medeiros (Quincy, MA) in the final match. Charles Burgess, in finishing 3rd, tops 500 MRP's for this season. He hails from E. Greenwich, RI. Kick Hobbs, Norwood, MA, took 4th.

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Details In March CW



The President's Column

Everett "Ev" Bey

Cribbage In Classrooms Rolling

Our "Cribbage in the Classroom" project is continually expanding and drawing rave notices, all over the U. S.

We recently received a "thank you" letter from the Fooria (AZ) Unified School District regarding the crib classes being taught to elementary school students by Joe Comry of Sun City West.

Dan Zeisler, our Youth Program director, tells us we now have over 100 volunteers using his lesson plan to teach youngsters the grand 'ol game.

One of Dan's cohorts in the Sonora (CA) High School, Jim McKee, recently sent us a letter relating his experience with the "Cribbage in the Classroom" project. This letter (and one from Dan) is published in this issue of *Cribbage World* (Letter's to the Editor).

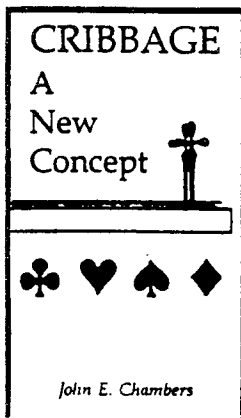
Following up on our comment about Ford Jewer and Susan Turcotte providing an assortment of free breads...nut, banana, pumpkin, etc...for players at the Plymouth (MA) Grand National, we heard from Vern Kennebeck, director of GR 142 in Paradise, Calif.

Since Paradise is pretty remote (some 3 hours from San Francisco), Vern said he recognized the need to do something special from "day one," to draw participants to his annual Nuggets Classic tournament.

Volunteers bake an assortment of home-made cookies...plenty of each...which are offered to tournament players for dessert. In addition, mid-afternoon is "snack-time", complimented with a variety of cold cuts, crackers and breads, pickles, olives, etc. "Chances are", Vern sez, "at 8 PM you can still find a piece of salami."

"Our facility, the Senior Center, has great lighting and acoustics, with ample room to grow. Coupled with the above, this no doubt contributes to the 20% growth in attendance last year."

The little extra always brings results.
Keep peggin'...Ev Bey



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Portland Winter

George Mackie Wins In Portland

George Mackie, a newly crowned Master pegger from Des Moines, WA took on some 146 players at the recent Portland Winter Open...and came away the winner. And with the win came a bundle of MRP's and \$850.

Rob Anderson, a 16-year old rookie from Lynwood, WA, very nearly surprised the field with a near win, but had to settle for 2nd, falling to Mackie in a close tussel.

Clarence Van Orsow also received his Master rating last year, and this Culver, OR pegger finished 3rd. Bryce McClain, another pegger from Lynwood, took 4th.

Another Van Orsow (Ray) finished in the 9-16 bracket, and earned the 57th Grand Master awarded by the ACC. Ray was a member of the 1992 All-American team, and continues to pile up those MRP's.

Ken Cochlin, Kennewick, WA, had the top qualifying score...a nifty 37 (18) +183...and picked up 53 MRP's for the effort. Cochlin is leading the Western Region and is near the 700 MRP mark for this cribbage year. He earned his Grand Master last year and is nearing the 5,000 mark (lifetime).

Susan Chambers, Corvallis, OR, nailed the 112-pegger Consolation, followed by Jerry Hearsum, Cove, OR, in 2nd. Louis Primc (Marysville, WA) and Chris Kim (Corvallis, OR) took 3rd and 4th.

Bill Shirland, Denver, CO, came within a whisker of qualifying in the Main and Consolation, and with one last chance, grabbed the Last Chance event.

One-Star DeLynn Colvert, Missoula, MT won the Friday Time Passer. Paul Hatcher, a Grand Master from Salem, OR took the High Roller.

The Doubles event was won by Paul Hirschmann (OR) and Robert Wintersteen (OR). The Saturday Special went to Dave Gilkeson (Winchester, OR).

Directors Dorothy Mickow and Jeanne Hofbauer ran another first-class tournament, and this winter in Portland was blessed with spring-like weather.

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Grass Roots Corner

Standings as of January 13, 1996

Division 1 (club number in parenthesis)

- 1 168 Bob Gombatz, Raleigh NC (58)
- 2 131 Duane Sink, St. Joseph MI (107)
- 3 125 Ted Burley, Spokane WA (198)
- 3 125 Larry LaGassie, Green Bay WI (61)
- 5 122 David LeBoeuf, Sacramento CA (162)
- 6 115 Gil Johnson, Spokane WA (69)
- 6 115 Dale Vincent Sr, Green Bay WI (61)
- 8 114 Duaine Jacob, WI Rapids WI (120)
- 9 113 Bob Gillette, El Sobrante CA (100)
- 9 113 Jack Barrett, WI Rapids WI (120)
- 9 113 Virginia Longstreet, WY MI (71)
- 12 112 Willard Peters, Green Bay WI (61)
- 12 112 Bob McAnelly, Pt Charlotte FL (29)
- 14 111 Ray Meek, Kennewick WA (184)
- 14 111 Craig Ferguson, Hurst TX (106)

Division 2

- 1 111 Dale Kochenburg, San Jose CA (48)
- 2 106 Bill Jensen, Los Altos CA (48)
- 3 77 Roger King, Santa Clara CA (48)
- 4 76 Ed Bloom, Cupertino CA (48)
- 4 76 Aaron Geroux, Fayetteville NC (35)
- 6 75 Stan Bochinski, Tonawanda NY (5)
- 7 74 Bill Irons, Sparks NV (11)
- 8 72 Allan McDonald, Mtn View CA (48)
- 9 69 Anthony Quinn, Rapid City SD (96)
- 10 67 Michael Rynhard, Campbell CA (48)

Division 3

- 1 73 Charles Ramsey, Las Vegas NV (59)
- 2 45 Henry Douglass, Reidsville NC (102)
- 3 44 Edgard Bastedo, Lethbridge AB (24)
- 4 43 Harry Anderson, Mesa AZ (24)
- 5 42 John Worley, Burlington NC (102)
- 6 41 Terry Hurtgen, Phoenix AZ (24)
- 7 38 John Bourgon, Las Vegas NV (59)

Gil Sote Hot In Nebraska

Marvin Rader holds four tournaments a year in Lincoln, Nebraska...and in the November edition local Gil Sote took home the bacon. Ed Strachan, another local pegger, came in 2nd in this 32-pegger event.

Revenge: a few months ago, Cribbage World relayed a story that Darrel Miotke and Bruce Wridge had nailed the cribbage game offered by the Oceanlake Elks Lodge in Lincoln City, OR for sizeable winnings. Dealer Rollie Heath reports that the Elks had a little revenge with Miotke. Heath double-skunked Miotke, and won a few more games to get back some \$135. Now, if only Wridge would come back for a little more pegging!

Grass Roots Bronze Level

For compiling 1,000 Grass Roots rating points, the following players are awarded the **Bronze Award:**

119- Bill R. Harvey
El Cajon, California

120- Beatrice Olyer
Fairfield, California

121- Sharon Schwarz
Forestville, California

122- Virginia Longstreet
Jenison, Michigan

123- Gerard Brooks
Portland, Oregon

124- John McArthur
Fresno, California

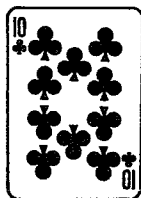
125- Ken Richmond
Gresham, Oregon

126- Richard Kelliher
Bridgewater, MA

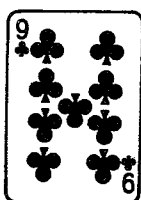
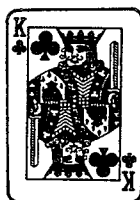
127- John C. Haller
Hermiston, Oregon

Grass Roots 29-Hands

- 1 Brett Davis, Ventura CA 9-6-95
- 2 Diane Vanderlaan, Grand Rapids MI 9-13-95
- 3 Art Stiller, Hood River OR 9-13-95
- 4 Ray Manske, Roseburg OR 9-19-95
- 5 Lucille Stickfort, Independence IA 10-19-95
- 6 Craig Ross, Santa Rosa CA 10-24-95
- 7 Cindy McFarlane, Greenwood WI 10-18-95
- 8 Jay Sorenson, Fairfield CA 10-26-95
- 9 Chet Sobkoviak, Kennewick WA 11-15-95
- 10 Phyllis Daily, Pt Charlotte FL 11-22-95
- 11 Eleanor Arnold, Prince George BC 12-14-95



OR



Discarding Tips

George "Ras" Rasmussen

A question often asked by many players is a king-10 or a king-9 the better discard to an opponent's crib? I have recorded 2,999 actual king-10 and 2,004 king-9 discards. Based on this empirical data, I have discovered that these two discards are the only ones that average less than 4.0 points.

Which is better? When looking at these discard options in the broadest parameters, they are very similar. There is little difference between the K-10 and the K-9 when viewed in this manner:

7 or fewer points	8 or more points
K-10 = 86.022%	K-10 = 13.978%
K-9 = 88.374%	K-9 = 11.626%

When looking at these two discard options in a more definitive manner, there are distinct differences. *The K-10 discard produces a high percentage of zero cribs*, far more than any other discard choice and nearly twice as many as the K-9. However, the *K-10 is slightly more likely to produce 8-points or more in the opponent's crib*.

In addition, the K-10 is more than twice as likely to total 12 points or more. Note that in 65 cases, the K-10 has added up to more than 12 points...and in 11 cribs the total was 16 points or more! And the K-10 may surprise you with a 20-point crib! Even so, the chances of the K-10 producing 16 points are less than 1/3 of 1% with 11 actual occurrences in 2,999 discards.

Here is a rundown of the numbers for your perusal:

King-10:	0	1-2	3-7	8-11	12-15	16 or more
3.776 Avg.	483	895	1,202	354	54	11
2,999 discards	16.1%	29.8%	40.1%	11.8%	1.8%	0.36%
King-9:	0	1-2	3-7	8-11	12-15	16 or more
3.903 Avg.	175	599	997	214	19	0
2,004 discards	8.7%	29.9%	49.8%	10.7%	0.95%	0%

Do you need to blank your opponent's crib? The K-10 would be the choice! What about board position? Would the risk of 12-20 points motivate a K-9 (which in my experience has never produced more than 12 points). The choice is a personal one and is often decided by personal bias. In any case, either choice is excellent, as no other discard option averages less than 4.0 points.

"Ras" has been compiling discard numbers for some years now. I feel that his empirical data is superior to data generated by computers, as his data considers human biases. However, the computer-generated data closely parallels Ras's findings. The computer puts a K-10 discard at 3.8 average, and a K-9 at 4.0. Cribbage World plans on publishing more of Ras's Tips...if he will part with this information! Ed.

Manchester man is the national cribbage champ

By **MATTHEW BROWN**
Courant Correspondent

Since he became the national cribbage champion, Rit Alkas says, he can't win.

"I've noticed people are a little more exuberant when they play me," Alkas says, laughing. "They say, 'Oh, you're the champion. You must be good.' It makes them happier when they beat you. And if they lose, so what? They lost to the champ."

"I can't win, and they can't lose."



■ **Alkas**
While, say they couldn't be happier to have the champion in their midst.

"He's a real good player and a nice guy," said Phil Martin, president of Metro No. 26, Hartford's "grass-roots" chapter of the American Cribbage Congress. "We're all happy for him and proud of him."

Such camaraderie is common in cribbage, a social game that has been popular for centuries.

Virtually unchanged since it was invented in the 17th century, the basic rules of the game are simple. Two, three or four players try to build high-scoring hands and then win additional points — called "pegs" — by playing their cards against each other. A two-handed game, to 121 pegs, takes about 20 minutes to play.

Alkas, 65, a part-time courier, figures he's been playing cribbage for about 55 years. His father first taught him when he was about 10.

He says he won about \$6,500 in 1994-95, an exceptional total considering his yearly winnings usually are about \$2,000.

"It's a wonderful game," Alkas said. "It's not only luck; there's a lot of skill to it."

Now semiretired, Alkas and his wife, Mimi, have made the game their life. On weekends, they pack up their motor home and drive to tournaments throughout the country — as many as 30 each year. Rit plays; Mimi officiates.

"I love it — it has given us a new lease on life," she said. "Almost every weekend, we're at tournaments. I can't tell you how many friends we've made. It's like a second family out there, all over the country. It has just been wonderful."

Courtesy Hartford Courant

Inaugural Event Keith Momsen Wins River City Open

Sacramento's Grass Roots Club 162 hosted the area's first-ever cribbage tournament, and 118 peggers kicked off this inaugural event in grand style.

Local Keith Momsen took home a nifty \$1,000 and a beautiful Clyde Ross trophy for a first place finish.

Jeff Monroe, our ACC's Membership Director, finished 2nd...and the 109 MRP's earned vault him into the National MRP race (over 400 MRP's to date). He also scored a 28-hand to complete a nice weekend of pegging.

Harry Ng (San Leandro, CA) took 3rd, and Bea Olyer (Fairfield, CA) finished 4th.

Harold Sontag, Vacaville, CA, earned a free hotel stay by topping the field in the qualifying round. He posted a nice 33 (14) +315. Another bonus for this score is free entry into next year's tournament.

Phyllis Roderick, Vacaville, CA won the 54-player Consolation, besting Boyd McDonald, Mountain View, CA, in the final match.

Sara and Boyd Home (Redondo Beach, CA) picked up a nifty \$400 for winning the Friday Night Doubles.

No 29-hands were scored, but Sandy Warner and Dottie Mellott scored 28-hands (in addition to Monroe's 28-hand).

A food drive was held at the tournament to help needy families in the community. Cribbage players opened their hearts and their cupboards to help many grateful people. Tournament Directors Bill Pope and Annett Eiffert wish to thank everyone who participated and look forward to having another successful tournament next year.

A bird in the hand is safer than one overhead.

Eau Claire, Wisconsin Harry Langman Tops Eau Claire Classic

Director Alan Lindner is off and running as his inaugural Eau Claire Classic drew some 86 peggers for the three-day meet.

Harry Langman, Appleton, WI, came away the winner, besting Jerome Fischer, Colby, WI in the final playoff match. The match was a tight one, with Langman winning 4-3.

Kenneth Benson, Eagle, MI, finished 3rd, followed by Les Kvien, Waite Park, MN in 4th.

Ron Hamilton, White Bear Lake, MN, nailed the qualifying round with a fine 32 (15) +144 to take honors.

Don Tofte, Madison, WI nailed the 44-pegger Consolation. Russell Adams and Jim McManus, two ACC heavyweights, took 2nd and 3rd. Adams hails from Minneapolis, and McManus is from Milwaukee. Local Myron Thews finished 4th.

Director Lindner had a full range of events beginning with a Friday night singles match. Duane Toll, Kenosha, WI won with a fine 18 (8) +155. On Saturday night, Ginny Danielski, Appleton, WI, was hot, winning with a 20 (8) +183. This event propelled Danielski to the All-Events win, as she topped the field with a 60 GP, 26-win score in the 40-game match.

Kah-Nee-Ta Betty Nolz Tough On The Reservation

Betty Nolz drove a few miles down the road from her Redmond, OR home to do a little pegging on the Confederated Tribes Reservation Resort at Kah-Nee-Ta (Warm Springs), OR. And she came home the winner!

Phil True, Richland, WA, came close and finished 2nd. Lynn Gillespie, another Tri-Cities pegger from Kennewick, WA took 3rd. Redmond's Greta Gorden took 4th.

Jim Taylor, Bend, OR, was on track for a record qualifying-round score, but lost 3 of the final 4 games. Nevertheless, he posted a very nice 38 (18) +223 to cop honors.

Debbie Gangle, Albany, OR topped the 66-pegger Consolation. Jerry Blackman, Bend, OR, finished 2nd...and also won the Saturday night game. Bernie Saueressig (Richland, WA) and Bill Hill (Hermiston, OR), finished 3rd and 4th. Hill's 25 MRP's will push his total to over 600 for the year, and he is among the national leaders in that category.

Satellites:

High Roller: George Rasmussen (WA)
Doubles: Wendell Rush & Irma Symons (OR)
Saturday night: Jerry Blackman (OR)
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Cribbage Club Directory?

If possible, please send a copy of the cribbage clubs around the U. S. I know a good number of people who would be interested. I'm a member of the Ventura County Cribbage Association.

Glen Cooley
Camarillo, CA

Glen, this is an ongoing, dynamic listing with constant changes. George Waudby began compiling a listing in early 1994, and he published a Directory a few months later. However, I haven't heard from George for some time now. You might try contacting him for his latest listing of clubs:

George Waudby
408 North Daisy
Lompoc, CA 93436
(805) 736-6096

Perhaps the ACC's Board of Directors should explore the possibility of compiling and maintaining a listing, published yearly, for our members. I will bring this up at our BOD meeting in Reno next month. Ed.

Fair Sex Wins

The Ventura County Cribbage Association (CA) is a well-organized group...and they hold unique events. They even held a '95 Chauvinist Tournament (men vs. women). Mary Ann Milliken defeated Terry Mixer...and the men had to cook and serve dinner to the ladies!

Lea Hornbeck Married

The American Cribbage Congress congratulates Lea and Irma Hornbeck on their recent marriage.

Lea, a Master pegger, is a strong supporter of the ACC, and was a member of the Board of Directors from 1991-1995.

GR Club 28 Schedules Surprise Award

All you have to do to qualify for a "Surprise" award in GR Club 28 (Portland, OR) is play for nine consecutive weeks. This Director's Award is promised to have a value of at least \$100...and might possibly have a cord on it. Stay tuned.

Bunny Lewis Benefit Update

Last month's CW (page 3) reported some \$1,120 donated towards Bunny's rehabilitation.

Ken & Betty Capper donated trophy boards. Beverlee and Harvey Honeycutt, Morry Schiffman, Bud Ferrigno, Dottie Richmond, Max Williams, Carol Holt, Anne Williams, and Todd Malmgren donated, but were unable to play. Other volunteers were Pat Motley, Dot Mickow, Roy, Jeanne, and Jason Hofbauer, Joyce Rardin. Carolyn Bailly provided a free playing area.

This is another example of the ACC's camaraderie. We're all just one, big, happy family!

Five-Card Cribbage

When Sir John Suckling invented the game of cribbage in the 1600's, only five cards were dealt to each player. The game, over the years, evolved into our present six-card game, especially in the USA.

However, the five-card game is still played in England, and is preferred by many players.

This is basically the differences from our present ACC game:

Deal five cards to each player.

Discard two cards to form a crib hand. This leaves you with only three cards in your hand!

You peg as in six-card cribbage, except once "31" (or less) is reached, pegging stops! Remaining card (or cards) are unplayed.

Count your three-card hand (plus starter card).

Count your four-card crib (plus starter card).

Peg to 61 points. Game over!

And that's why most old cribbage boards have only 60 holes!

Want To Start A Grass Roots Club?

Anyone interested in starting a Grass Roots club contact the National Commissioner:

Jerry Dickinson, 117 Grove Street
Mt. Horeb, WI 53572
(608) 437-5295

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Other Income.....	309.00

Total Income **63,438.80**

Expenses:

Cribbage World.....	\$39,093.38
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Other Expenses.....	134.98

Total Expenses **55,155.10**

Net Income **8,283.70**

Total Assets (bank accounts/other)

June 30, 1994.....	\$19,122.85
June 30, 1995.....	26,749.55

Total Liabilities

June 30, 1994.....	1,222.39
June 30, 1995.....	1,928.89

Hey, It Was A Joke!

Last month's CW had an article about your editor taking advantage of Montana's new NOSPEEDLIMIT law.

He claimed he was doing 110, lost control, and went spinning on river ice, losing his golf hat in the process. It was all a joke. His mother and brother called and asked if he got hurt. Hey, this all got out of hand!

SPORT'S FILLER

By DeLynn Colvert

As we got to press, this space was unused, and since this is a "sporting magazine"

Great Shot!

We all know cribbage is not much of a spectator sport. Many of our championship matches are almost totally ignored by the remaining players in the hall...and even the game of golf doesn't rate very high in that category.

But I must relate a golf story. Bear with me.

I was playing with my 120-pound string-bean son (Ian) in Hemet, CA over the holidays...and he has a swing even bigger than that of John Daly. He just isn't as big. But, the clubhead speed generated is simply awesome. And when he hits the ball square, it really goes!

We were teeing off on the 10th hole, and six other golfers were sitting on a nearby bench waiting their turn. The hole was a short 323-yard par-4. Knowing Ian could possibly drive the green, I turned to these six golfers and said: "Hey, this skinny kid has a chance of driving this green!" They just looked at me blankly, and I turned away.

Well, Ian hates me bragging about him, and he overheard my comment. He was doing a slow burn. He took three slow, deliberate, enormous swings. His face was flushed, and I could tell I had made a booboo.

He teed up the ball and took his usual full, fast, swing. Bam! I've never seen a ball travel so fast off the clubhead...and straight as an arrow for the green, dead on line for the pin. The ball came to rest some 12 feet below the hole! 323 yards! What a shot! I let out a shriek! "Great shot...wow!!!"

I turned to look at the six golfers on the bench. They just stared at the green and said nothing.

But when I picked up my bag to walk off the tee box, one of the six said to another "Well...we wont have to wait for these guys..."

In Memoriam

Hall of Fame Member Dies

Nelson Ira Pendergast

Albany, New York

Nelson died December 1 at the Veterans Medical Center in Albany after a long illness. He was a volunteer at the Medical Center for the past 9 years with over 45,000 hours of service. His motto as he traveled to all the wards was "Have cribbage, will travel." For his enormous dedication to his fellow veterans and to cribbage, he was inducted into the Cribbage Hall of Fame in 1989. He will be sorely missed by the veterans and his fellow cribbage players.

Anthony Del Tufo

West Bridgewater, Massachusetts

Tony Del Tufo passed away unexpectedly after having open heart surgery December 22. He was Director of GR 81 in Mansfield, MA, and directed the Massachusetts Open every September. Tony was a superb cribbage player who attended many tournaments each year. He was well liked and respected by all who knew him. Tony was a true gentleman who never had a harsh word for anyone. He was a class act, both at and away from the cribbage table. Although he never had a perfect 29 hand, in life he was a perfect 29. He will be sorely missed. Rest in peace, my friend.

*Bob Drukman
E. Bridgewater, MA*

Orval Trost Finally Scores That 29!

Orval Trost has been pegging for well over 70 years in the corn belt of America...and he finally nailed that elusive 29-hand October 26. Trost needed the 5 of hearts for this gem. Alas, this hand was not in sanctioned play, but nevertheless, this Waverly, Iowa pegger was thrilled to finally have played the "perfect hand!"

If you love what you do, you will never work another day in your life. Confucious

This Month's Quiz

What ACC member took five days (in December) to get his car out of the driveway? Did he miss any cribbage matches because he had no car to drive for those five days?

Answer on page 11.

Terry Hurtgen Nails Last Roundup

Terry Hurtgen, Phoenix, AZ, came home the winner at the recent 54-pegger Last Roundup in Ventura, CA.

Hurtgen nipped Ann Abbott, Apple Valley, CA in the final playoff match to cop the championship. Richard Price, Camarillo, CA finished 3rd, followed by Ron Guidotti, Chino Hills, CA in 4th.

Tournament Director John Mixer picked up the win in the 36-pegger Consolation. Ira Deutsch, Oxnard, CA, finished 2nd.

Mixer plans on renewing this event again next October.

M. Lloyd Black Takes Mini-Nipomo

Darrell Hunstad hosted a "mini" warmup tournament as a preview for his annual Nipomo Open (that will be played May 24)...and M. Lloyd Black (Arroyo Grande, CA) copped the 37-pegger event. John Mock, Morro Bay, CA, finished 2nd. No Consolation was played.

Kaplan In Alaska

Chuck Kaplan, Anchorage, AK, won going away at the recent Anchorage Open, nipping Raldo Estridge, Peters Creek, AK in the final match. Bonnie Faughnan and Jay Harpel finished 3rd and 4th. Both are local players. No Consolation was played. Director Kevin Mesceda plans on holding this event again next year...on November 2.

Foxwood Casino Draws Cribbers

Foxwood's Casino became a new venue for cribbage players as the 1st New England Classic was held there on January 7th. Because I underestimated its appeal we were only able to take 160 players. Regretfully many were turned away.

Ted Diamond of Randolph, MA played on and won the trophy. Madelyn McGarvey of Palmer, MA finished 2nd. Mike Jones of Enfield, CT took the 42 player Consolation. Q Pools and other side events were not permitted. Also, for legal reasons, all players were required to be members of the ACC. We signed up about 15 people.

About a third of the players had been grass rooters almost exclusively but Foxwoods proved to be a magnet. Foxwoods is always 100% in play and unlike Reno, does not seek our business. They rejected having the 1995 Grand National at the facility. However, a 900 bed addition and a 4th casino area and more meeting space should be ready in 1997, which should permit us to utilize the facility more easily in the future.

*Joe Seigle
Coventry, CT*

Oops, Goofed Again!

In regard to your playing the hand in your anonymous quiz (Jan. CW). Where did you get the 4 to play after you led the 5? Your dealt hand was 5-6-7-9-J-J???

*Duff Bonomi
Wallace, Idaho*

You got me, Duff. I kept the 5-6-J-J (and NO FOUR). Since the pone was 8 holes from game, I would lead the 5, hoping to draw a jack response (and dumping the always dangerous 5). And since I hit the cut for 10 points, and needing only one peg, I would then play the 6 (NOT THE FOUR), holding my pair of jacks for last for the 1-point "go" try. Sorry for the mixup! Keep peggin'! Ed.

Board of Directors Meeting Scheduled for February 1.

The semi-annual Board of Directors Meeting will be held at the Sands, Reno, NV on Thursday, February 1, 1996 at 1 PM. ACC members are welcomed to attend. Meetings usually last about four hours.

Quiz Solution

In mid-December, the Oregon coast was buffeted by strong winds, with gusts up to and exceeding 100 MPH. Bob Oriet, Forest Grove, OR, had 30 fir trees blow down in his yard, many across his driveway. It took five days to clean up this mess...and extricate his car.

Did this stop Bob from attending his usual cribbage matches? No way! He simply walked out, and continued his pegging!

On a somber note, however, Louine Lyda's daughter-in-law was killed by a falling tree. Her son was also badly injured when the tree struck the car in which they were riding. Two days later, Louine fell and broke her arm! Sometimes life is totally unfair. *Cribbage World* wishes sincere condolences to Louine and her family. Louine is a Master pegger from Forest Grove.

New Judges

These new Judges are certified using the ACC book of rules (dated 1993):

**Garry Folz, Yreka, CA
Francis Lake, Issaquah, WA
Gerry Moore, Paradise, CA
Alf Nore, Skagway, AK**

As a reminder to take the ACC Judges examination, just send \$3 to:

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Note: 51 Judges have not returned their recertification forms. This leaves the ACC with 237 certified judges

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Letters to the editor...

Youth Cribbage Update

Three exciting things to report to start off the new year in youth cribbage.

1-Ev Bey's December column in support of the youth cribbage program has yeilded a rush of requests for my teachers manual, raising the total of manuals sent to 106!

2-Cribbage has been recognized as a viable game of skill and strategy by the Tuolumne Co. Office of Education. I have been invited to conduct cribbage workshops at a countywide youth fair which attracts over 200 gifted and talented students to this special event. It's neat what a little exposure can snowball into. This small foothill area in California is undoubtably the youth cribbage capital of the nation.

3-Following is a letter I received from a high school special education teacher who is teaching his kids the wonderful game of cribbage.

Anybody out there who is doing something with youth cribbage, I'd really like to hear from you, and I still have plenty of teachers manuals waiting to be put to use as well. Contact me at: 21429 Montgomery Rd., Sonora, CA 95370. Call (209) 536-1549.

*Dan Zeisler
Sonora, CA*

Dan,

Last year I started teaching 30 9th-12th grade special education students crib as part of their math class. Their disabilities in math made many uneasy counting. They started noticing 15's, pairs, etc. and totaling points which made their confidence grow, and those who once said, "I don't like cards" are now asking "Can we play crib?"

Many students with social problems found they were included in partner playing or as a third. Memory capabilities seem to improve as the months went by. They noticed the subtilties of crib which sharpened other problem areas normally difficult for children with learning disabilities.

Some started teaching friends and siblings or playing with other relatives. Keeping tally of the wins for each player during the year allowed the top scoring student to take home a new crib board and deck of cards. Many of the students made crib boards in the shop class I teach. A mini-tournament was held at the end of the year party with a \$10, \$7, \$5, and four \$1 prizes. The overall social aspect, math skills and components, cooperative competition will be continued as part of my class program. The students now love to play against me and my assistant, also playing as partners. These special students have one of their first experiences at winning, thanks to cribbage!

*John McKee
SDC Teacher, Sonora, CA*

Welcome To The Club

On Al Guymond's first night in our GR club, he played Tim Garland. Tim promptly showed him the way cribbage is supposed to be played with hands of 24, 20 and 24. He also had a pair of 16 cribs to win the game in three hands! This could have been a double or triple skunk, but Al held his own and only lost by 49. Haven't seen Al since.

*Bill Young
Director, GR 220, Keene, NH*

Bill, this is an astounding game! In the many years of playing, I have seen only a handful of FIVE deal games. Tim's winning in only THREE deals is almost unbelievable! His hand scores add to exactly 100. Did he also peg 21 holes in the three deals? If so, this game stands alone! Ed.

Long Odds

Here is one for your mathematicians. While playing with one on my co-workers, we had the ace of hearts as our cut card four times in a row...in the same game!

Are the odds of this happening 2.56 million to one?

*Doc Boehme
White Bear Twp, MN*

Doc, if you sat down and said we're going to cut the ace of hearts four times in a row, the odds would be $52 \times 52 \times 52 \times 52 = 7,311,616$ to 1. If, however, once an ace of hearts was cut, and you said we're going to cut three more in a row, the odds would be only 140,608 to 1. Ed.

CribbageWorld Spreads the Word

Your readers do read CW. Our notice to players about the recently approved tournament at Foxwoods Casino was almost exclusively through a story in CW and an entry under Tournament Trail. As I write this on Dec. 29, I have documented 37 phone calls seeking information. Nice job!

*Joe Seigle
Coventry, CT*

IDAHO CHAMPIONSHIP

March 22-24, 1996

Eagles Lodge - 109 Sherman Ave.

Coeur d'Alene, Idaho

Schedule of Events:

Fri Mar 22: 3PM Timepasser \$10/7
 Fri Mar 22: 7PM Doubles \$40/9
 Fri Mar 22: 7PM Highrollers \$50/\$50Q/9 Playoffs

Sat. Mar 23: 8AM Cont Bkfst
 Sat. Mar 23: 9AM Main \$45\$10Q/22 vs. 22
 Sat. Mar 23: 7PM Sat. Special \$20/9

Sun Mar 24: 8AM Finals best 3 of 5, final 4 of 7
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March 22-24, 1996
(clip & mail)

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Doubleheader**

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March 29-31, 1996
(clip & mail)

Ray Hanes Remembered

Tom Freeman wrote Cribbage World a long letter in remembrance of Ray Hanes, who passed away recently. Excerpts of this excellent letter:

"...Ray never wanted to bother anyone, he never wanted to place his burden on anyone as he believed he could always handle things himself. He was a proud man, a good educator, loved his family, and had many friends. I would hope at the next cribbage tournament that a moment could be shared with the memory of Ray Hanes, a good cribbage player and a good competitor. May he rest in peace, and if there is cribbage after may he get many 29 hands. Good bye Ray. And God bless his family and many friends."

Tom Freeman
Anchorage, AK

Hey, This Is An Easy Game!

This game of cribbage never fails to amaze me. Here is an item for CW.

Is this a record? Howard Davenport of Elizabeth City, NC, came to the VFW in Norfolk, paid to join the ACC, paid to join GR 117 Tidewaters 29ers, and paid for the evening session. He then sat down and on his very first hand played in a sanctioned event was dealt three 5's and a king, and then on his very first cut in a sanctioned event he found the 5 of clubs to earn his very first 28 certificate before he touched his very first peg. He also relieved the skunk bank of \$48. What a start! We think he'll be back next week!

Ed Horgan
Virginia Beach, VA

Update: Ruby McElroy

Thank you for your article in November's Cribbage World.

An interesting thing happened as a result of the article. A lady called and said she and her partner wanted to meet me and we arranged for them to come out yesterday.

They brought me an absolutely beautiful cribbage board. We were friends from the start and had a great visit. We plan to get together again soon. I am sending one of their cards.

Last Saturday, we had a tournament. When Rollie Heath came in, he told me he had to share his thought for the day with me, "If you are given a challenge, overcome it or use it." I plan to use that for my Stroke Recovery Group.

Ruby McElroy
Keizer, OR

Gary Koenig and LaVonne Spencer are the people who visited Ruby and gave her the cribbage board. Their "K-Board" was advertised in the Nov. and Dec. issue of CW. Ed.

Hall 'O Famer Dale Munroe Update

"...I'm terribly inactive on the tournament trail but hope to retire in a couple of years and get back in it..."

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Homage To John Suckling

*His verse was bold with lines ne'er lame;
He wooed the damsels without shame;
At games of chance luck was his dame;
While none more skilled at cards could claim.*

*As poet, lover, gamester fame
Soon settled round him each the same;
And Knighthood's title graced his name.*

*While noddie was his favoured game,
In time he found the play too tame;
To better it became his aim,
So up with cribbage then he came
And lasting rules to it did frame.
You don't know now? I'm not to blame!
Of course, John Suckling was his name.*

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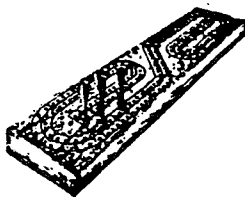
Being BadgeMeister of Doris Denny's Marietta, GA club, I was called upon to have engraved on our logo pin the name of one of our premier players. This is the same player DeLynn Colvert opposed for championship honors at the Mexican Open last October. For correct spelling I referred to *Cribbage World's* Tourney Results and relayed to the pinmaker, "David O'Neal" ...just like it was printed. That HAD to be gospel, I thought. When presented, David O'Neil declared, "Wrong guy "Right" Jack," (an inevitable cribbage name applied by local, or is that loco players, to anyone named Jack). Spontaneoulsy the locos rephrased the distortion to "Wrong" Jack. Thanks.

Bottom line: Correcting the misspelling resulted in the cost of another \$7.50 badge (and the editor's credibility).

Moral: DeLynn Colvert's 26 theory may work playing winning cribbage, but his assembly of 26 alphabetical characters regarding names may be subject to typographical "muggins!"

"Wrong" (by association) Jack Allison
Smyrna, GA

Hey, Wrong Jack, check Jan. CW, page 11: "It's a damned pore mind who can't think of more than one way to spell a word!" You can't say I didn't warn you! Everybody...mail Wrong Jack a dime...then he wont whine! Wrong Jack Allison, 470 Rebecca Lane, Smyrna, GA 30082-3257. Thanks! Ed. (And my apologies to my good friend David O'Neill! We had a helluva good match in Mexico under a tent on the shore of Lake Chapala!)



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Tony Del Tufo

The joy of Christmas was shattered on December 22 with the sudden death of my dear friend and director of the Massachusetts Open, Tony Del Tufo. Tony will long be remembered as a strong competitor, always a gentleman, and always gracious in victory or defeat.

Despite the tragic loss of its director, the Massachusetts Open, one of the premier events of the Eastern Region, will be scheduled under the competent direction of David Clemmey.

As a fitting tribute to my fallen friend, this year's Massachusetts Open will be dedicated to the memory of Tony Del Tufo.

Eddie Donahue

*Founder & Director Emeritus, MA Open
Mansfield, MA*

Tony DelTufo (1937-1995)

A GOOD HUSBAND

A GOOD FATHER

A GOOD CRIBBAGE PLAYER

A GOOD FRIEND

He will be greatly missed, mostly by his family, but also by his friends, who cared, too. Good-bye friend.

Grass Roots 81.

*Sam Shwartz
Foxboro, MA*

Note that he died at 58...twice 29!

In Memoriam

John Gearin

Forest Grove, Oregon

John died January 6 from complications from his 2nd heart surgery. John had a long and successful career as a lawyer, mainly in the Portland area. In recent years he was active in Northwest cribbage. John usually played in tandem with his wife, Joyce, and this pair always added class to any event. A great sport and friendly competitor, he will be greatly missed by his many friends and competitors.

Cribadier General Program

Lea Hornbeck, Washougal, WA, has taken over the directorship of the Cribadier General's Program. This program has been established to benefit Youth Cribbage, and the funds generated are used to hold Junior cribbage events.

Lea writes: "The guidelines are simple and rewards are fabulous. Junior events are normally held in conjunction with a main tournament. Junior events are held on a much smaller scale, and are usually only 7 games (four in the morning, break for lunch, then the final 3 games). ACC rules apply, but these young people need supervision..."

"There is no charge for participation, and the winners usually get small trophy boards. The "also rans" may receive a deck of cards and a set of pegs, or something similar. Lunch for the youths is always furnished by the tournament sponsors. The Cribadier General Program contributes \$250 to offset some of the expenses involved.

Think about this; we need the younger people to keep the ACC flourishing in the future. If it is not feasible for you to hold a junior tournament at this time, perhaps you would consider a donation to the Cribadier General Program. This would help us continue to sponsor further junior events.

Remember, this is the future of the ACC!"

*Lea Hornbeck, Cribadier General
3710 I Street
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*For a \$25 donation you will receive a framable plaque and a nice membership card. This is a well worth while cause! Mail a check to Lea today!
Ed.*

Jespersion Update

As many of our Northwest members know, Keith Jespersen, a long-haul truck driver and cribbage player, has been on trial for multiple murders (at least eight) throughout the United States. Oregon has found him guilty and has sentenced him to 34 years, 4 months. Washington has sentenced him to 92 to 102 years, with this sentence to follow after the Oregon sentence is carried out.

Tournament Trail

Upcoming Sanctioned Events

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

February 10, 11, Alaska Championship

Ramada Inn, 589 W. Northern Lights Blvd., Anchorage, AK 99504. EF: \$50. FriEBDBL 7PM Amer. Legion, Fireweed Ln, Anchorage. Cons. Contact: Kevin Mesceda, 8424 Barnett, Anchorage AK 99504. (907) 349-0253. Co-D: Mike Rowe (907) 243-1505

February 11, 1996, Hawaii Open

Pearl Harbor Palms, 284 Center Dr., Honolulu, HI. EF: \$30, \$10 Q. \$1 to charity. Lunch. Cons: GR 110. Contact: Tsarkie, 740 9th Ave., Honolulu, HI 968-16-2118. (808) 734-4800.

February 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.

February 16, 17, 18, 1996, Oregon Champ.

Senior Center, 180 N. Belknap, Prineville, OR. EF: \$40, \$10 Q. \$5.50 to charity. FriEBDBL, FriEBHR \$25 \$25/\$50Q, Cons, SatS, LC. Contact: Bob St. Yves, 775 N. Oregon, Prineville, OR 97754. (503) 447-3739. Co-D: Sandy St. Yves, M. & R. Reynolds.

February 17, Willows Open

Willows Elks, 150 S. Shasta St., Willows, CA 95988. EF: \$40, \$10 Q. \$1.50 to charity. Coffee, lunch. No Cons. Contact: Carl Martens, 1025 West Wood St., Willows, CA 95988. (916) 934-7961.

February 18, Norfolk One-Day Challenge

VFW, 5728 Barteet St., Norfolk, VA. EF: \$42 (\$50 non-ACC) \$15 Q. Coffee, lunch. Cons. Contact: Ed Horgan, 5020 Smith Farm Rd., Virginia Beach, VA 23455. (804) 460 2596. Co-D: Tom Jacobs, Jack Howsare.

February 23-25, Greater Orlando Open

Sheraton Inn Lakeside, 7769 W. Irls Bronson Mem., Kissimmee FL 34747. EF: \$45. \$20 Q. Coffee, lunch. \$1 to Crib Gen. EB, Cons, LC. 29-28 skunk bank. Contact: Paul Barnes, 1316 Fatio Rd., DeLand FL 32720. Co-D: John Groz (407) 933-6463.

February 23, 24, 25, MGM Open

Midway Motor Lodge, Green Bay, WI 54504. EF: \$50, \$15 Q. \$2 to charity. FriHR \$100, Fri DBL, SatDBL, Cons, LC. Contact: Bob Miller, 1441 Wiesner, Green Bay, WI (414) 497-7739. Co-D: Tom Gallagher, Jerry Lemke.

February 25, Cape Cod Cranberry Clash

Wareham Elks, Rts. 6 & 28, E. Wareham, MA. EF: \$50, \$15 Q. Coffee, lunch. SatDBL, Cons. Contact: Jim Clemmey, 34 Great Hill Dr., W. Wareham, MA 02576. (508) 291-7352. Co-D: D. Clemmey, S. Jordon.

March 1-3, Capital City Open

Ramada Hotel, 1870 Old Hudson Rd., St. Paul, MN. 55119. EF: \$50, \$15 Q. Lunch. EB, SatS, All-Events, Cons, LC. Contact: Ron Hamilton, 1685 Pioneer Lane, White Bear Lake, MN 55110. (612) 429-3639.

March 1, 2, 3, WA State Championship

Tillicum Restaurant, 410 Yakima Valley Hwy, Sunnyside, WA 98944. EF: \$45, \$10 Q. FriDBL, SatHR, Cons, LC. Contact: Bob Brumley, 1301 Lester Rd., Sunnyside, WA 98944. (509) 839-6323.

March 2, Celtic Cribbage Clash

Harry's Hofbrau, 309 Saratoga, San Jose, CA 95129. EF: \$52 \$10 Q. \$5 lunch ticket, coffee, donuts. Cons. \$5 to charity. Contact: Dick Combie, 5463 Century Pkwy, San Jose CA 95111-1817. (408) 578-0929. Co-D: T. Wascher, D. Walker.

March 8-10, 9th Annual Palmetto Classic

Ramada Inn West, I-26 (exit 110) & Hwy 378, West Columbia, SC 29169. EF: \$50 \$10 Q. Coffee, lunch (Sat.) EB, HR, SatS, Cons, LC. Contact: Al Kucera, 2700 Feather Run Trail, Apt. E-10, W. Columbia, SC 29169. (803) 794-6954. Co-D: Tom Redhair, Al Odom (Emeritus).

March 8, 9, 10, W. L. Swett Memorial

Hob Nob (new site), Rts 14 & 31, Crystal Lake, IL 60014. EF: \$45, \$20 Q. \$20 EB, \$20 SatS, Cons, LC. Contact: John Swett, PO Box 214, Crystal Lake, IL 60039-0214. (815) 459-4276. Co-D: R. Madsen (815) 459-2713.

March 8, 9, 10, Northwest Open

VFW Club, 1st & Valley, Baker City OR 97814. EF: \$35, \$15 Q. FriTP3PM, FriSGL, FriDBL, SatS, Cons, LC. \$500 added to Main. Free Junior Tourney. Contact: Rob Palmer, 14133rd St., Baker City OR 97814. (541) 523-4231.

March 9, Chief Solano Open

Fairfield Senior Center, 1200 Civic Center Dr., Fairfield, CA 94533. EF: \$55. \$5 to charity. Bkfst, donuts. FriEBDBL, Cons. Contact: George Halterman, 3410 Astoria Circle, Fairfield, CA 94533. (707) 428-4343.

March 10, 1996, ACC Hawaii Open

O' Toole's Pub, 902 Nuuanu Ave., Honolulu, HI 96813. EF: \$30 no Q. \$1 to charity. Lunch. Cons (GR 110 match). Contact: Tsarkie, 740 9th Ave., Honolulu HI 96816. (808) 734-4800. Co-D: Kathy Tsarkie, Fred White.

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March 10, Tri-Valley Open

VFW Post 1526, Holliston St., Medway, MA 02053. EF: \$44, \$10 Q. Coffee, donuts. \$2 to charity. Doubles, Cons. Contact: Pat Llewellyn, 30 Stone St., Bellingham, MA 02019. (508) 966-1613. Co-D: J. Biabasz, G. Johnson.

March 15, 16, 17, Timber Capital Classic

Holiday Inn Express, 479 Harvard (Exit 124, I-5), Roseburg, OR 97470. EF: \$42, \$10 Q. EDBDL, EBHR, SatS, Cons, LC. Contact: John Thiems, 1690 Winston Section Rd., Winston, OR 97496. (541) 679-5628. Co-D: Larry Hassett, 729 W. Union, Roseburg, OR 97470.

March 16, Anchorage City Singles

Ramada Inn, 598 W. Northern Lights Blvd., Anchorage AK. EF: \$30. Cons. Contact: Kevin Mesceda, 8424 Barnett, Anchorage AK 99504. (907) 399-0253. Co-D: Mike Rowe (907) 243-1505.

March 22-24, Idaho Open

Coeur d'Alene Eagles, 209 Sherman, Coeur d'Alene, ID 83814. EF: \$45, \$10 Q. Lunch buffet. Fri3PM, FriHR (\$50/\$50), FriDBL, SatS, Cons, LC. Contact: Mitche Graf, 2615 N. 4th Ste. 750, Coeur d'Alene, ID 83814. (208) 762-0112. Co-D: Arnold Olson, Bob Harris.

March 22, 23, 24, San Joaquin Valley Open

American Legion 509, 3509 N. First St., Fresno, CA 93710. EF: \$56.50 \$10 Q. Girl Scout donation. Cont. bkfst Sat & Sun, lunch Sat. FriEBDBL, Cons. Contact: Bill McDonald, Box 12184, Fresno, CA 93776. (209) 435-6875. Co-D: Jim Markowitz.

March 24, South Shore Open

K of C Hall, Rt. 123 & Highland Ave., S. Attleboro, MA. EF: \$44, \$15 Q. Coffee, donuts, lunch. Cons. Contact: Jim Ready, 67 Pearl St. Place, Stoughton, MA 02072. (617) 344-0417.

March 22, 23, 24, 3rd Roadrunner AZ Classic

Mesa Elks, 243 S. Mesa Dr., Mesa, AZ 85210. EF: \$62, \$10 Q. Coffee, donuts (2 mornings), 2 lunches. FriEB \$20 no Q, SatS \$20 no Q, Cons, LC. Contact: Ev Bey, 10826 W. Thunderbird Blvd., Sun City, AZ 85351-2646.

March 29, 30, 31, Canadian Championship

Pipers Hall, Corner Hwy 16 & 97, Prince George, BC. EF: \$43, \$10 Q. Coffee. FriEB7PM, SatS, Cons. Door prizes, 28 & 29 awards (\$100 added). Contact: Dave Kee, PO Box 2026 Station "B", Prince George, BC, Canada V2N-2J6. (604) 562-4533. Co-D: P. Chroscinski, E. Arnold, L. Walker.

March 29, 30, 31, Western New York Open

Niagara Falls AFB, Lockport Rd., Niagara Falls, NY. EF: \$45, \$15 Q. \$1.50 to charity. Coffee, donuts, lunch. Rooms \$6/dbl occ (soc. sec. #). FriEB, SatS, Cons. Contact: Shamus O'Connor, 3797 Lynn Rd., Orchard Park, NY 14127. (716) 649-0637. Co-D: Richard Schurkus, Jane Cannizzaro.

March 29, 30, 31, Montana Open

Joker's Wild, Exit 101, I-90, Missoula MT. EF: \$40, \$10. Coffee. FriTP3PM, FriHR, FriDBL, SatS, Cons, LC. \$300 29 pool \$1. Contact: DeLynn Colvert, PO Box 5604, Missoula MT 59806. (406) 543-6855. Co-D: Rex Paddock (406) 251-3379.

March 29, 30, 31, Winnemucca Open

Convention Center, 50 Winnemucca Blvd., Winnemucca NV 89445. EF: \$50 \$10 Q. Coffee, rolls. FriEBDBL, Cons, Possible LC. Contact: Ralph & Marvis Reynolds, 220 S. Claypool St., Prineville OR 97754. (541) 447-5920.

March 29, 30, 31, Granite City Classic

Eagles Club, 730 41st Ave. N., St. Cloud, MN. EF: \$45, optional Q's. Lunch. FriEB, FriHR, SatS, SatHR, All-Events, Cons, LC. Contact: Les Kvien, 590 Park Meadows Dr. #105, Waite Park, MN 56387. (612) 654-9763. Co-D: Meyer, Neunsinger, Munnecke.

April 12, 13, 14, Tri-Cities Open

Riverfront Inn, Riverside Ave., Marinette, WI 54143. EF: \$55, \$15 Q. \$1.50 to charity. Lunch. FriHR, FriEB, SatS, SatHR, \$20 All-Events, Cons, LC. Contact: Robert Michaelis, 1120 Pierce Ave., Marinette, WI 54143. (715) 735-6704. Co-D: Richard Munro.

April 12, 13, 14, Capital City Classic

Eagles #16, 715 N. Fee St., Helena, MT 59601. EF: \$40 \$10 Q. FriEB, SatS, Cons, LC. Contact: Walt Conell, 3718 E. Shore Dr., Helena, MT 59601-9739. (406) 475-9120. Co-D: Wes Walimaa. (406) 443-9739.

April 12-14, Mid-Columbia Open

American Legion, 3rd & Cascade. Hood River, OR 97031. EF: \$45, \$10 Q. \$.50 to charity. Lunch. FriEBDBL & HR, SatS, Cons, LC. Q-pools. Contact: Marvis Reynolds, 220 S. Claypool St., Prineville, OR 97754. (503) 447-5920.

April 14, 1996, ACC Hawaii Open

Murphy's Bar & Grill, 2 Merchant St., Honolulu, HI 96813. EF: \$30, no Q. Lunch. Cons (GR 110). Contact: Tsarkie, 7409th Ave., Honolulu, HI 96816. (808) 734-4800. Co-D: F. White, A. Guzman.

April 14, Blackstone Valley Open

LeFoyer Club, 151 Fountain St., Pawtucket, RI 02860. EF: \$45 \$10 Q. \$2 to charity. DBL, Cons. Contact: Earle Remington, 3750 Diamond Hill Rd., Cumberland RI 02864-1618. (401) 333-9216. Co-D: Shawn Jordan.

April 19-21, Atlanta Classic

Falcon Inn, I-85 & Suwanee Rd., Suwanee, GA 30174. EF: \$50, \$20 Q. \$1.50 to charity. Coffee, lunch Sat. EB, Cons. Contact: Bobby Stuart, 108 Regal Way, Lawrenceville GA 30244. (770) 381-7383. Co-D: Wally Wheeler.

April 19, 20, 21, Milwaukee Challenge

Ramada Inn, Downtown, 633 W. Michigan, Milwaukee, WI 53203. EF: \$55, \$15 Q. Lunch. FriEB (\$20) Fri3-Person Captains (\$30), SatHR (\$50), SatS (\$20), Cons, LC (\$20). Contact: Marlene Lazachek, 4057 S. 35th St. #3, Greenfield, WI 53221. (414) 325-9005.

April 20, 21, George Florentine Memorial

Community Center, 3400 Poly Vista, Pomona CA. EF: \$47 \$10 Q. Coffee, donuts, lunch, dessert. SatS, Cons. Contact: Ron Guidotti, 14676 Summer Breeze, Chino Hills, CA 91709. (909) 597-5806. Co-D: Beverly Castillo (310) 697-5197.

April 26, 27, 28, Greater Hermiston Open

Eagles Lodge, 160 NW 2nd, Hermiston, OR 97838. EF: \$35, \$10 Q. Coffee, donuts. FriEB, SatS, Cons, LC. Auction. Contact: Ken & Betty Capper, 105 NW 3rd, Hermiston, OR 97838. (541) 567-5145.

April 26, 27, 28, N. Lake Tahoe Challenge

N. Tahoe Community Conf. Ctr, 8318 N. Lake Blvd., Kings Beach CA 96143. EF: \$62 \$10 Q. 10% to charity. Coffee, pastries, lunch. EB SGL & DBL, SatS, Cons, LC. Sunday play at Lake Tahoe Resort & Casino, Country Club Dr. at Lakeshore Dr., Incline Village, NV 89451 (playoffs, Cons & LC). Contact: Jack Shumate III, Box 2465, Kings Beach, CA 96143. Co-D: J. Hassenplug, J. Jarrell.

April 27, End of Season Singles

Ramada Inn, 598 W. Northern Lights Blvd., Anchorage AK. EF: \$30. Cons. Contact: Kevin Mesceda, 8424 Barnett, Anchorage AK 99504. (907) 349-0253. Co-D: Mike Rowe (907) 243-1505.

May 4, 5, 25th World Championship (Silver)

Fairgrounds, Fairgrounds Rd., Quincy, CA 95971. EF: \$60, \$10 Q. Quincy Rotary Club charity. Lunch, donuts, coffee, dinner. \$5,000 (or more) added; silver anniversary. FriDBL, SatS, Cons. Contact: Mike Taborski, PO Box B, Quincy, CA 95971. (916) 283-0800. Co-D: Dan Smith.

May 5, Ocean State Classic

LeFoyer Club, Pawtucket, RI 02860. EF: \$29, no Q. Coffee, lunch. Cons. Contact: John Chambers, Box 40068, Providence, RI 02940. (401) 831-4157. Co-D: Ron Nelson, Tom Tobin.

May 10, 11, 12, Oregon Coast Classic

Oceanlake Elks, 2020 NE 22nd, Lincoln City, OR 97367. EF: \$41, \$10 Q. \$2 to charity. Coffee, rolls (donation). FriHR (\$50, \$50Q), FriDBL (\$50/team), possible SatS, possible LC, Cons. Contact: Jeanne & Roy Hofbauer, 30937 NE 23rd St., Washougal, WA 98671. (360) 835-3623. Co-D: Bernie Nelson (503) 965-6410, Rollie Heath (541) 994-9658.

May 19, Great Plains Classic

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

May 24, Nipomo Open

Nipomo Senior Center, 201 E. Dana St., Nipomo, CA 93444. EF: \$52, \$10 Q. \$2 to charity. Coffee, donuts, lunch. EDDBL, SatS, Cons, LC. Entry deadline: May 22. Contact: Darrell Hunstad, 441 Mercury Dr., Nipomo, CA 93444. (805) 929-3804. Co-D: Debbie Wrightman.

May 31, June 1, Nugget Classic

Senior Center, 877 Nunneley, Paradise, CA 95969. EF: \$55, \$10/10 Q. Coffee, donuts, lunch, snacks. FriEB \$20 at door, Cons. Contact: Vern Kennebeck, 6188 Firethorn Circle, Magalia, CA 95954. (916) 873-3266. Co-D: Phil Luke, Jerry Moore.

June 1, 2, Granite State Classic

Holiday Inn, Northeastern Blvd, Nashua NH 03062. EF: \$100, no Q. Best 4-7, Dbl elim, Cons. Nat. Team Event. Contact: Al Miller, 12 Michael Ave., Nashua, NH 03062. (603) 882-7204.

June 8, 9, Madison Masters Classic XVIII

Sheraton Inn, 706 John Nolen Dr., Madison, WI 53713. (608) 251-2300. EF: \$42 \$10, \$20 Q. FriEB, SatS, All-Events, Cons, LC. Contact: Gaylord Matti, 835 Pebble Beach Dr., Madison, WI 53717. (831) 455-2354. Co-D: Jerry Dickinson (608) 437-5295.

June 7, 8, 9, Cascade Classic/Dale Brandon Memorial

Redmond VFW, Sisters Ave., Redmond, OR 97756. EF: \$40, \$10 Q. \$2 to charity. FriEB, SatS, Cons, LC (?). Contact: Lucille Endicott, 61750 Teal Rd., Bend, OR 97702. Co-D: Margery Clark, Anne Haller.

June 9, 1996 ACC Hawaii Open

Murphy's Bar & Grill, 2 Merchant St., Honolulu, HI 96813. EF: \$30, no Q. \$1 to charity. Lunch. Cons (GR 110/9 games). Contact: Tsarkie, 7409th Ave., Honolulu, HI 96816. (808) 734-4800. Co-D: White, Guzman.

June 21-23, 1996 Greater Spokane Open

Eagle's Lodge, Spokane Valley, 16801 E. Sprague Ave., Veradale, WA 99037. EF: \$40 \$10 Q. \$2 to charity. Coffee. FriEB DBL & HR, SatS, Cons, LC ?. Contact: Don Bain, 21 N. McCabe, Spokane, WA 99216. (509) 927-5944. Co-D: Jim Keeling, Gary Sand.

July 5, 6, 7, Independence Day Open

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

July 7, ACC Hawaii Open

Murphy's Bar & Grill, 2 Merchant St., Honolulu, HI 96813. EF: \$30, no Q. \$1 to charity. Lunch. Cons: GR 110/9 games. Contact: Tsarkie, 7409th Ave., Honolulu, HI 96816. (808) 734-4800.

July 14, Maine Open NO WALK INS

Holiday Inn, Westbrook, ME. EF: \$45 \$10 Q. Coffee, lunch. Cons. Contact: Dennis Cousens, 30 River Rd., Windham ME 04062. (207) 892-3724. Co-D: Susan Cousens.

July 26, 27, 28, 29, National Open

North Raleigh Hilton, 3415 Wake Forest Rd., Raleigh NC. **NEW SCHEDULE: first round 8 AM.** EF: \$70 \$20 Q. Match play 4/7 dbl elim. skunks count 2 games. Lunch, coffee. FriEB, Cons, Last Roundup, Sun Losers Losers, HR, SatS. Contact: Catherine Perkins, PO Box 12901, Raleigh NC 27605. (919) 837-5790. Co-D: Bob Gombatz (919) 876-6241, Tom Miller (919) 839-1093.

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, 740 9th Ave., 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: Ardeth 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 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.

September 20, 21, 22, Capital City Classic

Eagles, 715 N. Fee St., Helena, MT 59601. EF: \$40 \$10 Q. FriEB, SatS, Cons, LC. Contact: Walt Conell, 3718 East Shore Dr., Helena, MT 59601-9739. (406) 475-9120. Co-D: Wes Walimaa (406) 443-9739.

September 27, 28, 29, Grand National XIV

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 25-28, 5th Abe Kealoha Extravaganza

EF: \$75, \$10 Q. \$1 to charity. Cont. Bkfst, lunch, awards dinner. FriDBL, SunGR club18 (\$45), Cons. Contact: Tsarkie, 740 9th Ave., Honolulu, HI 96816. (808) 734-4800. Co-D: Fred White.

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: Reberta Huff.

November 10, Great Plains Classic

See August 11 info.

4th Joe Bernard Benefit**North Pole Open**

With spring-like 30-degree weather, the 4th Annual North Pole Open drew some 146 peggers to Appleton, WI January 12. This was in sharp contrast to some bitter-weather matches in years past.

Director Aggie Mikulsky confided to *Cribbage World* that she will change the name of this event next year. It will be named the 5th Annual Joe Bernard Benefit.

Life Master Bernard repeated as champion. And three years ago, this Libertyville, IL pegger claimed the Consolation title, thus making the name change a very appropriate one! With the win, Bernard is near the 600 MRP mark for the year...and is zeroing in on Life Master One-Star (10,000 MRPs).

Local Bob Loch came close to keeping the marbles at home, but had to settle for 2nd. Another Life Master (One-Star) finished 3rd...Mick Michaelis. This Marinette, WI pegger has, once again, thrown his hat into the annual MRP race, and stands at the 400 mark for the year. Jim Rice, Waupaca, WI nailed 4th place.

Nolan Johnson, Madison, WI, posted a very fine 39 17 +294 to take qualifying honors...and the high score propelled him to the All-Events win (65 GPs). He also won the Saturday Night game.

But on Friday Night, it was all Delores Brey! She scored a whopping 9 for 9 Grand Slam, and this rookie pegger from Greenwood, WI, took home all the marbles.

The Consolation drew a sizeable 86 peggers, and Todd Schaefer (Oakdale, MN) took the title. Ann Leurquin (Green Bay), Frank Danielski (Appleton), and Dale Rohm (Greenville, WI) took 2nd, 3rd, and 4th.

Mark your calendars for the "5th Annual Joe Bernard Benefit!" This event next January will undoubtedly be played in 40 below weather...and then the name can be changed to the North Pole Open once again!

Bob Julian Maintains MRP Lead

With December being an "off" month, very few reports were received by National Statistician Bob McCabe, therefore, no updated list is published this month. However, next month's list should significantly change the standings as several large tournaments are scheduled to be played.

Life Master **Bob Julian** continues his national MRP lead by finishing 6th at the North Pole Open (not yet posted) and currently stands at 936 MRP's. In the Central Region Life Master **Joe Bernard** won the North Pole Open and is at the 600 mark for the year. **Harry Langman** and **Ron Hamilton** scored well at the Eau Claire Classic and will move up in the standings. **Doug Page** and **Mick Michaelis** continue to be among the leaders in this region.

In the Eastern Region, **Brenda Palmer** picked up a few MRP's in the Holiday Classic and leads that region with 699 MRP's. **Brian Heroux** and **Sharlene Medeiros** finished high in this event, and will crack the top five in the region. **George Johnson** is also among the leaders.

Out west, **Ken Cochlin** was the top qualifier at the recent Portland Winter Open and continues to lead the Western Region with a near 700 mark. **Bill Hill** and **DeLynn Colvert** also picked up sizeable MRP's at this event and have topped the 600 mark for the year. **Bayard Lliteras** and **Darlene Stier** have topped the 500 mark.

The Upcoming JPW/ACC Open will certainly shake up the standings, as another record crowd is expected, and MRP's will be awarded by the bushels.

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2 503 Johnson, George, MA
3 477 Burgess Jr, Charles, RI
4 473 Schaeffer, Betty, FL
5 468 DeLong, Henry, MA
6 446 Heroux, Brian, MA
7 414 Simpson, Lucille, NY
8 408 Medeiros, Sharlene, MA
9 386 Clemmey, David, MA
10 369 Caccia, Louis, MA
11 368 Gombatz, Bob, NC
12 364 Kaplan, Robert, MA
13 362 Douglass, Henry, NC
14 330 Morrison, Joan, MA
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29 266 Reddy, Frank, MA
30 264 Dinwoodie, Al, RI
31 262 Chase, Rose, RI
31 262 Sweet, Earle, RI
33 255 McDonald, James, MA
34 253 Medeiros, Bill, MA
35 244 Samet, Laurence, MA
36 240 Hayman, Robert, MA
37 239 Lampke, Syd, MA
38 238 Rooney, John, MA
38 238 Alkas, Rit, CT
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41 219 Meneely, Harold, MA
43 214 Groz, John, FL
43 214 Veradt, Cindy, MA
45 212 Jackson, Bob, PA
46 208 Bryant, Joyce, MD
47 207 Spadea, Barry, RI
48 203 Salerno, Fayann, MA
49 202 Bodogh, Frank, NY
50 201 Drukman, Robert, MA
51 199 Llewellyn, Pat, MA
52 197 Finley, Judith, CT
53 196 Donahue, Edward, MA
54 193 Shoemaker, William, CT
55 192 Clark, Tom, NH
55 192 Lovell, Russell, MA
57 189 Jewer, Ford, RI
57 189 Sattler, Bruce, MD
59 188 Torrey, Irving, MA
60 182 Brescia, Steve, MA
60 182 Marty, Clare, MA

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1 813 Julian, Bob, WI
2 519 Page, Doug, WI
3 410 Fingleton, Martha, WI
4 408 Bernard, Joe, IL
5 362 Lulinski, Syl, IL
6 339 Kooistra, Scott, SD
7 325 Hamilton, Ron, MN
8 320 Biegler, Gene, WI
8 320 Flesch, Donald, WI
10 307 Langman, Harry, WI
11 301 Michaelis, Robert, WI
12 287 Adams, Russell, MN
13 277 Barrett, Patrick, WI
14 255 Rallsback, Helen, NE
15 248 Schaefer, Alan, WI
16 237 Shimp, Jeff, MI
17 235 Ristom, Edmond, TX
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19 224 Patrin, Donald, MN
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21 223 Koncan, Thomas, IL
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28 200 Stark, Noral, MN
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31 196 Dahl, James, WI
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34 191 Barrett, Michael, WI
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37 183 Wileman, Ray, WI
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39 174 Kvien, Les, MN
40 171 Hilland, John, WI
41 170 Danielski, Ginny, WI
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57 128 Haelefrisch, Gary, WI
58 124 Schmidt, Cyril, WI
59 123 Upton, Patricia, MN
60 122 Krugel Jr, Bob, MN

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1 609 Cochlin, Ken, WA
2 597 Hill, Bill, OR
3 537 Stier, Darlene, AK
4 513 Lliteras, Bayard, ID
5 487 Broadhurst, Jim, OR
6 460 Colvert, DeLynn, MT
7 444 Sladek, Charles, CA
8 434 Thorne, David, CA
9 427 Black, Darren, OR
10 413 Nielsen, Verne, OR
11 409 King, Roger, CA
12 403 Jarrell, Jesse, CA
13 401 Wilson, Roger, CO
14 380 Pruett, Lowaine, OR
15 376 Honeycutt, Harvey, OR
16 356 Quigley, Christopher, CA
17 346 Irons, Bill, NV
18 337 Mulkey, Meri, OR
19 325 Stier, L. M., AK
20 318 Hatcher, Paul, OR
21 315 Fisher, Art, CA
22 313 Killion, Amelee, CA
23 299 Blackman, Jerry, OR
24 296 Gromek, Robert, NV
25 284 Lyda, Louine, OR
26 278 Kaal, Arland, CA
27 278 Schmucker, John, CA
28 275 Sand, Gary, WA
29 274 Cuckler, Russ, CA
30 269 Fein, Bruce, CA
30 269 Holt, Jack, OR
32 267 Butz, George, OR
33 264 Wigger, Al, CA
34 261 Rasmussen, Elmer, WA
35 260 Chambers, Lee, OR
36 255 Carr, Darlene, CA
37 252 Bjork, Thomas, NV
38 250 Wakeman, Bill, CA
39 249 Monroe, Jeff, CA
40 248 Torrise, Angelo, CA
41 247 Catalano, Vincent, CA
42 238 Werre, Stan, CA
43 232 Harvey, Diane, OR
43 232 Noiz, Paul, OR
45 230 Dutcher, Donald, WA
46 227 Jenseon, Bill, CA
47 221 Hanson, E. G., CA
48 220 Allen, Clifford, WA
49 215 Brown, Gary, CA
50 214 Gashan, Wayne, CA
50 214 Reich, Mike, OR
52 213 Deutsch, Ira, CA
53 212 Capper, Betty Jean, OR
53 212 Graham, Dick, CO
55 211 Hassett, Donna, OE
56 209 Clemson, John, CA
57 208 Elffert, Annett, CA
58 205 Smith, Floyd, AK
59 203 Haynes, Jerry, CO
60 202 Horn, Jones, CA

Jo Evans Has Hard Luck Story Of The Month

Jo Evans, Richland, WA, was busy pegging in the Portland Winter Open and she found herself five holes from winning with first count. Her opponent needs four pegs to win.

Knowing that a jack cut could be disastrous, she pleaded to NOT cut a jack. She picked up her hand and held two jacks! That cut the odds considerably. Her opponent turned the cut card...ouch, a jack! In dismay, she showed her two jacks, indicating her rotten luck! Now she leads her best lead...a jack. Bingo! Her opponent has the case jack and pegs out!

TOURNAMENT RESULTS

Anchorage Open

Anchorage, AK, Nov. 11, 1995

Director: Kevin Mesceda

MAIN 31 (No Consolation)

1 30 Chuck Kaplan, Anchorage AK

2 24 Raldo Estridge, Peters Cr AK

3 16 Bonnie Faughnan, Anchorage AK

4 8 Jay Harpel, Anchorage AK

Great Plains Classic

Lincoln, Nebraska, Nov. 12, 1995

Director: Marvin Rader

MAIN 32 (No Consolation)

1 40 Gil Siote, Lincoln NE

2 32 Ed Strachan, Lincoln NE

3 26 Jaise McCreary, Omaha NE

4 16 San Whitworth, Lincoln NE

Eau Claire Classic

Eau Claire, WI, Nov. 10-12, 1995

Director: Alan Lindner

MAIN 86

1 99 Harry Langman, Appleton WI

2 90 Jerome Fischer, Colby WI

3 82 Kenneth Benson, Eagle MI

4 73 Lee Kvien, Waite Park MN

CONSOLATION 44

1 27 Don Tofto, Medison WI

2 22 Russell Adams, Minneapolis MN

3 19 Jim McManus, Milwaukee WI

4 14 Myron Thews, Eau Claire WI

Last Roundup

Ventura, CA, Nov. 18-19, 1995

Director: John Mixer

MAIN 54

1 65 Terry Hurtgen, Phoenix AZ

2 57 Anna Abbott, Apple Valley CA

3 49 Richard Price, Camarillo CA

4 40 Ron Guidotti, Chino Hills CA

CONSOLATION 36

1 20 John Mixer, Camarillo CA

2 16 Ira Deutsch, Oxnard Shores CA

3 12 Giselle Mangione, Carlsbad CA

4 8 Robert Carr, Santee CA

River City Open

Orangeville, CA, Nov. 24-25, 1995

Director: Bill Pope, Annett Eiffert

MAIN 118

1 120 Keith Momen, Sacramento CA

2 109 Jeff Monroe, Napa CA

3 99 Harry Ng, San Leandro CA

4 90 Bea Olyer, Fairfield CA

CONSOLATION 54

1 33 Phyllis Roderick, Vacaville CA

2 29 Boyd McDonald, Mtn View CA

3 25 Mary Ryan, San Lorenzo CA

4 20 Al Wigger, Cupertino CA

Mini-Nipomo

Oceanside, CA, December 12, 1995

Director: Darrell Hunstad

MAIN 37 (No Consolation)

1 40 Lloyd Black, Arroyo Grande CA

2 32 John Mock, Morro Bay CA

3 24 Allen Hodges, Paso Robles CA

4 16 Milton Webb, Grover Beach CA

Holiday Classic

Woonsocket, RI, December 12, 1995

Director: Gloria Dyndur

MAIN 165

1 180 George Edge, W. Warwick RI

2 169 John Rooney, Randolph MA

3 159 Barry Spades, Riverside RI

4 150 Rit Alkas, Manchester CT

5 131 Sharlene Medeiros, Shrewsbury MA

6 131 Harry Palmer, W. Springfield MA

5 131 Dudley Dumaine, Weston MA

5 131 Frank Reddy, Swampscott MA

CONSOLATION 94

1 56 Donna LaFleur, Bristol CT

2 51 Robert Medeiros, Quincy MA

3 47 Charles Burgess, E. Greenwich RI

4 42 Kick Hobbs, Norwood MA

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Pittsburg, CA, December 1-3, 1995

Director: Bill Wakeman, Steve Reynolds

MAIN 74

1 87 Roger King, Santa Clara CA

2 79 Chris Quigley, Fairfield CA

3 70 Bob Bodine, Antioch CA

4 62 Paul Hatcher, Salem OR

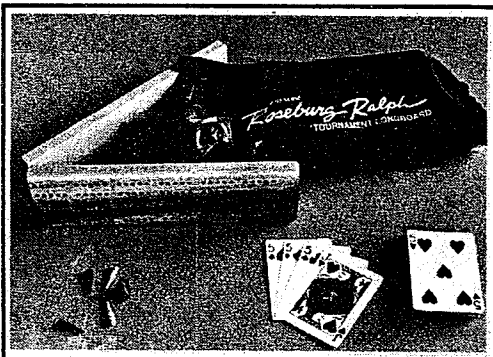
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- 5- Willie Evans, Goblins & Ghosts, Oct 22 95
- 6- Frank O'Connor, Vermont Open, Oct 22 95
- 7- Brenda Palmer, Vermont Open, Oct 22 95
- 8- Dale Vincent, Polish Open Nov 5 95
- 9- Ford Jewer, Charm City, Nov 11 95
- 10- Larry Meath, MN Turkey-Peg Nov 18 95
- 11- George Johnson, Holiday Classic Dec 10 95

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