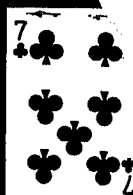


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Kolby Tops Record St. Croix Classic



John Kolby, pegging out of McHenry, IL, topped a record field of 200 peggers at the recent St. Croix Classic (June 4-5-6) in Turtle Lake, WI. The players came from far and wide, with 15 states being represented. A large contingent of highly-ranked Eastern Region players showed, as did players from the Western Region as play winds down this cribbage year with players after those coveted Master Rating Points.

Kolby's final playoff match was with Jean Cervantes (WI). Both players were well rewarded for their high finishes, with Kolby taking home 196 MRP's, a beautiful trophy clock and \$1,500. Cervantes earned 177 MRP's and \$1,100. 1992 National Champion and One-Star Phyllis Schmidt (MA) grabbed 3rd (and perhaps a berth on this year's Eastern Region All-Star team with the 105 MRP's). Bob Sommers (MN) is edging in on his Grand Masters with a 4th place finish.

Two-Star DeLynn Colvert (MT), in the hunt for MRP honors this cribbage year, made his long trek from Montana worthwhile by taking qualifying honors (37 18 +249). With a 17-32 finished, his MRP take was 76 MRP's, keeping pace with the leaders as this year's action winds down.

134 played the Consolation and Norma Corbo (MN) took home the top prize, followed by One-Star Harry Palmer (MA) in 2nd, Master John Syftestad (WI), and Grand Master Gene "Moose" Biegler (WI) in 3-4. Al Bailey (MA) won 8 of 9 to take qualifying honors.

The Satellites:

Friday: Frank Danielski (WI) 9/9
Saturday: Dorothy Schaefer (MN)

Director Al Lindner and the St. Croix Casino offer bonus's for 24-hands, 28 & 29-hands, and Grand Slams. Some 279 24-hands were paid \$25 each; five 28-hands received \$250 each (Cyril Schmidt, Bill Shirland, Barney Baird, Joan Rein, & Wally Miskowic). Danielski's Friday Grand Slam netted a cool \$100. No 29's showed. The casino's largess netted the players a hefty \$8,325 bonus for the weekend's action...and certainly contributes to the popularity of this event. And Al Lindner and Vickie Long's expertise in handling a large crowd is another plus. They plan more casino action. Check "Tournament Trail," this issue.

ELECTION RESULTS

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The President's Column

Everett "Ev" Bey

Tournament Play

How many sanctioned cribbage tournaments does the average ACC member participate in each year?

I do about 8 to 10, and I have a feeling that's about the average for most members. Of course, there are some high-rollers (Colvert, Julian, Samet, Schmidt, Toll, Adams, Sondericker, Shumate, Sr. & Jr., and Wilson) who don't miss very many.

Is it the prize money that attracts the crowds or the neat style that marks some tourneys?

Many tournaments have to furnish food due to lack of facilities to feed a huge crowd. Does that bring 'em back year after year? We know, in Quincy, where the Rotary Club puts on a great barbecue, that it gets rave reviews every year.

Extra events...like an early bird, a Saturday night special, a doubles event, Last Chance and Cry Baby...also have a tendency to attract players, too.

Back East we're told, they mainly do one-day tournaments, while the Central Region and West cater to two-day events.

Each tournament director is on his own...there are no stringent ACC rules about how to conduct a tournament. So he or she has to please the players or they won't be back the next year.

Help us compile some stats about tournaments:

What is your favorite? And why?

Do you prefer 1-day or 2-day events?

Does the total prize money affect your decision to attend?

How many tournaments do you attend each year?

What's the biggest factor in your decision to attend a tournament ...prize money? distance to travel? The experience and personality of the director? Other?

Do hotel room rates and food costs affect your decision?

Send your replies to President Ev Bey, 10826 W. Thunderbird Blvd., Sun City, AZ 85351-2646. or fax (623) 933-2378, or e-mail to: evbey@starlink.com

ACC Auditor Position Filled

I would like to thank the following ACC members who submitted their names for the vacant auditor position that was advertised in *Cribbage World*.

When you see these members on the Cribbage Trail or at your local Grass Roots Club, be sure to stop and say thank you for being concerned enough to volunteer. The ACC needs active members. My only regret was that I could not select all of them.

Thank you all. I have appointed George Riley as our new auditor. Ray Seekel will be his backup and will assist in the annual audit this July.

Jim Ready
ACC Executive Committee

**Larry Gould
Dan Barber
Kurt Bloeser
Joe Gates
Jalae Tomasek
George Riley
Barbara Merriman
Ray Seekel
Joe Fisher**

Jones Hom Rips Red Bluff

Grand Master Jones Hom, Fairfield, CA, is on a tear this cribbage year. On May 15 in Red Bluff, CA, he waltzed to another win in the 70-player Red Bluff Red Hot Open, and with the 147 MRP's has zipped over the 1,000 MRP mark for the year...and an excellent chance at the National Championship. A top-ten All-American award is certainly within his grasp as well.

His final match pitted him with Herschel Mack, a wily pegger from the Northern California coast, but Hom's cards remained hot for the win. Avon Ray (CA) and Jeff Pask (CA) nailed down 3-4.

Master Ron Morgan (CA) is a veteran of the cribbage wars, and his expertise rewarded him with qualifying honors...a nice 27 12/16 card...and 40 MRP's.

38 peggers played the Consolation and Master Jason Shumate (CA) won 6 of 7 to take qualifying honors, and finished 2nd, bringing home a combined 48 MRP's, keeping his name in the hat for National honors with some 1,100 MRP's in the bank. E. G. "Swede" Hanson (CA) won the event, followed by Master Mary Herrmann (CA) and Master Boyd McDonald (CA) in 3-4.

Two-Star DeLynn Colvert (MT) won the Friday night game, but, alas, no MRP's for that effort. Local Jim Langley scored the meet's only 28-hand.

Director Ron Sargent got his first sanctioned event off the ground in Red Bluff in fine style, and his unusual one-day event was well received.

Gruber Planning Surprise

Life Master Jerry Gruber (MN) is planning a surprise for ACC players.

In October he is planning a get-away to the Treasure Island Casino/Hotel in Red Wing, MN. This event will have an unusual playing date, with play on Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday (Oct. 13-15). He hints there may be a large added purse as well. Stay tuned for more details.

What makes this unusual is that players can leave Red Wing with their tails between their legs and head straight for the Wisconsin Dells Classic, and get a second dose...all in the same week! (Or a fat purse!)

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Potawatomi Peggers Pow Wow One-Star Duane Toll On Prowl

One-Star Duane Toll (WI) took national honors in 1987...and he is on the prowl once again. On May 16 he took home the Potawatomi Peggers Pow Wow Championship, blitzing 90 peggers in the process. His final playoff match pitted him with tough-pegging Life Master Martha Fingleton (WI), but he is not to be denied this cribbage year. The win propelled Toll well over the 1,000 MRP mark for this cribbage year...and a shot at the National Championship. Toll has earned All-American four times, and appears on track for number five!

Sandra Stroup (IL) and Merv Morris (ON) came home 3-4. Richard DePouw (MI) topped the field in the qualifying round with a nice 36 GP card.

Grand Master Aggie Mikulsky (WI) won 7 of 9 in a tough field to take qualifying honors in the 46-player Consolation, but One-Star Joe Bernard (IL) won the playoffs and is winding down yet another fine season, standing at the 700 mark. Sue Schenk (MI) and Grand Master Ginny Danielski (WI) finished 3-4.

The Satellites:

Early Bird: Merv Morris (ON)
Saturday: Wayne Steinmetz (WI)
Last Chance: Joy Shimp (MI)
28: Duane Toll

Director Jeff Shimp reported that 5 of the top 6 qualifiers in the Consolation were women, with two finishing in the top four. Another highlight of this event was the perennial "Cookie Lady," a.k.a. Carol Draper, who adds culinary delights to this event.

This is a long-running event in Michigan, contrary to reports in *Cribbage World* that an upper peninsula event was the first played in Michigan. The lower half of Michigan has been well represented over the years by Jeff and Joy's events.



**Out West...
is where
Grand National
XVIII
will be played**

**Las Vegas, Nevada
September 10-12**

Grass Valley, CA Avon Ray Cops

Gold Country Challenge

Avon Ray, Santa Rosa, CA, did, indeed, find gold at the Gold Country Challenge in Grass Valley, CA on April 3. He came away with the win in the 84-player event. The victory sported 147 MRP's and a sizeable first place check. Master Jackie Doppelt (CA) wings it over the 500 mark for this cribbage year by taking home 2nd...and another fine year. Grand Master Joe Lusignan (CA) and Sue Rollo (CA) nailed 3 and 4. Newly crowned Master Angelo Torrisse (CA) showed his skill in the qualifying round, scoring a nice 31 GP's in the 16-game round.

50 peggers played the Consolation, and Jack Shumate III ran the table, winning the playoffs after qualifying tops. This netted Shumate 60 MRP's, and is closing in on 800 MRP's for this cribbage year. Scott Milo (CA), William "Ratso" Roderick (CA), and Basil Rudnick (CA) came home 2-3-4.

First-time director Donald Flint thanks all the volunteers that resulted in a smooth running event, even though the weather was frightful...hail, snow, rain, and early darkness outside...but fun and games inside! Flint reported no 28 or 29 hands showed in this first time event. It takes time to warm up the cards!

Actual Court House Quote

Q: Doctor, before you performed the autopsy, did you check for a pulse?

A: No.

Q: Did you check for blood pressure?

A: No.

Q: Did you check for breathing?

A: No.

Q: So, then it is possible that the patient was alive when you began the autopsy?

A: No.

Q: How can you be so sure, Doctor?

A: Because his brain was sitting on my desk in a jar.

Q: But could the patient have been still alive nevertheless?

A: It is possible that he could have been alive and practicing law somewhere!

CW thanks Harry Kantas for this tidbit

Election Results

Paul Hatcher, ACC Vice-President of Policy, certifies the following results for the election of the 1999 ACC's Board of Directors. All ballots received by June 5, 1999 were accepted. A total of 2,432 ballots were returned out of 7,282 mailed. 69 ballots were returned due to invalid addresses, or members being deceased. 10 ballots were declared invalid because they contained more than 25 votes. 2,353 ballots were counted, which contained 30,495 votes.

The following individuals that were elected will be seated at the next Board of Directors Meeting at the Riviera Hotel and Casino in Las Vegas, on September 10, 1999, at 10 AM.

The voting results:

1,644- DeLynn Colvert (MT)
1,360- Scott Kooistra (SD)
1,343- Joan Rein (MN)
1,274- Ev Bey (AZ)
1,137- Larry Hassett (OR)
1,127- Paul Barnes (FL)
1,112- Bob Julian (WI)
1,101- Paul Hatcher (OR)
1,084- Joe Ramos (RI)
1,063- Cathy Perkins (NC)
1,060- Roy Hofbauer (WA)
1,044- Gene Mikulsky (WI)
1,036- Sundae Webb (CA)
1,018- Pat Barrett (WI)
1,012- Jeff Shimp (IN)
997- Joe Bernard (IL)
996- Syl Lulinski (IL)
978- Annett Eiffert (CA)
945- George Bickford (MA)
889- Jim Ready (MA)
886- Jesse Jarrell (CA)
863- Alan Lindner (WI)
801- Lea Hornbeck (WA)
791- Pat Llewellyn (MA)
729- Jones Hom (CA)

704- Todd Schaefer (MN)*
681- Bob Wikstrom (WA)*
612- Ron Morgan (CA)*
570- Ed Bloom (CA)*
551- Bill Wakeman (CA)*
549- David O'Neil (GA)*
538- John Thiems (OR)*

* Not elected

Roy Banducci Wins Nipomo Open

Grand Master Roy Banducci, Arroyo Grande, CA, took on 120 peggers at the recent Nipomo Open (CA) and came home the winner. All top 8 finishers were from the Golden State, with John Mock taking 2nd, followed by Lou Jenkins and Master Amelee Killion in 3-4.

Master Bill Shirland, Denver, scored a nice 36 GP card in the qualifying round to take honors. Shirland continues a fine season, having topped the 600 MRP mark for this cribbage year.

86 players played the Consolation, and Roberta Nelson (CA) won going away. Master Len Wahlig (CA) came close, but had to settle for 2nd...and 45 MRP's. Beatrice Olyer (CA) is moving in on her Grand Master with a 3rd place finish. Harvey Honeycutt (OR) earned his Grand Master this cribbage year, and he continues to add MRP's by taking 4th. Rodney Rideau (CA) took qualifying honors with a nice 18 GP card (21 MRP's).

Director Darrell Hunstad reported that John Dawes was the first player to score a 29-hand in the 9-year history of this event. He reported four players scored 28-hands: Bill Bishop, Roberta Nelson, Bob Clark, and Lew Killion.

James Weires Cops Lake Tahoe

James Weires was a long way from his Minnesota home on April 25, but he made gas money home as he topped the 112-pegger Lake Tahoe IV Challenge. Three Californians rounded out the top four: James Brown, Master Ed Bloom, and Master Clyde Ross.

Life Master Bob Julian (WI) travels coast-to-coast and is in a heated MRP battle for the National Championship this cribbage year. He kept pace with the leaders by taking qualifying honors with a nice 38 18 +157...and another 60 MRP's.

Master Walt McCallum scored a great 20 9/9 +177 Grand Slam to take qualifying honors in the 66-player Consolation. Mel Ashley (CA) won the event, however, with Gary Katz (CA), Master Jason Shumate, and Mona Wahlig (CA) in 2-3-4. Shumate is among the national MRP leaders and the 30 MRP's earned keep him in the hunt for honors this cribbage year.

The Satelllites:

Friday Time Passer: Marilyn McGrew (CA)
Friday Singles: Rick Rickmyer (CA)
Doubles: Robert Jacobs & Daryl McCullough (CA)
Saturday: Roberta Nelson (CA)
High Rollers: Roger Wilson (CO)
Last Chance: Christopher Quigley (CA)

Ginney Danielski (WI) and Robert Jacobs (CA) scored 29's! Len Goodman (CA) and Wes Summers (CA) nailed 28's.

Sharlene Medeiros Rolling!

Grand Master Sharlene Medeiros, Shrewsbury, MA is on a roll! She picked up her 4th sanctioned win this cribbage year...the Connecticut Championship...on May 16. The win came with 167 MRP's (after qualifying 10th) in this 104-player match. Her MRP talley is unofficially over the 1,000 mark for the year, giving her an excellent chance at the National Championship.

Life Master George Webb (MA) earned 135 MRP's with a fine 2nd place finish (after qualifying 4th), and he, too, throws his hat into the annual race for the roses (over 700 for this cribbage year). Robert Van Gorder (CT) and Gene Chandonnet (NH) took home 3-4.

Bob Drukman (MA) is nearing his Life Master rating by posting an excellent 25 GP card (12 games) in the qualifying round. This great score earned 55 MRP's.

60 players played the Consolation and Master Lou Petosa (CT) came home the winner. Life Master Bill Medeiros (MA) (spouse of Main-event winner Sharlene) took home 2nd. Robert King (CT) and Fayann Salerno finished 3-4. Salerno is nearing her Master rating with this high finish. King was the top qualifier (15 GP's in 8 games).

Director Bill Shoemaker reported a single 28-hand (Joan Fletcher)...and he will play 'er again on May 21, 2000. Mark your calendars.

Bernie Nelson Cops Bill Mitchell Memorial

Grand Master Bernie Nelson, pegging out of Pacific City, OR, nailed the 41-player Bill Mitchell Memorial in Crescent city, CA on May 23. His final playoff match pitted him with good friend and neighbor Master Rollie Heath (OR). Darren Black (OR) is knocking on the door for his Grand Master by taking qualifying honors and finishing 3rd, and the ever-present Life Master Bob Julian (WI) taking home 4th...and another 42 MRP's in his quest for his 3rd National Championship.

Jason Waldvogel (CA) won the Consolation, with Grand Master Jones Horn (CA) taking 2nd. Master Donna Hassett (OR) and Todd Anderson (OR) finished 3-4. Hassett's 18 MRP's keep her among the leaders in the Western Region.

The Satellites: Time Passer-Lynn Goodman (CA); Early Bird-Dan Mitchell (CA); Saturday-Jack Shumate (CA); All-Events-Bob Julian (WI). 28-Jason Shumate (CA).

Charles Dolge Hot in NC

Local Charles Dolge was burning up the track in mid-May at the NW North Carolina Open. After qualifying 3rd, he came home the winner in the playoffs as well. This fine showing netted Dolge 177 MRP's and the top \$650 prize in this 88-player match.

Master Dave Ritchey (FL) finished 2nd, followed by Jeff Raynes (NC) and Oszkar Molnar (NC) in 3-4. Keith Widener (NC) took qualifying honors with a nice 31 GP card (20 games). He finished 5-8.

Raymond Meinert (VA) was on a roll in the 68-player Consolation. He qualified 5th and came home the winner in the playoffs. Master Betty Schaeffer (FL) was 2nd, followed by Mike Crowe (VA) and Allen Wiles (GA) in 3-4. Kelly Breedlove (VA) topped the field in the qualifying round with an extra-nice 19 GP card (10 games).

Director Robert Wenzel had a full array of satellite events. The winners:
Friday Early Bird: Virgil Dulin (NC)
Saturday: Earl Luton (NC)
High Roller: John Jenkins (NC)
Last Chance: Richard Menaik (NY)

A highlight if this event saw Grand Master Jim Ready (MA) score the ACC's 15th 29-hand of this cribbage season during the qualifying round of the Main Event. This nets Ready a nifty \$100 from the ACC. In addition to this 29-hand, 4 28-hands were scored (Bruce Sattler, Mike Crowe, Ken Goss, and John Worley).

Wenzel reports this event will be scheduled again next May 5-6.

Dearol White Wins Rio Linda

Dearol White, Modesto, CA, took home the bacon at the 66-player Rio Linda (CA) Open on May 8. He nipped Master Mary Herrmann (CA) in the final playoff match to cop the title. Life Master Steve Reynolds (CA) and Master Evelyn Gillmore (CA) finished 3-4. Jim Aleschus (CA) topped the field in the qualifying round with a nice 23 10/14 +101.

Craig Ross (CA) won the Consolation (40) with Maudanne Grimm (CA), Grand Master Mary Gladish (CA), and Avon Ray (CA) in 2-3-4. One-Star Jesse Jarrell (CA) took qualifying honors, winning 9 of 10.

Director Craig Hays thanked a host of volunteers who helped run the show, and he added, "We had a wonderful tournament!"

140 In Spokane Brad Stevens A Winner!

Irving Busby and Betty Johnson run an annual Spokane Valley Open, and this time around a record crowd of 140 peggers came to play.

Brad Stevens, pegging out of Denver, came away the winner, nipping Canadian Harold Buckley in the final playoff match. Buckley is a rare Master pegger from Mapleleaf country. Another Canadian...Doris Sanders...copped 3rd, followed by the ever-present Jack Moritzky, a Master from Mabton, WA in 4th.

Todd Anderson (OR) smoked the qualifying round, winning 17 of 22, with 6 skunks (40 GP's), taking home 70 MRP's for this great effort.

Newly-crowned Grand Master Jim Hornbacher (WA) nailed the 79-player Consolation, edging I.V. Graham (MT) for the title. Harvey Grunow (MN) and Walt Swearingen (WA) took home 3-4. Swearingen was also the top qualifier, winning 8 of 9 (18 GP's).

The Satellites:

Friday Early Bird: Dennis Baldus (ID) 7/7
Doubles: Vicki Costello & Bob Watkins (OR)
High Rollers: Clair Morse (OR)
Saturday: Sharon Hejtmanek (MT)
28: Cliff Allen, Bill Denend, John James
29: Clair Morse

The Eagles Club proved great hosts, and Directors Johnson and Busby utilized the entire room, giving players elbow room to spare. Attention to player's comfort attests to their increase in attendance.

Zip Over To San Diego After Grand National XVIII

Director Julie Hardardt invites our ACC membership to take in her event in San Diego the week following the Grand National in Las Vegas. She reports the San Diego Cribbage Club will hold a sanctioned event on September 17-19. This event sports the usual variety of satellite events, and a great raffle.

Give Hardardt a call at (619) 443-8395 for information. This event will be listed soon in "Tournament Trail."

Incidentally, Hardardt and Roy Cook are planning a Mexican Cruise with cribbage on October 30. If you are interested, give her a call.

Grand National XVIII

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Never Seen One...

Tom Bombaci, Jr. (Grants, New Mexico) writes via e-mail that he plays with a gentleman named Stan on a regular basis.

Stan is 89 years old and has been playing since an early age...and he has never seen a 29-hand, or for that matter, a 28-hand!

Cards are cold in New Mexico?

Hot Consolation in Redmond

At the Redmond, OR, Cascade Classic, the Consolation event had a hot run of cards. Two 28's were scored (Millie Wolf & Irma Symons) and Carroll Evans scored the ACC's 19th 29-hand this season.

Lee Jackson Wins Florida Open

Lee Jackson, pegging out of Havana, Florida, kept honors in his home state by winning the Jim Arblaster/Florida Open on June 6. In winning this 92-player event, Jackson carted home bragging rights, 167 MRP's (after qualifying 9th) and the top prize.

Director Paul Barnes (FL) came close, and his 2nd place finish earned 105 MRP's. Master Russell Perkins (NC) and Cal Storment (FL) nailed down 3-4. Robert Smith (FL) took honors in the qualifying round, and finished 9-16 and took home 66 MRP's.

David O'Neil (GA) took qualifying honors in the 76-player Consolation (and also won the Friday night game), but Joe Daesch (FL) came home the winner in the playoffs. Daesch took home 45 MRP's for his effort. Master John Groz (FL) is nearing his Grand Master with a 2nd place finish. Tom Azevedo (FL) and Mike Black (FL) finished 3-4.

Rich Van Hall (FL) took honors on Saturday night, and Jack Broderick (FL) won the Last Chance. Director Barnes reported two 28-hands...Robert Smith and Lee Jackson. Jackson's 28 help propel him to the championship. Barnes also reported that \$110.13 was donated to the Cribadier General's program. The residual from the skunk bank added \$18.13 to this fund.

Correction

CribbageWorld inadvertently reported (June CW) that the Island Quest Open was the first event played in Michigan in over a decade.

We all know that Jeff Shimp has been scheduling a great tournament in Michigan for several years...the Potawatomi Peggys Pow-Wow. This event is played in the **Lower Peninsula**. The Island Quest is played in the **Upper Peninsula**...and is the **first played in that region**. CW apologizes for the error in reporting.

Directors Joe and Donna Aird report that they will schedule the 2nd Annual Island Quest on May 5-7, 2000. Michigan cribbage is on the move!

Goodell is Human

Gene Goodell, the Grass Root's program top point leader is human!

On June 16 he lost his first 8 games, coming within one loss of that hated "String of Pearls!"

Earlier this season, he posted an all-time high 9-game card: 24 9/9!

Grass Roots Rivalry

Patrick Barrett heads up GR 120 in Wisconsin Rapids, WI, and Alan Lindner keeps GR 199 rolling in Greenwood, WI.

These two stellar players have devised a head-to-head match to determine which club has the better players. They take the top ten from each club, and play a ten-game match annually (they recently played their 4th match).

The playing site alternates yearly so no one has a home-field advantage. According to Barrett, the home team is 1-3 (home field *disadvantage*).

Barrett's GR 120 is leading the series at 3-1. On June 10, Barrett lead his team to a win, posting a stellar 16 8/10 +86. Lindner led his club with 14 7/10 +59.

According to Barrett, club members routinely play on the other's home turf...the camaraderie and competition is what cribbage is all about. He suggests other Grass Roots clubs give this format a try with neighboring clubs. "Try it, you'll be glad you did!"

In Memoriam

Billie Ray Harvey

El Cajon, California

Bill passed away at age 51 from a heart attack in late April. He was one of the original members of San Diego's GR club 79. He was a fierce competitor and the first Bronze Award player in this club. Carol Henderson sums up this club's feelings about Bill:

"My time had come, I could not stay,
Shadows mark the end of the day.

As I gaze down on my friends,
I hope your sorrow soon will end.
I see your pain, I know you grieve,

I also know you must believe
That I'm counting those who've gone before,
Counting fifteen-two, fifteen-four...

Conrad McDuff

Brunswick, Maine

Lynn MacMahan

Georgetown, Maine

Conrad and Lynn passed away recently and both were members of GR 214 in Topsham, ME. They brought expert skill, character and levity to the game. Both will be sorely missed.

Roger Wilson New ACC Treasurer

As of July 1, Roger Wilson, Boulder, CO will begin his duties as the American Cribbage Congress's Treasurer.

All requests for reimbursement and other items previously handled by Fred McGibney should be sent to:

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Overheard in Turtle Lake...

Duane Toll (WI) relates a humorous tournament anecdote he overheard while playing in the qualifying round.

A woman was zipping along in fine style in her game with a real whiner. With each hand, she had to put up with more complaints. Luck would have it, however, that on the last hand the whiner pulled out a miracle win, scoring a huge hand to nip her at the finish.

"Look at that, look at that!" she exclaimed!
"You whined the whole game for nothing!"

Whining Rights!

Diane Waite (MN) needed but a single point to win a game recently...and her opponent was 8-points back.

Oops. No points, no cut, no pegs!

...But Lee Norris Can't Whine

Lee Norris (RI) made a sojourn to Turtle Lake, WI for the St. Croix Classic. This event pays \$25 for each 24-hand scored during the weekend's play.

Would you believe Norris scored **TWO 24-hands in one game...and lost!**

But, no whining here. He picked up a nice \$50 for the losing cause.

(PS: His last 24-hand was not counted as his opponent pegged out.)

Tips For Women...

Looking for a mate? Here are a few tips:

Men who have pierced ears are better prepared for marriage. They've experienced pain and bought jewelry.

If a man prepares dinner for you and the salad contains three or more types of lettuce, he is serious.

A good place to meet a man is at the dry cleaners. These men usually have jobs and bathe.

Look at the ACC's MRP standings. Start at the top...these guys are happier. (And don't whine as much?)

In Memoriam

Allan David McDonald

Mountain View, California

Allan died May 16 of complications of Hemochromatosis. Allan was awarded GR 48's "Grumpiest Cribbage Player of the Year" in 1992. Players and friends in the California area will sorely miss Allan.

Mary Ellen "Punkie" McKinney

Hermiston, Oregon

Mary died June 3 at Sacred Heart Medical Center in Spokane, WA at the age of 64. She was an avid player in the Northwest, and with husband, Everett, were regulars in tournament play. She was also a regular with Hermiston's GR 2 club, one of the nation's first Grass Roots clubs.

Joan Williams

Agawam, Massachusetts

Joan passed away in May. She joined GR 72 during the 1995-96 season, and steadily improved her game. So much so, that she was named this club's most improved player last year. A kind and pleasant woman, she will be missed by all.

Ron Ellefson

Sun Prairie, Wisconsin

Ron died May 28. He was a very avid and competitive player at Madison, WI's GR club 1. During the Korean War he was awarded two Purple Hearts and the Bronze Star. He will be sorely missed in the Badger State.

Where Does The Paper Come Out?

Donna LaFleur, the Grand Master from Bristol, CT, has been a big help in getting *Cribbage World* printed lately.

Editor DeLynn Colvert brought stacks of reports, receipts, and *Cribbage World* articles to her office as she volunteered to help with the work load.

Donna left for about an hour, and when she came back, there stood Colvert in front of the paper shredder with a confused look on his face. She asked if he needed any help, and he said, "Yeah, how does this thing work?" She took the papers from him and fed them into the shredder, demonstrating how it worked. She asked, "Any questions?" "Yeah," he said, where do the copies come out?

If August Cribbage World is late, put the blame on Donna! I never could work with a woman, they seem to ball everything up...and I can't find anything (that's why my wife lives in California...and I live in Montana! Everything in my mess has it's place...) Ed. PS: Ever try to paste shredded material together again?

Double PS: This is, of course, all a joke!

And A Woman's Doubles Match...

Four women were playing doubles and the converstaion got around to their sons. The first woman said, "My son is a Monk, and when he enters a room he is addressed as Brother!"

The 2nd woman responded, "That's a coincidence, my son is a Priest, and when he enters a room, he is addressed as Father!"

"Well, the third woman said, "my son is a Bishop, and he is addressed as His Eminence!"

The fourth woman was taking in all this pompous conversation. Finally, she said. "Well, ladies, my son is a Six-foot, three hardbody, who works out every single day. When he enters a room, everyone says, 'Oh, my God!'"

CW thanks Dave Proctor for this joke...he's a Lutheran trying to tell a Catholic joke!

George Bickford Has Fax!

National Tournament Commissioner (and Eastern Region Commissioner) George Bickford has fax capability. For those Eastern Region tournament directors (and others) who want instant communication with Bickford, his fax number is: (413) 747-3761.

Buffet Great on Massachusetts-Connecticut Border

On June 1st, the MA-CT Interstate Cribbage Club concludes the season with a buffet and a doubles party. Bob Arnold is director of this very active club, and announces that this buffet will rival any buffet or smorgasbord in the land.

Peter Setian, a local Grand Master, won this year's GR championship...and will celebrate by over-eating?

A tidbit from this club: On May 25, Glenn Conway was smoked in his first two games. He lost by 38 and 71 points...a minus 109 in two games! That woke him up, he won the next seven games, and scored 16 7/9 +40!

On that same night, Lou Choiniere won the grand prize of a local school fund-raiser (\$200). He then took home honors at cribbage...and another \$20! When you're hot, you're hot!

And More On the Fair Sex...

Willie Evans, (WA) is nearing his Grand Master, and recently confided to *Cribbage World*, "I haven't spoken to my wife in a month and a half...I don't want to interrupt her!"

Clair Morse Hits 3rd 29!

Clair Morse, Bend, OR, is nearing his Grand Master, and recently scored the ACC's 13th 29-hand of this cribbage season. This is Morse's 3rd 29-hand...and he says that all three saw the 5 of clubs cut for the starter card! This is his first sanctioned gem.

Seven Thousand Good Apples... One Rotten Apple

We all know that a scoundrel is loose in our midst, and his sticky fingers pilfer entry-fee money, if the opportunity arises.

But at the Spokane Valley Open, Canadian Walt Stubel found \$325 lying on the floor behind the registrar's desk...and he promptly returned the money!

They raise kids better in Canada?

Bill Denend Wins \$126

Bill Denend (WA) had a tough tournament in Spokane...but he managed to score the last 24-hand in the 22-game qualifying round...and he had his gas money! A nice \$126!

August Cribbage World Will Be Late

Grand National XVIII is scheduled earlier than usual...and this has caused a problem publishing our August edition of *Cribbage World*.

This issue contains the official invitations to the ACC's Annual Awards Banquet. July tournaments may very well have players who have earned Master, Grand Master, or One-Star.

The ACC and *Cribbage World* asks all tournament directors who have July events scheduled to immediately submit their reports to their Commissioners. This information is vital in processing our August CW edition. The National Open, Polish Open, and Portland Summer Open are especially important to process immediately.

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- 10:30 pm - Fast 3 - \$10

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\$15 - Q-Pool (optional)
8:00 pm - \$20 Singles

Sunday - 7:30 am - Playoffs (3 of 5)
10:00 am - Consolation - \$30 -
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Eastern Region High Roller Event Frank Corrado Tops Elite Field

Master Frank Corrado, E. Hartford, CT, took on 44 high rollers in a best 4 of 7, double elimination match, and came home the winner. The event, The Gramite State Classic, was played in Nashua, NH on June 5-6. The field sported an elite, highly-ranked field of peggers and Corrado's final match pitted him with Life Master Brian Heroux (RI). Corrado prevailed to take him bragging rights and the top prize in this \$100-entry match. Heroux was aided in his drive to the top with the meet's only 28-hand.

Grand Master Phil Martin, another E. Hartford pegger, claimed 3rd, with Rob Turcotte (MA) in 4th.

A small, but skilled band (24) played the Consolation in a standard 10-game qualifier, with playoffs, and Master Pat Llewellyn (MA) took qualifying honors (22 GP's). However, Dudley DuMaine (MA) came home the winner. Sue Cousens (ME), Llewellyn, and Mike Azevedo (MA) finished 2-3-4.

Director Al Miller also conducted a National Team Event satellite. Bob Chevalier, David Clemmey, and Bob Drukman copped this event. Miller reports he will schedule this high roller event again next June 3, 2000.

In Memoriam

Pat O'Connor

Dedham, Massachusetts

Pat passed away on June 13. She was a skilled Master pegger. She participated in many Eastern Region tournaments along with husband Frank, and her three youngest children. She had 7 children and 11 grandchildren...all being good cribbage players. Pat and Frank were the first couple to be elected Mr. & Mrs. Cribbage World, and were active in Junior tournaments. But most of all, she was a beautiful person and a great friend. All her many friends will miss the great times they had together, especially Brenda and Harry Palmer who wrote this tribute.

Unique Trophy Boards In Redmond

Artist Bobby Dyer, Crooked River Ranch, OR, is a skilled landscape painter. She uses this talent painting Oregon landscapes on trophy boards for the Cascade Classic in Redmond, Or.

Cribbage World is waiting for results of this event, but the grapevine has Master Bill Wakeman (CA) coming away the winner...and he took home a hand-painted trophy board.

Results should be in in August *Cribbage World*.



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MAIN TOURNAMENT: Saturday, August 28, 22 games

MAIN PLAYOFFS: Sunday, August 29, 3 out of 5 single elimination

ENTRY FEE: \$45 fee includes coffee and lunch on Saturday and ACC sanctioning

REGISTRATION: Saturday 8:00 to 8:45 AM, play begins at 9:00 AM

Q-POOL (shared): \$20.00 main tournament only. Pay at door

CONSOLATION: Entry fee: \$20. Register Sunday 8:00 AM; play begins at 9:00 AM. 10 games, playoffs 2 out of 3 games.

OTHER EVENTS: Friday candlelight singles, \$15/person; Saturday night doubles, \$30/team
(Play begins both nights at 7:30 PM)

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Players from outside the Eastern Region only, please complete below:

Master Points (on membership card) _____

Additional MRP's earned this year + _____ = Total _____

Applications must be received by: **Wednesday, August 25, 1999**

Avon Ray Cops Inaugural Gold Country Challenge

Avon Ray, pegging out of Santa Rosa, CA, took home the marbles at the inaugural Gold Country Challenge in Grass Valley, CA on April 3. His last playoff match was a tough one, as he faced slick-pegging Master Jackie Doppelt (CA), but he prevailed to take the 84-player match. The win came with 147 MRP's, a nice prize...and bragging rights. Grand Master Joe Lusignan (CA) and Sue Rollo (CA) nailed 3-4.

Newly crowned Master Angelo Torrise (CA) scored a very nice 31 GP's in the 16-game qualifying round to take honors.

Jack Shumate III (CA) was smoking in the Consolation, taking honors in the qualifying round (16 GP's) and winning the playoffs as well. Scott Milo (CA), William "Ratso" Roderick (CA), and Basil Rudnick (CA) finished 2-3-4.

First-time director Donald Flint reported the event was, luckily, held indoors, as hail, snow, and darkness kicked off the event. He expresses his thanks to all the volunteers that helped and was pleased the tournament ran smoothly despite a lack of 28 and 29-hands.

Two Votes For "Let 'Em Play"

A thumbs up for the April article "Let 'Em Play" and a thumbs down for "Hey, The Consolation Is For Losers" in the May issue.

It is a real strain on some older people to really concentrate through 22 games, however, they can still do pretty well for 9 games. We are talking about people who enjoy playing, that have contributed to the ACC for years. If we don't want "just anyone" playing the Consolation, then we also eliminate those other players, who have contributed a lot to the ACC over the years from trying to reach another plateau.

Thousands of people have to work Saturdays. Ev Bey, our president, said in the May CW "The ACC was formed in 1979 with the intention to promote cribbage for the benefit of the players rather than for the benefit of the promoters. Do we want to tell avid members, that because they have to work on Saturdays, they can't play in any tournaments that will give them Master Points?

Losers? If the Consolation is for losers, why are Grand Masters and Life Masters playing? More players mean more money to the winner and more winners. A person only plays nine people in the qualifying round no matter how many are playing or who they are. I say let anyone play who wants to play and pays the same fees that I do.

Don Smith
Oregon City, OR

I would like to comment on the recent controversy about consolation tournament eligibility.

Consider that 90% of tournaments (if not all in the East) require some sort of play for the Main on Sunday mornings; tough for members who have a commitment to Sunday morning worship. (Not a lame excuse in my book). Budget-minded members may not be able to afford \$50 for a Main but could pay \$20-25 for a Consolation, and still earn Master Points. Whatever the case may be, I'm not suggesting to hold mid-week tournaments, nor do I feel that expenses should be not be shared by all players.

Bottom line...what's wrong with letting members who only wish to play in an afternoon Consolation, pre-register and include some "fair share" of expenses? Say \$5-7 on top of a \$20 entry. When little or no extra cards and no lunch are needed for these players, their "fair share" can only reduce the net expenses to directors. Doesn't everyone benefit?

Peter Setian
Ludlow, MA

This problem of Consolation play (open to all, or just for losers in the Main Event) has been thrashed around in the ACC's Board of Directors meetings more than once. And in each discussion on this matter, I believe the ACC BOD members voted to let everyone play, with discretion given to the tournament director. Most directors allow all to play, but some (Reno and elsewhere) feel that violates the concept of "consolation"...for losers of the Main Event ONLY!

ACC President Ev Bey is holding a "Presidential Quiz" on this subject (June CW, page 2). If you would like to express your opinion on this matter, write to: Ev Bey, 10826 W. Thunderbird Blvd., Sun City, AZ 85351-2464. Fax: (623) 933-2378. E-mail: www.evbey@starlink.com

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7 PM, "High Roller" \$50, optional \$50 Q, 12 games, no playoff, trophy
(pay-offs to both events are 1 in 6, High Roller Q-Pool is 1 of 8)
- Saturday, Sept. 11** 9 AM, Main Event, \$80 entry (Incl. \$15 Q Pool and lunch). \$90 for non-ACC members.
Trophies for top 16 plus high qualifier trophy (NO playoffs on Saturday night).
6:30 PM, Awards Banquet Cocktail Hour (cash bar)
7:30 PM, Awards Banquet \$25 per person (menu below)
- Sunday, Sept. 12** 7:30 AM, Main Event playoffs
10 AM, Consolation, \$40 (Incl. \$10 Q Pool), 9 games, trophies for top 4 and high qualifier.
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- ☐ \$90 Main Event (Non-ACC Members)
- ☐ \$25 Awards Banquet (check choice)*
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Murphy's Law Strikes Again

May's issue of *Cribbage World* failed to show in California's zip 934 area. Some 64 issues are lost.

Membership Secretary Larry Hassett, and Lightning Printing in Minnesota have re-printed this issue and it will be re-mailed to those members in California.

A mail sack misplaced is the probable cause, but who knows what happened when old man Murphy gets involved.

Smith-Hirschmann Only Had One!

Last month's CW reported that Debbie Smith-Hirschmann, Portland, OR, had scored two 29-hands a week apart. Oops, that was a reporting error. She had scored only one...on February 1.

Jeff Shimp Clarifies Combining Hand Count

Jeff Shimp is in charge of the Senior Judges Program, and *Cribbage World* asked his advice about Donald Smith's problem of combining your hand count with a known count (but unseen) in the crib...and pegging out in one move (before showing the crib).

According to Shimp, the rules are clear. He cites Rule IX (Counting and Recording Hand and Crib Scores). Section 2a: The counting and pegging of the hands and crib shall be done in the following sequence. **Each step must be completed before the next step is started...** Section 2b: Next, the dealer counts his/her hand, announces the total, and pegs the score. The dealer shall then place the dealer's hand on the pone's side of the board, still face up... Section 2d: **Finally**, the dealer exposes the crib, counts it, announces the total, and pegs it....

Shimp adds that this is a classic case of using the Rule Book to win a game (in the pone's case). The Dealer knows he has sufficient points in the crib to win, and simply, in haste, pegged out with only the hand exposed. At that point, if the pone chooses, he may stop play and claim a false claim of game. A judge has no choice but to follow the Rule Book and so judge. However, a pone may, using generous sportsmanship, ignore the rules, knowing full well the dealer has sufficient points to win.

A word to the wise to our ACC players. Follow the rules, peg correctly, and this kind of situation (that can cause hard feelings) will never occur.

An apology is due Donald Smith from Cribbage World. His quiz was not published in entirety, and the editor's comments were biasing answers.

Did You Know....

That Oregon is the only state that allows a person to legally terminate their own life?

That Oregon is the only state where you can't pump your own gas?

That Oregon is a favorite place for Montanans to play cribbage (see photo below)?



"Off to another Oregon cribbage tournament!"

Grass Roots 29-Hands 1998-1998

- 1- Alidean McMaster, LaGrande, OR 10-1-98
- 2- Vincent Ciccone, Braintree, MA, 10-7-98
- 3- Justin Gorman, Englewood, FL, 10-8-98
- 4- Fayann Salemo, Braintree, MA, 10-27-98
- 5- Tony Chiaro, Anchorage, AK, 10-27-98
- 6- Jerry Devroy, Grand Rapids, MI, 10-28-98
- 7- Larry Gould, Raleigh, NC, 11-9-98
- 8- Pete Wiesick, Sacramento, CA, 11-17-98
- 9- Jerome Tork, WI Rapids, WI, 11-19-98
- 10- Sylvia Swett, Crystal Lake, IL, 11-22-98
- 11- Carl Backers, Sacramento, CA, 12-1-98
- 12- Doris Mills, Englewood, FL, 12-17-98
- 13- Elizabeth Storey, Sacramento, CA 12-22-98
- 14- Carl Stone, Eureka, CA, 1-7-99
- 15- Sharon Matti, Portland, OR, 1-13-99
- 16- Barbara Laney, Daytona Beach, FL, 1-23-99
- 17- Debbie Smith-Hirschmann, Port, OR, 2-1-99
- 18- R. M. Robson, San Jose, CA 2-9-99
- 19- Betty Nolz, Prineville, OR, 2-14-9
- 20- Walter Henell Jr, Helena MT, 3-9-99
- 21- Walter Olsen, Santa Margarita, CA 4-11-99

Kathy Blough Tops in New York

Kathy and Jim Blough (MI) had an unusual tournament in Niagara Falls, NY on May 30. Both had qualified for the Main Event playoffs and met each other in the first round (8 & 9). Kathy edged husband Jim, and went on to win the playoffs in this 72-player meet. Jim entered the Consolation...and won that event. A sweep for the Bloughs!

Kathy's final match pitted her with ex-National champ Rit Alkas (CT), making the win special. Alkas, the ACC's 12th ranked all-time player, has topped the 9,000 MRP mark lifetime with this high finish. Frank Bodogh (ON) and F. J. McDonnell (VA) took home 3-4.

Paul Eichler (NY) won 16 of 22 to take qualifying honors.

Director Shamus O'Connor was hot in the Consolation qualifying round, winning 7 of 9 with 3 skunks, but Jim Blough won the playoffs. O'Connor took home 2nd. Cal Braun (NY) and Peter Lerch (VA) finished 3-4.

The Satellites:

Friday Early Bird: Lucille Simpson (NY)
Doubles: Paul Eichler & Bill Kraatz (NY)
28: Cynthia Toussaint (NY); 29: Larry Samet (MA)

A highlight of this match saw Life Master Larry Samet (MA) score the ACC's 16th 29-hand this cribbage year...and \$100 from the ACC for this gem.

CLUB

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- 1- Robert Gillette, Chief Solano, Aug 8
- 2- Sam Shwartz, NE Inaugural, Aug 9
- 3- Beverlee Honeycutt, Redmond Sr., Aug 23
- 4- Joe Bernard, Portside Open, Oct. 11
- 5- Betty Schaeffer, GNXXVII, Oct 18
- 6- Angela French, Veteran's Day, Nov. 14
- 7- Jeanne Bladasz, Holiday Classic, Dec. 13
- 8- Ted Hokenson, JPW/ACC, Feb 6
- 9- Ken Rehm, MGM, Feb 28
- 10- Luke Palmer, NW Open, Mar 14
- 11- Scott Milo, Timber Classic, Mar 20
- 12- Keith Blackman, Hermiston Open, Apr 24
- 13- Ginny Danielski, Lake Tahoe Spr., Apr 24
- 14- Robert Jacobs, Lake Tahoe Spr., Apr 24
- 15- Jim Ready, NWNC Open, May 15
- 16- Larry Samet, W. NY Open, May 29
- 17- Clair Morse, Spokane Open, May 29
- 18- John Dawes, Nipomo Open, May 29
- 19- Carroll Evans, Cascade Classic, June 13

Dennis Baldus Begins ACC Action With Bang

Dennis Baldus lives in Ferdinand, Idaho, some 22 miles from Grangeville. Ferdinand is a very small town...and it took Dennis some time to find out about the ACC and sanctioned tournaments. His first tournament was the Spokane (WA) Valley Open on May 28. He entered the Friday Time Passer, and began play with a bang! He won all 7 games to easily takes honors!

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Grass Roots Divisional Standings June 7, 1999

Division 1

Rank	Club	Pts.	Name
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2	26	264	Phil Martin, East Hartford, CT
3	199	263	Alan J. Lindner, Greenwood, WI
4	80	255	John Dolloff, Juneau, AK
5	46	251	Paul Hatcher, Salem, OR
6	199	250	Jerome Fischer, Colby, WI
7	207	244	Dennis L. Bays, Clovis, CA
8	117	242	Danny L. Bennett, Virginia Beach, VA
9	2	237	Denny Edwards, Hermiston, OR
10	58	233	Larry Gould, Raleigh, NC
	232	233	Rosemary Hendricks, Roch'ter, WA
12	113	232	Diane A. Harvey, Albany, OR
	202	232	Mark Ostheiler, Boise, ID
14	232	225	Timothy Morrissey, Mossyrock, WA
15	240	220	Russell B. Adams, Minneapolis, MN
	104	220	Henry S. Delong, Woburn, MA
	232	220	Wesley Knuth, Centralla, WA
	61	220	Dale G. Vincent Sr., Green Bay, WI
19	31	218	Frederick Doyle, Bellingham, MA
	118	218	Gene Goodell, Portland, OR
	232	218	Elmer Rasmussen, Centralla, WA
	1	218	George M. Verbeski, Madison, WI
23	198	217	Betty Johnson, Spokane, WA
	55	217	Alice Wilson, Rohnert Park, CA
25	62	216	Larry Hassett, Roseburg, OR
	207	216	Daryl Tavares, Clovis, CA
27	71	214	Brenda Carson, Grand Rapids, MI
	31	214	Francis H. Farrish, Riverside, RI
	61	214	Vince Oettinger, Green Bay, WI
	109	214	Maurice Ramsay, Avon, MA
	34	214	Roger W. Wilson, Boulder, CO
32	162	213	John Svilarich, Sacramento, CA
33	12	211	Clair E. Morse, Bend, OR
34	232	210	Sherri Albrecht, Rochester, WA
	162	210	Richard Munroe, Sacramento, CA
36	62	209	Gerald Hahn Jr., Winston, OR
	72	209	Peter Setian, Ludlow, MA
38	34	208	William W. Shirland, Denver, CO
39	218	207	Joseph P. Aird, Gladstone, MI
	177	207	Charles Berg, Anchorage, AK
	54	207	Jesse Jarrell, Pittsburg, CA
	54	207	Rick Rickmyer, Concord, CA
	162	207	Harold Sontag, Vacaville, CA
44	81	206	David Clemmey, Mansfield, MA
	97	206	James C. Goss, Bay City, MI
46	6	204	Martha Fingleton, Milwaukee, WI
47	238	203	Ralph Hagen, Casper, WY
48	25	201	Ronald Whyde, East Helena, MT
49	108	200	Lowell W. Bailey, Everett, WA
	54	200	Jerold Montgomery, Red Bluff, CA
	117	200	David Sniegowski, Chesap'e, VA
	177	200	Don Warfield, Anchorage, AK
53	232	199	Dan Carr, Shelton, WA
54	28	198	Paul Hirschmann, Portland, OR
55	104	197	Jack Myers, Lawrence, MA
56	175	194	Robert Kuhn, Nesh. Station, NJ
	90	194	Harry Langman, Appleton, WI
	31	194	Joe Ramos, West Warwick, RI
	243	194	Robert Schley, Spanaway, WA
60	211	193	Charles Douthit, Cheyenne, WY
	2	193	James Seufert, Hermiston, OR

Division 2

Rank	Club	Pts.	Name
1	219	263	Wendell Woodard, Colebrook, NH
2	227	178	Joyce Harding, Laguna Hills, CA
3	38	161	Tom P. Anderson, La Grande, OR
4	142	159	Leslie L. Kovach, Paradise, CA
	67	159	Elmer Morlock, Minneapolis, MN
6	96	152	Leroy Preszler, Rapid City, SD
7	142	144	John L. Prehn, Paradise, CA
8	245	143	David Hubsch, Grants, NM
9	219	142	Stanley Mullins, Lancaster, NH
10	251	141	Leroy Hebberecht, Sioux F., SD
11	148	136	Richard Dixon, Enumclaw, WA
12	216	134	Bob Kemp, Post Falls, ID
13	111	132	Angelo D. Torrise, Quincy, CA
14	96	131	Paul Halsrud, Rapid City, SD
15	11	129	Bill Irons, Sparks, NV
16	111	127	Dorothy Maximov, Quincy, CA
17	68	122	Norman Nikodym, Ontario, CA
	38	122	Gene Sissel, Baker City, OR
19	27	121	Walter Olsen, Atascadero, CA
20	96	119	Charles Broer, Rapid City, SD

Division 3

Rank	Club	Pts.	Name
1	53	94	J.B. Mantlo, Mesa, AZ
2	66	89	Cha Beamer, Lakeview, OR
3	115	88	Nancy R. Roncetti, Wyncote, PA
4	24	81	Carl Ludtke, Mesa, AZ
5	24	71	John Wallen, Phoenix, AZ

Bronze Level

(1000 Rating Points Required)

Club	Name
116	Paul Arvello, Schaumburg IL
120	Kevin Bremmer, Wisconsin Rapids WI
199	Jerome Fischer, Colby WI
6	Donald Flesch, Brookfield WI
61	Glenn Gauthier, De Pere WI
54	Evelyn Gillmore, Concord CA
95	Shawn Jordan, Norwood MA
6	Alan R. Schaefer, Slinger WI
43	Jay M. Snyder, San Leandro CA
106	Jim Strickling, Arlington TX

Tournament Trail

Upcoming Sanctioned Events

Abbreviation
Keys:

EF: Entry fee
EB: Early Bird
SatS: Saturday Special
Cons: Consolation

LC: Last Chance
DBL: Doubles
SGL: Singles
HR: High Roller

July 9-11, Lewis & Clark Classic

Kelly Inn, E. Hwy 50, Yankton, SD 57078. EF: \$55, \$15 Q. FriEB, SatS, Cons, All-E. Contact: Scott Koolstra, 906 Mulberry, Yankton, SD 57078. (605) 665-8016.

July 11, Hawaii Open

Murphy's Bar & Grill, 2 Merchant St., Honolulu, HI 96813. EF: \$30. Coffee, lunch. Cons. Contact: Tsarkie, 3261 Kilihune Place, Honolulu, HI 96816. (808) 734-4800. Co-D: Kathy Tsark, Fred White.

July 11, Maine Open

Holiday Inn, Exit 8, Portland, ME 04103. EF: \$45, \$10 Q. Coffee, lunch. SatDBL, Cons. Contact: Laurie Owen, 13 Parkway, Bowdoin, ME 04287. (207) 666-5838.

July 11, Baltimore Summer Special

Golden Dragon Restaurant, 8109 Liberty Rd., Baltimore, MD 21244. EF: \$44, \$10 Q. Raffle 50/50 charity. Coffee, donuts, lunch. Sat7PMEB, Cons. contact: Bruce Sattler, 3732 Foxford Stream Rd, Baltimore, MD 21236. (410) 256-9079. Co-D: Steve Sattler.

July 16-18, Mid-Summer Tourists Classic

American Legion, 840 W. Fireweed Lane, Anchorage, AK 99576. EF: \$50. 10% to charity. FriDBL, Cons. Contact: Henry Carle, 6600 Downey Finch Lane, Anchorage, AK 99516. (907) 345-2137. Co-D: Heather Brean (907) 338-5847.

July 16-18, Devil Mountain Caper

Antioch Senior Ctr., 425 W. 2nd, Antioch, CA 94509. EF: \$62, \$10 Q. Cont. bkfst Sat & Sun, lunch Sat. \$2 to charity. Contact: Sundae Webb, 77251 Crethe Way #5, Rockford, CA 95237. (209) 365-6971. Co-D: Mary Gladish (925) 798-0329, Bob Clark (925) 947-6878.

July 17-18, Westside Summer Sizzler

W. Springfield American Legion, 83 Park St., W. Springfield, MA 01089. EF: \$50, \$15 Q. Coffee, donuts. \$1 to charity. SatDBL6:30PM, Cons. Contact: Harry Palmer, 162 Grandview Ave., W. Springfield, MA 01089. (413) 788-6453. Co-D: Brenda Palmer.

July 16-18, Towne Crier High Roller

Towne Crier, 1319 Geo. Washington Way, Richland, WA 99352. EF: \$102, \$25 Q. Limited to first 66. Coffee, donuts. Fri7PMSGL, Sat7PMSGL, Cons. Contact: Willie Evans, 1319 Geo. Washington Way, Richland, WA 99352. (509) 946-9014.

July 23-26, National Open

North Raleigh Hilton, 3415 Old Wake Forest Rd., Raleigh, NC 27609. EF: \$70, \$20 Q. Coffee, lunch. FriEB, SatS, HR, Loser's Losers, Last Roundup, Cons. Main: Dbblelm 4 of 7. Contact: Catherine Perkins, 1030 Barker Rd., Bear Creek, NC 27207. (919) 837-5790. Co-D: Russ Perkins, Howard Baum, Henry Douglass.

July 23-25, Polish Open

Ramada Inn, 200 Perkins St., Appleton, WI 54914. EF: \$55, \$15 Q. Sat. lunch. Fri\$20, FriLeasts\$5, SatS, All-E, Cons. Contact: Larry Zimmerman, 4103 Anston Rd., Green Bay, WI 54313. (920) 865-7638. Co-D: Ruth Zimmerman.

July 23-25, Portland Summer Open

Howard Johnson Motel, 7101 NE 82nd, Portland, OR 97220. EF: \$50, \$10 Q. Coffee, donuts, lunch. FriTP3PM, FriDBL, FriHR, SatS, Cons, LC. Contact: Ken Julkowski, 2819 SE 58th, Portland, OR 97206. (503) 788-6907.

August 6-8, 3rd Les Bois Classic

Elks Lodge, 348 N. Orchard, Boise, ID 83705. EF: \$40, \$10 Q. \$2 to charity. Limited to first 80. Coffee, donuts. FriEB, FriHR, FriDBL, SatS, Cons, LC. Contact: Joe Dunn, Don Kunz, Dave Suhr, PO Box 45783, Boise, ID 83711-5783. (208) 375-9310, or (208) 658-0986.

August 8, New England Inaugural

Elks Hall, 380 Social St., Woonsocket, RI 02895. EF: \$45, \$10 Q. \$55 Non-ACC. Coffee, pastry, lunch. Cons. Muggins all day. Contact: Lee Norris, 380 Davisville Rd., N. Kingstown, RI 02852-1712. (401) 884-5145.

August 13-15, St. Croix Casino Classic

St. Croix Casino, 777 Hwy 8, Turtle Lake, WI 54889. EF: \$55, \$15 Q. Coffee, soda, lunch buffet. FriEB, SatS, Cons, 24, 28, 29, GS awards. Contact: Alan Lindner, 503 E. Baird St., PO Box 9, Greenwood, WI 54437. (715) 267-7629.

August 13-15, Humboldt Bay Classic

Mad River Rapids Rec. Room, 3501 Janes Rd., Arcata, CA 95521. EF: \$50, \$20 Q. \$3 to charity. Bagels, coffee, donuts, snacks. FriHR6:45PM, FriDBL7PM, SatS, Cons, All-Events, First 120 only. Contact: Herschel & Ricki Mack, 581 School Rd., McKinleyville, CA 95519. (707) 839-0249. Co-D: Barrett Mace (707) 445-0703, Julie Mack-Felkins.

August 14, Chief Solano Open

Fairfield Senior Ctr, 1200 Civic Center Dr., Fairfield, CA 94533. EF: \$55. \$5 to charity. Bkfst, lunch, coffee, donuts, prizes. No Cons. Contact: George Halterman, 3410 Astoria Circle, Fairfield, CA 94533. (707) 428-4343. Co-D: Betty Croft, Bill Moss.

August 15, Hawaii Open

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

August 15, 9th Eastern States Championship
Maironis Park, 525 Quinsigamond Ave., Shrewsbury, MA 01545. EF: \$50, \$10 Q. \$1 to charity. Coffee, donuts, lunch. Cons. Contact: Bill Medeiros, 47 Edgewater Ave., Shrewsbury, MA 01545. (508) 755-6199. Co-D: Sharlene Medeiros.

August 20-22, Belle City Classic
Ramada Inn, 200 N. Perkins, Appleton, WI 54914. EF: \$60, \$15 Q. Lunch. Fri\$50&\$20, Sat\$20, Cons, LC. Contact: Tom Maresh, 5222 Lilac Lane, Racine, WI 53406. (414) 632-3502. Co-D: Don Wrezinski.

August 20-22, Redmond Senior Center
Redmond Senior Center, 325 Dogwood, Redmond, OR 97756. EF: \$50, \$10 Q. \$5 to charity. Coffee, pastries. FriTP3PM, FriHR, FriDBL, SatS, Cons, LC. Contact: Marvis & Ralph Reynolds, PO Box 805, Prineville, OR 97754-0805. (541) 447-5920. Co-D: Greta Gorden.

August 27-29, New England PEER
Ramada Inn, 624 Southbridge St., Auburn, MA 01501. EF: \$45, \$20 Q. Coffee, lunch. FriSGL\$15, SatDBL, Cons. Contact: Joe Seigle, 169 Vernon Ave., #140B, Vernon, CT 06066. (860) 870-4570. Co-D: John Chambers, PO Box 40068, Providence, RI 02940. (401) 831-4157.

August 27-29, "Shut Up and Deal!"
Castro Valley Moose Lodge, 20835 Rutledge Rd., Castro Valley, CA 94546. EF: \$65, \$10 Q. \$2 to charity. Coffee, donuts, lunch. FriEB, SatS, SatHR, All-E, Cons, 4-person teams. "Barbara Ruiz Memorial." Contact: Mary Ryan, 893 Linnea Ave., San Lorenzo, CA 94580. (510) 481-5837. Co-D: Howard Mustain, Roberta Nelson.

September 3-5, Capital City Classic
Eagles Lodge, 715 N. Fee St., Helena, MT 59601. EF: \$45, \$10 Q. FriEB, SatS, Cons, LC. Contact: Kathy Thompson, 3000 Villard #110, Helena, MT 59601. (406) 443-4825. Co-D: John Simac.

September 5, Labor Day Special
Seven Feathers Hotel & Casino, 146 Chief Miwaleta Lane, Canyonville, OR 97417. EF: \$42, \$10 Q. \$3 to charity. Coffee, juice & soft drinks. Cons. Contact: John Thiems, 746 Elgarose Road, Roseburg, OR 97470. (541) 677-0102. Co-D: Larry Hassett (541) 672-1474.

September 10-12, GRAND NATIONAL XVII
Riviera Casino, 2901 Las Vegas Blvd S, Las Vegas, NV 89109. EF: \$80 (Q Incl). Buffet lunch. FriEB, FriHR, SatAwardsBan, Cons. Contact: Roy & Jeanne Hofbauer, 30937 NE 23rd St., Washougal, WA 98671. (360) 835-3623. Robert Gromek (702) 876-3946; Bob Julian (414) 327-7985.

September 17-19, ACC/CVCC 3rd Annual
Holiday Inn Select, 1021 Koger Center Blvd., Richmond, VA 23235. EF: \$55, \$15 Q. Coffee, donuts, buffet lunch. FriEB7PMDBL, Cons, raffle. Contact: Huston Kitts, 3101 South Ridge Dr., Midlothian, VA 23112. (804) 744-0150. Co-D: John

September 17-18, Gateway To Sierra Classic
Clovis Senior Center, 850 4th St., Clovis, CA 93611. EF: \$59, \$10 Q. \$5 to charity. Coffee, donuts, lunch. FriDBL6:30PM, Cons. Contact: Dennis Bays, 1687 5th St., Clovis, CA 93611. (559) 298-1432. Co-D: Daryl Taveras.

September 17-19, San Diego Peg for Border
Masonic Lodge, 4731 Date Ave., La Mesa, CA 91941. EF: \$55, \$10 Q. Coffee, donuts, lunch. FRIEBSGL7PM, SatS, Cons, LC, raffle. Bldg NOT handicapped access (1 flight stairs). Contact: Julie Hardardt, 13228 Lindo Lane, Lakeside, CA 92040. (619) 443-8395. Co-D: Carol Henderson (858) 578-1874; Darlene Carr (619) 448-3959.

September 19, Hawaii Open
Murphy's Bar & Grill, 2 Merchant St., Honolulu, HI 96813. EF: \$30, no Q. \$2 to charity. Coffee, lunch. Cons. Contact: Tsarkie, 3161 Kilihune Place, Honolulu, HI 96816. (808) 734-4800. Co-D: Kathy Tsark, Fred White.

September 25-26, Massachusetts Open
Franklin Elks, 1077 Pond St., Franklin, MA 02038. EF: \$55, \$15 Q. \$1 to charity. Coffee, pastries, lunch. SatDBL7:30PM, Cons. Contact: David Clemmey, PO Box 621, Mansfield, MA 02048. (508) 339-5225. Co-D: Shawn Jordan.

September 24-26, Carson Valley Classic
Carson Valley Inn, 1627 US 395N, Minden, NV 89423. EF: \$50, \$10 Q. Coffee, pastries. FriDBL, Cons, LC. 100% payback all events. Contact: Marvis & Ralph Reynolds, 220 S. Claypool St. (PO Box 805), Prineville, OR 97754. (541) 447-5920.

September 24-26, Pensacola Beach Open
Comfort Inn, 40 Ft. Pickens Rd., Pensacola Beach, FL 32561. EF: \$55, \$15 Q. Lunch. FriEB, Cons, HR (?), LC. Contact: Dave O'Neil, 1069 Texel Lane, Clarkston, GA 30021. (404) 296-4689.

September 25, Doucette/Wensel Memorial
American Legion, 840 West Fireweed Ln, Anchorage, AK. EF: \$30, Cons. Contact: Henry Carle, 6600 Downey Finch Ln, Anchorage, AK 99516. (907) 345-2137. Co-D: Darlene Stier.

October 1-3, Southern Oregon Lions
Lions Sight & Hearing Ctr., 228 Holly St., Medford, OR 97501. EF: \$50, \$10 Q. \$5 to Lions S & H Ctr, FRIDBL, FriHR, SatS, Cons, LC. Contact: Marvis & Ralph Reynolds, PO Box 805 (220 S. Claypool St.) Prineville, OR 97754. (541) 447-5920.

October 1-3, St. Croix Casino Classic
St. Croix Casino, 777 Hwy 8, Turtle Lake, WI 54889. EF: \$55, \$15 Q. Coffee, soda, buffet lunch. FriEB, SatS, Cons, 24, 28, 29, GSawards. Contact: Alan Lindner, 503 E. Baird St., PO Box 9, Greenwood, WI 54437. (715) 267-7629.

October 1-3, Gold Coast Classic

Ventura Elks, 11 S. Ash St., Ventura, CA 93001. EF: \$59-\$69, \$20 Q. \$2 to charity. Coffee, donuts, Sat. lunch. FriEB, SatS, Cons. Contact: Terry Mixer, 2889 Bunsen Ave., Unit A, Ventura, CA 93003. (805) 644-4097. co-D: Mel Kranz (805) 642-4932, Clint Deisenroth (805) 241-8805, Cy Madrone (805) 962-1733.

October 1-3, Montana Championship

Joker's Wild, I-90 exit 101, Missoula, MT. EF: \$50, \$10 Q. Coffee. Fri3PMTP, Fri7PMHR, Fri7PMDBL, SatS, Cons, LC, 28-29 pool, raffle. Contact: DeLynn Colvert, PO Box 5604, Missoula, MT 59806. (406) 543-6855.

October 3, New Hampshire Open

Holiday Inn, Northeastern Blvd., Nashua, NH 03062. EF: \$40, \$10 Q. NO walkins, deadline for entry: Sept. 30. Coffee, lunch, Cons. Contact: Al Miller, 12 Michael Ave., Nashua, NH 03062. (603) 882-7204.

October 2-3, BC Championship

College of New Caledonia Cafeteria, 3330 22nd Ave., Prince George, BC. EF: \$50, \$10 Q. Lunch. FriEB7PM, SatHR7PM, Cons. Contact: Linton Walker, 116 Douglas St., Prince George, BC V2M2L8. (250) 562-4827.

October 3-10, ACC/Internet Cruise

Cruise ship Celebration (Carnival). EF: \$50. \$15 Q. Cribbage every day. Cons. Contact: Dave O'Neil, 1069 Texel Lane, Clarkston, GA 30021. (404) 296-4689.

October 8-10, 3rd Colorado Fall Classic

Elks, 2475 W. 26th Ave., Denver, CO. EF: \$50, \$10 Q. FriEB, SatS, Cons. Contact: Roger Wilson, 2977 Eagle Way, Boulder, CO 80301. (303) 444-8613.

October 9, Feather River Open

Oroville Eagles, 2010 Montgomery St., Oroville, CA 95965. EF: \$55, \$10 Q. \$5 to charity. FriEB, Cons. Contact: John Mathews, 3456 Charlene, Oroville, CA 95966. (530) 533-7793. Co-D: Tom & Valda Stevens.

October 8-10, Stan Daniels Mem/Portside Open

Holiday Inn, 8 Crawford Pkwy, Portsmouth, VA 23704. EF: \$56, \$20 Q. Lunch. FriSGL, SatDBL, SatHR, Cons. LC, 3-person team. Contact: Marvin Lewis, 4065 Cory Lane, Chesapeake, VA 23321. (757) 488-1920.

October 10, Moose's WB Classic

West Bend KC Hall, 3245 Lighthouse Lane, West Bend, WI 53090. EF: \$40, \$15 Q. Lunch. Cons. Contact: Gene "Moose" Biegler, 1602 Harrison St., West Bend, WI 53090. (414) 334-2980. Co-D: Richard Frost.

October 15-17, Wisconsin Dells Classic

Holiday Inn, Hwy 13 & I-90/94, Wisconsin Dells, WI 53965. EF: \$55, \$15 Q. Lunch. FriEB, HR, SatS, Cons, LC. Hosp. room. Contact: Patrick Barrett, 5821 Griffith Ave., WI Rapids, WI 54494. (715) 424-5059. Co-D: Linda Barrett.

October 15-17, Coastal "Gem" Classic

Lion's Hall, 4th & Pontiac, Yachats, OR 97498. EF: \$50, \$10 Q. \$5 to Lions. FriTP3PM, FriDBL7PM, FriHR7PM, SatS7PM, Cons. LC. Lunch avail Sat & Sun. Contact: Marvis & Ralph Reynolds, PO Box 805, Prineville, OR 97754. (541) 447-5920.

October 15-17, Ghosts & Goblins

Eagles Lodge, 160 NW 2nd, Hermiston, OR 97838. EF: \$50, \$10 Q. \$1 to charity. Donuts, coffee. FriTP3PM, FriDBL6:30PM, FriHR 7PM, SatS, Cons, Calcutta Sat7PM. Contact: James Seufert, 32126 E. Punkin Ctr., RD #6, Hermiston, OR 97838. (541) 567-9551.

October 22-24, Salem Classic

Comfort Motel, 630 Hawthorne Ave SE, Salem, OR 97301. EF: \$42, \$10 Q. Cont. Bkfst (Sat & Sun). FriDBL7PM, FriHR7PM, SatS, Cons, Team Play. Limited to first 180. Contact: Paul Hatcher, 1691 Jory Hills Rd. S., Salem, OR 97306. (503) 364-4541. Co-D: Rolie Heath, Merl Mulkey.

October 22-24, Niagara Falls Open

Niagara Falls AFB, Niagara Falls, NY. EF: \$45, \$15 Q. \$1.50 to charity. FriEB, SatDBL, Cons. Rooms \$18.50/person/dbl occ w/SS # (AFB). Contact: Nelson Wheaton, 76 Raymond St., Hamburg, NY 14075. (716) 649-3462. Co-D: Richard Schurkus.

October 29-31, 8th Abe Kealoha Extrav.

Murphy's Bar & Grill, 2 Merchant St., Honolulu, HI 96813. EF: \$80, no Q. Coffee, lunch, awards banquet. FriDBL6PM, Cons, LC4PMSat, GRSun2PM. Contact: Tsarkie, 3261 Kilihune Pl., Honolulu, HI 96816. (808) 734-4800. Co-D: Kathy Tsark, Fred White.

October 31, Halloween Cruise Classic

Cruise Ship Jubilee, Pacific Ocean, departing San Diego Oct. 30 - Nov. 6 for Mexican Riviera. EF: \$52, \$13 Q. Cons. SunS, MonS. Contact: Sharon Fly 1-800-289-0840 for cruise info. ACC info: Roy Cook, 3617 Frenzel Circle, Oceanside, CA 92056. (760) 967-7351. Co-D: Julie Hardardt Tuckett.

November 5-7, Prineville Lions Open

EAgles Lodge, 235 E. 4th St., Prineville, OR 97754. EF: \$50, \$10 Q. Lions charity. FriTP3PM, FriDBL7PM, FriHR7PM, Cons. LC. Lunch avail Sat & Sun, dinner Fri eve. Contact: Marvis & Ralph Reynolds, PO Box 805, Prineville, OR 97754. (541) 447-5920.

November 5-7, Baltimore Charm City Classic

Best Western Maryland Inn, 15101 Switzer Lane, Laurel, MD 20707. EF: \$52, \$15 Q. Coffee, lunch. FriEB7:30PM, SatDBL, SatHR, Cons, LC. \$1,000 1st place-Main. Charity raffle (50-50). Contact: Steven Sattler, 50 Rose Petal Court, Baltimore, MD 21234. (410) 661-3899. Co-D: Bruce Sattler.

November 6, Ed's Teeny Tiny Under \$10

Harry's Hofbrau, 390 Saratoga Ave., San Jose, CA 95129. EF: \$10 (\$15 at door), no Q. Coffee, donuts, \$5 lunch credit. Cons. 2 cents refunded at door. Contact: Ed Bloom, 22150 Wallace Dr., Cupertino, CA 95014. (408) 732-6666 or (408) 245-9777.

November 5-7, South Florida Open

Holiday Inn, 7859 Lake Worth Rd., Lake Worth, FL 33467. EF: \$45, \$20 Q. Sat buffet lunch, coffee. FriEB7:30PM, SatS7:30PM, Cons. LC. Contact: Joe Daesch, 6508 Flamingo Way, Coconut Creek, FL 33073. (954) 725-9548. Co-D: Ken Johnson (561) 627-6969; Garey Herter.

November 6, Thanksgiving Bird Brain

American Legion, 840 W. Fireweed Ln, Anchorage, AK. EF: \$30, Q(?) , Cons. Contact: Henry Carle, 6600 Downey Finch Ln, Anchorage, AK 99516-2413. (907) 345-2137. Co-D: Darlene Stier.

November 7, Dante Club's 23rd W. MA

Dante Club, 1198 Memorial Ave., W. Springfield, MA 01089. EF: \$40, \$15 Q. Coffee, donuts, lunch. Cons. Contact: Tom Fiorini, 23 Peros Dr., Agawan, MA 01001. (413) 789-0672. Co-D: Charlie Finley, Jim Law.

November 12-14, Veteran's Day Classic

Sands Regency, 345 N. Arlington Ave., Reno NV 89501. EF: \$62 (incl \$10 Q). \$7.50 to Vets charity. Coffee, coffee cakes. FriEBDBL, Cons. Contact: Bill & Dorthalee Irons, 333 K St., Sparks, NV 89431. (702) 358-4916. Co-D: Roberta Huff.

November 21, Yankee Classic

Manchester Elks, 30 Bissell St., Manchester, CT 06040. EF: \$42, \$10 Q. Coffee, donuts, lunch. SatDBL7PM, Cons. Contact: Phil Martin, 1809 Main, E. Hartford, CT 06108. (860) 291-8306. Co-D: Frank Corrado.

November 28, Holiday Classic/Gloria Dyndur Mem.

Elks Hall, 380 Social St., Woonsocket, RI 02895. EF: \$45, \$10 Q. \$2 to charity. Coffee, donuts, lunch. Cons. Contact: Ann Somers, 61 Cross St., Bellingham, MA 02019. (508) 883-8486. Co-D: Joe Dyndur.

December 3-5, 5th Eau Claire Classic

Ramada Inn, 1202 W. Clairemont Ave., Eau Claire, WI. EF: \$60, \$15 Q. Coffee, donuts, lunch. FriEB, SatS, Cons. Contact: Alan Lindner, 122 N. Main St., PO Box 9, Greenwood, WI 54437. (715) 267-7629.

December 5, 1999 Hawaii Championship

Natsunoya Tea House, 1935 Makenani Dr., Honolulu, HI 96817. EF: \$40, no Q. Coffee, lunch, \$2 to charity. Cons. Contact: Tsarkie, 3261 Kilihune Pl., Honolulu, HI 96816. (808) 734-4800. Co-D: Kathy Tsark, Fred White.

December 5, LaFayette Open II

LaFayette Club, Lakeview Ave., Taunton, MA 02780. EF: \$45, \$10 Q. \$2 to charity. Coffee, donuts, lunch. Cons. 3-person teams, "surprises." Contact: Zeke & Cindy Veradt, 86 Alfred Lord Blvd., Taunton, MA 02780. (508) 822-1222.

December 10-12, Holiday Classic

Holiday Inn/Portside, 8 Crawford Pkwy, Portsmouth, VA 23704. EF: \$56, \$20 Q. Lunch. FriSGL, SatDBL, SatHR, Cons. LC. Team Event. Contact: Marvin Lewis, 4065 Cory Lane, Chesapeake, VA 23321. (757) 488-1920.

December 11-12, Puerto Vallarta Open

Depart San Francisco via air Dec. 7, return Dec. 14. EF: \$40, Q-Pools, Cons, more cribbage scheduled. Non-smokers only. Side trips. Contact: Rick Rickmyer, 4480 Treat Blvd., #324, Concord, CA 94521. (925) 682-3178.

December 18, X-Mas Moose Nugget Classic

American Legion, 840 W. Fireweed Lane, Anchorage, AK. EF: \$30, Q(?) , 10% to charity. Cons. Contact: Henry Carle, 6600 Downey Finch Lane, Anchorage, AK 99516-2413. (907) 345-2137. Co-D: Darlene Stier.

January 9, Hawaii Open

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

January 14, Washington Championship

Chehalis Moose Lodge, 1400 Grand Ave., Centralia, WA 98531. EF: \$50, \$10 Q. \$3 to charity. Coffee, donuts, lunch. FriHR, FriDBL, SatS, Cons. Contact: Geo. "Ras" Rasmussen, 1100 Cobra Lane, Centralia, WA 98531. (360) 807-8392. Co-D: Roy & Jeanne Hofbauer, Rosemary Hendricks (360) 273-7151.

February 4, Tournament of Champions

Sands, 345 N. Arlington, Reno, NV 98501. By invite only.

February 5-6, JPW/ACC Open

Sands, 345 N. Arlington, Reno, NV 98501. EF: \$80 (incl. \$20 Q). Cons. No entry limits. \$3,500 added by Sands. Contact: Scott Koolstra, 906 Mulberry, Yankton, SD 57078. (605) 665-8016. Co-D: Roy & Jeanne Hofbauer (360) 835-3623.

February 19, Willows Charity Open

Willows Elks, 150 S/ Shasta St., Willows, CA 95988. EF: \$40, \$10 Q. Elks Charity. Coffee, donuts, lunch. No Cons. Contact: Carl Martens, PO Box 666, Willows, CA 95988. (530) 934-7961.

February 20, Hawaii Open

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

March 19, Hawaii Open

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

March 24-26, Alaska Championship

American Legion, 840 W. Fireweed Lane, Anchorage, AK. EF: \$50. 10% to charity. FriDBL, Cons. Contact: Henry Varle, 6600 Downey Finch Lane, Anchorage, AK 99516-2413. (907) 345-2137. Co-D: Darlene Stier.

March 24-26, Oregon Championship

Eagles Lodge, 235 E. 4th St., Prineville, OR 97754. EF: \$50, \$10 Q. Lion's Charity. FriTP3PM, FriHR, FriDBL, SatS, Cons, LC. Contact: Marvis & Ralph Reynolds, 185 N. Harwood #14, Prineville, OR 97754. (541) 447-5920.

March 25, 13th Lions Open

Alamo Women's Club, 1401 Danville Blvd., Alamo, CA 94507. EF: \$60, \$10 Q. \$6 to charity. Coffee, donuts, lunch. Cons. Contact: Ron Graham, 21 Mauri Ct., Danville, CA 94526. (925) 820-7503. Co-D: Mary Herrmann, 2144 Stone Valley Rd., Alamo, CA 94526. (925) 837-4354.

April 1, Grass Valley Challenge

L.O.V.E. Bldg., 660 Minnie St, Condon Park, Grass Valley, CA. 95945. EF: \$50, \$10 Q. \$7.50 to charity. Cont. Bkfst, lunch. FriDBL7PM, Cons. Contact: Don Flint, 18391 Sisil Ln., Penn Valley, CA 95946. (530) 432-3010. Co-D: John Wear (530) 272-8148.

March 31-April 2, Canada 2000 Millenium
CNC Cafeteria, 3330 22nd Ave., Prince George, BC. EF: \$100, \$25 Q. FriEB7PM, SatHR, Cons. \$2,000 value door prizes. Apr 1 deadline, \$20 late fee. No alcohol on site. Contact: Linton Walker, 116 Douglas St., Prince George, BC, Canada V2M 2L8. (250) 562-4827. Co-D: Dave Kee, Eleanor Arnold, Peter Chrosinski.

April 7-9, 5th Winnemucca Classic

Winnemucca Convention Ctr., 50 W. Winnemucca Blvd., Winnemucca, NV 89446. EF: \$50, \$10 Q. Coffee, donuts. FriTP3PM, FriDBL, FriHR, Cons, LC. \$1,000 added by Winners Casino. Contact: Marvis & Ralph Reynolds, 185 N. Harwood #14, Prineville, OR 97754. (541) 447-5920. Co-D: Bob & Sandy St, Yves.

April 16, Hawaii Open

Murphy's Bar & Grill, 2 Merchant St., Honolulu, HI 96813. EF: \$30. \$2 to charity. Coffee, lunch. Cons. Contact: Tsarkie, 3261 Killhune Place, Honolulu, HI 96816. (808) 734-4800.

April 21-23, Mid-Columbia Open

American Legion, 3rd & Cascade, Hood River, OR 97031. EF: \$50, \$10 Q. \$2 to charity. Lunch \$5. FriTP3PM, FriDBL, FriHR, SatS, Team Play, Cons, LC. Contact: Don & Marilyn Hilton, 1837 Tucker Rd., Hood River, OR 97031. (541) 386-2036.

April 22, Rio Linda Open

Methodist Church, 6th & M St, Rio Linda, CA 95673. EF: \$42, \$10 Q. \$4 to charity. Coffee, donuts, lunch, snacks, desserts. Cons. Please register early. Contact: Craig Hays, 5000 Emerald Brook Way, Sacramento, CA 95838. (916) 920-4297. Co-D: Brad Archer, Ed Tilden, Janie Masterson.

May 5-7, 29th World Championship

Fairgrounds, Fairgrounds Rd., Quincy, CA 95971. EF: \$60, \$10 Q. Rotary charity. Coffee, donuts, lunch, dinner, drink. FriDBL7PM, SatHR7PM, SatS7PM, Cons, LC. Contact: Mike Taborski, PO Box B, Quincy, CA 95971. (530) 283-0800. Co-D: Dan Smith (530) 283-3292.

May 19, Bill Mitchell Memorial

VFW Hall, 810 H St., Crescent City, CA 95531. EF: \$45, \$10 Q. \$3 to charity. Coffee. FriTP, FriEB, SatS, Cons. All-E. Boy Scout bkfst \$5. Contact: Dan Mitchell, 1833 Adams, Ave., Crescent City, CA 95531. (707) 464-5319. Co-D: Vernon Ward (707) 464-4510.

July 21-23, 2000, Midnight Tourist Classic

American Legion, 840 W. Fireweed Lane, Anchorage, AK EF: \$50, 10% to charity. FriDBL, Cons. Contact: Henry Carle, 6600 Downey Finsh Lane, Anchorage, AK 99516-2413. (907) 345-2137. Co-D: Darlene Stier.

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Awards

Life Master: Wayne Steinmetz

Grand Master: Clair Morse

Master: Rose Chase, Fayann Salerno, Jack Shumate III, Peter Paradis

The American Cribbage Congress is winding down year number 20, and America's peggers continue to earn honors in record numbers. This 20th year has been a banner one. Some 34 players have earned their 2,000th Master Rating Point this year, and another 16 have earned Grand Master (4,000 MRP's). Five peggers have earned a lofty 6,000 MRP's...and Life Master.

Life Master: Wayne Steinmetz, Milwaukee, WI. Steinmetz won the 64-player Consolation event at the Island Quest in Michigan on May 9...and his 6,000th MRP. Only 39 ACC players have reached this level. For the past several years Steinmetz has been among the national leaders. This year has been special, as he has topped 800 MRP's and may very well earn All-American honors.

Grand Master: Clair Morse, Bend, OR. Morse earned his Grand Master (4,000 MRP's) with a fine 5-8 finish at the 140-player Spokane Valley Open (WA). He becomes Grand Master no. 126. He also scored his first sanctioned 29-hand in Spokane (three, lifetime). He is a veteran player in the Northwest and a threat to win at any time.

Master: Rose Chase, North Kingstown, RI. Chase had a high finish at the Ocean State Classic (RI) on May 2, and zipped to her 2,000th MRP...and Master number 393. She joins her husband, George at this level, as this duo continues their fine play.

Fayann Salerno, South Easton, MA. Salerno won the 108-player Consolation at the Ocean State Classic, and with the 63 MRP's earned has also topped the 2,000 mark, and Master no. 394. Her skill on the boards is well known in the Eastern Region.

Jack Shumate III, Kings Beach, CA. Shumate has been on a roll this cribbage year, having topped the 700 MRP mark. He won the Gold Country Challenge Consolation (50 players) to wing it over 2,000 MRP's...and Master no. 395. Shumate is a unique player in the Western Region, sporting long hair, and unusual hats, and is a force to be reckoned with.

Peter Paradis, Santa Maria, CA. Paradis is a veteran of the cribbage wars in the Western Region (primarily in California), and he continues to pile up MRP's with his skillful play. He recently earned his 2,000th MRP (no. 396).

Six-Horse Race

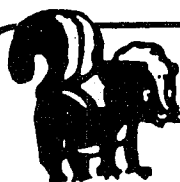
MRP Race Up For Grabs

With but a single month left in the cribbage year, the annual MRP race is up for grabs. Six players have topped the 1,000 mark and have the edge on their competitors as the season winds down. **DeLynn Colvert** (MT), **Bob Julian** (WI), **William "Wes" Summers II** (CA), **Duane Toll** (WI), **Jason Shumate** (CA), and **Jones Hom** (CA). Colvert, Julian, and Summers II have topped the 1,200 mark. Shumate, Toll, and Hom are only a step behind.

Last year's co-champion, **Paul Hatcher** (OR) is making a late season move, and is nearing 1,000, as is **Sharlene Medeiros** (MA). Both have outside chances of overtaking the leaders with a hot finishing run. **Les and Deb Kvien** are at the 900 mark as this Illinois duo are also on the move. Others in the hunt are **Wayne Steinmetz** (WI), **Todd Schaefer** (MN), and **Donna Hassett** (OR). This trio is over the 800 mark for the year. A dozen or more peggers have topped 700, and with a hot run, can earn All-American honors (top ten). Once again, it appears that the National Open in the Eastern Region, the Polish Open and Lewis & Clark Open in the Central, and the Portland Summer Open in the Western Region will decide who will be king of the hill in the ACC's 20th year!

Eastern Region

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| 1 941 Medeiros, Sharlene, MA | 34 366 Brown, Jack, VA | 67 226 Schaeffer, Betty, FL |
| 2 740 Webb, George E., MA | 35 361 Bernier, Jerry, MA | 68 222 Deane, Sharon L., VA |
| 3 727 Samet, Laurence, MA | 36 353 Simpson, Lucille, NY | 69 219 Dumaine, Dudley, MA |
| 4 674 Setian, Peter, MA | 37 350 Stuart, Bobby G., GA | 69 219 Bakken, Nelson, CT |
| 5 626 Ramos, Joe, RI | 38 346 Duresky, Jim, VA | 71 216 Barnes, Joy, FL |
| 6 618 Drukman, Robert J., MA | 39 344 Raynes, Jeff, NC | 72 214 Jewer, Ford, RI |
| 7 601 Medeiros, Bill, MA | 40 343 Jordan, Shawn, MA | 72 214 Sattler, Bruce D., MD |
| 8 580 Schmidt, Phyllis, MA | 41 338 Morrison, Joan, MA | 74 208 Mooradd, Lissa, MA |
| 9 576 Corrado, Frank, CT | 42 334 Smith, Medford, MA | 74 208 Theriault, Gertrude, RI |
| 10 569 West, Richard H., MA | 43 329 Dinwoodie, Al, RI | 76 204 McGibney, Fred, VT |
| 11 559 Shoemaker, William, CT | 44 323 Azevedo, Mike, MA | 76 204 Groz, John C., FL |
| 12 545 Perkins, Doris, MA | 45 315 Remington, Earle, RI | 78 203 Bodogh, Frank L., NY |
| 13 539 Christiansen, Dwight, CT | 46 310 O'Neil, David R., GA | 79 202 Podlaski Sr, Rich., MA |
| 14 535 Phifer, Larry, NC | 47 302 Vanelli, Joyce, MA | 79 202 Somers, Ann, MA |
| 15 533 Palmer, Harry, MA | 48 296 Medeiros, Emily, MA | 81 201 Terry, Howard L., VA |
| 16 526 Martin, Phil, CT | 49 293 Johnson, George, MA | 82 200 Crowe, Michael E., VA |
| 17 513 Palmer, Brenda, MA | 50 289 Bright, George, GA | 83 195 Jenkins, John, NC |
| 18 510 Douglass, Henry, NC | 51 284 Cormier, Paul H. J., MA | 84 192 Lien, Curtis, FL |
| 19 493 Brown, R. Bruce, MA | 52 281 Medeiros, Robert, MA | 85 191 Babcock, Phillip, VA |
| 20 490 Rapoza, Charles, MA | 53 272 Daesch, Joe, FL | 86 190 Chase, George, RI |
| 21 478 Rooney, John J., MA | 53 272 Bickford, George, MA | 87 187 Caccla, Louis J., MA |
| 22 468 Clemmey, David R., MA | 55 264 Ritchey, Dave, FL | 88 183 Statz, David, NH |
| 23 451 Gallagher, Paul M., MA | 56 260 Brault, Richard, MA | 89 180 Kaplan, Robert, MA |
| 24 439 Finley, Charlie, CT | 57 259 Chambers, John E., RI | 89 180 Howsare, Jack, VA |
| 25 431 Lafleur, Donna, CT | 58 248 Lunder, Jim, FL | 91 176 Grenon Jr., Al, RI |
| 26 411 Veradt, Cindy, MA | 58 248 Whitfield, Bernard, NC | 91 176 Brescia, Steve, MA |
| 27 410 Burgess Jr., Charles, RI | 60 245 Llewellyn, Pat, MA | 93 175 Eichler, Paul, NY |
| 28 398 Alkas, Rit, CT | 61 244 Giannotti Sr., Al, MA | 93 175 Bennett, Danny L., VA |
| 29 392 Chrabaszcz, Emil, MA | 62 243 Donahue, Edward, MA | 95 172 Kennedy, Margaret, RI |
| 30 389 Gehrlich, Dutch, MD | 63 238 Myers, Jack, MA | 96 171 Babiec, Stan, MA |
| 31 386 Ready, James, MA | 64 237 Delong, Henry S., MA | 97 170 Marshall, James N., FL |
| 32 379 Miller, Albert, NH | 65 234 Dolge, Charles, NC | 97 170 Sargent, Bart, MA |
| 33 373 Veradt, Zeke, MA | 66 233 Shwartz, Sam, MA | 97 170 Norris, Lee, RI |
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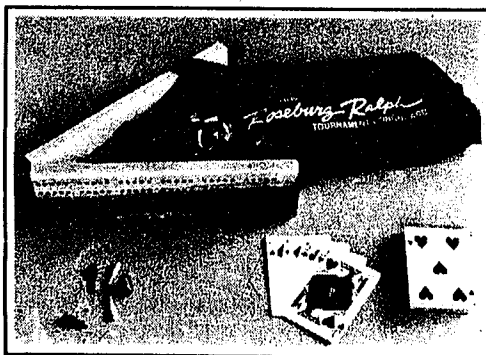
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| 3 882 Kvlen, Les, IL | 37 354 Bailey, Allen, MN | 70 248 Blegler, Gene, WI |
| 4 878 Kvlen, Deb, IL | 37 354 Andrusko, Shawn, MN | 71 246 Jacobsen, David, MN |
| 5 835 Schaefer, Todd, MN | 39 349 Langman, Harry, WI | 72 238 Lazachek, Marlene, WI |
| 6 832 Steinmetz, Wayne, WI | 40 342 Joslin, Bob, MN | 72 238 Barrett, Arlene M., WI |
| 7 706 Danielski, Frank, WI | 41 333 Stroup, Sandra, IL | 74 236 Horvath, Richard, WI |
| 8 696 Kraft, Lloyd L., WI | 42 329 Parker, Charles R., MN | 75 233 Kiley, Bob, WI |
| 9 686 Lindner, Alan J., WI | 43 326 Henderson, Doug, WI | 75 233 Gustafson, David, MN |
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| 15 580 Rallsback, Helen, NE | 49 310 Daniel, Tony, WI | 82 211 Neunsinger, Rich., MN |
| 16 575 Morlock, Elmer, MN | 50 308 Hadley, Marcus, IL | 83 206 Fisher Jr, Russ, OH |
| 17 558 Gruber, Gerald, MN | 50 308 Dockter, Jack, MN | 83 206 Dahl, James, WI |
| 18 557 Fingleton, Martha, WI | 52 306 Staven, Connie, WI | 85 202 Collier, Clay, NE |
| 19 541 Tesch, W. Lee, WI | 53 304 Kniech, Nicky, WI | 85 202 Habighorst, Carol, WI |
| 20 529 Welres, James, MN | 54 303 Shimp, Jeff, IN | 87 198 Blough, Jim, MI |
| 20 529 Sondericker, War., WI | 55 302 Schmidt, Myron, MN | 88 196 Zindler, Gordy, WI |
| 22 509 Karr, Allen E., WI | 56 301 Mineau, Norman E., MN | 89 192 Kacer, Matt, IA |
| 23 498 Johnson, Darlene, MN | 57 292 Gauthier, Glenn, WI | 90 191 Lagassie, Larry, WI |
| 24 470 Rowley, Lawrence, WI | 58 289 Benson, Kenneth, MI | 91 190 Rein, Joan, MN |
| 25 449 Habighorst, Mark, WI | 59 288 Huser, James, WI | 92 189 Ralston, Ronald, IA |
| 26 428 Rallsback, Buzz, NE | 60 283 Waite, Diane, MN | 93 186 Froelich, Francis J., WI |
| 27 424 Burns, Mike, MN | 61 277 Sather, Ronald, MN | 93 186 Hogen, James, MN |
| 28 414 Fox, Earl G., MN | 62 274 Trojan, Frank L., MN | 95 181 Barrett, Michael, WI |
| 29 409 Danielski, Ginny, WI | 63 271 Rein, Jim, MN | 95 181 Semmler, Art, MN |
| 30 403 Lulinski, Syl, IL | 64 261 Larson, Thomas, MN | 97 180 Mikulsky, Aggie G., WI |
| 31 396 Schweig, Roberta, IL | 65 260 Schaefer, Dorothy, MN | 97 180 Haelfrisch, Gary, WI |
| 32 392 Chase, Robert P., MN | 66 255 Upton, Patricia, MN | 99 179 Sellissen, Ron, WI |
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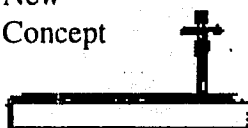
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| 2 1,076 Summers II, William, CA | 35 430 Stevens, Brad, CO | 68 327 Holseth, John, OR |
| 3 1,051 Shumate, Jason, CA | 36 429 Schleusner, Greg, CA | 69 325 Gillmore, Evelyn, CA |
| 4 1,006 Hom, Jones, CA | 37 426 Hahn Jr., Gerald, OR | 70 316 Hornbacher, James, WA |
| 5 814 Hassett, Donna, OR | 38 419 Montgomery, Jerold, CA | 71 314 Harvey, Diane A., OR |
| 6 799 Hatcher, Paul, OR | 39 418 Paddock, Rex, MT | 72 313 Wahlig, Mona, CA |
| 7 763 Shumate III, Jack, CA | 40 413 Nelson, Bernie, OR | 73 308 Gilkeson, David, OR |
| 7 763 Rasmussen, Elmer, WA | 41 410 King, Roger, CA | 74 306 Ferrigno, S.J., OR |
| 9 745 Wikstrom, Bob, WA | 42 409 Schmucker, John W., CA | 75 305 Owens, Thomas, CA |
| 10 730 Malmgren, Todd, OR | 43 408 Jarrell, Jesse, CA | 76 302 Cover, Joseph, OR |
| 11 703 Wilson, Roger W., CO | 44 402 Hofbauer, Roy, WA | 77 299 Morse, Clair E., OR |
| 12 687 Reynolds, Stephen, CA | 45 398 White, Fred L., HI | 78 298 Robe, William W., CA |
| 13 684 Herrmann, Mary, CA | 46 395 Fein, Bruce, CA | 79 297 Gonzales, Ray, CA |
| 14 680 Rowe, Michael M., AK | 47 391 Sontag, Harold, CA | 80 294 Lueschow, Roger, WA |
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| 16 654 Moritzky, Jack, WA | 49 375 McDonald, Boyd R., CA | 82 292 Mitchell, Danny, CA |
| 17 632 Eiffert, Annett J., CA | 49 375 Nelson, Alden, WA | 83 291 Blackman, Jerry, OR |
| 18 631 Langley, James, CA | 49 375 Wikstrom, Shari, WA | 84 289 Glashan, Heidi, CA |
| 19 606 Black, Darren, OR | 52 372 Carle, Henry N., AK | 85 285 Nelson, Roberta, CA |
| 20 575 Bolstad, Helen V., CA | 53 368 True, Phil, WA | 86 284 Robson, R.M., CA |
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| 22 546 Gogolin, James R., OR | 55 362 Endicott, Ike, OR | 88 279 Ornlé, Frank, OR |
| 23 534 Lusignan, Joseph, CA | 56 361 Bakko, Don, WA | 89 278 Weber, Thelma M., CA |
| 24 516 Hejtmanek, Sharon, MT | 56 361 Nelson, Ted, WA | 90 277 Mlotke, Darrel E., OR |
| 25 514 McDaniel, Mike, WA | 58 359 Wahlig, Len, CA | 91 274 Gladish, Mary, CA |
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| 28 490 Wridge, Bruce, OR | 60 351 Rickmyer, Rick, CA | 94 269 Sime, Jim, WA |
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| 30 455 Hendricks, Rosem'y, WA | 63 344 Clark, Bob, CA | 95 267 Bonomi, Duff, ID |
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Gold Country Challenge

Grass Valley, CA, Apr 3, 1999

Director: Donald Flint

MAIN: 84

- 1 147 Avon C. Ray, CA
- 2 105 Jackie Doppelt, CA
- 3 70 Joseph Lusignan, CA
- 3 70 Suzanne Rollo, CA
- CONSOLATION: 50
- 1 45 Jack Shumate III, CA
- 2 30 Scott A. Milo, CA
- 3 18 William Roderick Jr., CA
- 3 18 Basil M. Rudnick, CA

Lake Tahoe-Spring

Crystal Bay, NV, Apr 24-25, 1999

Director: Jack B. Shumate III

MAIN: 112

- 1 147 James Weires, MN
- 2 105 Gordon Brown, CA
- 3 70 Ed Bloom, CA
- 3 70 Clyde L. Ross, CA
- CONSOLATION: 66
- 1 63 Mel Ashley, CA
- 2 45 Gary Katz, CA
- 3 30 Jason Shumate, CA
- 3 30 Mona Wahlig, CA

Ocean State Classic

Pawtucket, RI, May 2, 1999

Director: John Chambers

MAIN: 202

- 1 196 Bill Medeiros, MA
- 2 147 Brenda Palmer, MA
- 3 105 Rit Alkas, CT
- 3 105 Gertrude H. Theriault, RI
- 5 70 Hank Moore (NM), RI
- 5 70 Linda Iler, VT
- 5 70 Medford Smith, MA
- 5 70 Zeke Veradt, MA
- CONSOLATION: 108
- 1 63 Fayann Salerno, MA
- 2 45 Laurence Samet, MA
- 3 30 Joan Morrison, MA
- 3 30 Romolo Picciandra, MA

World Championship

Quincy, CA, Apr 30-May 2, 1999

Director: Mike Taborski

MAIN: 240

- 1 196 Greg Schleusner, CA
- 2 147 Dennis R. Gage, CA
- 3 105 Richard Frost, WI
- 3 105 Mildred Wolf, OR
- 5 70 Jeff Pask (NM), CA
- 5 70 Dave Hodgins (NM), CA
- 5 70 William Summers II, CA
- 5 70 Boyd R. McDonald, CA
- CONSOLATION: 90
- 1 63 Nick Ayoob, CA
- 2 45 Elmer Rasmussen, WA
- 3 30 Darrel E. Mlotke, OR
- 3 30 Michael M. Rowe, AK

Rio Linda Open

Rio Linda, CA, May 8, 1999

Director: Craig Hays

MAIN: 66

- 1 147 Dearol A. White, CA
- 2 105 Mary Herrmann, CA
- 3 70 Stephen Reynolds, CA
- 3 70 Evelyn Gillmore, CA
- CONSOLATION: 40
- 1 45 Craig L. Ross, CA
- 2 30 Maudann Grimm, CA
- 3 18 Mary Gladish, CA
- 3 18 Avon C. Ray, CA

Island Cribbage Quest

Harris, MI, May 8-9, 1999

Director: Joseph Aird

MAIN: 120

- 1 147 Alan Lindner, WI
- 2 105 Harry Langman, WI
- 3 70 Francis Froelich, WI
- 3 70 Ronald Hirschman Sr., WI
- CONSOLATION: 64
- 1 45 Wayne Steinmetz, WI
- 2 30 Jeff Wussow, WI
- 3 18 Rosemary Daun, WI
- 3 18 Nancy Vachavake, WI

Red Hot Open

Red Bluff, CA, May 15, 1999

Director: Ron Sargent

MAIN: 70

- 1 147 Jones H. Hom, CA
- 2 105 Herschel Mack, CA
- 3 70 Avon C. Ray, CA
- 3 70 Jeff Pask (NM), CA
- CONSOLATION: 38
- 1 45 E.G. Hanson, CA
- 2 30 Jason Shumate, CA
- 3 18 Mary Herrmann, CA
- 3 18 Boyd McDonald, CA

Connecticut

Championship

Manchester, CT, May 16, 1999

Director: Bill Shoemaker

MAIN: 104

- 1 147 Sharlene Medeiros, MA
- 2 105 George E. Webb, MA
- 3 70 Robert Van Gorder, CT
- 3 70 Gene Chandonnet (NM), NH
- CONSOLATION: 60
- 1 45 Louis J. Petosa, CT
- 2 30 Bill Medeiros, MA
- 3 18 Robert King, CT
- 3 18 Fayann Salerno, MA

NWNC Open

Greensboro, NC, May 15-16, 1999

Director: Robert Wenzel

MAIN: 88

- 1 147 Charles Dolge, NC
- 2 105 Dave Ritchey, FL
- 3 70 Jeff Raynes, NC
- 3 70 Oszkar Molnar, NC
- CONSOLATION: 68
- 1 63 Ray Melnert, VA
- 2 45 Betty Schaeffer, FL
- 3 30 Michael E. Crowe, VA
- 3 30 Allen Wiles, GA

Potawatomi Peggers

Pow-Wow

Stevensville, MI, May 15-16, 1999

Director: Jeff & Joy Shimp

MAIN: 90

- 1 147 Duane W. Toll, WI
- 2 105 Martha Fingleton, WI
- 3 70 Sandra Stroup, IL
- 3 70 Mervin Morris, ON
- CONSOLATION: 46
- 1 45 Joe Bernard, IL
- 2 30 Sue Schenk, MI
- 3 18 Jim Blough, MI
- 3 18 Ginny Danielski, WI

Bill Mitchell Memorial

Crescent City, CA, May 22-23, '99

Director: Dan Mitchell

MAIN: 41

- 1 105 Bernie Nelson, OR
- 2 70 Rollic Heath, OR
- 3 42 Darren Black, OR
- 3 42 Robert Julian, WI
- CONSOLATION: 38
- 1 45 Jason Waldvogel, CA
- 2 30 Jones H. Hom, CA
- 3 18 Donna Hassett, OR
- 3 18 Todd Anderson, OR

Nipomo Open

Nipomo, CA, May 28-30, 1999

Director: Darrell Hunstad

MAIN: 120

- 1 147 R. Roy Banducci, CA
- 2 105 John Mock, CA
- 3 70 Lou Jenkins, CA
- 3 70 Ametee Killion, CA
- CONSOLATION: 86
- 1 63 Roberta E. Nelson, CA
- 2 45 Len Wahlig, CA
- 3 30 Beatrice Olyer, CA
- 3 30 Harvey Honeycutt, OR

Greater Spokane Open

Spokane, WA, May 28-30, 1999

Director: Betty Johnson

MAIN: 140

- 1 196 Brad Stevens, CO
- 2 147 Harold Buckley, AB
- 3 105 Doris Sanders, AB
- 3 105 Jack Moritzky, WA
- 5 70 Clair E. Morse, OR
- 5 70 Sharon Hejtmank, MT
- 5 70 Walter Stubel, AB
- 5 70 Ed Kivett, AZ
- CONSOLATION: 79
- 1 63 James Hornbacher, WA
- 2 45 I.V. Graham, MT
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