# CRIBBAGE WORLD VOLUME XXV-NUMBER 1 - JANUARY 2004

AMERICAN CRIBBAGE CONGRESS

### Record 244 At Lincoln City, OR

### Chinook Winds: Bob Diefenbach

In mid-December some 244 peggers descended on the Chinook Winds Casino in Lincoln City, OR for some spirited pegging. With the rain, wind, and hail buffeting the Oregon Coast, the players were warm as toast in the casino, and the pegging was also toasty...especially for Bob Diefenbach from nearby Newport Beach. He began the weekend's pegging by zipping to the Early Bird win (\$445) and continued on to take the Main Event title as well (\$1,615). This grand run netted some 196 MRP's and bragging rights galore. Two-Star Duane Toll (WI) came very close, losing 3-2 in the final match, but with the 147 MRP's earned has vaulted to the National MRP lead, standing at the 900 mark for this cribbage year. The final game saw Diefenbach needing 12 to win with first count, holding 4-J-Q-K (all diamonds), and cut the ace of diamonds to win going away! Life Master Jim Gogolin (OR) nipped Grand Master Mel Ashley (CA) by a single point to finish 3rd (\$1,000), Ashley took home 4th (\$700). Life Master Todd Malmgren was smoking in the qualifying round, and posted a high Q score (39 17/22 +245), netting 65 MRP's for the card.

Steve Harding (CA) and Millie Moritzky (WA) banged heads for the Conslation title with Harding barely coming home with the win 2-1. Jim Bailey (OR) and Keith Blackman (OR) finished 3-4. Bill

O'Malley (OR), fresh from a win a week earlier at the Seven Feathers event, continues his run by posting a grand slam 19 9/9 card to take Q honors.

Directors Rollie Heath, Roy & Jeanne Hofbauer, and Bernie Nelson had the huge playing hall buzzing with cribbage three-days running. The winners:

Early Bird: Bob Diefenbach (OR) High Roller: Bill Wakeman (CA) High Roller O: Mel Ashley (CA)

Doubles: Dave & Bryant Gilkeson (Or & NV) Saturday: Dave Gilkeson 18 9/9 +145 (OR) Last Chance: Dennis Misenar (WA)

Super Q: Bob Diefenbach (OR)

Team: D. Black, J. Hornbacher, F. Ornie, R. Rasmussen, T. Malmgren

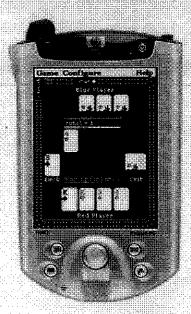
The Chinook Winds Casino will host Grand National XXIV (2005), and it certainly appears it will be a great one. The facility is top notch, and is located right on the beach. This time around, the casino added \$1,000 to the prize fund, and furnished coffee, pop, and sweets three days running. Playing space will be no problem, as huge quality rooms are available. Director Rollie Heath has already swung into action and is planning a gala event in 2005!

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- 5- John Thibault, Daniel Webster, Sept. 7
- 6- Mona Wahlig, WI Dells Classic, Oct. 26
- 7- Trevor White, Charm City, Nov. 8
- 8- Bob Fitzgerald, Yankee Classic, Nov. 18
- 9- Bob Bartosh, Xmas Wrap, Nov. 23

### **Toll Takes MRP Lead**

As the American Cribbage Congress winds down the 5th month this cribbage year, Two-Star Duane Toll (WI) has broken away from the pack with a 2nd place finish at the huge Chinook Winds Open in Lincoln City, OR. Toll has 900 MRP's in the bank as we hit into the new year, with seven month's play remaining.

In the Eastern Region, Two-Star Harry Palmer (MA) and One-Star David Clemmey (MA) are battling for the lead, with both players over the 700 mark (unofficially). Life Master Bob McCabe (WI) is hot on Toll's heels in the Central Region, while out west a bevy of players are in the hunt for honors. Grand Master John Furler (OR), Four-Star DeLynn Colvert (MT), newlycrowned Master Jim Crawford (CA), Life Master Ron Morgan (CA), and Grand Master Roland Hall (CA) are in the 600-700 range. Many other peggers are but a stone's throw behind. The race is on. Cribbage fever, catch it!

### Ouiz

Word Puzzle from Orlando Sentinel (FL)
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### John Delinsky Red Hot at Charm City Classic

It was John Delinsky's weekend at the recent Charm City Classic, Laurel, Maryland on November 8-9. This Bowie, Maryland pegger blistered the boards all weekend, beginning with taking the Friday Early Bird and continuing on to take Q honors in the Main Event, and if that were not enough, zipped to the championship in the playoffs as well. This run netted Delinsky 197 MRP's (aggregate), and bragging rights galore.

Keith Widener, (NC), a newly crowned Master, has a recent history of close finishes. He took 2nd this time around, just missed earning All-American honors last year, and just missed being elected to the Board of Directors. But 2nd isn't all bad as he took home yet another 105 MRP's in his run for the roses this cribbage year. Nancy Roncetti (PA) and Norm Herbert (MD) took home 3-4, with each player earning 70 MRP's.

Jeff Raynes (NC) recently earned his Grand Master and he proves it was no fluke by taking the 56-player Consolation. Loren Wakeling (VA) finished 2nd, followed by Linda Brent (MD) and Scott Harker (PA) in the 3-4 slot. Joyce Bryant (MD) took qualifying honors with a grand slam 18 9/9 +158.

Director Steve Sattler reported Trevor White scored the ACC's 7th 29-hand this cribbage year, netting White \$100 for this sanctioned gem. Sattler also reports the satellite winners:

Friday Early Bird: John Delinsky

High Roller: Sharon Deane

Doubles: Dave Clemmey & Dave Campbell

Last Chance: Phil Vierela

Team: Sharon Deane, Howard Terry, Keith

Widener

29: Trevor White

28's: Dan Beuttenmiller, Larry Phifer

Sattler aslo reported some \$222 was raised for Multiple Sclerosis Society through sale of a 50-50 raffle. In an oddity, the top two qualifiers finished 1-2 in the playoffs as well.

### Jerry Hardy Looking For Rookie of Year Award

Jerry Hardy, Phillips, ME, is in the driver's seat for Rookie of the Year honors. He recently won his 2nd sanctioned event this cribbage year. Earlier (August 10) he won the New England Inaugural, besting 114 players.

### **Brenda Palmer Tops 124** at Yankee Classic

Life Master Brenda Palmer (MA) came to play at the annual Yankee Classic. With some 124 peggers in action at the Rockville, CT Elks, Palmer carted home yet another 147 MRP's to add to her lifetime ledger (8,500+). Her last playoff opponent was the formidable Life Master Bob Drukman (MA) and she prevailed for the win. Drukman took home 105 MRP's for 2nd.

Sharlene Medeiros, another Life Master, and Laurie Owen-Rancourt (ME) finished 3-4. Mike Misluk (CT) scored a 17 8 +147 to take Q honors.

Director Phil. Martin reported that Master Bob Fitzgerald scored the ACC's 9th 29-hand this cribbage year, and will be awarded \$100 from the ACC for this gem.

### **Perry Stump Tops In Florida**

The South Florida Open was won by Perry Stump, pegging out of Edgewater, FL. Stump's win, with 89 players in action, netted 147 MRP's and the South Florida Crown. David Ritchey (FL) very nearly earned his Grand Master by taking home 2nd. Joe Daesch (FL) and Garey Herter (FL) finished 3-4. Don Pilcher (FL) scored a 33-GP card to take Q honors.

Ray Poirier (FL) ran the table in the 58-player Consolation. He took Q honors with a great 19 GP card, and roared home the winner in the playoffs as well. Chuck Barnes (FL) was the last victim of Poirier's run. Nevertheless, 2nd place (of 58) is a great run as well. Bill Cooper (GA) and Eric Gorrell finished 3-4.

Director Ken Johnson reported the satellite winners:

Friday: Larry Martin Saturday: Ray Poirier

Last Chance: R. Bruce Brown

28's Bob Sheehan, Robert McAnelly, J. J. Gella, and Russ Cook

### Kristy Haught Under Weather

Kristy Haught, the ACC's Grass Roots Statistician, is "under the weather" lately, and even suffered a severe reaction to an antibiotic, spending 7 1/2 hours in a hospital emergency room. She promises to get back on track reporting numbers as soon as she is able.

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### Dave Stoa Tough In Minnesota Dave Stoa, Minneapolis, was tough on his

home turf at the recent Minnesota Open, played at Cannon Falls in late November. His final playoff match pitted him vs. Grand Master Bob Chase (also from Minneapolis) and Stoa's cards remained hot for the win. With 132 players in the field, Stoa netted 196 MRP's, and Chase came home with 147. Life Master Bob McCabe (WI) is having a fine season and finished in the 3-4 bracket with Paul Carberry (MN). McCabe has over 500 MRP's in the bank this season, and is zeroing in on his One-Star rating. Dave Yaeger (MO) was rolling in the Q round with a nice 38 18.22 +235 to take honors.

Keith Widener (NC), a member of last year's Eastern All-Regional team, is at it again, as he was the Consolation's top qualifier (18 8/9) +135) and very nearly won the playoffs as well. He finished 2nd as the Central All-Regional team's Wayne Steinmetz (WI) zipped to the win in the final playoff match. Widener is a newly-crowned Master and Steinmetz is a One-LeRoy Johnson (MN) and One-Star Warren Sondericker (WI) finished in the 3-4 bracket. Sondericker is nearing his Two-Star rating, standing at 14,800.

Director Jerry Gruber reported the following satellite winners:

Friday: Wes Falz (MN) 19 8/9 +150 Saturday: Tony Danihel 18 8/9 +164 All-Events: Roger Grandgeorge (62)

28's: Ray Hansen (IA) (Consolation); LeLand

Johnson (Friday)

Gruber reported an oddity, as both Friday and Saturday night winners came away with 8 wins. Both had lost that lone game by one point ... and both in the 7th game!

Wedding Bells
Judy and Ken Totten, Burnaby, BC, were married in Reno on December 11. One week later they were spotted playing a little cribbage at the Chinook Winds Open in Lincoln City, OR. After the match, they headed north to British Columbia and home. A little cribbage on a honeymoon will certainly add a little sparkle to any match!

Jarrell Nails Capper

At the High Roller event in Lincoln City, Two-Star Jesse Jarrell (CA) pulled out all stops in taking Grand Master Ken Capper (OR) by 77 points! Ouch!

### Pat Barrett: "Wisconsin Cribbage Alive and Well!"

Board of Director's member Patrick Barrett (WI) wrote Cribbage World and reports that Wisconsin cribbage is alive and well! Record crowds are playing at the Dells, Eau Claire, Green Bay, Turtle Lake, Carter, Slinger, Madison, Marinette, and elsewhere. Cribbage fever, catch it! They have in Wisconsin!

He also reported his home Grass Roots club (Wisconsin Rapids) is playing to crowds of 30 or more routinely.

### Oh, To Qualify (to the tune of "Wouldn't It Be Loverly" by Steve Harding (CA)

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Steve, after writing this poem, did indeed go to number one when the action ended (Consolation, Chinook Wins Open, besting 162 players! Oh, wasn't it loverly!) Ed.

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Bearded presidents? Only Republican presidents have sported beards.

Charles de Gaulle's last words: "It hurts!"

### Internet Cribbage Program: Cribbage Cup Event Debuts

On December 1, the ACC held the first of its online Cribbage Cup tournaments, which feature a combined format similar to that used on the Tournament Trail. Players are divided into six-player groups for a round-robin qualifying round, with winners of three or more games advancing to single elimination playoff matches. As luck would have it, the Finals in this inaugural event came down to two Grass Roots clubmates: Bob Iacopi and Dale Kochenburg of San Jose, CA. Iacopi drew 5-J-Q-O from eight points out in the last game to triumph over the two-time TOC winner Kochenburg. Cribbage Cup events will continue on alternate Mondays at 7:30 PM EST (4:30 PM PST). Join us, and let us know how you like this experimental format.

Our Thursday night and Saturday afternoon single elimination events remain popular. The November 8 tournament, which attracted 80 players, was won by Ronald Ralston of Iowa, who prevailed over ACC Webmaster Paul Gregson in the best-of-three Finals. Gregson had previously drawn the first 28 hand in ACC Internet history to win his Semifinal match. Ralston's victory underscores the appeal of the ACC's new Internet Cribbage Program for those who live in locales with limited over-the-board cribbage activity.

ACC Internet tournaments are held at MSN Games by Zone.com. Other Internet hosts sites are being researched for possible future events. Complete information about ACC Internet cribbage, along with rules, tournament results and the full schedule, are available at <a href="https://www.cribbage.org/internet">www.cribbage.org/internet</a>. If you have an Internet connection, do join us. ACC Internet cribbage is fun!

### Wilma MacDonald Earms Master

Old man Murphy has surfaced once again, insofar as ACC record keeping is concerned. In last year's pegging action some 40 of America's best peggers were reported to have earned their Master rating.

Oops! Wilma MacDonald, Avon, MA, was the 41st, and somehow she failed to make the list. Her Master board, with apologies, have been mailed to Wilma.

On average, 100 people choke to death on ball-point pens every year. (most were signing a 2-GP card).

#### In Memoriam

### **Beverly Halstead**

Oroville, California

Beverly passed away November 16 surrounded by her loving daughters. She and her husband Walt helped start GR 154 in Oroville, and were loyal and regular members. Bev was an avid and tough player and will be missed by all

### Len Wahlig

O'Fallon, Illinois

Len passed away on November 27th from complications of lung cancer. As a defense contractor analyst, Len lived in different parts of the country during the last 10 years. Len was a member of the Tidewaters 29er's, GR 117; Northshore Peggers, GR 110; San Diego Border Bandits, GR 79, and he founded the Gateway Cribbage Club, GR 288. Len attained his Master rating in 1998, was an ACC Judge and was always ready to help at various tournaments. Len enjoyed the game and considered the ACC players whom he met through the years as his extended family. He will be greatly missed by all who knew him.

### Henry Douglass's \$20 One Winner Pool tops \$200,000, 10.000 Entrants

For players on the cribbage circuit, Henry Douglass's \$20, one-winner pool is a familiar part of events when Douglass makes an appearance.

Douglass recently confided to Cribbage World that he recently signed on the 10,000th entrant (Jack Ledbetter, Ft. Walton Beach Open, November, 2003). Douglass also noted his pools have topped the \$200,000 mark in entry fees.

The largest winner to date? Al Miller (NH) won some \$3,100 at the 1993 National Open in Raleigh, NC. The smallest pot was won by Andy Wroblewski (NJ) at the GR Regional in Greensboro, NC....\$180!

And how has Douglass fared at his own pools? He has won 8 times and split the pot twice in some 241 tries. His largest win was at the Grand National in Plymouth, MA (\$1,120).

Douglass has run this pool in 16 states, Mexico, Canada, and on cruises. (He notes that, yes, he will accept tips!)

### John Stamschror, Cribbago Board Logacy

I would like to inform you that my father, John Stamschror, passed away on November 16, 2003. He had fought his way back from the diagnosis of lung cancer 4 years ago, was diagnosed with congestive heart failure about 11/2 years ago and then the first week of November of this year he found out that his cancer had returned. He died less than 2 weeks after the diagnosis.

John really enjoyed playing cribbage and going to the tournaments. He was proud of his accomplishments of being a Grand Master, I believe twice? I'm not sure of the exact titles, but I know he had 2 huge cribbage board trophies. He gave the trophy that he earned while living in Waukesha, WI to a grandson that lives in Milwaukee. The other trophy was earned while living with us in Minnesota and he gave it to my oldest daughter, his 12 year old granddaughter. He taught them both how to play the game. My daughter looked forward to playing with him and she felt pretty proud when she beat him for the first time this past October. I often wondered if he"allowed" her to win, but he kept saying that she earned it on her own.

John knew many people from playing cribbage and the tournaments. He got his brother, Charlie Stamschror from California, interested in playing and together they attended several tournaments these past couple of years.

Pam Moriarity, John's daughter

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Friday, January 23, 2004

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### Phyllis Schmidt Earns 7th Two-Star

This cribbage year has seen Joe Bernard (IL) earn the ACC's 6th Two-Starrating (15,000 MRP's).

At the recent Northern New England Championship, Portsmouth, NH, Phyllis Schmidt, Williamstown, MA has unofficially earned the ACC's 7th Two-Star rating.

Rumor has it she is playing on the Oregon Coast in December to see if her new status works on the Western Region players.

### Two Weeks Late

Jeanne Jelke (WA) was two weeks late earning her Master rating last year, but Awards Director DeLynn Colvert fudged on the rules and had her recieve the award at the Grand National in Sioux Falls, SD. She had her heart set on being on the same program as Jim Langley (CA).



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### **GRASS ROOTS CORNER**

Items for this column are encouraged and should be sent to <u>TomLewis@Spinn.net</u> or mailed to Tom Lewis, 7916 Eagle Rock Ave. NE, Albuquerque, NM 87122-2753



GRASS ROOTS AWARDS If you score a 28 hand, 29 hand or a Grand Slam Scorecard, you'll get your Award Certificate at least two weeks earlier if your Club Director sends it to their Regional Statistician by email as opposed to snail mail. If anyone does not have an email form, let me know and I'll email you one!.....Tom

Art Fisher CA 623) continues to dominate the Grass Roots scene! Art plays in Grass Roots Club 82 which are the Monterey Marauders in Seaside, CA. Club 82 has played 11 tournaments as of November 19th, earning 142 points. Art is #1 of 19 in his club; #1 of 1,221 in Region IV (Western Region) and #1 of 3,735 in Division #1 (Clubs playing 25 tournaments or more.) Congratulations Art, keep it up!...Tom

News from Club 89 in Springfield, VA. The Cribbage Critters provide us with the story of an unusual evening! Several weeks back they had a most unusual situation occur. First, Bill Soderholm (VA 197) was dealing and had a five cut giving him the elusive 29 hand - his first in 70 years of playing. This was shortly followed up when another player, Lorraine Herendeen, (VA 410) also wound up with four five's, But alas, she had the wrong jack and wound up missing the 29. Even a 28 hand is a nice consolation! By the end of the evening their skunk fund had shrunk dramatically! The elusive 29 has only occurred three times, including this one, in the 14 years history of this club. Ironically, the last one was scored by a young lady some years ago that dropped in one night and

signed up. After scoring the hand and getting half of the skunk pot she never showed up again. In spite of much searching we were unable to locate her after that. Perhaps with the achievement of a 29, she felt there were further challenges in the game!

In regards to the Puyallup Fair Booth. I would like to give credit to Cliff Brandsma as he did all the preliminary work, such as arranging for the booth, going to the individual clubs with signup sheets and free tickets forthe fair. With George Stanton's help they set up the booth and also helpedman it and then had to clean up afterwards. The booth was hosted bγ all clubs in the Northwest. Each club was assigned 3 days. The following clubs were involved: CLUB WA 108--Sno-King Peggers-Seattle, 148— Sca-Tac Peggers - Federal Way, WA Peggers -Olalla. WA 204---Kitsap WA 226—Everett Eagles Everett, 232- Chehalis-Centralia Cribbage Club -WA Centralia. 243- Pierce County 31-2 - Tacoma, WA 246—Lacey Peggers \_ Lacey. WA 260 — GCC-Cove Cribbage Club, Brinnon, WA 305—Eastside Peggers - Kirkland, WA

### WASHINGTON STATE CRIBBAGE CHAMPIONSHIPS - Jan 9-11, 2004

Our inaugural effort in 1999 drew 166. Attendance increased to 177 in 2000 and 186 in 2001. A nice jump took place in 2002 when 234 participated and 236 showed in 2003, 2004 will be the sixth annual event hosted by the Chehalis-Centralia Cribbage Club. As usual, we want to offer a quality event. Our plans are ambitious. In addition to providing some of Cribbage World's most beautiful trophies at no cost to the players, we want to add considerable sums of money to the prize funds. We would like to add \$1,000 to Main, \$500 to Consolation, \$250 to Doubles, and \$100 to every other event. Many folks in the cribbage family have offered their support to our efforts, and we have mailed 650 letters to Chamber of Commerce businesses in this area. Recent donations and pledges have been received from

the following in generous amounts: JACK & MILLIE MÖRITZKY Mabton, WA; BOB & LOUISE WILSON Tacoma; VICTORIA NORRIS Chehalis; PAPA RAY'S CAFÉ Centralia; GEORGE STANTON Olympia; WIDGEON HILL WINERY Chehalis; GARY & NANCY RASMUSSEN Chehalis; KAREN FERRARO Battle Ground, WA; DENNIS MISENAR Bremerton; DON BAKKO Shelton; DICK & ZITA WINSLOW Napavine, WA; and AMERICAN PROMOTIONAL EVENTS NW Everett, WA. If you would like to join our growing list of sponsors, please complete form at end of letter and return to me by E-mail or snail mail as convenient. If money is tight, you can help assure the success of this event in other ways. We need like-new items of \$20 value or more for our raffle. Half of the raffle income will be paid directly to the players. Half of what remains will go to designated charities. The remaining balance will be used to establish a reserve for the following year's event not to exceed \$500. You can describe your items on the pledge form & indicate their value.

Will also need numerous small prizes for 24-pot table. Items may be gift wrapped as surprise packages or unwrapped as convenient for you. These items should have a value of less than \$10. Hundreds of these items walk off each year. Most importantly, plan to attend this event. Will get more information to you regarding the actual tournament, the schedule of activities, and entry fees in the weeks ahead. Watch for our ad in the November issue of Cribbage World as well. Many of the world's leading players will be in attendance. And the atmosphere will be very friendly. We guarantee it!

#### BOARD MEETING CLUB ADVISORY

The Club Advisory Board is comprised of MARY HERRING, DENNIS LAMPERT, CHRIS MC COMAS, JIM TUNING, and DICK WINSLOW. This group will meet on the first Thursday of each month at 5:00 PM. All meetings are open, as we have no secrets. If you're pleased about something, let them know. If you're not pleased, let them know.

WASHINGTON STATE CRIBBAGE CHAM-PIONSHIPS PLEDGE OF SUPPORT - 2004 Please provide name, address, phone number and email address to RAS at RAS@localaccess.com. Cash donated as Tournament Sponsor

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You may specify a preference as to how funds are to be expended. Make any comments below. It should be noted, however, that trophies have been ordered. For those who donate \$50 or more, your name will be displayed on Tournament Sponsor banner, and you will receive special thanks and a financial statement after the event. Make checks payable to Chehalis-Centralia Cribbage Club & mail to "RAS" 1100 Cobra Lane, Centralia, WA 98531

How about this? "RAS" dealt himself 9-10-Q-K of diamonds and dumped A-4 to his crib. Teach that in class. Start with six points without the starter card (4 in hand and two in crib guaranteed). The cut was Jack of diamonds. Got two points for turning the Jack. Wasn't even thinking of a straight flush and there it was. It took five weeks for anybody to hit this and to score such on an inside cut really defies the odds. And think of this! It's got to be at least 10 times as difficult to score this in the crib. Our great friend TEDDY KAHN scored it in the crib twice. Unbelievable but true! This hand occurs once in each 8,208 deals. Frequency is almost exactly the same as for a 28-hand. And that pup paid \$45! That was a boost since I won two games all night and was working on a string of pearls until game six

Interesting side note from Club 110 in Honolulu! It seems with their limited amount of exposure to larger groups and occasional visitors from the mainland that they have two DOMINANT players in their group. Funny thing is that their skills as well as their personalities show up on different days. One dominates the GR Fridays, while the other dominates their Sunday ACC tourneys. Jimmy Kahue has dominated the GR with almost 100 GR points this season, while Charlie Rodgers has amassed an amazing 400+ in 5 tourneys each of which has never surpassed 30 entrants.

Get skinny fast: it takes more calories to eat and digest a piece of celery than it has.

Ants don't sleep.

### **Tournament Trail**

### Upcoming Sanctioned Events

EF: Entry Fee Abbreviation

Keys
Cons: Consolation
DBL: Doubles
SGL: Singles

HR: High Roller

Jan. 9-11. Washington Championship Moose Lodge, 1400 Grand Ave., Centralia, WA 98531. EF: \$50, \$10 Q. \$3 to charity. \$4 lunch. Fri2:30PM, FRIHR7PM, FriDBL7PM, SatS7PM, Cons, LC. Contact: Ras Rasmussen, 1100 Cobra Ln., Centralia, WA 98531. (360) 807-8392. C0-D: Gary Rasmussen (360) 262-0224.

January 9-11, Carter Classic

Indina Springs Lodge, 670 Hwy. 32, Wabeno. WI 54566, EF: \$60, \$15 Q. Bkfst (2), Sat lunch. Fri3PM\$10, Fri7:30PM\$20, Sat7:30PM\$20, Cons. Contact: Robert & Dottie Culver, 17522 Dencur Ct., Townsend, WI 54175. (715) 276-6578.

Jan. 9-11, Virginia Championship

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Holiday Inns Crossroads, 2000 Staple Mills Rd., Richmond, VA 23230. EF: \$55, \$20 Q. Coffee, donuts, Sat. lunch. FriEB7:30PM, SatS7:30PM, SatHR7:30PM, Cons, team play. Contact: Rick Allen, 3013 Landria Dr., Richmond, VA 23225. (804) 323-7476. Co-D: Janet Meinert.

January 16-18, Peg For Border II La Mesa Lodge, 4431 Date Ave., La Mesa, CA 91944. EF: \$55, \$10 Q. Coffee, donuts, juice, lunch. Fri7PM\$25/\$5, SatS\$25/\$5, Cons. Con-tact: Shelley Berman, 126 Rea Ave., El Cajon, CVA 92020. (619) 444-7655. Co-D: Roz Berman (619) 440 9474 (ave.) (619) 440 9474 (eve.)

Jan. 16-18, Pacific Coast Champ.

Masonic Lodge, 48 San Joaquin St., Salinas, CA 93906. EF: \$60, \$10 Q. Coffee, donuts, lunch. FriEB\$20/\$10, SatS\$20/\$10, Cons, team play, All-E, Cons, Contact: H. Ross Njaa, 1258 Riker St., Salinas, CA 93901. (831) 422-2024. Co-D: Wayne Proechel.

January 18, Hawaii Open

St. Louis Alumni Club House, 916 Coolidge St., Honolulu, HI 96826, EF: \$40, no Q. \$2 to charity. Donuts, lunch. Cons. Contact: Tsarkie, 3261 Klilihune PLace, Honolulu, HI 96816. (808) 734-4800. Co-D: Fred White.

Jan. 16-18, Savannah, GA Open

Masters Inn, 4200 Hwy 21 N., Garden City, GA 31408. EF: \$55, \$20 Q. \$3 to charity. Coffee, donuts. Fri7PM, SAt7:30PM, Cons. Contact: Bill Cooper, 313 E. 57th St., Savannah, GA 31405. (912) 233-5976. Co-D: Mary Ann Cooper.

January 23-25, Portland Open Ramada Inn, 6221 NE 82nd Ave., Portland, OR 97220. EF: \$55, \$10 Q. Lunch. FriTP3PM\$10/\$10, FriHR\$50/\$50, FriDBL\$50team, SatS\$10/\$10/ \$20, All-E, Cons, LC. Contact: Tim Julkowski, 16 SW Porter St. #203, Portland, OR 97201. (503) 796-5850. Co-D: Ken Julkowski.

January 25, 15th Super Lite Classic Dante Club, Memorial Ave., W. Springfield, MA 01089. EF: \$45, \$10 Q. \$1 to charity. Cons. Contact: Charlie Finley, 16 Carol St., Enfield, CT 06082. (860) 745-1143. Mail entry to: James Law, 79 Wildwood Glen, Longmeadow, MA 01106.

January 31, 7th Minnesota Valentine Special Wells Lanes, 365 N. Concord, S. St. Paul, MN 55075. EF: \$45, \$10 Q. Lunch. Cons. Contact: Jerry Gruber, 5121 Nokomis Ave. S., Minneapolis, MN 55417. (612) 722-1292. Co-D. Al Booth (763) 783-

February 7-8, JPW/ACC Open

The Sands, 345 N. Arlington, Reno, NV. EF: \$60 \$20 Q. Cakes, coffee. Cons. Contact: Scott Kooistra, 11004 Edgewood Ave., N., Champlin, MN 55316. (763) 424-9717. Co-D: Roy & Jeanne Hofbauer (360) 835-3623.

February 14, Wine Country Open Veterans Home, Lincoln Bldg., 2nd floor, Yountville, CA 94599. EF: \$55, \$10 Q. Coffee, donuts, lunch avail., \$1.50 to charity. Cons. 18-game GR Nat. Sunday, Feb. 15. Limited to first 96, no walk-ins. Entry deadline: Feb. 10. Flyer: www.cribbage.org Contact: Roland HAII, (707) 253-8168. Email: Rolandh29@hotmail.com

February 14, Edmonton Sweetheart Open Army, Navy, AF Club, 12611 127th St., Edmonton, AB T5L 1A4, EF: \$42, \$10 Q. Coffee, lunch. Cons. Contact: Doris Sanders, 7 Steele Crescent, Edmonton, AB T5A 1G4, Canada. (780) 478 8488. Co-D: Harold Buckley (780) 962-5083.

February 15, Medway Open Medway VFW, 123 Holliston St., Medway, MA. EF: \$45, \$10Q. \$1 to charity. Coffee, donuts. Cons. Contact: Dave Clemmey, PO Box 621, Mansfield, MA 02048-0621. (508) 339-5225.

February 20-22, St. Croix Classic St. Croix Casino, 777Hwy 8, Turtle Lake, WI 54437. EF: \$55, \$15 Q. Coffee, juice, soda, lunch. Fri8PM, Sat8PM, Leastski, Cons. 24-28-29 GS prizes. Contact: Alan Lindner, 408 E. Schofield Ave., Greenfield, WI 54437. (715) 267-7629. Co-D: Vickie Linder.

Feb. 20-22, Roy Carlson Memorial Coeur D'Alene Casino, Hwy 95, Worley, ID 83843. EF: \$50, \$10 Q. FriEB, DBL, HR, SatS, Cons. Contact: Betty Johnson, E. 7317 2nd Ave., Spokane, WA 99212. (509) 928-6404. Co-D: Bruce Denend, Estalita Ells.

Feb. 20-22, Ed Horigan Memorial Lake Wright Hotel, 6280 Northampton Blvd., Norfolk, VA 23502. EF: \$58, \$20 Q. \$2 to charity. LUnch. FriSGL, SatDBL, SatHR, Cons. Contact: Marvin

Lewis, 4065 Cory Lane, Chesapeake, VA 23321. (757) 488-1920. Email: marvinwl €0cox.net

February 21, Valentines Day Open Senior Ctr., 415 W. 2nd St., Antioch, CA 94509. EF: \$55, \$10 Q. \$3 to charity. Coffee, contl bkfst. lunch. Cons. Contact: Evelyn Gillmore, 1786 Clinton Dr., Concord, CA 94521. (925) 686-3463. Co-D. Helen Bolstad, Anne Sheeran.

February 22, Shawn's Special ParX Club. 36 Stanley Ave. Woods EF: \$ CANCELLED Moonsocket PI 02895. s. Cons. CANCELLED Conta MA 0 forwood, mington

(401) 333-9216.

February 22, Hawaii Open (Feb) St. Louis Alumni Assoc., 916 Coolidge St., Honolulu, Hi 96826. EF: \$40, no Q. \$2 to charity. Donuts. lunch. Cons. Contact: Tsarkie, 3261 Kilihune Pl, Honolulu, HI 96816. (808) 734 4800. Co-D: Fred

White.

February 27-29, MGM Oneida Open Radisson Hotel/Oneida Casino, 2020 Airport Dr., Green Bay, WI 54313. EF: \$65, \$20 Q. (Entry dis-counted to \$50 before 2-20-04) \$1 to charity. Cof-

fee, soda. FriHR\$100, FriD8L\$40/team, SatSGL\$20, SatDBL\$40/team, Cons. 24 28-29 perks. 100% payback all events. Contact: Tom Gallagher, 1160 St. AGnes Dr., Green Bay, WI 54304. (920) 499-0775. Co-D: Bob Miller (920) 592-9259. Email: susie54304@aol.com

February 28-29, Winter US Open

West Covina Elks, 841 W. Merced, W. Covina, CA 91790. EF: \$60, \$15 Q. Coffee, donuts, lunch, trophies. Cons. Limited tol first 70. Contact: Norm Nikodym, 2132 S. Wisteria Ct., Ontario, CA 91761. (909) 986-9454. Co-D: Beverly Castillo (562) 305-304Ó.

March 5-7, Roadrunner Classic

Apache Wells Activity Hall, 2237 N. 56th St., Mesa. AZ. EF: \$50, \$10/\$20Q. Coffee, juice, donuts, cookies, soda. Fri7PM\$20, FriHR\$50, SatS\$20, All-E, Cons. NO Sat. Walk-ins. Contact: Ron & Laurie Logan, 8232 E. Pinnacle Cir., Gold Canyon, AZ 85218. (480) 288-9459. Co-D: Terry Hurtgen, Peggy Cunningham.

March 5-7, Raleigh March Madness

Holiday Inn, Cranston Valley, 4100 Glenwood Ave., Raleigh, NC 27612. EF: \$57.50, \$20 Q. Coffee, donuts, lunch. Fri7:30PM, SatS7:30PM, SatHR7:30PM, Cons, LC. Contact: Ray Fischer, 102 New Deer Ln., Cary, NC 27511. (919) 851-2804. Co-D: Cathy Perkins.

March 6-7, Illinois Open

D'Andrea Banquets, 4419 Northwest Hwy, Crystal Lake, IL 60012. EF: \$60, \$20 Q. Lunch. Fri8PM\$20, Sat7PM\$20, Cons. Contact: Marvin Lang, 1035 Rose Ct., Woodstock, IL 60098, (815) 338-2425. Co-D: Dave Drew.

March 5-7, Timber Classic

Seven Feathers Casino, Canyonville, OR 97417. EF: \$50, \$10 Q, Coffee, softdrinks. FriEB, SatS, Cons, LC. Contact: John Thiems, 746 Elgarose Rd., Roseburg, OR 97470. (541) 677-0102. Co-D: Larry Hassett.

March 6-7, Alaska Championship American Legion, 840 W. Fireweed Lane, Anchorage, AK 99503. EF: \$50, no Q. 10% to charity. Cons. Contact: Dave Schwartz, 3630 Burl Ct., Anchorage, AK 99504. (907) 522-4927. Co-

D: Heather Brean (907) 338-5847. March 12-13, River City Open

Fair Oaks VFW, 8990 Kruithof Way, Fair Oaks, CA 95628. EF: \$65, \$10 Q. \$3 to charity. Cntl bkfst, Sat lunch, snacks, trophy pins. FriDBL, FriSGL, SatS, Cons, LC. Contact: Annett Eiffert, PO Box 3243, Citrus Heights, CA 95611. (916) 721-7473, Co-D: Rolle Glashan, Karen Shimizu, Jennifer Bolles.

March 12-14, Canadian St. Patricks Day Continental Inn, 16625 Stony Plain Rd., Edmonton, AB. T5B 4A8. EF: \$55, \$20 Q. Coffee, donuts. Fri3PM \$10/\$10, FriDBL7PM \$40team, FriHR7PM \$30/\$10/\$20/\$30, SatS7PM \$20/\$10, Cons, LC. Contact: Duayne Pankiw, 110 15503 106th St., Edmonton, AB T5X 5W7, Canada. (780) 475-5990. Co-D: Shawn Smith.

March 12-14, Sioux Falls O'Classic Holiday Inn, 100 E. 8th St., Sioux Falls, SD 57106. EF: \$62, \$10 Q. Lunch. FriEB\$20, SatSGL\$20, All-E\$20, Cons. Contact: Mike Rozeboom, 5405 W. Clay, Sioux Fails, SD 57106. (605) 274-8690. Co-D: Dan Graf.

March 14, Hawaii Open (Mar.)

St. Louis Alumni Assn., 916 Coolidge St., Honolulu, Hi 96826. EF:L \$40, no Q. \$2 to charity. Donuts, lunch, Cons. Contact: Tsarkie, 3261 Kilihine Pl., Honolulu, HI 96816. (808) 734-4800. Co-D: Fred White.

March 14, 11th Tri-Valley Open

VFW, Holliston St., Medway, MA. EF: \$45, \$10 Q. \$2 to charity. Coffee, donuts, lunch. SatDBL7PM, \$30/team, Cons. Contact: PAt Llewellyn, 30 Stone St., Bellingham, MA 02019. (508) 966-1613.

March 19-21, Chico Open Eagles, 20th & Mulberry St., Chico, CA 95928. EF. \$60, \$10 Q. Coffee, donuts, Sat. lunch (Sun. lunch avail, small charge). FriDBL7PM\$40/feam, SatS\$20/\$10, Cons, LC?. Contact: Bruce Forbes, 4532 Garden Brook Dr., Chico, CA 95973. (530) 899-0844. Co-D: Joe Young (530) 343-4002, Pete Jackson (530) 342-2617.

March 21, South Shore Open (Leo Horigan Memorial)

KC Club, Pleasant St., Canton, MA 02021. EF: \$50, \$10 Q. \$1 to charity. Coffee, donuts, lunch. Cons. Contact: Jim Ready, 67 Pearl St. Place, Stoughton, MA 02072. (781) 344-0417. Co-D: John Rooney, John Brennan.

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March 26-28, St. Croix Classic

St. Croix Casino, Hwy 8, Turtle Lake, WI 54437. EF: \$55, \$15 Q. Coffee, juice, soda, tunch. Fri8PM, Sat8PM, Leastski, Cons. 24-28-29-GS prizes. Contact: Alan Lindner, 408 E. Schofield Ave., Greenfield, WI 54437. (715) 267-7629. Co-D: Vickie Lindner.

March 26-28, Montana Open Jokers Wild, Exit 101, I-90, Missoula, MT. EF: \$50, \$10 Q. Coffee, trophies. FriTP3PM, FriDBL, FriHR, SatS, Cons, Team, 28-29 pool. Contact: DeLynn Colvert, PO Box 5604, Missoula, MT 59806. (406) 543-6855. Co-D: Sharon Hejtmanek (406) 549-2843.

April 2-4, 9th Winnemucca Spring Convention Ctr, 50 Winnemucca Blvd., Winnemucca, NV 89446. EF: \$50, \$10/\$10 Q. Coffee, pastries, raffle. Fri3PM\$10, FriDBL6:30PM\$40/team, FriHR7PM\$50/\$50, Cons, LC. Contact: Heidi Glashan, 11 VAlley Dr., Pittsburg, CA 94565. (925) 432-4277. Co-D:

April 18, 10th Blackstone Valley Knights of Columbus, 500 Pleasant St., Canton, MA 02021. EF: \$45, \$10 Q. Coffee, lunch. \$1 to charity. Cons. Contact: Shawn Jordan, 114 Chapel St., Norwood, MA 02062. (781) 769-1061.

Sharon Hejtmanek.

April 2-4, Mick Michaelis Classic Riverfront Inn, 1821 Riverside Dr., Marinette, WI 54143. (1-800 338-3305) EF: \$60, \$15 Q. Lunch. FriTP3PM\$10, Fri8PM\$20, Fri 1-gm elim, SatS7:30PM\$20, Cons. Contact: Gene & Aggie Mikulsky, 7620 Lower Rd., Sobieski, WI 54171. (920) 822-5394.

April 16-18, Atlanta Classic
Holiday Inn Atlanta Airport S., 6288 Old Dixie Hwy,
Jonesboro, GA 30236 (770) 968-4300. EF: \$62,
\$20 Q. Lunch Sat., Fri7PMDBL \$50team/\$10Q,
SatHR7PM \$50/\$20Q, SatS \$30/\$15Q, Cons. Limited to first 72 entrants. Contact: Gene Bradshaw,
120 St. Andrews Walk, Sharpsburg, GA 30277.
(770) 463-9946. Co-D: Mattie Bradshaw.

April 16-18, Western New York Open Quality Hotel, 240 Rainbow Blvd., Niagara Falls, NY 14303. 14303. EF: \$45, \$15 Q. Coffee, donuts, It. lunch. FriEB, SatDBL, Cons. Contact: Nelson Wheaton, 76 Raymond St., HAmburg, NY 14075. (716) 649-3462. Co-D: Richard Schurkus.

April 17, 4th Tax Relief
Alamo Women's Club, 1401 Danville Blvd., Alamo,
CA 94507. EF: \$60, \$10 Q. Coffee, donuts, lunch.
Cons. Contact: Mary Herrmann, 2032 Golden
Rain Rd. #12, Walnut Creek, CA 94595. (925)
935-3325. Co-D: Augie Murray (925) 437-4809,
Al Moy (925) 284-7044.

April 18, Hawali Open (April) St. Louis Alumni Assn., 916 Cooldige St., Honolulu, HI 96826. EF: \$40, no Q. \$2 to charity. Donuts, lunch. Cons. Contact: Tsarkie, 3261 Kilihune Pl., Honolulu, HI 96816. (808) 734-4800. Co-D: Fred White.

April 18-24, Copper Canyon Open Copper Canyon Tour. EF: \$60, \$20 Q. Coffee, pastries. Daily events while on tour. cons. Limited to first 30 players. See Apr. CW, page 9 for details. Contact: David O'Neil, 1069 Texel L

April 23-25, Milwaukee Challenge Radisson Hotel Airport, 6331 S. 13th St., Milwaukee, WI 53221. EF: \$60, \$20 Q. Lunch. Fri8PM\$20, Sat7:30PM\$20, Cons, LC. Contact: Marlene Lazechek, 8102 Legend Dr., Franklin, WI 53132. (414) 427-4595 (H), (414) 933-6970 (W). Email: marlemae@msn.com

April 24, Alaska Springtime Open American Legion, 840 W. Fireweed, Anchorage, AK 99503. EF: \$30, no Q. 10% to charity. Cons. Contact: Dave Schwartz, 3630 Burl Ct., Anchorage, AK 99504. (907) 522-4927. Co-D: Heather Brean (907) 338-5847.

April 25-May 2, Pacific Coast Open, Homeward Bound (2 sanctioned events)
Carnival Pride Cruise Ship, Depart Long Beach, CA on April 25. EF: Apr 26: \$47, \$10 Q w/Cons Tue Apr 27, Other cribbage events scheduled. Contact: Roy Cook, 3617 Frenzel Cir., Oceanside, CA92056. (760) 967-7351. Co-D: Sharon Fly (760) 438-4885. Homeward Bound Event May 1 \$35, \$10 Q: Shelley Berman, 126 Rea Ave., El Cajon, CA 92020. (619) 444-7655. Cruise info: Gwen (800) 869-8321.

April 30-May 1-2, Oregon Coast Classic Chinook Winds Casino, 1777 NW 44th, Lincoln City, OR 97367. EF: \$46.50, \$10 Q. Coffee, soft drinks. FriTP2PM, FriDBL7PM, FriHR7PM, Cons. \$1,000 added by Chinook Winds. Contact: Jeanne & Roy Hofbauer, 30937 NE 23rd St., Washogal, WA 98671. (360) 835-3623. Co-D: Rollie Heath (541) 994-9658, Bernie Nelson (503) 965-6410.

May 2, Ocean State Classic LeFoyer Club, 151 Fountain St., PAwtucket, RI 02861. EF: \$35, no Q. Coffee, danish, lunch. Cons. Contact: John Chambers, PO Box 40068, Providence, RI 02940. (401) 831-4157. Co-D: Ron Nelson, Tom Tobin.

May 14-16, North Carolina Open Holiday Inn-Airport, 6426 Burnt Poplar Rd., Greensboro, NC 27409. EF: \$60, \$20 Q. Coffee, donuts, lunch. FriEB\$20, SatS\$20, SatHR\$60, Cons, LC. Contact: Henry Douglass, 726 Russell Ave., Reidsville, NC 27320. (336) 349-7581.

May 16, Hawaii Open St. Louis Alumni Club House, 916 Coolidge St., Honolulu, HI 96826. EF: \$40, no Q. \$2 to charity. Pastries, lunch. Cons. Contact: Tsarkie, 3261 Kilihune Place, Honolulu, HI 96816. (808) 734-4800. Co-D: Fred White.

May 14-16, Carter Classic Indian Springs Lodge, 670 Hwy 32, Wabeno, WI 54566. EF: \$60, \$15 Q. Breakfast (2 days), Sat. lunch. Casino perks. Fri3PM\$10, FriEB7:30PM \$20, SatS \$20, Cons. Contact: Robert & Dottie Culver, 17522 Dencur Ct., Townsend, WI 54175. (715) 276-6578.

May 21-23, Potawatomi Peggers Pow Wow Park Inn, 4290 Red Arrow Hwy, Stevensville, MI. EF: \$60, \$20 Q. Fri7:30PM \$20, Sat7:3-PM \$20, Cons, LC, cookie lady. Contact: Joy & Jeff Shimp, 13723 Lincoln St., Grand Haven, MI 49417. (616) 850-9229.

May 21-23, Diamond Mountain Peggers Susanville, CA (location to be announced). EF: \$60, \$10 Q. Coffee, donuts, lunch, trophies, FriTP3PM, FriDBL7PM, SatHR6:30PM, Cons, SatS. Contact: Peggy Scalley, PO Box 295, JAnesville, CA 96114. (530) 253-2655.

May 22-23, Spring US Open West Covina Elks, 841 W. Merced, W. Covina, CA 91790. EF: \$60, \$15 Q. Coffee, donuts, lunch, trophies. Cons. Limited to first 70. Contact: Norm Nikodym, 2132 S. Wisteria Ct., Ontario, CA 91761. (909) 986-9454. Co-D: Beverly Castillo (562) 305-3040.

May 23, 24th Connecticut Championship Rockville Elks, 9 N. Park St., Rockville, CT 06066. EF: \$50, \$10 Q. Coffee, donuts, lunch. Cons. Entry deadline May 17, no walk-ins. Contact: Bil Richmond, 72 Sunset Rd., Newington, CT 06111. (866) 666-4794. Co-D: Bob Fitzgerald, Joan Fletcher.

May 28-30, Greater Spokane Valley Eagles, E 16801 Sprague Ave., Spokane, WA. EF: \$50, \$10 Q. \$2 to charity. Fri3PM, FriDBL, FriPR, SatS, Cons. Contact: Betty Johnson, E. 7317 2nd Ave., Spokane, WA 99217. (509) 928-6404. Co-D: Bruce Denend, (509) 325-3061, Estalita Elis (208) 437-4015.

May 28-30, Nugget Classic Senior Ctr., 877 Nunneley Rd., Paradise, CA 95969. EF: \$60, \$10 Q. Coffee, catered lunch, Sun buffet, snacks. FriEB, SatS, HR, Cons. LC. Contact: Jerry Moore, 1473 Patrick Dr., Paradise, CA 95969. (530) 877-1477. Co-D: Bruce Forbes (530) 899-0844.

May 29, Appleton "That's a Go!" Columbus Club, 2531 N. Richmond, Appleton, WI 54911. EF: \$45, \$20 Q. Lunch. Cons. Contact: Kristina Rouse, 1031 E. Marquette St., Appleton, WI 54911. (920) 954-1736. Co-D: Frank Danielski.

June 5, Summer US Open West Covina Elks, 841 W. Merced, W. Covina, CA 91790. EF: \$40, \$10 Q. Coffee, donuts, lunch, trophies. Cons. Limited to first 70. Contact: Norm Nikodym, 2132 S. Wisteria Ct., Ontario, CA 91761. (909) 986-9454. Co-D: Beverly Castillo.

June 4-6, Mt. St. Helens Classic Moose Lodge, 921 Washington Way, Longview, WA 98632. EF: \$60, \$10 Q. \$2 to charity. Coffee, donuts, lunch. FriTP3PM, FriHR6:30PM\$50/\$50, FriDBL\$50/team, SatS\$20/\$10, Cons. Contact: Chris McComas, 2217 Tower Rd., Castle Rock, WA 98611. (360) 274-8129.

June 4-6, St. Croix Classic St. Croix Casino, 777 Hwy 8, Turtle Lake, WI 54889. EF: \$55, \$15 Q. Juice, soda, coffee, lunch. Fri8PM\$20, Sat8PM\$20, Cons. 24-28-29,GS perks. Contact: Alan Lindner, 408 W. Schofield Ave., Greenwood, WI 65537. (715) 267-7629.

June 6, Western Massachusetts Classic Dante Club, 1198 Memorial Ave., W. Springfield, MA 01089. EF: \$50, \$10 Q. (Equal). \$1 to charity. Cons. Contact: Phyllis Schmidt, 95 Nutmeg Lane, Williamstown, MA 01267. (413) 458-8693. Co-D: Isabel Hyndman.

June 9-10, Alberta Mid-Week Veteran's Club, 12611 127th St., Edmonton, AB T5L 1A4, Canada. EF: \$52, \$10 Q. Wed7PM\$20/ \$10. Cons. Contact: Doris Sanders, 7 Steele Crescent, Edmonton, AB T5A 1G4, Canada. (780) 478-8488. Co-D: Audrey Hatto (780) 465-9733.

June 11-13, Alberta Open
Continental Inn, 16625 Stony Plain Rd.,
Edmonton, AB T5B 4A8, Canada. EF: \$62, \$20
Q. Coffee, donuts, trophies. FriTP3PM,
FriDBL7PM, FriHR7PM, SatS, Cons, LC. Contact: Harold Buckley, 52526 Range Rd. 270,
Spruce Grove, AB, Canada. (780) 962-5083.
Co-D: Doris Sanders (780) 478-8488.

June 11-13, Cascade Classic VFW, Sisters Ave., Redmond, OR 97756. EF: \$40, \$10 Q. \$3 to charity. FriTP3PM\$10, FriHR6:30PM\$50/\$50, FriDBL7PM\$50/team, SatS7PM\$10/\$10, Cons. Contact: Liz Stockdale, PO Box 6291, Bend, OR 97708. (541) 317-9022. Co-D: Lucille Endicott, Anne Haller.

June 13, Hawaii Open St. Louis Alumni ASsoc., 916 Coolidge St., Honolulu, HI 96826. EF: \$40, no Q. Donuts, lunch. \$2 to charity. Cons. Contact: Tsarkie, 3261 Kilihune Pi., Honolulu, HI 96816. (808) 734-4800. Co-D: Fred White.

June 18-20, Capital City Classic Ramada Inn North, 5055 Merle Hay Rd., Johnson, Iowa 50131. EF: \$60, \$20 Q. Lunch, coffee. Fri\$20, Sat\$20, Cons, spin wheel (20), side pools. Contact: Dick Ogden, PO Box 35211, Des Moines, IA 50315. (515) 285-6106. Co-D: John Crouch.

June 19, California Championship Veteran's Memorial Bidg., 1351 MAple Ave., Santa Rosa, CA 95404. EF: \$60, \$10 Q. Coffee, donuts, snacks, lunch. Cons. Contact: Avon Ray, 21 Estrella Dr., Santa Rosa, CA 95403. (707) 546-8967. Co-D: Craig Ross (530) 265-6497.

June 25, Peggin' Miners Classic Yreka Elks, 332 W. Miner St., Yreka, CA 96097. EF: \$50, \$10 Q. \$3,50 to charity. FriTP3PM, FriHR6:30PM\$50/\$50, FriDBL7PM\$40/team, SatS7PM\$20/\$10, Cons. Contact: Garry & Sandy Folz, 1109 Terrace Dr., Yreka, CA 96097. (530) 842-4776. Email: gfolz@snowcrest.net

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June 25-27, Schaefer Shuffle Kettle Morraaine Bowl, Hwy 60, Slinger, WI 53086. EF: \$60, \$15 Q. Lunch. Fri\$20, Sat\$20, Cons, LC. Contact: Al Schaefer, 3446 Cumberland Trail, Slinger, WI 53086. (262) 644-9530. Co-D: Sharon Schaefer.

June 26, Saturday Open Nashua Elks, 120 Daniel Webster Hwy S., Nashua, NH 03060. EF: \$50, \$10 Q. Coffee, donuts, lunch. Cons. Register by June 21. Contact: Henry Bergeron, 1466, Battle St., Webster, NH 03303. (603) 648-6633. Co-D: Paula Bergeron.

July 2-4, Independence Day Classic Sands Regency, 345 N. Arlington Ave., Reno, NV 89501. EF: \$51.50, \$10 Q. \$7.50 to vets. Coffee, donuts. FriSGL\$35, Cons, SunLC\$20. Contact: Bill & Dorthalee Irons, 333 K. St., Sparks, NV 89431. (775) 358-4916. Co-D: Roberta Huff.

July 10, Truckee River Classic North Tahoe Community Ctr, 8318 North LAke Blvd., Klngs Beach, CA 96143. EF: \$56.50, \$10 Q. Coffee, donuts, fruit, candy. Cons. Contact: Ron Morgan, PO Box 80, Loyalton, CA 96118. (530) 993-4275. Co-D: Greg Schleusner (530) 587-7339.

July 10, Burnaby Summer Open Royal Canadian Legion, 4356 Hastings St., Burnaby, BC V5C 2J9. EF: \$40, many Q's. \$1 to charity. Coffee, cookies. FriTP3PM\$10, FriHR7PM\$25, FriDBL7PM, SatS\$15, Cons, LC\$10. Contact: Gordon Reid, 10671 Bird Rd., Richmond, BC V6X IN6, Canada. (604) 241-5711.

July 11, Hawaii Open St. Louis Alumni Club House, 916 Coolidge St., Honolulu, Hi 96826. EF: \$0, no Q. \$2 to charity. Donuts, lunch. Cons. Contact: Tsarkie, 3261 Kllihune Place, Honolulu, HI 96816. (808) 734-4800). Co-D: Fred White.

July 16-18, Devil Mountain Caper Antioch Sr. Ctr., 415 W. 2nd St., Antioch, CA 94509. EF: \$65, \$10 Q. \$4 to charity. Cont. bkfst, Sat. lunch. FriSGL, FriDBL, SatS, SatHR, Cons. Contact: Mary Gladish, 833 Blarney Ave., Concord, CA 94578. (925) 798-0329. Co-D: Bob Clark, Anne Sheeran.

July 30-Aug.1, Martin-McLeod Open Elks, 150 S. Shasta, Willows, CA 95988. EF: \$60, \$10 Q. \$5 to charity. Juice, coffee, donuts, lunch, free rice. FriEB, SatS, Cons, LC. Contact: Mike Beason, 205 S. Culver Ave., Willows, CA 95988. (530) 934-5223. Co-D: Bill Wakeman (510) 276-1600.

July 23-26, National Open
Hilton North Raleigh, 3415 Old Wake Forest Rd.
Raleigh, NC 27609. EF: \$70, \$20 Q. Lunch, coffee. FriEB, SatS, Sun Losers/losers, Mon LastRoudup, MonHR. Dbl elim match play (Main).
Contact: Catherine Perkins, 1030 Barker Rd., (PO Box 171), Bear Creek, NC 27207. (919) 837-5790.
Co-D: Howard Baum, Jerry Gooden, Henry Douglass, Russ Perkins.

August 6-8, St. Croix Classic St. Croix Casino, 777 Hwy 8, Turtle LAke, WI 54889. EF: \$55, \$15 Q. Juice, soda, coffee, lunch. Fri\$208PM, Sat\$208PM, Cons. 24-28-29, GS perks. Contact: Alan Lindner, 408 W. Schofield Ave., Greenwood, WI 54437. (715) 267-7629.

August 6-8, 7th Humboldt Bay Classic Mad River Rapids RV Rec. room, 3501 Janes Rd., Arcata, CA 95521. EF: \$50, \$20 Q. \$3.50 to charity. Bagels, coffee, donuts, fruit, snacks. FriHR6:30PM \$50/\$25 playoffs, Fri7PMDBL \$40/team, SatS7PM \$20/\$10, Ali-E\$10, Cons. Limited to first 100. Contact: Herschel & Rickie MAck, 581 School Rd., McKinleyville, CA 95519. (707) 839-0249. Co-D: Barrett Mace (707) 445-0703, Julie Mack-Felkins.

August 6-8, Cowboy Country Open American Legion, 2001 E. Lincolnway, Cheyenne, WY 82001. EF: \$65, \$15 Q. \$3.50 to charity. Coffee, cookies, lunch. FriEB, SatS, Cons. Contact: Charlie Douthit, 840 Oakhurst Dr., Cheyenne, WY 82009. (307) 634-1672.

August 15, Hawaii Open (August) St. Louis Alumni Assn., 916 Coolidge St., Honolulu, HI 96826. EF: \$40, no Q. \$2 to charity. Donuts, lunch. Cons. Contact: Tsarkie, 3261 Kilihune Pl., Honolulu, HI 96816. (808) 734-4800. Co-D: Fred White.

August 20-22, Oregon Trail Classic Eagles, 2006 W. 7th St., The Dalles, OR 97058. EF: \$46, \$10 Q. \$1 to charity. FRi3PM \$10/\$10, FriDBL \$50team, FriHR6:30PM \$50/\$25, SatS \$10/\$10, Cons. Contact: Marylin Hilton, 1837 Tucker Rd., Hood River, OR 97031. (541) 386-2036.

August 28, Solano August Sizzler
Dixon May Fair, 655 South First St., Dixon, CA
95620. EF: \$55, \$10 Q. \$1.50 to charity. Coffee,
bagels, donuts, juice, lunch. Cons. Contact: Julie
Mack-Felkins, 171 W. Chestnut St., Dixon, CA
95620. (707) 678-8986. Co-D: Cecil Felkins (707)
678-8986.

September 11, Wine Country Open Veteran's Home, Lincoln Bldg., 2nd floor, Yountville, CA 94599. EF: \$55, \$10 Q. \$1.50 to charity. Coffee, donuts, lunch avail. Cons. GR Nat. Sunday (18 games). Limitedf to first 96. Contact: Roland Hall, 4026 Heather Lane, Napa, CA 94558. (707) 253-8168. Email: rolandh29@hotmail.com

September 12, Hawaii Open (Sept.) St. Louis Alumni Assn, 916 Coolidge St., Honolulu, HI 96826. EF: \$40, no Q. \$2 to charity. Cons. Contact: Tsarkie, 3261 Kilihune Pl., Honolulu, HI 96816. (808) 734-4800. Co-D: Fred White.

September 16-19, Grand National XXIII Westin Atlanta Airport, 4736 Best Rd., Atlanta, GA 30337. EF: \$70, \$20 Q. Coffee, Sat. lunch. Thur8PM, English rules, Fri2PM \$20, Fri8PM \$20, FriHR7:45PM \$50, SatS7:45PM \$50, Sat8PM \$20, Cons, LC \$20, Awards Banquet Sat. Contact. Dave O'Neil, 1069 Texel Ln., Clarkston, GA 30021. (404) 296-4689. Co-D: Bobby Stuart, Gene Bradshaw.

Sept. 24-26, 5th Winnemucca Fall

Convention Ctr., 50 W. Winnemucca Blvd., Winnemucca, NV 89446. EF: \$50, \$10/\$10Q. Coffee, danish, donuts. FriTP3PM \$10, FriTPM DBL \$50/team, Fri 7PM HR \$50.\$50. Cons, LC. Contact: Heidi Glashan, 11 Valley Dr., Pittsburg, CA 94565. (925) 432-4277. Co-D: Sharon Heitmanek.

October 9, Feather River Open Eagles, Montgomery at Myers, Oroville, CA 95966. EF: \$55, \$10 Q. \$5 to charity. Coffee, donuts, lunch. Fri\$20/\$10, Cons. \$5 late fee after Oct.1. Contact: Tom & Vaida Stevens, 1130 Mt. Ida Rd., Oroville, CA 95966. (530) 589-2192.

October 15-17, 5th Crescent City Open Del Norte Co. Fairgrounds, 421 Hwy 101 N., Crescent City, CA 95531. EF: \$50, \$10 Q. Coffee, donuts. Fri3PM\$10, Fri6:30PMHR, FRiDBL7PM, SatS7PM, Cons. Contact: JIm Waldvogel, 160 Hinky Ln., Crescent City, CA 95531. (707) 464-9168. Co-D: Jerry Cutsforth (707) 464-2808, Vern WArd (707) 464-4510.

October 29-31, Edmonton Open

Continental Inn, 16625 Stony Plain Rd., Edmonton, AB T5B 4A8. EF: \$52, \$20 Q. Coffee, donuts, trophies. Fri3PM\$10, FriDBL7PM, SatS\$20, Cons, LC. Contact: Harold Buckley, 52526 Range Rd. 270, Spruce Grove, AB. (780) 962-5083. Co-D: Doris Sanders (780) 478-8488.

October 29-31, 13th Abe Kealoha Extrav. St. Louis Alum. Assn., 916 Coolidge St., Honolulu, HI 96826. EF: \$60, no Q. Donuts, coffee, \$2 to charity. FriDBL, Cons. Contact: Tsarkie, 3261 Kliihune Pl., Honolulu, HI 96816. (808) 734-4800. Co-D: Fred White.

November 4, 1004, Ed's #16 (Teeny Tiny) Harry's Hofbrau, 390 Saratoga Ave., San Jose, CA 95117. EF: \$25, no Q. Coffee, donuts, fruit, \$5 for funch, trophies. Cons. \$500 prize money guaranteed. Contact: Ed Bloom, 22150 Wallace Dr., Cupertino, CA 95014. (408) 245-9777.

Nov. 12-14, 2004, Veteran's Day Classic Sands Regency, 345 N. Arlington Ave., Reno, NV 89501. EF: \$51,50, \$10 Q. \$7,50 to vets. Coffee, donuts. Fri\$35, Cons, SunLC\$20. Contact: Bill & Dorthalee Irons, 333 K. St., Sparks, NV 89431. (775) 358-4916. Co-D: Roberta Huff.

Dec. 5, Hawaii Championship 2004 St. Louis Alum. Assn., 916 Coolidge St., Honolulu, HI 96826. EF: \$60, no Q. \$2 to charity. Cons. Contact: Tsarkie, 3261 KIUlihune Pl., Honolulu, HI 96816. (808) 734-4800. Co-D: Fred White.

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### Bill O'Malley Wins Thanksgiving Event

Bill O'Malley, Salem, OR is well known for making excellent cribbage boards, but he is also a whiz on the playing boards. However, a Main Event has eluded O'Malley until he nailed down a win at the recent Thanksgiving Classic, played at the Seven Feathers Casino in Canyonville, OR. With 110 players in action, O'Malley carted home 147 MRP's and enough cash to pay for a first-class Thanksgiving dinner! Bill Robe (OR) took home 2nd, followed by Dan Marsh (OR) and Ruth Fraker (CA) in the 3-4 slot. Master Tim Hutsell (CA) posted an excellent 37 18/22 +190 to take Q honors (and 55 MRP's).

Life Master Ron Morgan (CA) won the 72-player Consolation and the 84 MRP's keep him in the national MRP title hunt. Grand Master Bruce Wridge (OR) took 2nd, with Grand Master Herschel Mack (CA) and Jim McKnight (CA) finishing 3-4. Mack's 40 MRP's earned also keep him in the national title hunt this cribbage year. Bill Kaufman (OR) took Q honors with a 16 8/9 +89.

Director Larry Hassett posted the following satellite winners:

Early Bird: Danny Pomeroy (ID)
Doubles: Bob Brumley & Jim Morrow (WA)
High Roliers: Cres Fernandez (CA)
Saturday: Jack Moritzky (WA)
All-Events: Bob Brumley (WA)

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28: Martha O'Donnell, John O'Shea

### Charlie Rodgers Hot In Hawaii

Charlie Rodgers (HI) came to play at the December 7 issue of the Hawaii Championship. He qualified tops (33 15/22 +177) and won the playoffs as well. James Kahue (HI) finished 2nd in this 21-player match.

### Eastern Region

1 672 Palmer, Harry, MA 2 641 Clemmey, David , MA 3 451 West, Richard H., MA 4 444 Gallagher, Paul M., MA 5 429 Medeiros, Sharlene, MA 6 423 Widener, Keith E., NC 7 393 Schmidt, Phyllis, MA 8 386 Remington, Earle, Ri 9 375 Corrado, Frank, CT 10 342 Hardy, Jerry, ME 11 339 Perkins, Catherine, NC 12 316 Kaplan, Robert, MA 13 311 Owen, Laurie, ME 14 305 Raynes, Jeff, NC 15 288 Medeiros, Robert, MA 16 285 Stuart, Bobby G., GA 17 282 Miller, Albert, NH 18 269 King, Maynard, PA 19 263 Drukman, Robert , MA 20 261 Chrabaszcz, Emil, MA 21 254 Tanner, James , VA 22 251 Lafleur, Donna, CT 23 237 Milk, Robert, VA 24 233 Douglass, Henry, NC 25 217 Bergeron, Henry, NH 25 217 Caccia, Louis J., MA 27 215 Ritchey, Dave, FL 28 208 Veradt, Zeke, MA 29 207 Rooney, John J., MA 30 200 Doige, Charles, NC 30 200 Barbour, Barbara, CT 32 197 Delinsky, John, MD 33 191 Shwartz, Emily, MA 34 187 Fletcher, Joan, CT 35 184 Finley, Charlie, CT 36 180 Morrison, Joan, MA 37 174 Mueller, Hal, ON 38 172 Struminger, Victor, GA 38 172 Brent, Linda M., MD 40 168 Beauregard, Joseph, RI 41 166 Veradt, Cindy, MA 42 165 Fischer, Ray, NC 43 162 Andrew, Richard J., NH 44 158 Campbell, David, ME 45 157 Berry, Hugh A., VA 46 156 Crete, Daniel, NH 47 149 Martin, James, MA 48 147 Palmer, Brenda, MA 48 147 Stump Sr., Perry, FL 50 144 Sattler, Bruce D., MD 50 144 Marani, John S., MA 50 144 Samet, Laurence, MA 50 144 Deane, Sharon L., VA 54 141 Bergeron, Paula, NH 55 137 Lynch, Jim, MA 56 134 Batterson, Paul, CT 57 133 Cunningham, Bob, MA 57 133 Brown, R. Bruce, MA 59 132 Hamel, Armand P., MA 59 132 Reece, Ronald K., VA 59 132 Christiansen, Dwight, CT 62 131 Gendron, Lec P., MA 63 130 Streeter, Louise, NH 63 130 Bouchard, Barbara, ME 65 129 Dinwoodie, Al, RI 66 125 Azevedo, Mike, MA 67 124 Shoemaker, William , CT 68 120 Parenteau, Dave, FL 69 117 Cundy, James E., RI

### **Central Region**

1 651 Toll, Duane W., WI 2 504 McCabe, Bob, WI 3 495 Chase, Robert P., MN 4 451 Wingo, Robert, IL 5 439 Julian, Robert, WI 6 435 Frost, Richard, WI 7 414 Lindner, Alan J., WI 8 410 Yaeger, Dave, MO 9 406 Flesch, Donald, WI 9 406 Gruber, Gerald, MN 11 371 Fingleton, Martha, Wi 12 345 Steinmetz, Wayne, WI 13 328 Hiland, John, Wi 14 327 Danihel, Tony, WI 15 301 Burns, Mike, MN 16 298 Jacka, Mike, MN 17 296 Pluff, Daniel, MN 18 293 Page, Doug, WI 19 287 Schaefer, Alan R., WI 20 283 Schaefer, Todd D., MN 21 274 Maresh, Tom, Wi 22 270 Rowley, Lawrence, WI 23 268 Joslin, Bob, MN 24 267 Patrin, Donald A., MN 25 266 Henderson, Doug, WI 26 258 Kniech, Nicky, Wi 27 246 Lui, Jeffrey, Wi 28 243 Lindner, Vickie, Wi 29 242 Sommer, Robert, MN 29 242 Kiley, Bob, WI 31 237 Schmidt, Cyril, WI 32 235 Kraft, Lloyd L., WI 33 229 Danielski, Frank, WI 34 227 Briski, Tom. WI 35 221 Hirshman Sr., Ron, WI 36 214 Lang, Marvin, IL 37 207 Shimp, Joy, MI 38 205 Barrett, Arlene M., WI 39 204 Munneke, Doug, MN 40 197 Sondericker, Warren, WI 41 196 Stoa, David E., MN 42 194 Railsback, Helen, NE 43 192 Wauters, Roger, WI 44 190 Loupee, Larry C., IA 44 190 Tofte, Donald T., WI 46 181 Kilkelly, Paul, IL 46 181 Wauters, Jeanne, WI 48 174 Plummer, Daulph, OH 49 172 Huser, James, WI 50 171 Taylor, Dan, MN 51 170 Bernard, Joe, IL 52 167 Carberry, Paul, MN 53 165 Steplyk, Max D., WI 53 165 Heinowski, Ed, WI 55 162 Raiston, Ronald, IA 56 158 McNurlen, Dennis, IA 57 155 Railsback, Buzz, NE 58 151 Mikulsky, Eugene, WI 59 150 Matti, Gaylord E., WI 59 150 Perez, Emilio, IL 59 150 Draper, David, MI 59 150 Richards, Chet, IA 63 147 Tushar, William F., WI 64 142 Kvien, Les, IL 65 140 Bouffiou, Karen, WI 66 138 Mintner, Thomas, Wi 67 135 Lee, Brock R., TX

68 133 Biegler, Gene, WI

68 133 Upton, Norbert, MN

70 131 La Count, Jim, WI

### Western Region

1 723 Furler, John, OR 2 719 Colvert, De Lynn, MT 3 713 Crawford, Jim, CA 4 612 Morgan, Ronald L., CA 5 587 Hall, Roland A., CA 6 561 Bartosh, Bob, CA 7 497 Fernandez, Cres, CA 8 480 Heath, Rollie, OR 8 480 Hatcher, Paul, OR 10 466 McComas, Chris, WA 11 443 Mack, Herschel, CA 12 404 Hassett, Larry, OR 13 377 Gillmore, Evelyn, CA 13 377 McDaniel, Mike, OR 15 344 Montooth, Tony, CA 16 343 Hutchinson, Bill, CO. 17 319 Hendricks, Rosemary, WA 18 312 Waldvogel, Jim, CA 19 309 Rodgers, Charles, HI 20 298 Honeycutt, Harvey, OR 21 282 Morrow, James H., WA 22 262 Thorson, Troy, CO 23 260 Jelke, Jeanne, WA 23 260 Green, Michael D., CA 25 257 Pomerleau, Julien, CA 26 251 Ashley, Mel, CA 27 242 Langley, James, CA 28 240 McKnight, Jim, CA 28 240 Deutsch, Ira T., CA 30 239 Wardenburg, Rich., CA 31 232 Jarrell, Jesse, CA 32 228 Edwards, Sue, CO 33 219 Hejtmanek, Sharon, MT 33 219 Hombacher, Jim, WA 35 217 Rideau, Rodney, CA 36 216 Pafford, June, WY 37 214 Goodman, Leonard, CA 37 214 Hofbauer, Roy, WA 39 213 Sladek, Charles G., CA 40 211 Eiffert, Annett J., CA 41 207 Nikodym, Norman, CA 42 205 Felkins, Julie, CA 43 204 Moritzky, Jack, WA 43 204 Johnson, Bill, CA 45 201 Herrmann, Mary, CA 46 198 Anderson, Todd, OR 47 197 Wakeman, Bill, CA 48 196 White, Fred L., HI 49 195 Rasmussen, Ras, WA 50 193 Heath, Carl L., OR 51 192 Osborne, O. K., ID 52 189 Foy, Rod, CA 52 189 Davis, Betty J., CO 54 187 Jacobs, Dennis M., CA 54 187 Taylor, Rod, OR 56 185 Gromek, Robert J., NV 57 182 McDonald, Boyd, CA 58 178 Fein, Bruce, NV 59 177 Rollo, Suzanne B., CA 59 177 Madrone, Cy, CA 59 177 Hein, Leslie, WA 62 174 Walker, Linton, BC 63 173 Proechel, Wayne, CA 64 172 Njaa, H. Ross, CA 64 172 Blackman, Carolyn, OR 64 172 Moy, Albert, CA 67 169 Blackman, Jerry, OR 68 168 Pruett, Lowaine, OR 69 167 Langkau, Gerd, CA 70 164 Ng, Harry, CA

70 115 Daesch, Joe, FL

#### St. Croix Classic

Turtie Lake, WI, Oct 4-5, 2003 Director: Alan Lindner MAIN: 238

- 1 196 Todd D. Schaefer, Oakdale MN
- 2 147 Troy Thorson, Denver CO
- 3 105 Doug Munneke, St. Cloud MN
- 3 105 Mike Burns, Saint Cloud MN
- 5 70 Dave Yaeger, Hartville MO
- 5 70 Ron Stuffick, Coon Rapids MN
- 5 70 Jeffrey Lui, Racine WI
- 5 70 Dale Vincent Sr., Green Bay WI
- CONSOLATION: 138
- 1 112 Aggle Mikulsky, Sobieski WI 2 84 Laura Lul, Racine WI
- 3 60 Larry C. Loupee, Newton IA 3 60 Ron Hirshman Sr., Milwaukee Wi

#### Colorado Fall Classic

Denver, CO, Oct 18-19, 2003 Director: Roger Wilson MAIN: 80

- 1 147 Betty J. Davis, Denver CO
- 2105 Bill Reyman, Arvada CO
- 3 70 Troy Thorson, Denver CO 3 70 Roger Wilson, Westminster CO
- CONSOLATION: 33
- 1 60 Sue Edwards, Denver CO
- 240 John O'Connell, Cheyenne WY
- 324 Joe Gates, Denver CO
- 324 Bart Jaeger, Lincion NE

#### Abe Kealohe Extravaganza

Honolulu, HI, Oct 26, 2003 Director: Tsarkie

**MAIN: 25** 

- 1 70 Kenneth Ching, Walanae HI
- 242 Sharon Calligan, Las Vegas NV
- 3 21 Mr. Tsarkie, Honotulu Hi 3 21 Charles Rodgers, Honolulu HI
- CONSOLATION: 27
- 1 40 Kathy Tsark, Honolulu Hi
- 224 Charles Rodgers, Honolulu Hi
- 3 12 Ronnie Murakami, Honolulu Hi
- 3 12 Tats Tsuruda, Lihue HI

#### Ed's Teeny Tiny

San Jose, CA, Nov 1, 2003 Director: Ed Bloom

MAIN: 76

- 1 147 Bill Johnson, Red Bluff CA
- 2 105 Jim McKnight, Napa CA
- 3 70 Jackie Doppelt, Vacaville CA
- 3 70 Heldi Glashan, Pittsburg CA CONSOLATION: 58
- 160 Jim Crawford, Mtn View CA
- 2 40 Cres Fernandez, Sonoma CA
- 324 H. Ross Njaa, Salinas CA
- 3 24 Mary Herrmann, Walnut Cr CA

#### Edmonton Halloween Open Edmonton, AB, Nov 1-2, 2003

Director: Audrey Hatto

**MAIN: 60** 

- 1 105 De Lynn Colvert, Missoula MT 2 70 Joseph Skarpinsky, Edmonton AB
- 3 42 Dwayne Pankiw, Edmonton AB
- 3 42 Eleanor Arnold, Prince George BC CONSOLATION: 38
- 1 60 Mae Sauer, Prince George BC
- 240 Linton Walker, Prince George BC
- 3 24 Ronald Gustafson, Bellingham WA
- 324 O.A. Kessler, Vegreville AB

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### Master Rating Points have been entered for the 13 tournaments listed

#### Charm City Classic

Laurel, MD, Nov 7-8, 2003 Director, Steve Sattler

MAIN: 82

- 1147 John Delinsky, Bowie MD
- 2 105 Keith Widener, Clemmons NC 3 70 Nancy R. Roncetti, Wyncote PA
- 3 70 Norm Herbert, Pikesville MD CONSOLATION: 56
- 1 60 Jeff Raynes, Cary NC
- 240 Loren Wakeling, Sterling VA
- 3 24 Linda M. Brent, Centreville MD 3 24 Scott Harker, Elkins Park PA
- Veteran's Day

Reno, NV, Nov 7-8, 2003 Director: Bill Irons

MAIN: 326

- 1 252 Tony Montooth, Palo Alto CA
- 2196 Paul Hatcher, Salem OR
- 3 147 Gerd Langkau, Richmond CA
- 3 147 Victor Struminger, Atlanta GA
- 5 105 Rich, Wardenburg, Grass V. CA
- 5 105 Dan Zeisler, Penn Valley CA
- 5105 Warren Gallagher, Melrose MA
- 5 105 Ted Fuller, Sparks NV
- 9 70 James Seufert, Umatilia OR
- 70 Richard Slocum, Eugene OR
- 70 John Simac, East Helena MT
- 9 70 Bob Wikstrom, Univ. Place WA 70 Pat H. Farris, Granite Bay CA
- 70 Dave Paulson, Blairsden-g., CA
- 9 70 Don Bryan, Sparks NV
- 9 70 Graeme Gossett, Prineville OR CONSOLATION: 224
- 1 112 Charles Doige, W. Salem NC
- 2 84 Gerald Klein, Kelowna BC
- 60 Milton Goodman, Los Angeles CA
- 3 60 Rick Baird, Roseburg OR

#### South Florida Open

N. Palm Beach, FL, Nov 8-9, 2003 Director: Joe Daesch **MAIN: 89** 

- 1 147 Perry Stump Sr., Edgewater FL
- 2105 Dave Ritchey, Orange City FL
- 3 70 Joe Daesch, Coconut Creek FL 3 70 Garey Herter, West Palm Beach FL
- CONSOLATION: 58
- 1 60 Ray Poirier, Hobe Sound FL 240 Charles Barnes, Boca Raton FL
- 3 24 Bill Cooper, Savannah GA
- 3 24 Eric Gorrell, Port Charlotte FL

### North Pole Open

Marinette, WI, Nov 7-9, 2003 Director: Eugene & Aggie Mikulsky MAIN: 120

- 1 147 Tom Maresh, Racine WI
- 2 105 Bob McCabe, Milwaukee WI
- 3 70 Richard Frost, Berlin WI
- 3 70 Robert Milk, Glen Allen VA CONSOLATION: 69
- 1 84 Walter Miskowic, Saint Paul MN 260 Eugene P. Mikulsky, Sobieski Wi
- 340 Alan J. Lindner, Greenwood Wi 3 40 Wayne Steinmetz, Milwaukee Wi

### Las Vegas Open

Las Vegas, NV, Nov 15-16, 2003 Director: Ron Branson & Roy & Jeanne Hofbatter

MAIN: 150

- 1 196 Harry Palmer, W. Springfield MA 2147 Donald Flesch, Brookfield WI
- 3 105 Jan Neveu, Van Nuys CA
- 3105 Rose'y Hendricks, Rochester WA 5 70 Bryan J. Gurden, Henderson NV
- 70 Roland A. Hall, Napa CA
- 70 Bruce Goff, Tacoma WA
- 5 70 Frank Danielski, Little Chute WI CONSOLATION: 108
- 184 Jim Crawford, Mountain View CA 260 Rodney Rideau, Long Beach CA 340 Charles Ramsey, Las Vegas NV
- 3 40 John Alig, Mesa AZ

### Revnold's Chistmas Wrap

Castro Valley, CA, Nov 20-22, 2003 Director: Bill Wakeman

MAIN: 68

- 1 147 Herschel Mack, Mckinleyville CA
- 2105 Ronald L. Morgan, Lovatton CA
- 3 70 Deborsha Lashway, Livermore CA
- 3 70 Robert Sommer, Excelsior MN CONSOLATION: 40
- 1 60 Rojand A. Hali, Napa CA
- 240 Jim Crawford, Mountain View CA
- 324 Ben Holder, Fremont CA
- 3 24 Heidi Glashan, Pittsburg CA

#### Yankee Classic

Rockville, CT, Nov 23, 2003 Director: Phil Martin

- MAIN: 124
- 1 147 Brenda Palmer, W. Springfield MA 2 105 Robert Drukman, E. Bridgew'r MA
- 3 70 Shartene Medeiros, Thorndike MA 3 70 Laurie Owen, Bowdoin ME
- CONSOLATION: 74
- 184 Donald A. Janelle, Manchester CT 260 Patricia Martin, Northborough MA
- 3 40 Robert Bradley, East Hartford CT 3 40 James Martin, Northborough MA

### Minnesota Open

Cannon Falls, MN, Nov 21-23, 2003 Director: Jerry Gruber MAIN: 132

- 1 196 David E. Stoa, Minneapolis MN
- 2 147 Robert Chase, Minneapolis MN
- 3 105 Bob McCabe, Milwaukee WI
- 3 105 Paul Carberry, Minneapolis MN 5 70 Bill Morson, Northfield MN
- 70 Lee Goetti, South Saint Paul MN
- 5 70 Dan Taylor, Inver Grove H., MN
- 5 70 Buzz Railsback, Syracuse NE CONSOLATION: 56
- 1 60 Wayne Steinmetz, Milwaukee Wi 2 40 Keith E. Widener, Clemmons NC
- 3 24 Leroy Johnson, Faribault MN
- 324 Warren Sondericker, Milwaukee Wi

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