

# CRIBBAGE WORLD

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## Dollar Bill Cribbage

Unless your spouse has had to shell out for a kidnapper's ransom demand using unmarked, nonconsecutively numbered bills, most of us pay scant attention to the serial numbers on our money. Until now, that is.

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**CW  
Contest  
#8**



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# My Deal

by David Aiken



Every month I have to write a 450-word essay in this space, and my goals are (a) to educate, (b) sometimes to entertain, but (c) always to be interesting. I leave it to my readers as to whether I ever hit any of these targets.

One of the challenges of writing a monthly column is settling on a topic. (Remember high school? “Write an essay on the subject of your choice.”) Sometimes a theme jumps out at me from current events—both worldwide and within the ACC. Sometimes a friend or fellow BOD member suggests a subject to address. And sometimes weird circumstances fire the right synapses in my brain, which leads me down a rabbit hole to a connection that I would not have otherwise made.

But if none of these has happened in the previous month, I open my file labeled “CW\_ideas.doc” and start paging through it, waiting for inspiration to strike. What I find instead is random notes—about shuffling, spectator etiquette, the three laws of thermodynamics, good/bad play vs. good/bad cards, and much more.

Sometime I can grab one of these ideas and hammer out an editorial in twenty minutes. At other times I work on something for several hours and then trash the whole thing because it’s just not coming together. But some topics need many weeks to percolate around in my mind until they make sense. (That’s the problem with thermodynamics; it must have a connection with cribbage—I just need to find it!)

Even after I choose the topic, I’m still not done. I have to pick an approach: does the topic call for straight prose, or would humor, cajoling, scolding, or preaching be better? What tone should I take to best get my point across? Have I provided the information necessary for readers to make up their minds?

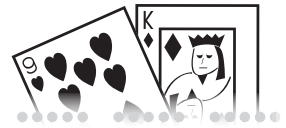
Since I’m kind of a wordy guy, I generally have to trim the essay down to size. It will certainly need polishing after that, and I always have to remember to spell-check it, as it would never do for typos to appear in the premier cribbage publication in the world.

If the topic is controversial, I usually send the column to a friend or two for feedback, and then I set it aside to see how it reads later. If I’m still happy with it the next morning or after lunch, I hurry and print it before I change my mind.

Well, now I’ve gone and wasted my entire allotment of 450 words and still haven’t settled on a topic for this month. But at least now I have another four weeks to come up with something educational, entertaining, and interesting. **CW**

CW editor	I beat Connie Staven (WI) by 42 at Milwaukee Challenge
	April record: 52-42 (55.3%)
	Craig Smith (MI) beat me by 54 at Battle Creek club

# Your Deal



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## Counting Four of a Kind

I'd like to share how I teach cribbage players how to count the four of a kind hands described in the April CW. Have the person lay out the four cards face up on the table (e.g., A-7-7-7). Now take the Ace and touch two 7s around all sides for 15-8 and then the two diagonals for 15-12. Now do the same thing with 3-3-3-6, but in this case you've already used the diagonals, so you get only 15-8. Once people see this they will actually see how to get the 15s. After doing it several times they will be able to visualize it in their mind without having to lay the cards down.

*Ray Kimberley (Chicago IL)*

## 28-Hand

I just read in the May CW that Bruce Bowman says it is easier to get a 28-hand holding 555T+5 than 5555+T. I disagree completely. If by chance you hold the four 5s in your hand and no T cards (faces or 10s) for the other two cards and your opponent does not hold any faces or 10s, that leaves forty cards to cut from, with sixteen T cards available—a 2/5 or 40% chance to cut a T card. On the other hand, holding 555T leaves the hopes of cutting the last 5 card out of 40 cards, which is 1/40 or 2.5% chance to get a 28-hand. These are the only legit math equations to use.

*Sean Daniels Sr. (Nampa ID)*

## 28-Hand Redux

I'd like to offer my view of the chances of

getting a 28-hand. If you hold three 5s and a ten card, your chances of cutting the fourth 5 as starter to make a 28-hand are 1 in 46 (the number of cards in the deck that you don't hold). If you hold four 5s, the chances of cutting a ten card, if you didn't discard any, are 16 in 46, or approximately 1 in 3. So, I would say it is 16 times more likely to end up with a 28-hand if you hold all four 5s than if you need to cut the fourth 5.

*Nat Hammond (South Bristol ME)*

## Old Habits

They say old habits are hard to break, and this [putting the 5 in your own crib; see May CW, page 26] would be a good example. You are saying to break up a double run in order to put points in the crib. That is going to be hard for me to do after years of hearing "never break up a double run."

*Bonnie Van Bergen (Blairsdon-Graeagle CA)*

## CW Is a Killer

I always look forward to *Cribbage World*—the updates on tournaments, tidbits, and friends. The April edition was no exception. But since this issue came out, it's been a nightmare! **Paul Eichler** and I have been friends since grade school. We have played sports together, raised our families together, even bought vacation cottages next to each other and enjoy sitting around the campfire and reminiscing about our past adventures and goofy escapades. The com-

*continued on page 11*

Tournament	Director	Main (MRPs)	Consolation (MRPs)	Big Hands	Satellite Winners
<b>Capital City (Woodbury MN; Mar. 19–21)</b>	Todd Schaefer	97 players HQ. Dennis Olney (45) 1. Brett Brunner (147) 2. Jack Dockett (105) 3. Douglas Henderson (70) 3. Dennis Ulberg (70)	45 players HQ. Elizabeth Miller (18) 1. Allan Stanek (60) 2. Wayne Steinmetz (40) 3. James Weires (24) 3. Patricia Upton (24)	28-hands: Robert Beckman* Ron Hamilton*	Friday: Don Thienel Saturday: Robert Chase All Events: Robert Chase
<b>March Madness (Raleigh NC; Mar. 19–21)</b>	Larry Phifer	62 players HQ. Larry Phifer (40) 1. Larry Phifer (105) 2. Robert Milk (70) 3. Robert Reister (42) 3. Rick Bryant (42)	50 players HQ. Jack Howsare (18) 1. Ronald Reece (60) 2. Joyce Bryant (40) 3. Robert Moore (24) 3. Bill Medeiros (24)	28-hand: Don Eastwood*	Friday: Robert Moore Saturday: Beth Witter
<b>Mick Michaelis Classic (Marinette WI; Mar. 26–28)</b>	Al Karr	113 players HQ. Donald Patrin (50) 1. Mike Burns (147) 2. Wendy Schmidt (105) 3. Ed Heinowski (70) 3. George Stankus (70)	80 players HQ. Carol Zimmerman (21) 1. Duane Toll (84) 2. Inert Larsen (60) 3. Keith Widener (40) 3. Alphonse Scarantino (40)	28-hand: Joan Rein*	Friday: Ginny Danielski Saturday: Sarah Anschutz Crib Cross: Inert Larsen All Events: Lee Tesch
<b>Kissimmee Open (Kissimmee FL; Mar. 26–28)</b>	Ray Wanke	94 players HQ. Victor Tupper (65) 1. Esther Rolfe (147) 2. John Blowers (105) 3. Ray Fischer (70) 3. Barri Gehrand (70)	60 players HQ. Richard Landry (24) 1. Donna Zuben (60) 2. Mike Maiden (40) 3. Carl Squire (24) 3. Ron Lapointe (24)	28-hands: Betty Schaeffer* Stephen Pleskovich	Friday: Ed Craren Doubles: Mariette Debaugh & Mike Caro Saturday: Mike Maiden
<b>Northwest Open (Baker City OR; Mar. 26–28)</b>	Carl Heath	62 players HQ. Rex Paddock (50) 1. Roy Hofbauer (105) 2. Bill Mero (70) 3. Willie Evans (42) 3. Rex Paddock (42)	36 players HQ. Dan Marsh (15) 1. Kathy Atwood (60) 2. Allen Pateri (40) 3. Tom Varnell (24) 3. Delynn Colvert (24)	28-hand: Bill Monda*	Friday: John Hays High Rollers: Terry McGinnis Doubles: Arlene Wilkinson & Peggy Scalley Saturday: Terry Bond

**GRAND  
SLAMI!**

**FIRST  
WIN!**

\* = in a sanctioned event



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<b>New England Spring Fever (Hyannis MA; Mar. 26-28)</b>	Michael Maloney	54 players HQ. Philip Beauregard (55) 1. Kristin Watson (105) 2. Raymond Cook (70) 3. Louis Caccia (42) 3. Robert Medeiros (42)	21 players HQ. Pat Llewellyn (12) 1. Susan Cousens (40) 2. Pat Llewellyn (24)		
<b>Timber Capital Cribbage Classic (North Bend OR; Apr. 2-4)</b>	Larry Hassett	84 players HQ. Bruce Dorman (50) 1. Scott Milo (147) 2. Mel Ashley (105) 3. Michael Rowe (70) 3. Garry Folz (70)	42 players HQ. Brian Foiz (21) 1. Duane Toll (60) 2. Robert Murray (40) 3. Phyllis Roderick (24) 3. Brian Folz (24)	28-hands: Roland Hall* John Galbreath* Richard Shea*	<b>GRAND SLAMI!</b> Early Bird: Paul Hatcher Doubles: Don Dolezal & John Fredrickson High Rollers: Erik Locke Saturday: Duane Toll All Events: Jerald Cutsforth
<b>Montana Open (Missoula MT; Apr. 2-4)</b>	DeLynn Colvert	72 players HQ. Laverne Zieske (50) 1. Ellen Lauer (147) 2. Willie Evans (105) 3. Sharon Hejtmank (70) 3. Dave Schwartz (70)	48 players HQ. Lori Brown (15) 1. Rodger Bender (60) 2. Margery Clark (40) 3. O. K. Osborne (24) 3. Tom Brown (24)		Early Bird: Sharon Hejtmank High Rollers: Gary Pinkley Doubles: Wayne Momsen & Rosie Dawkins Saturday: DeLynn Colvert Last Chance: DeLynn Colvert
<b>Maine Spring Fling (Portsmouth NH; Apr. 10-11)</b>	Susan Cousens	84 players HQ. Charlie Finley (50) 1. Mark Soule (147) 2. Albert Miller (105) 3. Henry Charpentier (70) 3. David Clemmey (70)	38 players HQ. Lance Browne (18) 1. Harold Cook (60) 2. David Statz (40) 3. Jerry Hardy (24) 3. Richard West (24)	28-hand: Carolyn Bird*	Friday: Bruce Hassan Doubles: Ann Somers & Dick West Last Chance: Carolyn Bird
<b>Washington State Open (Sunnyside WA; Apr. 9-11)</b>	James Morrow	78 players HQ. James Hartung (50) 1. Roy Hofbauer (147) 2. Harold Christy (105) 3. DeLynn Colvert (70) 3. Todd Malmgren (70)	50 players HQ. Jack Moritzky (21) 1. Ian Symons (60) 2. James Morrow (40) 3. Michael Rowe (24) 3. Wayne McCormick (24)	28-hands: Steve Nagy* Ian Symons	Early Bird: Paul Hatcher Doubles: Wayne McCormick & Dot Mickow Saturday: Gerry Klein All Events: Gerry Klein Team: Jeanne Jelke, Bernie Nelson, James Hartung, Paul Hatcher

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<b>Houdini Challenge (Menasha WI; Apr. 9–11)</b>	Brad Behm	67 players HQ. John Hilland (35) 1. James Huser (147) 2. Mark Habighorst (105) 3. Emilio Perez (70) 3. Donald Urban (70)	41 players HQ. Marsha Mahan (18) 1. Ethel Sherwan (60) 2. Alan Schaefer (40) 3. Marsha Mahan (24) 3. Jeanne Wauters (24)	28-hands: Bob Joslin* Ed Balcer	Friday: Ed Balcer Saturday: Don Flesch All Events: Don Urban
<b>Winnemucca Spring Classic (Winnemucca NV; Apr. 9–11)</b>	Jerold Montgomery	60 players HQ. Cres Fernandez (40) 1. Michael McCammon (105) 2. Bethany Rolison (70) 3. Jim McKnight (42) 3. Pamela Pomeroy (42)	40 players HQ. Frank Ornie (21) 1. A. J. Tasker (60) 2. Frank Ornie (40) 3. Andrew Lynch (24) 3. Gordon Brown (24)	28-hand: Anne Sheeran*	Early Bird: Jim Langley High Rollers: Bryan Gurden Doubles: Ron & Laurie Logan Triple Play: Don Brown Team: A. J. Lynch, Pam Pomeroy, Jim Clark, Don Brown
<b>Washington State Championship (Centralia WA; Apr. 16–18)</b>	Chris McComas	154 players HQ. Timothy Morrissey (60) 1. Gordon Reid (196) 2. Duane Toll (147) 3. Mike McDaniel (105) 3. Mills Brubaker (105) 5. Ken Totten (70) 5. Herschel Mack (70) 5. Roy Hofbauer (70) 5. Brittany Pierce (70)	84 players HQ. Jim Crawford (24) 1. Karen Dupea (84) 2. Henry Carle (60) 3. Rosemary Hendricks (40) 3. Delynn Colvert (40)	28-hands: Rick Pierce* Frank Butz* Richard Winfield* Pete Larsen* Lucy Wilkinson	Early Bird: Charles Hill Doubles: Jim Tuning & Mike Murphy High Rollers: Michael Rowe Saturday: John Goe Last Chance: Nancy Hawkins
<b>Milwaukee Challenge/Joe Bernard Memorial (Milwaukee WI; Apr. 16–18)</b>	Marlene Lazachek	133 players HQ. Richard Horvath (60) 1. Richard Horvath (196) 2. Ethel Sherwan (147) 3. Marvin Lang (105) 3. Emilio Perez (105) 5. Gerald Gruber (70) 5. Leo Lawrence (70) 5. Daniel Minesal (70) 5. Jerome Tork (70)	84 players HQ. Pete Momsen (15) 1. John Hazlett (84) 2. Steven Steinmetz (60) 3. Pete Momsen (40) 3. Pete Severson (40)	28-hands: Tom Green* Scott Hudson* Marge Janick* Norm Vierela*	Friday: Michelle Gryka Saturday: Jerome Tork Last Chance: Terry Weber



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Western New York Open (Niagara Falls NY; Apr. 16-18)	Nelson Wheaton	53 players HQ. Dan Klein (50) 1. Phyllis Schmidt (105) 2. Dan Klein (70) 3. Kerry O'Connell (42) 3. Harvey Greenberg (42)	33 players HQ. Utah Walton (18) 1. David Clemmey (60) 2. Rose Ann Walton (40) 3. David Statz (24) 3. Russell Bentley (24)	28-hand: Bill Poole*	Friday: Maurina Boughton Doubles: Jim Hall & Gary Klumpp
Lake Tahoe Open (Crystal Bay NV; Apr. 23-25)	Mike McCammon	74 players HQ. Peter Jackson (45) 1. Peter Jackson (147) 2. Bruce Webb (105) 3. Cy Madrone (70) 3. Michael Hurley (70)	52 players HQ. Christy Lens (15) 1. Jones Horn (60) 2. Christy Lens (40) 3. Heidi Glashan (24) 3. Diane Leal (24)	28-hand: Allen Amaro*	Doubles: Anne Sheeran & Ira Deutsch Mid-Rollers: Jackie Doppelt Early Bird: Rich Scott All Events: John Prehn
Bobby Stuart Atlanta Classic (Suwanee GA; Apr. 23-25)	Barri Gehrand & Valerie Nozick	43 players HQ. Charles Dolge (40) 1. Donald Lukas (105) 2. Henry Douglass (70) 3. Raymond Wanke (42) 3. Wilbur Paul (42)	30 players HQ. John Lechner (24) 1. Bill Cooper (40) 2. Howard Terry (24)		Friday: Dave O'Neil Saturday: Dave O'Neil
Colonial Classic (Williamsburg VA; Apr. 24)	Bill Whiting	37 players HQ. Bruce Sattler (60) 1. James Tanner (105) 2. Carlyle Elliott (70) 3. Bruce Sattler (42) 3. John Noblet (42)	21 players HQ. Cecil Sublett (9) 1. Marvin Lewis (40) 2. Matthew Easterbrook (24)	<b>FIRST WIN!</b>	
Spring U.S. Open (West Covina CA; Apr. 25)	Norm Nikodym	42 players HQ. James Muller (45) 1. Ronald Hoglund (105) 2. Norman Nikodym (70) 3. James Muller (42) 3. Kerry O'Connell (42)	30 players HQ. J. J. Stansfield (12) 1. Bryan Gurden (40) 2. Roland Hall (24)	28-hands: John Krukow* John Kern*	

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## Tournament Tidbits

Tournament	Director	Main (MRPs)	Consolation (MRPs)	Big Hands	Satellite Winners
Oregon Coast Classic (Lincoln City OR; April 30–May 2)	Roy & Jeanne Hofbauer, Bernie Nelson, Jeanette Nielsen	191 players HQ. Herschel Mack (70) 1. Craig Jensen (196) 2. Duane Toll (147) 3. Bob Bartosh (105) 5. Dan Marsh (70) 5. Bruce Goff (70) 5. Othmar Borchard (70) 5. Pete Larsen (70)	132 players HQ. James Morrow (21) 1. Gordy Wise (112) 2. Michael Sofaly (84) 3. Michael Rowe (60) 3. Betty Stewart (60) 5. Donald Brown (40) 5. Patricia Gossett (40) 5. Peggy Shea (40) 5. Erik Locke (40)	28-hands: Rickie Mack* Marvin Wells* Peggy Scalley* Jeanette Nielsen* John O'Shea* Norma Frazer* Mike Troutman*	Time Passer: Mike Troutman High Rollers: "Ratso" Roderick Doubles: Hal & Joyce Lamon Saturday: Buck Hobbs Last Chance: Robert Brumley

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**Capital City** **Robert Beckman** (Cannon Falls MN) had both a 28-hand and 24-hand in a single game—and still lost by one point!

**Houdini Challenge** He's played a lot of cribbage in his ninety years, but Life Master (★★★) **Bob Julian** (Franklin WI) has never ever received a drubbing like that served up by Life Master (★) **Richard "Frosty" Frost** (Berlin WI) in the consolation—an 83-point loss! To add insult to injury, Bob was also skunked in his next game.

**Bobby Stuart Atlanta Classic** **Don Lukas** (Marietta GA) was skunked in his first two games on Saturday morning, but the cards changed and the next day he was playing Life Master **Henry Douglass** (Reidsville NC) for the championship. While the smart money might have been on Henry and his 7,500+ lifetime MRPs, Don—with only 78 MRPs prior to this event—managed to capture the title, trophy, and Henry's side pool in five games. Those first two skunks were long forgotten! Meanwhile, Grand Master **David O'Neil** (Clarkston GA) cut a swath through 34 players on Friday night and through 26 players on Saturday night to take first place in both satellites. Check out the Grass Roots Corner for "the rest of the story."

**Correction** The "fancy pegging" listed on page 11 of the May CW underestimated the pegging ability of Life Master (★★) **Paul Hatcher** (Salem OR) by 25%. Paul's third card ran the count to 15, earning Paul two additional points and a total of eight (not six) points. CW apologizes for this error.

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## Milestones!

Fred Koury Sr. (WA) turns 90 on June 22

## *Tips for Tournament Players*

### **Pay attention to the announced time for playoffs**

If you are uncertain of the time (or were talking when the announcement was made!), ask the tournament director after the qualifying round. Do not rely on a buddy or another player or something you read on twitter to give you accurate information. Showing up at the wrong time can cost you a lot of grief and money.

Here's how it works. If you are not present at the start of your playoff match, you forfeit the first game after five minutes. Subsequent games are forfeited every fifteen minutes, until the match is over. This means that you will lose a best-of-five match after 35 minutes. And a best-of-three match goes down the tubes in a mere 20 minutes.

While forfeiters are still eligible to receive prize money and MRPs, wouldn't you rather play the match and have a chance to move on to the next round—and maybe even win the tournament?

*Letters to the Editor—continued from page 5*

petition between us has been honest but fierce! One upmanship has been a way of life! But since the day I received the April CW, Paul has been calling me every night asking if I read “25 Years Ago in the ACC” on page 25. The first night was okay. But every night at 7p. Like the movie *Groundhog Day*, the call is coming! I know it's him! Do I answer the phone? Or do I let the answering machine pick up! It's a no-win situation. “Did you read page 25? Did you win a tournament then? Aren't you proud of me? Don't you wish it was you on page 25?” *You are killing me!* I've made up my mind that it's your fault, not mine! I may have sown the seeds and fertilized the soil, but you added the water to make my nightmare grow. All is not lost! You have a chance to redeem yourself. All you have to do is get that goofball a *Cribbage World* by May 1 and my groundhog day nightmare will end. Like Bill Murray I will be back in the happily-ever-after mode. I never want to see page 25 in April issue again.

*Bill Kraatz (Frewsburg NY)*

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# Crib Pointers

by DAVID AIKEN

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any people were taught to never break up a double run when it is their crib. While generally sound advice, this is not an unbreakable rule. One obvious example is an end-game situation where you need only four points. If the dealer is close enough

ing more than four points in the hand. In hands with big scoring potential (more than eight points), ask two questions: (1) Did I stay within the sacrifice limits? (2) Do I still have a potential of 12 or more points in my hand? If the answer to both

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## Tip #6 Put the 5 in your crib—again!

to peg out, you'll want to break up, say, 2-3-3-4 and instead hold an "out" card; for example, holding 2-3-4-Q or 2-3-Q-K is much safer because it gives you some flexibility in pegging that you would not have if you held the intact double run.

Another example involves double runs that have a 5, as discussed in last month's column. CW asked pegging guru, HOF member, and Life Master (★★) **Elmer "Ras" Rasmussen** (Napavine WA) for some additional support of this idea. Here are some excerpts from Ras's email:

"Tossing the 5 to your own crib is a good thing if you are not giving up more than two points in the hand. As a rule, dump 5-5 to your crib when not sacrific-

questions is yes, you've made the correct choice."

Ras lists these hands where double runs should not be held by the dealer:

hand	discard to your crib
A-A-2-3-4-X	2-3
A-5-5-6-7-8	5-5
2-5-6-6-7-X	5-X
2-5-6-7-7-X	5-X
3-4-4-4-5-X	5-X
3-4-4-5-8-X	5-X
4-5-6-7-7-X	7-7
5-5-5-6-7-X	6-7
5-5-6-7-8-X	5-X
5-5-J-J-Q-K	5-5

*continued over here*

# CLUB 29

1. Gerard F. St. Germain (RI): New England Peer (August 29)
2. Donna Aird (Gladstone MI): Carter Classic (September 12)
3. Jeanne Jelke (Pasco WA): Western Washington Limited (September 12)
4. Marvin W. Wells Jr. (Lakeview OR): Winnemucca Classic (September 19)
5. Ken "Butch" Ehrich (Denver CO): Colorado Fall Classic (October 17)
6. Mel Vios (Honolulu HI): Abe Kealoha Extravaganza (November 1)
7. Daniel Pluff (Saint Paul MN): North Pole Open (October 24)
8. Emilio Perez (Waukegan IL): Carter Classic (January 9)
9. Marvin Lewis (Chesapeake VA): Georgia Open (January 16)
10. Jason Morin (Vacaville CA): JPW/ACC Open (February 13)
11. Helen Rabbitt (Glendale AZ): Roadrunner Classic (March 20)

# 29th Annual Grand National



2010  
Virginia Beach, VA

Some players have had problems with Holiday Inn reservations. When the 800 number is busy, it rolls over to central reservations. And for some strange reason, they did not have the GN 29 block of rooms in their system. This has now been taken care of, but if anyone still has problems, try one of these solutions: (1) give them group code CTO, or (2) call the local Holiday Inn number (757.499.4400).

Everyone who has a 29-hand during official GN events on Friday, Saturday, or Sunday will split a \$2,900 pot. If no 29-hands appear during these tournaments, then players who get a 28-hand in the main or consolation will share the \$2,900. We *will* give away the money at the end of Sunday's play.

Donations to help pay GN 29 expenses will be greatly appreciated. Contributions

from individuals, Grass Root clubs, and businesses will be acknowledged in the tournament program. Advertising space is also available, at these rates: full page \$250, half page \$125, quarter page \$75. Please send camera-ready copy and a check to Jack

Howsare by July 31.

**Remember: the cutoff date for GN entries is September 4. There will be no walk-ins for the main tournament.**

<b>location</b>	Virginia Beach VA
<b>date</b>	September 17–19
<b>registration deadline</b>	September 4
<b>host hotel</b>	Holiday Inn 5655 Greenwich Rd Virginia Beach VA 23462 <i>phone: 757.499.4400 or 800.567.3856</i>
<b>GN 29 director</b>	Jack Howsare 248 Palace Green Blvd Virginia Beach VA 23452 <i>phone: 757.696.2999</i> <i>email: grandnational29@cox.net</i>
<b>GN 29 codirectors</b>	Catherine Perkins (919.837.5790) Bruce Sattler (410.256.9079)
<b>Midweek Rush director</b>	Marvin Lewis 4065 Cory Ln Chesapeake VA 23321 <i>phone: 757.488.1920</i> <i>email: marvinwl@cox.net</i>

▶ Ras's list of the best tosses to your own crib are, in descending value:

- 2-3
- 5-J
- 5-6
- 5-K
- 5-10
- 5-Q
- 4-5

Two double runs that Ras does not break up are 3-3-4-5-8-X and 3-4-5-5-8-X.

More info on this topic may be found in an article called "Double-run Hypnosis" that that Ras has written and posted on the ACC website ([cribbage.org/tips/rasmussen9.asp](http://cribbage.org/tips/rasmussen9.asp)). **CW**

# Welcome to New Members

*The ACC welcomed 64 new members during April. When you see these folks down the tournament trail or at your cribbage club, welcome them with a hearty handshake, answer their questions, and then sit down with them and enjoy the best two-handed card game ever invented.*

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## **Arizona\***

Edward Baker (Surprise)

## **California\***

Greta Box (Redding)  
Melody Foxx (Long Beach)  
Bob Harris (Placerville)  
Colleen Harris (Placerville)  
Kenneth Haselden (Santa Rosa)  
Walter Kohl (Biggs)  
Michell Loefflev (Santa Rosa)  
Marlo P. Maher (Carmichael)  
Marvin J. Maher (Carmichael)  
Rich Ramirez (West Covina)  
Chad Ray (El Dorado Hills)  
Van Ray (El Dorado Hills)  
Jack Robertson (Huntington Beach)  
Margaret Robertson (Benicia)  
Roxanne Ryerson (Redding)

## **Colorado\***

Dan Mierkey (Glenwood Springs)  
Betty J. Weller (Centennial)  
Richard D. Weller (Centennial)  
Steven D. White (Wellington)

## **Florida\***

Charles Candrilli (Ellenton)  
Stephen Pleskovich (Inverness)

## **Georgia\***

Jacob French (Monroe)

## **Illinois\***

James L. Winans (Crystal Lake)

## **Massachusetts\***

Mark Dempsey (Framingham)  
Richard A. Gaudet (West Yarmouth)

## **Michigan\***

Bud Mahieu (Kalamazoo)  
Dan Mastromonalo (Mount Pleasant)  
Charles D. Moldenhauer (Rochester Hills)  
Chris Simmer (Mount Pleasant)  
Bruce Sutherland (Mount Pleasant)

## **Minnesota\***

Timothy J. Crear (Woodbury)

John Harstad (Bethel)

Charles Mokres Jr. (Mounds View)

## **Montana\***

David A. Braach (Lolo)  
John Peterson (Missoula)

## **Nevada\***

Edward Berg (Winnemucca)  
Rachael Paxton (Carson City)  
Joe Peterson (Winnemucca)  
Kathleen Peterson (Winnemucca)

## **North Carolina\***

Pat Karnes (Lexington)  
Herbert Stacey (Winston Salem)

## **Ontario\***

Thomas G. Fairbairn (Toronto)

## **Oregon\***

Ronald D. McKern (Crescent)  
Carla J. Nicholson (Portland)  
Kate Ortwein (Lakeview)  
Christopher Tierney (Eugene)

## **South Dakota\***

Jerry Rahn (Sioux Falls)

## **Washington\***

Christopher Commisso (Snohomish)  
Erika Commisso (Snohomish)  
Andrew M. Larson (Mukilteo)  
Darcy Mugartegui (Olympia)  
Phillip Pine (Elma)  
Ian Redfield (Zillah)  
Debbi Shelley (Walla Walla)  
Devon Scott Shelley (Walla Walla)

## **Wisconsin\***

Jean Casey (Madison)  
Tim Crowe (Appleton)  
James Dikeman (Park Falls)  
Andy Thompson (Madison)  
Norman Thompson Jr. (Cottage Grove)  
Norman Thompson Sr. (Cottage Grove)  
Sam Weyenberg (Madison)

## **Wyoming\***

Enoch Allred (Casper)



- Use only American dollar bills.
- All eight numbers must be used (ignore any letters in the serial numbers).
- Count only 15-2 combinations, runs (straights), and two or more of a kind, using standard scoring (rule 1.7 of the ACC rulebook). There are no flushes or nobs. For the record, a quintuple (i.e., five of a kind) is worth 20 points (apart from any 15-2 combos and straights), but you'll have to determine the value of six, seven, or eight of a kind.
- Straights must be made as long as possible. For example, serial number 2-3-4-5-5-6-7-9 would be counted as two six-card runs and a pair of 5s for 14 (plus the 15-2 combinations). The same rule applies to triple runs, double-double runs, and so on.
- Zero (0) counts as 10, with a value of 10. It can be combined with 8-9 to make a run, but not with 1-2. That is, 8-9-0 is a legitimate run, but 0-1-2 is not.
- One (1) counts as an Ace, with a value of 1. It can be combined with 2-3 to make a run.
- If you overcount your bill, you will receive credit only for its actual value. For example, if your bill has 56 points and you submit an answer of 60, you will be credited with 56.
- If you undercount your bill, you will receive credit only for as many points as you claim. For example, if your bill has 56 points and you submit an answer of 50, you will be credited with 50.

### To enter CW Contest #8, read the fine print

1. The actual dollar bill must be submitted with your entry. No photocopies, faxes, photos, or other images are eligible.
2. All dollars submitted become the property of the ACC and will be donated to the ACC's Youth Program.
3. You may enter as many times as you like, with multiple bills in the same envelope or in multiple mailings.
4. Contest open only to ACC members.
5. Two prizes will be awarded: the persons who submit the best cribbage hand and the worst cribbage hand will each win a sheet of twenty 44¢ stamps from zazzle.com and a GN 28 baseball cap.
6. If there is a tie for either the highest or lowest cribbage hand, the winners will be determined by random draw.
7. Entries must be postmarked by the last day of the cribbage season: July 31, 2010—with sufficient postage affixed (no metered mail) for delivery through the U.S. mail stream. No email, hand-delivered, fax, or telephone entries will be accepted.
8. CW is not responsible for entries that are lost, stolen, or deposited in your bank account.
9. The winners will be announced in the September 2010 *Cribbage World*.
10. Since it is rather tricky to define precisely the rules of something that no one has ever done before, these rules may be amended or added to in the July *Cribbage World*.
11. Mail entries to:  
**CW Contest #8**  
**P.O. Box 313**  
**Ada MI 49301-0313**

# In Memoriam

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## **Shirley Becker**

Shirley Becker (Kalamazoo MI) passed away on March 24 after a long bout with cancer. Shirley loved the game of cribbage and, in her few years as a member of Club 321, did very well, not only as a player but as club secretary. Her warm smile and positive outlook on life will be sorely missed by all those who knew her.

## **Dale Bivens**

Dale Bivens (Albuquerque NM) passed away on May 11 from complications arising from three recent strokes. Dale has been a member of the Sandia Peggors cribbage club in Albuquerque for the past eight years.

## **Silvio Garaventa**

Silvio Garaventa (Napa CA) passed away May 3 at age 92. He was a member of the Century Peggors Club 100. He was noted for his competitiveness and quick wit. He also loved poker and was the president of a regular weekly group formed in 1941. He loved gardening, both flowers and vegetables, and had just started planting his vegetables when he passed. He leaves behind a large family, including two great-great-grandchildren! He is and will be missed by his fellow cribbage players.

## **Jerry Mittelstaedt**

Jerry Mittelstaedt (Gold Canyon AZ) passed away on May 2 after a brave fight against cancer. A longtime ACC member, Jerry played in the Denver area and was a stalwart in Club 24. Jerry won many awards over the years, and we will miss his sharp wit and passion for cribbage. One passion was margaritas, and somewhere Jerry is surely looking for a lime and ice and a cribbage board. Club 24 gives Phyl-

lis and family our sincerest condolences.

## **Paul Nyberg**

Paul Nyberg (Hayward CA) passed away on May 9 at the age of 70 after a long battle with cancer. He was a member of Clendenning's Clan Club 43 (Fremont CA). Paul learned cribbage as a child from his grandfather, whom he spoke of fondly. He insisted that hole 90 was the real stink hole and that hole 120 was the "mud hole" (see June 2008 CW, page 5). Paul had the first grand slam at our club this season. He always brought his best game to the table and never complained when the cards let him down. He also enjoyed golfing and model railroading. He is survived by wife Sharen, also an ACC member. His positive attitude will be missed by all.

## **Kenneth C. Rasmussen**

Ken Rasmussen (Muskegon MI) passed away on May 2. Ken had a twenty-six-year career at the upper level of the CIA. Although born in Muskegon, he left for fifty years, as his career took him to California and Washington DC. He is survived by his wife, Suzan, and three children, including ACC member Sue Rasmussen. After Ken retired, he returned to Muskegon, where he and Suzan enjoyed their gardens and traveled extensively. Ken's generosity and pleasant personality made him irresistible and unforgettable to all who met him. He learned to play cribbage as a child, and when he returned to Michigan he became involved with the local cribbage club and found great pleasure in both the people he met and challenges of the game. He was very proud that Sue has taken up cribbage, and he enjoyed playing tournaments with her. He will be missed by all.

# The President's Column

by Jeanne Hofbauer



My Random House College Dictionary defines *compete* as “to strive, to outdo another for acknowledgment, a prize, supremacy, profit, etc.” I think that this pretty much sums up a cribbage tournament. We vie for the rewards of getting our names in *Cribbage World* and on the ACC website, trophies, prizes, Master Rating Points, awards and, of course, “bragging rights.”

Having a competitive nature means you must have a *strong desire* to succeed in competition. I guess that is why some cribbage players are not attracted to the ACC. Some just want to play the game at leisure for entertainment. And there are different levels of competitiveness within the ACC. (I have seen playoff losses create tears!)

It is sometimes hard for competitive people to take losses. I know it's not always easy; I've been there—done that—been a brat! We should all try our best to take our losses (and wins) with grace, as ladies and gentlemen. Show respect for your opponents with a display of good sportsmanship and courtesy.

It is important to enjoy the game itself. And what a great two-person game crib-

bage is! I do not know of any card game that gives a challenge between two players like cribbage does. It is even enjoyable to watch a good match, such as this year's finals at the ACC Open between **Erik Locke** and **Winona McDaniel**. I have watched many playoff matches standing behind **DeLynn Colvert**, enjoying watching a master at his craft (and trying to learn from it).

Please remember that our actions, attitudes, and behavior can effect how others enjoy the game. And that we will get another chance to compete next week, or the week after that, or the week after that, or . . .

*Jeanne*

## Joe's Target

In the past month four members moved past ACC founder Joe Wergin's lifetime total of 1,728 MRPs:

- 1881 Ethel Sherwan (WI)
- 1791 Dianne M. Gurney (WI)
- 1778 A. J. Tasker (NV)
- 1742 Ray Fischer (NC)

**The new ACC rulebook goes into effect on August 1, 2010. Copies will be available in July from the ACC membership secretary, the regional tournament commissioners, BOD members, and club directors. More details in the July CW.**

# Cribbage Board of the Month

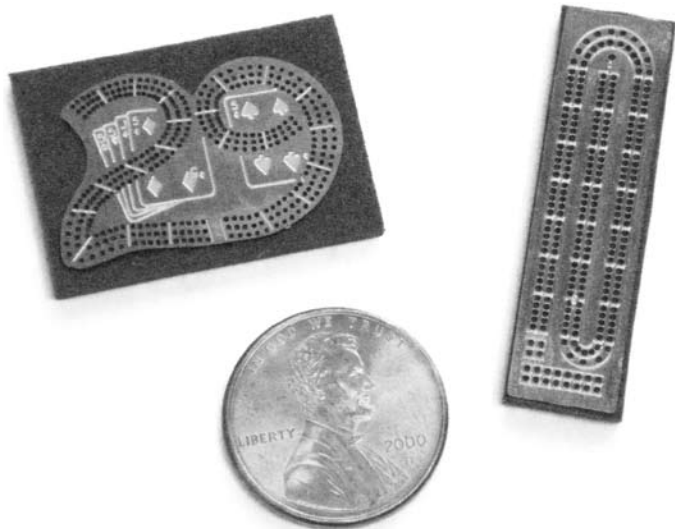
BY JAY FULWIDER

The April column featured two versions of paper cribbage boards. I stated there that they were probably the thinnest boards made.

This month, these two boards are likely the smallest boards made. The boards are used for dollhouse displays. They are made of brass on

foam. If you had small enough pegs and a magnifying glass, you could actually play on these boards.

These boards are available through **thedollhousemall.com**, an English company at (click on “department store” and scroll down).



**Jay Fulwider** collects cribbage boards in picturesque Washington State. Ideas for and questions about this column may be sent to him at **budandotis@msn.com** (put “Cribbage Board” in the subject line). For more information on cribbage boards and collecting, visit the Cribbage Board Collectors Society website at **cbcs.us**.

## ACC Awards

### *New Cribbage Masters*

- 744. Neal R. Matzke (Forestville WI)
- 745. George Stankus (Crystal Lake IL)
- 746. John Bourgon (Las Vegas NV)
- 747. Al Jean Simpson (El Cajon CA)

- 748. Bill Mero (Camas WA)
- 749. Walter Howell (Newport OR)
- 750. Bruce Goff (Tacoma WA)
- 751. Richard Shea (Eureka CA)

## ACC members . . .



read CW both  
online and in print

60.9%

14.1%

read CW  
only online

The results of the April CW Opinion Poll are in—and a filibuster-proof majority of ACC members want flexibility: 56 of 92 respondents (60.9%) want to read *Cribbage World* both online and in hard copy. Only 14.1% (13 respondents) wanted to access CW only online, and 25% (23 respondents) want to read CW only in hard copy.

If these numbers hold across the entire ACC, this means that 969 members prefer not to get a paper copy of CW in their mailbox each month, which means we could save 116,280 sheets of paper—or 232 reams or 1,250 pounds—each year.

Of course, since this survey was taken only online, the 14.1% figure is probably skewed a bit toward the high side.

Nancy Wanke (Kissimmee FL) likely speaks for the majority when she writes: “I have not been reading CW online because I like to sit down with it for an hour or two and digest every word. However we could read it online, but we like to give old copies of CW to new members or potential new members. Therefore I opt for both.”

read only the print  
version of CW

# CW

## OPINION POLL

Online polls in which ACC members can express their opinion about topics of interest to cribbage players.

Rules: (1) voting must be done online at [cribbage.org](http://cribbage.org); (2) you must be an ACC member; (3) you can vote only once per topic; and (4) polling closes on the last day of the month. The results of each poll will be published in the second CW following its announcement.

Everybody likes a free lunch, but do you want lunch to be included as part of the entry fee? Let CW know your preference by going to [cribbage.org](http://cribbage.org) and voting now.

- I want the tournament to buy my lunch
- I like to buy my own lunch



# INTERNET Cribbage IRPs

BY ROBERT MILK

internet director // robert\_milk@alum.wpi.edu

## April Wrap-Up

Due to a computer failure, the ACC internet statistics and standings were unavailable at publication time. This information will be posted online as soon as it is available.

## They're Back!

Both the Monday and Thursday tournaments have returned. This is because a couple of dedicated ACC internet cribbage players decided to give back to the program and volunteered to help their fellow players out. We continue to seek additional TDs.

## www.google.com

### COOL WEB STUFF

**nytimes.com** A new reality show billed as "Golden Girls" meets "Jersey Shore" debuted on the WE tv network in late April. Called "Sunset Daze," the show features, umm, mature folks who are residents of Sun City Grand, a restricted-age village that includes, among other things, a cribbage club.

**seacoastonline.com** VFW post 6977 in Cape Neddick ME raised \$6,000 to send 151 care packages to troops fighting in Afghanistan. Each box contained toiletry articles, stationery, dry food, and cribbage boards.

## internet.tourney.schedule

Anyone can play in ACC internet tournaments, but to earn IRPs you must be an ACC member with a certified screen name. Go to [cribbage.org/internet](http://cribbage.org/internet) for details. Sign up at [gamecolony.com/acc](http://gamecolony.com/acc) at least ten minutes before scheduled start time.

date	day	time	type	scoring
June 3	Thursday	10:30p	best 2 of 3	automatic
June 5	Saturday	5:30p	best 2 of 3	automatic
June 6	Sunday	5:30p	best 2 of 3	automatic
June 7	Monday	7:30p	best 2 of 3	automatic
June 9	Wednesday	8p	Cribbage Cup	automatic
June 10	Thursday	10:30p	best 2 of 3	automatic
June 12	Saturday	5:30p	best 2 of 3	automatic
June 13	Sunday	5:30p	best 2 of 3	automatic
June 14	Monday	7:30p	best 2 of 3	automatic
June 17	Thursday	10:30p	best 2 of 3	automatic
June 19	Saturday	5:30p	best 2 of 3	automatic
June 21	Monday	7:30p	best 2 of 3	automatic
June 23	Wednesday	8p	Cribbage Cup	automatic
June 24	Thursday	10:30p	best 2 of 3	automatic
June 26	Saturday	5:30p	best 2 of 3	automatic
June 27	Sunday	5:30p	best 2 of 3	automatic
June 28	Monday	7:30p	best 2 of 3	automatic

*All times Eastern \* = ACC members only*

Cribbage Cup is held at [ecribbage.com](http://ecribbage.com);  
all other events at [gamecolony.com/acc/](http://gamecolony.com/acc/)

## Cribbage Lingo

**esplanade** : to attempt an explanation for a stupid cribbage play while drunk



# GAME ON

by Dan Zeisler



## Youth Teaching Tip

Over the last few months, I have received four emails from players saying that they got the impossible—an actual 19-point hand! In each instance they described the same hand: 5-5-5-J plus cutting a face card that yields nobs. In responding to each party, the same thing held true: they forgot to count the three 5s for an additional two points. Sometimes kids think they are experts at cribbage well before they truly know the game. My teaching manual provides two excellent quizzes to test those that may think they have mastered the game. It is a tool I use often for “cocky” learners to see if they are as knowledgeable as they say they are. You can request a teaching manual by emailing me at the address below.

## Youth News

In December, **Elaine Jeché** (West Covina CA) requested my teaching manual. In January, she began working with sixteen sixth-graders who are currently coming to her class once a week. She is now ready to conduct a youth tournament for them on June 12 with the help of the West Covina Grass Roots Club. Way to go Elaine! I am confident that there are more people out there who are working with kids and getting ready to host a tournament. If you are one of them or know someone who is, please let me know about it.

## Cracker Barrel Cribbage

Does anyone know what “cracker barrel” cribbage is? I was contacted by someone who has come across a cracker barrel cribbage board, which is not the same as a conventional board, and is looking for the rules on how to play.

## Teaching Manuals

Recent requests for youth teaching manuals were received from the following people. Watch for a youth boom in these areas!

- **Lynne Jones**
- **Jayme Anderson** (Des Moines IA)
- **Virginia Cooper** (Everett WA)

**Dan Zeisler** is superintendent of an elementary school district in Grass Valley CA and founder of the Sierra Youth Cribbage Tournament. Send info about youth cribbage to Dan at 530.274.3124; danthefan@yahoo.com; or 10300 Dawkins Ln, Grass Valley CA 95949-9601.

# GRASS ROOTS Clubs

GRPs

as of May 10

## Division 1

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### Points ♦ Name (Club)

326 Douglas M. Anderson (1)  
318 David Gerke (300)  
317 Jim Hatch (314)  
298 Jim Blough (91)  
294 Richard Scott Corbin (106)  
293 David Fournier (22)  
287 Laurence Krause (131)  
280 Gary Rasmussen (232)  
279 Michael D. Green (258)  
277 Joe Lilley (350)  
276 Albert Moy (290)  
274 Joseph Cornelissen (29)  
274 James L. Kahue (110)  
272 Dan Taylor (240)  
271 Owen Mayer (329)  
268 Tom Cookman (194)  
267 Erik Royland Locke (28)  
267 Tony Montooth (48)  
265 Greg Cardew (368)  
263 John M. MacEwen (295)  
263 Fred L. White (110)  
259 Scott Buhrow (106)  
258 Craig E. Jensen (46)  
257 Kurt W. Over (318)  
255 Patrick Barrett (120)  
255 Mort Herstrom (333)  
255 Norman Nikodym (68)  
254 Richard Shea (194)  
253 Rex Paddock (347)  
252 Sue Schenk (71)  
251 Lorna Lilley (350)  
247 Roland A. Hall (100)  
247 George Momaney (290)  
246 George Blinn (307)  
246 Inert Larsen (370)  
246 Daniel Pluff (240)  
245 Kenneth A. Slama (227)  
243 Rod Hovey (321)  
242 Luther R. Lord (68)  
239 Mel Ashley (82)  
239 James Flaherty Sr. (308)  
239 Bill Wakeman (43)  
238 Frank Farrish (168)  
238 Fran Ward (58)  
237 Kevin M. Sapp (299)  
237 Raymond Wanke (341)  
236 Richard Hinrichs (205)  
234 Steve Angier (119)  
234 Gerald D. Oxford (98)

234 Dennis Ulberg (284)  
234 Donald Wanta (232)  
234 Ian Wilson (205)

## Division 2

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### Points ♦ Name (Club)

216 Carl L. Heath (38)  
190 Wendell Woodard (219)  
173 Suzanne B. Rollo (154)  
142 Terry Bond (38)  
140 Dennis M. Jacobs (249)  
140 Jimmy Roberts (96)  
140 Whip Wilson (220)  
136 Don Salway (96)  
136 John F. Wichland (220)  
134 Douglas Sletten (96)  
134 Louise Streeter (219)  
130 Edward Balch (219)  
129 Richard Weston (220)  
128 Edward Dove (38)  
127 Leon Korba (27)  
126 Roger Grandgeorge (17)  
120 John E. Marchand Sr. (130)  
119 Wes Hall (96)  
119 Ray Hansen (17)  
119 Stanley A. Mullins (219)  
119 Russell N. Rice (97)  
118 Daryl Haberland (97)  
117 Christopher Dulin (35)  
114 Ronald Jensen (356)  
113 Pal Marquez (349)

## Division 3

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### Points ♦ Name (Club)

140 Kurt Bloeser (24)  
106 Leonard Duckworth (24)  
96 John Wallen (24)  
94 Mattie Bradshaw (74)  
91 Jon Taylor (24)  
90 Ronald Logan Sr. (24)  
80 Helen L. Mroczkiewicz (24)  
79 Henry Douglass (102)  
79 David Shreve (102)  
77 Rita Bosl (24)  
77 Ralph Goodall (24)



WRITTEN AND EDITED BY TOM LEWIS

*Reader contributions are encouraged. Items of interest to Grass Roots players should be sent to Tom at tomlewis@spinn.net.*



**Contacting Grass Roots Members**—it is often necessary for a Grass Roots member to be contacted. If you have an email address, please make sure that your club director enters it into your Grass Roots record.

**Skunk Can?**—many clubs maintain a skunk can and collect 25 cents per skunk, but there are many different variations of what percentage of the pot is paid for a 28-hand, 29-hand, grand slam, or other event. Please email me your payment method not later than May 31, and I'll prepare a story for the July Grass Roots Corner. *submitted by Tom Lewis*

**Clendenning's Clan (Club 43 in Fremont CA)**—as previously reported, the only thing missing from the St. Patrick's Day tournament was a grand slam. The good luck continued into April for **Tracy Yott** and **Farokh Ziari**. Tracy ran the table on April 7 with a 19/9 +145 grand slam. The very next week, Farokh took top honors with a 19/9 +130 grand slam. **Shannon Ells** attempted the triple slam the following

week but was able to win only eight games. *submitted by Tracy Yott*

**Club 274 (Walla Walla WA)**—on April 8 **Don Russell** and **Jim Harpe**, sitting next to each other, each one cut the Jack of Spades at the same time to give their opponents the win. *submitted by John Reed*

**Road Runners Club (Tempe AZ)**—on April 17 **Karen Rogers** got a 29-hand when she cut the 5 of spades! A winter visitor from Iowa and a regular at Club 24, Karen was playing **Joe Powell** and skunked him by 53 pegs, but she lost out on the high skunk of the day when **Rita Bosl** won a game by 58. Club 24 had 38 players at its last session of the season, and we are looking forward to the new season starting on September 11 at the Meadows. *submitted by John Alig*

**Club 100 (Napa CA)**—Cribbage therapy? **Frank Cances** arrived for the all-day GRNT with the following statement: "During physical therapy Thursday, I fell on the treadmill. I am really hurting and probably will not be able to make it through the whole day. I may have to drop out ear-  
*continued on page 24*

### **Rule of the Month**—Cutting before Each Deal

A cut is required before each deal. The dealer shall place the pack on the table (board) for the pone to cut. Neither player is permitted to look at the bottom card of the top pack. Should either do so there is a two-point penalty and the pack shall then be reshuffled and cut again.

ly.” Well . . . periodically, Frank was asked whether he was okay and could he continue; he always replied “I’m okay.” When the scorecards were turned in, it became clear why he was okay. His cards were hot

## GrassRoots Awards

### Silver Award

Angelo D. Torrise (190), CA

R. M. Robson (48), CA

Tony Montooth (48), CA

Les Johnson (34), CO

Mary Agee (104), MA

Ian Travers (211), WY

Raymond Desmarais (168), RI

Alan S. Wilson (168), RI

John Syftestad (1), WI

### Bronze Award

Lorna Klein (309), BC

Joyce Antonation (203), BC

Brad Archer (11), NV

Charles Stamschror (48), CA

Arthur Leno (306), CA

Herve A. Danis (276), FL

Perry Jesse (213), IL

Nancy M. Riccio (104), MA

Jeannine DuBois (109), MA

Mason D. Mayo (300), MI

Russell N. Rice (97), MI

Diane Waite (240), MN

D. Jean Seeman (221), NC

Larry Pisha (28), OR

Louis Kamps (370), WI

Clarence Charles (61), WI

all day, and he took first place! It just goes to show that cribbage is a cure for what ails you! *submitted by Denny Moore*

**Gold Cribbage Club 318 (Holmes PA)**—congratulations to **Leo Hotz** who had a 28-hand on April 19, which won him half the skunk jar. It was our club’s first 28-hand since the 2008 season, and we have never had a 29-hand. *submitted by Steve Fitchett*

**PA Peggery Club 357 (Port Angeles WA)** is now a Division 1 club, having completed over 25 sessions of Grass Roots play. This is a great feat considering the average number of weekly players ranges from 6 to 10 players. **Larry Lindberg** was the winner in our 25th session, with a 16/7 scorecard. The club is planning to redo the Eagle’s banquet tabletops where we hold our tournaments. Material costs are estimated at \$1,200, and peggery will provide their time free of charge. Not only will the PA Peggery prove their value as members of the Aerie, but players who attend Cribbage from the Crypt and Leprechaun Classic will have a better playing environment. *submitted by Jim Duff*

**Club 119 (Marietta GA)**—continuing the story begun on page 10 about the Bobby Stuart Atlanta Classic, **Don Lukas** arrived at Tuesday’s Grass Roots tournament bearing tales of his win and a bulging billfold. “How lucky can you get?” came the comment from **Jack Allison**: “You just watch, he’ll probably win the skunk pot tonight as well.” As caustically predicted, Lukas did indeed win the skunk pot with a 28-hand dealt to him by Jack, no less! **Dave O’Neil** also continued his winning ways by posting back-to-back Grass Roots wins to go along with his Atlanta Classic Friday and Saturday night blitz. When you’re hot, you’re hot! *submitted by Jack Allison*

# 25 Years Ago in the ACC



The cover of the June 1985 *Cribbage World* encouraged members to vote in the BOD election. With this topic making the CW cover three months in a row (and the voting results yet to come in the July issue), aren't you glad that elections are now held every two years instead of annually?

Elsewhere in this issue, we learn that BOD Chairman **Dick Graham** (Englewood CO) won his own tournament, the Sertoma Cribbage Classic in Littleton CO. CW editor and ACC secretary **Bob Madsen** contributed a two-page article about the problem of directors of sanctioned tournaments not adhering to the rules. He put directors in noncompliance on notice that they would not be allowed to direct future ACC-sanctioned events.

## More Grass Roots Corner

**Club 309 (Kelowna BC)**—another year finished, and our club champion is **Barbara Charman**. She is also a first-time 29-hand member. What an achievement for the last day of the season. *submitted by Maurice Laplante* CW

This answer key to the “Shuffle Up and Deal” crossword puzzle was supposed to have been printed in last month’s CW. To those patient puzzlers who have been waiting to see if they got everything right, here it is.

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**Jim Stratton** (Jackson MI) writes that the May Cribbage Quiz (page 15) was lacking a few answers on page 25:

### seven cards

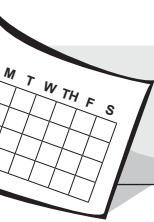
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### eight cards

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# SANCTIONED Tournaments

MRPs

as of May 10

Western Region		Central Region		Eastern Region	
MRPs	Name	MRPs	Name	MRPs	Name
1	2260 Duane Toll, OR	1	1255 Wayne Steinmetz, WI	1	956 Larry Phifer, NC
2	1933 Erik Locke, OR	2	1114 Doug Page, WI	2	856 David Campbell, ME
3	1496 Roland Hall, CA	3	974 Robert Julian, WI	3	843 Keith Widener, NC
4	1258 Bob Bartosh, CA	4	872 Gerald Gruber, MN	4	771 Donna Lafleur, CT
5	1062 Todd Malmgren, OR	5	842 Donald Flesch, WI	5	740 Phyllis Schmidt, MA
6	1056 Richard Pierce Jr., OR	6	803 Douglas Henderson, WI	6	691 David Statz, MA
7	975 Bryan Gurden, NV	7	774 James Huser, WI	7	685 David Clemmey, MA
8	974 Dan Marsh, OR	8	590 David Aiken, MI	8	674 Robert Medeiros, MA
9	917 DeLynn Colvert, MT	9	584 Beth Witter, WI	9	542 Robert Milk, VA
10	900 Willie Evans, WA	10	550 Tony Danihel, WI	10	540 Jack Howsare, VA
11	841 Jim Crawford, CA	11	519 Richard Horvath, WI	11	511 Bruce Sattler, MD
12	808 Richard Shea, CA	11	519 Richard Frost, WI	12	505 Harold Cook, MA
13	789 Herschel Mack, CA	11	519 Dave Yaeger, MO	13	492 Lee Dillon, MA
14	780 Donald Brown, CA	14	517 Donald Patrin, MN	14	470 Susan Cousens, ME
14	780 Winona McDaniel, OR	14	517 Jeff Shimp, MI	15	461 Mike Fetchel, CT
16	778 James Langley, CA	16	442 Mike Burns, MN	16	434 Esther Rolfe, FL
16	778 Rick Baird, OR	17	436 Lloyd Kraft, WI	17	412 William Shoemaker, CT
18	777 Paul Hatcher, OR	18	425 Donald Hannula, MI	18	407 John Blowers, FL
19	755 Peggy Shea, CA	19	423 Daniel Pluff, MN	19	398 James Tanner, VA
20	712 Pamela Pomeroy, CA	20	414 Steven Steinmetz, WI	20	389 Jim Hatch, NH
21	687 Frank Ornie, OR	21	403 Jerome Tork, WI	21	381 Phil Martin, CT
22	669 Jack Moritzky, WA	22	397 Jerry Newhouse, WI	22	364 Catherine Perkins, NC
23	649 Cres Fernandez, CA	23	391 Allen Karr, WI	23	357 Thomas Brent, MD
24	646 Mel Ashley, CA	24	388 Patrick Barrett, WI	23	357 Frank Corrado, CT
25	630 Ira Deutsch, OR	25	385 Robert Chase, MN	25	347 Raymond Cook, MA
25	630 Roy Hofbauer, WA	26	376 Sharon Schaefer, WI	26	345 Russ Perkins, NC
27	625 Jeanne Jelke, WA	27	373 Marvin Lang, IL	27	335 Mark Soule, ME
28	595 Jones Horn, CA	28	370 Tom Edwards, IL	28	327 Barri Gehrand, GA
29	587 Mike McDaniel, OR	29	361 Pete Severson, MN	29	322 Robert Wenzel, NC
30	566 Jerold Montgomery, CA	29	361 Joan Rein, MN	30	313 Ray Fischer, NC
30	566 Peter Jackson, CA	31	357 John Hiland, WI	31	305 Charlie Finley, CT
32	562 Michael Rowe, AK	32	356 Ethel Sherwan, WI	32	302 Tony Pacheco, MA
33	556 Fred White, HI	33	353 Donald Urban, IL	33	298 Carl Deyette, CT
34	531 James Clark, CA	34	351 Joy Shimp, MI	34	297 Henry Douglass, NC
35	520 Rickie Mack, CA	35	340 Marlene Lazachek, WI	34	297 Bill Richmond, CT
36	504 Jeanne Hofbauer, WA	35	340 W. Lee Tesch, WI	36	281 Marvin Lewis, VA
37	493 H. Ross Njaa, CA	37	335 Emilio Perez, IL	37	280 Carl Squire, GA
38	485 Kerry O'Connell, CA	38	329 Ed Heinowski, WI	38	279 Barbara Barbour, CT
39	469 Al Jean Simpson, CA	39	321 Ginny Danielski, WI	39	268 Steve Angier, GA
40	467 Cy Madrone, CA	40	315 Dan Selke, IL	40	265 Jeff Gardner, OH
41	464 Bill Hill, OR	41	314 Thomas Koncan, IL	41	261 Tom Clark, NH
42	461 Rodney Rideau, CA	42	313 Sandra Stroup, IL	42	256 Gerard St. Germain, RI
43	449 Henry Carle, AK	43	306 Dennis Ulberg, WI	43	254 Elijah White Jr., ME
44	444 Christy Lens, CA	44	298 Tom Briski, WI	44	252 Daniel Crete, NH
45	443 Julie Felkins, CA	45	291 Wendy Schmidt, MI	44	252 Robert Chevalier, FL
46	439 Rex Paddock, MT	46	285 Diane Waite, MN	46	249 Joy Barnes, FL
47	434 Patricia Gossett, OR	47	283 Bob Joslin, MN	47	243 Steven Campanale, FL
48	422 Julie Pierce, OR	48	264 Joseph Aird, MI	48	238 Louis Caccia, MA
49	408 Leslie Sumner, NV	49	254 Bob Kiley, WI	49	233 Harvey Glass, CT
50	406 Rosemary Hendricks, WA	50	252 Patricia Upton, MN	50	231 Mariette Debaugh, FL



# Tournament Trail

## CALENDAR OF SANCTIONED EVENTS

### ACC Tournament Commissioners

Western Region	Central Region	Eastern Region
<b>Roy Hofbauer</b> 30937 NE 23rd St Washougal WA 98671 360.835.3623 roynjean@teleport.com	<b>Patrick Barrett</b> 5821 Griffith Ave Wisconsin Rapids WI 54494 715.424.5059 gnxivbarrett@gmail.com	<b>David Campbell</b> 1321 North Rd Parsonsfield ME 04047 207.730.2051 dc2121@aol.com

Unless otherwise indicated, all tournaments (a) are round-robin format, (b) include a consolation, and (c) are singles competition. Q pools and side pools are generally available. Details are accurate at time of publication, but check with the tournament director before making travel plans. For more information, visit [cribbage.org](http://cribbage.org).

#### June 4–6, Mt. St. Helen's Classic

Legion Hall, 1250 12th Ave, Longview WA 98626. Main \$60. Fri \$10. Fri DBL \$50/team. Fri HR \$50. Sat \$25. Perks: coffee, donuts, lunch. Contact: Chris McComas (360.577.5922), 403 Barr Dr, Kelso WA 98626 or Duane Toll (541.580.3221)

#### June 4–6, Space Coast Open

Clarion Hotel, 260 E Merritt Island Cswy, Merritt Island FL 32952. Main \$55. Perks: coffee, donuts, prize table. Contact: Lee Bailey (321.652.1278), 300 S Sykes Creek Pkwy #204, Merritt Island FL 32952 or Pam Black

#### June 4–6, Nugget Classic

Paradise Senior Center, 877 Nunneley Rd, Paradise CA 95969. Main \$62. Fri \$15. Sat HR \$50. Perks: donuts, snacks. Contact: Jerry Moore (530.877.1477), 1473 Patrick Dr, Paradise CA 95969 or Dennis Phillips

#### June 4–6, Lake Superior Challenge

Ishpeming Elks, 597 Lakeshore Dr, Ishpeming MI 49849. Main \$55. Fri \$20. Sat \$20. All Events \$20. Perks: coffee, popcorn, lunch. Contact: Don Han-nula (906.296.9107), 911 Front St, Lake Linden MI 49945 or Pat Healey

#### June 5, Orange Crush Classic

Clubhouse #5 room #1, 24262 Punta Alta, Laguna Woods CA 92637. Main \$60. Perks: coffee, tea, donuts, lunch. Contact: Paul Yellon (949.837.8177), 2184 Via Mariposa E Unit O, Laguna Woods CA 92637 or Steve Yellon

#### June 6, G&P Open

Frantone's Villa, 12253 E Imperial Hwy, Norwalk CA. Main \$65. Perks: coffee, snacks, lunch. Con-

tact: Gary Sumner (714.313.8863), 3224 Yorba Linda Blvd #624, Fullerton CA 92831 or Pamela Pomeroy

#### June 6, Western Mass Classic

Dante Club, 1198 Memorial Ave, West Springfield MA 01089. Main \$55. Team \$30/team. Perks: gift card. Contact: Phyllis Schmidt (413.458.8693), 95 Nutmeg Ln, Williamstown MA 01267 or Isabel Hyndman

#### June 11–13, Capital City Classic

Best Western Metro North (515.964.1717), 133 SE Delaware, Ankeny IA 50323. Main \$65. Fri \$25. Sat \$25. All Events \$20. Perks: coffee, lunch. Contact: Dick Ogden (515.419.6818), PO Box 35211, Des Moines IA 50315

#### June 12, Western Washington Ltd.

Crystal Grange, 2160 Paulson Rd, Poulsbo WA 98370. Main \$50. Fri 6:45p \$25. Perks: coffee, donuts, lunch. Contact: Robert Maupin (360.876.6318), 4920 Sherlyn Ave SE, Port Orchard WA 98367 or Larry West

#### June 17–18, Canadian Summer Midweek

Sands Hotel, 12340 Fort Rd, Edmonton AB. Main \$50. Thu \$20. Contact: Lorne Tanton (780.478.8488), 7 Steele Crescent, Edmonton AB T5A 1G4 or Doris Sanders

#### June 18–20, Canadian Summer Classic

Sands Hotel, 12340 Fort Rd, Edmonton AB. Main \$60. Perks: coffee, donuts. Contact: Audrey Hatto (780.641.5166), 3246-10770 Winterburn Rd, Edmonton AB T5S 2R8 or Terry Hatto (780.232.4848)

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## Tips for Tournament Directors

To raise awareness of your tournament and increase attendance, consider placing a full-page (only \$75) or half-page (\$40) promotion in *Cribbage World*. It is best for your promo to appear six to eight weeks prior to your tourney. The deadline for copy is the 10th of each month.

### June 18–20, Worcester Classic

Crowne Plaza, 10 Lincoln Sq, Worcester MA 01608. Main \$63. Fri \$60. Sat \$55. Sun \$50. am. Perks: coffee, lunch. **CANCELED** (508.528.3288; [sadie\\_crib@msn.com](mailto:sadie_crib@msn.com)), 301 Union St #203, Franklin MA 02038

### June 18–20, Medford Lions' Tale

Southern Oregon Lions Sight/Hearing Center, 228 N Holly, Medford OR 97501. Main \$52. Limit 92 players. Fri EB 3p \$10; HR 6:45p \$50; DBL 7p \$40/team. Sat 7p \$20. All Events \$15. Perks: coffee, donuts, candy. Contact: Herschel & Rickie Mack (707.839.0249), 581 School Rd, McKinleyville CA 95519 or Julie Mack-Felkins

↓ SEE PROMO IN APRIL CW ↓

### June 18–20, St. Croix Casino Classic

St. Croix Casino (800.U.GO.U.WIN), 777 Hwy 8, Turtle Lake WI 54889. Main \$55. Fri 8p \$20. Sat 8p \$20. Perks: coffee, soda, lunch, casino bonuses. Contact: Alan Lindner (715.613.7629), PO Box 205, Colby WI 54421

### June 25, Hawai'i Open

Fleet Reserve Association, 891 Valkenburgh St, Honolulu HI 96818. Main \$40. Perks: lunch. Contact: Tsarkie (808.223.2400), 99-553 Kaulainaahe Pl, Aiea HI 96701 or Fred White

### June 25–27, Schaefer Shuffle

Kettle Moraine Bowl, 1021 Commerce Blvd, Slinger WI 53086. Main \$55. Fri 8p \$20. Sat 7:30p \$20. Perks: coffee, donuts. Contact: Alan & Sharon Schaefer (414.331.0809), N162W20333 Butternut Ln, Jackson WI 53037

### June 27, Little Rhode Roudy

St. Joseph's Veterans Assoc., Woonsocket RI 02895. Main \$62. Contact: Gerard St. Germain (401.769.5279), 27 Pearl St, Manville RI 02838 or Sue Devlin

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### June 27, Baltimore Summer Special

Golden Dragon Inn, 8109 Liberty Rd, Windsor Mill MD 21244. Main \$62. Perks: coffee, donuts, lunch. Contact: Bruce Sattler (410.371.8954; [b.sattler@verizon.net](mailto:b.sattler@verizon.net)), 3732 Foxford Stream Rd, Nottingham MD 21236

### June 26–28, Cascade Classic

VFW, 1848 Ventura Way, Redmond OR 97756. Main \$55. Fri EB \$10; DBL \$50/team; HR \$50. Sat \$10. Contact: Bill Kaufman (541.548.1029), 2908 SW Windrow Ct, Redmond OR 97756 or Margery Clark (541.385.0330)

### June 27, Hawai'i Open

Fleet Reserve Association, 891 Valkenburgh St, Honolulu HI 96818. Main \$40. Perks: coffee, donuts, lunch. Contact: Tsarkie (808.223.2400), 99-553 Kaulainaahe Pl, Aiea HI 96701 or Fred White

### June 30–July 2, Susanville Summer Classic

Diamond Mountain Casino, 900 Skyline Dr, Susanville CA 96130. Main \$62. Contact: Steve Hastie (209.814.4672), PO Box 401, Janesville CA 96114 or Peggy Scalley

↓ SEE PROMO ON PAGES 30–31 ↓

### July 2–4, Independence Day Classic

Sands Regency, 345 N Arlington, Reno NV 89501. Main \$62. Fri 7p \$20. Sat HR 7p \$50. Perks: coffee, coffeecake. Contact: Valerie Sumner (775.342.2532), 90 Cercle De La Cerese, Sparks NV 89434 or Les Sumner

### July 6–8, Topaz Summer Open

Topaz Lodge, 1979 Hwy 395, Topaz NV 89410. Main \$50. Tue 2:30p \$10; HR 6:30p \$50; DBL 7p \$50/team. Wed 7p \$20. Perks: coffee, donuts, lunch. Contact: Les Sumner (775.342.2532), 90 Cercle De La Cerese, Sparks NV 89434 or Valerie Sumner

### July 9–11, Rockford Classic

Holiday Inn (815.398.2200), 7550 E State St, Rockford IL 61108. Main \$70. Fri 3p \$15; 7:30p \$25. Sat 7:30p \$25. All Events \$20. Perks: lunch. Contact: Don Urban (815.568.0494), 818 Whitetail Dr, Marengo, IL 60152

### July 10, Run for the Gold

Alta Fire Dept, 33950 Alta Bonny Nook Rd, Alta CA 95701. Main \$60. Perks: coffee, lunch (call by July 5 to guarantee lunch). Contact: Greg Schleusner (530.587.7339), PO Box 1526, Truckee CA 96160 or Rich Ekman

### July 10, Mountain View Classic

American Legion, 305 N Cleveland Ave, Loveland

EB = Early Bird ♦ DBL = doubles ♦ HR = high rollers ♦ LC = last chance

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CO 80537. Main \$55. Sat 6p \$20. Perks: coffee, donuts, lunch. Contact: Troy Thorson & Kathy Pachcha (970.669.5686), 340 Morgan Dr, Loveland CO 80537

**July 11, Medway Summer Sizzler**

VFW, 123 Holliston St, Medway MA 02053. Main \$55. **Muggins**. Perks: coffee, donuts, lunch. Contact: Earle & Hollie Remington (508.528.3288), 301 Union St #203, Franklin MA 02038 or David Campbell

**July 16–18, Devil Mountain Caper**

Antioch Senior Center, 415 W 2nd St, Antioch CA 94509. Main \$65. Fri 7p \$25. Sat 6:30p \$25. Perks: breakfast, lunch. Contact: Thomas West (925.437.5491), 1028 Amberwood Ct, Antioch CA 94531

**July 16–18, Granite City Classic**

VFW, 9 18th Ave N, St Cloud MN 56303. Main \$65. Fri 8p \$25. Sat 7p \$25. All Events \$25. Contact: Bob Joslin (952.270.3632) 17498 Hayes Ave, Lakeville MN 55044 or Mike Burns 320.309.5580

**July 18, Yearend Extra**

Dante Club, 1198 Memorial Ave, West Springfield MA 01089. Main \$55. Team \$30. Perks: gift card, coffee, donuts, lunch. Contact: Isabel Hyndman (413.458.8693), 95 Nutmeg Ln, Williamstown MA 01267 or Phyllis Schmidt

**July 23–26, National Open**

Hilton North Raleigh, 3415 Wake Forest Rd, Raleigh NC 27609. Main \$70. Satellites. **Muggins**. Perks: coffee, donuts, lunch. Contact: Catherine & Russ Perkins (919.837.5790), 1030 Barker Rd, Bear Creek NC 27207 or Jerry Gooden. **See also July 26.**

↓ SEE PROMO IN May CW ↓

**July 23–25, Portland Summer Open**

Vancouver Elks, 11605 SE McGillivray, Vancouver WA 98683. Main \$60. Fri \$10; HR \$50; DBL \$50/team. Sat \$10. LC \$10. Contact: Tim Julkowski (503.382.9781), 2819 SE 58th Ave, Portland OR 97206 or Ken Julkowski (503.329.9280)

**July 23–25, Culver Classic**

Mead Hotel (800.843.6323), 415 E Grand Ave, Wisconsin Rapids WI 54494. Main \$65. Fri 3p \$10; 7:30p \$20. Sat 7:30p \$25. All Events \$20. Perks: lunch. Contact: Dottie Culver (715.421.0769), 4110 14th Pl, Wisconsin Rapids WI 54494

**July 25, Hawai'i Open**

Fleet Reserve Association, 891 Valkenburgh St, Honolulu HI 96818. Main \$40. Perks: coffee, donuts, lunch. Contact: Tsarkie (808.223.2400), 99-553 Kaulainaahe Pl, Aiea HI 96701 or Fred White

**July 26, Come Monday**

Hilton North Raleigh, 3415 Wake Forest Rd, Raleigh NC 27609. Main \$50. **Muggins. No consolation.**

# MICHIGAN CRIBBAGE

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## Lake Superior Challenge

June 4–5 • Ishpeming

## Michigan Doubleheader

July 30–Aug. 1 • Grand Rapids

## Cereal City Classic

Aug. 13–15 • Kalamazoo

## Tournament of Diamonds

Sept. 3–5 • Grand Rapids

## Midwest Match Play

Oct. 22–24 • Grand Rapids

## Detroit Open

Nov. 26–28 • Romulus

## Potawatomi Peggors

May 2011 • Stevensville

Contact: John Morch (919.906.6555), 7417 Fontana Ridge Ln, Raleigh NC 27613

**July 27–29, Lamb Weston Midweek**

VFW, Sunnyside WA 98944. Main \$50. Satellites. Perks: coffee, donuts. Contact: Bob Brumley (509.839.6323), 1301 Lester Rd, Sunnyside WA 98944 or Darin Truax

**July 30–31, Tourney Omega**

Holiday Inn Express (616.940.8100), 5401 28th St Ct SE, Grand Rapids MI 49546. Main \$50. Fri 7p \$20. Sat 7p \$20. Perks: coffee, donuts. Contact: John Hazlett (616.340.7009), 112 Gold Ave NW, Grand Rapids MI 49504 or Dave Aiken

### Attention points-chasers

MRPs earned at two-day tournaments that start on July 31 and end on August 1 will be credited to the 2010–2011 season. In order for MRPs to be posted to the 2009–2010 season, the last day of a tourney must fall on or before July 31.

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# Bill and Dorthalee Irons' 24<sup>th</sup> Annual Benefit for Veterans



## INDEPENDENCE DAY

## CRIBBAGE CLASSIC

## RENO - JULY 2-3-4, 2010

Tournament Director: Valerie Sumner Co-Directors: Les Sumner, Peggy Shea

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### FRIDAY, JULY 2, 2010

- 3 to 6 pm** Registration for all events
- 7 pm** Early Bird Singles, 9 games, no playoffs, 100% payback + trophies

### SATURDAY, JULY 3, 2010

- 7 am** Singles Check In, Complimentary coffee and coffee cake
- 8 am** Singles play begins, 22 games against 22 opponents, top 25% to 3 of 5 playoff, top 32 playoff Sunday at 7:30 am. **100% + payback with \$2,000.00 added and \$1,000.00 for a 29 hand!**
- 6 pm** High Roller Registration
- 7 pm** High Roller, 9 games, no playoffs, 100% payback, pays 1:4 Q 1:6

### SUNDAY, JULY 4, 2010

- 7:30 am** Open playoffs resume, top 32 play 3 of 5, finals 4 of 7
- 8 am** Consolation singles registration, coffee and coffee cake.
- 9 am** Consolation play begins, 10 games, top 25% to 2 of 3 playoff final match 3 of 5. **100%+ payback with \$500.00 added!**
- 4 pm** AJ's Sunday Night Special Registration
- 5 pm** AJ's Sunday Night Special, 9 games, no playoffs, 100% payback

### MONDAY, JULY 5, 2010

- 6:00 pm** Sierra Nevada Grass Roots (Not Sanctioned), 9 games, no playoffs Register at 6, play at 6:30 pm



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City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime phone w/area code \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address \_\_\_\_\_

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Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address (if different) \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

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**HOTEL INFO:** \$54 per night Friday and Saturday, \$44 Sunday, plus 13.5% tax, 1 or 2 people. Special \$34 rate Monday-Thursday! No Saturday arrivals. To guarantee room by credit card (no tournament entries) call toll free 1-866 FUN STAY (386-7829), Group Code **CRIBBAGE 702**. Book early for availability!

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Arrival Date \_\_\_\_\_ Departure Date \_\_\_\_\_

Sharing with:

Number of Nights \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Rooms \_\_\_\_\_

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Hotel Deposit \$38.59 or \$61.29 \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL ENCLOSED** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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**July 30–August 1, Summer Classic**

VFW, North Ave, Sunnyside WA 98944. Main \$60. Fri 3p \$10; 7p HR \$50; 7p DBL \$50/team. Sat 7p \$10. Contact: James & Cher Morrow (509.837.4224), 313 N 15th St, Sunnyside WA 98944

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**July 30–August 1, Pahrump Nevada Open**

Pahrump Nugget Hotel, 681 S Hwy 160, Pahrump NV 89048. Main \$60. Fri 4p \$25. Perks: coffee, donuts, lunch. Contact: Denise Fortin (775.209.4444), PO Box 3601, Pahrump NV 89041 or Norm Nikodym (909.319.6488)

**July 31, Summer Cribbage Fix**

American Legion, 902 Cook Ave, Kenai AK 99617. Main \$40. Perks: coffee, luncheon. Contact: Karen Dorcas (907.252.4950; karendorcas@gci.net), 144 N Fireweed St #6, Soldotna AK 99669

**August 1, Tourney Alpha**

Holiday Inn Express (616.940.8100), 5401 28th St Ct SE, Grand Rapids MI 49546. Main \$30. Perks: coffee, donuts. Contact: David Aiken, P.O. Box 313, Ada MI 49301

**August 1, Patriot Kickoff**

Dante Club, 1198 Memorial Dr, West Springfield MA 01089. Main \$52. Perks: coffee, donuts, lunch. Contact: Carl Deyette (860.568.7418), 55 Legion Dr, East Hartford CT 06118 or Walt Brideaux

**August 6–8, Humboldt Classic**

Blue Lake Casino, 777 Casino Way, Blue Lake CA. Main \$60. Fri \$10; DBL \$50/team. Sat \$20. All Events \$20. Perks: coffee, snacks, lunch. Contact: Rick & Peggy Shea (707.444.3161), 6282 Humboldt Hill Rd, Eureka CA 95503 or Tom Cookman (707.599.6747)

**August 7, Gurney Black River Country Classic**

Castle Hill Supper Club, N9581 U.S. Hwy 12, Merrilan WI 54754. Main \$60. Perks: lunch. Contact: Lewis & Dianne Gurney (715.937.4104), W7178 Pine Creek Rd, Neillsville WI 54456

**August 8, Steinmetz Black River Country Classic**

Castle Hill Supper Club, N9581 U.S. Hwy 12, Merrilan WI 54754. Main \$60. Perks: lunch. Contact: Wayne Steinmetz (414.353.9301), 6604 N 58th St, Milwaukee WI 53223

**August 13–15, Cereal City Championship**

Four Points (269.385.3922), 3600 E Cork St, Kalamazoo MI 49001. Main \$60. Fri 7:30p \$20. Sat \$20. Perks: coffee, donuts. Contact: David Gerke (269.966.8875), 291 Burnham St W, Battle Creek MI 49015 or David Boyer

**August 13–15, Cowboy Country Open**

Eagles, 1600 Thomes Ave, Cheyenne WY 82001. Main \$60. Fri 3p \$20; 7p \$20. Sat \$20. Perks: snacks, donuts, cookies, coffee. Contact: Peggy

Johnson (307.421.4900), 6800 Legend Ln, Cheyenne WY 82009

**August 13–15, Gem State Challenge**

Eagles, 7025 Overland Rd, Boise ID 83709. Main \$55. Fri 3p \$15; 6:30p HR \$50; 7p DBL \$50/team. Sat 7p \$15. Perks: coffee, donuts. Contact: Kathy Atwood (208.353.4862), 194 E Harris Hawk Dr, Kuna ID 83634

**August 14–15, Peach State Classic**

Comfort Suites, 2945-A Lawrenceville–Suwanee Hwy 317, Suwanee GA 30024. Main \$60. Perks: coffee, sodas, snacks. Contact: David O'Neil (404.296.4689), 1069 Texel Ln, Clarkston GA 30021 or Carl Squire (404.983.5058)

**August 14, Social Open**

Bixby Village Clubhouse, 5951 Bixby Village Dr, Long Beach CA 90803. Main \$50. Perks: coffee, muffins, lunch. Contact: Don Brown (562.597.1603), 6001 Avenida De Castillo, Long Beach CA 90803 or Pam Pomeroy

**August 15, Summer U.S. Open**

West Covina Elks, 841 W Merced Ave, West Covina CA 91790. Main \$40. Perks: coffee, donuts, lunch. Contact: Norm Nikodym (909.986.9454), 2132 S Wisteria Ct, Ontario CA 91761 or Mary McFarland

**August 20–22, Madison Masters**

Howard Johnson (608.244.2481), 5891 E Washington Ave, Madison WI 53704. Main \$60. Fri 7:30p \$20. Sat 7:30p \$20; HR 7:30p \$50. Perks: lunch. Contact: Mike Blackburn (608.577.3940), W9595 County Road C, Cambridge WI 53523

**August 20–22, Lovelock Open**

Sturgeon Casino, 142 Cornell Ave, Lovelock NV. Main \$60. Fri 2:30p \$10; 6:30p HR \$50; 7p \$20. Sat 7:30p \$20. Perks: coffee, donuts. Contact: Les Sumner (775.342.2532), 90 Cercle De La Cerese, Sparks NV 89434 or Valerie Sumner

**August 20–22, Garden State Open**

Somerset Ramada, 60 Cottontail Ln, Somerset NJ 08873. Main \$60. Fri 7p \$40. Sat 7p \$30. Perks: lunch. Contact: Cate Correa (732.575.9510), 369 Stony Brook Dr, Bridgewater NJ 08807

**August 27–29, Mt. Rainier Open**

Amvets, 5717 S Tyler St, Tacoma WA 98409. Main \$60. Fri 3p \$15; 7p HR \$50; 7p DBL \$50/team. Sat. 7p \$20. Perks: coffee, cookies, muffins. Contact: Jim Hornbacher (253.770.3213), 17509 90th Avenue Ct E, Puyallup WA 98375 or Hal Lamon (253.839.1940)

**August 27–29, St. Louis Len Wahlig Memorial**

Comfort Inn (618.346.4910), 8 Commerce Dr, Collinsville IL 62234. Main \$60. Fri 7p \$25. Sat 7p \$25. All Events \$20. Perks: coffee, donuts. Contact:



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Dave Carey (847.669.3671), 13592 Delaney Rd, Huntley IL 60142 or Marv Lang

**August 27-29, New England Peer**

LeFoyer Club, 151 Fountain St, Pawtucket RI 02860. Main \$65. Fri \$15. Sat DBL \$30/team. Contact: John & Linda Chambers (401.231.6667), 32 Homestead Ave, Smithfield RI 02917

**August 29, Hawai'i Open**

Fleet Reserve Association, 891 Valkenburgh St, Honolulu HI 96818. Main \$40. Perks: lunch. Contact: Tsarkie (808.223.2400), 99-553 Kaulainahee Pl, Aiea HI 96701 or Fred White

**Sept. 3-5, Michigan Tournament of Diamonds**

Holiday Inn Express (616.940.8100), 5401 28th Street Court SE, Grand Rapids MI 49546. Main \$60. Fri 7:30p \$20. Sat 7p \$20. Perks: coffee, donuts, \$100 fast start. Contact: David Aiken (616.401.8311; [cribbage@iserv.net](mailto:cribbage@iserv.net)), PO Box 313, Ada MI 49301 or Jeff Gardner (937.602.0690)

**September 3-5, Capital City Classic**

Eagles Lodge, 801 N Fee, Helena MT 59601. Main \$60. Fri 9a DBL; 3p. Sat 7p. contact: Walt Conell &

Kathy Thompson (406.443.4825), 3000 Villard Ave #110, Helena MT 59601

**September 11, Western Washington Ltd.**

Crystal Grange, 2160 Paulson Rd, Poulsbo WA 98370. Main \$50. Fri 6:45p \$25. Perks: coffee, donuts, lunch. Contact: Robert Maupin (360.876.6318), 4920 Sherlyn Ave SE, Port Orchard WA 98367 or Larry West

**September 12, Daniel Webster Open**

Elks Lodge, 120 Daniel Webster Hwy, Nashua NH 03060. Main \$54. Perks: coffee, donuts, lunch. Contact: Henry & Paula Bergeron (603.648.6633), 1466 Battle St, Webster NH 03303

**September 14, Pegging on the Tracks**

Amtrak between Boston MA and Virginia Beach VA. Main \$45. **Deadline April 30.** Contact: Pat Llewellyn (508.966.1613), 30 Stone St, Bellingham MA 02019

**September 14-16, Midweek Rush**

Holiday Inn, 5655 Greenwich Rd, Virginia Beach VA 23462. Main \$80. Satellite events, Thu. Perks: cof-

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**September 17-19, Grand National 29**

Holiday Inn (800.567.3856), 5655 Greenwich Rd, Virginia Beach VA 23462. Main \$70. Fri 9a \$30; 2p \$30; 7p \$30; 7p HR \$100. Sat 7p \$30. Sun 2p LC \$20. Awards Banquet. Perks: lunch. Contact: Jack Howsare (757.696.2999; grand-national29@cox.net), 248 Palace Green Blvd, Virginia Beach VA 23452 or Cathy Perkins or Bruce Sattler

**September 19, Hawai'i Open**

Fleet Reserve Association, 891 Valkenburgh St, Honolulu HI 96818. Main \$40. Perks: lunch. Contact: Tsarkie (808.223.2400), 99-553 Kaulainaahe Pl, Aiea HI 96701 or Fred White

**September 24-26, Winnemucca Fall Classic**

Winnemucca Convention Center, 50 W Winnemucca Blvd, Winnemucca NV 89445. Main \$65. Fri 3p EB \$20. Fri 7p HR \$50. Fri 7p DBL \$50/team. Perks: coffee, donuts. Contact: Jerold Montgomery (530.527.6402), 139 Casa Grande Dr, Red Bluff CA 96080 or Jim Langley (530.527.4606)

**October 1-3, Montana Championship**

Jokers Wild, Exit 101 on I-90, Missoula MT 59806. Main \$60. Perks: coffee. Contact: DeLynn Colvert (406.543.6855), PO Box 5604, Missoula MT 59806 or Sharon Hejtmanek

**October 2, Schaefer Shuffle Special**

Kettle Moraine Bowl, 1021 Commerce Blvd, Slinger WI 53086. Main \$50. Perks: coffee, donuts. Contact: Alan & Sharon Schaefer (262.677.9766),

N162W20333 Butternut Ln, Jackson WI 53037 or Wayne Steinmetz

**October 3, West Bend Classic**

Columbian, 3245 Lighthouse Ln, West Bend WI 53090. Main \$45. Contact: Gene Biegler (262.334.2980; travelwithmoose@gmail.com), 1602 Harrison St, West Bend WI 53090

**October 3, New Hampshire Open**

Brookline Auction Gallery, 32 Proctor Hill Rd (Rte 130), Brookline NH 03033. Main \$55. Perks: coffee, donuts, lunch. Contact: David Statz (603.247.4335; davidmstatz@hotmail.com), 108 Parlmont Park, North Billerica MA 01862 or Jim Hatch

**October 8-10, Columbus Day Classic**

Elks Lodge, 63120 Boyd Acres Rd, Bend OR 97701. Main \$60. Fri 2p \$20; HR 6:30p \$50; DBL 7p \$50/team. Sat 7p \$20. Perks: coffee, donuts, candy. Contact: Margery Clark (541.385.0330), 60945 Granite Dr, Bend OR 97702 or Scott Dague

**October 9, Wonderful Woodland Won-Day**

Woodland Community Center, 2001 East St, Woodland CA 95776. Main \$62. Perks: coffee, snacks, lunch. Contact: Julie Felkins (707.372.4181), 247 Porter Ct, Woodland CA 95695 or Herschel & Rickie Mack

**October 10, October Occurrence Classic**

Dante Club, 1198 Memorial Ave, West Springfield MA 01089. Main \$55. Contact: Phyllis Schmidt (413.458.8693), 95 Nutmeg Ln, Williamstown MA 01267 or Isabel Hyndman

**October 15-17, Wisconsin Rapids Open**

Hotel Mead (715.423.1500), 451 E Grand Ave, Wisconsin Rapids WI 54494. Main \$60. Fri 7:30p \$25.

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Sat 7:30p \$25. Perks: lunch. Contact: Patrick Barrett (715.424.5059), 5821 Griffith Ave, Wisconsin Rapids WI 54494

**October 15-17, South Florida Open**

Hilton Garden Inn, 3505 Kyoto Gardens Dr, Palm Beach Gardens FL 33410. Main \$55. Fri 7p \$20. Sat 7p \$20. Contact: Joe Daesch (954.725.9548), 6508 Flamingo Way, Coconut Creek FL 33073 or Ken Johnson (561.743.4358)

**October 15-17, Crescent City Open**

Del Norte County Fairgrounds, 421 Hwy 101 N, Crescent City CA 95531. Main \$50. Fri 3p \$10; DBL 7p \$50/team. Sat \$20. Perks: coffee, donuts, treats. Contact: Jim Waldvogel (707.464.9168), 160 Hinky Rd, Crescent City CA 95531 or Jerry Cutsforth (707.464.2808)

**October 22-24, Midwest Match Play**

Holiday Inn Express (616.940.8100), 5401 28th St Ct SE, Grand Rapids MI 49546. Main \$50. Fri 7:30p \$20. Sat 2:30p \$20; 7:30p \$20. Double elimination match play. Limit 64 players. Perks: coffee, donuts. Contact: David Aiken, P.O. Box 313, Ada MI 49301

**October 22-24, Emerald Coast Open**

Elks Lodge, 1335 Miracle Strip Pkwy, Fort Walton Beach FL 32548. Main \$60. Fri 7p \$20. Sat 7p \$20. Perks: coffee, donuts, lunch. Contact: Scott & Jenny Bailey (850.582.5945), 1951 Waterford Ridge Rd, Fort Walton Beach FL 32547

**October 22-24, Niagara Falls Open**

Quality Hotel, 240 First St, Niagara Falls NY 14303. Main \$60. Fri 7p \$20. Sat 7:30p DBL \$20/team. Perks: coffee, donuts. Contact: Nelson Wheaton (716.649.3462), 76 Raymond St, Hamburg NY 14075 or Jane Cannizzaro

**October 22-24, Abe Kealoha Extravaganza**

Fleet Reserve Assoc., 891 Valkenburgh St, Honolulu HI 96818. Main \$50. Contact: Tsarkie (808.223.2400), 99-553 Kaulainaahe Pl, Aiea HI 96701 or Fred White

**October 22-24, Cribbage from the Crypt**

Eagles Aerie, 110 S Penn St, Port Angeles WA 98367. Main \$67. Fri 3p \$10; 7p DBL \$50/team. Sat \$15. Perks: coffee, donuts, lunch. Contact: Lisa Duff (360.808.7128), PO Box 2008, Port Angeles WA 98362

**October 23, Black Butte Bonanza**

Tollgate Clubhouse, 69316 Stirrup Rd, Sisters OR 97759. Main \$45. Limit 66 players. Perks: coffee, lunch. Contact: Winona McDaniel (541.736.1363), 1771 Kellogg Rd, Springfield OR 97477 or Carolyn Blackman

**October 23, P&G Open**

Frantone's, 12253 E Imperial Hwy, Norwalk CA

90650. Main \$65. Perks: coffee, snacks, lunch. Contact: Gary Sumner (714.313.8863), 3224 Yorba Linda Blvd #624, Fullerton CA 92831 or Pam Pomeroy

**October 24, Fall U.S. Open**

West Covina Elks, 841 W Merced Ave, West Covina CA 91790. Main \$40. Perks: coffee, donuts, lunch. Contact: Norm Nikodym (909.986.9454), 2132 S Wisteria Ct, Ontario CA 91761 or Mary McFarland

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10/29-31	Salem Classic	Salem OR
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11/12-14	St. Croix Classic	Turtle Lake WI
11/10-12	Susanville Fall Classic	Susanville CA
11/12-14	Veterans Day Classic	Reno NV
11/16-18	Topaz Winter Open	Topaz NV
11/19-21	Three Rivers Open	Florence OR
11/26-28	Thanksgiving Classic	N. Bend OR
11/26-28	Detroit Open	Romulus MI
12/5	Hawai'i Open	Honolulu HI
12/11	Western Washington	Poulsbo WA
12/19	Santa Special	Kissimmee FL
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1/7-9	Peg for the Border	La Mesa CA
1/7-9	Virginia Champ.	Glenn Allen VA
1/14-16	Pacific Coast Champ.	Salinas CA
1/22	Fallbrook Avocado	Fallbrook CA
1/28-30	N. California Open	Redding CA
1/30	Hawai'i Open	Honolulu HI
2/6	Super Sund. One Day	Sunnyside WA
2/25-27	Go Green Bay	Green Bay WI
2/27	Hawai'i Open	Honolulu HI
3/4-6	Illinois Open	Crystal Lake IL
3/12	Western Washington	Poulsbo WA
3/18-20	Leprechaun Classic	Port Ang. WA
3/25-27	Michaelis Classic	Marinette WI
3/25-27	Roadrunner Classic	Tempe AZ
3/27	Schweitzer Memorial	Honolulu HI
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