

Cribbage World



Situated on the Potomac River in Virginia, Stratford Hall is the birthplace of the only two brothers to sign the Declaration of Independence—Richard Henry Lee and Francis Lightfoot Lee—and of Robert E. Lee. (George Washington's birthplace is just six miles down the road.) Built in the late 1730s, the home is now a National Historic Landmark and preserves the legacy of the Lee family and the surrounding community. The parlor features a familiar game that the family played. Thanks to Mike & Cindy Rosenstock (Nashville TN) for this photo, taken during their vacation.

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AM Qualifying Play -- PM Playoffs & Consolation Play (no fee)

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This is an ALL DAY Event Two Age Groups - 11 and under & 12 thru 18

Must understand the basic concepts and rules of Cribbage

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70—**Patricia Ryan** (CA)

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The following new judges
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- **David A. Smith** (Arcadia FL)

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President's Column

by James Morrow



Cribbage Travelers



Charlene (aka CC) Cohen may not have started *Motorhomes Across American Cribbage Tournament Trail*, but she has sure upped the game by driving her motorhome all over the trail, in several directions and multiple times a year. She is a moving billboard for the ACC, displaying big red “I Love Cribbage” signs on her motorhome. As she travels thousands of miles from tournament to tournament, the advertisement is a great way to recruit new players. CC has also inspired some of her traveling companions and fellow cribbage players to get their own custom motorhomes, campers, and trailers and hit the Tournament Trail.



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While in Idaho and the Montana Roundup, the caravan of campers came in, set up camp, and proceeded to have wild parties. While I do not know how wild things get, I did hear that someone made a stew and someone else was making hamburgers, so I think the meals are a good variety.

Coming from many different areas of the United States, the motorhome group has adventures away from the cribbage boards as well, whether exploring local sites, taking a hot air balloon ride, posing for pictures with local firemen, or just hanging out at their campsite. Most importantly they enjoy each other's company.

While video-chatting with my wife, I held my phone up to show her the campers and said: “Here is the Cribbage Gypsy Camp.” Her response was: “How fun, get me their sizes, I will make them shirts!” So of course that is what she did. ↓

The new season is just around the corner, so make sure your motorhome is tuned up and be ready to hit the Tournament Trail!



The motorhome gang in Reno sporting their new Morrow shirts (left to right): Dana McClain (WA), Ann Trotter (WI), Barbara Stockham (AZ), CC Cohen (FL), Dave Yaeger (WA), Sara Sanner (CO)

Your Deal



Letters to CW will be printed on a space-available basis and may be condensed or edited for clarity and length (150 words maximum). Send letters to cribbageworld@cribbage.org or 334 Pine St, Coopersville MI 49404. Please include your name, city, and state.

Cribbage and Golf

Why is cribbage better than golf? It takes golfers four days to finish 72 holes, but cribbage players can do 121 holes in fifteen minutes.

Bill Klem (Auburn WA)

Cribbage Odds

I'm writing in response to the article in the July issue about cutting for a 29-hand, by **Michael Rogers**. The odds of cutting the fourth 5 are simply 1-in-46. You've seen six cards in your own hand, leaving forty-six unseen. Four of those unseen cards are in your opponent's hand, two (from the opponent) are in the crib, and forty are left in the deck. So the odds of you "finding" the fourth 5 is simply 1 out of 46, the same answer the author eventually arrives at, after several complications of logic and math. What is confusing to

some people is that six of those unseen cards are unavailable for you to cut to, since they are still in the opponent's hand or were the opponent's discard to the crib, rather than in the deck to be cut. But that is actually irrelevant to the correct odds. On some occasions, when you're cutting for the fourth 5, it will be in the opponent's hand, sometimes it will be in the crib, and sometimes it will be in the deck. Of course, if you could look at the crib first, and see that your desired 5 was there, that would change the odds. Your chance of cutting it would then be 0 %, of course. But since you have no way of knowing if the 5 is in the deck or in the crib or in their hand, you have to assume it could be in any of the 46 "unseen locations." The author says that the odds are "about 1-in-46." Actually, the odds are *exactly* 1-in-46.

Mike Miller (Des Moines IA)

Never Give Up ♦ by Edwin Mielke (Port Charlotte FL)

A few years ago, I was playing **Jimmy Marshall** at Club 147 in Port Charlotte FL with **Bob Sheehan** as a witness. I am dealing in hole 77, while Jimmy needs only 12 points for the win (and skunk).

I deal him 4-6-J-J-Q-K, so he discards 4-6 to my crib. I deal myself 4-4-5-5-5-6, and I toss 5-5 to my crib. Jimmy cuts a 6. After the pegging, Jimmy counts and pegs his 8-hand and then says he is happy to see the cards in my hand. Of course, he was not happy with my 24-hand but knowing what he put in my crib, at least they were not there. When I turned over my crib, Jimmy almost came across the table. He went from a possible skunk to losing the game. *Never give up!*

It works both ways. I once was 4 holes away, with my opponent 28 holes out with first count. I dealt him 5-5-5-K and the case 5 was cut. I lost that game.

If you have a "never give up" story, please send it to cribbageworld@cribbage.org.

My Deal

by David Aiken



Play **smart**, play **fair**, play **fast**—but mostly play **nice**

One of the most common complaints that we hear from experienced players is how long they have to wait for their next game because of slow play.

Before I admit that slow play is sometimes a problem, my first comment is this: when you finish a game in twelve minutes and have to wait three minutes for your next game—slow play is *not* the problem. Just because you are bored for three minutes does not mean that someone else is playing slow. So instead of carping about this situation—and possibly making someone feel bad over nothing at all—how about learning to manage your own expectations? In other words, before you complain about slow play, make sure that the problem is not actually fast play.

Okay, now I will admit that (actual) slow play is sometimes a problem. No one wants club to finish at ten o'clock, or a qualifying round to wrap up at 5:30. But I'll also be honest and admit that I'm not about to tell a ninety-year-old player that they can't come to club anymore if they don't speed up.

There are productive ways to deal with slow play (see the article by **Dan Selke** in the July 2020 *Cribbage World*, pages 23–24). But I'll let you in on a little secret:

waiting a couple minutes between games is probably not the biggest problem you'll face on most days. To be sure, waiting seemed to be the dominant characteristic of society in 2020, as we waited for doctor appointments, for schools and restaurants and gyms to reopen, for the vaccine to arrive at our doctor's office, for a live person to answer the customer service phone, for life to return to some sort of normalcy.

But waiting/down time does not have to have a negative connotation. It can be filled with positive actions. When you have some extra time at a tournament, grab a drink or a snack, read a book, make a potty stop, work a sudoku or crossword puzzle, or—gasp!—talk to friends.

We all need to shift our emotional energy toward understanding who benefits from waiting. (Hint: it's us.) If we invest in people around us, we'll soon discover that waiting is a good thing.

With the start of a new tournament season and a new Grass Roots season just around the corner, this is a great time to readjust your thinking about waiting. Don't look at a minor lull in play as bad thing but as a time to reorient yourself to life, to reacquaint yourself with friends, to change our attitude toward waiting. **CW**

Cribbage Board of the Month BY JAY FULWIDER

The board featured this month is one of my favorite tournament trophy boards. I included the cards in the photo to provide some size perspective. Actually, I include a card with every photo of my cribbage board collection, which includes boards from 1" in size to 3' in size.

As you can see from the engraved plaque, this is a second place trophy board. A young friend, who was a competitive swimmer, once showed us her room full of first, second, and third place ribbons. My wife commented that she must be proud of all her ribbons. She said "No, just the blue ribbons, the rest are 'loosey' ribbons."



As ACC members, we are not quite so picky. I don't play many national ACC tournaments. I do have one first place and two second place finishes. I am happy with all of them. When you get beaten by some of the best, there should be no complaints.

The 2018 Cribbage Board Collectors Society Convention Tournament was held in conjunction with the ACC Grand National in Milwaukee WI. Since I was involved in the CBCS convention, I was not able to play in Grand National. I probably missed out on a victory there, although I don't remember ever beating ACC President **James Morrow**, who was the tournament winner. However, I love my second place CBCS \$2 trophy board. CW



Jay Fulwider collects cribbage boards from his home in picturesque Washington State, where he also enjoys golf, fishing, and racquetball. His philosophy on the key to life: "Just keep your pegs moving." Ideas for and questions about this column may be sent to him at budandotis@msn.com (put "Cribbage Board" in the subject line).

Tournament	Director	Main (MRPs)	Consolation (MRPs)	Big Hands	Satellite Winners
ECC Barnyard Bonanza (Escondido CA; May 29)	Joan Layte & John Kern	41 players HQ. Cy Madrone (40) 1. Cy Madrone (105) 2. John Taylor (70) 3. John Kern (42) 3. Lyford Smith (42)	23 players HQ. Pamela Pomeroy (18) 1. Jim Jones (40) 2. Tyler Brinker (24) 3. Pamela Pomeroy (12) 3. Erik Locke (12)		
North Idaho Open (Worley ID; May 28–30)	Kevin Mansfield	73 players HQ. Henry Brandner (40) 1. James Langley (147) 2. Dave Schwartz (105) 3. John Goe (70) 3. Todd Malmgren (70)	50 players HQ. Alice Souza (24) 1. Bob Brumley (60) 2. Carl Vennes (40) 3. Leroy Zahn (24) 3. Dale Weilep (24)	28-hand: Rob Smith*	Early Bird: Bob Brumley Saturday: Fred Garrin Canadian Doubles: Jeanne Jelke & James Langley
Carol's Trailer Park Trash (Oceanside CA; May 30)	Carol Williams	36 players HQ. Art Whitney (35) 1. Rodney Rideau (105) 2. Jim Jones (70) 3. Lee Foglesong (42) 3. Erik Locke (42)	22 players HQ. Kris Bailey (18) 1. K. C. Carder (40) 2. John Taylor (24) 3. Patricia Crooks (12) 3. Kris Bailey (12)	28-hand: Roy Cook*	Canadian Doubles: Patricia Crooks & Deb Beddoe
Montana Capital City Roundup (Helena MT; June 1–3)	Sandy Sands & Roger McGlenn	56 players HQ. Jay Edwards (70) 1. Cy Madrone (105) 2. Rick Mill (70) 3. Fredella Haab (42) 3. Sara Sanner (42)	41 players HQ. Kevin Mansfield (15) 1. Gary Galetti (60) 2. Leroy Zahn (40) 3. Margery Clark (24) 3. Terry Higgins (24)	28-hand: Betty Davis*	Early Bird: Robert Russ Canadian Doubles (Tues.): Laurie & Ron Logan Canadian Doubles (Wed.): Tom Gannon & Eric Boysen
Montana Championship (Missoula MT; June 4–6)	Sandy Sands & Rex Paddock	63 players HQ. Terry Higgins (30) 1. Jeanne Jelke (105) 2. Chris McComas (70) 3. Wayne Koski (42) 3. Gary Galetti (42)	45 players HQ. Betty Davis (21) 1. Kathy Pacocha (60) 2. Erik Locke (40) 3. Todd Malmgren (24) 3. David Suhr (24)	28-hand: Betty Davis*	Early Bird: David Braach Canadian Doubles (Fri.): Jeanne Jelke & Barbara Stockham Canadian Doubles (Sat.): Patrick Robrecht & Kevin Mansfield

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America's Dairyland (Lake Delton WI; June 4-6)	Ellen Kutz	63 players HQ. Haley Hintze (60) 1. Haley Hintze (105) 2. Brad Behm (70) 3. Arlen Algram (42) 3. Keith Widener (42)	48 players HQ. Steven Post (21) 1. Marlene Lazachek (60) 2. Steven Post (40) 3. Marsha Mahan (24) 3. John Syftestad (24)	29-hand: Chad Frischmann* 28-hand: Aimee Hackett*	Friday: Donald Flesch Saturday: John Stoll All Events: Brad Behm
Cooper City Classic Spring 2021 (Butte MT; June 8-10)	Gary Galetti	53 players HQ. Cy Madrone (60) 1. Ann Trotter (105) 2. Charlette Springer (70) 3. Henry Brandner (42) 3. Cy Madrone (42)	38 players HQ. Dan Daniels (15) 1. Barbara Stockham (60) 2. Dan Daniels (40) 3. Tom Brown (24) 3. Charlene Cohen (24)	28-hand: Jim Blakeley*	Canadian Doubles: Frank Hanson & Carl Vennes Doubles: Kathy Pacocha & Sara Sanner
Territorial Prison Classic (Deer Lodge MT; June 11-13)	Sandy Sands	48 players HQ. Cy Madrone (40) 1. Dave Yaeger (105) 2. Ann Trotter (70) 3. Leroy Zahn (42) 3. Cy Madrone (42)	38 players HQ. Sandy Sands (24) 1. Robert Russ (60) 2. Carole Herron (40) 3. Barbara Stockham (24) 3. Wayne Momsen (24)	28-hand: Sandy Sands*	Early Bird: Kathy Pacocha Canadian Doubles (Fri.): Eric Boysen & Tom Gannon Canadian Doubles (Sat.): Darlene Stier & Dave Yaeger
Treasure Coast Open (Port St. Lucie FL; June 11-13)	Mike D'Elena	41 players HQ. Jim Correa (65) 1. June Fordham (105) 2. Esther Rolfe (70) 3. Mary Ann Kelliher (42) 3. Jim Correa (42)	29 players HQ. Art Di Rico (15) 1. Kenneth Johnson (40) 2. Norman Maurice (24) 3. Keith Widener (12) 3. Jason Dean Stauffer (12)	28-hands: David O'Neil* Art Di Rico* Martha Bryant*	Friday: Leslie Winter-Sherrill Saturday: Mike D'Elena
Granite State Classic (Brookline NH; June 13)	David Statz & Mary Burlington	138 players HQ. Robert Medeiros (45) 1. Joe Zimmitti (196) 2. Lana Newhouse (147) 3. Phillip Jenkins (105) 3. B. Berg-Fennessey (105) 5. Robert Medeiros (70) 5. James Sullivan (70) 5. Dan Selke (70) 5. Mathew Piechota (70)	62 players HQ. Steven Braley (15) 1. Steven Braley (60) 2. Lee Ann Ka'ai (40) 3. Gregory Gougian (24) 3. Frank Corrado (24)	28-hand: Richard Weston*	<div> LEGEND HQ = high qualifier * = in sanctioned event green = grand slam red = first win </div>

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Rampart Casino Midweek (Las Vegas NV; June 17–18)	Al & Sharon Schaefer	78 players HQ. Clay Collier (40) 1. Jim Correa (147) 2. Lyford Smith (105) 3. Erik Locke (70) 3. Terry Weber (70)	60 players HQ. William Eilers (15) 1. Larry Phifer (60) 2. Artland Ka'ai (40) 3. Jeanne Jelke (24) 3. Jim Jones (24)	28-hand: Sharon Schaefer*	
Rampart Open (Las Vegas NV; June 18–20)	David Aiken & James Milkowski	90 players HQ. Larry Phifer (45) 1. Jerry Schrum (147) 2. Erik Locke (105) 3. Skip White (70) 3. Troy Thorson (70)	57 players HQ. Doug Page (18) 1. Doug Page (60) 2. Pamela Pomeroy (40) 3. Sara Sanner (24) 3. Stephen Bird (24)	28-hand: Sara Sanner*	Canadian Doubles: Jeanne Jelke & James Langley
Steinmetz/Frosty Shuffle (Slinger WI; June 18–20)	Wayne Steinmetz & Richard Frost	69 players HQ. Rick Kuehn (45) 1. John Syftestad (147) 2. Frank Danielski (105) 3. Jim Mahan (70) 3. James McCarty (70)	48 players HQ. Jeff Shimp (12) 1. Jeff Shimp (60) 2. Mark Smith (40) 3. Dennis Koehler (24) 3. Ann Trotter (24)	28-hand: Richard Frost*	Friday: Dennis Koehler Saturday: Steven Steinmetz
Midnight Sun ACC Open (Palmer AK; June 19)	Doug & Marii Holden	28 players HQ. Doug Holden (40) 1. Allen Wilson (70) 2. Dave Yaeger (42) 3. Doug Holden (21) 3. Dauph Plummer (21)	—		
Carson City Summer Classic (Carson City NV; Jun 22–23)	Jeanne Jelke	73 players HQ. Jerry Kniffen (40) 1. Winona McDaniel (147) 2. William O'Malley (105) 3. Neil Prens (70) 3. Dearn McCullough (70)	46 players HQ. Peter Jackson (24) 1. Charlene Cohen (60) 2. Terry Weber (40) 3. Henry Douglass (24) 3. Ray Klocko (24)	28-hand: Sara Sanner*	Early Bird: Dan McPherson Doubles: Sara Sanner & Kathy Pacocha Tuesday: Ann Trotter All Events: Terry Higgins

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Independence Day (Reno NV; June 25–27)	Rick & Peggy Shea	174 players HQ. Erik Locke (65) 1. Erik Locke (196) 2. Dave Yaeger (147) 3. David Weber (105) 3. Gordy Wise (105) 5. Willie Evans (70) 5. Duane Toll (70) 5. Jackie Doppelt (70) 5. Tracy Meyer (70)	112 players HQ. William O'Malley (24) 1. Aimee Hackett (84) 2. Chad Frischmann (60) 3. Wayne Momsen (40) 3. Bryan Gurden (40)	28-hands: Mike McCammon* Andrew Laurence*	Early Bird: Dick Pedersen Doubles: Charlene Cohen & Ann Trotter Saturday: Dana McClain
Live Free or Die (Brookline NH; June 27)	Jerry & Laurie Hardy	98 players HQ. Tom Chabot (50) 1. Lee Dillon (147) 2. Robert Medeiros (105) 3. Louis Petosa (70) 3. Jim McDevitt (70)	52 players HQ. R. D. Ferreira (21) 1. Phyllis Schmidt (60) 2. R. D. Ferreira (40) 3. Edward Kane (24) 3. Jim Maffa (24)	28-hand: Laurie Hardy*	<div> LEGEND HQ = high qualifier * = in sanctioned event green = grand slam red = first win </div>

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Cribbage Tip of the Day

The sooner you fall behind, the more time you'll have to catch up.

—comedian Steven Wright

ACC *Awards*



James learned to play cribbage as a kid, from some buddies around town. He joined the ACC in 1990 and is now a member of Club 370 (Omro WI), where he has been club champion three times. His cribbage mentor is Richard “Frosty” Frost. James has won twenty-three sanctioned tourneys, and he earned his Two Star Award at the Deadwood cluster in April. A diehard cribbage player, James has played over a quarter million games of cribbage solitaire by hand!

James Huser
(Berlin WI)
Life Master (2★) #48

Vicki doesn’t remember who taught her how to play cribbage, but she knows it was at a bar on country nights. Mark finished up the teaching. She joined the ACC in 2002, and her cribbage mentors were Sharlene Medeiros and David Campbell. Vicki’s first tournament win was the 2004 New Hampshire Open consolation in Nashua, and her first main came two months later at the Northern New England Championship in Portsmouth. She was high qualifier and was down 0-2 in the finals against Dwight Christiansen before coming back to win! She has now won eight tourneys. Her favorite tournament is the North Conway cluster (“because friends come from all over”). Her toughest opponents are Fred Blanc, Richard Weston, and the late David Campbell. When asked for her favorite cribbage moment this year, she said: “Coming in 3-4 in Reno.” Wait a minute, that was last season—right?!



Vicki Soule
(Woolwich ME)
Grand Master #446

Better Than Joe!

Noting the achievements of members who move past ACC founder Joe Wergin’s lifetime total of 1,728 MRPs.

Donald Janelle (Manchester CT)

Okay, we’ll give Vicki a pass due to Covid. Non-cribbage interests include spending time with family and friends, entertaining, cooking. Well that does it. Now you know *everything* about Vicki that *Cribbage World* knows about her.

New Members

34 last month

Arizona

Jonathan Pierce (Phoenix)
Joshua Pierce (Phoenix)

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Michelle Robinett (Palmdale)
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Wyoming

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California, Here We Come! Rush for the Gold at GN 39!

by Jeanne Jelke

If you are reading this and still wondering whether to sign up, wonder no more! Rush for the Gold Grand National 39 is a Golden Opportunity for a cribbage extravaganza like no other!

Rooms are still available at the Doubletree by Hilton in Sacramento, although the guaranteed rate deadline may have passed by the time this hits the press. There are no less than fourteen events in six days, kicking off with First Strike Singles on Tuesday evening the 21st. Sanctioned events feature the 49ers Stampede Midweek on 9/22–23 and GN 39 on 9/25–26. The Grass Roots Tournament of Champions, to which club champions from 2018 through 2021 will be invited, will be on Thursday evening the 23rd.

You must register in advance for the two sanctioned main tournaments, and entries must be postmarked by September 10. Registration for consolations and satellite tournaments will be cash at the

door.

Plans for entertainment, door prizes, great food, and two years' worth of cribbage milestone awards will be presented at the fabulous Golden Gala Awards Banquet on Saturday the 25th. This is a ticketed event—if you want to attend or have guests, please contact Jeanne Jelke by September 10 to get your tickets. Entry forms and the events schedule are available on the ACC website.

Who was the lucky grand prize winner for the Progressive Raffle? None other than **Kristy Haught** (Rocky Mounty NC)! Kristy won a free entry to GN 39, two nights at the Doubletree by Hilton, dinner for two, and \$250 Visa Card toward travel with ticket #2619 drawn in the final drawing in Reno on June 27. Other notable winners include **Joyce Betz** (three-night vacation home in Trinidad CA), **Pat Llewellyn** (solid jade cribbage board), **Beth Schmidt** (“Double Skunked” watercolor), and **Stanley Fillpiak** (handmade quilt.) A full list of prizes and prize winners will be posted on the GN 39 website and ACC Facebook page. Proceeds will help offset expenses for the GN, thus enhancing the prize fund.

Please visit the GN 39 website for more details and fun info in *Cribbage World!* Join the “Rush for the Gold” in Sacramento in September!

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22 Game Main vs 22 Opponents - cut for deal
9 Game Consolation vs 9 Opponents - cut for deal
*Entries must be postmarked by September 10, 2021.***

Sat., Sept. 25	7:45 am	Announcements	\$85
		Grand National Main	
		Includes lunch ticket & \$3 Sanctioning Fee	
	8:00 am	Main Play Begins	\$20
		Graduated to all qualifiers in pool	
	TBD	Playoffs Top 25% - Best 3 of 5 - Final 4 of 7	
	6:30 pm	Awards Banquet, Dinner & Dessert	\$45
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		Includes \$1 Sanctioning Fee	
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The Magedanz Chronicles

New Retiree Just when you think you're gonna pick up ground with a 21-cut, you lose ground to a 20-hand and a 2-crib. Newly retired, **Jeff Schultz** ➔ started playing at Madison WI Club 1 and on July 1 turned the tables on **Dale Magedanz**.

Fire the Expert In game one, **Jerome Tork** was off to a fast start at Slinger WI, pegging twelve. The next hand, he leads a 10 and **David Aiello** (Kenosha WI) plays a 5. Jerome counters with a 5 for the pair, and Dave quickly jumps on it with the third 5 for six. Jerome calmly plays a 6 for 31-for-2. One must now remember Jerome's infamous saying: "If you see me talking to myself, I'm just getting advice from an expert." Can you picture the look on Dave's face when his last play was to lead a Jack and Jerome plays the case 5 for 15-2? After this move, I think he needs to phone a friend or get the advice of a different expert.

Take 'em All The consy finals of the Steinmetz/Frosty Shuffle featured **Mark Smith** (Marshalltown IA) vs. **Jeff Shimp** (Grand Haven MI). Mark was going for his first ever tournament win. All tied at 1-1, Mark counts his 5-5-6-7 with the 8 cut as 15-for-2 and 8 for 10. What? No one ever loses by one or two—right?! Well, guess who lost by two? Keep on trying, Mark, but next time take 'em all!

Hot Skis The **Danielskis** remain hot, with **Ginny** taking first at Marinette WI and **Frank** taking second in the Appleton consy and the Slinger main. Pictured here playing **John Syftestad** (Mount Horeb WI) in the finals, Big Ski wears his iconic "pot cover" cap. ⚡ Watching intently, **Don Fleisch** is no stranger to second place finishes. In November 2019, Don finished second in three consecutive mains.



Easy 24 The 24-hand can be easy to get, like the time I had four in nine games. A couple of times I've had two in the same game. Against **Lana Newhouse** (Neenah WI), I needed both of them to beat her, but if you ask Lana, she

Stories from the Tournament Trail by Dale Magedanz CW's Milwaukee Correspondent



will insist that it was three. Then again, I will go on a hitless streak of 12-in-and-12-out after the cut. I had been keeping track of my missed 24 cuts and got up to nineteen in a row. On my twentieth attempt, it happened! It was again against Lana, but this time she beat me. The 24-hand can also be overrated because they come with no guarantees. A good example: on four occasions I've had a 24 and still got beat by **Jimmy McCarty** (Racine WI).

Moose Meltdown It comes as no surprise to me. It was just a matter of time. Upon hearing that **Teri Murdy** (Discovery Bay CA) would not be at Black River Falls for the doubleheader, the orange moose had a meltdown. It ran its head into a solid oak, breaking his right antler. Luckily, I was there for moral and physical support, or it may have been his end.



VETERANS

What does one expect to find at Wisconsin's oldest Grass Roots clubs? Veteran players! Club 1 in Madison has three of them. **Nolan Johnson** at 92 refers to **Don Tofte** (91) and **Don Wolf** (90) as the "kids." Club 6 in Milwaukee has a slight edge with **Rudy Rogutich** at 93 and **Tony Danihel** at 90. Pictured is Johnson versus Tofte on July 15.



Internet Cribbage

by Sally Henderson
(Internet Commish)
accjudgetest@gmail.com



Important changes effective August 1, approved by the Internet Committee of the BOD: *new* times (all Eastern) for Wednesday is an hour earlier at 10p, and Tuesday will be an hour later at 9p. The reasoning behind these changes is to allow more players from the Eastern time zone to play on Wednesday nights,

since the current time interferes with bedtime. This will also allow more players from the Western time zones to get home from work and/or have dinner first. I am also hoping that these time changes give some flexibility for more TDs to be available, especially now that many of us have gone back to our club nights. Monday remains at 9p, and Saturdays are still at 1p. My goal is to accommodate more players, even though we can't please everyone!

If you are on the ACC Community Facebook page, I always post notices of impending schedule changes along with the daily tournament results for each playing site. I also put comments on the eCribbage wall under the heading "ACC information and updates," plus a note goes on the eCribbage entry bulletin page. The internet tourney schedule link on **cribbage.org** is always updated immediately.

Now that Grass Roots clubs are making their way back into full swing as the new season starts, everyone should be able to pay their membership dues to their director

if they choose not to mail it in themselves. Please be sure that your yearly membership is current, as there will no longer be grace time given for IRP accrual, beginning October 1. This will allow processing time from now through September.

Announcement: we welcome back *JJx7fan* to the ACC TD team! Thanks, Jen.

internet.leaders

rank	IRPs	name
1	1020	Sue Edwards (CO434Sue)
2	967	Peter Legendre (legend397)
3	934	Mike Fetchel (mfetchCT425)
4	930	Daniel Crete (dec)
5	898	Richard Shea (thirtyonefor14)
6	890	Roger W. Wilson (rogerw29)
7	870	Gregory Gougian (gougie00)
8T	856	Jeff Raynes (jeffraynes29)
8T	856	William MacMillan (WY00191L)
10	851	Sam Sinram (IA503)

Player of the Month

Lawrence O. Hatch (LarryO) @ 170 IRPs

New Grand eMasters (4,000 IRPs)

Don Olney (olney47)

Internet 28-Hands

James Morrow (29seeker)

Internet Grand Slams

Paul Poropatic (pporopatic)



Reader contributions are encouraged. Send items of interest to **ACCgrassrootscorner@gmail.com**

Grass Roots

Corner

SEASON EXTENSION

Grass Roots season ends on August 15

Questions? Contact Grass Roots commissioner **Ivan Wells**
(**grcommissioner@gmail.com** or 505.600.5747)

Brian Carlson ↓ had an epic night at Club 307 (Colorado Springs) on July 14. He had five skunks and two more wins for 19/7 +194! ➡ A Vietnam vet with advanced Parkinson's, Brian enjoys playing club with his daughter **Kimberly Carlson**. Brian is closing in his Bronze Award, with only 45 GRPs to go!



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GAME #	GAME POINTS	PEG PLUS	POINTS MINUS	OPPONENT INITIALS	SEAT ID #
1	5	46		B	13
2	0	8	22	B	4
3	2	7		B	9
4	2		7	B	7
5	3	38		CH	5
6	3	28		CH	3
7	3	38		CH	01
8	3	48		CH	10
9	2	9		CH	14

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Grand Rapids Square Peggers Club 71 has a skunk jar that members contribute 25¢ to when they get skunked. Get a 29-hand and win it all, get a 28-hand and win half of it. No one had withdrawn money out of the jar for close to two years until March 9, when **Mike Flikkema** collected more than \$92 with a 28-hand. One week later, **Doyal Hannibal** had a 28-hand. On

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May 4 **Darcy Donat** did the same. And finally on June 29, **David Aiken** scored his 28-hand. In the law of diminishing returns, the last one was one was worth \$25, which is still better than a sharp peg in the eye.

Club 434 in Bainbridge Island WA is proud to announce that **Andrew Rosen** ♠ got his first 29-hand during our weekly tournament on July 8.



Club 108 (Lynnwood WA)—in their recent GRNT on May 23, **Paul Smith** ♠ received his first 28-hand in ACC Grass Roots play.



GrassRoots *Awards*

SILVER

David D. Braach (MT), 347

Jon S. Bumstead (WA), 379

Emilio Perez (IL), 197

Dennis Steininger (MN), 94

BRONZE

Brad Edstrom (MN), 215

Allan Flaska (MI), 229

Marli Holden (AK), 354

Invitations for Grass Roots club champions from the 2018, 2019, and 2020 seasons will be sent out via email to the club champions and club directors prior to the end of July. If you were a club champion and do not receive your email by July 31, please contact **Jeff Gardner** at jeff.gardner@wright.edu or 937.602.0690. Invitations for 2021 club champions will be emailed as soon as possible after the completion of the extended Grass Roots season in mid-August.



Al's grandfather taught him how to play cribbage, and Al joined the ACC in its early years. His cribbage mentor is David Statz.

Albert N. Miller
(Nashua NH)
Gold #155

A member of Club 314 in Hudson NH, Al has been club champion seven times. His toughest opponent at club is Daniel Crete.

Al's non-cribbage interests performing in musicals with the community theater group Actorsingers. He directed *Fiddler on the Roof*.

{Bill's words} My father taught me to play when I was eight. He gave me a sixty-point headstart and

Bill Whiting
(Williamsburg VA)
Gold #156



mugged me for everything. I eventually had to play full games. I joined the ACC soon after attending the thirteenth NOCT in Raleigh.

Then I joined the Richmond cribbage club, where Rick Allen was my mentor and toughest opponent. I have been club champion there while earning my Bronze and Silver Awards. This past season I joined the Tidewater 29ers in Norfolk, where I was club champion while earning my Gold. My first weekend tourney win was in 1999 in Portsmouth VA. I have won five mains, and my last was the most memorable. It was at Grand National 29 midweek where I got a 29-hand, a 29-score-card, won the tournament, and earned my Masters. In normal times I play about six tournaments a year. Outside of cribbage I enjoy woodworking and attending car shows.

The Inside Track

by Rob Medeiros



Many of my columns grow out of discussions on Daily Cribbage Hand—an informative site that I have previously mentioned here. [Editor's note: go to dailycribbagehand.org.]

A recent discussion on DCH prompted much debate. You are the nondealer holding A-2-5-7 early in the game; what should you lead, and what is your plan heading into pegging? A few players suggested leading the 7 as an *offensive* play, hoping to parlay the A-2 combo for pegging later on in the sequence. In my opinion, a 2 lead is the offensive play, as it immediately puts the dealer on the defensive as to whether to risk a match or what card to play that would best limit my chance to parlay a 15-for-2 with my next card. A 5-6-7-8 response by dealer gives me two points if I so choose, albeit with risk of dealer tripping a card I match.

So what does a 7 lead provide? It immediately provides the dealer with a pretty safe play of any picture card to push the count to 17. If dealer takes 15-2 with an 8, you have no card to score on the next play. Keeping small cards as the nondealer to potentially score them later in the pegging sequence is a losing proposition much more often than a winning one. So keep that in mind when you are planning your pegging strategy.

Rob (mrob2199@aol.com) always knows what card to lead.

GAME ON

by Dan Zeisler



Youth Teaching Tip

This question is often asked of me more by adults than youth: What is the best combination of cards to throw in my crib and into my pone's crib? The answer depends on game circumstances, such as what cards will be left in your hand after the discard, and board position plays an important factor as well. However, many years ago, the late **Russ Adams**, a gifted mathematician and an excellent pegger from Minneapolis, created a handout on discarding decisions for the nondealer after he analyzed a sample of 2,000 hands. From his data, he concluded that the safest cards to throw into the dealer's crib are 9-K, 10-K, 6-K, and 6-Q, with each play averaging 2.3 points in the crib. The most dangerous cards to toss into the crib are 2-3, 5-5, 7-7, and 7-8. These dangerous throws average a crib score of 8.1 points.

Youth News

Please share your teaching tips and/or stories about working with youth with me so I can pass them on to our readers. I recently received the following email from **Bill Klem** (Club 148 in Auburn WA): "When we taught cribbage in my wife's high school class I gave each student a copy of the ACC rulebook as a textbook for the class. I told them to read it and that there would be a test. I prepared a test that included rules, definitions, and hands and cribs to count. I gave the test to some of my Grass Roots friends. Some of the students scored higher."

Teachers—summer is the perfect time to incorporate cribbage into your lesson plans for the 2021–22 school year. The ACC Youth Program offers a detailed teaching manual plus classroom startup grants for up to ten new long boards! For more information, contact me at danthefan@ayhoo.com.

If you haven't already done so, please register your young cribbage player to play in YGN4 in Sacramento on September 25. Early registration helps with the planning of the event and is greatly appreciated by the directors. The ACC Youth Program will be donating \$1,000 to put toward prizes, and every entrant will receive a beautiful Rick Pierce long board just for showing up to play. To be eligible for this great event, one must understand the basic concepts of cribbage, and be under nineteen years of age. Players under twelve will play their own separate event.

ACC member **Geoffrey Rezek** (Darien CT) was instrumental in teaching cribbage to youth at Darien's youth center. Here's a screenshot of an article from the *Darien Times* telling about the youth program.



Contributed photo

The Depot, Darien's youth center has added the game of Cribbage to its activities, thanks to longtime Darien resident Geoffrey Rezek. Above are members of The Depot's "Smiles for Seniors" club, who are hoping to share their Cribbage skills with the community. From left are: Keegan Smith, Rebecca Hayes, Ava Tucci, Erin Kane, Olivia Durbin and Liza Klingman.

Cribbage comes to the Depot

STAFF REPORTS

The Depot, the town's youth center, has added the card game Cribbage to its activities selection, all thanks to longtime resident Geoffrey Rezek.

"I am happy The Depot recognized the benefits of Cribbage and welcomed

the donation of my custom tournament board, created in Oregon," Rezek said. "The kids will take their Cribbage know-how and enjoy playing for years."

Rezek said playing Cribbage face to face with a deck of cards, and keeping score with wooden

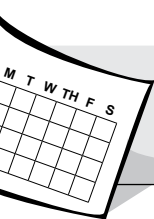
pegs, is the same way the games' inventor, Sir John Suckling, played it in the early 17th century.

"After a 50-year pause, I now find that playing Cribbage is challenging, fun, skill building and enjoyable" Rezek said. "It increases the human contact we need and do not get when we play games on a computer at home."

Members of The Depot's "Smiles for Seniors" club are now hoping to share their Cribbage skills with the community.

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Tournaments

MRPs*as of June 8***Top 50 in each region, 100 MRP minimum**

Western Region	Central Region	Eastern Region
<i>MRPs name</i>	<i>MRPs name</i>	<i>MRPs name</i>
1 1143 Dave Yaeger	1 838 Ann Trotter	1 640 Robert Medeiros
2 1135 Erik Locke	2 773 Doug Page	2 558 Keith Widener
3 747 Cy Madrone	3 706 Terry Weber	3 406 Donna LaFleur
4 630 Laurie Logan	4 563 Chad Frischmann	4 366 Charlene Cohen
5 513 Kathy Pacocha	5 562 James McCarty	5 333 Jim Correa
6 491 Bryan Gurden	6 500 Jeff Shimp	6 228 Henry Douglass
7 489 Bob Bartosh	7 498 Henry Brandner	7 201 Joe Zimmitti
8 420 Gordy Wise	8 470 Wayne Steinmetz	8 198 Lee Dillon
9 417 Sandy Sands	9 467 John Syftestad	9 194 Larry Phifer
10 410 Troy Thorson	10 461 Lana Newhouse	10 192 Mike Fetchel
11 388 Mike McDaniel	11 452 Brad Behm	11 190 Robert Baker
12 378 Lyford Smith	12 439 Kevin Harris	12 189 June Fordham
13 374 Winona McDaniel	13 412 Clay Collier	13 184 Jerry Schrum
14 373 Pamela Pomeroy	14 399 Patrick Barrett	14 179 Pat Llewellyn
15 341 Matt Padrow	15 393 Marlene Lazachek	15 175 Esther Rolfe
16 312 Carole Herron	16 380 Dennis Koehler	16 170 David Campbell
17 308 Terry Higgins	17 368 Frank Danielski	17 163 Jacob French
18 288 Wayne Morsen	18 355 David Aiello	18 162 Phil Martin
19 261 Kevin Mansfield	19 353 Richard Frost	19 155 Steven Braley
20 258 Alice Souza	20 339 Daniel Pluff	20 144 Patrick Robrecht
21 254 Bob Brumley	21 334 Jim Mahan	21 143 Jerry Hardy
22 252 Jim Jones	22 321 Dale Magedanz	22 136 Barry Spadea
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26 219 William O'Malley	26 302 Gerald Parins	26 130 Barbara Berg-Fennessey
27 217 Dale Weilep	27 296 Steven Steinmetz	27 129 Rick Allen
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30 204 Dennis Morin	30 282 Ginny Danielski	30 115 Louis Petosa
31 202 Basil Rudnick	31 279 Scott Fritz	31 111 David Flaherty
32 199 Todd Malmgren	32 264 James Huser	32 110 Robert Fitzgerald
33 192 Charlette Springer	33 259 Emilio Perez	33 107 James Sullivan
34 182 John Alig	34 249 Laura Johnson	34 105 Albert Miller
35 178 Dana McClain	35 230 Haley Hintze	35 103 David Clemmey
35 178 Greg Schleusner	36 224 Rick Kuehn	36 102 Jack Chandler
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38 174 Gary Galetti	38 221 Bob Joslin	38 100 Barbara Barbour
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39 165 Leroy Zahn	40 214 Jerome Tork	
41 163 Darlene Stier	41 208 W. Lee Tesch	
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44 158 James Morrow	44 188 Jane Vander Loop	
45 156 Willie Evans	45 175 Edward Balcer	
46 155 Alan Schaefer	46 169 Jerry Newhouse	
47 144 Rick Baird	47 156 David Boyer	
47 144 Joe Gates	48 153 Donald Flesch	
49 143 Ray Klocko	48 153 Curt Thiel	
50 140 Sharon Schaefer	50 152 Mark Habighorst	
50 140 Rodney Rideau		

Tournament Trail

CALENDAR OF SANCTIONED EVENTS

ACC Tournament Commissioners

Western Region	Central Region	Eastern Region
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Most tournaments (a) are round-robin format, (b) include a consolation, (c) are singles competition, and (d) have satellite events. Details are fairly accurate at time of publication, but check with the tournament director before making travel plans. For more information, visit cribbage.org.

GRAND NATIONAL SCHEDULE

date	city/state	TD
Sept. 21–26, 2021	Sacramento CA	Jeanne Jelke
Sept. 23–25, 2022	Omaha NE	Scott Kooistra
Oct. 10–15, 2023	Virginia Beach VA	Jack Howsare

TOC & ACC OPEN SCHEDULE

@ Sands Regency in Reno NV
March 4–6, 2022
March 3–5, 2023

WA ♦ Aug. 1, Western Region Championship

VFW, 615 N Ave, Sunnyside WA 98944. TD: James & Cher Morrow (509.830.2318)

NE ♦ Aug. 1, Nebraska One-Day Starter

Comfort Inn, 7007 Grover St, Omaha NE 68106. TD: Scott Kooistra (605.661.7081) & Don Thienel

CT ♦ Aug. 1, Patriot Kickoff

American Legion, 114 West St, Vernon CT 06066. TD: Marty Duchow (860.324.8019) & Carl Deyette

WY ♦ Cheyenne Doubleheader

American Legion, 2001 E Lincolnway, Cheyenne WY 82001

Aug. 6–8, Charlie Douthit Memorial

TD: William & Janice MacMillan (307.638.2398)

Aug. 7, Mountain View Classic One-day

TD: Troy Thorson (303.909.5125) & Kathy Pacocha

NV ♦ Aug. 13–15, Pahump Open

Pahump Nugget, 681 S Hwy 160, Pahump NV 89048. TD: Denise Fortin (775.209.4444)

OR ♦ Aug. 20–22, Portland Open

Moose, 16411 NE Halsey St, Portland OR 97230. TD: Erik Locke (503.754.2979) & James Morrow

MT ♦ Montana Fall Roundup

Aug. 24–26, Montana Championship

Eagles, 2420 South Ave W, Missoula MT 59801. TD: Rex Paddock (406.360.3333) & Sandy Sands

Aug. 27–29, Copper City Classic

East Side Athletic Club, 3075 Dexter, Butte MT 59701. TD: Gary Galetti (406.491.5892) & Sandy Sands

Aug. 31–Sep. 2, Territorial Prison Classic

Elks, 320 N Main St, Deer Lodge MT 59722. TD: Gerald Bender (406.846.2612) & Bob Stone

Sep. 3–5, Montana Capital City

Moose, 4750 N Montana Ave, Helena MT 59602. TD: Sandy Sands (406.461.6284) & Roger McGlenn

MI ♦ Battle Creek Doubleheader

Quality Inn, 2590 Capital Ave SW, Battle Creek MI 49015. TD: David Boyer (269.788.1289) & John Schafer

Aug. 26–27, Michigan Cribbage Cup

Aug. 27–29, Cereal City Classic

NH ♦ Sep. 12, Daniel Webster Open

Brookline Event Center, 32 Proctor Hill Rd, Brookline NH 03033. TD: Jerry & Laurie Hardy (120.773.0319)

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ID ♦ Sept. 17–19, Gem State Classic

Eagles, 7025 Overland Rd, Boise ID 83709. TD: Laurie & Ron Logan (406.241.5006)

NV ♦ Sept. 20–21, Silver State Midweek

Winnemucca Convention Center, 50 West Winnemucca Blvd #1, Winnemucca NV 89445. TD: Erik Locke (503.754.2979) & James Morrow

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CA ♦ GRAND NATIONAL 39

Doubletree, 2001 Point West Way, Sacramento CA 95815

Sept. 22–23, Grand National Midweek

TD: Rick & Peggy Shea (707.599.4605)

Sept. 25, Youth Grand National 4

Grumpy Howard (916.212.2465) & Dan Zeisler.

See promo on page 2.

Sept. 25–26, Grand National 39

TD: Jeanne Jelke (509.521.3153) & Margaret Fannucchi

NE ♦ Oct. 1–3, Cornhusker Classic

Comfort Inn, 7007 Grover St, Omaha NE 68106. TD: Scott Kooistra (605.661.7081) & Don Thienel

OR ♦ Oct. 1–3, Oregon Championship

Elks, 63120 Boyd Acres Rd, Bend OR 97701. TD: Rick Baird (541.530.1112) & Debra Lucas

WA ♦ Oct. 8–10, ACC World Championships

Chautauqua Lodge, 304 NW 14th St, Long Beach WA 98631. TD: James Morrow (509.830.2318) & Jason Hofbauer

NH ♦ Oct. 10, New Hampshire Open

Brookline Event Center, Proctor Hill Rd, Brookline NH 03033. TD: David Statz (603.247.4335) & Mary Burlington

OR ♦ Oct. 15–17, Salem Classic

Elks, 2336 Turner Rd SE, Salem OR 97301. TD: Kim & Rick Simmons (503.364.1510)

WI ♦ Oct. 22–24, Oktoberfest

Riverfront Inn, 1821 Riverside Ave, Marinette WI 54143. TD: Al Karr (920.639.3546) & Joan Rein

NC ♦ Oct. 22–24, John Medeiros Memorial

Comfort Suites RDU Airport, 5219 Page Rd, Durham NC 27703. TD: Jennifer Johnson (617.515.2232) & Megan Player

NV ♦ Nov. 5–7, Gold Dust West Fall Festival

Gold Dust West Hotel, 2171 E William St, Carson City NV 89701. TD: Jeanne Jelke (509.521.3153) & Beverly Castillo

MD ♦ Nov. 12–14, Charm City Classic

Comfort Inn, 8801 Loch Raven Blvd, Towson MD 21286. TD: Michael O'Brien (301.367.3643) & Bruce Sattler

WI ♦ Nov. 12–14, Dianne Gurney Memorial

Comfort Inn, W 10170 Hwy 54 E, Black River Falls WI 54615. TD: Wayne Steinmetz (262.367.9180) & Richard Frost

NV ♦ Nov. 12–14, Veterans Day Classic

Sands Regency, 345 N Arlington, Reno NV 89501. TD: Peggy & Peggy Shea (707.599.4605)

CA ♦ Nov. 19–21, Jerry Montgomery Memorial

Win-River Casino, 2100 Redding Rancheria Rd, Redding CA 96001. TD: Jeanne Jelke (509.521.3153) & Jim Langley

VA ♦ Nov. 19–21, Virginia Beach Classic

Four Points, 1121 Atlantic Ave, Virginia Beach VA 23451. TD: Laurie Schmitz (757.214.2327) & Jack Howsare

MI ♦ THANKSGIVING DOUBLEHEADER

American Legion, 401 N Park St NE, Grand Rapids MI 49525. TD: David Aiken (616.401.8311) & John Hazlett

Nov. 26 & 28, Wishbone Open

Nov. 27, Reindeer Games

WI ♦ Dec. 3–5, Jingle Bell Open

Riverfront Inn, 1821 Riverside Ave, Marinette WI 54143. TD: Al Karr (920.639.3546)

CA ♦ Jan. 8–9, Pacific Coast Championship

American Legion, 694 Legion Way, Marina CA 93933. TD: Randy Borchardt (831.277.1414) & Dick Lind

MA ♦ Mar. 20, Cornbeef & Cribbage

VFW, 13 Cross Rd, Uxbridge MA 015669. TD: Pat Llewellyn (508.966.1613) & Leo Houle

OR ♦ Newport Doubleheader

American Legion, 424 W Olive, Newport OR 97365

Apr. 7–8, Alsea River Open

TD: Wayne Momsen (406.417.1615) & Carole Herron

Apr. 9–10, Dean Bauman Memorial

TD: Monica Newton (541.819.1034) & Dana McClain

WI ♦ Apr. 8–10, Eau Claire Fest

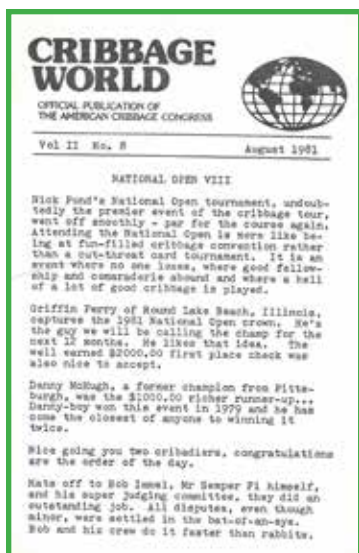
29 Pines Hotel, 5872 33rd Ave, Eau Claire WI 54703. TD: Dennis & Maxine Ulberg (715.695.3588)

WI ♦ Apr. 22–23, Black River Country Classic

Comfort Inn, W 10170 Highway 54 E, Black River Falls WI 54615. TD: Richard Frost (920.361.3302) & Wayne Steinmetz

CA ♦ Apr. 23, Napa Valley Wine Country Open

Moose, 3275 Browns Valley Rd, Napa CA 94558. TD: Michael Rogers (510.504.6905) & Yvonne Bow-ers



40 Years Ago

The front cover reported the results of the eighth annual National Open. The winner was **Griffin Perry** (Round Lake Beach IL). An ACC member by this name still lives in Beach Park IL, so this may be our NOCT winner.

25 Years Ago

The front cover reported that **Clyde Ross** (CA) won the 314-player Independence Day Classic in Reno—for the second time, having done the same thing in July 1993. Elsewhere we read that **Mick Michaelis** (WI) won the Lewis and Clark Open in Yankton SD—for the fourth time!

CLUB 29

1. Joan Rein (WI): Wisconsin State Championship (Oct. 17)
2. Charlene Cohen (FL): North Pole Open (Oct. 24)
3. Dan Selke (IL): Calamity Jane Open (Apr. 4)
4. Chad Frischmann (WI): America's Dairyland (June 5)

IN MEMORY OF CRIBBAGE FRIENDS

Peggy S. Cunningham

Peggy Cunningham (Tempe AZ) passed away in June 2021 at eighty years of age. A member of Club 408 and a past member of Club 24, she lived in Tempe for many years, but never let you

forget that her roots were in the South. Peggy was a great hostess and had some wonderful dinner and cribbage parties. She was a highly skilled cribbage player, with five tournament victories, a Master rating, and a Bronze Award to her credit.



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