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GRAND NATIONAL MILWAUKEE

HEEMSTRA EDGES FRIETS

Jim Heemstra of Green Bay, Wisconsin, Michaelis, of Marinette, Wisconsin, in a narrowly defeated Neal Friets of Keene, best 3 of 5 matchup.

New Hampshire, in the final game of a best 4 of 7 match to win top spot at the Grand National Tournament held in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, during the weekend of September 23-25, 1988. Finishing third was Gene Milkusky, who resides in Sobieski, Wisconsin. Gene topped the all-time Master Point winner, Bob

The Consolation tourney was won by Shirley Fitzpatrick of Milwaukee. The second, third and fourth place finishers were Mary Ann Davis of Medford, Massachusetts; Jim Angel of Concord, California; and Dan Devine of Milwaukee.

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2,000 Master Point Plateau
Reached in 1987-1988

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Butch Reynolds	S. Maria, CA	2,871	Pat Crozier	Clackamas, OR
Harry Palmer	W. Spfld, MA	2,864		
Jesse Jarrell	Pittsburg, CA	2,563		
Larry Rowley	Madison, WI	2,470		
Jim McManus	Milwaukee, WI	2,213		
Bob Madsen	Chicago, IL	2,122	Mr. & Mrs. Cribbage World	
R. Clukey, Sr.	Thomaston, CT	2,068	Ken & Betty Capper	Herriston, OR

Cribbage Masters
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Bob Michaelis	Marinette, WI	4,359	The President's Special Award	
Delynn Colvert	Missoula, MT	4,077		
W. Sondericker	Greenfield, WI	4,026	Dale Munroe	Collinsville, CT

THE PRESIDENTS COLUMN

Joseph P. Wergin

Radio Report

People just don't like to call a telephone number and hear a recorded message to leave their name and address and/or telephone number. This applies especially to older people.

In the public relations attempt to attract cribbage players through the use of an 800 number, there were 275 calls to the recording device where people hung up and did not leave a message. It would be too expensive to answer 800 calls, because cribbage people like to talk. So, the 800 line was plugged and in the future we shall request people to write to a box number. We live and we learn!

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Charlie Steinhauer of Mt. Horeb, Wisconsin, has been teaching his nine-year-old son and seven-year-old daughter to play cribbage. A few weeks ago he sent the kids to bed and they went so quietly and not a sound was heard from the bedrooms. So, Charlie figured that they were up to something.

He checked and found each of them playing cribbage solitaire under the covers with flashlights. It appears that the kids are "hooked" on the game.

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While we are on the subject of kids and cribbage, if you know of a school teacher who would like to introduce students to cribbage, I have a brochure that can be used as a teaching aid. And, to the teachers who have a program, a copy of their lesson plans would be appreciated.

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A REMINDER TO TOURNAMENT DIRECTORS

If you want to give your tournament a little publicity, either before or after or both, we're always pleased to insert an article in CRIBBAGE WORLD. You write a little release, and we'll publish it.

Let's all get on the public relations bandwagon and advertise the Congress in all newspaper releases. Copies of three feature articles were recently forwarded to me. Not one of them mentioned American Cribbage Congress. When you are interviewed, be sure that the Congress is mentioned in the article.

CHARITY AND THE ACC

At the Annual Meeting of the Board of Directors in Raleigh July 29, President Joe Wergin called attention to the fact that the Congress is, in a way, a philanthropic agency but does not receive credit for thousands of dollars that members donate to various charities.

In his remarks to the Board, the President said: "At the satellite tournaments our members are often required to donate to charitable groups, and the Congress should also receive credit. It is my suggestion," continued the President, "that all managers handling such funds enter in their tournament reports the amounts collected and also name the charity receiving these donations. We should demonstrate to the IRS and to the public that we are not only a nonprofit organization but that we are also philanthropic."

A motion was made by Director Jim Law and seconded by Bob Plourde that the amounts given to charity be published in CRIBBAGE WORLD. The motion carried unanimously.

It was suggested that the reports be made retroactive to September 1, 1987, and be filed with Executive Vice President Syl Lulinski.

We have recently moved to Port Townsend, Washington, from California; a beautiful, boat-oriented town that I knew would yield many crib players. Alas, not too much going on up here. Having run a small non-sanctioned tournament for many years in New Mexico, I worked up a Grass Roots game at a local pub. One of my first responses? Special Agent Jones from the State Gambling Commission. Seems there are differing laws everywhere, and in Washington a specific license is required for such card games. Back to the drawing board.

Meanwhile, imagine my dismay and utter disgust upon hearing the following radio spot for a "Major Foreign Car Co." that went something like this:

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Peg on,
Tina McMaster
Port Townsend, WA

P.S. ACC memberships make great gifts ... for young and old. I've signed up just about my whole family.

Mostly wanted you to know how much I enjoy getting CRIBBAGE WORLD - enjoyable reading and each issue gets more informative.

We were fortunate here in this area (Tempe/Mesa/Apache Junction) to have had Joe Wergin with us a couple of years ago and missed his not being here this past winter. He made a dent with 4 or 5 of us in Tempe, but we really need a "motivator" to get a club started. We have between 18 and 20 "regular" cribbage players who play on Mondays at our Adult Center, but only 4 or 5 of us go to Charlie Fletcher's tournaments in Apache Junction. I'd like to find out how you ORGANIZE a club.

Happily, Charlie will be back in town in another month or so, and I know I can count on him ... I want to let you know that he is one of the finest gentlemen I've ever met, and he runs an outstanding tournament!

Happy pegging - and, you know, don't you? "Old cribbage players never die, they just 'Go'..."

Maxine L. Burgett
Tempe, AZ

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Consolation Tournament: Top 1/8 earns one-half points, i.e., 64 players, 1st earns 32 points, 2nd earns 28 points, 3rd earns 24 points, etc. BONUS POINTS are earned: 1st earns 20 bonus points, 2nd earns 10 points, 3rd earns 5 points and 4th earns 3 points. In this example, No. 1 earns 52 points (32 + 20).

EASTERN REGION		POINTS	
FINAL 1988		ST	YEAR
1 PALMER, HARRY	W. SPRINGFIELD	MA	1249
2 SHEEHAN, FRANK	CANTON	MA	989
3 CLUKEY SR., RICHARD	THOMASTON	CT	860
4 FLOURDE, BOB	WINOUILLE	CT	700
5 HORIGAN, LEO	EASTON	MA	669
6 STROMBERG, STUART	W. SPRINGFIELD	MA	577
7 BICKFORD, GEORGE	E. LONGMEADOW	MA	551
HARTLEY, JIM	BOCA RATON	FL	551
9 O'BRIEN, ED	S. BURLINGTON	VT	536
O'CONNOR, PATRICIA	DEDHAM	MA	536
11 CHAMBERS, JOHN	PROVIDENCE	RI	524
DINWOODIE, AL	GLOUCEM	RI	524
13 LEFEBVRE, AL	WARWICK	RI	523
NORRIS, LEE	N. KINGSTON	RI	523
15 PETTIT, PAUL	PAWTUCKET	RI	520
16 NEWSOM, TONY	SHIRLEY	MA	515
17 BLESSING, GEORGE	NARRAGANSETT	RI	491
18 SAMET, LAURENCE	WELLESLEY HILLS	MA	455
19 SCHMIDT, PHYLLIS	WILLIAMSTOWN	MA	453
20 GUDAUSKAS, WILLIAM	ROCKVILLE	CT	448
21 MILLER, ALBERT	NASHUA	NH	441
22 SEYMOUR, WILLIAM	WARWICK	RI	416
23 LILLO, DENNIS	ALEXANDRIA	VA	407
24 GOMBATZ, ROBERT	RALEIGH	NC	405
TAYLOR, BERNICE	PROVIDENCE	RI	405

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FINAL 1988

NAME	CITY	ST	POINTS YEAR
1 ROBERTS, EARL	SUPERIOR	WI	1177
2 GEORGE, GARY	STURTEVANT	WI	1152
3 MCCABE, BOB	BROWN DEER	WI	1086
4 LADISH, LEE	MILWAUKEE	WI	823
5 KNIETCH, NORBERT	BROWN DEER	WI	774
6 ROWLEY, LARRY	MADISON	WI	712
SHIMP, JEFF	ALLEGAN	MI	712
8 TERRY, DICK	KINGSLEY	IA	692
9 SLOTE, GIL	ADAMS	NE	688
10 AIRD, JOE	GLADSTONE	MI	686
11 KOOSTRA, SCOTT	YANKTON	SD	593
12 DANIELSKI, FRANK	APPLETON	WI	591
13 MICHAELIS, BOB	MARINETTE	WI	581
14 LULINSKI, SYL	LAGRANGE PARK	IL	573
15 CANNON, JOHN	MINNEAPOLIS	MN	506
16 SONDERICKER, WARREN	GREENFIELD	WI	462
17 BERNARD, JOE	LIBERTYVILLE	IL	456
18 GRUBER, JERRY	MINNEAPOLIS	MN	454
19 CUMMINGS, GRACE	MADISON	WI	442
20 HAMILTON, RON	WHITE BEAR LAKE	MN	436
21 PAULSON, GARY	MINNEAPOLIS	MN	435
22 MCMANUS, JIM	MILWAUKEE	WI	409
23 NEUNSIINGER, RICHARD	DELWEIN	IA	404
24 HANES, BOB	ANKENY	IA	401
25 DAHL, JAMES	BLAIR	WI	397

WESTERN REGION
FINAL 1988

NAME	CITY	ST	POINTS YEAR
1 REYNOLDS, BUTCH	SANTA MARIA	CA	2140
2 JARRELL, JESSE	PITTSBURG	CA	1561
3 COLVERT, DELYNN	MISSOULA	MT	1056
4 MCCALLUM, WALTER	YOUNTVILLE	CA	1032
5 RYAN JR, JOHN	SAN LORENZO	CA	898
6 MILLER, GENE	FLORENCE	MT	890
7 SOUTHWICK, DICK	PASCO	WA	873
8 NELSON, BERNIE	PACIFIC CITY	OR	701
9 REID, REX	QUINCY	CA	700
10 KEELING, JIM	SPOKANE	WA	689
11 BOWLING, HAL	SACRAMENTO	CA	677
12 CHRISTY, LEON	RICHLAND	WA	624
13 WALDORF, JIM	MADRAS	OR	611
14 GRANTZ, AL	KELSO	WA	609
15 VAN ORSOW, RAY	PORTLAND	OR	607
16 GARBARINO, WAYNE	PORTLAND	OR	598
17 GROSS, MARY JO	DENVER	CO	560
18 KIRKPATRICK, ROB	DENVER	CO	559
19 NOHRDEN, TOM	BEND	OR	558
20 SHIRLAND, BILL	DES MOINES	WA	558
21 MACKIE, GEORGE	DENVER	CO	555
MORGANTI, BOB	SMITH RIVER	CA	540
NOHRDEN, JAMES	NEWMAN	CA	540
HILL, BILL	AURORA	CO	540
STAR, NORAL	HERMISTON	OR	528
	DENVER	CO	528

THE TOURNAMENT TRAIL

1988

THE NATIONAL OPEN
Raleigh, North Carolina
July 30-August 1, 1988
Director: Nick Pond
Number of Entries: 413/232

BELLE CITY CLASSIC
Racine, Wisconsin
August 12-14, 1988
Director: Donald Wizesinske
Number of Entries: 96/58

Main Tournament
1. Jim Hartley
2. Butch Reynolds
3. Dennis Lillo
4. W. McManus

MP
453
425
407
394

Main Tournament
1. Butch Reynolds
2. Ron Hamilton
3. Mick Michaelis
4. Jackie Shimp

MP
136
136
77

Consolation
1. Tom Horigan
2. Tom Salyards
3. G. Blessing
4. Bernie Nelson

MP
136
122
110
110

Consolation
1. Jim Mahan
2. Doris Connor
3. R. Horvath
4. Bob Julian

MP
49
35
26
20

BILL MITCHELL MEMORIAL
Crescent City, California
August 5-7, 1988
Director: Dan Mitchell
Number of Entries: 42/22

Portland Tournament
Portland, Oregon
August 19-21, 1988
Directors: Kate and John Furler
Number of Entries: 146/90

Main Tournament
1. John Bottini
2. Archie Fugate
3. Jim Brooks
4. D. Intorf

MP
82
54
36
23

Main Tournament
1. Rich Labrasser
2. J. Hofbauer
3. Ray Van Orsow
4. Rex Frey

MP
186
158
140
127

Consolation
1. Sundae Jarrell
2. DelLynn Colvert
3. Jessie Jarrell
4. Goldia Rager

MP
11
7
3
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Consolation
1. Ken Richmond
2. Clyde Ault
3. Jeff Monroe
4. DelLynn Colvert

MP
65
51
42
36

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ILLINOIS STATE TOURNAMENT

Naperville, Illinois
 August 26-28, 1988
 Director: Bob Madsen
 Number of Entries: 116/66

<u>Main Tournament</u>	
1. F. Bellanca	Cary, IL
2. Larry Loupee	Newton, IA
3. Earl Roberts	Superior, WI
4. Larry Rowley	Fitchburg, WI

<u>Consolation</u>	
1. John Downey	St. Paul, MN
2. Martin Witte	Island Lake, IL
3. Ron Norville	Kenosha, WI
4. Leo Ladish	Milwaukee, WI

MP	<u>Main Tournament</u>
156	1. Gil Johnson
128	2. Henry Popham
110	3. Betty Johnson
97	4. Buzz Emery

MP	<u>Consolation</u>
53	1. J. Hofbauer
39	2. Rick Raynor
30	3. Chris Burrell
24	4. Jim Keeling

KOOCANUSA OPEN

Libby, Montana
 August 26-28, 1988
 Director: Pat McNulty
 Number of Entries: 47/27

MP	<u>Main Tournament</u>
87	Spokane, WA
59	Missoula, MT
41	Spokane, WA
28	Missoula, MT

MP	<u>Consolation</u>
14	Washougal, WA
10	Pasco, WA
6	Libby, MT
2	Spokane, WA

NEW ENGLAND CHAMPIONSHIP

Windsor Locks, Connecticut
 August 26-28, 1988
 Director: Joe Seigle
 Number of Entries: 132/90

<u>Main Tournament</u>	
1. Bob Plourde	Unionville, CT
2. George Blessing	Narragansett, RI
3. Stu Stromberg	W. Sp'fld, MA
4. Larry Harmon	Burlington, CT

MP	<u>Main Tournament</u>
172	1. Duane Toll
144	2. Jerry Gruber
126	3. L. Cunningham
113	4. Len Daly

<u>Consolation</u>	
1. Frank Sheehan	Canton, MA
2. Herb Brennan	Torrington, CT
3. Phyllis Schmidt	Williamstown, MA
4. Donna LaFleur	Bristol, CT

MP	<u>Consolation</u>
65	1. Pete Kurfahl
51	2. H. Tetzlaff
42	3. Ken Rehm
36	4. Merl Anderson

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October 14-16, Niagara Falls Championship

Summit Motor Inn, 9500 Niagara Falls Boulevard, Niagara Falls, NY. Entry fee: \$45. Early Bird, Q-Pools, coffee, Saturday Night Special, Consolation, Last Chance.
Contact: William Kraatz, 6755 Rose Court, Niagara Falls, NY, 716-731-5902.

October 15, California State Singles

Harry's Hofbrau, 390 Saratoga Avenue, San Jose, California. Entry fee: \$45. Friday Night Doubles, Q-Pools, coffee, rolls, lunch, Consolation.
Contact: Warren Bush, 4271 North 1st Street, Space #131, San Jose, CA 95134, 408-942-9012.

October 16, Vermont Tournament

Ramada Inn, Exit 14E, I-89, South Burlington, Vermont. Entry fee: \$37. Q-Pools, lunch, Consolation.
Contact: Fred McGibney, 175 Hineburg Road, South Burlington, VT 05403, 802-863-5135.

October 22, Oroville Round Beard Tournament

Eagles Club, 2016 Montgomery Street, Oroville, California. Entry fee: \$37.50. Friday Night Warm-up, coffee, doughnuts, lunch.
Contact: John Mathews, 1729 Boynton Avenue, Oroville, CA 95966, 916-533-7793.

October 22-23, Midwest Double-Elimination Tournament

Alonzo Cudworth American Legion Post, 1756 North Prospect Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Entry fee: \$100. (Limited to first 64 entries.) Consolation.
Contact: Bob McCabe, 9393 North 60th, Brown Deer, WI 53223, 414-354-0103.

October 22-23, Colorado Championship

Elks Club, Littleton, Colorado. Entry fee: \$35. Coffee, doughnuts, Q-Pool, Consolation, Sunday Pairs Tournament.
Contact: Dick Graham, 300 East Hampden, Englewood, CO 80110, 303-781-7854.

October 29, Minnesota Valley Open

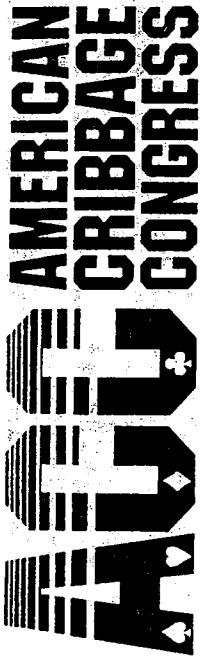
VFW Post 1791, County Road 10, Chaska, Minnesota. Entry fee: \$32. Q-Pools, Consolation.
Contact: Jim and Joan Rein, PO Box 306, Carver, MN 55315, 612-448-2459.

October 29-30, Idaho State Championship

Roy's Turf Club, 523 Cedar Street, Wallace, Idaho. Entry fee: \$42. Early Bird Doubles, Q-Pools, Consolation.
Contact: Roy Carlson, 523 Cedar Street, Wallace, ID 83873.

November 4-5, Bay Area Championship

Freemont Elks Lodge, 38991 Farwell Drive, Freemont, California. Entry fee: \$50. Early Bird Doubles, continental breakfast, Q-Pools, lunch, Consolation.
Contact: Robert "Bo" Atkinson, 4348 Nagle Way, Freemont, CA 94536, 415-792-1302.



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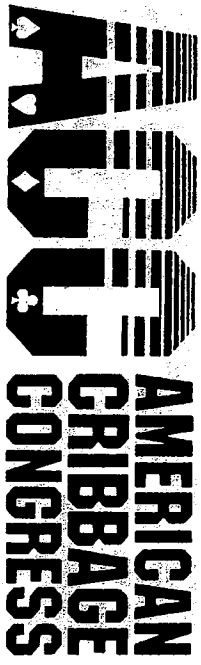
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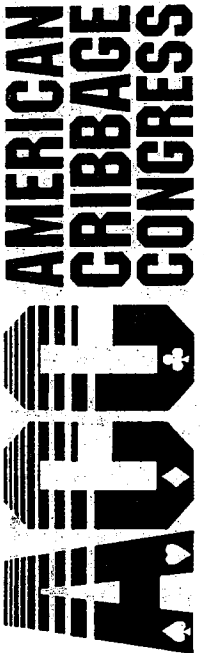
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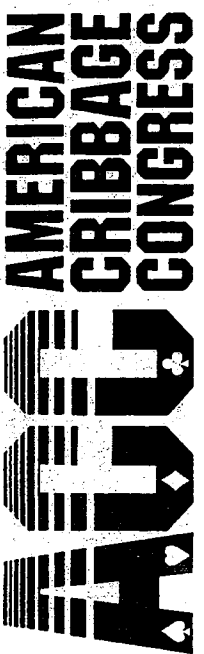
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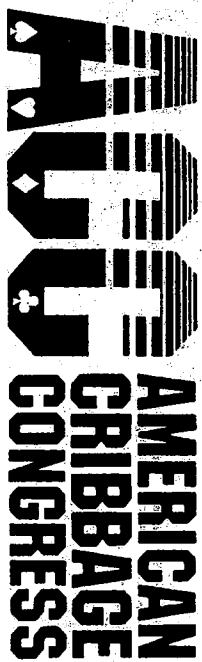
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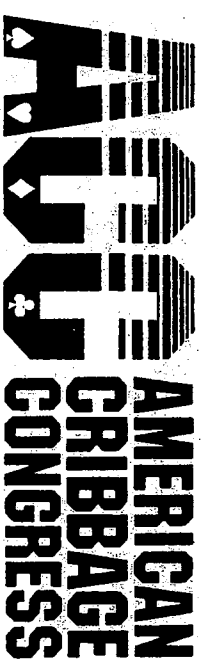
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November 4-6, Fayetteville Classic

Howard Johnson Hotel, Exit 49, I-95 at Highways 53 and 210, Fayetteville, North Carolina. Entry fee: \$40. Early Bird, coffee, G-Pools, Lunch (Saturday), Saturday Night Special, Consolation, Last Chance.
Contact: Lois Lam, PO Box 11068, Fayetteville, NC 28303-2799, 919-867-6048.

November 4-6, Polish Open

Amora Villa Motor Lodge, 200 North Perkins Street, Appleton, Wisconsin. Entry fee: \$40. Early Bird, G-Pools, Saturday Night Special, Consolation, Last Chance.
Contact: Frank Danielski, 2919 North Ballard Road, Appleton, WI 54915, 414-734-0022.

November 6, Dante Club Tournament

Dante Club, Baldwin Street, West Springfield, Massachusetts. Entry fee: \$35. Coffee, doughnuts, G-Pools, Lunch, Consolation.
Contact: George E. Bickford, 15 Benton Drive, East Longmeadow, MA 01028, 413-525-4545.

November 6, Great Plains Fall Classic

Airport Inn, I-80 and Cornhusker Highway, Lincoln, Nebraska. Entry fee: \$15. Contact: Jack Wunderlich, 2821 P Street, Lincoln, NE 68503, 402-477-2900.

November 11-13, Veterans Day Classic

Sands Regent Hotel & Casino, Arlington and Third Streets, Reno, Nevada. Entry fee: \$41.50. G-Pools, Consolation, Last Chance, Doubles Tournament.
Contact: Bill Irons, 333 K Street South, Sparks, NV 89431, 702-358-4916.

November 19, Jesse James Open

Northfield Golf Club, 707 Prairie, Northfield, Minnesota. Entry fee: \$49. Early Bird, coffee, G-Pools, lunch, Consolation, Last Chance.
Contact: Jack Miller, 22 Park Drive, Northfield, MN 55057, 507-645-4513.

December 2-4, Midway Open

Midway Tavern, 1750 North 1st Street, Hermiston, Oregon. Entry fee: \$27. Early Bird Doubles, G-Pools, Saturday Night Special, Consolation.
Contact: Allen Stillwill, 1750 North 1st Street, Hermiston, OR 97838, 503-567-5180.

December 3, The Newman Open

FDES Hall, 1315 R Street, Newman, California. Entry fee: \$45. Coffee, doughnuts, G-Pools, lunch.
Contact: Bob Morganti, PO Box 655, Newman, CA 95360, 204-862-0147.

December 3, The Connecticut Yankee Tournament

Elks Lodge, Prospect Street, Hartford, Connecticut. Entry fee: \$40. Coffee, doughnuts, G-Pools, lunch, Consolation. Limited to 128 entries; deadline for entries is November 26.

Contact: Bob Plourde, 9 Fox Run Road, Unionville, CT 06085, 203-673-9396. (Application will appear in November CRIBBAGE WORLD.)