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TOC Winner



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My Deal

by David Aiken



Play smart, play fair, play fast.

Family. This is a common figure of speech when ACC members talk about our organization. In Reno, I saw an amazing case of family-in-action.

Ethan Guyaz traveled by himself from Maine to Reno via Amtrak. This sounds rather ordinary unless you know that Ethan (46) has autism. (See the July 2011 CW, page 20, for a story about Ethan.)

Ethan struck out in the TOC and ACC Open main, but hit pay dirt in the consolation. He qualified #12 with a 17/7 +136 scorecard and then started winning his playoff matches. He knocked off a couple of Life Masters as he advanced to the semifinals.

The problem with this success, however, was that the last bus from Reno to Sacramento, where Ethan was headed next, departed at 8:30p. If he missed this bus, he would have to stay overnight in Reno.

Ethan was visibly worried about this potential upsetting of his plans and the uncertainty that this would bring. Other players

in the room soon became aware of the problem, and two of them, **Scott Field** (Pearland TX) and **Jim Brackeen** (Houston TX), fellow members of Space City Skunkers Club 281 in Houston—in an amazing display of sportsmanship and compassion—volunteered to drive Ethan to Sacramento should he miss his bus.

This story grows more amazing when you learn that Ethan had beaten Scott in the quarterfinals. Ethan's victory did nothing to diminish Scott and Jim's willingness to help out a "family member" in need. They were prepared to drive 260 miles round trip, arriving back in Reno well after midnight—and expecting no remuneration in return.

As it turned out, Ethan was eliminated in the semifinals and got to the Greyhound station in time to catch his bus. But what I saw in Reno on Sunday afternoon reminded me why I play this game.

Taking care of one another—that is what family is all about. **CW**



Target practice: feel free to take aim at the CW editor whenever we play—but be careful, or your name might end up in the center column!

My monthly batting average

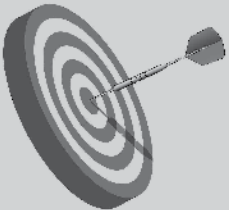
141–96 (59.5%)
in January

My biggest win of the month

+70 against Marlene Lazachek (WI)
in Marinette WI

My worst loss of the month

–45 by Tim Smith (MI)
at Club 107



IN MEMORY OF CRIBBAGE FRIENDS

Joyce Astle

Joyce Astle (Rescue CA) passed away on October 30, 2015. Joyce was born in Massachusetts and traveled throughout the States during her younger years before settling in San Jose CA, where she worked as a supervisor for final testing in the micro-processor division at Intersil. She and a partner opened a restaurant in Los Gatos. The Teagarden became a well known spot in the local community for good food, relaxed atmosphere, and interesting artists. It served various teas and crepes, based on recipes created by Joyce and her sister. Joyce was a member of the Gold Country Cribbers in El Dorado Hills for ten years and was only 81 points from her Bronze Award. She enjoyed not only the game learned in childhood but the kind, fun people every Wednesday night. Every Tuesday was her baking day, and she was always well received when walking in the door with a scrumptious dessert in hand. She also enjoyed visiting and babysitting her two grandchildren. She will be missed by all who knew her.

Jackie Depizol

Jackie Depizol died at 91 years of age. She and her husband, Ted, were active members of Club 22 until his death, when she moved to Hemet CA. Jackie was a real force to be reckoned with on the board and always brought laughter and fun to any cribbage activity. She will be missed by all of her cribbage family.

James Heemstra

James Heemstra (Green Bay WI), cribbage aficionado, passed away on February 9. He played cribbage every week at Club 61 in Green Bay and had earned many awards, including his Grand Master rating

and Silver Award. After serving in the US Navy from 1958 to 1962, Jim worked in sales until his retirement in 2005. He also enjoyed golf, poker, and grandkids—but not necessarily in that order.

Harold Hilbert

Harold Hilbert (Beaumont CA) passed away on November 21 at age 68. He was Club 68's 2005–2006 champion. Harold spent over forty years as a manager in the food processing industry. He was well versed in a wide variety of subjects and was always helping others understand how things worked. Harold was a great cribbage player and never complained about his cards. He is survived by his brother, Larry Hilbert, an ACC member.

Nicky Kniech

Nicky Kniech (Milwaukee WI) passed away at the age of 85. Nicky was such a gentle, lovely woman, she hated to say no to anyone. She loved playing cards of any sorts, especially cribbage, poker, and sheephead. She earned her Grand Master. Years ago the ACC used to honor a couple as Mr. & Mrs. Cribbage; one year Nicky and her late husband, Norbert (“Norbie”), took the honors.

Velma G. Lane

Velma Lane (Lemon Grove CA) passed away January 26 at the age of 93. She was a member of Grass Roots Club 79 in La Mesa CA. Velma made many cribbage friends over her years of playing. She en-

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as of February 1

Tournament	Director	Main (MRPs)	Consolation (MRPs)	Big Hands	Satellite Winners
Wisconsin Dells Deal (Lake Delton WI; Jan. 1-3)	Terry Weber	68 players HQ. David Aiken (45) 1. Gerald Gruber (147) 2. David Aiken (105) 3. Jeff Shimp (70) 3. Brad Behm (70)	48 players HQ. Haley Hintze (18) 1. Haley Hintze (60) 2. Richard Frost (40) 3. Pete Severson (24) 3. Donna LaFleur (24)	29-hand: Brad Behm* 28-hand: Henry Brandner*	Friday: Tony Danihel Saturday: Frank Duresky
Winter Snowball Special (Maplewood MN; Jan. 8-10)	Ginger Grogan	72 players HQ. Dan Sand (50) 1. Adam Switzer (147) 2. Pete Severson (105) 3. Timothy Shaw (70) 3. Wayne Olson (70)	26 players HQ. Haley Hintze (24) 1. Haley Hintze (40) 2. Edward Balcer (24)	28-hands: Victor Poppler* Haley Hintze Ed Balcer	Friday: Gloria McLeod Saturday: Michael Martin
Virginia Cribbage Championship (Williamsburg VA; Jan. 8-10)	Rick Allen	68 players HQ. Charles Dolge (35) 1. Robert Reister (147) 2. David Aiken (105) 3. William Shoemaker (70) 3. Robert Milk (70)	50 players HQ. Robert Medeiros (15) 1. Peter Legendre (60) 2. David Campbell (40) 3. Rhonda Dhanpaul (24) 3. David Clemmey (24)	28-hand: John Morch*	Friday: Sara Sanner Saturday: Fred Walker
Daffodil Express Open (Puyallup WA; Jan. 10)	Donald Zeutschel	34 players HQ. Elmer Rasmussen (50) 1. Roland Hall (105) 2. Vonita Gill (70) 3. Mills Brubaker (42) 3. Roger Dickinson (42)	17 players HQ. Don Gabrielson (15) 1. George Mackie (40) 2. Karen Dupea (24)		
Georgia Open (Savannah GA; Jan. 15-17)	Carl Squire	73 players HQ. Doug Page (75) 1. Marvin Lewis (147) 2. Ron LaPointe (105) 3. Doug Page (70) 3. Bill Cooper (70)	47 players HQ. Curtis Barbour (21) 1. Henry Douglass (60) 2. Mary Ellison (40) 3. Matthew Easterbrook (24) 3. Cynthia Wark (24)	28-hand: Keith Widener*	Friday: Joy Barnes Saturday: Kevin Harris

LEGEND
HQ = high qualifier
*** = in a sanctioned event**
highlighting = first win

Tournament	Director	Main (MRPs)	Consolation (MRPs)	Big Hands	Satellite Winners
Peg for the Border (La Mesa CA; Jan. 15-17)	John Kern	62 players HQ. Beth Woller (30) 1. Beth Woller (105) 2. Michael Green (70) 3. Michael Duffy (42) 3. Obie Weeks (42)	36 players HQ. R. J. Smeltz (21) 1. Beth Fleischer (60) 2. R. J. Smeltz (40) 3. Jerry Blackman (24) 3. Art Whitney (24)		Doubles: Barbara Stockham & Kathryn Justyn
American Pride (Marinette WI; Jan. 15-17)	Al Karr	58 players HQ. Donald Urban (55) 1. Jeff Shimp (105) 2. Brad Behm (70) 3. Jerome Tork (42) 3. Richard Sain Jr. (42)	42 players HQ. Jerry Newhouse (15) 1. Gerald Gruber (60) 2. Dan Selke (40) 3. Bob Kiley (24) 3. Don Miles (24)	28-hands: Donald Urban* Al Scarrantino	<i>High Roller:</i> Roger Wanic <i>Doubles:</i> Henry Brandner & Meg Maenpaa <i>Saturday:</i> Tom Demerse <i>All Events:</i> Larry Leidenheimer
Lee Bailey Memorial (Merritt Island FL; Jan. 22-24)	Charlene Cohen	56 players HQ. David Fournier (60) 1. Ivan Thomsen (105) 2. Tom Briski (70) 3. David Fournier (42) 3. Allen Hammacott (42)	32 players HQ. Rick Allen (24) 1. Rick Allen (40) 2. Jack Howsare (24)		<i>Friday:</i> Charlene Cohen <i>Saturday:</i> Ivan Thomsen

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Better Than Joe!

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

Tim Schnabel (GA)
Ron LaPointe (FL)

Milestones!

Send info about member birthdays ending in a zero two months in advance to cribbage@iserv.net or PO Box 313, Ada MI 49301-0313.

Happy Birthday in March 2016!

90—Edgar L. Munson Jr. (MO)

80—Fred Desnoyers (FL)

70—John Morch (NC)

70—Keith Miller (NC)

joyed traveling with her daughter, Carolyn Maston (also a member of Club 79). Velma will be missed.

Al Preli

Al Preli (Laguna Woods CA) has passed away. Al had been a member of Club 227 for more than ten years. He played for fun, always happy, win or lose. Al was a great painter and was the longstanding president of Laguna Woods Art Club. His many paintings hang in all the halls and rooms of many clubhouse walls. He sold a few here and there, and had put on many art exhibitions too.

Nick Rose Jr.

Nick Rose Jr. was 85 when he passed away on January 5 at his home in St. Joseph, MI. He was a member of Club 107. He enjoyed competing with friends while playing in our weekly as well as national tournaments. Nick proudly served in the US Navy aboard the USS *Perkins* in the Korean War. In high school he was known as a pugilist who won numerous competitions and culminated with the runner-up Golden Gloves Championship in his weight class in Michigan. His humor and pranks will be missed.

Rich Scott

Rich Scott (Carson City NV) was one of

the last real American cowboys. Born in eastern California, he grew up working cattle, roping wild mustangs and burros, hunting, fishing, and camping. He earned a Silver Star, a Bronze Star, and three Purple Hearts in combat as a Marine in Vietnam. He later sought adventure by teaching in rural Alaskan schools before beginning the real challenge of his life: teaching middle school kids. He cared deeply for his students, guiding them toward creative thinking and helping them connect with their emotions through literature. His funny routines and amusing antics kept the kids engaged in learning. For example, he had a stuffed hedgehog that students could put on their desks when they felt “prickly” so he wouldn’t tease them that day. Inspiring generations of students, he retired reluctantly after twenty-eight years. Never one to sit still, Rich engaged in the community by leading Boy Scouts, raising puppies for Guide Dogs for the Blind, and playing cribbage. He loved reading, camping, hiking, fishing, canoeing, and backpacking with his family all over the United States. He wrote poetry and essays about life. He was an extraordinary, loving, and dedicated husband, father, and son. He was beloved by many friends. His corny jokes and silly pranks will be greatly missed.

ACC *Awards*



As a kid, Dennis lost all of his allowance to his brother playing cribbage; since his brother won’t play him now, apparently Dennis has learned a lot since then. Dennis organized Club 261 in Edmonton AB many years ago and is now a member of Club 600. He has earned his Silver Award in Grass Roots play and has been champion at Clubs 204 and 261. He has won eleven sanctioned events, and his favorite tournament is at the Mill Casino in Oregon. Dennis says his toughest opponents are “newbies who don’t play their cards in a predictable manner”! Dennis’s non-cribbage interests include geo-caching.

Dennis Misenar
(Bremerton WA)
Life Master #221

Tourney Tidbits

Rollercoaster Any way you measure it, Master **Donald Urban** (Marengo IL) had a down-and-up-and-then-down-again weekend at the American Pride tourney in Marinette WI. On Friday night, he lost his first eight games but won his ninth to avoid a string of pearls. In the main, he won seventeen games, including ten in a row at one point, on his way to the #1 qualifying position. After a bye, he won the first two games in his second-round match, punctuated by a 28-hand in game three—and that was the end of his day. He lost the final three games of his match, and in the consolation, he accomplished what eluded him on Friday: a pearl necklace!

Girls Rule! (especially if your name is Beth) At Peg for the Border 2016 in La Mesa CA, Life Master (★) **Beth Woller** (Reno NV) was not only high qualifier, but she held off Grand Master **Michael Green** (Yuba City CA) in the finals to

win the tournament. The consolation was won by Master **Beth Fleischer** (Laguna Woods CA), who bested high qualifier Master **Dick Smeltz** (Winter Park CO). The doubles tournament was won by the team of **Kathryn Justyn** (Carlsbad CA) and Master **Barbara Stockham** (Snohomish WA). Well done, ladies! *submitted by Brenda Nason*

Skate On! **Cy Madrone** (Santa Barbara CA) may have earned his Life Master (2★) Award in cribbage, but he is still learning the youthful art of skateboarding. At least he came prepared for disaster at the La Mesa tourney!



It ain't over, 'til it's over! (or: there's always a chance!)

At the Winter Snowball Special in Maplewood MN on January 8–10, **Gene Mandler** (Little Canada MN) was playing newcomer **Troy Swanson** (Wayzata MN) in a playoff match. Gene was sitting in the dead hole needing just 1 point to win the game. Troy was dealing 10 points from the finish line and dealt Gene A-3-7-9-J-K. Gene kept A-3-7-9, Troy kept A-4-4-4, the cut card was a King, and the play went like this:

Gene	7	9	3	1		
Troy		4	4		4 (31-for-2)	1 (2-for-1)

The bad news was even though Gene was only 1 point from winning the game he could not peg or count 1 point, and Troy was able to pull out the win. The good news is that both players qualified for the playoff's. What cards would you have held in this situation, and how would you have handled the play?



RENO



Debra Lucas (Madras OR) won the JPW/ACC Open main in splendid fashion. After qualifying #62 with 31/15 +116, she marched through the first five rounds with little fanfare.

Her semifinal match against teenage phenom **Trevor Poole** (Crescent City CA) did, however, attract a huge crowd of bystanders. Even though the majority of the gawkers were rooting for Trevor, Debra maintained her composure—and sense of humor—as she forged a two-games-to-none lead. Trevor fought back gamely and tied the match to force a deciding, fifth game.

With Trevor slightly behind, back-to-back nickel cuts propelled Debra to the victory. The first 5 gave her a 16-hand, and the next 5 gave her a 24-hand and 6-crib to punch her ticket for the finals. While some might say that Debra won this match *only* because she got two lucky cuts, as with all players, you have to be skillful to be in



This photo appeared in the April 2015 CW courtesy of Debra Lucas (Madras OR). Since she won the tourney this year, it seemed only appropriate to reprint the photo to showcase Debra's photographic skills.

Reno Attendance, 2007–2016

event	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
TOC	564	544	548	494	520	506	482	452	458	436
Cribbage Bowl	548	600	646	530	532	480	532	454	420	432
ACC Open main	964	1,016	986	858	892	812	788	748	748	714
ACC Open con	748	794	746	648	670	616	570	568	538	494
total players:	2,824	2,954	2,926	2,530	2,614	2,414	2,372	2,222	2,164	2,076

a position to take advantage of good luck. Debra played well and certainly deserved to be in the finals.

For the first time ever, the final match in the ACC Open main featured two players from the same hometown: **Madras, Oregon**. The route of Grand Master **Marty Symons** to the finals was tough, as he had to fight through two Life Masters (★), a Life Master, and a Grand Master.

In the quarterfinals he was playing 27-year-old **Jordan Hammond** (Des Moines IA), which would have been a good match to watch and news in itself—if, that is, everyone in the room hadn't been watching the even younger **Trevor Poole** (Crescent City CA) in his quarterfinal match against **Ronald Reid** (Burbank CA).

In the semifinals, after falling behind Life Master (★) **Todd Schaefer** (Oakdale MN) two games to nil, Marty fought back

and tied the match. A fortuitous 24-hand on fourth street in the final game sealed his semifinal victory.

Fast forward to the deciding game of the finals. Debra is dealing in short position at the start of fourth street and isn't holding much of a hand. Marty is in need of points near the end of third street. When the first round of pegging goes 3-3-3, Marty's fate is sealed.

In 2012 Life Master (★) **Jeanne Jelke** (Redding CA) became the first female to win the ACC Open main. In becoming the second female winner in a five-year span, Debra is filling some big shoes.

The thrill of victory, the agony of defeat—all of this goes into making an exciting match for participants and observers alike. Congrats to Debra, Marty, Trevor, Todd, and all the other players in Reno this year. **CW**

RENO

Top Ten Reno Qualifiers x Four

	ACC Open Main	ACC Open Consolation	TOC	Cribbage Bowl
1	Jack Moritzky (38/18 +295)	Frank Klerman (18/9 +112)	Don Thienel (30/14 +221)	Reese Gannon (23/10 +169)
2	Brian Roudabush (38/17 +152)	Rick Baird (18/8 +168)	Bob Joslin (29/14 +228)	Alan Vredeveid (22/11 +128)
3	Jason Thornton (37/17 +323)	Andy Reddish (18/8 +138)	Allen Karr (28/13 +165)	Craig Nason (22/11 +121)
4	Barbara Stockham (37/17 +228)	Danella Royal (18/8 +128)	Marilyn Steele (28/13 +140)	Haley Hintze (22/10 +193)
5	Liz Krause (37/17 +210)	Kathy Pacocha (18/7 +138)	Lee Dillon (27/13 +190)	Steven Steinmetz (22/10 +155)
6	Rick Allen (37/17 +209)	Troy Thorson (17/8 +161)	Mary Skole (27/13 +144)	Alice Souza (22/10 +143)
7	Dennis Faist (37/17 +207)	Valerie Nozick (17/8 +160)	Beth Woller (27/13 +113)	Date Newberry (22/10 +137)
8	Phil Martin (37/16 +309)	David Vee (17/8 +120)	Jason Eck (27/12 +180)	Dave Leissner (22/10 +114)
9	Bob Prochnow (37/16 +230)	Scott Fritz (17/8 +102)	Angelo Torrise (27/12 +134)	Monica Hunt (21/10 +136)
10	Bryant Gilkeson (36/17 +190)	Floryan Sowinski (17/8 +97)	Rick Baird (27/12 +132)	Ronald Jensen (21/10 +74)



Flashback from the April 2015 CW

Life Master (2★) **Jack Moritzky** (WA) performs well on Reno's big stage. He was high qualifier in the 2015 TOC (see below), and this year he claimed top honors in the ACC Open main with 38/18 +295.




Moritzky, Jack
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Game #	Game Points	Spread Points		Opponent	
		(+)	(-)	Initials	ID Number
1	2	03		JB	B14
2	2	15		GT	B18
3	2	11		AV	22
4	2	05		FR	26
5	3	49		W	30
6	2	05		LL	24
7	2	20		FLS	13-4
8	3	52		DAB	28
9	0	11		EM	12
10	0	05		RO	16
11	2	07		SC	20
12	2	20		AK	36
13	2	26		KN	28
14	2	07		FC	37
15	2	21		220	2
16	2	26		905	6
Total Game Points	30	270	76	GAME POINTS	
Games Won	14	254		Net Points (+/-)	

Player must verify totals and sign accepting above figures as per TOC rules.
Signature  

TOC

For the first time ever, the TOC and ACC Open were open to youth players. By all accounts, this long-awaited move was a roaring success. Three youth players attended these tourneys. Tristan Bacoch (Sacramento CA) didn't qualify in Reno, but acquitted himself well at the Redding tournament the weekend before. Ian Symons (Madras OR) missed qualifying in the TOC by spread points and then qualified #54 in the main (with 32/13 +191) before losing in the third round to another "kid": Life Master (2★) Erik Locke (Wood Village OR).

The big story, however, was turned in by Trevor Poole (Crescent City CA). This fifteen-year-old has been playing Grass Roots cribbage since 2011 and has taken second place in his club the past two years.

Trevor learned to play cribbage at seven years old and at age thirteen told his dad he wanted to play in tournaments. "You're not ready," his dad said, so Trevor mentored under some of the best Western Region players: Tom Langford, Duane Toll, Jerry Oxford, Rick Shea, and Tom Cookman. Obviously Trevor learned the game well!

He qualified #34 in the main, with a 33/15 +205 scorecard, which earned him a first-round bye. He then faced—and beat—five experienced players on his way to the semifinals:

- Peter Legendre (Pittston ME)
- Nancy Rojas (Citrus Heights CA)
- Roger Dickinson (Olalla WA)
- Thomas West (Antioch CA)
- Ronald Reid (Burbank CA)

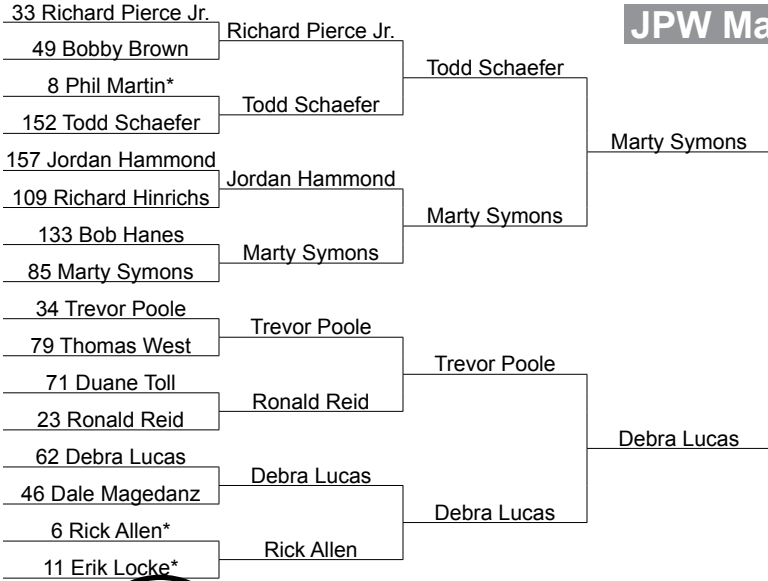
Trevor exhibited both skill and confidence in his first trip to Reno. Here is but one example. In game four of his quarterfinal match against Ron Reid, Trevor (leading two games to one) had first count from hole 107, with Ron dealing from hole 95. Trevor was dealt 3-4-5-9-9-Q. With the self-assurance of a much more experience player, Trevor coolly tossed 9-9 to Ron's crib, immediately recognizing that holding 3-4-5-Q was his best chance to win the game on this deal.

He pegged two points with this hand, and had he gotten a favorable cut (3 or 5) would have won the game. Unfortunately for him, the 6-cut gave Ron a 16-hand and 6-crib, but Trevor's daring toss showed why he was playing deep into the playoffs. He would go on to beat Ron in the fifth game to advance to a semifinal showdown with Debra Lucas (Madras OR).

Trevor lost the first two games to Debra, but kept playing strong and won the next two games to force a fifth and deciding game. He was slightly behind, but back-to-back 5-cuts did him in. It was a great match, and an absolutely fantastic run for Trevor.

Congrats to Trevor! We all wish you much success in the years ahead.

JPW Main Final 16

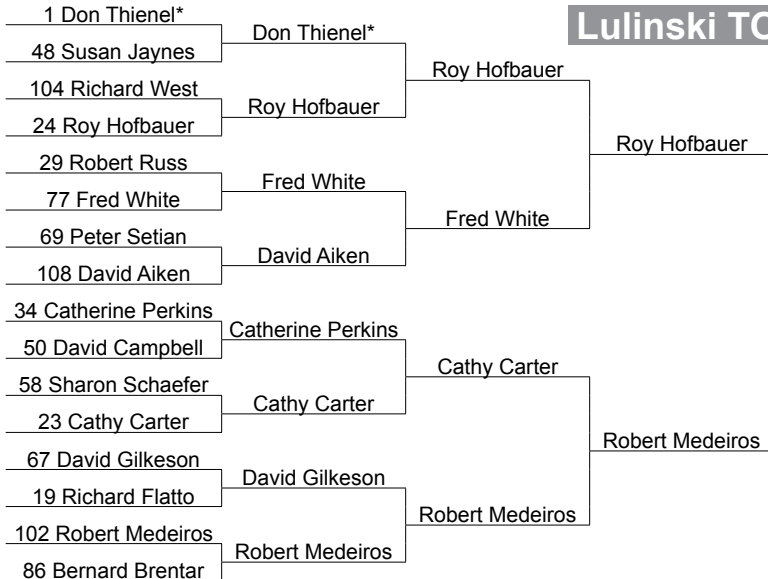


DEBRA LUCAS
champion



R E N O *Playoffs*

Lulinski TOC Final 16

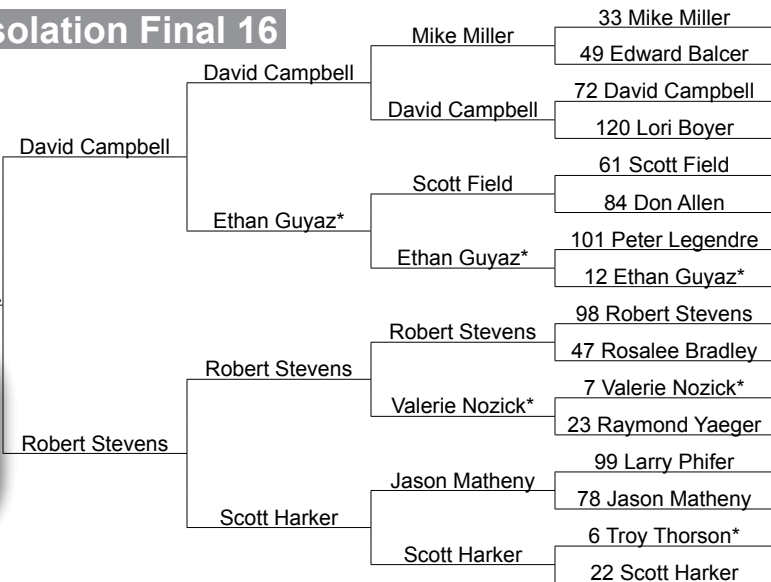


ROBERT MEDEIROS
champion



JPW Consolation Final 16

DAVID CAMPBELL
champion



* = top 16 qualifier who finished in the top 16

Life Master
 (★) David Campbell (Parsonsfield ME) has a history of *almost* winning the ACC Open consolation. In back-to-back years, he took second place, finishing behind Don Thienel (Omaha NE) in 2010 and behind Life Master (★) Chris McComas (Kelso WA) in 2011. This year he won the second biggest tournament of the year by besting Robert Stevens (Ridgefield WA) in the consolation finals.



Marty Symons
ACC Open Runner-Up



Bob Stevens
Consolation Runner-Up



Roy Hofbauer
TOC Runner-Up

top 4 R E N O scorecards

16 NE 384 J4

ACC GAME SCORECARD

Name: Thienel, Don ACC # _____
City: Omaha NE State: _____

Game #	Game Points	Spread Points		Opponent	
		(+)	(-)	Initials	ID Number
1	2	30		WR	53
2	2	03		WPG	51
3	2	06		W	29
4	2	12		WPO	25
5	2	17		JH	021
6	2	25		Her. J	J-17
7	3	42		W	13
8	2	26		W	54
9	2	20		W	15
10	2	09		W	J-31
11	-		20	W	531
12	2	05		W	J27
13	2	16		W	23
14	2	07		W	J-15
15	-		11	W	J-15
16	3	34		W	11

Total Game Points	30	(+) 252	(-) 31	GAME POINTS
Games Won	14	Net Points (+)		

Player must verify totals and sign accepting above figures as correct

Signature: Don Thienel

16 NE 384 J4

ACC GAME SCORECARD

Name: Gannon, Reese ACC # _____
City: Idaho Falls ID State: _____

Game #	Game Points	Spread Points		Opponent	
		(+)	(-)	Initials	ID Number
1	0		11	W	Q-6
2	2	09		W	04
3	0		15	MB	Q2
4	3	38		W	Q31
5	3	32		W	Q24
6	2	25		W	1
7	3	33		W	25
8	2	01		W	23
9	2	05		W	21
10	2	30		W	19
11	2	20		W	17
12	2	02		W	Q15

Total Game Points	23	(+) 195	(-) 26	GAME POINTS
Games Won	10	Net Points (+)		

Player must verify totals and sign accepting above figures as correct

Signature: Reese Gannon

TOC

CRIBBAGE BOWL

Master **Troy Thorson** (Loveland CO) won the 2016 ACC Challenge, by posting the best combined score of 83/38 for the Grand National, TOC, and ACC Open. Second place went to Life Master (★) **Allen Karr** (Green Bay WI) with 80/37 and third to Life Master (2★) **Donna LaFleur** (Bristol CT) with 79/36.

ACC AMERICAN CRIBBAGE CONGRESS *Sands Regency*
 Casino Hotel Downtown in WA
 WA 521
Moritzky, Jack
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 Site _____

Game #	Game Points	Spread Points		Opponent	
		(+)	(-)	Initials	ID Number
1	2	22		MF	Y-11
2	0		14	app	9
3	2	12		DL	7
4	0		14	DL	5
5	2	12		DL	3
6	2	16		DL	40
7	0		26	LM	38
8	0		14	VB	436
9	2	12		MM	34
10	2	10		DL	33
11	2	26		DL	41
12	2	01		DL	38
13	2	17		DL	26
14	2	19		DL	24
15	2	30		JPS	22
16	2	19		TC	20
17	3	42		Cal	18
18	2	25		DL	16
19	2	29		MB	14
20	3	35		DL	12
21	2	26		PK	10
22	2	16		mm	4-8
Total Game Points	38	(+) 363	(-) 69	Games Won 18	
Games Won	18	Net Points (+) 294			

ACC AMERICAN CRIBBAGE CONGRESS *Sands Regency*
 Casino Hotel Downtown in WA
 CA 5545
Kiernan, Frank
 Name San Pablo CA
 City _____

Game #	Game Points	Spread Points		Opponent	
		(+)	(-)	Initials	ID Number
1	2	16		PH	24
2	2	02		DL	20
3	2	16		DL	20
4	2	22		LM	418
5	2	17		RS	16
6	2	14		DL	14
7	2	06		DL	12
8	2	10		DL	10
9	2	09		DL	8
Total Game Points	18	(+) 112	(-) 0	Games Won 9	
Games Won	9	Net Points (+) 112			



Player must verify totals and sign accepting above figures as correct
 Signature *Jack Moritzky*



Player must verify totals and sign accepting above figures as correct
 Signature *Frank Kiernan*

ACC OPEN

CONSOLATION

RENO

stories

- ★ Best bad beat story for not qualifying. Grand Master **Paul Gregson** (Antioch CA) ended with 26/13 in the ACC Open main and lost one game when he was the pone from 4 out with the dealer 7 out. He held 5-8-J-Q (discard: 6-K), and the play went like this:

Paul	8	Q	"go"			
Dealer		K	A		A (for 2)	A (for 8)

- ★ The cribbage gods giveth, and they also taketh away! In the eighteenth game of the main, Grand Master **Artland Ka'ai** (Costa Mesa CA) was 20 points out with first count and his opponent was in hole 116. Art held 5-5-10-K, and the 5-cut gave him 20 points. His opponent pegged only 4, which gave Art the victory and qualification for the playoffs. By contrast, in the fourth round of the main playoffs, both Art and **Jordan Hammond** (Des Moines IA) were on fourth street in their fifth and final game. Jason was dealing from hole 105; with first count from hole 115, Art could muster only four points plus a go, which landed him in the dead hole. As it turned out, Jason got the perfect cut (2 of Hearts) to win the game and match.
- ★ Master **Richard Hinrichs** (Redding CA) qualified with six wins and six skunks (30 GPs) in the main. Then he went four rounds to make the sweet sixteen!
- ★ Checklist for Life Master **Ron Logan** (Meridian ID) to avoid BOD meeting:
 - √ on Tuesday, ask wife, **Laurie**, to "Google heart attack when you have the time"!
 - √ have heart attack
 - √ get admitted to Susanville hospital
 - √ ride in fancy ambulance to Reno hospital
 - √ have two stents put in
 - √ miss the BOD meeting on Thursday
 - √ get elected to the HOF
 - √ get out of hospital
 - √ attend BOD reception
 - √ play cribbage all weekend
 - √ celebrate thirtieth wedding anniversary

Play-ers at the Redding, Susanville, Reno, and Topaz tournaments donated \$528, two trophy boards, and six sets of pegs to youth cribbage. Thanks to **Don "Grumpy" Howard** (Orangevale CA) for spearheading this donation drive.

head-to-head in the TOC FINALS



The TOC finals featured **Rob Roy**. No, not the Scottish outlaw turned folk hero; not the 1995 film featuring Liam Neeson and Jessica Lange; and certainly not the cocktail invented in 1894 and made with Scotch whisky. Rather, this Rob Roy showcased two Life Masters (2★) from opposite sides of the continent: **Rob Medeiros** from Dorchester MA and **Roy Hofbauer** from Washougal WA. The results of the finals corresponded to the name of the drink and hero, with Rob coming first.

Twelve players qualified in all three playoff events in Reno—the TOC, the JPW/ACC Open main, and the JPW/ACC Open consolation. Here are their names, listed in order of best overall qualifying rank:

player	combined rank	TOC		Main		Consolation	
		rank & score	rank & score	rank & score	rank & score		
Allen Karr (WI)	63	3 28/13 +165	43 32/15 +258	17 16/7 +119			
Rick Baird (OR)	94	10 27/12 +132	82 30/14 +191	2 18/8 +168			
Bruce McGillivray (CA)	114	26 24/11 +169	24 34/16 +197	64 14/6 +64			
Jerry Hardy (ME)	115	14 26/12 +162	77 31/13 +144	24 15/7 +144			
Peter Setian (MA)	135	69 22/9 +83	12 36/16 +298	54 14/6 +98			
Jack Moritzky (WA)	149	59 22/10 +89	1 38/18 +295	89 13/6 +31			
Doug Page (WI)	175	43 23/11 +46	15 35/17 +180	117 12/6 +23			
Peggy Shea (CA)	197	74 21/10 +91	32 33/16 +129	91 13/6 +30			
David Campbell (ME)	256	50 22/11 +101	134 29/13 +133	72 13/6 +87			
Elmer Rasmussen (WA)	268	51 22/11 +96	135 29/13 +125	82 13/6 +59			
Gary McCuskey (TX)	308	55 22/10 +155	144 29/13 +58	109 12/6 +44			
Robert Medeiros (MA)	355	102 20/10 +67	153 28/13 +132	100 12/6 +71			

A game between **Diane Lundahl** (Saint Paul MN) and Life Master (★) **Jeanne Hofbauer** (Washougal WA) in the main event featured a Heart flush for Diane, a Diamond flush for Jeanne, and a Club flush with matching cut card in the crib!

RENO

Eastern Region All Stars Romp

Led by team captain **Larry Phifer**, the Eastern All Stars won the 26th annual All Star Competition, played in Reno on Thursday evening before the TOC and JPW/ACC Open. The Eastern team won this year's tourney in a runaway, winning 81 games versus 68 for the Western team and a measly 43 for the Central.

The victorious Eastern All Star team was composed of the following players:

- Life Master (2★) **Larry Phifer** (Raleigh NC)
- Life Master (★) **David Campbell** (Parsonsfield ME)
- Master **Cynthia Wark** (Exeter NH)
- Grand Master **Jerry Hardy** (Topsham ME)
- Life Master (2★) **Donna LaFleur** (Bristol CT)
- Life Master **Robert Milk** (Essex Junction VT)
- Life Master (2★) **Robert Medeiros** (Dorchester MA)
- Life Master (★) **William Shoemaker** (Bloomfield CT)

On an individual basis, **Jerry Hardy** took first place with 28/12 +150; Life Master (★) **Tom Langford** (McKinleyville CA) was second; **David Campbell** was third; and **Donna LaFleur** was fourth.

The Central and Eastern Regions are now tied for the series lead, with ten victories each, versus six wins for the Western Region.

BOD Meeting Quick Takes

- After soliciting and reviewing bids from four properties in Reno (Sands, Golden Nugget, Peppermill, and the combined Silver Legacy/El Dorado/Circus Circus), the BOD approved a four-year contract with the Sands; here are the official dates for the TOC and ACC Open for the next four years:
 - March 3–5, 2017
 - March 2–4, 2018
 - March 1–3, 2019
 - March 6–8, 2020
- Life Master **Catherine Perkins** (Bear Creek NC) was appointed director emeritus.
- Life Master **Ron Logan** (Meridian ID) was elected to the HOF.
- Many changes were approved for the **new ACC rulebook**, which will be published in time to go into effect on August 1. A program is in place to recertify judges.
- The term **Q-pool** was re-redefined to allow a smaller ratio than 1-in-4, but all tournament flyers must indicate the *type of pool* (equal, graduated, stair-step, hybrid) and the *payout ratio*.

25 Years Ago in the ACC

The cover of the March 1991 *Cribbage World* announced the Reno results: Sydney Balows (then from Santa Maria CA, now living in Little River CA) won the ACC Open main; Deb Schisel (Waupaca WI—now Deb Kvien, living in Mundelein IL) won the consolation; Walter Krentz (Milwaukee WI) won the TOC main; and Ken King (Reading MA) won the TOC consolation.

Elsewhere we read that California membership topped 1,000; today it stands at 1,097 (by mailing address).



Unless otherwise noted, all Reno photos in this issue are by Rick Westerman (Wenatchee WA)

1. Jerry Newhouse (WI): Northwoods Tournament (Oct. 31)
2. Curtis Barbour (NC): Pre-Turkey Shootout (Nov. 23)
3. Bob Cucarola (CO): Mountain View Challenge (Dec. 12)
4. Brad Behm (WI): Wisconsin Dells Deal (Jan. 2)

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The Inside Track by Rob Medeiros

It is first hand of the game: you are the dealer holding 2-3-4-10 and throw 6-7 into your crib. The opponent leads a King. What do you play?

I play the 10 here. If the pone has three picture cards and a 5, you will be able to lead your 3 on your second play and get a cheap 15. So you will probably outpeg him 3-to-1.

The big bonanza comes if he has 4-5-6-K. After you make the count 20, he will probably play his 6 for 26, trying to save his five in case you have all pictures. You then play your 4 for 30 and eventually get a four card run on the second pegging sequence for a 6-0 pegging outcome—the pleasure of careful planning!

Since Life Master (2★) Rob Medeiros (Dorchester MA) won the 2016 TOC in Reno, you might wanna start paying attention to his column. Send questions and comments to him at mrob2199@aol.com.

Cribbage Board of the Month

BY JAY FULWIDER

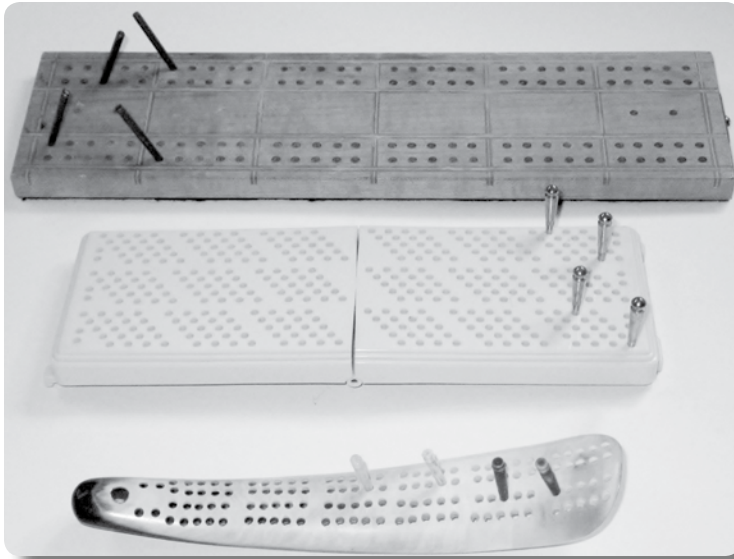
This month I am featuring three unique boards that have one thing in common: they are all very hard to play on.

The top board is a standard wood, twice around, board. It is nicely made with narrow strips of wood inlays that are about 1/8" deep. The inlays delineate the groups of five peg holes. The only problem, as

1946. It is a three-player board that zig-zags up the groups of five holes. It is a 121 point board, but trying to figure out board position or a skunk is difficult.

The last board I made. I just like unusual boards and didn't have any need for this shoehorn. I played one game on it and that was enough. It is very tipsy.

Over the years, many people have asked me why I collect cribbage boards. Other than I like it, I have never had a real good answer. Recently, my wife came across an answer by Gretchen Rubin, author of *The Happiness Project*. She says: "A collection provides a mission, a reason to visit new



you can see, is that the holes are drilled at angles. It looks rather cool, but really takes some getting used to.

The middle board was manufactured by Kencroft Associates of Buffalo NY. It was even patented; the patent (no. D-144.417) was issued to Ralph T. Rycroft on April 9,

places, the excitement of the chase, a field of expertise (no matter how trivial), and often, a bond with other people." She said it sounded like fun, and I can vouch that it is. **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).

New Members

57 in January

Alaska

Lisa K. Judson (Juneau)

Arizona

Ann Marie Bush (Apache Junction)

British Columbia

Wayne Jensen (Surrey)

California

Jeff Chambers (Woodland)
Susan Diamond (Los Gatos)
Eydie Mathews (Carmichael)
David Rideout (Santa Clara)
Donald Robinson (Fresno)
Michael Simmons (Los Angeles)
Doyle Stroud (Red Bluff)
Michael Van Hook (Meadow Vista)

Georgia

David Brooks (Alpharetta)

Idaho

Dennis Huett (Parma)
Mary Huett (Parma)

Illinois

John R. Jones Jr. (Beach Park)
David W. Kincannon (Fairview Heights)
Verlynn Schmale (Wausau)
Bob Soucie (Saint Anne)
Jim Van Duyn (Westville)

Indiana

Pete McEwen (Fishers)

Iowa

Ron Rochon (Urbandale)

Maine

Jackie Campbell (Glenburn)
Ann Marie Dalton (Hampden)
Kelly Eager (Lincoln)
Marvin Garrick (Bangor)
Leo J. Goodin (Holden)
Darlene Sage (Lincoln)
Bob Williams (Bangor)
Joseph Yates (Levant)

Michigan

Douglas R. Hillman (Essexville)

Minnesota

Burt Doucette (Lino Lakes)
Jeffrey Stevens (Saint Paul)
Ann Thurnblad-Zirbes (Corcoran)
Judy Truhler (Hinckley)
Abigail Ulstad (Minneapolis)
Matthew Ulstad (Minneapolis)

Missouri

Linda Murray (O'Fallon)

Nebraska

Chris Rama (Chadron)

Nevada

Jeff Gertken (Lovelock)
Gary G. Hill (Lovelock)

North Carolina

Leanne Bartelt (Hickory)

Oregon

Tim Lea (Junction City)

South Dakota

Joe Martian (Utica)
Robert L. Nesland (Rapid City)
Jeffrey R. Reed (Madison)
Robert Schunneman (Sioux Falls)
William C. West (Sioux Falls)

Tennessee

Pat Langford-Kenney (Oak Ridge)

Texas

M. Karen Crutcher (Flower Mound)
Shelly Todd (Midland)
Kristen Vergin (Dallas)

Virginia

Tina Ussia (Virginia Beach)

Washington

Meri Hall (Gig Harbor)
Larry Ward (East Wenatchee)

Wisconsin

Rob Burke (Milwaukee)
L. Rickert (Green Bay)
Ben Thiel (New Richmond)

CW Contest #14 Results

Seven people submitted all eight correct answers to CW Contest #14 in the December 2015 *Cribbage World*. The winner of a \$50 Chipotle gift card, chosen at random from the correct entries, was **Paul Gregson** (Antioch CA). Other correct entries were submitted by **Mary Bearss** (Wyoming MI), **Jim & Kathy Blough** (Kentwood MI), **Victoria Drinka** (Waukegan IL), **Marty Froomin** (Fremont CA), and **Wayne Morris** (Fremont CA). For those of you wondering which item you missed, here are the answers, with the specific word containing the letters C-R-I-B-B-A-G-E in bold:

- C** Pirates of the **Caribbean**
- R** **Star Wars**
- I** The Adventures of **Indiana Jones**
- B** **ABC** (American **Broadcasting** Company)
- B** **IMDb** (Internet Movie **Database**)
- A** **M*A*S*H** (Mobile **Army Surgical Hospital**)
- G** Forrest **Gump**
- E** **ESPN** (**Entertainment** and Sports Programming Network)

GAME ON

by Dan Zeisler



Youth Teaching Tip

Getting new players to understand the concept of identifying runs during the pegging process can be challenging. I often watch kids miss points during this part of the game, as well as set up their opponents by playing cards that lead into unprotected runs. I have come up with two ways to help kids become more aware of seeing runs. One thing I do is offer a raffle ticket for any student who gets a run during the pegging process. Now they are looking for runs! At the end of the session, I raffle off a deck of cards or a similar small prize. The second thing I do is have kids play a game of cribbage with the objective of trying to lose the game. First one to cross onto third street is the loser. They are encouraged to try to lure their opponents into runs while pegging. This motivates kids to pay more attention to runs and hopefully get into the habit of recognizing them.

Youth News

James Morrow (Yakima WA) is working with the local Boy Scout Council to promote youth cribbage. What an excellent idea! I hope some of you out there might consider following suit (pun intended).

A presentation to adopt a youth master point system was made to the ACC board at their February meeting in Reno. Details will appear in the April *Cribbage World*.

Teaching Manuals

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

- **Alan Turin** (Hartford CT)
- **James Morrow** (Yakima WA)

Dan Zeisler is founder of Sierra Youth Cribbage Tournament. Send info about youth cribbage to 530.274.3124 or danthefan@yahoo.com.

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The President's Column

by Jeanne Hofbauer



Having just returned from the ACC's biggest weekend of the year in Reno, during which the Syl Lulinski Tournament of Champions and the JPW/ACC Open are conducted, I am convinced that the American Cribbage Congress is in pretty good shape. Even though our numbers are smaller than they were at one time, I really do feel that we are still attracting new members and retaining a large percentage of our existing membership.

Attrition due to aging and its various consequences is to be expected in an organization where seniors abound. It is harder to pinpoint why members do not renew or new people who give us a try never return. And then there are those prospective members we need to attract.

Our Public Relations committee works on promoting the ACC. They are constantly working on new ideas to get our name "out there." They are currently working on promotion through social media, as well as other concepts.

But I think that the biggest thing *we* need to do (and I mean *we*, as in *all of us*) is to treat everyone we play against or come into contact with, whether it be in Grass Roots or weekday/weekend tour-

naments, with courtesy and respect. Let's face it, if you are new to this organization and are treated poorly, why should you come back? We also need to be respectful to our current members regardless of our differences. We should make the experience worth coming back for. It needs to be good, friendly competition in an atmosphere of camaraderie.

We need to be a reason *why* someone gets in a car, train, or airplane and travels for hours to get to us. We need to be a reason *why* they get out of the comfort of their home to come out and play with us. We need to be a reason *why* they spend their disposable income on our entry fees and membership cost. We need to be a reason *why* they spend their precious vacation days on our events.

We need to use our best social skills and practice appreciation and acknowledgment. Treat every stranger politely. After all, every friend you now have was once a stranger. And it is unpredictable for you to know which of the strangers you meet will become your friend.

Courtesy costs nothing, but can buy everything.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jeanne".



Grass Roots

Corner

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

I am happy to introduce **Michael Barrett** (Wisconsin Rapids WI) as the new Grass Roots Corner columnist. Mike is a long-time ACC member, having played his first tourney in 1979. An ACC Master, he won the MGM consolation in Green Bay WI in 1989, but he's still looking for his first main win.

Mike is a Silver Award holder, thrice a champion at Club 120 in Wisconsin Rapids, and is the only player in Club 120 history (maybe in all of Grass Roots?) to have posted eight grand slams. Mike's one 29-hand and more than twenty 28-hands are also objects of envy.

Mike has written over 150 racing articles and many auction advice pieces (he works at the family-owned Barrett's Auctions). I look forward to some creative and collaborative work from Mike in the years ahead. Send stories about your club to Mike at ACCgrassrootscorner@gmail.com.

Western New York Club 5 (Hamburg NY)—our newest member (who never played before this season) **Paula Shank** again earned GRPs. **Jim Klinger** missed a string of pearls by winning his last game. **Bill Poole** missed a grand slam by one game, which was a skunk by Paula! The night ended with over half of the club members earning GRPs, and there were ten skunks on the night. The next week Paula shined again; she not only made 12 points, but did it with four skunks! *submitted by Merry Coburn*



Cribbadiers Club 20 (Hickory NC)—we have had lots of good cards recently at our Tuesday tourneys. On December 1 **Bob Hadley** got a grand slam. On December 15 **Louise LaMons** got a 28-hand. On December 29 one of our newer players, **Martha Conrad**, got her first 28-hand. What a thrill for her. On January 12 **LeAnne Bartelt** visited our club. She had never played with a Grass Roots group before, and that night she got a grand slam! On January 19 **Larry Parker** got another 28-hand. The rest of our club members are hoping they get their turn with these very good cards! Cribbage is fun, but the big hands add some extra excitement to the evening. *submitted by Carole Reising*



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Grass Roots Corner—continued from page 27

Burbank Bombers Club 257 (Burbank CA) has three lucrative side pots for players to strive for each week: a 29-hand gets you all of the skunk pot money, a 28-hand gets you half of the skunk pot money, and a grand slam garners \$75. **Kent Downs**, our 2013–14 club champion, finally got a 28-hand on January 21. The last 28-hand was held by current champion **Pierre Olivier** on October 8, 2014. Kent also had the last grand slam, on March 15, 2014. The 29-hand has been the most elusive. Director **Ron Reid** got that gem on November 15, 2006! Keep on pegging, you might be the next lucky player. *submitted by Ron Reid*

Gold Country Cribbers Club 306 (El Dorado Hills CA)—**Brock Lee**, a member of Travelers Club 600, had a 29-hand at our club on December 30. *submitted by Van Ray*

Placer Peggers Club 190 (Auburn CA)—on January 25 **Jackie Freitas** got her first 28-hand, in her first year with our club! *submitted by Gerald Del Agostino*

Hematite Club 368 (Ishpeming MI)—on January 27 **Don Salo** excitingly got a 29-hand—a first for our club. Don also had a 29-hand in February 2013 in Green Bay WI. Don was wearing a jacket on January 27 that he ordered in 2013, and the cards on the back of the jacket were the exact same hand he won with. It was his night! On January 27 **Bob Sibley** got a grand slam. *submitted by Penny Strongman*



GrassRoots Awards

SILVER

Richard Anderson (WA), 204
Mattie Bradshaw (GA), 144
Tom Gallagher (WI), 157
Frank Hanson (WA), 198
Boyd Horne (CA), 27
Jerry Newhouse (WI), 90
Rudolph Rogutich (WI), 6
Michael Watson (OR), 62

BRONZE

Barbara Cameron (CA), 205
Mike Clapper (WA), 39
Thomas Clements (WI), 1
John Garman (AZ), 600
Wayne Goreski (BC), 309
Creighton Lee (HI), 110
John Mealy (OR), 118
Rich Patino (NV), 360
Karl Russo (CT), 26
Nick Vowell (OR), 38
Dennis Wagner (AB), 261
Jeff Wussow (WI), 157
Robert Zahn (CA), 43

Club 261 (Edmonton AB)—congrats to newcomer **Debbie Willard** on scoring her first lifetime Grass Root points in week 23. It took her fifteen valiant attempts, but she finally toughed it out with a 12/5 card. Debbie had recently promised to bring cake the week following her first points, and it goes to show this club never turns down free food! **Lorne Tanton** scored his second 28-hand of the season on February 3, giving him a commanding lead in prize money won this year. *submitted by Gary Wirth*

Pahrump Peggery Club 360 (Pahrump NV)—congratulations to **Lee Nelson**, who scored his first 29-hand, and the second for our club since we began in 2008. Ironically, Lee held this hand while playing **Patty Crooks**, who achieved the club's first 29-hand on May 30, 2013. Additional irony: both 29s were with the J-5 of hearts! *submitted by Denise Fortin*



Box Car Peggery Club 371 (Citrus Heights CA)—on December 12 **Keith Johnson** got a 28-hand. And on February 1, two members got 28-hands within minutes of each other: **Mark Linkiewicz**, who currently is in first place in our club, and **Charles Elrod**, who last year was voted Club Rookie of the Year. *submitted by Alan Peterson*

Pacific Coast Peggery Club 150 (Vista CA) “scored” a new playing venue. After outgrowing our former digs, we moved to the Vista Entertainment Center. It was not a moment too soon, as thirty-one players showed up the first night. The private room is more suited for a cribbage group, and all of the players liked the new venue, which is easily accessible from the freeway. Congratulations to new club director **Kathryn Justyn** for the first win at the new location. Outgoing director **Roy Cook** would like to thank Kathryn for assuming the duties and **Dennis Kondor**, **Nicki Newvine**, **Andrea Wadds**, and **Mike Zawacki** for stepping up and helping Kathryn. The club would also like to thank club members **Skip Smith**, **Debbie Watters**, and **Mike Zawacki** for

their donations to Dan Zeisler's Junior Program. *submitted by Roy Cook*

Kelowna Club 309 (Kelowna BC)—after playing cribbage for over seventy years, with an estimated 22,000 lifetime games, to her joy and her club members too, **Dot Hauk** scored her first ever 29-hand on February 3. **Frank**, her husband of sixty-three years, is not left out either, leading the club in points for several weeks this season. This delightful couple, keen competitive players and founding members of Kelowna Cribbage Club, proudly wear their Bronze Award rings. *submitted by Gerry Klein*

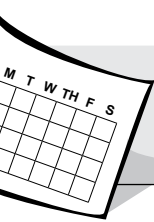
Alaska Club 177 (Anchorage AK)—February was *hot* for Alaska #177. On February 3 **Toya Winton** scored the club's second 29-hand. On February 4 **Arlene Carle** visited Lincoln Cribbage Club 127 (Newport OR) and managed to eek out an 18/9 +96 grand slam. And on February 17 first-year player **Evelyn Hills** turned in a fabulous 18/9 +138 grand slam. Alaska Ladies Rock! *submitted by Hank & Arlene Carle*



Kathy Thompson
(Helena MT)
Gold #62

Kathy is self-taught when it comes to cribbage, and she obviously had a good teacher! A longtime member of Helena Club 25, she has been club champion four times. On January 5, the night she earned her Gold, she beat the first-place and second-

place players. Her toughest opponent is Dick Lewis, and Walter Conell is her cribbage mentor. Away from the cribbage board, she enjoys bingo, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren. The only time she held a 29-hand was when she was teaching a friend how to play.



SANCTIONED Tournaments MRPs

as of February 8

Western Region			Central Region			Eastern Region		
<i>MRPs</i>	<i>name</i>		<i>MRPs</i>	<i>name</i>		<i>MRPs</i>	<i>name</i>	
1	875	Roland Hall	1	835	David Aiken	1	739	Donna LaFleur
2	755	Duane Toll	2	734	Haley Hintze	2	690	William Shoemaker
3	628	Beth Woller	3	647	Doug Page	3	444	Jack Howsare
4	488	Bob Bartosh	4	524	Arthur Loveland	4	408	Keith Widener
5	477	Michael McCammon	5	477	Gerald Gruber	5	396	David Fournier
6	432	Robert Brumley	6	461	Edward Balcer	6	386	Peter Legendre
7	399	Clay Lindgren	6	461	Terry Weber	7	384	Robert Milk
8	383	Erik Royland Locke	8	456	Emilio Perez	8	365	Cynthia Wark
9	379	Jeanne Jelke	9	439	Brad Behm	9	349	Jim Lunder
10	362	Ronald Morgan	10	384	Patrick Healey	10	348	Mike Fetchel
11	352	Troy Thorson	11	373	Wayne Steinmetz	11	334	John Campanella
12	325	Edward Angell	12	359	Bob Kiley	12	325	Terrance Cushman Jr.
13	312	Pamela Pomeroy	13	334	Clay Collier	13	304	Michael Burnham
14	297	Todd Malmgren	14	332	Allen Karr	14	299	David Statz
15	288	Jeremy Krieger	15	324	Jason Matheny	15	297	Lee Dillon
16	287	Tom Langford	16	295	Richard Frost	16	277	Richard West
17	285	James Langley	17	288	Tom Briski	17	275	Richard Andrew
18	278	Roger Wilson	18	286	Dan Selke	18	270	Peter Grant
19	274	Cy Madrone	19	281	Jerome Tork	19	266	Jerry Schrum
20	264	Jackie Doppelt	20	279	Donald Flesch	20	265	Frank Corrado
21	262	Gary Wirth	20	279	Don Thienel	21	263	Ron LaPointe
22	256	Margaret Fanucchi	22	271	Jeff Shimp	22	253	Larry Phifer
23	254	Cathy Rendon	23	263	Betty Briggs	23	252	Michael O'Brien
24	252	Michael Duffy	24	245	Dan Taylor	24	246	Jerry Hardy
25	248	Jim Crawford	25	240	Joan Rein	24	246	Barbara Barbour
26	240	Mark Fletcher	26	236	Connie Ewka	26	230	Susan Jaynes
26	240	Ronald Logan Sr.	27	232	Donald Urban	27	229	David Campbell
28	238	Frank Ornie	28	231	Neal Matzke	28	222	Robert Medeiros
29	231	James Clark	29	220	Donald Patrin	29	221	Dave Proctor
30	230	Steve Hastie	30	215	Pete Severson	30	220	Joy Barnes
31	229	Todd Sampson	31	210	Andy Stireman	31	210	Robert Fitzgerald
32	227	Nancy Hawkins	31	210	Dave Yaeger	32	207	Marvin Lewis
32	227	Dennis Moore	33	186	John Hazlett	33	205	Paul Batterson
34	217	R. J. Smeltz	34	184	Robert Chase	34	203	David O'Neil
35	215	Rick Baird	35	179	Sue Schenk	35	201	Sara Sanner
36	211	Margery Clark	36	176	Joyce Dennis	36	200	John Rooney Sr.
37	210	John Goe	37	174	Tony Danihel	37	186	Rick Allen
38	208	Skip White	38	170	Ellen Kutz	38	182	Robert Reister
39	207	Peggy Shea	39	168	Adam Switzer	38	182	Robert Wahlgren
40	200	Mills Brubaker	40	158	Jerome Fischer	40	181	Fred White
40	200	Carolyn Washington	41	157	Joseph Hays	40	181	John Blowers
42	199	Richard Shea	42	156	James Huser	42	179	Phyllis Schmidt
42	199	Mike Tungate	42	156	Lee Tesch	43	177	Phil Martin
44	196	Rickie Mack	42	156	Dennis Koehler	44	176	Mary Ann Kelliher
45	195	Herschel Mack	45	147	Jeff Clark	45	168	Albert Miller
46	193	Bryant Gilkeson	45	147	John Swett	46	167	Harvey Greenberg
46	193	Michael Green	47	146	Larry Morse	47	158	Joan Fletcher
48	191	Beth Fleischer	48	142	Jeff Gonzales	48	152	Ivan Thomsen
49	190	Dean Bauman	49	135	Michael Henze	49	149	Henry Bergeron
50	187	Don Grumpy Howard	50	132	Jeff Gardner	50	148	Ethan Guyaz
			50	132	Dan Sand			

Tournament Trail

CALENDAR OF SANCTIONED EVENTS

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CA ♦ Mar. 4–6, Humboldt Bay Spring Classic
 Moose, 4320 Compton Rd, Eureka CA 95503. TD: Peggy & Rick Shea (707.444.3161)

WI ♦ Mar. 4–6, BRF Open
 Comfort Inn, Hwy 54, Black River Falls WI 54615. TD: Don Urban (815.568.0494)

NV ♦ Mar. 4–6, Schaefer Shuffle West
 PT's Gold, 9050 W Post Rd, Las Vegas NV 89148. TD: Al & Sharon Schaefer (414.331.0809) & James Milkowski

WI ♦ Mar. 11–13, Mick Michaelis Classic
 Riverfront Inn (800.338.3305), 1821 Riverside Ave, Marinette WI 54143, TD: Al Karr (920.639.3546)

NC ♦ Mar. 11–13, March Madness
 Ramada Inn (919.832.4100), 1520 Blue Ridge Rd, Raleigh NC 27612. TD: Larry Phifer (919.389.0680)

CO ♦ Mar. 11–13, Colorado Winter Open
 Second Green Mountain Townhomes Clubhouse, 650 S Youngfield Ct, Lakewood CO 80228. TD: Katey Mayo (720.934.6656)

CA ♦ Mar. 11–13, Pacific Coast Championship
 American Legion, 1110 Jefferson St, Monterey CA 93940. TD: Mel Ashley (831.883.0963) & Christy Lens

OR ♦ Mar. 11–13, Sissel Memorial
 Elks, 1896 2nd St, Baker City OR 97814. TD: Les Sissel (541.519.1483) & Mindy Sherrieb

MA ♦ Mar. 13, Corned Beef & Cribbage
 VFW, 123 Holliston St, Medway MA 02053. TD: Pat Lewellyn (508.966.1613)

CA ♦ Mar. 18–20, Bruce Forbes Memorial
 Eagles, 20th & Mulberry Sts, Chico CA 95928. TD: Dennis Jacobs (530.343.7218) & Peter Jackson

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AZ ♦ Mar. 18–20, Roadrunner Classic
 Contempo, 2906 W Southern Ave, Tempe AZ 85282. TD: Brion Neeley (602.525.3919) & Peggy Cunningham

MN ♦ Mar. 18–20, Capital City Cribbage
 Country Inn, 6003 Hudson Rd, Woodbury MN 55125. TD: Todd Schaefer & Diane Waite (651.338.8116)

WA ♦ Mar. 20, Western Washington Open
 VFW, 9981 Central Valley Rd, Bremerton WA 98311. TD: Ron Gustafson (360.457.8356) & Larry West

OR ♦ Mar. 25–27, Oregon Championship
 Elks, 63120 Boyd Acres Rd, Bend OR 97701. TD: Margery Clark (541.385.0330)

MN ♦ Apr. 1–3, All American Club Classic
 All American Club, 1931 W Michigan St, Duluth MN 55806. TD: Gordon Jurek (218.628.1655), Tom Grubb, & Ed Balcer

NV ♦ Apr. 1–3, Gold Dust West Spring Fling
 Gold Dust West Casino, 2171 Hwy 50 E, Carson City NV 89701. TD: Beverly Castillo (775.329.2485) & Jeanne Jelke

FL ♦ Apr. 1–3, Kissimmee Open
 Budgetel Inn, 2295 E Irlow Bronson Hwy, Kissimmee FL 34744. TD: Raymond Wanke (407.433.6791)

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OR ♦ Apr. 1-3, Roseburg Spring Break

Holiday Inn Express, 375 W Harvard, Roseburg OR 97470. TD: Michael McCammon (541.671.2792)

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MT ♦ Apr. 1-3, Montana Open

Ruby's Motel, 4825 Reserve (exit 101 on I-90), Missoula MT 59802. TD: DeLynn Colvert (623.606.0513)

NH ♦ April 3, Granite State Classic

Brookline Event Center, 32 Proctor Hill Road (Rte 130), Brookline NH 03033. TD: David Statz (603.247.4335) and Mary Burlington

WA ♦ Apr. 8-10, Washington State Champshp.

Moose, 1400 Grand Ave, Centralia WA 98531. TD: Chris McComas (360.261.8029)

WI ♦ Apr. 8-10, Peggers Pegout Party

Kettle Moraine Bowl, 1021 E Commerce Blvd, Slinger WI 53086. TD: Ellen Kutz (414.940.7375)

WY ♦ Apr. 9, Stink Hole in the Wall Gang Tourney

American Legion, 2001 E Lincolnway, Cheyenne WY 28001. TD: Bill MacMillan (307.638.2398) & Bill Barnes

WI ♦ Apr. 15-17, Eau Claire Cribbage Fest

Best Western (715.838.9989), 3340 Mondovi Rd, Eau Claire WI 54701. TD: Dennis & Maxine Ulberg (715.695.3588)

GA ♦ Apr. 15-17, Peach State Classic

La Quinta, 6260 Peachtree Dunwoody Rd NE, Atlanta GA 30328. TD: Barri Gehrand (770.402.1975) & David O'Neil

CALIFORNIA DOUBLEHEADER

Apr. 16, Springtime in Napa Wine Country

Moose, 3275 Valley Wood Ln, Napa CA 94558. TD: Dennis Moore (707.224.2345) & Rick Shea

Apr. 17, Apple Blossom Classic

Sebastopol Area Senior Ctr, 167 N High St, Sebastopol CA 95472. TD: Margaret Fanucchi (707.480.6523) & Bob Cox

WA ♦ April 17, Daffodil Express Open

Eagles, 202 5th NW, Puyallup WA 98371. TD: Don Zeutschel (253.845.4226) & Dave McDonald

MI ♦ Apr. 22-24, Michigan Open

Comfort Inn (269.965.3201), 2590 Capital Ave SW, Battle Creek MI 49015. TD: David Boyer (269.788.1289)

OREGON COAST CLUSTER

Apr. 22-24, Three Rivers Open

Three Rivers Casino, 5647 Hwy 126, Florence OR 97439. TD: Winona & Mike McDaniel (541.525.1292)

Apr. 25, Oregon Coast In-Between

American Legion, 424 W Olive, Newport OR 97365. TD: Dean Bauman (541.265.8393) & Margaret Fanucchi & David Aiken

Apr. 26-27, Newport Midweek

American Legion, 424 W Olive, Newport OR 97365. TD: Mike Ritthaler (541.547.4269) & Dean Bauman

Apr. 29-May 1, Oregon Coast Classic

Chinook Winds Casino, 1777 NW 44th St, Lincoln City OR 97367. TD: Jeanne & Roy Hofbauer (360.835.3623) & Bernie Nelson

MX ♦ April 23-30, Cruise Doubleheader

Carnival cruise out of Long Beach CA to Mexican Riviera. TD: Pamela Pomeroy (562.929.2901) & Roy Cook

NH ♦ Apr. 22-24, NH Maine Spring Fling

Best Western, 580 US Hwy 1 Bypass, Portsmouth NH 03801. TD: Laurie & Jerry Hardy (207.730.3196)

WI ♦ Apr. 29-May 1, Black River Classic

Comfort Inn (715.284.0888), W10170 State Hwy 54, Black River Falls WI 54615. TD: Richard Frost (920.361.3302) & Wayne Steinmetz

VA ♦ Apr. 29-May 1, Colonial Cribbage Classic

Wyndham Garden Hotel, 201 Water Country Pkwy, Williamsburg VA 23185. Bill Whiting (757.532.1405)

IL ♦ May 6-8, New Illinois Open

Holiday Inn (815.398.2200), 7550 E State St, Rockford IL 61108. TD: Haley Hintze (414.704.8805) & Dan Selke

WA ♦ May 6-8, Washington State Open

VFW, 615 North Ave, Sunnyside WA 98944. TD: James Morrow (509.837.4224)

CA ♦ May 7, Channel Islands Open

Marie Callender's 1295 S Victoria Ave, Ventura CA 93003. TD: Cy Madrone (805.455.6079) & Kerry O'Connell

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MI ♦ May 13-15, Yooper Spring Classic

Lac Vieux Desert Casino (800.895.2505), N5384

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Co-Director: Larry Hassett (541) 672-1474 or ACC@cmspan.net

Schedule of Events

Friday – 1st

3:00 PM Early Birds (\$20 EF, 7 games - no playoffs)
7:00 PM Doubles (\$50/team EF, 9 games - no playoffs)

Saturday – 2nd

8:00 AM Registration begins
9:00 AM Main (22 games/22 opponents - 25% playoff)
7:00 PM Saturday night special 9 games - no playoffs)

Sunday – 3rd

8:00 AM Begin main tournament playoffs (3/5, finals 4/7)
9:30 AM Consolation (9 games - 25% playoff)
1:00 PM Begin Consolation tournament playoffs (2/3, finals 3/5) – time approximate

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US 45, Watersmeet MI 49969. TD: Don Hannula (906.296.9107) & Bernie Brentar

CA ♦ May 13–15, Jerry Montgomery Memorial
Win-River Casino, 2100 Redding Ranche-
ria Rd, Redding CA 96001. TD: Jeanne Jelke
(530.215.3474) & James Langley

NC ♦ May 13–15, North Carolina Open
Quality Inn, 2008 S Hawthorne Rd, Winston-Salem
NC 27103. TD: Robert Reister (rrretsier@bellsouth.
net) & Henry Douglass (336.349.7581)

AK ♦ May 14, Alaska State Championship
Moose, 4211 Arctic Blvd, Anchorage AK 99501. TD:
Arlene & Hank Carle (907.345.2137)

CT ♦ May 15, Connecticut Championship
J's Crabshack, 2074 Park St, Hartford CT 06106.
TD: Michael Kopp (960.568.5930)

STEVENSVILLE MI DOUBLEHEADER

Super 8 (269.429.8882), 4290 Red Arrow Hwy,
Stevensville MI 49217

May 19–20, Michigan Cribbage Cup
TD: David Boyer (269.788.1289)

May 20–22, Potawatomi Powwow
TD: Jeff & Joy Shimp (616.850.9229)

OR ♦ May 20–22, Function at the Junction
Moose, 427 Front St, Junction City OR 97448. TD:
Duane Toll (541.580.3221) & Dan Marsh

WA ♦ May 27–29, Greater Spokane Val. Open
Eagles, 16801 E Sprague Ave, Spokane Valley WA
99037. TD: Lynn Raymond (509.928.4983) & Dave
Schwartz

CA ♦ May 28, George's 75th Birthday Bash
Seven Flags Senior Ctr, 300 International Blvd,
Sonoma CA 95476. TD: Rick & Peggy Shea
(707.599.4605) & George Shea

CA ♦ May 28, EEC Barnyard Bonanza
Escondido Equestrian Ctr, 26002 Bear Valley
Hts Rd, Escondido CA 92027. TD: Joan Layte
(858.775.0794) & John Kern

CA ♦ May 29, Greater San Diego Open
Masonic Lodge, 4731 Date Ave, La Mesa CA
91942. TD: John Kern (619.469.6920) & Brenda
Nason

PORTSMOUTH NH TRIPLEHEADER

Best Western, 580 US Hwy 1 Bypass, Portsmouth
NH 03801

June 2–3, Memorial Midweek Tournament
TD: David Campbell (207.730.2051) & Lana Ne-
whouse

June 4, Crusty's Revenge
TD: Lana Newhouse (207.730.2051) & David
Campbell

June 5, Southern NH Tournament
TD: Mark & Vicki Soule (207.442.9001) & David
Campbell

WA ♦ June 3–5, Mount Saint Helens Classic
American Legion, 1250 12th Ave, Longview WA
98632. TD: Chris McComas (360.261.8029) &
Duane Toll

MT ♦ June 10–12, Montana Eagles
Eagles, 715 Fee Dr, Helena MT 59601. TD: Wayne
Momsen & Carole Herron (406.502.1205)

CA ♦ June 10–12, Nugget Classic
Senior Ctr, 877 Nunneley Rd, Paradise CA 95959.
TD: Dennis Phillips (530.873.2088)

MT ♦ June 10–12, Montana Eagles
Eagles, 715 N Fee St, Helena MT 59601. TD: Wayne
Momsen & Carole Herron (406.502.1205)

WI ♦ June 10–12, Wisconsin High Roller
Brat Stop, 12304 75th St, Kenosha WI 53142. TD:
Donald Urban (815.568.0494)

MI ♦ June 17–19, Lake Superior Challenge
Elks, 597 Lakeshore Dr, Ishpeming MI 49849. TD:
Don Hannula (906.296.9107) & Pat Healey

WA ♦ June 18, Western Washington Open
VFW, 9981 Central Valley Rd, Bremerton WA 98311.
TD: Ron Gustafson (360.457.8356) & Larry West

WA ♦ June 19, Daffodil Express Open
Eagles, 202 5th St NW, Puyallup WA 98371. TD:
Don Zeuschel (253.845.4226) & David McDonald

MEDFORD OR DOUBLEHEADER

Southern Oregon Lions Sight & Hearing Ctr, 228
N Holly, Medford OR 97501

June 17–18, Medford Lions Tale
TD: Herschel & Rickie Mack (541.855.1103) &
Julie Felkins

June 19, Medford Lions Tale Too
TD: Eunice Kendall & Rich Ekman (541.218.1183)
& Herschel Mack

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NV ♦ June 24–26, Rampart Casino Open
Rampart Casino, 221 N Rampart Blvd, Las Ve-
gas NV 89145. TD: James & Kate Milkowski
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