District 13 Spring Regional April 8-14

In April, bridge players look forward to warmer weather and to the District 13 Spring Regional. The tournament will take



place April 8-14 at the Grand Geneva Resort and Spa in Lake Geneva, Wisconsin, on Route 50, a half mile east of Route 12.

The tournament opens Monday with a two-session stratified Open Pairs at 1:30 p.m. and 7 p.m. to benefit the Grass Roots Fund. The 7 p.m. game will be the only night game held during the week.

Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday will feature Open Pairs and Gold Rush Pairs at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m.

Thursday will have stratified single session side games at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. to



benefit the Grass Roots Fund, plus Open Swiss Teams and Gold Rush Teams at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m.

Saturday will feature bracketed Swiss Team, Open Pair, and Gold Rush Pairs at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m.

Sunday, beginning at 10 a.m., will be a Stratiflighted Swiss Teams Playthrough. Lunch is included. There is also a free lunch with entry on Wednesday.

As usual, there will be a hospitality suite, fresh fruit, *Daily Bulletins*, and half price entries for students with a valid student ID, according to Tournament Chair Suzi Subeck.

For more information, see the flyer on page 9.

Fun Stars of Tomorrow I/N Tourney May 18-19

A publication of the Chicago Contract Bridge Association April/May 2019

Attention Intermediates and Newcomers

You will not want to miss the fun Stars of Tomorrow Tournament, an event planned just for you. Set for May 18 and 19, it is open only to Non-Life Masters with fewer than 500 masterpoints. You will be playing against your peers.

If you have never played in a tournament or have little tournament experience, this is the perfect chance to get your feet wet and experience the challenge and excitement of tournament play," said Tournament Chair Guy Franklin. "And you could win silver points."

This stress-free event will take place at JourneyCare, 2050 Claire Court, Glenview. For more information, including how to arrange for partners for a pair on Saturday or for a team on Sunday, please check out the flyer on page 3.

Popular Labor Day Sectional set for Aug. 30 - Sept. 2



It is not too early to place the ever popular Labor Day Silver Point Sectional on your calendar. It will run from August 30 - September 2 at the Weber Leisure Center, 9300 Weber Park Place, Skokie.

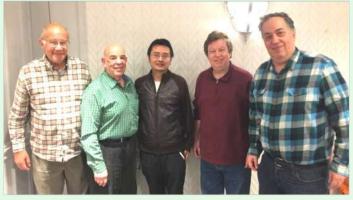
The tournament features all daytime games, with the exception of the premier Steve Chesto n-Gerald Gitles Memorial Charity Pairs game at 7:30 p.m. Friday.

There is a complete schedule for the Intermediate/Novice players. There will be Stratified Open Pairs on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, with Stratified Swiss teams at 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. on Monday. Players may choose to play in one or both sessions.

On the regular schedule are Stratified Open Pair/Team games on Friday through Sunday. The pair/team games give players two chances for masterpoints - win as a pair or as a team, said Tournament Chair Todd Fisher. In addition, there will be Bracketed Silver Point Knockouts, with both rounds being played on Saturday. Stratified Swiss Teams are scheduled on Monday, and includes a light chicken lunch.

GNT Winners

Team Ginsburg won Flight A of the Grand National Teams, and will represent District 13 at the Nationals in Las Vegas. See pages 2, 4 for more information and photographs.



Shown, left to right, Marc Passman, Donald Weil, Ming Sheng, David Langer, and Mark Ginsburg.

District 13 GNT winners now head to Las Vegas

The District 13 Grand National Teams Final was held February 23-24 in Northbrook. Thirty-two teams played, with seven teams in the Championship Flight; nine teams in Flight A; and eight teams each in Flights B and C.

In the end, Team Wolfson: Jeff Wolfson, Ralph Katz, Steve Garner, Eldad Ginnosaur, and Nik Demirev emerged victorious in the Championship Flight.

Team Ginsburg won Flight A: Mark Ginsburg, David Langer, Marc Passman, Don Weil, and Ming Sheng. The team defeated perennial stars, Team Marheine from Milwaukee, in the final.

Team Marecki won Flight B: Captain Tad Marecki, Roman Mindak, Robert Lubowicki, Michal Omielski, Leszek Zagozdon, and Lech Brzozowski. Team Stein was second: Captain Mark Stein, Blake Harrop, Bill Anspach, and Kenneth Tatz.

In Flight C, Team Hallerman: Raphael Hallerman, Cynthia Huang, Boris Fang, and Mitchell Booth prevailed. All members of Team Hallerman are students at the University of Chicago.

Team Weiss: Daniel Weiss, Sarik Goval, Nick Suzi Subeck Evens, and Brad Stout was second. All members of Team Weiss are students at Northwestern University.

In Flights B and C, because we had eight teams entered in each flight (a district must have eight or more to qualify for this), both teams are eligible to represent us at the national final, giving District 13 an extra shot at winning titles.

Good luck to all in Vegas, and a big thanks to Peter Wilke and Bill Harris for a flawless job running the tournament.

Suzi Subeck District 13 Director



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Flight C winners from the University of Chicago

Flight B team members compare scores (above)

Flight C second place finishers from Northwestern University (right





NORTH AMERICAN BRIDGE CHAMPIONSHIPS

North American Bridge Championships (NABC) are conducted by the ACBL and are held three times a year across the

United States and Canada. NABCs offer platinum, gold and red points. The host hotel for Las Vegas is the Cosmopolitan. For assistance with reservations, contact On-Peak at 855-992-3353 or go to acbl@onpeak.com.





Stars of Tomorrow I/N Silver Point Sectional*

May 18-19, 2019

JourneyCare

2050 Claire Court, Glenview, IL 847-467-7423

Saturday, May 18

9:30 Stratified Pairs

(0-100, 100-300, 300-500)

2:00 Stratified Pairs

(0-100, 100-300, 300-500) (Probable finish: 5:30p.m.)

Sunday, May 19

10:00 Stratified Swiss

Teams

(0-100, 100-300, 300-500) Two-session play through (Probable finish: before 4:30 p.m.) Please call ahead to arrange Sunday teammates.

10:00 Stratified Pairs

(0-100, 100-300, 300-500) Single session game (Probable finish: before 1:30 p.m.)

Questions? Need clarification? Contact Guy!

Chair: Guy Franklin

773-412-4882 guyfranklinchicago@gmail.com

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847-373-3569 jan8242@gmail.com

Text Guy if you need a partner for the pairs games on Saturday or Sunday, or another pair to make up a team for the Swiss on Sunday.

Guest speaker between Saturday sessions.



Free Lunch Saturday and Sunday!





*A tournament for non-Life Masters
with fewer than 500 points





Negative Double – some advanced concepts worth learning



By Ginny and Jeff Schuett

When partner opens the bidding in a suit at the one level and right hand opponent overcalls in a suit, most partnerships to-day use the negative double by responder. When a specific negative double shows one unbid major, it is good to always have at least four of that major. But when the negative double promises two suits, you can sometimes use the negative double when you have only one of the two promised suits, as long as you have a place to go if partner bids the suit you don't have.

This use of the negative double is made at the two level or higher for one of two main reasons – you either want to show one of the majors, then later support partner (non-forcing), or bid no trump. Or, you want to show a long single suit with too few points (under 10 HCP) to bid it freely at the two level. Let's look at some examples:

West North East South
1 ♦ 2 ♣ Double P

East's Hand:

♦ 5 **♥**QJ107 **♦**J10743 **♣**K98

East can start with a negative double, showing both majors and after a 2NT or

Photographs

Shown are more photographs of those playing in the Grand National Teams.

2♠ rebid by West. East should rebid 3♠ to show a weak hand with four hearts and long diamonds and under 10 HCP.

West North East South 1♦ 2♣ Dbl P

East's Hand:

♦KJ95 **♥**J54 **♦**K742 **♣**AQ

East can start with a negative double, implying both majors. If West rebids 2♥, East should rebid 3NT to show an opening hand with exactly four spades and opening strength, plus a club stopper(s).

West North East South
1♣ 1♠ Double P

East's Hand:

♦K5 ♥QJ10754 **♦**743 **♣** 98

East can start with a negative double, showing $4+\Psi$ and after a 1NT or $2\clubsuit$ rebid by West, East should rebid 2Ψ to show a weak hand with long hearts. With 10+ HCP and $5+\Psi$, East bids 2Ψ immediately rather than starting with a negative double.

West North East South 1♦ 2♣ Dbl P

East's Hand:

♦ QJ10754 ♥ 54 ♦ 743 **♣** A8

East can start with a negative double, showing both majors and after a 2NT

or 2♥ rebid by West, East should rebid 2♠ to show a weak hand with long spades. With 10+ HCP and 5+♠, East bids 2♠ immediately rather than starting with a negative double.

Note: If partner makes a negative double, then later bids a suit he showed to indicate more length, his hand will be weak. With more strength, he would bid his longest suit to start. If partner shows both majors, then bids NT when you bid one major, he must have the other major. So if you have that other major as well, bid that other major to show your fit.

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Grant says famous deal from Monte Carlo tournament worth a second look



by Audrey Grant

This deal arose in a tournament in Monte Carlo in 1975. Sitting South was British expert Boris Schapiro. West was the dealer and opened the bidding with a preemptive 3 ♦ bid. With 18 high-card points, North chose to make a takeout double, and East passed.

West North East South 3 ♦ Double Pass

ACBL Museum contains Premier bridge collection



The ACBL Museum is not only the premier collection of bridge-related artifacts in the world, it's also an interactive showcase of the history of the game. From Vanderbilt to Culbertson to Goren to the modern era, bridge comes alive with photos, videos, art, instructional material and more.

The spectacular collection of national championship trophies must be seen to be believed. Touch-screen technology allows visitors to research the history and previous winners of each trophy. The Bridge Hall of Fame display includes hundreds of photos of the top names in the game, and the biographies of each inductee are easily viewed with the touch of a digital button.

The museum is located in the ACBL main offices at 6575 Windchase Boulevard, Horn Lake MS. Admission is free. Dealer: West Vulnerable: N-S

North

- **♠** A 10
- ▼ A K Q 3
- **♦** 543
- ♣ A J 9 4

West East **♦** O 6 **★** K 9 7 5 3 **♥** 98 **v** 10 7 6 2 ♦ KQ109872 **♦** 6 **4** 10 3 **♣** K 8 2

South (Schapiro)

- **♠** J 8 4 2
- ♥ J 5 4
- ♦ A J
- ♣ Q 7 6 5

What did Schapiro bid after the takeout double?

What was the result?

West North East South Dbl Pass **4** •! 3♦ Pass Pass Pass

Holding nine high-card points and four spades opposite partner's three-level takeout double, Schapiro chose to jump to game in 4. He might have done better to bid 3NT or, perhaps, cuebid 4♦, but there he was at the four level in a 4-2 trump fit.

West led the ♦K and Schapiro won the ♦ A. He then led a low spade to dummy's ♠10. East won the ♠K but, with no diamonds to lead, there was no way to defeat the contract. All East could do was return a spade to dummy's AA, taking out West's ♠Q.

Next, Schapiro won four heart tricks, discarding the ♦J on the fourth heart. Having a count now on East's hand, Schapiro played a low club from dummy. It didn't matter if East won the &K now or on the following trick, unfortunately, he would be end played.

On the fourth club, East ruffed with the ♠5. With ♠9-7 in hand, East was trapped. There was no choice but to lead into declarer's ♠J-8.

Losing only ♠K, ♣K, and ♠5, Schapiro made his 4 \(\infty \) contract despite a 4-2 trump

More Famous Deals such as this one are available on the Audrey Grant Interactive Daily Bridge site. They will challenge you while giving you an opportunity to learn expert declarer and defense play tips. To experience seven sample columns, please visit www.betterbridge.com/chicago.

Audrey Grant is a noted author and bridge teacher. She is a member of the ACBL and Canadian Bridge Federation Hall of Fame.



2019 CALENDAR

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District 13/222

Progressive-Qualifying

District 13/222 **Progressive-Final**

District 13 STaC

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Dist. 8 Crossroads Regional

Unit STaC

Unit 123 STaC **Labor Day**

Central States FallFest District 13 STaC

DATE/PLACE Friday, April 5-Sunday, April 7, Appleton, WI Monday, April 8 - Sunday, April 14, Lake Geneva, WI

Monday, April 22-Saturday, April 27, Greater Milwaukee Area

Saturday, May 4, Glendale, WI (Milwaukee WI)

Monday, May 6 - Sunday, May 12

Saturday, May 18 - Sunday, May 19, JourneyCare, Glenview Tuesday, May 21-Sunday, May 27, Holiday Inn, Champaign

Monday, June 18-Sunday, June 24, Holiday Inn, Crystal Lake Monday, June 18-Sunday, June 24, Holiday Inn, Effingham

Monday, July 29 - Sunday, August 4

Friday, August 30 - Monday, September 2, Weber Center,

Skokie

Exact dates in October TBA

Friday, November 8 - Sunday, November 10, Wyndham

Garden, Schaumburg

Monday, November 11 - Sunday, November 17 Monday, December 9 - Sunday, December 15

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79.3% Marty Marcus, Jeff Landsman, N. Shore Senior Ctr.

77.4% Valerie Maragos, Eric Kraskian, New Eazy/Wed.

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CCBA Passes Arbitration Policy

Following the trend of the ACBL (and many other organizations nationwide), the CCBA adopted a set of binding arbitration rules to govern any disputes between the CCBA and its members or participants in its tournaments. Under the "Governances" section of the website, there is an explanation behind the rules. The complete arbitration rules themselves are also available in PDF format for your review.



Upside Down Attitude is improvement over Standard Attitude



Winning with Wimpy By Jim Diebel

Last time I discussed why I think it's less confusing to play Upside Down Count when you play Upside Down Attitude. There are situations that arise where both defenders need to know whether or not a signal is count or attitude, and the process is made simpler if the same card is used to tell both stories.

That said, I'm going to propose something now that sounds confusing, but once you become comfortable with it, it should make your defensive life much less complicated. It's less stressful when the same tools are used in a variety of situations, and I can work out the proper signal without having to memorize it. Techniques I have been using for decades are easier to remember.

First, let me reinforce a few skills that you should already be familiar with:

LEADS: Lead high from a doubleton. Lead low from length.

RETURNING PARTNER'S LEAD: Lead high from a doubleton. Lead low from a current holding of three.

COUNT: Play high from an even number. Play low from odd.

DISCARDING: When giving count, discard high from an even number, discard low from odd.

The last two rules may seem to contradict my previous suggestions about the clarity of Upside Down Count. They do. However, they're easy to remember, so I like them a lot. Thus, I want to use them. You need to understand these two principles thoroughly:

Upside Down Attitude is a significant improvement to Standard Attitude signals. Upside Down Count has no benefit.

We only choose to use Upside Down Count so that there is no confusion about what signal we are giving. After the opening lead, there is virtually no reason to worry about the meaning of our play in that suit. It's going to be count. Therefore, to make it easy on myself (and my partner), after the opening lead, we switch to Standard Count for that suit for the rest of the hand. We do the same thing for the other three suits. The first time we lead (or follow to) a suit, we play Upside Down Count, whether we are giving count or not. After that, we switch back to Standard Count for every suit that's has been played.

The reason for this is simple: It's easier to remember. I remember Upside Down Count once for each suit. After that, I go back to the method with which I'm comfortable. This has far-reaching implications. For the rest of the hand, whether I'm leading, following suit, or discarding, I play the same card. The ease

with which my partner can read my card cannot be trivialized. No confusion leads to better defense. I have another helpful tip:

Suppose you are West and hold ♠ 64 • AJ65 • Q8 ♣ 86542 and hear the following auction:

West	North	East	South
P	1 🚓	P	1 ♦
P	1 🛦	P	3NT
All Pass			

You try the \checkmark 5 and dummy hits with \land AT73 \checkmark K \diamond J764 \updownarrow KQ73.

Dummy's ♥K holds as partner plays the ♥9. This is an attitude card (UDCA) denying the ♥Q. (If dummy had won the trick with the ♥Q or less, it would have been a count card). South plays the ♥3. It would seem we hit upon the best lead. Declarer certainly doesn't hold five hearts on this auction and might only have two or three. Declarer leads a low club from dummy, but partner alertly rises with the ♣A (of course you know why), - Declarer dropping the ♣J – and returns the ♥4. Declarer plays the ♥10 as you win the ♥J. Now what?

Who holds the ♥2? If it is partner, he started with five hearts and your Ace will fetch the Queen. If declarer has hidden it, (the sneaky cad) you might be just handing him his game going trick. How can you tell? Is it (A)

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▲ AT73
         ♥ K

♦ J764

         ♣ KQ73
                           ♦ J982
♠ 64
                           ♥ 9874

◆ AJ65

♦ O8
                           ♦ KT3
* 86542
                           ♣ A9
         ♠ KQ5

♥ QT32

         ♦ A952
         ♣ JT
Or (B)
         ▲ AT73
         ♥ K

♦ J764

         ♣ KQ73
▲ 64
                           ♠ OJ82

◆ AJ65

                           ♦ O8
                           ♦ T5
$ 86542
                           ♣ A9
         ♦ K95
         ♥ QT3
         ♦ AK932
         ♣ JT
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In (A), you must exit passively with a club (or a spade) and wait for the setting trick. In (B), if you don't cash out now, declarer will take the rest. Note that in (B), if partner hadn't jumped up with the AA, that after having stolen a club, Declarer could have run home with nine tricks. While you can't always be certain how many tricks declarer can take if you don't cash out immediately, you can be certain whether or not declarer has one heart left or two.

One of the minor flaws in the traditional method of giving count is that a defender is supposed to lead or discard his original fourth best when giving count in the suit partner led to trick one. This can create confusion when you can't be certain whether partner started originally with four or five cards in the suit. The fourth and fifth highest cards will usually be close to one another making it difficult to tell the difference. A superior method is to lead or discard low from a current odd numbered holding, and high from a current even numbered holding.

Thus, in our examples above, East would return the ♥4 in the first example, and the ♥8 in the second. In (B), West has no problem at all determining whether the ♥8 was from a current holding of four or a doubleton, and correctly bangs down the ♥A to defeat the contract. In the first example, West has to guess whether or not declarer has 10 tricks or more if he doesn't cash out, but he knows that leading the ♥A will not set the contract. In a team game or knockout, this could easily be the difference between winning and losing.

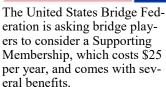
This same method (leading or discarding high from a current even holding and low from a current odd holding) can be useful when we are giving later count after a preempt. Say you open 4♦ and end up defending. You lead the ♦K and declarer wins the Ace. As declarer starts running his long suit, your first diamond pitch should be low if you opened with eight diamonds, (currently seven) and high if you opened with nine or seven (currently eight or six). It's simple and can be critical information for partner.

This treatment does not override common sense! In situations where count is not critical, you still use the same method as always, namely low when you want the suit returned, and high when you don't. Only when you are interested in giving partner the count in the suit (and he should recognize those situations), should you employ this signal. It is most often used when returning partner's lead, either immediately or later in the hand.

The same method is used when discarding. Assume partner has led a suit, you played third hand high, and declarer wins the trick. If declarer starts running a long suit, your first discard is usually some type of attitude signal. That's fine. The first time you pitch a card in partner's led suit should be a count signal. Once again, it should be the same card you would have led if you were on lead - high from even, low from odd.

For more tips on improving your bidding and defense go to www.wimpy.biz/bridge





Because many bridge players may not be familiar with the USBF, Suzi Subeck explained that the USBF, which was formed by the ACBL and the American Bridge Association in 2001, operates the Competitions (Trials) to determine the teams to be sent to the World Championships from the USA.

Three out of four years, the trials are held in Schaumburg. This year, the competition will begin on May 10 with the Open; May 14 with the Women's; May 22 with the Mixed; and May 31 with the Seniors. The Seniors ends June 9.

Anytime between May 10-June 9, the action will be on BBO VuGraph, and also live at the Schaumburg Hyatt. Suzi said CCBA members are welcome to come kibitz and meet the players personally. She will be at the site most of the time as will other locals. Suzi will be writing the newsletters. Other CCBA members involved include Joe Stokes and Jan Churchwell who do much of the VuGraphing, and Stan Subeck who handles the finances. "We will be glad to show members around," Suzi

The USBF receives support for its teams from the ACBL International Fund and Junior Fund, its membership dues, contributions, and entry fees for the USBCs.

The following is a letter from the USBF which provides information on Supporting Memberships.





"If you don't want to play in the USBF Championships that choose teams to represent the USA in the World Bridge Federation Championships, but do want to aid our events, a Supporting Membership can be the perfect way for you to be involved.

"As a Supporting Member, you are eligible to:

- "1. Enter the fantasy brackets, run on Bridge Winners, for the USBF trials choosing our Open and Senior teams for the World Championships. The highest-ranking Supporting Member in the fantasy brackets for each of these two events will win the prize of your choice either an online match against the USBC winners or dinner with them at the next NABC.
- "2. Receive daily emails during the USBF Championships. These will summarize the previous day's results and provide VuGraph information and links to daily bulletins containing pictures and commentary on individual hands.
- "3. Upon advanced request, make arrangements for you to kibitz a USBF member of your choice for a session once each year either at an

NABC or the USBF Championships.

- "4. Upon advanced request, we will arrange for you to be one of the VuGraph commentators for one session of the team trials.
- "A Supporting Membership is \$25 for one year (\$75 for 3 years) and the ACBL now offers you the chance to become an USBF Supporting Member when you renew your ACBL membership.
- "If you don't want to wait that long, you can join by choosing the red Donate Now button on the USBF website. Your donation will be used to cover inevitable expenses: attorney fees, accounting fees, website support services, tournament directors, insurance, WBF dues, and VuGraph operators.
- "The USBF is an all-volunteer organization. Our meetings are by conference call and at NABCs. Board members and the organization's officers are not compensated for meetings, travel, or hotel expenses.
- "We hope you will join us.

"Kate Akers USBF Board Member"

U of C is runner-up in CBO Tournament

The University of Chicago placed second in the CBO Special Team Tournament, finishing behind Harvard University. Third place went to the University of Minnesota. Members of the U of C team were Ilan Wolff (captain), Boris Fang, Cynthia Huang, Raphael Hallerman and Zihan Tan. A record 31 teams from 20 colleges competed.

The next chance for college students to win a trip to the Bridge Bowl in Las Vegas is April 7. The deadline to register is April 4. Additionally, there will be a Stratified Pairs Online Tournament on April 14, with six pairs receiving travel packages. April 11 is the deadline to register. For other tournament dates and for complete rules and Conditions of Contest, visit

www.acbl.org/bridgebowl.

May STaCs offer silver points

Win silver points during the District 13 SectionalTournament at Clubs (STaC), which runs from May 6-12.

Scores for all games in a time slot are compared, and overall points are awarded. You could win a huge silver masterpoint award. The more tables throughout the Chicago area, the greater the awards.

All Open Pairs are stratified 0-750, 0-1500, and unlimited masterpoints. Intermediate/ Newcomer games are also offered.

Call any club owner or manager for details. Also, see the Special Games listed in the *Kibitzer*.



District 13 Spring Regional

April 8-14, 2019

Grand Geneva Resort and Spa, Lake Geneva,

On Route 50, 1/2 mile East of Route 12

Call 262-248-8811/800-558-3417 before March 26 to ensure the Bridge Rate

Monday, April 8

1:30, 7:00 Two Session Stratified Open Pairs to benefit the Grass Roots Fund Tuesday, April 9

10:00 & 3:00 Open Pairs (0-1500; 1500-3000; 3000+) **10:00 & 3:00** Gold Rush Pairs (0-100; 100-300; 300-750)

Wednesday, April 10

10:00 & 3:00 Open Pairs (0-1500; 1500-3000; 3000+) **10:00 & 3:00** Gold Rush Pairs (0-100; 100-300; 300-750)

Thursday, April 11

10:00 & 3:00 Stratified Single Session Side Games to benefit the Grass Roots Fund

10:00 & 3:00 Open Swiss Teams ((0-1500; 1500-3000; 3000+)

10:00 & 3:00 Gold Rush Teams (0-100; 100-300; 300-750)

Friday, April 12

10:00 & 3:00 Open Pairs (0-1500; 1500-3000; 3000+) **10:00 & 3:00** Gold Rush Pairs (0-100; 100-300; 300-750)

Saturday, April 13

10:00 & 3:00 Bracketed Swiss Teams

10:00 & 3:00 Open Pairs (0-1500; 1500-3000; 3000+)

10:00 & 3:00 Gold Rush Pairs (0-100; 100-300; 300-750)

Sunday, April 14

10:00 Stratiflighted Swiss Teams Playthrough ... Lunch Included Flight A/X/Y B/C/D Stratified

Tournament Chair: Suzi Subeck 847-509-0311 Email: stansubeck@prodigy.net

Open+ Chart for Sunday Flight A/X/Y Swiss Teams Stratified Games: A: 2000+; B: 750-2000; C: 0-750

Stratiflighted Teams:

A:5000+; X: 3000-5000; Y: 0-3000 B: 750-1500; C: 300-750; D: 0-300

Open Teams:
A: 3000+ B: 1500-3000 C: 0-1500
Open Pairs: 0-1500; 1500-3000; 3000+
Gold Rush Pairs: 0-100; 100-300; 300-750
Masterpoint Averaging When Permitted!

Fresh Fruit
Hospitality Suite!!!
Daily Bulletins
Students play for half price with valid student ID!
Kibitzers: Golf, Tennis, Spa
Free Lunch with Entry on Wed. and Sun.

Special Club Games (Earn Extra Points)				
Day/Date	Time	Club	Location	Event
Mon - Apr 1 Mon - Apr 1 Mon - Apr 1 Mon - Apr 1 Mon - Apr 1 Tue - Apr 2 Tue - Apr 2 Tue - Apr 2 Tue - Apr 2	12:15 pm 12:00 pm 6:20 pm 11:00 am 11:30 am 12:15 pm 6:30 pm 1:00 pm 7:00 pm	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Hinsdale Lawson Bridge Studio Olympia DBC Yorkville Duplicate Bridge Chicago Duplicate Bridge Chicago Duplicate Bridge The Admiral At The Lake Tree Towns DBC	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club Hinsdale Community Center Ann Sathers Restaurant Countryside Church Beecher Community Center Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club Admiral at the Lake First Congregational Church	Charity Pairs /299ers ACBL Charity Game ACBL Charity Game ACBL Charity Game ACBL Charity Pairs ACBL Charity Pairs ACBL Charity Game ACBL Charity Game
Wed - Apr 3	12:15 pm	Chicago Duplicate Bridge	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club	Club Championship Open/299ers
Wed - Apr 3 Wed - Apr 3 Wed - Apr 3 Wed - Apr 3 Thu - Apr 4	11:00 am 7:00 pm 6:20 pm 10:30 am 1:45 pm	Fox Bridge Hinsdale Lawson Bridge Studio New Lenox - Joliet DBC Chicago Cultural Center T	Riverside Town Hall Hinsdale Community Center Ann Sathers Restaurant New Life Church Chicago Cultural Center	ACBLCharity Game - ACBL Charity Game ACBL Charity Game ACBL Charity Game Unit Game
Thu - Apr 4	12:15 pm 6:30 pm 12:00 pm 10:45 am 6:45 pm	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Chicago Duplicate Bridge Hinsdale Tom's Game Wheaton DBC Thursday	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club Hinsdale Community Center Temple Jeremiah St. Matthews Church of Christ	Unit Game ACBL Charity Pairs /99ers Unit Game- ACBL Charity Game ACBL Charity Game
Fri - Apr 5 Fri - Apr 5 Sat - Apr 6 Sat - Apr 6	12:15 pm 11:00 am 12:30 pm 11:15 am	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Olympia DBC All Bridge Saints Chicago Duplicate Bridge	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club Countryside Church 1st Congregational Church Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club	ACBL Charity Pairs ACBL Charity Game ACBL Charity Pairs ACBL Charity Pairs
Sat - Apr 6	11:00 am	Olympia DBC	Countryside Church	ACBL Charity Pairs
Sun - Apr 7 Mon - Apr 15 Mon - Apr 15 Mon - Apr 15 Mon - Apr 15 Tue - Apr 16	1:00 pm 12:15 pm 12:00 pm 6:20 pm 11:30 am 12:15 pm	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Chicago Duplicate Bridge Hinsdale Lawson Bridge Studio Yorkville Duplicate Bridge Chicago Duplicate Bridge	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club Hinsdale Community Center Ann Sathers Restaurant Beecher Community Center Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club	ACBL Charity Teams ACBLCharity Pairs/ 299ers ACBL Charity Game ACBL Charity Game ACBL Charity Game ACBL Charity Game ACBL Charity Fairs

Special Clu	b Games	S (Earn Extra Points)		
Day/Date	Time	Club	Location	Event
Tue - Apr 16	12:15 pm	Chicago Duplicate Bridge	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club	ACBL Charity Pairs
Tue - Apr 16	6:30 pm	Chicago Duplicate Bridge	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club	ACBL Charity Pairs
Tue - Apr 16	1:00 pm	The Admiral At The Lake	Admiral at the Lake	ACBL Charity Pairs
Tue - Apr 16	7:00 pm	Tree Towns DBC	First Congregational Church	ACBL Charity Pairs
Wed - Apr 17	12:15 pm	Chicago Duplicate Bridge	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club	Unit Game 299ers
Wed - Apr 17	11:00 am	Fox Bridge	Riverside Town Hall	Unit Game
Wed - Apr 17	7:00 pm	Hinsdale	Hinsdale Community Center	ACBL Charity Game
Wed - Apr 17	6:20 pm	Lawson Bridge Studio	Ann Sathers Restaurant	ACBL Charity Game
Wed - Apr 17	10:30 am	New Lenox - Joliet DBC	New Life Church	ACBL Charity Game
Thu - Apr 18	1:45 pm	Chicago Cultural Center T	Chicago Cultural Center	ACBL Charity Game
Thu - Apr 18	12:15 pm	Chicago Duplicate Bridge	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club	ACBL Charity Pairs
Thu - Apr 18	6:30 pm	Chicago Duplicate Bridge	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club	Charity Pairs Open/99ers
Thu - Apr 18	12:00 pm	Hinsdale	Hinsdale Community Center	ACBL Charity Game
Fri - Apr 19	12:15 pm	Chicago Duplicate Bridge	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club	ACBL Charity Pairs
Fri - Apr 19	11:00 am	Olympia DBC	Countryside Church	ACBL Charity Game
Sat - Apr 20	12:30 pm	All Bridge Saints	1st Congregational Church	ACBL Charity Pairs
Sat - Apr 20	11:15 am	Chicago Duplicate Bridge	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club	ACBL Charity Pairs
Sat - Apr 20	11:00 am	Olympia DBC	Countryside Church	ACBL Charity Pairs
Sun - Apr 21	1:00 pm	Chicago Duplicate Bridge	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club	ACBL Charity Pairs
Mon - Apr 22	12:15 pm	Chicago Duplicate Bridge	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club	ACBL Charity Pairs /299ers
Mon - Apr 22	12:00 pm	Hinsdale	Hinsdale Community Center	ACBL Charity Game
Mon - Apr 22	6:20 pm	Lawson Bridge Studio	Ann Sathers Restaurant	ACBL Charity Game ACBL Charity Game
Mon - Apr 22	11:00 am 11:30 am	Olympia DBC	Countryside Church	
Mon - Apr 22 Tue - Apr 23	12:15 pm	Yorkville Duplicate Bridge Chicago Duplicate Bridge	Beecher Community Center Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club	ACBL Charity Game ACBL Charity Pairs
Tue - Apr 23	6:30 pm	Chicago Duplicate Bridge	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club	ACBL Charity Pairs
Tue - Apr 23	1:00 pm	The Admiral At The Lake	Admiral at the Lake	ACBL Charity Game
Tue - Apr 23	7:00 pm	Tree Towns DBC	First Congregational Church	ACBL Charity Pairs
Wed - Apr 24	12:15 pm	Chicago Duplicate Bridge	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club	ACBL Charity Pairs Open/300
Wed - Apr 24	11:00 am	Fox Bridge	Riverside Town Hall	ACBL Charity Game
Wed - Apr 24	7:00 pm	Hinsdale	Hinsdale Community Center	ACBL Charity Game
Wed - Apr 24	6:20 pm	Lawson Bridge Studio	Ann Sathers Restaurant	ACBL Charity Game
Wed - Apr 24	10:30 am	New Lenox - Joliet DBC	New Life Church	Gary Sinise Charity Game
Thu - Apr 25	1:45 pm	Chicago Cultural Center T	Chicago Cultural Center	ACBL Charity Game -
Thu - Apr 25	12:15 pm	Chicago Duplicate Bridge	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club	ACBL Charity Pairs
Thu - Apr 25	6:30 pm	Chicago Duplicate Bridge	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club	ACBL Charity Pairs Open/99ers
Thu - Apr 25	12:00 pm	Hinsdale	Hinsdale Community Center	ACBL Charity Game
Thu - Apr 25	6:45 pm	Wheaton DBC Thursday	St. Matthews Church of Christ	ACBL Charity Game
Fri - Apr 26	12:15 pm	Chicago Duplicate Bridge	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club	ACBL Charity Pairs
Fri - Apr 26	11:00 am	Olympia DBC	Countryside Church	ACBL Charity Game
Fri - Apr 26	10:45 am	Tom's Game	Temple Jeremiah	ACBL Charity Game
Sat Apr 27	12:30 pm	All Bridge Saints	1st Congregational Church	Local Charity Team Game
Sat - Apr 27 Sat - Apr 27	11:15 am 11:00 am	Chicago Duplicate Bridge	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club Calumet Township Center	ACBL Charity Pairs
Sat - Apr 27	11:00 am	Community Bridge Club Olympia DBC	Countryside Church	ACBL Charity Pairs ACBL Charity Pairs
Sat - Apr 27	11:30 am	Yorkville Duplicate Bridg	Beecher Community Center	ACBL Charity Fails ACBL Charity Game
Sun - Apr 28	1:00 pm	Chicago Duplicate Bridge	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club	ACBL Charity Pairs
Mon - Apr 29	11:00 pm	Calumet DBC	Elks Club	ACBL Charity Game
Mon - Apr 29	12:15 pm	Chicago Duplicate Bridge	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club	ACBL Charity Pairs /299ers
Mon - Apr 29	12:00 pm	Hinsdale	Hinsdale Community Center	ACBL Charity Game
Mon - Apr 29	6:20 pm	Lawson Bridge Studio	Ann Sathers Restaurant	ACBL Charity Swiss Teams
Mon - Apr 29	11:00 am	Oak Lawn DBC	Oak View School	ACBL Charity Game
Mon - Apr 29	11:00 am	Olympia DBC	Countryside Church	ACBL Charity Game
Mon - Apr 29	6:30 pm	St Charles DBC	Baker Community Center	ACBL Charity Game
Mon - Apr 29	11:30 am	Yorkville Duplicate Bridge	Beecher Community Center	ACBL Charity Game

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Tue - Apr 30 Tue - Apr 30 Tue - Apr 30 Tue - Apr 30	12:15 pm 6:30 pm 1:00 pm 7:00 pm	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Chicago Duplicate Bridge The Admiral At The Lake Tree Towns DBC	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club Admiral at the Lake First Congregational Church	ACBL Charity Pairs ACBL Charity Pairs ACBL CHARITY GAME ACBL Charity Pairs
Wed - May 1	12:15 pm	Chicago Duplicate Bridge	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club	Grass Roots Fund Open/300
Wed - May 1 Wed - May 1 Wed - May 1 Wed - May 1 Thu - May 2	11:00 am 7:00 pm 6:20 pm 10:30 am 1:45 pm	Fox Bridge Hinsdale Lawson Bridge Studio New Lenox - Joliet DBC Chicago Cultural Center T	Riverside Town Hall Hinsdale Community Center Ann Sathers Restaurant New Life Church Chicago Cultural Center	Grass Roots Fund Game
Thu - May 2 Thu - May 2 Thu - May 2 Thu - May 2	12:15 pm 6:30 pm 12:00 pm 6:45 pm	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Chicago Duplicate Bridge Hinsdale Wheaton DBC Thursday	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club Hinsdale Community Center St. Matthews Church of Christ	Grass Roots Fund Game Unit Game Open 99ers Grass Root Fund Game Grass Roots Fund Game
Fri - May 3 Sat - May 4 Sat - May 4	12:15 pm 12:30 pm 11:15 am	Chicago Duplicate Bridge All Bridge Saints Chicago Duplicate Bridge	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club 1st Congregational Church Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club	Grass Roots Fund Game Grassroots Fund Game Grass Roots Fund Game
Sun - May 5 Mon - May 6 Mon - May 6 Mon - May 6	1:00 pm 12:15 pm 12:00 pm 6:20 pm	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Chicago Duplicate Bridge Hinsdale Lawson Bridge Studio	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club Hinsdale Community Center Ann Sathers Restaurant	Grass Roots Fund Teams Game District 13 STaC District 13 STaC District 13 STaC
Mon - May 6 Tue - May 7 Tue - May 7 Tue - May 7	11:30 am 12:15 pm 6:30 pm 1:00 pm	Yorkville Duplicate Bridge Chicago Duplicate Bridge Chicago Duplicate Bridge The Admiral At The Lake	Beecher Community Center Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club Admiral at the Lake	Grass Roots Fund Gam District 13 STaC District 13 STaC District STAC
Tue - May 7 Wed - May 8 Wed - May 8 Wed - May 8	7:00 pm 10:30 am 12:15 pm 11:00 am	Tree Towns DBC Ace Of Clubs Chicago Duplicate Bridge Fox Bridge	First Congregational Church Lakeside Cong. Community Hall Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club Riverside Town Hall	District 13 STaC District 13 STaC District 13 STaC District 13 STaC
Wed - May 8 Wed - May 8 Wed - May 8	7:00 pm 6:20 pm 10:30 am	Hinsdale Lawson Bridge Studio New Lenox - Joliet DBC	Hinsdale Community Center Ann Sathers Restaurant New Life Church	Grass Roots Fund Game District 13 STaC Grassroots Fund Game
Thu - May 9 Thu - May 9 Thu - May 9	1:45 pm 12:15 pm 6:30 pm	Chicago Cultural Center T Chicago Duplicate Bridge Chicago Duplicate Bridge	Chicago Cultural Center Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club	District 13 STaC District 13 STaC District 13 STaC
Thu - May 9 Thu - May 9 Fri - May 10 Sat - May 11 Sat - May 11	12:00 pm 6:45 pm 12:15 pm 11:00 am 12:30 pm	Hinsdale Wheaton DBC Thursday Chicago Duplicate Bridge Ace Of Clubs All Bridge Saints	Hinsdale Community Center St. Matthews Church of Christ Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club Midwest Palliative Care Center 1st Congregational Church	District 13 STaC Grass Roots Fund Game District 13 STaC District 13 STaC Grassroots Fund Game
Sat - May 11 Sat - May 11 Sun - May 12 Mon - May 13	11:15 am 11:00 am 1:00 pm 12:15 pm	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Community Bridge Club Chicago Duplicate Bridge Chicago Duplicate Bridge	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club Calumet Township Center Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club	District 13 STAC Grass Roots Fund Pairs District 13 STaC Grass Roots Open and 299ers
Mon - May 13 Mon - May 13	12:00 pm 6:20 pm	Hinsdale Lawson Bridge Studio	Hinsdale Community Center Ann Sathers Restaurant	Grass Roots Fund Game Grass Roots Fund Game
Mon - May 13 Tue - May 14 Tue - May 14 Tue - May 14	11:30 am 12:15 pm 6:30 pm 1:00 pm	Yorkville Duplicate Bridge Chicago Duplicate Bridge Chicago Duplicate Bridge The Admiral At The Lake	Beecher Community Center Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club Admiral at the Lake	Grass Roots Fund Game Grass Roots Fund Game Grass Roots Fund Pairs Grass Roots Fund Game
Tue - May 14 Wed - May 15	7:00 pm 12:15 pm	Tree Towns DBC Chicago Duplicate Bridge	First Congregational Church Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club	Grass Roots Open Pairs Grass Roots Fund Open/300
Wed - May 15 Wed - May 15 Wed - May 15	11:00 am 7:00 pm 6:20 pm	Fox Bridge Hinsdale Lawson Bridge Studio	Riverside Town Hall Hinsdale Community Center Ann Sathers Restaurant	Grass Roots Fund Game Grass Roots Fund Game Grass Roots Fund Game

Special Club Games (Earn Extra Points)				
Day/Date	Time	Club	Location	Event
Wed - May 15	6:20 pm	Lawson Bridge Studio	Ann Sathers Restaurant	Grass Roots Fund Game
Wed - May 15	10:30 am	New Lenox - Joliet DBC	New Life Church	Grassroots Fund Game
Thu - May 16	1:45 pm	Chicago Cultural Center T	Chicago Cultural Center	Grass Roots Fund Game
Thu - May 16	12:15 pm	Chicago Duplicate Bridge	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club	Grass Roots Fund Pairs
Thu - May 16	6:30 pm	Chicago Duplicate Bridge	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club	Grass Roots Pairs Open/99ers
Thu - May 16	12:00 pm	Hinsdale	Hinsdale Community Center	Grass Root Fund Game
Thu - May 16	6:45 pm	Wheaton DBC Thursday	St. Matthews Church of Christ	Grass Roots Fund Game
Fri - May 17	12:15 pm	Chicago Duplicate Bridge	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club	Grass Roots Fund Pairs
Sat - May 18	12:30 pm	All Bridge Saints	1st Congregational Church	Grassroots Team Game
Sat - May 18	11:15 am	Chicago Duplicate Bridge	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club	Grass Roots Fund Game
Sat - May 18	11:30 am	Yorkville Duplicate Bridg	Beecher Community Center	Grass Roots Fund Game
Sun - May 19	1:00 pm	Chicago Duplicate Bridge	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club	Grass Roots Fund Pairs
Mon - May 20	12:15 pm	Chicago Duplicate Bridge	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club	Grass Roots Open and 299ers
Mon - May 20	12:00 pm	Hinsdale	Hinsdale Community Center	Grass Roots Fund Game
Mon - May 20	6:20 pm	Lawson Bridge Studio	Ann Sathers Restaurant	Grass Roots Fund Game
Mon - May 20	11:30 am	Yorkville Duplicate Bridge	Beecher Community Center	Grass Roots Fund Game
Tue - May 21	12:15 pm	Chicago Duplicate Bridge	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club	Grass Roots Fund Pairs
Tue - May 21	6:30 pm	Chicago Duplicate Bridge	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club	Grass Roots Fund Open Pairs
Tue - May 21	1:00 pm	The Admiral At The Lake	Admiral at the Lake	Grass Roots Fund Game
Tue - May 21	7:00 pm	Tree Towns DBC	First Congregational Church	Grass Roots Fund Pairs
Wed - May 22	10:30 am	Ace Of Clubs	Lakeside Cong. Community Hall	Club Championship
Wed - May 22	12:15 pm	Chicago Duplicate Bridge	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club	Grass Roots Fund Open/300
Wed - May 22	11:00 am	Fox Bridge	Riverside Town Hall	Grass Roots Fund Game
Wed - May 22	7:00 pm	Hinsdale	Hinsdale Community Center	Grass Roots Fund Game-
Wed - May 22	6:20 pm	Lawson Bridge Studio	Ann Sathers Restaurant	Grass Roots Fund Game
Wed - May 22	10:30 am	New Lenox - Joliet DBC	New Life Church	Grassroots Fund Game
Thu - May 23	1:45 pm	Chicago Cultural Center T	Chicago Cultural Center	Grass Roots Fund Rairs
Thu - May 23	12:15 pm	Chicago Duplicate Bridge	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club	Grass Roots Fund Pairs
Thu - May 23	6:30 pm 12:00 pm	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Hinsdale	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club Hinsdale Community Center	Grass Roots Fund Pairs Open/99ers Grass Root Fund Game-
Thu - May 23 Thu - May 23	6:45 pm	Wheaton DBC Thursday	St. Matthews Church of Christ	Grass Roots Fund Game
Fri - May 24	12:15 pm	Chicago Duplicate Bridge	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club	Grass Roots Fund Pairs
Sat - May 25	12:30 pm	All Bridge Saints	1st Congregational Church	Grassroots Fund Game
Sat - May 25	11:15 am	Chicago Duplicate Bridge	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club	Grass Roots Fund Game
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Sun - May 26	1:00 pm 12:15 pm	Chicago Duplicate Bridge	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club	Grass Roots Fund Pairs Grass Roots Open and 299ers
Mon - May 27	12.13 pm	Chicago Duplicate Bridge	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club	No game in Hinsdale-Pot luck 10:30,
Mon - May 27	11:00 pm	Hinsdale	Hinsdale Community Center	Bridge at 11 at SSBC
Mon - May 27	11:00 am	Oak Lawn DBC	Oak View School	Club Championship
Mon - May 27	11:30 am	Yorkville Duplicate Bridge	Beecher Community Center	Grass Roots Fund Game
Tue - May 28	12:15 pm	Chicago Duplicate Bridge	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club	Grass Roots Fund Pairs
Tue - May 28	6:30 pm	Chicago Duplicate Bridge	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club	Grass Roots Fund Pairs
Tue - May 28	1:00 pm	The Admiral At The Lake	Admiral at the Lake	Grass Roots Fund Game
Tue - May 28	7:00 pm	Tree Towns DBC	First Congregational Church	Grass Roots Fimd Pairs
Wed - May 29	12:15 pm	Chicago Duplicate Bridge	Chicago Duplicate Bridge Club	Grass Roots Fund Open/299ers
Wed - May 29	11:00 am	Fox Bridge	Riverside Town Hall	Grass Roots Fund Swiss Teams
Wed - May 29	7:00 pm	Hinsdale	Hinsdale Community Center	Grass Roots Fund Game-
Wed - May 29	6:20 pm	Lawson Bridge Studio	Ann Sathers Restaurant	Grass Roots Fund Game
Wed - May 29	10:30 am	New Lenox - Joliet DBC	New Life Church	Grassroots Fund Game
Thu - May 30	1:45 pm	Chicago Cultural Center T	Chicago Cultural Center	Grass Roots Fund Game
Thu - May 30	12:00 pm	Hinsdale	Hinsdale Community Center	Grass Root Fund Game
Thu - May 30	6:45 pm	Wheaton DBC Thursday	St. Matthews Church of Christ	Grass Roots Fund Game

Plan to attend North American Bridge Champion;hip; July 18-28 La; Vega;, Nevada