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Raleigh Regional

John Marriott

Have you made your reservations for the upcoming Raleigh Regional? It is right around the corner, and while the host hotel has filled up, there are rooms available at AmeriSuites for \$68, and Red Roof Inn for \$50. Both are located very close to the Hilton. Once again, the Women's Team Trials will be held in conjunction with the Regional, and we are expecting a great crowd for the entire week.

If you haven't been to a Mid-Atlantic Regional, you are missing a great opportunity to play with some of the best players in the world. Not only do many of them live in the area, but also we attract players from all over the country. If great bridge isn't enough for you, the hospitality at our regional tournaments is second to none (maybe that view is a bit biased). Home baked goodies will be available free of charge at the start of most of the main playing sessions and we will have nightly food and/or dessert as well as drink beginning on Wednesday after the evening session.

Please note that we had to cancel the Easybridge accreditation due to unforeseen circumstances, and I do apologize for that. If you have any questions at all, feel free to give me a call [252.446.4138 (h) or 252.984.3808 (w)] or send an email to me at johnmarriott@ncfunds.com. I look forward to seeing each and every one of you.

Hospitality for Raleigh Regional

Joyce Patton

Towns responsible for the hospitality tables during the tournament are:

Tuesday, May 25: Morehead City, Emerald Isle, New Bern area
Wednesday, May 26: Greenville and Wilson
Thursday, May 27: Goldsboro and Smithfield
Friday, May 28: Fayetteville
Saturday, May 29: Raleigh
Sunday, May 30: Southern Pines, Pinehurst, Sanford area

I am very grateful for everybody who is taking charge of each town and getting together the goodies for the hospitality table. The hospitality table will be open from 12:30pm to 12:50pm and from 7:00pm to 7:20pm each day

Letter from Our President

Mym Young

It's hard to believe that the Unit 119 Sectional Tournament at Clubs (STaC) is almost over. I'm happy to say that every club in our area participated with hand records or the shuffle and play option. The Carteret County Bridge Club scheduled its spring party to coincide with the STaC. I want to thank Homer Chase for doing such a great job coordinating the event for us yet again for the 4th consecutive year. For the list of participating clubs and for the overall results, check out the unit's web page at www.unit119.org.

The Unit's Regional in Raleigh is May 25th–31st. I want to thank John Marriott, tournament chair, and all the other volunteers who work so hard to make it such a success. The hospitality tables with home-made goodies (my specialty is cheese spread and crackers) are very popular. The hosting schedule appears later in the *Tally*. Also on my bridge calendar are additional North American Pairs games in June, July and August—the \$1/player ACBL fee is hard to resist. The World-Wide Pairs games are always fun.

I had a great time at the Goldsboro Sectional—friendly players, beautiful site, homemade snacks (goodbye diet) and interesting bridge hands. The high point of the weekend for me was when one of my Dad's (George Martin) former students told him she'd been in his Geography 15 class 40 years ago, and he was the best professor she'd ever had. I'm sorry I didn't take a picture since it made his day!

Speaking of pictures for the Tally, we've heard you like them and would like to see more. Please send in pictures of new Life Masters along with short remarks that are caption material. Even better, send what I think of as "bridge disaster" stories, such as the one I tell of years ago when we'd just started playing Roman Key Card Blackwood and I bid the grand slam for my partner to play thinking he had 4 keycards instead of just one—we were missing one side ace and the king of trump! Or, this remark from a pick up partner at a Regional after she had bid 7NT for me to play—1NT – 7NT, "I knew we had 36 points and couldn't be off an Ace." Or hearing your partner alert a weak 2 Diamond bid as Flannery and driving to a heart slam!

Hope to see everyone at the Raleigh Regional!

Welcome New Members

We'd like to welcome the following people who joined ACBL and the unit in March and April:

John Flournoy, Atlantic Beach
 Penn Flournoy, Atlantic Beach
 Barbara N Gruninger, Whispering Pines
 Mary Louise Harrison, New Bern
 Bobbie Herring, Smithfield
 Barbara Huggins, Cary
 Brenda Lewis, Greenville
 Alice Longcor, Whispering Pines
 Donald McGlohon, Greenville
 Ann Nash, Pinehurst
 Christa Neumann, Pinehurst
 Allen Ross, Fayetteville
 Mildred Bartlett, Cary
 Add Burghouwt, Pinehurst
 Marilyn Coburn, New Bern
 Irene Comito, Seven Lakes
 Carol Corhi, Cary
 Harriett Crow, Apex
 Rachel D'Alonzo, Raleigh
 Sharon Hall, Whispering Pines
 Gayle Hallmark, Fuquay Varina
 Alden Hammond, West End
 Sandra Hontz, Raleigh
 Sue Hughes, Cary
 Rebecca Wiggins, Fayetteville
 Betts Williford, Oxford

The following transferred into Unit 119 during the last two months:

Bion Bierer, Cary
 Loretta Bierer, Cary
 Patricia Coe, Wallace
 Jane Coogan, New Bern
 Claire Neal, Holly Springs
 Clifford Pocock, Vass
 Lynn Bailey, Southern Shore
 Marylou Givens, New Bern
 Zennie Harris, Raleigh
 Judith Henry, Atlantic Beach
 Patti Pake, Raleigh
 Miriam Taietz, Holly Springs
 Susan Winkler, Wake Forest

Welcome to all of you!

Advancement in Rank

New Junior Masters

Eleanor Best, Goldsboro
 Antony Brilakis, Emerald Isle
 Sandra Everett, Greenville
 William French, Wallace
 Janet McGlohon, Greenville
 Beth Morin, Washington
 Thelma Piland, Bath
 Leah Pyburn, Washington
 Dorthie Taylor, Greenville
 Alice Longcor, Whispering Pines
 Pinky McInvaille, Fayetteville
 William Rose, Wake Forest
 Ann Sjoerdsma, Kitty Hawk

New Club Masters

Ellis Abrams, Kitty Hawk
 Joseph Kusa, Apex
 Golda Page, Fayetteville
 Diane Parfitt, Fayetteville
 Henry Seufert, Southern Pines
 Tootsie Adderholdt, Morehead City
 David Cook, Pinehurst
 Alice Crawford, Goldsboro
 Anne Griffin, Bath
 Michele McClellan, Nags Head
 Sallie Modlin, Goldsboro

New Sectional Masters

Ralph Schwarz, Clarksville
 Lois Hall, Wallace
 Dorothy Lamberty, Cary

New Regional Masters

Dorothy Welker, Raleigh
 Christopher Carolan, Greenville

New NABC Masters

Walter Lang, Pinehurst

New Life Masters

Donald House, Emerald Isle
 A W Tucker, Kitty Hawk
 Martin Demko, Cary
 Joan Rompalske, Raleigh

New Bronze Life Masters

Regina Ferencz, Pinehurst
 Sarah Harville, Cary
 Inge Mihm, Raleigh
 Myra Charlton, Goldsboro
 Bob Kern, Atlantic Beach

New Silver Life Masters

Nancy Hayden, Swansboro
 Susanne Kleeman, New Bern
 Audrey Ventura, Raleigh

New Gold Life Masters

Lois Mendell, Raleigh

Unit Ace of Clubs Standings

The Ace of Clubs winners are the ones who earn the most masterpoints in club games. Standings through May 1 are:

Rookie:	Antony Brilakis Beth Morin Esther Sink
Junior Master:	Tootsie Adderholdt Anne Griffin Ellen Pauling
Club Master:	Edward Davison Charles Zywockinski Cindy Davis
Sectional Master:	Christopher Carolan Miriam Lyder Barbara Perkins
Regional Master:	L C Forrest John Tattersall Charlotte Weathers
NABC Master:	Sarah Kinsey Martin Demko Kathryn Boch
Life Master:	Jerry McKay Beverly McKay John Gignilliat
Bronze LM:	Robert Patchen Ned Kinsey Audrey Solberg
Silver LM:	Dorothy McKemie Richard Moore Mym Young
Gold LM:	Barbara Wright Mary Sasse Edmund Mendell

Diamond LM: Annalee Gault
George Bloomer
Kay Joyce

Unit Mini-McKenney Standings

The Mini-McKenney standings (those players who have won the most masterpoints overall) through May 1 are as follows:

Rookie: Antony Brilakis
Esther Sink
Janet McGlohon

Junior Master: Ellis Abrams
Tootsie Adderholdt
Golda Page

Club Master: Edward Davison
Janice Davis
Teresa Hawley

Sectional Master: Christopher Carolan
Dorothy Welker
Pa'l Hargittai

Regional Master: Charlotte Weathers
Walter Lang
Lew Rose

NABC Master: Martin Demko
Vanessa O'Callaghan
Inge Mihm

Life Master: Jerry McKay
Beverly McKay
Walter Stein

Bronze LM: Susanne Kleeman
Janie Moser
Robert Patchen

Silver LM: James Fowlkes
Patricia Fowlkes
John Markey II

Gold LM: Alec Price
Paul Johnson
Alan Senzel

Diamond LM: Bruce Reeve
Robert White
George Bloomer

Grand LM: Nick Nickell

Club News

Southern Pines

Ray Fiorillo

The 99er Sectional will be held July 23–25. Information is available on the Sandhills Bridge Studio website, www.sandhillsbridge.com, as well as

on the MABC and Unit 119 sites (and under Tournaments of Interest in this *Tally*). We are looking forward to having an event in which our new members play against their peers and avoid the “sharks.”

We have also made a breakthrough in the Pinehurst area. We have an ACBL-sponsored class of beginning bridge underway for 12–16 6th to 8th grade students at the Academy of Moore County, a charter school in Aberdeen. Our program is being received very enthusiastically by the students, their parents, and the school.

Crystal Coast

Emerald Isle Duplicate Bridge Club: The Emerald Isle bridge club had their annual party on March 14. Overall winners in the club championship game were:

- 1 Mym and Clay Young
- 2 Lucille Markle and Edie Mims
- 3 Emily Vaughan and Jan Davis

Jeanne Brennesholtz won the 2004 masterpoint race in A, B, and C strats.



Jeanne Brennesholtz

Carteret County Bridge Club: Overall winners of the club championship game held March 16 were:

- A Barbara Wright and Harry Pollitt
- B Tony Brilakis and Art Morris
- C Sarah Kinsey and Jeanne Brennesholtz

Overall winners of the ACBL charity game held on March 30 were:

- A Madge Matthews and Bob Kern
- B Zana Faircloth and Nancy Shelton
- C Sarah Kinsey and Tootsie Adderholdt

Overall winners of the local charity game held on April 27 were:

- A Gail Dupree and Harry Pollitt
- B/C Emily Vaughan and Tootsie Adderholdt

Friendly Duplicate Bridge Club: Winners of the club championship game on March 19 were Tootsie Adderholdt and Sissy Weil, who won all three strats!

And Tootsie, a brand new Club Master, went on to place in the overalls of the three STaC games she played—with three different partners!



Julia Guthrie, Sissy Weil, Tootsie Adderholdt, Jeanne Brennesholtz – all smiles after Tootsie's "three-peat" during STaC week

New Bern: The Monday evening New Bern game had an Inter Club Championship game on March 1.

Winners were:

- 1 Dick Conley and Pat Devoid
- 2/3 Fay Zerbo and Rose Klawitter
- 2/3 Karl Drew and Melton Arbit
- 4 John Gignilliat and John Tattersall

Goldsboro

Betty Wilkins

Overall winners of the ACBL-Wide Charity game on March 24 were: 1 – Audrey Solberg and Lindy Gunderson, 2 – Sterling Jarrett and Barbara Vinson.

Winners of the GNT game March 29 were:

- 1 Doris Baddour, Bea Balkcum, Myra Charlton, Gee Morris
- 2/3 Marjorie Crisp, Carol Patterson, Richard Moore, William Bizzell
- 2/3 Pete Matthews, John Gresham, Joyce Lamm, Janice Dunbar

Overall winners of the club championship game on April 5 were:

- 1 Richard Moore and William Bizzell
- 2 Audrey Solberg and Virginia Mansour

Unit Charity Game

Paul Johnson

The Unit 119 Charity game was held in Smithfield on March 27. Unfortunately, it was a very small game. There were seven pairs in the first session, six in the second.

Winners in the first session were:

- 1 Lee and Paul Johnson
- 2 Inge Mihm and Walter Stein

Winners in the afternoon session were Carey Barbour and La Vee Bailey.

Tournaments of Interest

May 25–31, 2004. Memorial Day Tarheel Regional at the North Raleigh Hilton and Convention Center, Raleigh. Contact John Marriott, chairman, at 252-446-4138 or johnmarriott@ncfunds.com. For partnerships, contact Sue Robb at 919-848-0190 or warobb58@yahoo.com. For 0–300 partnerships, contact Jay Huff at rainbow2d2001@yahoo.com or 919-821-5665.

July 9–11, 2004. Chapel Hill Sectional.

July 23–25, 2004. Southern Pines 99er Sectional at the Sandhills Bridge Studio. Exclusively for players with fewer than 100 masterpoints. Schedule: Friday and Saturday Stratified Pairs (10/20/100) at 10:00 am and 3:00 pm. Sunday Swiss Teams at 10:00 am. Contact Ray Fiorillo at ray2nan@earthlink.net for more information.

August 13–15, 2004. Fayetteville Sectional.

October 22–24, 2004. Crystal Coast's 50th Sectional in Morehead City. Great prizes, great food, great location, great people. Make plans to join us. Check the Unit 119 website for information as it becomes available—or contact Mym Young at mym@sobx.us or Jeanne Brennesholtz (jeannebren@ec.rr.com).

STaC Week Overall Results

Monday Day – 111 pairs:

- 1 A/B Richard Venditti – Albert Garyantes
- 1 C Daniel Wadsworth – Donna Hildebrand

Monday Evening – 81 pairs:

- 1 A Shirley Dail – David Klein
- 1/2 B Frank Haislip – Peggy Stoltz
- 1/2 B Rajan Iyer – John Berk
- 1 C Thelma Cherry – Eileen Hosek

Tuesday Day – 92 pairs:

- 1 A Marla Brodsky – Dave Ehle
- 1 B Annette Wallace – Bob Burt
- 1 C Sarah Kinsey – Jeanne Brennesholtz

Tuesday Evening – 86 pairs:

- 1 A Joan Gillespie – Frans Koeleveld
1 B/C Margaret Tapp – Frankie Jones

Wednesday Morning – 25 pairs:

- 1 A Richard Moore – William Bizzell
1 B John Gignilliat – John Tattersall
1 C Charlotte Weathers – Chris Carolan

Wednesday Afternoon – 129 pairs:

- 1 A John Gray – Linda Vaiden
1 B Dottie McClung – Virginia Palmer
1 C Margaret Peters – Joan Ross

Wednesday Evening – 63 pairs:

- 1 A Joel Haywood – Emory Whitaker
1 B Pat Clements – Riley Brown
1 C Sterling Jarrett – Barbara Vinson

Thursday Day – 91 pairs:

- 1 A Anne Kash – Eleanor Register
1 B Wesley Branch – Beth Keeney
1 C Faye Ross – Linda Devore

Thursday Evening – 48 pairs:

- 1 A BK Chopra – Henry Deal
1 B Betsy Schopler – Josef Blass
1 C Doug Agnew – Russell VanSteenburgh

Friday Day – 122 pairs:

- 1 A Mette Smith – Malcolm Smith
1 B Burton Stuart – Erlinda Wehrman
1 C Tootsie Adderholdt – J Brennesholtz

Friday Evening – 32 pairs:

- 1 A Barb Von Hausen – William Von Hausen
1 B Barbara Vinson – Oscar Vinson
1 C Jeff Puckett – James Warren

Saturday – 60 pairs:

- 1 A Dorothy Corbett – Barbara Wright
1 B Beverly Adams – Donnie Isaac
1 C K Gopalakrishnan – Lei Gu

Sunday – 25 pairs:

- 1 A George Snow – Georgia Keeler-Snow
1 B Lucille Markle – Edie Mims
1 C J Brennesholtz – Mark Brennesholtz

Recent Tournament Results

Complete results can be found on the Unit 119 web page (www.unit119.org).

Goldsboro Sectional**April 23–25, 2004**

Friday Afternoon Open Pairs – 37 pairs			
A	B	C	Names
1			David Klein – Shirley Dail
2			Raymond Neeland – Virginia Mansour
3			Jill Hobson – Eleanor Register
4	1	1	John Haverkamp – Judith Haverkamp
5	2	2	Charles Hatcher – Nimet Hatcher
6	3		Virginia Herlihy – Sandra Allen
	4		George Henry – Mabel Gray Henry
	5		Doris Jones – Audrey Solberg
	6	3	Jayne Spangler – Anne Griffin
		4	Lew Rose – Anne Michaux
		5	Dannie Gardner – Alice Tilman

Friday Evening Open Pairs – 29 pairs			
A	B	C	Names
1	1		Jerry McKay – Beverly McKay
2/3			Raymond Neeland – Betty Wilkins
2/3			Kay Joyce – Randy Joyce
4	2		David Traub – Carol Traub
5	3		Esther Mulford – Edward Rabil
6			David Klein – Shirley Dail
	4		George Henry – Mabel Gray Henry
	5		Doris Jones – Audrey Solberg
		1	Judith Haverkamp – John Haverkamp
		2	Eugene Franklin – H Krishnaprasad
		3	Charlotte Weathers – Shelby Bizzell

Saturday Morning Open Pairs – 42 pairs			
A	B	C	Names
1			Skip Peckens – Bobbi Peckens
2			Gylfi Olafsson – Raymond Neeland
3			Susan Torrey – Jeffrey Raynes
4	1		George Henry – Mabel Gray Henry
5/6			Jeanette Collier – Alan Senzel
5/6			James Williams – Richard Butrovich
	2		Madelyn Percise – Billie Eason
	3		Frank Eagles – J Gresham
	4		Margaret Morris – Laura Schwartz
	5		William Thompson – Kenneth Wilkins
	6		Jerry McKay – Beverly McKay

Saturday Morning Open Pairs (cont'd)			
		1	H Krishnaprasad – Charlotte Weathers
		2	Jayne Spangler – Anne Griffin
		3	Irene Hossfeld – Dannie Gardner
		4	Kim Morgan – Brenda McLean

Saturday Afternoon Open Pairs – 39 pairs			
A	B	C	Names
1			George Bloomer – Irene Adams
2			Barbara Wright – Dorothy Corbett
3			Susan Torrey – Jeffrey Raynes
4			Albert Bender – Dottie Kennedy
5/6	1		Vivian Wharton – Doris Ward
5/6			Raymond Neeland – Gylfi Olafsson
	2	1	Charles Hatcher – Nimet Hatcher
	3		Perry Boone – Matthew Doyle
	4		Virginia Herlihy – Sandra Allen
	5	2	Charlotte Weathers – H Krishnaprasad
		3	Karen Touve – Betty Acree

Sunday Swiss Teams – 18 teams			
A	B	C	Names
1/2			Randy Joyce – Kay Joyce – David Klein – Shirley Dail
1/2			Albert Bender – Dottie Kennedy – Paul Johnson – Lee Johnson
3			Patricia Lennon – S Kimball – Shirley Kozej – Ann Ipock
4			Alec Price – Sandra Reeve – George Bloomer – Judith Bloomer
5			Lois Mendell – Mary Sasse – Edmund Mendell – G Targosky
	1		Yvonne Gardner – Betty Banks – George Henry – Mabel Gray Henry
	2	1	H Krishnaprasad – Eugene Franklin – Shelby Bizzell – Charlotte Weathers
	3		Doris Jones – Audrey Solberg – Billie Eason – Claire Starling
	4		Jerry McKay – Beverly McKay – Deborah Edwards – Peter Purcell



The scene at the Goldsboro Sectional

About the Tally

PLEASE send me information to include in future issues: any extraordinary wins (we don't want to include the results of every weekly game); digital pictures of new LMs; club trophy winners and overall winners of tournaments; jokes; interesting hands you've played; special news about members; tournament information you would like included. I'll do my best to fit everything in. Jot me a note and send it snail mail to 9322 Ocean Dr, Emerald Isle, NC 28594; phone me at 252-354-5853, or (best bet) e-mail me at jeannebren@ec.rr.com.

Note about LMs: Please send pictures! Since the District 7 News publishes information about LMs, we don't want to duplicate that. So only pictures will be included – but I can't put in your picture if you don't send it.

If you checked out the Morganton Sectional results, you noticed that there were lots of pictures of winners. That's what we would like to do with the Tally – so PLEASE send pictures. Enough about pictures

The deadline for information to be included in the July Tally is June 15th.