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Goodwill Ambassadors

The ACBL Goodwill Committee was organized in 1955, and the ACBL Goodwill Committee “Member of the Year award” was begun in 1990. 2005 was the inaugural year for the District 7 Goodwill committee, and each unit in the district selects its representatives. Bruce Reeve, our District Representative on the ACBL Board of Directors, can nominate two District 7 players for the National Goodwill Committee, and any national committee members from District 7 are automatically on the District 7 Goodwill Committee. Our Unit 119 representatives on the District 7 Goodwill Committee in 2005 were Mabel Edmonson, Marjorie Johnson, and George C. Martin, Jr. Because of the size of our unit (over 1,000 members), Unit 119 is entitled to two nominees for 2006. Those nominees are Libba Sutton and Sue Kimball.

Libba Sutton

Elizabeth Royall Sutton (or Libba, as everyone calls her) is the ultimate Goodwill Ambassador for the game of bridge or for anything else she cares about. As president of the Goldsboro Bridge Club, she faithfully keeps members informed of upcoming tournaments, local news, and health of members and former members. She keeps a stash of Get Well and Birthday cards for players to sign every week. She has also been active in our unit and district. Everybody knows Libba.

For many years she has been sending two or three players to Brian Center, a local nursing home, to play with residents there on Tuesdays. Often, she goes herself. She won't sit down on Mondays until she has enough volunteers for Tuesday. She is proud of the fact that patients have never been disappointed that they didn't get to play bridge. Several years ago, while she was still undergoing chemotherapy, she decided to stimulate another friend of hers in a different nursing home. She carried a card table to the nursing home in her trunk so that her friend could feel “like she was doing what other people do.” She even brought refreshments.

If, for some reason, the regular game at St. Stephen's Episcopal Church has to be moved, Libba makes the arrangements and helps deliver tables and chairs to the new site.

As president, she plans the Summerfest (that celebrates new life masters) and the Christmas party. She single-handedly co-ordinates the bell ringing for the Salvation Army at Sam's Club every Christmas. If she does not have enough volunteers, she takes several shifts herself, standing outside in the cold, manning the red bucket.

She plays twice a month with a friend who will celebrate her 100th birthday in the fall. Because the friend is blind, Libba has to tell her each time who the dealer is and who is vulnerable. Each time she plays a card, she has to call it for her partner who cannot see.

She plays with many different partners, enjoying the game for its own sake. Even though she is a silver life master, the points matter much less to her than the game itself and the people playing it.

Recently, she went to a sectional tournament in Raleigh. She invited everyone she saw to the Goldsboro tournament in April, and many of them came. Libba enjoys the success of new players and encourages them to return.

Libba truly believes that bridge is good for what ails you. She is the personification of Good Will. And everyone who plays bridge is a better person because of Libba's example.

Sue Kimball

Sue Kimball has been on the Unit 119 Board for over 20 years and was editor of the *Tarheel Tally* for several years. She started playing duplicate in Louisville, Kentucky, before the days of computer scoring; and she and her brother (not frequent winners) were thrilled that they were allowed to add!

She has directed duplicate games and taught bridge classes at officers' clubs in Fort Knox, Fort Leavenworth, Fort Bragg, Taiwan, Bamberg and Bayreuth, Germany, the Air Academy, as well as at civilian clubs in Murray and Paducah, Kentucky. In Taiwan, because no duplicate boards were available, the ladies made them of unbleached muslin squares with four pockets in each board. The boards were snapped shut, and they stenciled on the vulnerability and dealer information.

Sue has been bridge director on many cruises, including to the Caribbean, Hawaii, the Mediterranean, and South America.

She was in the first group of directors certified by the ACBL, and she taught the first college bridge course ever offered for credit—at Methodist College, where she was Professor of English. One of her young students is now a Life Master, and another is a touring golf pro who plays bridge when he can.

Welcome New Members

We'd like to welcome the following people who joined ACBL and the unit from July through September:

Paul Breniman, Raleigh
 Larry Calhoun, Raleigh
 Michael Carrigan, Knightdale
 Kwong Chung, Cary
 Diana Clarkson-Holl, Goldsboro
 Donald Dailey, Kitty Hawk
 Bonnie Dennis, Greenville
 Ruth Ertel, Pinehurst
 Joseph Felton, Whispering Pines
 Sally Felton, Whispering Pines
 Helen Ford, Southern Shores
 Adrienne Gantt, Atlantic Beach
 Sylvia Guido, Cary
 Bernita Harkins, Raleigh
 Linda Harrington, Greenville
 Nancy Harrison, Wilson
 Robert Irwin, Nags Head
 Joanna Johnson, Raleigh
 Florence Keith, Whispering Pines
 Susan Lanier, Greenville
 Dabney Mann, Raleigh
 John Marriott III, Cary
 Brian Northcutt, Raleigh
 Jenny Pitchford, Raleigh
 Carla Richardson, Fayetteville
 Art Schools, Emerald Isle
 Betty Jon Smith, Wilson
 Peter Straka, Sanford
 Robin Tabor, West End
 Connie Mae Tippet, Winterville
 Joshua Trout, Raleigh
 Richard Walsh, Southern Pines
 Marlana Yates, Raleigh

And the following members transferred into Unit 119 during the same period:

Martha Blackman, Raleigh
 Steve Carman, Raleigh
 Sue Claster, Southern Pines
 Marsha Contrucci, Southern Pines
 Patricia Edgecomb, Clinton
 Althea Harman, New Bern
 Walter May, Garner
 Carolyn Peterson, New Bern
 Gloria Scheiner, Cary

Nathan Scheiner, Cary
 Jan Sussman, Winterville
 Nona Tipps, Sanford
 Diane Will, Winterville

Welcome to all of you!

Advancement in Rank

New Junior Masters

Roz Ahrens, Greenville
 Carol Barbee, Pinehurst
 Mildred Bartlett, Cary
 Elizabeth Bell, Raleigh
 Julia Braswell, Cary
 Whaley Brenner, Pinehurst
 Patricia Carter, Greenville
 Sheri Carter, Greenville
 Kwong Chung, Cary
 James Connor, Morehead City
 Sylvia Day, Washington
 Alma Denton, Cary
 Tyler Eaves, Greenville
 Sally Felton, Whispering Pines
 Susan Fennel, Raleigh
 Linda Harrington, Greenville
 Carol Lynch, Cary
 Patrick Norris, Goldsboro
 Brian Northcutt, Raleigh
 Nan Owens, Wilson
 Beverly Wells, Wilson
 Edith Williams, Morehead City

New Club Masters

Jane Bennett, Greenville
 Judy Budacz, Greenville
 Kwong Chung, Cary
 Karen Collier, Greenville
 June Cozart, Greenville
 Don Dempsey, Greenville
 Tyler Eaves, Greenville
 Thomas Elleman, Raleigh
 Laura Farley, Greenville
 Carolyn Hochstein, Pinehurst
 Phil Hutaff, Pinehurst
 Harriet Kelner, Cary
 Mary Mann, Greenville
 Marian Morrison, Southern Pines
 Carrie Oakley, Greenville
 Sara Paris, Goldsboro
 Rhonda Patterson, Raleigh

Howard Rainey, Southern Pines
 Mary Ann Singer, Raleigh
 Sue Taylor, Greenville
 Rosemond Tipton, Greenville
 Reverdy Winfree, Raleigh

New Sectional Masters

Sally Barnes, Wilson
 Winnie Evans, Greenville
 Mary Fitzgerald, Raleigh
 Barbara Gruninger, Whispering Pines
 Knud Kornberg, Pinehurst
 Barbara Ledbetter, Southern Pines
 Golda Page, Fayetteville
 Ann Pozdol, Pinehurst
 Nancy Sook, Raleigh
 Louise Watson, Wilson

New Regional Masters

Steffi Hobson, Southern Pines
 Dorothy Lamberty, Cary
 Don McGlohon, Greenville
 Janet McGlohon, Greenville
 Faye Norris, Greenville
 Nancy Perine, Southern Shores
 Burt Rosenberg, Raleigh
 Sharon Russell, West End
 Jamie Sue Schmidt, Emerald Isle
 Mike Smith, Pinehurst

New NABC Masters

Patricia Livengood, Fayetteville
 Carla McCauley, Fayetteville
 Sue Tripp, Fuquay Varina
 Emily Vaughan, Beaufort

New Life Masters

Deborah Eaves, Greenville



Deborah Eaves, Life Master

New Bronze Life Masters

Roger Allen, Raleigh
 Anne Brechtelsbauer, Pinehurst
 Jeanne Brennesholtz, Emerald Isle
 K Gopalakrishnan, Greenville
 Robert Richardson, Fayetteville

New Silver Life Masters

Patricia Lennon, Fairmont
 Roger Carroll, Fayetteville

New Gold Life Masters

John Markey

Ace of Clubs Standings

The Ace of Clubs standings (for those players who have earned the most masterpoints in club games) through October 6 are as follows:

0 – 5

Howard Rainey
 Kwong Chung
 Don Dempsey

5 – 20

Trish Dixon
 Ann Pozdol
 Liz Sorrell

20 – 50

Nancy Sook
 Faye Norris
 Becky Overton

50 – 100

Fred Lavin
 Burt Rosenberg
 Janet McGlohon

100 – 200

Sue Tripp
 Deborah Eaves
 Sandra Everett

200 – 300

Chris Carolan
 Carolyn Peterson
 Carolyn Hill

300 – 500

Roger Allen
 Donna Hildebrand
 Maxine Cunningham

500 – 1000

Walter Stein
 Charlotte Weathers
 Lucille Markle

1,000 – 2,500

Mack Moore
 Billy Bizzell
 Robert Patchen

2,500 – 5,000

Alan Senzel
 Mary Sasse
 Edmund Mendell

7,500 – 10,000

Bruce Reeve
 Annalee Gault
 Robert White

Over 10,000

Walter May
 Kay Joyce
 George Bloomer

Mini-McKenney Standings

The Mini-McKenney standings (for those players who have won the most masterpoints overall) through October 6 are as follows:

0 – 5

Tyler Eaves
 Don Dempsey
 Howard Rainey

5 – 20

Trish Dixon
 Liz Sorrell
 Ann Pozdol

20 – 50

Mike Smith
 Faye Norris
 Becky Overton

50 – 100

John Irwin
 Rhonda Irwin
 Fred Lavin

100 – 200

Deborah Eaves
 Sandra Everett
 Ellen Pauling

200 – 300

Carolyn Hill
 Carolyn Peterson
 Chris Carolan

300 – 500

Anne Brechtelsbauer
 Donna Hildebrand
 Maxine Cunningham

500 – 1,000	Walter Stein Charlotte Weathers Carole Exum
1,000 – 2,500	Walter Spiewak John Markey II Lance Shull
2,500 – 5,000	Alec Price Alan Senzel Malcolm Smith
5,000 – 7,500	Lawrence Gould
7,500 – 10,000	Bruce Reeve Robert White Greg Gault
Over 10,000	George Bloomer Kay Joyce Judith Bloomer

In Memoriam

Irma Crenshaw (March 6, 1912 – May 4, 2006)

Irma started playing duplicate bridge at age 50, proving it is never too late to start. She played in Durham, mostly with Hazel Brown, but also with Mrs. Roycroft and Toy. She became a life master. After that she loved to tell her daughter, Ann, she won again with Hazel, who was a non-life master. In 2001 she moved to Smithfield at age 89 and played for four more years. She had different partners almost every single week and came in often. Bridge kept her going. We were delighted to help her get her Silver Life Master award. She was thrilled about that achievement. Her daughter drove her to bridge each week and told us her last game was the 2005 Smithfield Christmas party.

Upcoming Tournaments

Carolina Masters – October 13–15

The Raleigh sectional will be held at the Jaycee Center. The Friday games will be held at 1:00 and 7:00 PM. Saturday's two-session pairs event games will begin at 10:30 AM and 3:30 PM, and the Sunday Swiss will begin at 10:30 AM. Friday and Saturday's games will have separate 299er sections.

Contact Collins Williams at 919.875.1289 or Collins.Williams@alumni.duke.edu

Crystal Coast Sectional – October 27–29

Come to the beach! This popular sectional, known for its friendly players and GREAT food, will have a 199er section at every session. The event will take place at the Leon Mann Jr Enrichment Center (aka Senior Center). Friday games will begin at 1:30 and 7:30 PM, Saturday sessions will be held at 10:30 AM and 3:30 PM, and Sunday's Swiss team event will kick off at 10:30 AM. There is a new host hotel this year—the Holiday Inn Express (252.247.5001). Contact Jeanne Brennesholtz at 252.354.5853 or jeannebren@ec.rr.com for more info.

Great games – WOW!

Congratulations to Barbara Wright and Tom Colven on an outstanding 77.5% game in Western Carteret on Thursday, July 6. Way to go! And in the North American Pairs qualifying game in Emerald Isle on July 23, Barbara and Tom had a 71.5% game! Will there be a “three-peat”?

Friday, August 25 in Morehead City was the day of down 1, down 2, down 3, down 4, doubled, not doubled. The smartest ones were the ones who didn't bid and let their opponents get into trouble. Sarah Kinsey and Harry Pollitt played their cards right – and came away with a 75% game. Congratulations!

Club News

Crystal Coast

Friendly Duplicate Bridge Club (Friday afternoon)

North American Pairs – July 14

- 1 Sharon Glassman – Sheldon Glassman
- 2 Barbara Wright – Ann Lockhart
- 3 Sissy Weil – Jay Gervasi
- 4 Bundy Glover – Peggy Haigler
- 3rd C Tudi Moldestad – Jamie Sue Schmidt

Club Championship – September 22

- 1 Clay Young – Mym Young
- 2 Sarah Kinsey – Jeanne Brennesholtz
- 3 Jane Broadstreet – Phyllis Gibson
- 4 Barbara Wright – Gail Dupree
- 1st C Jamie Sue Schmidt – Tudi Moldestad
- 2nd C Emily Vaughan – Jim Connor

Carteret County Bridge Club (Tuesday afternoon)

North American Pairs – July 18

- 1 Barbara Wright – Harry Pollitt
- 2 Sarah Kinsey – Jeanne Brennesholtz
- 3 Mym Young – Clay Young
- 4 Phyllis Gibson – Doug Wolfe
- 1st C Edith Williams – Jim Connor
- 2nd C Jeanne Burrows – Betty Jon Smith
- 3rd C Retha Sermons – Don Murray

Club Championship – September 12

- 1 Zana Faircloth – Nancy Shelton
- 2 Ann Lockhart – Harry Pollitt
- 3 Bundy Glover – Mym Young
- 2nd B Emily Vaughan – Jeanne Brennesholtz
- 1st C Gail Dembicks – Hildred Parker
- 2nd C Sharon Glassman – Sheldon Glassman
- 3rd C Verna Fritche – Jim Connor

Western Carteret Bridge Club (Thursday night)

Club Championship – September 21

- 1 Tudi Moldestad – John Gignilliat
- 2 Sarah Kinsey – Jeanne Brennesholtz
- 3 Barbara Wright-Colven – Tom Colven

Emerald Isle Duplicate Bridge Club (Sunday night)

North American Pairs – July 23

- 1 Barbara Wright – Tom Colven
- 2/3 Jamie Sue Schmidt – Don House
- 2/3 Mym Young – Rebecca Wilson
- 2nd B Sarah Kinsey – Jeanne Brennesholtz
- 3rd B Jim Terrell – Lucy Terrell

Membership game – August 20

- 1 Jane Broadstreet – Tom Colven
- 2 Clif Paderick – Hilda Paderick
- 3 Laurel Ciotti – Marie Burgess-Strauss
- 2nd B Sarah Kinsey – Jeanne Brennesholtz

Club Championship – September 17

- 1 Barbara Wright-Colven – Tom Colven
- 2 Jamie Sue Schmidt – Don House

New Bern

North American Pairs – August 9

- 1 Gerry Knoetgen – Rose Klawitter
- 2 Pat Mayo – Marilyn Jacobs
- 3 Sissy Weil – Jay Gervasi
- 4 John Gignilliat – John Tattersall
- 2nd C Caroline Herz – Carolyn Peterson

Goldsboro Bridge Club

North American Pairs – June 21

- 1 Doris Baddour – Patsy McLamb

- 2 Tommy Franklin – H Krishnaprasad

- 3 Audrey Solberg – Doris Jones

- 4 Betty Wilkins – Virginia Herlihy

- 1st C Kaye Langston – Jeanne Peacock

- 2nd C Mary Barrow – Alice Crawford

North American Pairs – July 26

- 1 Vivian Wharton – Peggy Seegars

- 2 Dorothy McKemie – Audrey Solberg

- 3 La Vee Bailey – Lucille Markle

- 4 Harriet Chused – Pearl Schechter

- 1st C Deborah Eaves – Martha Ward

- 2nd C Linda Resuggan – Irene Maloney

Junior Fund – July 28

- 1 Betty Wilkins – Billy Bizzell

- 2 Doris Jones – Madelyn Percise

- 3 John Haverkamp – Judith Haverkamp

- 2nd B H Krishnaprasad – Patsy McLamb

Junior Fund – July 3

- 1 Pearl Schechter – Harriet Chused

- 2 Patricia Sasser – Patrick Sasser

- 3 Kaye Langston – Peggy Seegars

- 4 Martha Ward – Deborah Eaves

- 2nd C Vivian Wharton – Wilma Thompson

- 3rd C Jeanne Peacock – Ruth Kadis

Club Championship – July 10

- 1 Shelby Bizzell – Sherry Owens

- 2 Ray Gunderson – Virginia Mansour

- 3 Lucille Markle – La Vee Bailey

- 2nd B Vivian Wharton – Peggy Seegars

- 1st C Wilma Thompson – Sara Paris

- 2nd C Mary Barrow – Alice Crawford

- 3rd C Irene Maloney – Linda Resuggan

The Monday game at St. Stephen's keeps growing and growing. The officers have adopted a new policy that may never be put into practice, but they are ready with a plan if the situation warrants it. The American Contract Bridge League requires a non-playing director for a special game of over 17 tables. So far, the club has not had a game that big, but it has been close.

In the event that more than 17 tables show up for a special game (a game that awards more points than usual), the special game will not be played. Instead, a regular game with regular points will be played. This policy does not apply to games that award gold or silver points. It is wonderful to have this problem. It means that bridge is alive and well in Goldsboro!

North American Pairs – July 12 (Wednesday)

- 1 Betty Wilkins – Virginia Herlihy
- 2 Doris Jones – Patsy McLamb
- 3 Kenneth Wilkins – Peggy Seegars
- 4 Susan Wilson – Audrey Solberg

Junior Fund – July 19 (Wednesday)

- 1 Virginia Herlihy – Betty Wilkins
- 2 Ray Gunderson – Virginia Mansour

North American Pairs – July 24 (Monday)

- 1 Marjorie Crisp – Lou Craig
- 2 Pearl Schechter – Harriet Chused
- 3 Mabel Edmonson – Betty Wilkins
- 1st B Sandra Allen – Susan Wilson
- 2nd B La Vee Bailey – Lucille Markle
- 3rd B Tommy Franklin – Kathleen Smith
- 2nd C Mary Barrow – Alice Crawford
- 3rd C Alice Tillman – Irene Maloney

Club Championship – July 26 (Wednesday)

- 1 Patsy McLamb – H Krishnaprasad
- 2 Audrey Solberg – Sue Paris
- 3/4 Kathleen Smith – Tommy Franklin
- 3/4 Lew Rose – Anne Michaux

International Fund – July 31 (Monday)

- 1 Kenneth Wilkins – Betty Wilkins
- 2 Susan Wilson – Dorothy McKemie
- 3 Deborah Eaves – Martha Ward
- 4 Mack Moore – Billy Bizzell
- 3rd B Bea Balkcum – Doris Baddour
- 1st C Ellen Pauling – Sandra Everett
- 2nd C Betty Acree – Karen Touve
- 3rd C Eileen Thornton – Sterling Jarrett

Junior Fund – August 9 (Wednesday)

- 1 Ray Gunderson – Virginia Mansour
- 2 Betty Wilkins – Virginia Herlihy
- 3 Tommy Franklin – Sue Paris
- 2nd B H Krishnaprasad – Patsy McLamb
- 3rd B Myra Tucker – Bea Balkcum

North American Pairs – August 14 (Monday)

- 1 Billy Bizzell – Mack Moore
- 2 La Vee Bailey – Lucille Markle
- 3 Harriet Chused – Pearl Schechter
- 4 Doris Jones – Patsy McLamb
- 5 Bea Balkcum – Doris Baddour
- 6 Barbara Ann Vinson - Tommy Franklin
- 1st C Mary Barrow – Alice Crawford
- 2nd C Irene Maloney – Linda Resuggan
- 3rd C Erma Lawrence – Wilma Thompson

North American Pairs – August 16 (Wednesday)

- 1 Kenneth Wilkins – Kathleen Smith

- 2 H Krishnaprasad – Tommy Franklin

- 3 Doris Baddour – Sue Paris

Junior Fund – August 21 (Monday)

- 1 Bea Balkcum – Doris Baddour
- 2 Susan Pittman – Gladys Chianello
- 3 Betty Wilkins – Kenneth Wilkins
- 4 Dayle Pond – Edward Pond
- 2nd B Deborah Eaves – Martha Ward
- 3rd B Myra Tucker – Anne Michaux
- 1st C Mary Barrow – Alice Crawford
- 2nd C Ellen Pauling – Sandra Everett
- 3rd C Betty Acree – Karen Touve

Junior Fund – August 23 (Wednesday)

- 1 Betty Wilkins – Billy Bizzell
- 2 Ray Gunderson – Virginia Mansour
- 3 Audrey Solberg – Doris Jones
- 1st B H Krishnaprasad – Patsy McLamb
- 2nd B Jeanne Peacock – Shelby Bizzell
- 3rd B Tommy Franklin – Kathleen Smith
- 1st C Louise Watson – Phyllis Winstead
- 2nd C John Haverkamp – Judith Haverkamp

International Fund – August 28 (Monday)

- 1 Kathleen Smith – Kenneth Wilkins
- 2 Gladys Chianello – Susan Pittman
- 3 Jeanne Peacock – Kaye Langston
- 4 Mabel Edmonson – Betty Wilkins
- 2nd B Tommy Franklin – Barbara Ann Vinson
- 3rd B Anne Michaux – Myra Tucker
- 2nd C Sterling Jarrett – Vivian Wharton
- 3rd C Ellen Pauling – Sandra Everett

International Fund – August 30 (Wednesday)

- 1 Betty Wilkins – Virginia Herlihy
- 2 Myra Tucker – Elizabeth Sutton
- 3 John Haverkamp – Judith Haverkamp
- 4 Bea Balkcum – Lillian Galloway

International Fund – September 4 (Monday)

- 1 Betty Wilkins – Kenneth Wilkins
- 2 Peggy Seegars – Kaye Langston
- 3 Virginia Herlihy – Madelyn Percise
- 4 Mary Barrow – Alice Crawford
- 2nd C Vivian Wharton – Wilma Thompson
- 3rd C Irene Maloney – Linda Resuggan

International Fund – September 6 (Wednesday)

- 1 Tommy Franklin – H Krishnaprasad
- 2 Sterling Jarrett – Barbara Ann Vinson
- 3 Patsy McLamb – Jim Molitor

International Fund – September 11 (Monday)

- 1 Jeanne Peacock – Susan Wilson
- 2 Dayle Pond – Ed Pond

- 3 Grace Rouse – Pearl Schechter
- 4 Mabel Edmonson – Betty Wilkins
- 2nd B Alice Crawford – Mary Barrow
- 3rd B Shelby Bizzell – Sherry Owens
- 2nd C Sandra Everett – Ellen Pauling
- 3rd C Jane Cates Deppe – Patrick Norris

Instant Matchpoint Game – September 14

North/South

- 1 Dorothy McKemie – Audrey Solberg
- 2 Susan Wilson – Sandra Allen
- 3 Ray Gunderson – Virginia Mansour
- 2nd B Mary Barrow – Alice Crawford

East/West

- 1 Bea Balkcum – Myra Tucker
- 2 Doris Baddour – Doris Jones
- 3 Sue Paris – Shelby Bizzell

International Fund – September 18 (Monday)

- 1 Susan Wilson – Vivian Wharton
- 2 Mabel Edmonson – Sandra Franklin
- 3 Kenneth Wilkins – Betty Wilkins
- 4 Dorothy McKemie – Ray Gunderson
- 2nd B Eileen Thornton – Kaye Langston
- 3rd B Sandra Everett – Ellen Pauling
- 2nd C Wilma Thompson – Ruth Kadis
- 3rd C Alice Crawford – Mary Barrow

In Sympathy

The Goldsboro Bridge Club suffered two great losses the end of September. Billie Eason, a longtime player, died Tuesday, September 25. She and her husband had recently moved to New Bern because she was having health problems. She will be greatly missed. Even when she was having trouble breathing, she had a smile on her face. She loved the game, and she loved the players. She never lost her sense of humor or her knack for encouraging others.

Peggy Seegars lost her husband of sixty years. Even in his wheelchair, Neal Seegars was a distinguished man with a commanding presence.

The bridge club extends its deepest sympathy to both families.

Greenville**Bridge “R” Us**

ACBL Charity – July 5 (Wednesday a.m.)

- 1 Sandra Everett – Ellen Pauling
- 2 Carole Exum – John Holmes
- 3 Mack Moore – Billy Bizzell

ACBL Charity – July 5 (Wednesday p.m.)

- 1 Barbara Perkins – Janet McGlohon
- 2 Dot Corbett – Nancy Zeller
- 3 Frankie Brown – Ann Latham
- 2nd B Ellen Pauling – Sandra Everett

Local Charity – July 10 (Monday)

- 1 Laura Farley – Ginny Hill
- 2 Roz Ahrens – Linda Harrington
- 3 Joye Simmons – Mary Ann Schmitt

Local Charity – July 12 (Wednesday a.m.)

- 1 Deborah Eaves – Faye Dempsey
- 2 Mack Moore – Billy Bizzell
- 3 Fred Lavin – Carole Exum

1st C Don McGlohon – Janet McGlohon2nd C Faye Norris – Becky Overton

Local Charity – July 12 (Wednesday p.m.)

- 1 Nancy Zeller – Dot Corbett
- 2 Miriam Martin – George Martin
- 3 Annie Campbell – Ann Latham
- 1st B John Holmes – Faye Dempsey
- 2/3 B Lois Sawyer – Elizabeth Latham
- 2/3 B Nicole Aronson – David Long

Upgraded Club Championship – July 17 (Monday)

- 1 Kay Crawford – Pat Carter
- 2 Carol Irons – Sheri Carter
- 3 Winnie Evans – Jane Bennett
- 4 Karen Collier – Joye Simmons

North American Pairs – July 19 (Wednesday a.m.)

- 1 Fred Lavin – Carole Exum
- 2 Mack Moore – Billy Bizzell
- 3/4 Tyler Eaves – Don Dempsey
- 3/4 Martha Ward – Betty Milliken

North American Pairs – July 19 (Wednesday p.m.)

- 1 Mack Moore – Billy Bizzell
- 2 Estelle Carraway – Moira Troughton
- 3 Sandra Everett – Ellen Pauling
- 2nd C Deborah Eaves – Faye Dempsey

North American Pairs – July 24 (Monday)

- 1/2 Laura Farley – Mary Mann
- 1/2 Carrie Oakley – Sarah Sugg
- 3 Patti Clark – June Calhoun
- 4 Mary Barnhill – Ginny Hill

North American Pairs – July 26 (Wednesday a.m.)

- 1 John Holmes – Charlotte Weathers
- 2/3 Mack Moore – Billy Bizzell
- 2/3 Tyler Eaves – Ellen Pauling
- 4/5 Linda Shaul – Karen Collier
- 4/5 Carole Exum – Fred Lavin

North American Pairs – July 26 (Wednesday p.m.)

- 1 Dot Corbett – Nancy Zeller
- 2 Martha Ward – Deborah Eaves
- 3 Miriam Martin – George Martin
- 4 Mary Jones – Ruth Edwards

North American Pairs – July 31 (Monday)

- 1 Ginny Hill – June Cozart
- 2 Ginny Maxwell – Janet McGlohon
- 3 Winnie Evans – Jane Bennett
- 4 Mary Everett – Beverley Queen

ACBL Charity – August 2 (Wednesday a.m.)

- 1 Mack Moore – Billy Bizzell
- 2 Ellen Pauling – Sandra Everett
- 3/4 Charlotte Weathers – Tyler Eaves
- 3/4 Fred Lavin – Carole Exum
- 2nd C Winnie Evans – Dorothee Taylor
- 3rd C Elaine Brestel – Linda Shaul

ACBL Charity – August 2 (Wednesday p.m.)

- 1 Miriam Martin – George Martin
- 2 Ann Latham – Frankie Brown
- 3 Estelle Carraway – Moira Troughton
- 1st B Becky Overton – Faye Norris
- 2nd B Nicole Aronson – David Long
- 3rd B Charlotte Weathers – Carole Exum
- 3rd C Ellen Pauling – Sandra Everett

ACBL Charity – August 7 (Monday)

- 1 Becky Overton – Faye Norris
- 2 Annie Griffin – Jayne Spangler
- 3 Laura Farley – Susan Williams
- 2nd B Carolyn Rollins – Brenda Lewis

Local Charity – August 9 (Wednesday a.m.)

- 1 Mack Moore – Billy Bizzell
- 2 Katlin Szucs – Janet McGlohon
- 3 Deborah Eaves – Faye Dempsey
- 2nd C Becky Overton – Faye Norris

Local Charity – August 9 (Wednesday p.m.)

- 1 Estelle Carraway – Barbara Perkins
- 2 J Gresham – Frank Eagles
- 3 Mack Moore – Billy Bizzell
- 1st B Charlotte Weathers – Carole Exum
- 2nd B Gladys Chianello – Faye Dempsey
- 3rd B Lew Rose – Anne Michaux

Local Charity – August 14 (Monday)

- 1 Betsy Toler – Sylvia Day
- 2 Carrie Oakley – Dorothy Harman
- 3 Laura Farley – Don Dempsey
- 4 Linda Shaul – Nelda Hedges

Club Championship – August 16 (Wednesday a.m.)

- 1 Mack Moore – Billy Bizzell

2 Masao Kishore – Katlin Szucs

3 Becky Overton – Faye Norris

Club Championship – August 16 (Wednesday p.m.)

1 Mack Moore – Billy Bizzell

2 Mary Jones – Ruth Edwards

3 Carole Exum – Faye Dempsey

1st C Dorothy Harman – Faye Norris

2nd C Winnie Evans – Rosemond Tipton

North American Pairs – August 21 (Monday)

1/2 tie Mary Ann Schmitt – Joye Simmons

1/2 tie Dorothy Harman – Elaine Brestel

4 Elizabeth Allen – Sue Taylor

North American Pairs – August 23 (Wednesday a.m.)

1 Carole Exum – Charlotte Weathers

2 Martha Ward – Jane Cougan

3 Mack Moore – Billy Bizzell

2/3 C Ellen Pauling – Sandra Everett

2/3 C Sheri Carter – Don Dempsey

North American Pairs – August 23 (Wednesday p.m.)

1 Charlotte Weathers – Tyler Eaves

2 Annie Campbell – Ann Latham

3 Frankie Brown – Carole Exum

1st C Janet McGlohon – Don McGlohon

2nd C Ruth Edwards – Mary Jones

3rd C Linda Shaul – Nicole Aronson

North American Pairs – August 28 (Monday)

1 Laura Farley – Don Dempsey

2 Carrie Oakley – Sarah Sugg

3 Lynn Strausbauch – Linda Shaul

4 Elizabeth Allen – Sue Taylor

North American Pairs – August 30 (Wednesday am)

1 Billy Bizzell – Mack Moore

2 Susan Pittman – Carole Exum

3 Faye Dempsey – Deborah Eaves

4 Charlotte Weathers – Connie Bright

North American Pairs – August 30 (Wednesday pm)

1 Billy Bizzell – Mack Moore

2 Sandra Everett – Ellen Pauling

3 Mary Jones – Ruth Edwards

International Fund – September 4 (Monday)

1 Elizabeth Allen – Don Dempsey

2 Janet McGlohon – Don McGlohon

3 Dorothy Harman – Elaine Brestel

International Fund – September 6 (Wednesday a.m.)

1 Suzanne Pecheles – Jane Macdonald

2 Christopher Carolan – Fred Lavin

3 Charlotte Weathers – Carole Exum

2nd C Janet McGlohon – Karen Collier

3rd C Elaine Brestel – Linda Shaul

International Fund – September 6 (Wednesday p.m.)

- 1 Dorothy McKemie – Audrey Solberg
- 2 Ann Latham – Frankie Brown
- 3 Anne Michaux – Lew Rose
- 3rd B Martha Ward – Deborah Eaves
- 1st C Becky Overton – Faye Norris

International Fund – September 11 (Monday)

- 1 Judy Budacz – Joanna Lee
- 2 Susan Williams – Laura Farley
- 3 Sylvia Day – Betsy Toler
- 4 Jacqueline Williams – Suzanne Pecheles

International Fund – September 13 (Wednesday am)

- 1 Fred Lavin – Christopher Carolan
- 2 Dorothy McKemie – Audrey Solberg
- 3/4 tie Anne Michaux – Lew Rose
- 3/4 tie Ellen Pauling – Sandra Everett
- 2nd C Lynn Strausbauch – Linda Shaul
- 3rd C Becky Overton – Faye Norris

International Fund – September 13 (Wednesday pm)

- 1 Dot Corbett – Nancy Zeller
- 2 Dorothy McKemie – Audrey Solberg
- 3 Gladys Chianello – Susan Pittman
- 1/2 B Martha Ward – Deborah Eaves
- 1/2 B Sheri Carter – Karen Collier
- 3rd B Lois Sawyer – Elizabeth Latham
- 2nd C Linda Shaul – Nicole Aronson

Club Championship – September 18 (Monday)

- 1 Becky Overton – Faye Norris
- 2/3 Suzanne Pecheles – Jane Macdonald
- 2/3 Dorothee Taylor – Winnie Evans

International Fund – September 20 (Wednesday am)

- 1 Mack Moore – Billy Bizzell
- 2 Fred Lavin – Chris Carolan
- 3 Sandra Everett – Ellen Pauling

International Fund – September 20 (Wednesday pm)

- 1 Mary Jones – Ruth Edwards
- 2 Miriam Martin – George Martin
- 3 Ellen Pauling – Sandra Everett
- 4 Charlotte Weathers – Carole Exum
- 2nd C Dorothee Taylor – June Cozart

International Fund – September 25 (Monday)

- 1 Sheri Carter – Nelson Crisp
- 2 Diane Will – Connie Tippet
- 3 Becky Overton – Faye Norris
- 4 Annie Griffin – Mary Jackson
- 2nd B Mary Mann – Rosemond Tipton
- 3rd B Judy Budacz – Joanna Lee

Club Membership – September 27 (Wednesday am)

- 1 Mack Moore – Billy Bizzell

- 2 Sheri Carter – Nelson Crisp
- 3 Margaret Shuping – Susan Pittman
- 4 Faye Norris – Becky Overton

Club Membership – September 27 (Wednesday pm)

- 1 Mack Moore – Billy Bizzell
- 2 Charlotte Weathers – J Gresham
- 3 Dorothy Harman – Miriam Lyder
- 4 Frankie Brown – Ann Latham
- 2nd B Janet McGlohon – Don McGlohon
- 3rd B Carole Exum – Faye Dempsey

Greenville Duplicate Bridge Club (Saturday)

Local Charity – July 8

- 1 Billy Bizzell – Mack Moore
- 2 Barbara Stocks – Carole Exum
- 3 Nancy Zeller – Bruce Southard
- 1st B Lois Sawyer – Margaret Ainsworth
- 2nd B Katlin Szucs – Masao Kishore
- 1st C Moira Troughton – Simon Troughton
- 2nd C Sandra Everett – Faye Dempsey

ACBL Charity – July 15

- 1 Billy Bizzell – Mack Moore
- 2 Bruce Southard – Nancy Zeller
- 3 Susan Pittman – Ray Gunderson
- 1st B Charlotte Weathers – John Holmes
- 2nd B Mary Jones – Ruth Edwards
- 3rd B Masao Kishore – Edward Wells
- 1st C Fred Lavin – Simon Troughton
- 2nd C Tyler Eaves – Martha Ward
- 3rd C Mary Jackson – Sylvia Day

North American Pairs – July 22

- 1 Nancy Zeller – Bruce Southard
- 2 Barbara Stocks – Carole Exum
- 3 Dot Corbett – Chris Carolan
- 3rd B Fred Lavin – Susan Pittman
- 1st C Ellen Pauling – Deborah Eaves
- 2nd C Janet McGlohon – Don McGlohon

North American Pairs – July 29

- 1 Fred Lavin – Carole Exum
- 2 Billy Bizzell – Mack Moore
- 3 Tyler Eaves – Arthur Moore
- 4 Masao Kishore – Katlin Szucs
- 1st C Martha Ward – Deborah Eaves
- 2nd C Chris Carolan – Joseph Hatch

Local Charity – August 5

- 1 J Gresham – Katlin Szucs
- 2 Fred Lavin – Moira Troughton
- 3 Dorothy McKemie – Libba Sutton
- 2/3 B Charlotte Weathers – John Holmes
- 2/3 B Faye Dempsey – Sandra Everett

2nd C Jayne Spangler – Mary Jackson
 3rd C Nicole Aronson – Linda Shaul
 North American Pairs – August 12
 1 Ann Ipock – Carlton Ipock
 2 Ann Latham – Mary Jones
 3 Nancy Zeller – Bruce Southard
 4 Mack Moore – Billy Bizzell
 North American Pairs – August 19
 1 Nancy Zeller – Bruce Southard
 2 Estelle Carraway – Don Dempsey
 3 Dorothy McKemie – Libba Sutton
 4 Miriam Martin – George Martin
 1st C Faye Dempsey – Deborah Eaves
 2nd C Katlin Szucs – David Long
 ACBL Charity - August 26
 1 K Gopalakrishnan – Barbara Stocks
 2 Nancy Zeller – Bruce Southard
 3 Fred Lavin – Chris Carolan
 4 Patsy McLamb – Audrey Solberg
 1st C Don Dempsey – Karen Collier
 2nd C Moira Troughton – Simon Troughton
 International Fund – September 2
 1 Ann Ipock – Carlton Ipock
 2 Ann Latham – Graham Davis
 3 Miriam Martin – George Martin
 1st C Fred Lavin – Natoma Bullman
 2nd C Kaye Langston – Jeanne Peacock
 3rd C Moira Troughton – Simon Troughton
 International Fund – September 9
 1 Christopher Carolan – Fred Lavin
 2 Ann Latham – Graham Davis
 3 Miriam Martin – George Martin
 4 Katlin Szucs – Masao Kishore
 Instant Matchpoint Game – September 14
 North/South
 1 Dorothy Harman – Elaine Brestel
 2 Masao Kishore – Katlin Szucs
 3 Marjorie Crisp – Carol Patterson
 East/West
 1 Margaret Morris – Marie Tomlinson
 2 Barbara Perkins – Estelle Carraway
 3 Ann Ipock – Carlton Ipock
 International Fund – September 16
 1 Chris Carolan - Pál Hargittai
 2/3 tie Ray Gunderson – Fred Lavin
 2/3 tie Nancy Zeller – John Holmes
 1st C Jayne Spangler – Mary Jackson
 2nd C Dorothee Taylor – Winnie Evans

Membership – September 23

1 Carole Exum – Barbara Stocks
 2 Virginia Maxwell – Miriam Lyder
 3 Chris Carolan – Fred Lavin
 2nd C Janet McGlohon – Don McGlohon

International Fund – September 30

1 Mary Jones – Ruth Edwards
 2 Clay Young – Mym Young
 3 Carole Exum – Charlotte Weathers
 1st C Tyler Eaves – Pál Hargittai
 2nd C Natoma Bullman – Doris Jenkins
 3rd C Ellen Pauling – Sandra Everett

Pirate Bridge Club (Tuesday)

Local Charity – July 11

1 Ann Ipock – Carlton Ipock
 2 Linda Shaul – Chris Carolan
 3 David Long – Nicole Aronson

North American Pairs – July 18

1 Ann Ipock – Carlton Ipock
 2 Nancy Zeller – Nicole Aronson
 3 Deborah Eaves – Tyler Eaves
 2nd C Don Dempsey – Faye Dempsey
 3rd C June Cozart – Jane Bennett

North American Pairs – July 25

1 Chris Carolan – Tyler Eaves
 2 Estelle Carraway – Barbara Stocks
 3 Ann Ipock – Carlton Ipock
 2nd C Elaine Brestel – Nicole Aronson
 3rd C Martha Ward – Sandra Everett

ACBL Charity – August 1

1 Ellen Pauling – Sandra Everett
 2 Estelle Carraway – Barbara Stocks
 3/4 Katlin Szucs – Jan Teller
 3/4 K Gopalakrishnan – David Long
 1st C June Cozart – Jane Bennett
 2/3 C June Calhoun – Winnie Evans
 2/3 C Rosemond Tipton – Mary Warren Mann

Local Charity – August 8

1 June Cozart – Nelson Crisp
 2 Nicole Aronson – Elaine Brestel
 3 Sue Taylor – Mary Ann Barnhill
 4 Janet McGlohon – Don McGlohon

North American Pairs – August 15

1 Estelle Carraway – Barbara Stocks
 2 Faye Dempsey – Don Dempsey
 3 Katlin Szucs – Jan Teller

ACBL Charity – August 22

- 1 Winnie Evans – Dorothee Taylor
- 2 Barbara Stocks – Jan Teller
- 3 Ann Ipock – Carlton Ipock
- 2nd C Debbie Sutton – Connie Bright

North American Pairs – August 29

- 1 Elaine Brestel – Dorothy Harman
- 2 Ellen Pauling – Sandra Everett
- 3 Estelle Carraway – Barbara Stocks
- 3rd C Don McGlohon – Janet McGlohon

International Fund – September 5

- 1 Connie Bright – Debbie Sutton
- 2 Ellen Pauling – Pál Hargittai
- 3 Katlin Szucs – Jan Teller
- 4 Dorothee Taylor – Sue Taylor

International Fund – September 12

- 1 Ellen Pauling – Sandra Everett
- 2 Barbara Stocks – Katlin Szucs
- 3 Janet McGlohon – Don McGlohon

International Fund – September 19

- 1 Barbara Perkins – Estelle Carraway
- 2 June Calhoun – June Cozart
- 3 Connie Bright – Debbie Sutton

Membership – Individual – September 26

- 1 Don McGlohon
- 2 Katlin Szucs
- 3 Jan Teller
- 4 June Cozart
- 5 Ann Ipock
- 6 Tyler Eaves

Sandhills Bridge Studio

Ray Fiorillo

Save Sunday, November 5 for a really special event. That day we will celebrate our 4th anniversary. The Studio has gone through much in the last four years, and you all have helped it become as successful as it is. Nancy and Ray will host the usual party at noon followed by free Bridge for all starting at 1:15 PM. We want to take this opportunity to thank you for your continued support.

Sign up for a series of four supervised play lessons to be conducted by Maxine Cunningham and Berry Craven on Wednesday evenings in October from 7 – 9 PM. The first session will be Opening Better of the Minors with all hands dealing with that subject; the second session will deal with Overcalls; the third session will deal with Take out Doubles;

and the last session will be Negative Doubles. Talk to Maxine for more info.

Also, don't forget to sign up for the October BAM to be held on Saturday, October 21 at 7:30 PM. We will be holding Charity Games in support of the MS Society during the week of October 9–15..

A 49er game will continue on the 1st Thursday of each month at 10:00 AM starting in November. These games will continue as long as there is sufficient interest.

Great Game

Friday, August 25 in Morehead City was the day of down 1, down 2, down 3, down 4, doubled, not doubled. The smartest ones were the ones who didn't bid and let their opponents get into trouble. Sarah Kinsey and Harry Pollitt played their cards right – and came away with a 75% game! Congratulations!

Bridge and Grandchildren

Barbara Ann Vinson

All bridge players have priorities, and bridge is near the top of everyone's list. But sometimes other things are more important. Not often, but sometimes.

A week or two ago, Krishnaprasad asked Sterling Jarrett where her partner was. Mrs. Jarrett replied, "She is spending time with her new grandson."

"Well, where have YOU been for the past two Wednesdays?" he persisted.

"Spending time with my granddaughter," she responded.

"What in the world is wrong with y'all? You have to get your priorities straight. Which is more important, bridge or grandchildren?"

"Krishna," Mrs. Jarrett shot back, "It's obvious you don't have any grandchildren or you would not ask that question." End of conversation.

Of course, Kenneth Wilkins says it's a shame that no one has grandchildren as pretty as his. Madelyn Percise used to bring hers to the choir loft to sit with her while she sang. Sue Wilson drives to Charleston to keep hers. Doris Bynum keeps hers all the time. So does Kaye Langston. So do the Haverkamps. Ray Gunderson has trained one of hers to caddy at bridge

tournaments. Alice Crawford wears the names of her around her neck. The list goes on...

[And the editor's granddaughter was born during the Crystal Coast (Morehead City) sectional in 2003. After finding out that her daughter had been admitted to the hospital labor room, the editor arranged for someone to take her place for the rest of the tournament so she and her husband Mark could head to Cincinnati. Local players have had to suffer through many photos and "Ella stories."]

Summerfest

Barbara Ann Vinson

Summerfest was a huge success with 92 people attending the dinner to celebrate the club's two new life masters, Lew Rose and Tommy Franklin. Vivian Wharton donated the beautiful flower arrangements with playing cards perched in them. The social hour and meal were followed by the toasting and roasting of Mrs. Rose and Franklin.

Conway Rose, Mrs. Rose's husband, talked about how proud he was of his wife taking up a new game and mastering it in such a short time. He thanked Mabel Edmonson for all the bridge lessons she taught Mrs. Rose, Sallie Modlin for being her partner many times, Billy Bizzell for all his encouragement, and especially Anne Michaux for being her faithful partner and travel companion to all the tournaments. Mrs. Rose said she would never have made it without Mrs. Michaux's insistence that yes, she would become a life master.

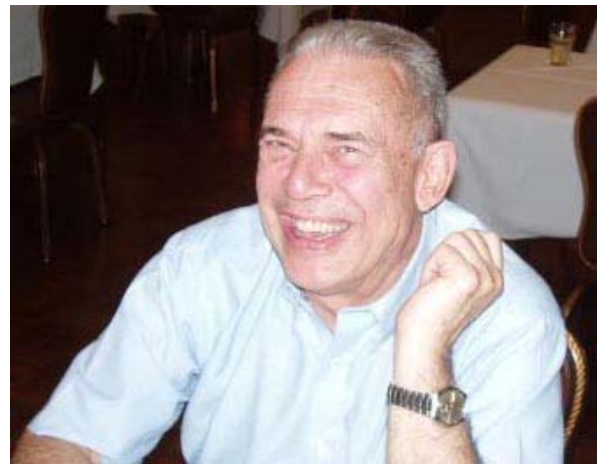
Barbara Ann Vinson announced that she had been waiting a lifetime for someone to give her the opportunity to roast Tommy Franklin in front of a live audience. She ribbed Franklin about his alias, Eugene, about his competitive spirit, and about all the titles players have given him: the nice man who helps older people in and out of the games, the man with the colorful shirts, and other titles she could not list.

Both players received a plate engraved with Life Master. Who knows who will be next year's life masters? The beautiful scrapbooks that Jo Brewster compiles were on display Sunday night and again on Monday.

Check out the pictures from the event.



Betty Wilkins and Ray Gunderson at the check-in table



Billy Bizzell



Doris Baddour, Virginia Mansour, Bea Balkcum



George and Miriam Martin



Tommy Franklin and Barbara Ann Vinson



Gyl Olafsson and Ray Neeland



Conway Rose salutes his wife, Lew



Linda Meyers, Madelyn Percise, Sandy Bateman



Mabel Edmonson, former teacher and director

Bridge is really something to celebrate. It gives you a chance to be with lots of other smart people and to exercise your mind. When you do well, you think, "Oh, this is a piece of cake." But the next week it's like you have never played the game before. You think, "Where else can I learn humility for only \$2.00?"

Bridge also gives you a ready-made circle of friends. Although players love nothing better than to beat up on each other, if something happens to

one of their own, they circle the wagons and rally around the person. There's nothing like competition to draw you closer to someone.

Computer Hands

Barbara Ann Vinson

At last the truth comes out about those dreaded computer hands. Players complain about hands that are computer generated instead of dealt by hand. They insist that distribution is skewed, that finesses never work, and that contracts are often impossible to make. Here is the truth according to the September 2001 issue of *Bridge Bulletin*.

Once a month Martha Walls, who works in the Publishing Department at ACBL, unlocks a room where deals are created. She boots up the computer and opens the random deal generator. She takes out a deck of cards, shuffles it seven times, and deals it. Then she inserts the cards into each of the corresponding compass directions on the computer screen. She tells the computer how many deals she needs and starts it. When she is finished, the computer prints all the hands and they are sealed, not to be opened until a tournament begins. Last year she used the computer program to generate 10,825 sets of deals for tournaments.

Walls has worked for ACBL for 21 years and has never played bridge. She says she "wouldn't know a bridge hand from Adam." The man who wrote the computer program says that it is capable of creating all deals possible, but no one could ever see them all. If you could look at one bridge deal a second for 24 hours a day, seven days a week all year long, the number of years it would take for you to see all the possible deals would be a 29-digit number. So there! Stop complaining about computer hands.

Recent Tournament Results

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

Fayetteville Sectional August 11–13, 2006

Friday Afternoon Open Pairs (34 pairs)			
A	B	C	Names
1			George Bloomer – Irene Adams
2			Shirley Dail – David Klein
3			Sue Kimball – Joyce Patton
	1		Maxine Cunningham – Christa Neumann
	2		Carla McCauley – Beth Keeney
	3		Betty Ann Beck – W Elliott
		1	Linda Devore – Pinky McInville
		2	Ann Pozdol – Janet Cantley
		3	Don McGlohon – Janet McGlohon

Friday Afternoon 100/50 Pairs (8 pairs)		
D	E	Names
1	1	Wesley Branch – Suzanne Edge
2	2	Jane Cates Deppe – Patrick Norris
3/4		Anthea Tate – Sue Scherff
3/4		Charlotte Castle – Mary Miller

Friday Evening Open Pairs (30 pairs)			
A	B	C	Names
1	1		J P Miller – Robert Richardson
2			Lynn Dillard – Dale Swift
3			Lois Mendell – Ed Mendell
	2/3		Anne Brechtelsbauer – Mike Smith
	2/3		Carla McCauley – Beth Keeney
		1	Dale Jarvis – Christa Neumann
		2	Don McGlohon – Janet McGlohon
		3	Linda Devore – Pinky McInville

Saturday Morning Open Pairs (48 pairs)			
A	B	C	Names
1	1		J P Miller – Robert Richardson
2			George Bloomer – Alec Price
3			Gene Peterson – Donald Wood
	2	1	Keith Starr- Helen Starr
	3	2	Sharon Russell – Gloria Warner
		3	Don McGlohon – Janet McGlohon

Saturday Afternoon Open Pairs (41 pairs)			
A	B	C	Names
1	1		Joann Beam – Roger Carroll
2			Michael Ventura – John Markey
3			Matthew Frame – Michael Schwab
	2		Darrell Elder - Lee Davis
	3		Patricia Lennon – Shirley Kozej
		1/2	Gary Neumann – Christa Neumann
		1/2	Billie DeVane – Jeanette Benton
		3	Linda Devore – Faye Ross

Sunday Swiss Teams (21 teams)			
A	B	C	Names
1			John Markey – Michael Ventura – Karin Callihan – Steve Callihan
2			Edy Bulthuis – Erlinda Wehrman – Irene Adams – George Bloomer
3			Mike Smith – Anne Brechtelsbauer – Janie Moser – Nancy Shannon
	1	1	Donna Kassel – Burton Kassel – William Burks – Mary Burks
	2		Collins Williams – Darlene Tafoya Michael Zimmerman – Susan Gilbert
	3		Marian Geddie – Marion Martin – Linda Devore – Dorothy Spence

Pinehurst (Southern Pines) Fall Sectional September 15 – 17, 2006

Friday Afternoon Open Pairs (52 pairs)			
A	B	C	Names
1			George Bloomer – Judith Bloomer
2			Walter May – William Wise
3			Mary Vickers – Bruce Reeve
	1		Betty Ann Beck – W Elliott
	2		Gene Peterson – Robert Sutley
	3		Georgia Keeler-Snow – Marilyn Elliot
		1	Carolyn Hill – Carla McCauley
		2	Jim Hunter – Aad Burghouwt
		3	Sue Tripp – Caroline Soucy

Friday Afternoon 0-200 Pairs (26 pairs)			
D	E	F	Names
1			John Irwin – Rhonda Irwin
2	1		Ray Libbey – Robert Kelley

Friday Afternoon 0-200 Pairs (cont'd)			
3			Polly Arnold – Brenda McLean
	2	1	Florence Phillips – Charles Phillips
	3	2	Anthea Tate – Sue Scherff
		3	Ruth Whitaker – Marian Morrison

Friday Evening Open Pairs (36 pairs)			
A	B	C	Names
1	1	1	Carolyn Hill – Carla McCauley
2			Edgar Lillard – Donald Wood
3			George Bloomer – Judith Bloomer
	2		Myron Siegel – Judith Siegel
	3	2	Ethel Butler – Carmina Diaz
		3	Sue Tripp – Caroline Soucy

Friday Evening 0-200 Pairs (15 pairs)		
D	E	Names
1		Gloria Warner – Sharon Russell
2	1	Liz Sorrell – Sue Hughes
3		Jim Hunter – Aad Burghouwt
	2	Gary Neumann – Christa Neumann

Saturday Morning Open Pairs (56 pairs)			
A	B	C	Names
1			George Bloomer – Irene Adams
2			Mark McLaughlin – S McLaughlin
3			Sue Reeve – Mette Smith
	1		Betty Ann Beck – Dorothy Olson
	2		Donald Snelgrove – David Cook
	3		Arthur Moore – Tyler Eaves
		1	Marieca Haydon – Jennifer Ward
		2	Helen Ferency – Treva Chappell
		3	Betty Jane Dunn – Ailene Wilson

Saturday Morning 0-200 Pairs (28 pairs)			
D	E	F	Names
1			Robert Hale – Claudia Hale
2			Kathryn Tomlinson – Mary Leger
3	1		Liz Sorrell – Carole Dematteis
	2	1	Christa Neumann – Gary Neumann
	3	2	Bonnie Woodruff – Adria Ward Walker
		3	Janice Midden – Meg Ketron

Saturday Afternoon Open Pairs (40 pairs)			
A	B	C	Names
1			Alec Price – Len Case
2			Michael Ventura – John Markey
3	1		Donna Hildebrand – Barbara Huntwork
	2	1	Bill Latham – Elizabeth Latham
	3		Myron Siegel – Judith Siegel
		2	Sue Tripp – Trish Dixon
		3	Martha Ward – Deborah Eaves

Sunday Swiss Teams (31 teams)			
A	B	C	Names
1			Ray Fiorillo – George Snow – Samuel Kass – Edward Berndt
2			Alan Senzel – Tom Menges – Mary Sasse – George Horak
3			Michael Ventura – John Markey – John Cobb – John Marriott
	1		Timothy Laverty – Gene Peterson – Rebecca Markham – Donald Wood
	2	1	Robert Hale – Claudia Hale – Kathryn Tomlinson – Mary Leger
	3		Dale Swift – Nancy Shannon – Janie Moser – Amelia Nelson
		2	Joe Mandel – Kathleen Stallings – Esther Arnold – Marsha Derynck
		3	Ethel Butler – Carmina Diaz – Christa Neumann – Nancy Fiorillo

Kill Devil Hills Outer Banks Sectional September 29–October 1, 2006

Friday Afternoon Open Pairs (13 tables)			
A	B	C	Names
1			Bruce Southard – Dot Corbett
2			Richard Gillespie – Ruth Cataldi
3			Hudson Keithley – Jo Keithley
	1		Patricia Livengood – Dot Jones
	2		Dennis Sisolak – Clint Wilkinson
	3		David Drummond – Willis Hedgepeth
		1	John Pinner – Paul Saunders
		2	Margaret Tapp – Frankie Jones

Friday Afternoon 199er Pairs (6 tables)			
D	E	F	Names
1	1		Michelle McClellan – Cordellia Scruggs
2	2	1	Pat Rockett – Gale Myers
3			Nancy Perine – Phyllis Johnson
	3		Helen Kleyla – Elizabeth Winn
		2	Robert Irwin – Don Dailey
		3	Geoffrey Tennille – Martha Tennille

Friday Evening Open Pairs (14.5 pairs)			
A	B	C	Names
1			Bruce Southard – Dot Corbett
2			Skip Peckens – Bobbie Peckens
3	1		Genevieve Taylor – Willis Hedgepeth
	2	1	John Pinner – Paul Saunders
	3		Bernadette Williams – David Duhon
		2	Geoffrey Tennille – Martha Tennille
		3	Teresa Hawley – Ellis Abrams

Saturday Morning Open Pairs (15 tables)			
A	B	C	Names
1			Bruce Reeve – Mary Vickers
2			Hudson Keithley – Jo Keithley
3	1		Martha Bley – Ross Bley
	2/3	1	John Pinner – Paul Saunders
	2/3		Marilyn Shelton – Lucy Lange
		2	Anne Shrader – Stella Olivola

Saturday Morning 199er Pairs (6 tables)			
D	E	F	Names
1			Kenneth Ries – Roberta McCabe
2			Nancy Perine – Phyllis Johnson
3	1		Michele McClellan – Cordellia Scruggs
	2		Teresa Hawley – Ellis Abrams
	3	1	Geoffrey Tennille – Martha Tennille
		2	Wilbur Smith – Patricia Smith

Saturday Afternoon Open Pairs (19 tables)			
A	B	C	Names
1	1		Wendell Graham – Samuel Decroes
2			Skip Peckens – Bobbi Peckens
3	2		Peggy Willett – Charles Willett
	3		Roma Chandra – Shawn Stringer
		1	Kenneth Ries – Roberta McCabe
		2	Teresa Hawley – Ellis Abrams
		3	John Pinner – Paul Saunders

Sunday Swiss Teams (15 teams)			
A	B	C	Names
1	1		Wendell Graham – Samuel Decroes John Pinner – Paul Saunders
2			Joseph Query – Darwin Afdahl – Kay Afdahl – Jennifer Christman
3			Hudson Keithley – Jo Keithley – Dot Corbett – Bruce Southard
	2/4		Kay Adams – Lucy Lange – Wendie Berge – Marilyn Shelton
	2/4		Bernadette Williams – Joe Fisler – Kathleen Richardson – David Duhon
	2/4		Genevieve Taylor – Ellis Abrams – Willis Hedgepeth – Teresa Hawley
		1	Nancy Perine – Michele McClellan Phyllis Johnson – Cynthia Majewski

About the *Tally*

PLEASE send me information to include in future issues: any special game results (we don't want to include the results of every weekly game); digital (or regular—I can scan them) 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. And ALL winners with a 75% game or better should be mentioned – but I won't be able to do that if you don't let me know about it. Please email me the spectacular game percentages separately from results. I don't study the results—I just key or copy them 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.

I'd like to especially thank the Greenville directors and Betty Wilkins for sending me their special game results. It would be a pretty short *Tally* without their efforts.

The deadline for information to be included in the January 2007 *Tally* is December 15th.