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Dear Mark:

District Six and ACBL Events:



- District 6 Sectional Tournament at Clubs (STaC) are scheduled for Monday 6/13 thru Sunday 6/20. Check out the [ACBL Participating Clubs](#) list to see if your game is included.
- The Longest Day is an annual fundraising event held to support the fight against Alzheimer's disease by the Alzheimer's Association. This is the 10th year of ACBL partnership with the organization.
 - Sanction fees from games held in Virtual Clubs on the weekend of The Longest Day (Saturday 6/18 and Sunday 6/19) will be donated.
 - Clubs that host in-person games may choose one day during the week of Sunday 6/19 thru Sunday 6/26 for their Longest Day games. Check the list of [The Longest Day/District 6 - Participating Clubs](#) to learn if your in-person game is included.
 - NVBA has designated the in-person Unit Games that they will be hosting on Thursday, 6/23, as Longest Day games.
 - NVBA will donate its proceeds from these games through the [Bridge Heroes 2022](#) team. Click the link to make a personal contribution.
- The Wednesday night District 5/District 6 Summer Online IMP League is starting up on 6/22/22! Play continues through 8/31/22 (with two Wednesdays off on July 13 and 20 because those dates conflict with the ACBL Nationals in Providence).
 - This is an opportunity to play in a round robin format against people from District Five and District Six. There are opponents at all levels (8 brackets total), including national champions in the top bracket!
 - See [District 5/6 Spring Online IMP League Results](#) for the spring results and their great website! The website handles all the match administration and uses the Big Team software to run the matches so that all teams in your bracket play the same hands. Click [Big Team Results](#) and then click on a team and board # to see the board results.
 - Lots of local players played in the spring league. If you want to register a team in the summer league, please click on [District 5/6 Summer Online IMP League Registration](#).

Thursday Night Unit Games:

- This Thursday, 6/9, NVBA will host the in-person Unit games. Please refer to the 5/23/22 NVBA e-newsletter for the current unit game policies and procedures. Marty Bley will be running the partnership desk. For more information, please visit [NVBA Partnership Desk](#) on the NVBA web site.
- For those who wish to play online this Thursday, WBL will be hosting the normal weekly joint Unit games on BBO with Open, Flight B (under 2500), 499er, 199er, and 0-20 sections. The 499er, 199er, and 0-20 games start promptly at 7:05PM. The other two - Open and Flight B - begin at 7:15PM.

- We will have the [6PM Jeff Roman Zoom Pregame Lesson](#) and [Jeff Roman Zoom Postgame Discussion](#) after the online play. We invite you to attend and try out the revised postgame discussion format. Instead of discussing all the boards, Jeff will choose a couple of interesting boards to discuss and then take questions. We are hoping this results in the quick, informative discussion desired for the postgame analysis.

NVBA News:

- The NVBA Board meeting was held via Zoom on Sunday 6/5/22. NVBA publishes meeting minutes to [NVBA Board Meeting Minutes](#).
- Here is the current schedule for [NVBA online games](#) on BBO.
- All in-person games listed with times in green on the updated [Clubs](#) page of the NVBA web site are scheduled to be held. Anyone who is interested in an in-person game should contact the listed director in advance to confirm the game is on and to make a reservation.

Sad News:

NVBA member John Schoeberlein passed away last week. We will miss John's upbeat personality and outstanding sportsmanship during bridge games. Click the following link to see John's [Former Vienna town manager dies at 74](#) obituary.

See you at the tables, play well and have fun!

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