

Congratulations to NVBA–WBL NLM Player of the Year Fred Gramlich and our Trophy and Medal Winners

The NVBA is thrilled to recognize Non-Life Master Fred Gramlich as the winner of the 2010-2011 NVBA-WBL Player of the Year Trophy. He was the highest Masterpoint winner in NVBA/WBL events among eligible Non-Life Masters. James Raber, one of Fred's regular partners, was a close second. WBL player Steve Schatzow won the Life Master race. The trophies will be awarded at the Reston Regional in July.

At the Annual Meeting on May 6, the election of members of the 2011-2012 NVBA Board was held and all candidates were elected by acclamation. NVBA President Bob Boyd presented trophies and medals to NVBA trophy winners, Ace of Clubs winners and Mini-McKenney winners, and thanked outgoing Board members Jennifer Nisenoff, Paul Black, Virginia Gibbons and Bruce Houston for their service. Vice President Alan Breed then expressed his thanks and appreciation to Bob Boyd for serving as our President for the past two years.

The winners of the NVBA trophies for calendar year 2010 were:

Woman of the Year: Helene Bauman

Man of the Year: Ken Davis

Rush Buckley: Stephen Drodge

Rookie of the Year: Richard Poznanski

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Of Special Interest:

- Toronto, ON Summer NABC, Jul. 22-31
- Hunt Valley, MD REGIONAL, Aug. 15-21
- WBL Sectional, Aug. 11-14
- Atlanta, GA REGIONAL, Aug. 30 - Sep. 5
- WBL NLM Sectional, Sep. 10-11
- D6 STaC, Sep. 19-25
- D6 NAP Finals, Sep. 24-25
- NVBA Sectional, Sep. 29-Oct. 2

President's Column

By Mike Cappelletti
NVBA President



AS INCOMING PRESIDENT, I note that the NVBA is presently economically sound and we all appreciate the efforts and successes of the previous administration. In addition to running financially sound tournaments, my most ardent current objective is to increase our membership – both young and old.

Some of the new projects that I have in mind or on the drawing board are as follows:

- Novice-intermediate bidding seminars
- At noon Fridays of NVBA Sectionals (until 1:30) (Kevin O' Brien)
- Club game novice prize script
- Free (or \$1) entry to any club game listed on the prize coupon
- Club owners get reimbursed by NVBA (and later ACBL?)
- College/high school championships
- Establish twice annual championship events (held during NVBA Sectionals) with scholarship money prizes. Perhaps tap the ACBL school bridge league funds from the Gates/Buffer 2005 donations – perhaps at \$4,000 (1000, 500, 300, 200) per tournament.
- Bridge for veterans
- Interact with Fairfax County Operation WOW (Ron Kral)

Finally, in an effort to make weekend bridge more fun (I have often been disappointed by the dearth of Saturday and Sunday night club games in this area), I would encourage and support starting both a Saturday and a Sunday night club game in a nice Northern Virginia location where attendees could socialize afterwards (e.g., a hotel with a cocktail lounge).

I also invite all of you to stop and chat with me about any ideas you might have to further bridge in our area.



Upcoming NVBA Games & Special Events

PLEASE NOTE THAT THE THURSDAY NIGHT GAME ON SEPTEMBER 29 IS AT THE ELKS LODGE, NOT AT BETH EL

Jul. 7 Beth El – 7:00 Stratiflighted Unit Championship

Jul. 14 Beth El – 7:00 Stratiflighted North American Pairs (NAP)

Jul. 21 Beth El – 7:00 Stratiflighted Unit Championship

Jul. 28 Beth El – 7:00 Stratiflighted Unit Championship

Aug. 4 Beth El – 7:00 Stratiflighted North American Pairs (NAP)

Aug. 11 Beth El – 7:00 **WBL Sectional** – Stratiflighted Pairs

Aug. 18 Beth El – 7:00 Stratiflighted Unit Championship

Aug. 25 Beth El – 7:00 Stratiflighted North American Pairs (NAP)

Sep. 1 Beth El – 7:00 Stratiflighted Unit Championship

Sep. 8 Beth El – 7:00 Stratiflighted Membership Game

Sep. 15 Beth El – 7:00 Stratiflighted Unit Championship

Sep. 22 Beth El – 7:00 **D6 STaC** Stratified Pairs

Sep. 29 Elks Lodge – 7:00 **NVBA Sectional** – Stratiflighted Pairs*

*Alternate site

Stratification Limits

All NVBA Unit Games include a separate Stratified 199er game.
 For the North American Pairs qualifying games, the stratification is:
 0-500 (NLM), 500-2000, 2000+.
 For the D6 STaC, the stratification is: 0-500/500-1500/1500+

Upcoming Sectionals

NVBA

Sep 29-Oct 2, 2011
 Oct 20-23, 2011
 Feb 16-19, 2012

WBL

Oct 13-16, 2011
 Jan 5-8, 2012
 Apr 12-15, 2012

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The new NVBA Board is:

President: Mike Cappelletti

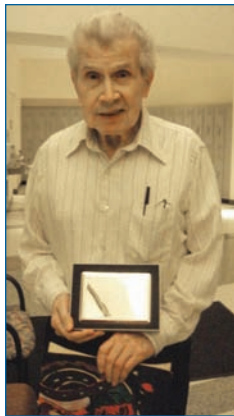
Vice President: Alan Breed

Secretary: Alan Dockterman

Treasurer: Lynda Flanger

Executive Directors: Betty Bursey, Amanda Carter, Leo Cardillo,
Jim Dick, Ron Kral

MANY AND VARIED SORTS OF WAYS TO MAKE YOURSELF AND OTHERS HAPPY – A TRIBUTE TO CHARLES FAIN



WE WANT TO RECOGNIZE one of our NVBA members, who has left our area and is greatly missed, not only as a pleasant opponent at the bridge tables, but for the volunteer work that he did for years. Beginning in the Fall of 1972 Mick Staps, Jim Dresser, John White and Charles (Chas) Fain entered a Round Robin tournament. With about 50 points total on the team, of the 27 teams in the Round Robin, they were seeded 27th. They lost to Jim Wood, Fred Karpin, Steve Parker and others. Somehow they won the last match against the #4 seed, and, thus encouraged, were hooked on bridge.

Chas Fain found satisfaction volunteering at St. Elizabeth's (St. E's) Hospital playing bridge with the patients as part of St. E's patient recreational therapy in their monthly game for over 38 years. Chas not only played, but he set up a bank account for the game, wrote monthly checks for refreshments and bridge supplies, and submitted annual statements to the ACBL, NVBA and the Hospital. Playing mostly in local games and tournaments, Chas had over 800 master points when he finally got his gold points to make Life Master (LM). So he became a Bronze LM at the same time and has gone on to win many more points. Chas has moved to Florida to be near his daughter and is enjoying the duplicate games there.

If you are interested in carrying on Chas' tradition at St. E's, you could help by contacting Harris Maclay and going to St. E's once a month to play with patients. Harris organizes the game and would welcome your emailing him at hmaclay@yahoo.com or you can contact Barbara Summers at 301-598-5838 to arrange entry to the game.

Another Successful Tournament at Thomas Jefferson HS

On June 14, 2011, NVBA Board member Ron Kral, assisted by Suzanne Abrams, Leo Cardillo, Nancy Cartwright, and Neal McKinney, ran a duplicate-style bridge tournament at the TJHS Bridge Club. Seven tables of students learned to use bidding boxes and play with duplicate Boards. Afterwards they received trophies and hand records, which enhanced their enjoyment of the event. NVBA member David Soukup and his partner, Johnathon Colen, were the overall winners. Plans are to try to hold three of these tournaments during the coming school year.

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Upcoming 199er Unit Games

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Jul. 7 Beth El – 7:00 199er Pairs Game

Jul. 14 Beth El – 7:00 199er Club Championship Pairs Game

Jul. 21 Beth El – 7:00 199er Pairs Game

Jul. 28 Beth El – 7:00 199er Pairs Game

Aug. 4 Beth El – 7:00 199er Pairs Game

Aug. 11 Beth El – 7:00 **WBL Sectional** – 199er Pairs Game

Aug. 18 Beth El – 7:00 199er Pairs Game

Aug. 25 Beth El – 7:00 199er Pairs Game

Sep. 1 Beth El – 7:00 199er Pairs Game

Sep. 8 Beth El – 7:00 199er Membership Pairs

Sep. 15 Beth El – 7:00 199er Pairs Game

Sep. 22 Beth El – 7:00 **D6 STaC** 199er Pairs

Sep. 29 Elks Lodge – 7:00 **NVBA Sectional** – 199er Pairs Game*

*Alternate site

Stratification Limits

All NVBA Unit Games include a separate Stratified 199er game.
 Players with 0-5 MPs play free every Thursday in all scheduled events.
 For the North American Pairs qualifying games, the stratification is:
 0-500 (NLM), 500-2000, 2000+.
 For the D6 STaC, the stratification is: 0-500/500-1500/1500+

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The Jack of Hearts *By Marshall Kushner*



AT THE NATIONALS in Louisville this year, I pondered a conundrum. When it comes to pronunciation, who determines correctness? Let's say your name is Wojciechowski. Someone asks you how you pronounce it and you say Smith. Who can argue? It's your name. OK, let's take a more realistic example. Last summer the Nationals were in New Orleans in a state we call Loo-weezie-anna. But ask the natives and they'll tell you it's Loo-zee-anna. Wouldn't it be presumptuous for us to tell them they're wrong? So how do you pronounce Louisville? The one thing we know for sure is that it's not Looey-ville. To begin with, nobody who lives there (or maybe anywhere in the South) says "ville". It's more like "vul", if that. It

pretty much gets swallowed. So depending on who you talk to, you'll get Looa-vul, Loo-vul, or even Luh-vul. Even they can't agree on what's right.

At first glance, Louisville might have been the least attractive of this year's Nationals. As it turns out, it was a pleasant surprise. Good playing conditions, good restaurants, friendly people, and we missed most of the rain that caused the Ohio River to overflow its banks and submerge River Rd. adjacent to the host Galt House. What's more it may be the only NABC anyone can afford to go to this year. As I write this, airfare from DC to Toronto is \$650. We can only imagine what it will be to Seattle. Platinum points may be more expensive from now on. Besides, if you didn't go to Louisville, you may never know what a Hot Brown is. I still don't know, but it was served as the hospitality item one night and was pretty tasty. Early in the week I asked a local who informed me that its nickname was Heart Attack On a Bun. (Editor's note: It can be served as an open-faced sandwich or a casserole. See recipe following this article.)

Louisville also had the distinction of being the least disappointing NABC in a while. The final table count of 9,547 was almost spot on pre-tournament estimates. More disappointing was the success for the NVBA on the field of battle. Our highest finish was turned in by Deb Dhar, who was 9th in the Red Ribbon as well as hitting the board in the Flight B NAP. Others with National overalls were Jeff Roman with three, Mike Cappelletti and Rusty Krauss with two, and Gil Cohen, Alan Schwartz, John Miller, and Robbie Hopkins with one each. Regional winners included Sumner Steinfeldt (Compact KO and Open Pairs), John Miller, Robbie Hopkins, and Jay Kelkar (Compact KO), Alan Schwartz (Fast Pairs), and Mike Cappelletti (Senior Swiss). Maybe we'll do better in Toe-ron-toe. At least we'll agree on how to pronounce it.

There's a lot of humor to be found at tournaments in the form of T-shirts. My favorite in Louisville read:

Exaggerators Anonymous

A 12,000 Step Program

Editor's note re the "Hot Brown":

The History of The Brown Hotel's "Hot Brown"

With so much to boast – award-winning dining, breathtaking turn-of-the-century architecture, and attentive, caring service – some may wonder, "Why the Hot Brown?"

Here is the history behind this now legendary dish...

In the 1920's, The Brown Hotel drew over 1,200 guests each evening for its dinner dance. In the wee hours of the morning, the guests would grow tired of dancing and retire to the restaurant for a bite to eat. Diners were growing rapidly bored with the traditional ham and eggs, so Chef Fred Schmidt set out to create something new to tempt his guests' palates. His unique creation was an open-faced turkey sandwich with bacon and a delicate Mornay sauce. Exemplifying the hotel's unending dedication to serving their guests, The Hot Brown was born!

The Legendary Hot Brown Recipe

Ingredients (Makes Two Hot Browns):

- 2 oz. Whole Butter
- 2 oz. All Purpose Flour
- 1 Qt. Heavy Cream
- 1/2 Cup Pecorino Romano Cheese, Plus 1 Tablespoon for Garnish
- Salt & Pepper to Taste
- 14 oz. Sliced Roasted Turkey Breast
- 2 Slices of Texas Toast (Crust Trimmed)
- 4 slices of Crispy Bacon
- 2 Roma Tomatoes, Sliced in Half
- Paprika, Parsley

In a two-quart saucepan, melt butter and slowly whisk in flour until combined and forms a thick paste (roux). Continue to cook roux for two minutes over medium-low heat, stirring frequently. Whisk whipping cream into the roux and cook over medium heat until the cream begins to simmer, about 2-3 minutes. Remove sauce from heat and slowly whisk in Pecorino Romano cheese until the Mornay sauce is smooth. Add salt and pepper to taste.

For each Hot Brown, place one slice of toast in an oven safe dish and cover with 7 ounces of turkey. Take the two halves of Roma tomato and set them alongside the base of turkey and toast. Next, pour one half of the Mornay sauce to completely cover the dish. Sprinkle with additional Pecorino Romano cheese. Place entire dish under a broiler until cheese begins to brown and bubble. Remove from broiler, cross two pieces of crispy bacon on top, sprinkle with paprika and parsley, and serve immediately.

Successful Tournament at TJ HS – continued from page 4



David Soukup and Johnathon Colen and some of the other TJ players.



Nancy Cartwright helping out at the TJ Tournament.

Parade of Winners

NVBA SECTIONAL March 31 – April 3, 2011

Thurs. AM Open Pairs (38 Pairs)

- 1 Bob Boyd – Steve Schatzow
- 2 Chuck Pecarro – Carole Grob
 - 1 David Loken – Kathrine Loh
 - 2 Susan L' Heureux – Richard Slater
- 2 Nancy Abbott – Nancy Cartwright

Thurs. AM 0–500 Pairs (12 Pairs)

- 1 1 Larry Taylor – Thomas Jennings
- 2 Toni Sandler – Eleanor Linde

Thurs. Eve. A/X Pairs (64 Pairs)

- 2 Sumner Steinfeldt – Hal Hindman
 - 1 Debnarayan Dhar – Dharendra Ghosh
 - 2 Stephen Drodge – John Miller

Thurs. Eve. B/C Pairs (66 Pairs)

- 1 1 Fred Gramlich – James Raber

Thurs. Eve. 199er Pairs @ NVBA (15 Pairs)

- 1 1 1 Donald Smith – Pat Kibler
- 2 2 2 Marcia Cathey – Enrica Frost

Fri. Aft. Open Pairs (68 Pairs)

- 1/2 Betty Bursey – Chuck Pecarro
- 1/2 1 1 Mel Yudkin – Christon Johnson
 - 2 Michael Lawrence – Craig Olson
 - 2 Donna Stoker – Edward Stoker

Fri. Aft. 299er Pairs (22 Pairs)

- 1 1 M Amey – David Amey
- 2 Shirley Prikals – Kathy Dunkerley
 - 2 1 Joan O. Connor – Peggy Comerford
 - 2 Gail Harrison – Brian Brunsvold

Fri. Aft. 49er Pairs (10 Pairs)

- 1 Nancy Turaj – Rosamond Niemeyer
- 2 Ken Kimball – Marsha Ann Brown

Fri. Eve. Triple Nickel Swiss (35 Teams)

- 1 Ron Kral – David Fleischer –
Marsha Brown – Zeke Letellier
- 2 Fred King – Brad Theurer – Mark Chen –
Barry Bragin
 - 1 Nancy Cartwright – Joy Brown –
Maribel Newby – Nancy Loomis
 - 2 Leo Cardillo – Mel Yudkin –
Suzanne Abrams – William Young

Fri. Eve. Triple Nickel Swiss (35 Teams) cont.

- 1 Alan Munro – Gabriel Cornett –
Eldon Compton – Michael Kuehl

Fri. Eve. 299er Pairs (14 Pairs)

- 1 Katherine Culp – Jo Ann Hutchison
- 2 1 Donald Smith – Pat Kibler
- 2 Sandy Haberlin – John Haberlin

Sat. AM Open Pairs (49 Pairs)

- 1 Don Probst – Lowell Sawyer
 - 1 Andrew Lipps – Eric Branfman
 - 2 Daniel Feldman – Daniel Koch
 - 2 Mary O' Shea – Jeff Youngen

Sat. AM 299er Pairs (30 Pairs)

- 1 Parween Yunus – Benazir Ghaussy
- 2 1 John Fisher – Catharine Fisher
 - 2 1 Joan O. Connor – Peggy Comerford
 - 2 Harvey Lipsher – Jeremy Billones

Sat. AM 49er Pairs (12 Pairs)

- 1 1 Jayne Lynch – Tamara Vetter
- 2 Yuen De Anda – Katherine Culp
 - 2 Molly Ray – Janet McKechnie

Comp. KO Bkt. 1 (9 Teams)

- 1 Ken Davis – Bob Boyd –
Bruce Houston – Steve Schatzow
- 2 Betsy Eliot – Michael Anesko –
Kim Sanders – Jean Schoepe

Comp. KO Bkt. 2 (9 Teams)

- 1 Murat Berk – Hakan Berk –
John Mattioli – David Soukup
- 2 Gerald O' Dell – Victor Van Rees –
Taraneh Shahin – Bahman Shahin

Sat. Aft. Open Pairs (56 Pairs)

- 2 Ed Lewis – Don Geerhart
 - 1 1 Albert Lauber – Ned Griffith
 - 2 Daniel Feldman – Emerita Hayward

Sat. Aft. 299er Pairs (36 Pairs)

- 2 2 Andrea Stanley-Miller – Jane Ledford
 - 1 Elizabeth Bolton – Rosemary McDonald

Sat. Aft. 49er Pairs (10 Pairs)

- 1 Nynette Rourke – Donald Smith
- 2 1 Eleanor Linde – Alice Ling
- 2 Kellen Leister – Maryellen Leister

Sat. Eve. Open Pairs (24 Pairs)

- 1 Katherine Rabenstein – John S. Mason
 2 Ron Kral – Eugene Kales
 2 Merrill Hirsh – Monique Smith
 1 Joe Hertz – Michael Osborn
 2 Bushra Shamma – Rich Ardini

Sat. Eve. 299er (17 Pairs)

- 2 Kimberly Ferguson – Albert Stolpe
 2 2 Diane Godding – Ray Bostow

Sun. A/X Swiss (18 Teams)

- 1 Dhirendra Ghosh – Ram Sarangan –
 Michael Klein – Stephen Rzewski
 2/3 Vonnice Lavender – Diane Walker –
 Richard Ferrin – Eugene Kales
 2/3 David Abelow – Richard Wegman –
 Barry Falgout – Rusty Krauss
 1 Tom Musso – Ellen Cherniavsky –
 Margot Hennings – Donald Hennings

Sun. Bracketed B/C Swiss Bkt. 1 (8 Teams)

- 1 Martha Mangano – Dennis Schwanz –
 Susan Miskura – D. Tonnesen
 2 Ralph Bayrer – Nancy Loomis –
 Doris Knief – Richard Thomas

Sun. Bracketed B/C Swiss Bkt. 2 (8 Teams)

- 1 Jay Cherlow – Daniel Koch –
 Hadi Abushakra – Albert Lauber
 2 Helene Cooper – Paul Stygar –
 Benazir Ghaussy – Youssof Seraj

Sun. Bracketed B/C Swiss Bkt. 3 (10 Teams)

- 1 Fred Gramlich – James Raber –
 William Prosser – Walton Francis

Sun. Aft. 299er Swiss (15 Teams)

- 2 2 1 Diane Godding – Ray Bostow –
 Bushra Shamma – Dev Chattopadhyay

WBL SECTIONAL
April 28 – May 1, 2011

Thurs. AM Pairs @ Rockville (48 Pairs)

- 1/2 John Miller – Stephen Drodge

Thurs. Eve. A/X Pairs (74 Pairs)

- 2 John Miller – Robert Hopkins, Jr.
 2 Monique Smith – Merrill Hirsh

Thurs. Eve. B/C/D Pairs (57 Pairs)

- 1 1 1 Thomas Jennings – Larry Taylor

Thurs. Eve. 199er Pairs@NVBA (14 Pairs)

- 1 1 1 Yuen De Anda – Ron Sutter
 2 2 2 Marcia Cathey – John Gauss

Fri. AM A/X (22 Pairs)

- 2 John Miller – Stephen Drodge

Fri. AM NLM Pairs (20 Pairs)

- 2/3 2/3 1 Yuen De Anda – Ron Sutter

Fri. Aft. A/X IMP Pairs (30 Pairs)

- 1 Deb Dhar – Dhirendra Ghosh
 2 John Miller – Stephen Drodge

Fri. Aft. B/C/D IMP Pairs (19 Pairs)

- 1 Georgette Weiss – Ike Oren

Fri. Aft. NLM Pairs (22 Pairs)

- 1 1 1 Yuen De Anda – Ron Sutter

Sat. AM Open Pairs (60 Pairs)

- 1 Virginia Gibbons – Timothy Smith

Sat. AM NonLM Pairs (26 Pairs)

- 2 1 Marcia Cathey – John Gauss

Sat. AM 49er Pairs (8 Pairs)

- 2 Yuen De Anda – Ron Sutter

Sat. Aft. B/C/D Pairs (24 Pairs)

- 1 Ann Atcheson – Sheryl McEwan

Sat. Aft. NonLM Pairs (26 Pairs)

- 1 1 1 Marcia Cathey – John Gauss
 2 Paul Setzer – Kellen Leister
 2 Glenn Terrell – Dorothy Terrell

Sun. A/X Swiss (20 Teams)

- 1/2 Alan Schwartz – Ai-Tai Lo –
 Michael Gill – Noble Shore
 2 Jay Kelkar – Kenton Schoen –
 Diane Walker – Shuba Dey

Sun. B/C/D Swiss (51 Teams)

- 1 1 1 Fred Gramlich – James Raber –
 William Prosser – Walton Francis
 2 Mike Frosch – Francesco Parisi-Presicce –
 Dennis Schwanz – Susan Miskura
 2 Murat Berk – John Mattioli –
 Richard Wissing – Peter Van Zijl

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Parade of Winners – continued from page 9**Sun. AM NLM Swiss (8 Teams)**

- 1 Gabriel Cornett – Alan Munro –
Charles Yu – John McCormick
1 1 Ron Sutter – Yuen De Anda –
Sharon Perryman – Richard Padgett

RICHMOND REGIONAL
May 24–30, 2011

Wed. AM Side Game (14 Pairs)

- 2 Dorothy Bechtle – Margaret Storey

Wed. Gold Rush 300/750 Pairs (78 Pairs)

- 2 Madison Schepps – Elizabeth Schepps
1 James Braunworth – Sheryl McEwan

Wed. Eve. Swiss (29 Teams)

- 2 1 Neal McKinney – Dennis Schwanz –
Susan Miskura – Steven Rothman
2 Paul Morrisette – Donna Walther –
Julia Brown – Eva Shaffer
1 Dorothy Bechtle – Margaret Storey –
Marina Kotch – Gail Hasson

Hanover Wed.–Thurs. KO Bkt. 3 (16 Teams)

- 1 Jay Cherlow – Leonard Ellis –
David Zimmer – Beth Reshefsky

Hanover Wed.–Thurs. KO Bkt. 4 (16 Teams)

- 2 Calvin Konner – Richard Wedgewood –
Terry Vann – Art Hartstein

Hanover Wed.–Thurs. KO Bkt. 5 (16 Teams)

- 2 Barry Kerne – Terence McCarthy –
Anthony Hawks – Stephen Montague

**Glen Allen Thurs.–Fri. Compact
KO Bkt. 1 (9 Teams)**

- 1 Jay Cherlow – Leonard Ellis –
David Zimmer – Beth Reshefsky

Thurs. AM 0–300 Pairs (21 Pairs)

- 1 Robert Dorosin – Peter Pecori

Thurs. AM Side Game (24 Pairs)

- 2/3 1 Ann Acheson – Cathy Vivona

Thurs. Open Pairs (46 Pairs)

- 1 Marshall Kuschner – Richmond Hamilton

Thurs. Aft. Side Game (30 Pairs)

- 2 Barbara Pepelko – William Pepelko

Thurs. Aft. 0–300 Pairs (28 Pairs)

- 2/3 Reiko Lynch – Mary Edge

Thurs. Eve. BAM (24 Teams)

- 1 Ann Lindley – Al Duncker –
Raymond Hickey – Melvyn Klein

Thurs. Eve. Side Game (30 Pairs)

- 1/2 Eva Shaffer – Julia Brown
1/2 Steve Rothman – Kathrine Loh

Thurs. Eve. 0–300 Pairs (14 Pairs)

- 1 1 Rochelle Hilton – Rachelle Sladoff

Ashland Thurs.–Fri. KO Bkt. 1 (9 Teams)

- 1 Stephen Drodge – John Miller –
Robert Hopkins, Jr. – Joan Lewis

Ashland Thurs.–Fri. KO Bkt. 2 (12 Teams)

- 2 Lucy McCoy – Kathryn Kiley –
Alan Breed – Chuck Pecarro

Ashland Thurs.–Fri. KO Bkt. 3 (14 Teams)

- 1 Ned Griffith – Bob Levey –
Walter Smith, Jr. – Albert Lauber

Fri. Open Pairs (48 Pairs)

- 1 Gil Cohen – Marty Nelson
1 Helen Cheng – Jesse Cheng

Fri. Aft. 0–50 Pairs (12 Pairs)

- 1 Pat Kibler – Donald Smith

Fri. Gold Rush 300/750 Pairs (50 Pairs)

- 2 Penelope Paddock – Louise Hayes

Fri. Eve. Swiss (39 Teams)

- 2 Ann Lindley – Al Duncker –
George Bloomer – Judith Bloomer
2 Eva Shaffer – Julia Brown –
Deborah Hoveland – William Young
1 Lynne Beresford – Eleanor Schwartz –
Sally Foushee – Pahnea Ratty

Fri. Eve. Side Game (27 Pairs)

- 1 Neal McKinney – John Ashe

Fri. Eve. 0–300 Pairs/Bracketed BAM (11 Teams)

- 1 Pat Teer – Bill Teer – Richard Ott –
Richard Clark
2 Reiko Lynch – Mary Edge –
Sim Wooten – Judy Wooten

Fri. Eve. 0–300 Pairs/Bracketed BAM (22 Pairs)

- 1 Richard Ott – Richard Clark
- 2 Reiko Lynch – Mary Edge
- 2 Pat Teer – Bill Teer

Fri. Hopewell Comp. KO Bkt. 1 (12 Teams)

- 1 Stan Schenker – David Leopold – Cecily Kohler – David Milton

Fri. Hopewell Comp. KO Bkt. 3 (12 Teams)

- 1 Jay Cherlow – Leonard Ellis – David Zimmer – Beth Reshefsky

Henrico Fri.–Sat. Compact KO Bkt. 1 (9 Teams)

- 1 Ann Lindley – Al Duncker – Raymond Hickey – Melvyn Klein

Sat. AM 0–300 Pairs (17 Pairs)

- 1 Pat Kibler – Donald Smith

Sat. Gold Rush 300/750 Pairs (52 Pairs)

- 1 Albert Stolpe – Stephen Colevas

Sat. Aft. Side Game (34 Pairs)

- 1 Neal McKinney – Pete Ekstrand

Sat. Aft. 0–300 Pairs (22 Pairs)

- 1 1 1 Pat Teer – Bill Teer

Sat. Aft. 0–50 Pairs (10 Pairs)

- 1 Pat Kibler – Donald Smith

Sat. Eve. BAM (20 Teams)

- 2 Don Hennings – Margot Hennings – David Rodney – Avril Rodney
- 2/3 Tony Robson – Joyce Wiley – Georgette Weiss – Thomas Jennings
- 2/3 Ellie Clark – Helen Moran – Jean Schoepe – Jo Westbury

Sat. Eve. Side Game (23 Pairs)

- 2 1 1 Amanda Carter – Kathrine Loh

Sat. Eve. 0–300 Pairs (12 Pairs)

- 2 1 1 Donna Setzer – Ruth Glen

Henrico Sat.–Sun. Compact KO Bkt. 1 (9 Teams)

- 2 William Fitch – Dennis Wick – Lynda Flanger – Kevin O' Brien

Mechanicsville Sat.–Sun. KO Bkt. 3 (16 Teams)

- 2 Leonard Ellis – Ned Griffith – Jay Cherlow – Albert Lauber

Sun. AM Swiss (19 Teams)

- 2 1 1 William Belanich – Mark Gospodnetic – Larry Watson – Jeremy Billones
- 2/3 Calvin Konner – Richard Wedgewood – Ibrahim Mady – Omar Okaily

Sun. AM Side Game (18 Pairs)

- 2 Eugene Schuyler – Martha Lackey
- 2 Allan Sitterson – David Tatum

Sun. AM 0–300 Pairs (12 Pairs)

- 1 1 1 Pat Kibler – Donald Smith
- 2 2 Donna Setzer – Ruth Glen

Sun. Open Pairs (40 Pairs)

- 2 William Zane – Richard Ferrin

Sun. Gold Rush 300/750 Pairs (52 Pairs)

- 2 1 Thomas Jennings – Georgette Weiss
- 2 Paul Setzer – William Glen

Sun. Aft. Side Game (32 Pairs)

- 2 Deborah Hoveland – William Young

Sun. Eve. Side Game (18 Pairs)

- 1 Pat Teer – Bill Teer
- 2 Rochelle Hilton – Rachelle Sladoff

Sun. Eve. Swiss (19 Teams)

- 2/3 George Bloomer – Judith Bloomer – Ann Lindley – Al Duncker
- 2/3 Ellen Hollands – David Fleischer – Ellie Clark – Jean Schoepe

Short Pump Sun.–Mon. KO Bkt. 1 (15 Teams)

- 2 Don Hennings – Margot Hennings – David Rodney – Avril Rodney

Mon. A/X Swiss (23 Teams)

- 1 John Miller – Rusty Krauss – Stephen Drodge – Robert Hopkins, Jr. – Barry Falgout
- 2 Stan Schenker – David Leopold – Cecily Kohler – David Milton

Mon. B/C/D Swiss (37 Teams)

- 1 Jeremy Billones – Philip Calvo, Jr. – Helen Moran – Julie Connor

The LM-NLM Game

THE ANNUAL NVBA Life Master – Non-Life Master game was held June 9 at Beth El. Thanks to Ron Kral, the event was quite successful. There were five sections and 54 tables in play. The overall winners were Candy Clanton playing with Jeremy Billones North-South and Zeke Letellier playing with Marilyn Golias East-West. Here are some photos of participants:



**LM-NLM Game
Organizer Ron Kral**



**Linda Burton and her partner
Janet Smith Bourne**



**Hannelore Suffridge and her
partner Jeff Roman**

NVBA's Woman and Man Of The Year



**NVBA Woman of the Year Helene Bauman
with NVBA President Bob Boyd**



**NVBA President Bob Boyd – VP Alan Breed – NVBA
Man of the Year Ken Davis**

MILESTONES

Congratulations to the following players who have reached these new milestones!

♠♦ NEW JUNIOR MASTERS ♣♥

Frants Lasse Becker
Elizabeth C Bolton
Michele L. Duke
Joseph A. Faudale
June Gladding
Saeko M. Hammaker
Mary-Ann Hebard
Peggy A. Jordan
Gerald S. McGowan
Betty D. Murray
Rosamond L. Niemeyer
Brennan T. Price
Libby L. Rook
Nancy Tarlano

♠♦ NEW CLUB MASTERS ♣♥

Hakki Adam
Glen F. Passin
H. Mark Blauer
Brian G. Brunsvold
James T. Callender
Yuen E. De Anda
Maggie Eckman
Gail L. Harrison
Mary-Ann Hebard
June P. Kilpatrick
Ellinor H. Koch
Kellen G. Leister
Dr. Leonard Levine
Asim K. Mandal
Michele E. Maxson
Marilynn L. Schuyler
Howard B. Stevens
Ron Sutter
Ruth A. Warren
Col. John R. Witherell

♠♦ NEW SECTIONAL MASTERS ♣♥

Ray J. Bostow
Joy R. Brown
Marcia M. Cathey

Peggy Comerford
Katherine S. Culp
Brigette Friedman
John W. Holt
Nathalie H. Kaye
Ken Kimball
Richard F. Padgett
Jinane K. Tabbara



♠♦ NEW REGIONAL MASTERS ♣♥

David G. Amey
Dev Chattopadhyay
Diane R. Cohen
Benazir Ghaussy
William Glen
Patricia A. Needham
Andrea S. Stanley-Miller

♠♦ NEW NABC MASTERS ♣♥

William T. Hohe
Brian K. Sims

♠♦ NEW LIFE MASTERS ♣♥

Ann Atcheson
Clifford I. Feldman
George R. Green
M. David Jackson
Tony Robson
Jenny L. Shaefer
Albert V. Stolpe

♠♦ NEW BRONZE LIFE MASTERS ♣♥

Jay Cherlow
Willis Paley Hume
Mel S. Yudkin

♠♦ NEW SILVER LIFE MASTERS ♣♥

Amanda E. Carter
Joyce E. Currie

♠♦ NEW GOLD LIFE MASTERS ♣♥

Jay R. Kelkar

HAIL AND FAREWELL

We would like to welcome the following new members into our Unit:

Zachary A Bumpus
Chuck A Cook
Jenneke Fijn Van Draat
Vicky Dreyer
Enrica M Frost
Jon B Guyton
Jocelyn Huang
Dawn B Jones
Gerda D Kilday
Ellinor H Koch
Robert E McLaughlin
Thomas R Moffett
Sheila Moore
Arun K Mukherjee
H B Myers
Karin Sweet
Peter H Town

We would like to welcome the following transfers into our Unit:

Lenore R Binzer
Suzanne Briguglio
Ray F Crist
Dr Jeremy C Flinders
Bernice R Hacke
Joan S Flippin
Ugo V Gervasio
Rae E Glass
Ron Glass
Helen S Joseph
Jan Lovorn
Fern L Lovrich
Marjorie H Odeen
Philip A Odeen
Lillian M Siegel
James R Wade
Jay Ward
Rita H Winkel

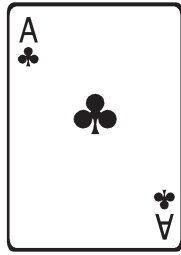
We give our regards to the following people who have transferred out of our Unit:

James R Bascom
Robert A Burke
Vicki B Chubin
Maggie Eckman
Dan P Emmons
Charles Fain
Alice S Faintich
Herbert K Fallin Jr
Catharine B Fisher
John W Fisher
Jeff A Hepner
Degayia Hudson
Dale C Hunt
Pradeep Joshi
Richard E Leonardon
Michael J Lusick
Stephen Montague
David N Ochroch
Martin E Personick
Mark A Randol
Rebecca C Sekse
Neil Selvin
Sibyl S Wright

We are sorry to note the passing of one of our members:

David A Kaplan





NVBA Ace of Clubs Final Standings 2010

0-5 MPs

Thomas P. Jennings	71.71
George A. Parkins	33.58
Nathalie H. Kaye	28.09

5-20 MPs

Phillip Tseng	24.50
Sharon C. Perryman	21.61
Joy R. Brown	21.42

20-50 MPs

Sheryl L. McEwan	34.09
Andrea S. Stanley-Miller	33.36
Diane R. Cohen	30.79

50-100 MPs

Jan Rusu	41.80
Fred Gramlich	41.69
Joan A. Kindle	39.60

100-200 MPs

Stephen J. Colevas	71.83
Clifford I. Feldman	71.28
William M. Pruiett	58.67

200-300 MPs

Stephen J. Drodge	79.38
Sara Hilgartner	56.16
Neal L. Cooper	50.28

300-500 MPs

Mary J. Wilson	72.69
Sulaiman Ghaussy	67.95
Willis Paley Hume	62.19

500-1000 MPs

Steve Reed	126.25
Dennis J. Schwanz	108.08
Betsy R. Eliot	97.02

1000-2500 MPs

Robert S. Boyd	258.30
Salam A. Saidi	122.93
Kamel M. Tabbara	122.72

2500-5000 MPs

Bruce R. Houston	225.89
Peter J. Hughes	180.73
Enid A. Hughes	155.06

5000-7500 MPs

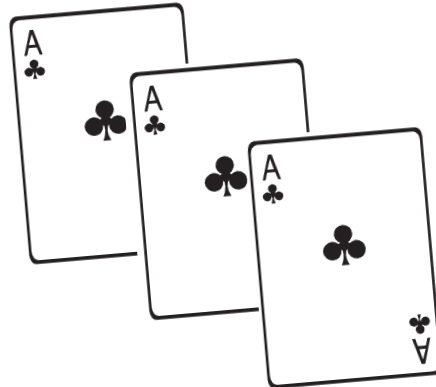
Donald W. Geerhart	239.45
Carolyn V. Gibson	152.38
Andy E. Gabrilovitch	134.96

7500-10,000 MPs

Kenneth B. Davis	473.00
Alan L. Schwartz	36.31
Jack A. Armstrong	26.09

Over 10,000 MPs

Jeff M. Roman	160.26
Ed R. Lewis	155.39
Robert W. Gookin	61.01



NVBA Mini-McKenney Winners Final Standings 2010!

0-5 MPs

Thomas P. Jennings	101.67
George A. Parkins	45.81
James B. Mentzer	39.71

5-20 MPs

Phillip Tseng	107.29
Dev Chattopadhyay	32.36
Pat O. Kibler	31.40

20-50 MPs

Sheryl L. McEwan	115.20
Margaret A. Mastran	71.65
Edward J. Stoker	67.12

50-100 MPs

James H. Shoenhard	114.66
Joan A. Kindle	100.66
Onorica Luculescu	81.95

100-200 MPs

Stephen J. Colevas	156.73
M. David Jackson	146.86
Dennis K. Sponholtz	140.47

200-300 MPs

Stephen J. Drodge	359.99
Virginia L. Gibbons	138.38
Joe R. Hertz	108.55

300-500 MPs

Amanda E. Carter	348.66
Howard Grunin	142.23
Dr. Jose Cortina	129.74

500-1000 MPs

Steve Reed	417.50
Robert A. Brady	360.37
Dennis J. Schwanz	333.99

1000-2500 MPs

Robert S. Boyd	431.24
Lynda B. Flanger	425.02
Kevin R. O'Brien	400.12

2500-5000 MPs

Ann S. Lindley	565.82
Al Duncker	537.70
Herb K. Fallin, Jr.	479.79

5000-7500 MPs

Helene Bauman	462.03
Sumner Steinfeldt	437.86
Robert W. Hopkins, Jr.	395.29

7500-10,000 MPs

Kenneth B. Davis	816.70
Alan L. Schwartz	264.39
Janet R. Gookin	68.98

Over 10,000 MPs

Jeff M. Roman	729.93
Ed R. Lewis	379.23
Robert W. Gookin	163.67



**Stephen Drodge, Rush Buckley/
Mini-McKenney/Ace of Clubs winner.**

NVBA BRIDGE CLUB WEBSITES:

Director: Jim Dick – *Games:* Beth El – Sunday, 1:00 PM; Montebello – Monday, 7:00 PM

URL: <http://clubresults.acbl.org/getClubs.php>

Director: Carole Grob – *Game:* Ballston Bridge Club – Monday 10:00 AM

URL: <http://mybridgeclub.com>

Director: Livingston Johnson – *Game:* Green Acres DBC – Tuesday, 10:30 AM;

URL: <http://clubresults.acbl.org/getClubs.php>

Director: Terry Jones – *Game:* Falls Church Bridge Club – Saturday, 7:00 PM

URL: <http://www.fallschurchbridgeclub.com>

Directors: Candy and Marshall Kushner – *Games:* KOCH – Tuesday, 10:00 AM; Reston – Wednesday, 7:30 PM

URL: <http://clubresults.acbl.org/getClubs.php>

Director: Yvonne Markell – *Game:* Loudoun Bridge Buffs – Friday, 12:45 PM

URL: <http://clubresults.acbl.org/getClubs.php>

Directors: John Mason, Jim Dick – *Game:* Fun Friday Bridge Frolic – Friday, 10:00 AM

URL: <http://members.cox.net/jsm36/bridge/FunFriday/funfridayjsmhome.htm>

Director: Bernie Oetjen – *Game:* KOCH – Monday, 7:00 PM;

KOCH – Saturday, 1:00 PM

URL: <http://clubresults.acbl.org/getClubs.php>

Director: Norma Pierzchala – *Games:* Norma's Game – Thursday, 10:00 AM;

Norma's Game – Saturday, 9:00 AM

URL: <http://clubresults.acbl.org/getClubs.php>

Director: Gene Schuyler – *Games:* JCC Tuesday Night – Tuesday, 7:15 PM; Arlington

DBC – Wednesday, 10:00 AM; Lyon Park Money Bridge – Friday, 10:00 AM

URL: <http://www.geneschuyler.com>

Director: Louise Sellers – *Games:* JCC of No. VA – Wednesday, 11:00 AM; Vienna

DBC – Thursday, 10:00 AM

URL: <http://clubresults.acbl.org/getClubs.php>

Director: Lenore Ward – *Games:* Cascade Seniors - Monday, 11:00 AM;

Thursday, 1:00 PM

URL: <http://clubresults.acbl.org/getClubs.php>

GAME WITH NO WEBSITE

Director: Marilyn Golias – *Game:* Bridge Club of Northern Virginia – Sunday, 2:00 PM;

Various locations in the Northern Virginia area; Tel: 703-629-8932;

Email: double7nt@aol.com

2011-2012 District 6 North American Pairs Finals

THERE'S STILL TIME to qualify for the North American Pairs District-level competition. The club qualifying period ends August 31, 2011.

The District 6 North American Pairs Finals for all flights will be held on the weekend of September 24-25, 2011. The deadline for Pre-registration is September 17, but unregistered players will be accommodated, if possible. To pre-register, pairs should send a check made payable to District 6 in the amount of \$50.00, to cover two sessions of the event, to Barbara Doran, 1107 Dale Drive, Silver Spring MD 20910-1607. (As an option for Richmond area players, checks may be given to Paul Anderson (804-740-8666).) You and your partner must pre-register as a pair and not as individuals. When pre-registering, please include names, ACBL numbers, and, for the 0-2000 and NLM flights, the site where you plan to play, and contact information (phone number/email).

The Open Flight Final is held at one location only and begins on March 24. It will be held at Newport Mill Middle School, 11311 Newport Mill Road, Kensington, MD 20895.

The 0-2000 Finals are split site and begin on March 24. The Northern site is Newport Mill Middle School, 11311 Newport Mill Road, Kensington MD 20895. The Southern site will be in the Richmond area: at the Bridge Center, 1911 Bishop Road, Richmond, VA 23230-3101 on Saturday, March 24, and at the Tuckahoe Moose Lodge, 4366 Springfield Road, Glen Allen, VA 23060-4109 on Sunday, March 25.

The NLM Finals are also split site and are held one day only: Sunday, September 25. The Northern site event is being held

at Newport Mill Middle School, 11311 Newport Mill Road, Kensington, MD 20895. The Southern site is in the Richmond area at the Tuckahoe Moose Lodge, 4366 Springfield Road, Glen Allen, VA 23060-4109. (NLM eligible players may play in the Open or 0-2000 event on Saturday, March 24, and in the NLM event on Sunday if they don't qualify for the second day.) All games on Saturday, March 24, are at 12:00 noon and TBA. Sunday games are 11:00 AM and TBA in the North and 10:30 AM and TBA in the South.

The top three pairs in each flight will qualify for the National Finals. (See the Conditions of Contest for the formula for determining the order of split site finishes.) First place players will receive a subsidy of \$700, second place receives \$500, and third place \$300. Subsidies will only be given to players who play in the National Final.

You must be a paid up member of the ACBL (Life Masters must have paid the LM Service fee) at the time of the District Final in order to be eligible for the subsidy. Membership must be current and continuous from the start of the District Final to the completion of the National Finals.

The National Finals will be held during the NABC in Memphis, TN. The National Final for the Open Flight will be held March 14-15, 2012. The National Finals for the 0-2000 and NLM Flights will be held March 24-25, 2012.

For more information and directions to the playing sites, visit the District 6 web site at <http://www.districtsix.org> or contact Barbara Doran by phone at (301) 608-0547 or by email to barbd@starpower.net.

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Thursday	11:15 AM	St James
Friday (am)	11:15 AM	St James
Friday (pm)	7:30 PM	St James
Saturday	1:00 PM	St James

www.rockvilledbc.com

Need a Partner? Call Mark Lavine 301-503-3348

Locations:

St James Episcopal Church
11815 Seven Locks Road
Potomac, MD

Rockville Senior Center
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Rockville, MD

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THURSDAY, AUGUST 11

- ♣ Stratified Open Pairs (unlim/1500/500) 11:15am
Rockville Duplicate Bridge Club, 301-503-3348 (Mark Lavine) NO ENTRY
St. James Episcopal Church, 11815 Seven Locks Rd., Rockville TILL 11AM
- ♦ StrataFlighted Open Pairs (A/X unlim/3000, B/C/D Separate 1500/1000/500)
(both sites); Stratified NLM Pairs (NLM/100/50) & 0-20 Pairs (Ohr Kodesh
Congregation only); Stratified 199er Pairs (Beth El only)
Beth El Congregation, 3830 Seminary Rd, Alexandria 7:00pm
Ohr Kodesh Congregation, 8300 Meadoubrook Ln., Chevy Chase 7:30pm
I-495 to Connecticut Ave. South. 4th light left E-W Hwy 410. Left Meadow-
brook Ln. 1st left Freyman Dr. Parking lot on left. No outside food allowed.

FRI, SAT & SUN AT THE KENSINGTON TOWN HALL/ARMORY

495 Beltway Exit 33, Connecticut Avenue North (Rt. 185N—to Kensington). 1.5 miles, right at light—
Knowles Ave. 1st right at stop—Armory Ave. 1st left at stop—to 3710 Mitchell St. & parking lot on right.
Additional parking in nearby lots—see website maps.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 12

- ♣ StrataFlighted A/X (unlim/3000) & B/C/D Pairs (1500/1000/500) 10:00am, 2:00pm
- ♦ **Barometer Pairs** StrataFlighted A/X (unlim/3000) & B/C/D (1500/1000/500) 7:30pm
Check your matchpoint barometer every round! Friday nights are your chance to try a different
form of the game. Everyone plays the same boards at the same time. (*Time will be added to check scores.*)
- ♥ Intermediate/Novice Pairs (300/200/100/50/20) (*single sessions*) 10:00am, 2:00pm, 7:30pm

SATURDAY, AUGUST 13

- ♦ **8th Annual: Washington Bridge League Trophy Pairs** 11:00am & 4:00pm
Two session Open Pairs, qualifying and final. Single session entries available.
- ♥ StrataFlighted B/C/D Pairs (1500/1000/500) (single sessions) 11:00am, 4:00pm
- ♠ StrataFlighted A/X Pairs (unlim/3000) 4:00pm
- ♣ Intermediate/Novice Pairs (300/200/100) or Newcomer Pairs (50/20/5) (single sessions) 11:00am, 4:00pm
- ♦ *Don't miss the between sessions **Panel Show*** 2:30pm

SUNDAY, AUGUST 14

- ♣ **1-Day Bridge Class:** 2 sections: *Start to Play* or *Advance Your Game* 10:30am
- ♦ A/X Board-A-Match Teams, (unlim /5000, 2 session playthru w/short break) 11:00am & TBA
- ♥ B/C/D Swiss Teams, VPs (2500/1000/500, 7 round playthru w/short break) 11:00am & TBA
- ♠ 300/100/50 Swiss Teams, VPs (single sessions) 11:00am, 3:00pm

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Mid-chart allowed in all events except I/N

SILVER SPRING, MD: SEPTEMBER 10-11, 2011



Non Life Master Sectional

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Play for Silver

*NLMs with fewer than
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Saturday, September 10

NNLM Stratified Pairs (500/200/100 and 50/20/10)11:00 am

★*Expert analysis/discussion during lunch between sessions*

NLM Stratified Pairs (500/200/100 and 50/20/10) 3:15 pm

Sunday, September 11 (All day playthrough with lunch break)

Stratified Swiss Teams (500/200/100)11:00 am

-Join us for a fun weekend!-

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DIRECTIONS: From I-495 (Washington Beltway) take Exit 33 (Connecticut Ave/MD-185) North towards Kensington. Go 2 miles and keep Left as Connecticut Ave splits. After the split, take the third Right onto Lawrence Avenue. Take the first Left onto Newport Mill Road. The school is one-half mile on the Right.

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♠ **Fairfax, VA** ♣ **SEPTEMBER 29-OCTOBER 2, 2011** ♦



NORTHERN VIRGINIA BRIDGE ASSOCIATION
**SEPTEMBER SENSATIONS
 SECTIONAL TOURNAMENT**
The Arlington/Fairfax Elks Lodge #2188
 8421 Arlington Boulevard, Fairfax, VA; 703-560-2188

THURSDAY AFTERNOON, SEPTEMBER 29

STRATIFIED OPEN PAIRS (2000+/2000/750) & 299ER PAIRS (300/200/100)10:00 a.m.
Norma's Game: First Presbyterian Church, 601 N. Vermont St., Arlington, VA 22203, 703-892-1292

ALERT!...ALL OF THE REST OF THIS TOURNAMENT AT THE ELKS LODGE...
 (WBL at the Kensington Town Hall / Armory, 3710 Mitchell St., Kensington, MD)

THURSDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 29

	<u>NVBA</u>	<u>WBL</u>
Novice/Intermediate Lecture (Jeff Roman)	6:30 p.m.	
STRATAFLIGHTED OPEN PAIRS (A/X=3000+/3000; B/C=2000/750)	7:00 p.m.	7:30 p.m.
NVBA 199ER PAIRS (200/100/50/20); WBL NLM PAIRS (NLM/100/50)	7:00 p.m.	7:30 p.m.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 30

STRATIFIED OPEN PAIRS (2000+/2000/750)2 p.m.
 299ER PAIRS (300/200/100) and 49ER PAIRS (50/20/5)2 p.m.
 TRIPLE NICKEL SWISS—5 rounds, 5 boards, 5 minutes a board7:30 p.m.
 299ER PAIRS (300/200/100)7:30 p.m.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1

STRATIFIED OPEN PAIRS (2000+/2000/750)9:30 a.m.
 299ER PAIRS (300/200/100) and 49ER PAIRS (50/20)9:30 a.m.
 NEWCOMER PAIRS (0-5)9:30 a.m.
 FLIGHT A/X PAIRS (3000+/3000; 2-session Play-thru event) 2 & 7:30 p.m.
 —Single session pairs accommodated during the evening session
 STRATIFIED B/C PAIRS (2000/750; 2 single sessions)2 & 7:30 p.m.
 STRATIFIED SIDE GAME (3000+/3000)2 p.m.
 299ER PAIRS (300/200/100) and 49ER PAIRS (50/20/5)2 p.m.
 299ER PAIRS (300/200/100)7:30 p.m.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 2

FLIGHTS A/X (5000+/5000) SWISS TEAMS11:00 a.m.
 & BRACKETED FLIGHT B TEAMS (0-2000)11:00 a.m.
B Teams Bracketed by Total Team Masterpoints: three overall places in each.
Both Team Games are 2-session events, with a brief break—food available on-site.
 299ER SWISS TEAMS (300/200/100) (Single session)11:00 a.m.
 49ER SWISS TEAMS (50/20/5) (Single session)11:00 a.m.
 299ER SWISS TEAMS (300/200/100) (Single session)3:15 p.m.

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 Oct 20-23, '11 at Arlington/
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 (Thurs at Beth El)

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DIRECTIONS: From Route 50/Arlington Boulevard heading west from DC and Arlington AND from Route 495/Beltway: Continue on/Take Route 50 West about one mile outside the Beltway, and turn left at Javier Road (the second stoplight after the intersection of 50 and 495). Take an immediate right onto the access road that runs parallel to Route 50. The Elks Lodge will be two buildings down on your left—parking on the side and in the rear. From Fairfax, heading East on Route 50: Pass the intersection of Route 50 and Prosperity Avenue—the Prosperity Medical Center will be on your right. Between the first and second lights after Prosperity, turn right into the access road that runs parallel to Route 50 and look for the Elks Lodge immediately to your right—parking on the far side of the building and in the rear.

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