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From: NVBA Board of Directors <announcements@nvba.org>
Sent: Monday, October 3, 2022 9:10 AM
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Subject: NVBA Weekly Email 10/3/2022 - Welcome to October

Dear Mark:

The Washington Bridge League Fall Sectional just concluded. Thank you to our friends across the river for running a nice tournament. It was good to have in-person bridge with WBL, NVBA, and out-of-town players. Congratulations to NVBAers who were among the [WBL Fall Sectional Masterpoint Winners](#) and congratulations to those NVBAers who placed in the [WBL Fall Sectional Overalls](#).



Welcome to October! There are a lot of upcoming tournaments, most of these are in-person bridge! See below and the [NVBA Home Page](#) for details.

Upcoming Tournaments:

- [Richmond Fall Sectional](#) (10/7 to 10/9)
- [NAP Finals Flights A/Open, B and C/NLM](#) (10/15 to 10/16) - See [District Six North American Pairs \(NAP\) Finals](#) for additional details. Players can confirm that they qualified by checking the [NAP Qualifiers - District 6](#) list. Pre-registration is **due by Friday 10/7**.
- [District 6 Royal STaC F2F in clubs](#) (10/17 - 10/23) - Colored points awarded. Currently, seven District 6 / Unit 218 clubs have signed up to hold this event. Has yours? Check out the [ACBL List of Participating Clubs](#) to find out.
- [Virginia Beach Fall Sectional](#) (10/21 - 10/23)
- [Lancaster Fall Regional](#) (10/31 - 11/6)
- [Williamsburg Fall Sectional](#) (11/4 - 11/6)
- [District 6 Sectional Tournament at Clubs](#) (11/14 - 11/20)
- [Phoenix 2022 Fall NABC](#) (11/24 to 12/4)

Thursday Night Unit Games:

- NVBA will host a F2F Club Appreciation Teams event for the 10/6 in-person unit game. Please visit [The NVBA Unit Game](#) page on the NVBA website for additional information concerning game policies and procedures.
- For those looking for a partner or teammates for the 10/6 Teams event, Jason Carter is running an [NVBA Partnership Desk](#) for this event. He can be reached by email at [Jason Carter](#) and by phone at 703-508-8685.
- For those who wish to play online this Thursday, WBL will be hosting the weekly joint Unit games on BBO with Open, Flight B (under 2500), 499er, and 199er games. The 499er and 199er games start promptly at 7:05PM. The other two - Open and Flight B - begin at 7:15PM.
- We will have the [Zoom Postgame Discussion](#) after the online play.

NVBA, District 6, and ACBL News:

- Registration for the [Combined District 5/6 Winter 2022 Online IMP League](#) is **due by Friday 10/7**. As of a few days ago, there are 45 teams registered. Let's form teams and sign up to play and help the league get to five or even better six ten-team brackets. NVBA members have told us this is a very well-run league with a great format and nice technology, see [Online Imp Summer League](#) for their great website!
- Registration is now open for the 2022 - 2023 school year program of ACBL's Educational Foundation's **BridgeWhiz** program. Classes begin Monday, 10/17. This free, exciting, digital initiative is designed to teach young people (grades 4 - 12) the essentials of the fascinating game of bridge. For more information, see the [BridgeWhiz Flyer](#) or go to the [BridgeWhiz](#) home page.
- There are 15 in-person club games listed with times in green on the updated [Clubs](#) page of the NVBA website that are scheduled to be held. Anyone who is interested in playing an in-person game should contact the listed director in advance to confirm the game is on and to make a reservation.
- Here is the current schedule for [NVBA online games](#) on BBO.

Hope to see you at the in-person bridge tables, play well, and have fun!

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