
NVBA E-News - expert convention cards

1 message

NVBA Board of Directors <announcements@nvba.org>

Mon, Aug 10, 2026 at 3:48 AM

Reply-To: announcements@nvba.org

To: RonKral@gmail.com

Dear Ronald:

The unit game last week had 9 tables. Congratulations to winners **Mark Tonnesen - Ken Davis** (EW) and **Eugene Kales - Richard Ferrin** (NS). [Full results here](#). This week's game will be a North American Pairs qualifier. If possible, please preregister at [RSVP Bridge](#).



Do you know when your ACBL membership expires? Some members have reported not getting (or not noticing) the automated renewal reminder. Please take a moment to check your details on the ACBL website to make sure your membership doesn't lapse. Sign in at my.acbl.org/home and check the "paid thru" date at the top of the page next to your name.

Thank you to everyone who has signed up for the [NVBA mentorship program](#). If you know an experienced player who would make a good mentor, or if you know a newer player who could benefit from having a mentor, please encourage them to consider joining the program. If you have questions or suggestions, email mentors@nvba.org.

Registration opens on Tuesday for **Fall bridge classes** at the Fairfax County RECenters. For the schedule and a link to register online, check the [NVBA website](#).

Hail and Farewell

We welcome the following new members: **Lisa Ohlweiler** and **Alan McDowell**. We give our regards to the following members who have transferred out of our Unit: **Ruth Ann Verell** and **Mary Frances Jetton**.

Club News

- The **Wednesday morning game usually at St. Andrew's Episcopal** will be held at Bethlehem Lutheran (8922 Little River Turnpike, Fairfax) for the next three weeks (August 12, 19, and 26) because of other activities at St. Andrew's on those days. Other games at St. Andrew's are not affected.
- The **Tuesday evening game at the Army-Navy Country Club** will not be held on September 8 because of another activity at the country club that day. Starting September 15, the 99er section will shift to a 7pm start time (currently 5pm) and play alongside the open game. You do not have to be a member of the country club to play in this game.
- **Note to NVBA club managers:** If you would like your closures, location changes, team games, holiday parties, or other special events announced in this space, please either contact NVBA club liaison [Samriti Malik](#) or reply to this email.

Selected Upcoming Tournaments

- [Baltimore \(Ellicott City\) Sectional](#) - Fri Aug 21 to Sat Aug 22

- [Virginia Beach Non-Life Master Sectional](#) - Sat Aug 29 to Sun Aug 30
- [NVBA Fall Sectional \(Fairfax\)](#) - Thu Sep 24 to Sun Sep 27
- [Williamsburg Sectional](#) - Thu Oct 1 to Sat Oct 3
- The NVBA website has a list of other [tournaments of interest](#)

Useful Links

Link of the week: Are you curious to know more about which systems experts play? Vugraph commentator Al Hollander has compiled this [collection of expert convention cards](#) (suggested by Mark Chen). Please reply to this email to suggest future links of the week!

The NVBA website includes more information about the [unit game](#), listings of local [clubs](#) and [tournaments](#), help with [finding a partner](#), our [mentorship program](#), and much more. Webmaster [Ron Kral](#) welcomes your feedback and suggestions.

Play well, have fun, and see you at the tables!

Your NVBA Board

Manage Your Subscription

This message was sent to RonKral@gmail.com from announcements@nvba.org

NVBA Board of Directors
Northern Virginia Bridge Association
[11568 Lake Newport Road](#)
Reston, VA 20194-1208

