



Bloomington-Normal Bridge Newsletter

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October events:



Monday Morning Duplicate games at the First Christian Church located at Jefferson and Lee streets near downtown Bloomington starting at 11:45AM:

October 5 – open pairs

October 12 – open pairs

October 19 – open pairs

October 26 – open pairs

Contact Betty Capodice at 309-827-3318 for information or to arrange for a partner.

Mike's Bridge Club schedule:

Thursday, October 1, 11:45AM – open pairs – Popeyes

Saturday, October 3, NO GAME – TOURNAMENT IN RIVERTON

Monday, October 5, 6:15PM – 99ers only pairs – Heartland

Tuesday, October 6, 6:15PM – open pairs – Heartland

Thursday, October 8, 11:45AM – open pairs – Popeyes

Saturday, October 10, 11:45AM – open pairs – Westminster

Monday, October 12, 6:15PM – 99ers only pairs – Heartland

Tuesday, October 13, 6:15PM – open pairs – Heartland

Thursday, October 15, 11:45AM – open pairs – Popeyes

Saturday, October 17, 11:45AM – open pairs – Westminster

Monday, October 19, 6:15PM – 99ers only pairs – Heartland

Tuesday, October 20, 6:15PM – open pairs – Heartland

Thursday, October 22, 11:45AM – open pairs – Popeyes

Saturday, October 24, 11:45AM – open pairs – Westminster

Monday, October 26, 6:15PM – 99ers only pairs – Heartland

Tuesday, October 27, 6:15PM – open pairs – Heartland

Thursday, October 29, 11:45AM – open pairs – Popeyes

Saturday, October 31, 11:45AM – open pairs – Westminster

Contact Mike Tomlianovich at 309-825-5823 for information or to arrange for a partner.

All games sanctioned by the American Contract Bridge League.



Bridge players supporting other bridge players:

The Safe Harbor homeless shelter is in need of winter coats for men. If have any man's coat you would like to donate, please contact Safe Harbor.

Westminster Village offers a variety of living options, from an individual duplex in the "Willows" to comprehensive skilled nursing care at the Martin Health Center. Westminster Village provides the opportunity for an independent lifestyle with services and security. Please phone Jean Daily at 309-663-6474, visit Jean at the Westminster Village office at 2025 E Lincoln Street in Bloomington, or check their web site: <http://www.westminstervillageinc.com/>

Heartland Community College offers community education courses, including bridge. Get a catalog at bridge games or access the web page at: <http://www.heartland.edu/cce/corpcor/index.html>

Bridge classes and seminars available!

If you know of anybody who would like to attend a beginner or intermediate class or if your social bridge group would like a topic-focused seminar, please contact accredited bridge teacher Mike Tomlianovich. Each class consists of 24 hours of instruction and practice at a cost of tuition plus \$15 for a textbook. 1-2 hour seminars on a variety of bridge topics are available for a donation. Contact Mike at 309-825-5823 for details.

Public service announcement:

OSF St Joseph Medical Center needs volunteers to help staff the gift shop, reception desk, or patient transport. Please contact OSF's volunteer coordinator by phone at 309-662-3311 extension 1118 to discuss where you can help. Thank you!



The Bloomington-Normal "Top 25" Masterpoint holders

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- 3 1,661.93 Mike Tomlianovich
- *** 1,398.35 Sharad Chitgopekar
- *** 1,320.43 Ed Lombard
- 4 1,418.64 Steve Hawthorne
- 5 1,249.53 Zack Freehill
- 6 1,211.37 Hank Hoffman
- 7 1,133.64 Dewey Gronau
- 8 1,097.21 Eunice Patton
- 9 1,001.21 Jeanne Strand
- 10 997.00 Ivey Weaver
- 11 936.53 Stan Gutzman
- *** 780.34 Jack Kessler
- *** 741.06 Pearl Harris
- 12 790.71 Jean Barnett
- 13 757.55 Don Strand
- 14 746.34 Glen Beaman
- 15 721.69 Henrietta Crain
- 16 627.97 Charlie Morton
- 17 603.97 Martin Compton
- 18 588.67 Randall Motchan
- 19 564.67 Ruth Wettaw
- 20 558.13 Carole Miller
- 21 542.79 Ann Farnsworth
- 22 476434 Ann Schuyler
- *** 474.92 Nona Wooley
- 23 472.57 Peg Deutsch
- 24 453.41 Bob Smith
- *** 377.81 John Ferrell
- 25 362.01 Dennis Moll
- *** deceased

Other players:

- 12,626.18 Dick Benson-LeRoy
- 10,180.38 Chris Benson-LeRoy
- 4,301.75 Norinne Nelson
- 3,866.52 Alan Wienman-Morton
- 3,777.00 Phyllis Rahn-Dunlap
- 3,183.76 Larry Matheny
- 2,681.01 Ron Sholes-Springfield
- 2,596.42 Leonard Kaufman-Peoria
- 2,642.41 Dick Nelson
- 2,358.60 Georgia Heth-Morton
- 2,190.43 Gail Moon
- 2,110.75 Liz Zalar-Springfield
- 2,076.03 Kish Devaraj
- 2,006.23 Chuck Zalar-Springfield
- 1,934.77 Leah Newell- Springfield
- 1,853.25 Ray Russ-Henry
- 1,825.03 Joanne Glazebrook-Washington
- 1,757.93 Carole Sholes-Springfield
- 1,698.48 Terry Goodykoontz-Champaign
- 1,555.55 John Burdon
- 1,532.60 Paul Lindauer-Varna
- 1,51.27 Margaret Hansell-Champaign
- 1,357.66 Bobbie Straker-Pekin
- 1,262.18 Marilyn Stickel-Laon
- 1,256.04 Tim Cull-Springfield
- 1,026.56 Jim Moon
- 874.04 Donna Kaufman-Peoria
- 821.87 Floyd Sherry-Eureka
- 712.53 Bev Fast-Peoria
- 683.75 Marilyn Toubeaux-Peoria
- 667.29 Phil Kenney-Eureka
- 620.22 Eunice Viktor-Morton
- 550.07 Bill Carley-Peoria
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#1

Most defenders rush to grab their ace when a singleton is led through them. Sometimes it's right but other times you give up two tricks while gaining only one.

Scoring: Matchpoints (Pairs)

	S	K95				
Dlr	E	H	AKJ63			
			2			
Vul	N/	D	874			
	S	C	7			
S	Q10876	S	J3	West	North	East
H	1098	H	Q4			Pass
D	Q5	D	J92	Pass	4D*	Pass
C	843	C	AJ10952	All Pass		4H
	S	A42				
	H	75				
	D	AK106				
		3				
	C	KQ6				

*Texas Transfer

BIDDING: North used a transfer convention to allow the stronger hand to receive the opening lead and become declarer.

PLAY: West led the seven of spades and declarer counted a potential loser in each suit. But, he saw a way to put his club honors to work so he won the first trick in his hand and at trick two led a heart to dummy's king. Next he led the club from dummy and East couldn't wait up pop with his ace muttering something like "not through the big guy". Declarer won the spade continuation with dummy's king and played a diamond to his hand. It was easy to play his two winning clubs discarding a diamond and a spade from dummy. Next he took the losing heart finesse but racked up eleven tricks losing only a club and a heart.

Look what happens if East isn't so eager to play his ace of clubs. Declarer wins the king in his hand but still has to lose a spade and a diamond. In a pairs event where overtricks are extremely valuable, the difference between +620 and +650 can be a lot of matchpoints.

#2

Good matchpoint players are always looking for ways to find extra tricks. Here's a hand where it was a simple math problem. Take a look.

Scoring: Matchpoints (Pairs)

		S	K4
Dlr	E	H	KJ752
		D	AK5
Vul	N/ S	C	875

S	QJ9852	S	106	West	North	East	South
H	9	H	43			3C	3H
D	QJ873	D	964				
C	J	C	KQ1094	Pass	4H	All Pass	
			2				

S	A73
H	AQ1086
D	102
C	A63

BIDDING: East took advantage of the vulnerability to preempt with his six-card club suit. South overcalled and North had an easy raise to game. In fact, North probably should have cue bid clubs to show a very good raise.

PLAY: West led his partner's suit and East overtook with the queen. Declarer won the ace and saw his only losers were the two small clubs. He drew trumps and started counting East's hand. He had six clubs and followed to two hearts. Next declarer played three rounds of diamonds ruffing in his hand as East followed. He continued with a spade to dummy's king and another back to his ace. He now had a complete picture: East was marked with 2-2-3-6 distribution. Accordingly, declarer led his last spade and discarded a club from dummy. West won the trick but could only return a spade or a diamond allowing declarer to discard dummy's last club as declarer ruffed in his hand. Making six was worth most of the matchpoints.

Without East's preempt, it would have been difficult for declarer to obtain a complete count of the distribution.



#3

You can't always trust your opponents so you must be alert at all times. Here is a hand where I tried to be a bit sneaky but the declarer was more than capable of dealing with me.

Scoring: Matchpoints (Pairs)

	S	A75
Dlr E	H	Q6
	D	K743
Vul N/	C	6532
S		

S	64
H	AK743
D	1095
C	1094

S	K108
H	J102
D	QJ862
C	J8

West	North	East	South
		Pass	1S
Pass	2S	Pass	3C
Pass	4S	All Pass	

S	QJ932
H	985
D	A
C	AKQ7

BIDDING: After North's raise, South made a game try and North accepted.

PLAY: West led the ace of hearts and sitting East, I felt our best chance of beating this contract was to take two trump tricks along with the two hearts. I followed to the first trick with the jack of hearts and then played the deuce on the second. My partner continued with a third heart hoping I could over ruff dummy. Declarer also saw my high-low and trumped the third heart with the ace of spades just as I had hoped he would do. However, when I followed to the third heart, declarer knew I was up to something. It wouldn't work to now lead a low spade to his queen because he had no way to get back to dummy to lead another one. Playing his hunch, he led a low spade to his nine. Next he played the spade queen and was able to keep his trump losers to one. I had tried but declarer wasn't about to fall for my attempt to fool him. It was just my luck to try it against this particular declarer.

From declarer's point of view, it was true I did not have to hold the ten of spades but my attempt to promote a second trump trick made it very likely.

#4

There are few hands where the bidding doesn't help declarer make a decision in the play. Here is a hand where declarer didn't stop to think about the auction and soon regretted it.

Scoring: Matchpoints (Pairs)

		S	J65
Dlr	N	H	10754
		D	J7
Vul	N/ S	C	KQJ9

S	7432
H	93
D	A108
C	7643

S	AK109
H	KJ
D	Q9532
C	82

West	North	East	South
	Pass	1D	1H
Pass	2H	Pass	2NT
Pass	4H	All Pass	

S	Q8
H	AQ862
D	K64
C	A105

BIDDING: After North's raise, South made a game try and North accepted.

PLAY: West led a low spade and East quickly won the first two tricks. At trick three, East led a low diamond and declarer, expecting the ace of diamonds to be on his right, rose with the king. West won the ace and led another diamond to East for the setting trick. Was it just a guess or was there enough information for declarer to find the correction play? Just as the great Sherlock Holmes asked "Why didn't the dog bark?", declarer should have wondered why West didn't lead his partner's suit. The answer is leading an ace often works out poorly, so West simply tried to find a safer one. As you can see, if West had led the ace of diamonds, declarer would have no problems.

Another thought is that declarer needed the king of hearts to be on his right and East may have opened 1NT holding the top two spades along with the heart king, diamond ace, and a jack.



September results:

Mike's Tuesday evening open pairs- September 1 – 4 tables:

- 1st. (58.93%) Eunice Patton-Bloomington & Steve Babin-Normal
- 2nd. (57.74%) Randall Motchan-Bloomington & Mike Tomlianovich-Bloomington
- 3rd. (55.95%) Darryl Bremner-Canton & Stan Gutzman-Normal
- 4th. (55.36%) Ken Vogelbaugh-Bloomington & Floyd Sherry-Eureka

Mike's Thursday open pairs – September 3 – 5½ tables:

- 1st. (63.02%) Ann Schuyler-Bloomington & Dennis Moll-Bloomington
- 2nd. (56.77%) Mary Cralley-Normal & Mike Tomlianovich-Bloomington
- 3rd. (55.73%) Bev Upp-Bloomington & Zack Freehill-Bloomington
- 4th. (54.17%) Betty Capodice-Bloomington & Steve Hawthorne-Bloomington
- 5th. (52.78%) Dewey Gronau-Bloomington Hank Hoffman-Bloomington

Mike's Thursday open pairs – September 10 – 5½ tables:

- 1st. (66.20%) Mike Tomlianovich-Bloomington & Steve Babin-Normal
- 2nd. (60.42%) Floyd Sherry-Eureka & Stan Gutzman-Normal
- 3rd. (57.87%) Dewey Gronau-Bloomington Hank Hoffman-Bloomington
- 4th. (53.65%) Jeanne & Don Strand - Normal
- 5th. (50.52%) Zack Freehill-Bloomington & Steve Hawthorne-Bloomington

Mike's Saturday open pairs – September 12 – 9 tables:

North-South:

- 1st. (59.49%) Margaret Hansell-Champaign & Paul Lindauer-Varna
- 2nd. (58.10%) Bev Upp-Bloomington & Ann Schuyler-Bloomington
- 3rd. (55.79%) Jeanne & Don Strand - Normal
- 4th. (54.17%) Dorothy Berg-Bloomington & Jeanie Nord-Bloomington
- 5th. (52.78%) Jean Barnett-Bloomington & Stan Gutzman-Normal
- 6th. (50.0%) Bret Van Fleet-Bloomington & Zack Freehill-Bloomington

East-West:

- 1st. (65.05%) Camilla Rabjohns-Peoria Heights & Steve Hawthorne-Bloomington
- 2nd. (60.65%) Dewey Gronau-Bloomington & Hank Hoffman-Bloomington
- 3rd. (58.10%) Steve Wulfers-Normal & Randall Motchan-Bloomington
- 4th. (56.48%) Babe Fullan-Bloomington & Bev Meghinnes-Towanda
- 5th. (50.69%) Melissa & Dennis Fitton - Sidney

Monday Morning Duplicate – September 14 – 6 tables:

North-South:

- 1st. (64.58%) Bev Upp-Bloomington & Zack Freehill-Bloomington
- 2nd. (51.67%) Fran Morton-Bloomington & Jan Rolfs-Bloomington

East-West:

- 1st. (63.75%) Dewey Gronau-Bloomington & Hank Hoffman-Bloomington



2nd. (52.92%) Marilyn & Darrell Bremner - Clinton

3rd. (52.50%) Ann Schuyler-Bloomington & Camilla Rabjohns-Peoria Heights

Mike's Monday evening 99ers only pairs – September 14 – 6 tables:

North-South:

1st. (77.78%) JaAnn Schroeder-Bloomington & Ann Schimelpfenig-Bloomington

2nd. (60.56%) Marge & Dick Swanberg - Bloomington

3rd. (55.56%) Elaine Cousins-Bloomington & Steve Green-Goodfield

4th. (51.67%) Beverly Pabst-Normal & Lynette Linman-Normal

East-West:

1st. (62.22%) Sarah Bourland-Normal & Roger Joslin-Bloomington

2nd. (53.33%) Calvin Wu-Normal & Dan Liu-Bloomington

3rd. (52.22%) Dorothy Berg-Bloomington & Roberta Weddig-Normal

Mike's Tuesday evening open pairs - September 15 – 4 tables:

1st. (61.90%) Randall Motchan-Bloomington & Steve Babin-Normal

2nd. (55.95%) Dave & Zack Freehill - Bloomington

3rd. (54.76%) Peg Deutsch-Bloomington & Charlie Morton-Bloomington

4th. (52.38%) JoAnn Schroeder-Bloomington & Jo Drake-Minier

Mike's Thursday open pairs – September 17 – 6 tables:

North-South:

1st. (57.92%) Ann Farnsworth-Bloomington & Jean Barnett-Bloomington

2nd. (56.67%) Phil Kenney-Eureka & Stan Gutzman-Normal

3rd. (56.25%) Betty Capodice-Bloomington & Steve Hawthorne-Bloomington

4th. (55.00%) JoAnn Schroeder-Bloomington & Paul Lindauer-Varna

East-West:

1st. (57.08%) Margaret Hansell-Champaign & Steve Babin-Normal

2nd. (56.25%) Mary Cralley-Normal & Mike Tomlianovich-Bloomington

3rd. (52.08%) Dewey Gronau-Bloomington Hank Hoffman-Bloomington

Mike's Saturday open pairs – September 19 – 8 tables:

North-South:

1st. (69.30%) Fei Dong-Peoria & Alan Wienman-Morton

2nd. (58.89%) Esther Dunn-Bloomington & Bev Meginnes-Towanda

3rd. (57.61%) Darryl Bremner-Clinton & Stan Gutzman-Normal

4th. (53.32%) Randall Motchan-Bloomington & Paul Lindauer-Varna

5th. (50.26%) Bev Upp-Bloomington & Hank Hoffman-Bloomington

East-West:

1st. (57.48%) Melissa & Dennis Fitton - Sidney

2nd. (55.91%) JoAnn Schroeder-Bloomington & Sallie Boge-Bloomington

3rd. (54.51%) Zack & Dave Freehill - Bloomington

4th. (50.93%) Marilyn Stickel-Lacon & Ray Russ-Henry

5th. (50.34%) Eunice Patton-Bloomington & Steve Babin-Normal

Monday Morning Duplicate – September 21 – 7½ tables:

1st. (66.99%) Margaret Hansell-Champaign & Paul Lindauer-Varna

2nd. (54.49%) Bev Upp-Bloomington & Peg Deutsch-Bloomington

3-4. (52.57%) Phil Kenney-Eureka & Floyd Sherry-Eureka

Ray Russ-Henry & Steve Babin-Normal

5th. (51.92%) Ann Schuyler-Bloomington & Dennis Moll-Bloomington

6th. (51.60%) Marilyn & Darrell Bremner - Clinton

7th. (50.96%) Jeanne & Don Strand - Normal

8-9. (50.64%) Bev Meginnes-Towanda & Henrietta Crain-Normal

Bev Fast-Peoria & Betty Capodice-Bloomington

Mike's Monday evening 99ers only pairs – September 21 – 5½ tables:



- 1st. (73.44%) JoAnn Schroeder-Bloomington & Ann Schimelpfenig-Bloomington
- 2nd. (67.19%) Dorothy Berg-Bloomington & Sarah Bourland-Normal
- 3rd. (62.50%) Patty & Rodger Paul - Bloomington
- 4th. (52.08%) Carla Smith-Bloomington & Sam Weiler-Bloomington
- 5th. (51.57%) Beverly Pabst-Normal & Lynette Linman-Normal

Mike's Tuesday evening open pairs- September 22 – 4 tables:

- 1st. (58.33%) Ann Schuyler-Bloomington & Zack Freehill-Bloomington
- 2nd. (57.74%) Darry Bremner-Clinton & Stan Gutzman-Normal
- 3rd. (51.19%) JoAnn Schroeder-Bloomington & Jo Drake-Minier
- 4th. (50.60%) Steve Wulfers-Normal & Steve Babin-Normal
- 5th. (50.00%) Peg Deutsch-Bloomington & Bev Upp-Bloomington

Mike's Thursday open pairs – September 24 – 5 tables:

North-South:

- 1st. (61.00%) Phil Kenney-Eureka & Floyd Sherry-Eureka
- 2nd. (56.00%) Henrietta Crain-Normal & Jeanne Strand-Normal
- 3rd. (55.50%) Betty Capodice-Bloomington & Joanne Glazebrook-Peoria

East-West:

- 1st. (64.50%) Ann Schuyler-Bloomington & Zack Freehill-Bloomington
- 2nd. (50.00%) Peg Deutsch-Bloomington & Stan Gutzman-Normal

Mike's Saturday open pairs – September 26 – 7½ tables:

- 1st. (59.93%) Mike Ring-Urbana & Terry Goodykoontz-Champaign
- 2nd. (58.65%) Bev Upp-Bloomington & Ann Schuyler-Bloomington
- 3rd. (55.36%) Margaret Hansell-Champaign & Steve Babin-Normal
- 4-5. (51.28%) Jeff Furler-Bloomington & Steve Wulfers-Normal
Eunice Patton-Bloomington & Betty Capodice-Bloomington
- 6th. (50.96%) Hank Hoffman-Bloomington & Mike Tomlianovich-Bloomington

Monday Morning Duplicate – September 28 – 8½ tables:

North-South:

- 1st. (61.90%) Margaret Hansell-Champaign & Steve Babin-Normal
- 2nd. (54.47%) JoAnn Schroeder-Bloomington & Charlie Morton-Bloomington
- 3rd. (53.28%) Fran Morton-Bloomington & Jan Rolfs-Bloomington
- 4th. (52.98%) Bev Upp-Bloomington & Hank Hoffman-Bloomington
- 5th. (51.19%) John Cralley-Normal & Martin Compton-Bloomington

East-West:

- 1st. (56.88%) Joann Rouse-Bloomington & Peg Deutsch-Bloomington
- 2nd. (55.29%) Zack & Dave Freehill - Bloomington
- 3rd. (53.70%) John Maloney-Champaign & Dick Benson-LeRoy
- 4th. (50.79%) Stan Gutzman-Normal & Floyd Sherry-Eureka

Mike's Monday evening 99ers only pairs – September 28 – 6 tables:

North-South:

- 1st. (65.56%) Mary Lou Gold-Bloomington & Gaye Hoselton-Chenoa
- 2nd. (62.78%) JoAnn Schroeder-Bloomington & Ann Schimelpfenig-Bloomington

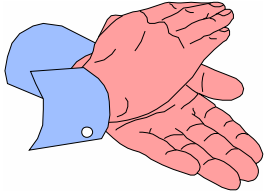
East-West:

- 1st. (64.44%) Roberta Weddig-Normal & Joe Krause-Bloomington
- 2nd. (53.33%) Carla Smith-Bloomington & Sam Weiler-Bloomington
- 3rd. (50.56%) Diane Yount-Bloomington & Mary Houska-Normal

Mike's Tuesday evening open pairs- September 29 – 4½ tables:

- 1st. (55.56%) Peg Deutsch-Bloomington & Dewey Gronau-Bloomington
- 2nd. (54.17%) Phil Kenney-Eureka & Steve Babin-Normal
- 3rd. (53.47%) Eunice Patton-Bloomington & Randall Motchan-Bloomington
- 4th. (52.78%) Floyd Sherry-Eureka & Stan Gutzman-Normal

5th. (50.68%) Leonard Johnson-Bloomington & Ray Dostal-Bloomington



Congratulations to all winners!



Bloomington-Normal entries in the unit 208 2009 masterpoint races - updated 9/7/2009 –

Mini-McKenney (all masterpoints earned):

0-5 masterpoints: Lynn Devore #5 with 9.59, Fran Devore #8 with 7.39

5-20 masterpoints:

20-50 masterpoints:

50-100 masterpoints:

100-200 masterpoints:

200-300 masterpoints: Bev Upp #3 with 61.72, Dave Freehill #7 with 43.71

300-500 masterpoints: Ann Schuyler #1 with 94.20, Dennis Moll #6 with 65.72, Peg Deutsch #10 with 37.38

500-1000 masterpoints:

1000-2500 masterpoints:

Steve Hawthorne #3 with 118.15, Zack Freehill #5 with 113.63, Steve Babin #6 with 102.62

2500-5000 masterpoints: Betty Capodice #8 with 85.19

Ace of Clubs (masterpoints won only at club games):

0-5 masterpoints: Lynn Devore #3 with 8.09, Fran Devore #7 with 5.89

5-20 masterpoints: Jason Cannell #7 with 6.76

20-50 masterpoints:

50-100 masterpoints:

100-200 masterpoints:

200-300 masterpoints: Bev Upp #8 with 27.81

300-500 masterpoints: Ann Schuyler #3 with 31.13

500-1000 masterpoints: Satn Gutzman #7 with 29.99

1000-2500 masterpoints:

Zack Freehill #3 with 57.36, Hank Hoffman #5 with 54.65,

Steve Babin #6 with 51.23

2500-5000 masterpoints: Betty Capodice #2 with 35.81



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2009/09/21 73.44% JoAnn Schroeder & Ann Schimelpfenig
2009/09/14 77.78% JoAnn Schroeder & Ann Schimelpfenig
2009/08/24 70.54% Ben Snyder & Roger Joslin
2009/08/03 71.11% Barbara Schaad & Sarah Bourland
2009/07/25 70.83% Betty Capodice & Steve Hawthorne
2009/06/29 70.84% Bobbie Straker & Steve Babin
2009/06/23 73.00% Mike Tomlianovich & Steve Babin
2009/05/11 72.33% Beverly Poole & Jill Colledge
2009/05/04 73.76% Mary Houska & John Sheen
2009/04/30 71.67% Dennis Moll & Steve Hawthorne
2009/04/20 74.44% Joyce Werner & Dorothy Berg
2009/04/13 72.32% Mary Houska & John Sheen
2009/03/09 70.00% Cindy Lake & Wendy Anderson
2009/01/29 73.61% Betty Capodice & Joanne Glazebrook

2008/08/25 72.22% Vi Kothe & Jason Cannell
2008/08/25 70.14% Colleen Curran & Cindy Lake
2008/08/11 75.00% Cindy Lake & Wendy Anderson
2008/06/03 77.50% Dave & Zack Freehill
2008/06/02 71.11% Barbara Schaad & Sarah Bourland
2008/03/03 70.00% Beverly Poole & Jill Colledge
2008/01/26 71.73% Eunice Patton & Betty Capodice
2008/01/26 70.54% Ann Schuyler & Phyllis Rahn
2008/01/21 70.04% Kathy Enlund & Wendy Anderson
2008/01/14 72.22% Roberta Weddig & Joe Krause



Bloomington-Normal STaC Week



November 2 - 8, 2009

All games are at the regular club price since the unit is covering the sanction fee. The unit board director for this area is Floyd Sherry.

Monday Morning Duplicate - Monday, November 2
11:45am – Open Pairs - First Christian Church

Mike's Bridge Club:

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Sunday, November 8, 1:15pm – Open Pairs – location TBA

All awards are silver points sanctioned by the American Contract Bridge League and sponsored by ACBL district 8.



Remember: All Bloomington-Normal duplicate events adhere to the ACBL's zero tolerance for unacceptable behavior. Do NOT let this person's conduct rub off on you!!

Bloomington-Normal new rank achievers – 2007-9 only:

New junior masters: Sam Weiler, Lynn Devore, Joy Szmaj, Fran Devore, Mary Houska

New club masters: Roberta Weddig, Steve Green, Linda Hanfland

**New sectional masters: Joann Rouse, Darryl Bremner, John Sheen,
Joe Krause, Ann Schimelpfenig, Sarah Bourland, Patty Paul**

New regional masters:

**Walter Fox, Ann Schuyler, Art Adams, Bev Upp, Ramesh Chaudhuri,
Kirk Biggs, Jeannie Nord, Darryl Bremner**

New NABC masters: Peg Deutsch, Chris Biggs, Dennis Moll, Ann Schuyler, Bev Upp, Dave Freehill

**New life masters: Randall Motchan, Sam Katz, Jean Barnett, Stan Gutzman,
Ann Schuyler, Peg Deutsch, Dennis Moll, Bev Upp, Steve Wulfers**

**New bronze life masters: Ruth Wettaw, Ann Farnsworth, Charlie Morton, Sam Katz, Carole Bardwell,
Jean Barnett, Stan Gutzman, Randall Motchan**

New silver life masters:

Steve Hawthorne, Eunice Patton, Hank Hoffman, Dewey Gronau, Zack Freehill, Jeanne Strand

New gold life masters: Laura Addison

Upcoming tournaments:



Springfield Sectional

October 2-4, Eagles Club, Riverton, IL

District 8 NAP final

November 14, Eagles Club, Riverton, IL

