



Bloomington-Normal Bridge Newsletter

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June Events



Monday Morning Duplicate games starting at 11:45AM:

June 7 – open pairs – club house at the Village of Fox Creek

June 14 – quarterly club champ open pairs –

First Christian Church, Jefferson and Lee, near downtown Bloomington

June 21 – NAP qualifier open pairs - club house at the Village of Fox Creek

June 28 – open pairs - First Christian Church, Jefferson and Lee, near downtown Bloomington

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

Mike's Bridge Club schedule:

Tuesday, June 1, 6:15PM – open pairs – Heartland

Wednesday, June 2, 1:15PM – 99ers only pairs– Popeyes

Thursday, June 3, 11:45AM – open pairs – Popeyes

Saturday, June 5, 11:45AM – World Wide Bridge Contest open pairs – Westminster

Monday, June 7, 6:15PM – 99ers only pairs – Heartland

Tuesday, June 8, 6:15PM – open pairs – Heartland

Wednesday, June 9, 1:15PM – 99ers only pairs– Popeyes

Thursday, June 10, 11:45AM – open pairs – Popeyes

Saturday, June 12, 11:45AM – quarterly club champ open pairs – Westminster

Life master achievement celebration for Bret Van Fleet & Dave Freehill

Monday, June 14, 6:15PM – quarterly club champ 99ers only pairs – Heartland

Tuesday, June 15, 6:15PM – quarterly club champ open pairs – Heartland

Wednesday, June 16, 1:15PM – quarterly club champ 99ers only pairs– Popeyes

Thursday, June 17, 11:45AM – quarterly club champ open pairs – Popeyes

Saturday, June 19, 11:45AM – open pairs – Westminster

Monday, June 21, 6:15PM – 99ers only pairs – Heartland

Tuesday, June 22, 6:15PM – NAP qualifier open pairs – Heartland

Wednesday, June 23, 1:15PM – 99ers only pairs– Popeyes

Thursday, June 24, 11:45AM – NAP qualifier open pairs – Popeyes

Saturday, June 26, 11:45AM – NAP qualifier open pairs – Westminster

Monday, June 28, 6:15PM – 99ers only pairs – Heartland

Tuesday, June 29, 6:15PM – open pairs – Heartland

Wednesday, June 30, 1:15PM – 99ers only pairs– Popeyes

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/communityed>

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

As of 2/6/2010 – residents of Bloomington-Normal only – paid up ACBL members only

- 1 **3,163.46 Betty Capodice**
- *** 2,557.18 Laura Addison**
- 2 **2,355.02 Steve Babin**
- 3 **1,695.77 Mike Tomlianovich**
- *** 1.398.35 Sharad Chitgopekar**
- *** 1.320.43 Ed Lombard**
- 4 **1,456.92 Steve Hawthorne**
- 5 **1,366.78 Zack Freehill**
- 6 **1,277.61 Hank Hoffman**
- 7 **1,176.82 Dewey Gronau**
- 8 **1,145.68 Eunice Patton**
- 9 **1,022.97 Jeanne Strand**
- 10 **1,002.99 Ivey Weaver**
- 11 **981.39 Stan Gutzman**
- *** 780.34 Jack Kessler**
- *** 741.06 Pearl Harris**
- 12 **819.27 Jean Barnett**
- 13 **766.50 Don Strand**
- 14 **750.55 Glen Beaman**
- 15 **726.99 Henrietta Crain**
- 16 **671.54 Charlie Morton**
- 17 **633.02 Randall Motchan**
- 18 **607.84 Martin Compton**
- 19 **567.22 Ruth Wettaw**
- 20 **557.07 Ann Farnsworth**
- 21 **540.47 Ann Schuyler**
- 22 **497.96 Peg Deutsch**
- *** 474.92 Nona Wooley**
- 23 **455.59 Bob Smith**
- 24 **431.32 Bev Upp**
- 25 **402.63 Dennis Moll**
- *** deceased**

Other players:

- ***12,741.55 Dick Benson-LeRoy**
- 10,348.49 Chris Benson-LeRoy**
- 3,969.10 Alan Wienman-Morton**
- 3,810.74 Phyllis Rahn-Dunlap**
- 3,285.16 Larry Matheny**
- 2,755.21 Ron Sholes-Springfield**
- 2,645.70 Leonard Kaufman-Peoria**
- 2,379.93 Georgia Heth-Morton**
- 2,260.53 Gail Moon**
- 2,147.74 Liz Zalar-Springfield**
- 2,098.81 Kish Devaraj**
- 2,050.16 Chuck Zalar-Springfield**
- 1,982.27 Leah Newell- Springfield**
- 1,893.17 Ray Russ-Henry**
- 1,864.32 Joanne Glazebrook-Washington**
- 1,785.68 Carole Sholes-Springfield**
- 1,725.03 Terry Goodykoontz-Champaign**
- 1,648.44 John Burdon**
- 1,587.30 Paul Lindauer-Varna**
- 1,572.20 Margaret Hansell-Champaign**
- 1,378.60 Bobbie Straker-Pekin**
- 1,303.48 Marilyn Stickel-Laon**
- 1,303.44 Tim Cull-Springfield**
- 1,096.66 Jim Moon**
- 911.34 Donna Kaufman-Peoria**
- 865.05 Floyd Sherry-Eureka**
- 730.11 Bev Fast-Peoria**
- 683.75 Marilyn Toubeaux-Peoria**
- 682.65 Phil Kenney-Eureka**
- 620.22 Eunice Viktor-Morton**
- 568.72 Bill Carley-Peoria**
- 561.81 Carole Miller-Champaign**
- 544.59 Camilla Rabjohns**
- 480.30 Bill Bulfer-East Peoria**

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#1

The ability to visualize the possible end position in a hand is one of the traits that separate a great player from an average player. Here is a hand that requires that kind of foresight at trick one.

Scoring: Matchpoints (Pairs)

Dlr E	S AQ65				
Vu E/ l W	H KQ62				
	D K4				
	C AK10	West	North	East	South
S J1082	S 74			Pass	1D
H 9754	H 108	Pass	1H	Pass	1NT
D Q1052	D 986	Pass	6NT	Pass	Pass
C 5	C QJ9642	Pass			
	S K93				
	H AJ3				
	D AJ73				
	C 873				

BIDDING: After South rebid 1NT, this became a simple math problem for North. His 21 high card points opposite his partner's 12-14 made the raise to 6NT easy.

PLAY: West led the jack of spades and declarer stopped to analyze the hand. He could count eleven tricks: 3 spades, 4 hearts, 2 diamonds, and 2 clubs. A twelfth trick would result from a successful diamond finesse for the missing queen or a 3-3 spade break. Looking even deeper he saw that if the diamond finesse lost and the spades were not 3-3, he could make the hand if the same opponent held the long diamond and the long spade. Next he examined his entries and realized he had to make sure he could get back to his hand after cashing his winners. Accordingly, he won the first spade in dummy. Now he led the king and another diamond with the jack losing to the queen. West exited with a heart and declarer proceeded to cash his winners. After the ace of diamonds and four hearts (discarding a club from his hand), he cashed the top clubs. Here was the ending when the club king was played:

S-A65 C-K
S-1082 immaterial
D-10
S-K9 D-7 C-8

West could not protect three spades and the high diamond so he had to concede the slam to South. Please note the importance of winning the first trick in dummy. It's no good to hold threat cards in a squeeze position if you can't get to them.

#2

Whenever you make a bid, you should have a goal . It could be to buy the contract, impede the opponents, suggest a sacrifice, or request a lead. But, you don't want to make a bid that can do nothing but help your opponents. This is such hand and declarer was listening.

Scoring: Matchpoints (Pairs)

Dlr W S A973
Vu E/ H AK105
l W D QJ54
C 7

S 2	S 108	West	North	East	South
H Q9742	H 86	Pass	1D	Pass	1S
D K7	D 98632	1NT*	3S	Pass	4S
C QJ962	C A1083	Pass	Pass	Pass	

S KQJ654
H J3
D A10
C K54

*weak with other two suits

BIDDING: After passing originally, West bid 1NT to show a heart-club, two-suited hand. North's fourteen high card points and singleton made his hand worth a jump and South carried on to game.

PLAY: West led the queen of clubs won by East. A diamond was led at trick two and declarer stopped to analyze the hand. The contract was not in danger as declarer had only two losers. However, declarer remembered the bidding and after drawing trumps in two rounds, led the jack of hearts toward dummy. West ducked but so did declarer. The diamond loser went on the good heart and twelve tricks was a good score.

How would have declarer played if West had not shown hearts and clubs? It's still possible he would have finessed hearts but he would only have ten tricks if it failed*. Obviously we will never know but one thing is for sure, West did nothing but give away useful information to his opponent. Since E-W were vulnerable it was highly unlikely E-W would buy the contract, so what was West's goal?

*After winning the diamond ace at trick two, declarer could ruff a club followed by all of his black suit winners. In the three card ending, either opponent holding the queen of hearts and the king of diamonds would be squeezed. This is an alternate line to the heart finesse.

#3

Overtricks are usually very important in a pairs event, but this hand shows that sometimes you simply need to ensure your contract.

Scoring: Matchpoints (Pairs)

Dlr	E	S	A				
		H	Q102				
Vu	non	D	K865				
l	e	C	AJ1062				
S	J1072	S	K986543	West	North	East	South
H	76	H	5			3S	4H
D	Q104	D	A	4S	5H	Pass	Pass
C	KQ75	C	9843	Pass			
		S	Q				
		H	AKJ9843				
		D	J9732				
		C					

BIDDING: As is often the case after a preempt, it wasn't clear who could make what. North thought about trying for slam and East considered bidding one more before she passed.

PLAY: Declarer won the spade lead in dummy and after two rounds of trumps it was time to tackle the diamond suit. The goal was to play the suit for only two losers. While most preempts don't include an outside ace, declarer was never tempted to play to the diamond king. Instead, he led a low diamond from his hand and after West followed with the four, the five was played from dummy. This ensured the contract unless East had preempted holding the AQ10 of diamonds. East won with the ace and declarer quickly claimed conceding one more diamond. Even if East had won with the ten or the queen, declarer would have won the return and led another diamond toward dummy.

#4

One of the most common mistakes declarers make is playing too quickly to trick one. Here is a good example of that very problem.

Scoring: Matchpoints (Pairs)

Dlr	E	S	K87				
	Vu	H	QJ				
	non	D	A105				
l	e	C	KQJ109	West	North	East	South
S	J1065432	S	9			Pass	Pass
H	A10	H	87432	1S	2C	Pass	2NT
D	KJ	D	9763	Pass	3NT	Pass	Pass
C	A8	C	652	Pass			
		S	AQ				
		H	K965				
		D	Q842				
		C	743				

BIDDING: North might have tried 1NT rather than overcall in a five-card suit. South had an easy 2NT bid and North carried on to game.

PLAY: West led a spade and declarer saw his game was not in danger. But, this was a pairs event where overtricks are important so he stopped to consider the best plan. It seemed right to knock out the ace of clubs but he realized that a second spade return would eliminate the only entry back to his hand. Instead, he led a low heart and was delighted when the ten was played. A second heart brought the ace and the spade return put him back in his hand to cash the other two high hearts. Now he led a club and he had eleven tricks: 3 spades, 3 hearts, 1 diamond, and 4 clubs.

His score of +460 was a great result since most N/S pairs only took nine tricks.



May results:

Mike's Saturday open pairs – May 1 – 5½ tables:

- 1st. (59.38%) Carole Miller-Champaign & Betty Capodice-Bloomington
- 2nd. (57.30%) Jean Barnett-Bloomington & Stan Gutzman-Normal
- 3rd. (56.77%) Peg Deutsch-Bloomington & Dewey Gronau-Bloomington
- 4th. (56.25%) Mike Michels-Bloomington & Steve Wulfers-Normal
- 5th. (53.13%) Roger Joslin-Bloomington & Randall Motchan-Bloomington
- 6th. (52.08%) Glen Beaman-Bloomington & Mike Tomlianovich-Bloomington
- 7th. (50.93%) Babe Fullan-Bloomington & Bev Megennes-Towanda

Monday Morning Duplicate – May 3 – 7½ tables:

- 1st. (61.22%) Ivey Weaver-Bloomington & Phyllis Rahn-Dunlap
- 2nd. (56.73%) Ann Schuyler-Bloomington & Dennis Moll-Bloomington
- 3rd. (55.77%) Dave & Zack Freehill - Bloomington
- 4th. (53.20%) Betty Capodice-Bloomington & Steve Hawthorne-Bloomington
- 5-6. (51.60%) Marilyn & Darryl Bremner - Clinton
- JoAnn Schroeder-Bloomington & Stan Gutzman-Normal
- 7th. (50.64%) Sallie Boge-Bloomington & Phil Kenney-Eureka
- 8th. (50.32%) Joanne Glazebrook-Peoria & Hank Hoffman-Bloomington
- 9th. (50.00%) Fran Morton-Bloomington & Peg Deutsch-Bloomington

Mike's Monday evening 99ers only pairs – May 3 – 7 tables:

North-South

- 1st. (62.22%) Vi Kothe-Bloomington & Dorothy Berg-Bloomington
- 2nd. (56.67%) Fran & Lynn Devore - Normal
- 3rd. (50.00%) Barbara Lysohir-Bloomington & Sam Weiler-Bloomington

East-West

- 1st. (58.89%) Ann Schimelpfenig-Bloomington & JoAnn Schroeder-Bloomington
- 2nd. (56.67%) Don Randall-Bloomington & Dan Klotzbach-Bloomington
- 3rd. (50.56%) Mary Lou Gold-Bloomington & Gaye Hoselton-Chenoa

Mike's Tuesday evening open pairs- May 4 – 6 pairs:

- 1st. (69%) Joyce Clay-Bloomington & Stan Gutzman-Normal
- 2nd. (64%) Ric Brenneman-Minier & Charlie Morton-Bloomington
- 3rd. (57%) Hank Hoffman-Bloomington & Steve Babin-Normal

Mike's Wednesday afternoon 99ers only pairs – May 5 – 4 tables:

North-South

- 1st. (58.33%) Marilyn & Gene Byers - Bloomington
- 2nd. (56.25%) Jan Farkas-Bloomington & Carla Smith-Bloomington

East-West

- 1st. (65.63%) Roberta Weddig-Normal & Joe Krause-Bloomington

Mike's Thursday open pairs – May 6 – 4 tables:

- 1st. (64.20%) Margaret Hansell-Champaign & Steve Babin-Normal
- 2nd. (53.77%) JoAnn Schroeder-Bloomington & Charlie Morton-Bloomington
- 3rd. (53.18%) Zack & Dave Freehill - Bloomington

4th. (51.58%) Ann Schuyler-Bloomington & Dennis Moll-Bloomington

Mike's Saturday open pairs – May 8 – 8½ tables:

North-South

1st. (65.48%) Camilla Rabjons-Peoria Heights & Steve Hawthorne-Bloomington

2nd. (61.01%) Roger Joslin-Bloomington & Mike Tomlianovich-Bloomington

3rd. (58.63%) Bev Upp-Bloomington & Ann Schuyler-Bloomington

4th. (53.28%) Glen Beaman-Bloomington & Ron Emmett-LeRoy

East-West

1st. (56.61%) Dewey Gronau-Bloomington & Hank Hoffman-Bloomington

2nd. (55.29%) Babe Fullan-Bloomington & Bev Meginnes-Towanda

3rd. (53.97%) Darryl Bremner-Clinton & Stan Gutzman-Normal

4th. (51.59%) Bret Van Fleet-Bloomington & Zack Freehill-Bloomington

5th. (50.26%) Leah Newell-Springfield & Terry Goodykoontz-Champaign

Monday Morning Duplicate – May 10 – 6½ tables:

1st. (65.41%) Dennis Moll-Bloomington & Zack Freehill-Bloomington

2nd. (64.17%) Ann Schuyler-Bloomington & Camilla Rabjohns-Peoria Heights

3rd. (55.56%) Betty Capodice-Bloomington & Steve Hawthorne-Bloomington

4th. (55.41%) Bobbie Straker-Pekin & Phil Kenney-Eureka

5th. (52.08%) Bev Upp-Bloomington & Jeanne Strand-Normal

6th. (51.11%) Jean Barnett-Bloomington & Ivey Weaver-Bloomington

7th. (50.84%) Dewey Gronau-Bloomington & Hank Hoffman-Bloomington

Mike's Monday evening 99ers only pairs – May 10 – 7 tables:

North-South

1-2. (63.33%) Joyce Werner-Downs & Dorothy Berg-Bloomington

Dan Liu-Bloomington & Calvin Wu-Normal

3rd. (60.00%) Barbara Schaad-Bloomington & Sarah Bourland-Normal

East-West

1st. (75.00%) Marge & Dick Swanberg-Bloomington

2nd. (53.89%) Ann Garrett-Bloomington & Patty Paul-Bloomington

3rd. (53.33%) Joe Krause-Bloomington & John Sheen-Downs

Mike's Tuesday evening open pairs- May 11 – 8 pairs:

1st. (58.93%) Bev Upp-Bloomington & Hank Hoffman-Bloomington

2nd. (57.74%) Joyce Clay-Bloomington & Stan Gutzman-Normal

3rd. (55.36%) Mike Tomlianovich-Bloomington & Steve Babin-Normal

4th. (51.19%) Dave & Zack Freehill - Bloomington

Mike's Wednesday afternoon 99ers only pairs – May 12 – 3 tables:

1st. (70.00%) Lori & Jim Fernstrom - Bloomington

2nd. (56.67%) Joyce & Bob Clay - Bloomington

1st. (51.67%) JoAnn Schroeder-Bloomington & Fran Morton-Bloomington

Mike's Thursday open pairs – May 13 – 7½ tables:

1st. (63.78%) Betty Capodice-Bloomington & Joanne Glazebrook-Peoria

2nd. (62.50%) Ray Russ-Henry & Steve Babin-Normal

3-4. (55.45%) Joyce Clay-Bloomington & Jason Cannell-Bloomington

Zack Freehill-Bloomington & Steve Hawthorne-Bloomington

5th. (54.76%) Roger Joslin-Bloomington & Paul Lindauer-Varna

6th. (54.49%) Ann Farnsworth-Bloomington & Jean Barnett-Bloomington

7th. (53.20%) JoAnn Schroeder-Bloomington & Peg Detusch-Bloomington

8th. (52.57%) Darryl Bremner-Clinton & Stan Gutzman-Normal

9th. (50.32%) Dewey Gronau-Bloomington & Hank Hoffman-Bloomington

Mike's Saturday open pairs – May 15 – 9 tables:

North-South

- 1st. (65.74%) Bev Upp-Bloomington & Jeanne Strand-Normal
- 2nd. (63.19%) Camilla Rabjons-Peoria Heights & Georgia Heth-Morton
- 3rd. (58.56%) Jean Barnett-Bloomington & Margaret Hansel-Champaign
- 4th. (53.47%) Marlys & Fred Clark - Mahomet

East-West

- 1st. (57.87%) Roger Joslin-Bloomington & Paul Lindauer-Varna
- 2nd. (53.70%) Ann Schuyler-Bloomington & Zack Freehill-Bloomington
- 3rd. (53.24%) Babe Fullan-Bloomington & Charlie Morton-Bloomington
- 4th. (52.78%) Steve Wulfers-Normal & Randall Motchan-Bloomington

Monday Morning Duplicate – May 17 – 8 tables:

North-South

- 1st. (60.42%) Margaret Hansell-Champaign & Dennis Moll-Bloomington
- 2nd. (58.93%) JoAnn Schroeder-Bloomington & Jeanie Nord-Bloomington
- 3rd. (52.68%) Bev Upp-Bloomington & Peg Deutsch-Bloomington

East-West

- 1st. (64.58%) Roger Joslin-Bloomington & Dewey Gronau-Bloomington
- 2nd. (58.04%) Bobbie Straker-Pekin & Steve Babin-Normal
- 3rd. (52.68%) Phil Kenney-Eureka & Floyd Sherry-Eureka
- 4th. (50.60%) Esther Dunn-Bloomington & Bev Meginnis-Towanda

Mike's Monday evening 99ers only pairs – May 17 – 6 tables:

North-South

- 1st. (65.00%) Joyce Werner-Downs & Dorothy Berg-Bloomington
- 2-3. (50.56%) Barbara Lysohir-Bloomington & Sam Weiler-Bloomington
Patty Paul-Bloomington & Anne Garrett-Bloomington

East-West

- 1st. (67.22%) Joe Krause-Bloomington & John Sheen-Downs
- 2nd. (61.11%) Vi Kothe-Bloomington & Sarah Bourland-Normal
- 3rd. (52.22%) Lori Moore-Bloomington & Patti Corrigan-Bloomington

Mike's Tuesday evening open pairs- May 18 – 3 tables:

- 1st. (62%) Hank Hoffman-Bloomington & Steve Babin-Normal
- 2nd. (55%) Joyce Clay-Bloomington & Stan Gutzman-Normal
- 3rd. (53%) Jeanne Strand-Normal & Randall Motchan-Bloomington

Mike's Wednesday afternoon 99ers only pairs – May 19 – 4 tables:

North-South

- 1st. (60.42%) Marilyn Byers-Bloomington & Jon Gilpin-Normal
- 2nd. (54.17%) Lori & Jim Fernstrom - Bloomington

East-West

- 1st. (66.67%) Don Randall-Bloomington & Dan Liu-Bloomington

Mike's Thursday open pairs – May 20 – 6 tables:

- 1st. (58.52%) Glen Beaman-Bloomington & Paul Lindauer-Varna
- 2nd. (55.93%) Betty Capodice-Bloomington & Ray Russ-Henry
- 3rd. (54.81%) Dennis Moll-Bloomington & Floyd Sherry-Eureka
- 4th. (54.44%) Margaret Hansell-Champaign & Steve Babin-Normal
- 5-6. (54.07%) JoAnn Schroeder-Bloomington & Bev Upp-Bloomington
Dewey Gronau-Bloomington & Hank Hoffman-Bloomington
- 7th. (52.96%) Joyce Clay-Bloomington & Zack Freehill-Bloomington
- 8th. (50.37%) Jeanne & Don Strand - Normal

Mike's Saturday open pairs – May 22 – 7 tables:

North-South

- 1st. (67.66%) Betty Capodice-Bloomington & Steve Babin-Normal
- 2nd. (54.91%) Ann Farnsworth-Bloomington & Jean Barnett-Bloomington

3rd. (54.71%) Babe Fullan-Bloomington & Charlie Morton-Bloomington

East-West

1st. (54.21%) Stevie & Roger Joslin-Bloomington

2nd. (52.58%) Ann Schuyler-Bloomington & Bill Bulfer-East Peoria

3rd. (51.68%) Bev Upp-Bloomington & Zack Freehill-Bloomington

4th. (50.55%) Ramesh Chaudhari-Normal & Randall Motchan-Bloomington

5th. (50.15%) Margaret Hansel-Champaign & Mike Tomlianovich-Bloomington

6th. (50.05%) Dewey Gronau-Bloomington & Hank Hoffman-Bloomington

Monday Morning Duplicate – May 24 – 8 tables:

North-South

1st. (61.01%) Ann Schuyler-Bloomington & Steve Hawthorne-Bloomington

2nd. (59.23%) Sallie Boge-Bloomington & Jeanne Strand-Normal

3rd. (51.79%) Ramesh Chaudhari-Normal & Hank Hoffman-Bloomington

East-West

1st. (58.04%) Mary Cralley-Normal & Dewey Gronau-Bloomington

2nd. (52.38%) Bev Upp-Bloomington & Zack Freehill-Bloomington

3rd. (51.79%) Dennis Moll-Bloomington & Phil Kenney-Eureka

Mike's Monday evening 99ers only pairs – May 24 – 5 tables:

North-South

1st. (75.00%) Vi Kothe-Bloomington & Dorothy Berg-Bloomington

2nd. (56.67%) Barbara Schaad-Bloomington & Sarah Bourland-Normal

3rd. (54.17%) Barbara Lysohir-Bloomington & Sam Weiler-Bloomington

East-West

1st. (55.00%) Marge & Dick Swanberg - Bloomington

2nd. (52.50%) Dan Klotzbach-Bloomington & Don Randall-Bloomington

3rd. (50.83%) Mary Lou Gold-Bloomington & Gaye Hoselton-Chenoa

Mike's Tuesday evening open pairs- May 25 – 3 tables:

1st. (53%) Patty & Rodger Paul - Bloomington

2nd. (52%) Stevie Joslin-Bloomington & Ann Schuyler-Bloomington

3rd. (51%) Jo Drake-Minier & Bob Smith-Normal

4th. (50%) Roger Joslin-Bloomington & Mike Tomlianovich-Bloomington

Mike's Wednesday afternoon 99ers only pairs – May 26 – 3½ tables:

1st. (72.22%) Fran & Lynn Devore - Normal

2nd. (50.00%) Sam Weiler-Bloomington & Fran Morton-Bloomington

Mike's Thursday open pairs – May 27 – 5 tables:

1st. (63.43%) Ann Schuyler-Bloomington & Dennis Moll-Bloomington

2-3. (58.80%) Charlie Morton-Bloomington & Bill Carley-Peoria

Gene Byers-Bloomington & Mike Tomlianovich-Bloomington

4th. (50.46%) Fran Morton-Bloomington & JoAnn Rouse-Bloomington

Monday Morning Duplicate – May 31 – 6½ tables:

1st. (57.50%) Jean Barnett-Bloomington & Ivey Weaver-Bloomington

2nd. (56.25%) Eunice Patton-Bloomington & Randall Motchan-Bloomington

3rd. (55.84%) Sallie Boge-Bloomington & Ann Schuyler-Bloomington

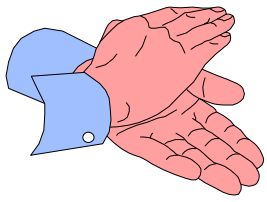
4th. (55.00%) Roger Joslin-Bloomington & Dewey Gronau-Bloomington

5th. (53.75%) Camilla Rabjohns-Peoria Heights & Steve Hawthorne-Bloomington

6th. (52.92%) Stan Gutzman-Normal & Floyd Sherry-Eureka

7th. (51.11%) Jeanne & Don Strand - Normal

8th. (50.41%) Bobbie Straker-Pekin & Steve Babin-Normal



Congratulations to all winners!



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 entries in the unit 208 2010 masterpoint races – 4/6/2010

Mini-McKenney (all masterpoints earned):

0-5 masterpoints: Joyce Clay #1 with 14.11, Joyce Werner #3 with 3.42

5-20 masterpoints:

20-50 masterpoints: JoAnn Schroeder #2 with 8.76

50-100 masterpoints: Sarah Bourland #2 with 12.97, Fran Morton #4 with 8.03

100-200 masterpoints:

200-300 masterpoints: Sallie Boge #7 with 8.81, Mary Cralley #8 with 8.05

300-500 masterpoints: Bev Upp #2 with 35.05, Dennis Moll #4 with 25.19, Dave Freehill #5 with 17.67

500-1000 masterpoints: Ann Schuyler #2 with 39.06, Charlie Morton #6 with 29.26

1000-2500 masterpoints:

Zack Freehill #1 with 62.06, Steve Babin #4 with 32.26, Hank Hoffman #9 with 27.40

2500-5000 masterpoints: Betty Capodice #3 with 32.59

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

0-5 masterpoints: Joyce Clay #1 with 10.21, Joyce Werner #3 with 2.14

5-20 masterpoints: Fran & Lynn Devore #9 & # 10 with 2.88

20-50 masterpoints: JoAnn Schroeder #3 with 5.26

50-100 masterpoints: Sarah Bourland #3 with 7.77

100-200 masterpoints:

200-300 masterpoints: Sallie Boge #7 with 5.45

300-500 masterpoints: Dennis Moll #3 with 12.64, Bev Upp #9 with 7.75

500-1000 masterpoints: Ann Schuyler #1 with 21.86

1000-2500 masterpoints: Zack Freehill #5 with 18.26, Hank Hoffman #6 with 18.14, Steve Babin #7 with 17.21

2500-5000 masterpoints: Betty Capodice #1 with 21.47

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2010/05/26 72.22% Fran & Lynn Devore(99ers)
2010/05/24 75.00% Vi Kothe & Dorothy Berg(99ers)
2010/05/12 70.00% Lori & Jim Fernstrom(99ers)
2010/05/10 75.00% Marge & Dick Swanberg(99ers)
2010/04/29 72.74% Hank Hoffman & Steve Babin
2010/04/26 73.33% Joyce Clay & JoAnn Schroeder(99ers)
2010/04/26 72.22% Anne Garrett & Patty Paul(99ers)
2010/04/15 71.88% Ann Schuyler & Dennis Moll
2010/04/11 72.50% Eunice Patton & Steve Babin(Schroeder open house)
2010/04/07 74.17% Joyce Werner & Dorothy Berg(99ers)
2010/03/03 72.22% Joyce Werner & Dorothy Berg(99ers)
2010/02/24 73.33% Dan Liu & Don Randall (99ers)
2010/02/17 71.88% Vi Kothe & Dorothy Berg (99ers)
2010/01/04 72.50% Roberta Weddig & Joe Krause (99ers)

2009/12/14 70.00% Roberta Weddig & Joe Krause (99ers)
2009/10/05 70.42% Ann Farnsworth & Hank Hoffman
2009/09/21 73.44% JoAnn Schroeder & Ann Schimelpfenig (99ers)
2009/09/14 77.78% JoAnn Schroeder & Ann Schimelpfenig (99ers)
2009/08/24 70.54% Ben Snyder & Roger Joslin (99ers)
2009/08/03 71.11% Barbara Schaad & Sarah Bourland (99ers)
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 (99ers)
2009/05/04 73.76% Mary Houska & John Sheen (99ers)
2009/04/30 71.67% Dennis Moll & Steve Hawthorne
2009/04/20 74.44% Joyce Werner & Dorothy Berg (99ers)
2009/04/13 72.32% Mary Houska & John Sheen (99ers)
2009/03/09 70.00% Cindy Lake & Wendy Anderson (99ers)
2009/01/29 73.61% Betty Capodice & Joanne Glazebrook

Bloomington-Normal new rank achievers – 2007-10 only:

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

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

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, Ann Schuyler

New silver life masters:

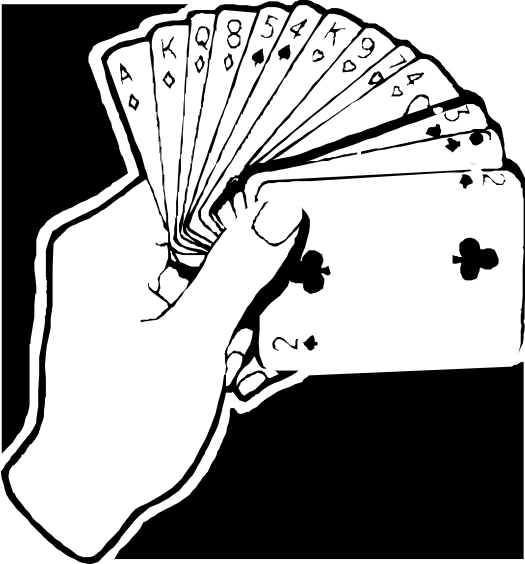
Steve Hawthorne, Eunice Patton, Hank Hoffman, Dewey Gronau, Zack Freehill, Jeanne Strand, Ivey Weaver

New gold life masters: Laura Addison



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!!

Upcoming tournaments:



**Twin City Summer sectional
July 9-11, UAW Hall, Bloomington, IL**

