



District 25, American Contract Bridge League

New England Units of the ACBL

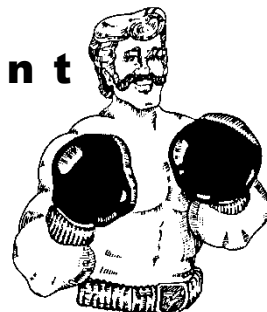
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Thursday, February 14, 2013

The New England Knockout Team Regional Tournament

in Cromwell, CT

February 13-18, 2013



Today's Schedule:

♥ ♥ ♥ Thursday, February 14 ♥ ♥ ♥		
10:00 A M	Stratified Swiss Teams (2 sessions, continues at 2:30)	1 st session
	Gold Rush Swiss Teams (2 sessions, continues at 2:30)	
	Stratified Open Pairs (2 sessions, continues at 2:30)	
	Intermediate / Newcomer Pairs	
2:30 P M	<i>Stratified Swiss Teams continues (no new entries)</i>	2 nd session
	<i>Gold Rush Swiss Teams continues (no new entries)</i>	
	<i>Stratified Open Pairs continues</i>	
	Intermediate / Newcomer Pairs	
7:30 P M	Side Game (evening series)	
	Intermediate / Newcomer Pairs	

STRATA & FLIGHT BREAKS:

A: 3000+; B: 750-3000; C: 0-750; Newcomer: 0-299, stratified

Hospitality today courtesy of District 25

Assorted Cookies

2:00-3:00, in the Ballroom foyer



Tom orrow morning:

Bagels and Cream Cheese



Tom orrow evening:

Chocolate Fountain



It may help to know

Active Ethics

Want to promote active ethics? When someone makes that extra effort to practice what we all preach, make sure that person is made to feel appreciated. Tell us, and the Bulletin will tell the world.

Change of Address

If your address or other information is wrong, please let the directors and Memphis know.

Cell Phones

Please remember to turn off all cell phones and other communication devices before entering the playing area. **Failure to do so may result in penalties.**

Give me a hand!

“Everyone has a story worth telling.” If you have any interesting or amusing hands, stories, anecdotes, or announcements, please pass them along for inclusion in the Bulletin. Give them to the bulletin editor (David Metcalf) or to any tournament director, or email them to bulletin@nebridge.org

New Life Masters

Please let us know the event, names of partner and teammates, and tell us any special or interesting circumstances.

Smoking

There is no smoking anywhere near the playing area.

District Web Site

The District 25 Web site has lots of interesting and useful. Check it out at www.nebridge.org for the latest information, with links to many other bridge sites.



Congratulations to Wednesday's Winners!

WEDNESDAY COMPACT KNOCKOUT

- Bracket 1 Justine Cushing - Melih Ozdil, New York NY;
Lewis Finkel, Jupiter FL; Joel Wooldridge, Astoria NY
- Bracket 2 Carolyn Joseph, Farmington CT; Jeanne Striefler, West Simsbury CT;
Sally Kirtley, North Granby CT; Jerry Hirsch, Simsbury CT

WEDNESDAY GOLD RUSH COMPACT KNOCKOUT

- Bracket 1 Donald McA'Nulty - Carol McA'Nulty, West Roxbury MA;
Robert Eidlitz, Hartsdale NY; Doris Nussbaum, Wilton CT
- Bracket 2 Carolyn Halsey - Tony Halsey, New Canaan CT;
Robert Abramowitz, Montville NJ; Wendy Lee, East Hanover NJ
- Bracket 3 Ann Barton - Dena Kaplan, Stamford CT;
James Nowill, Florence MA; Anne McCune, Keene NH

WEDNESDAY STRATIFIED OPEN PAIRS

- A Edward Etkind, Torrington CT; Larry Bausher, West Haven CT
- B Garson Heller Jr - Mario Sa Couto, Westport CT
- C Garson Heller, Mario Sa Couto

299er Bridge News

C o m e j o i n t h e f u n ...

0-299er Program!

Newcomers and Intermediates

... with Sue Miguel



FOUR Gold Rush Events!

49^{er} pair games on Friday!

I/N Event Schedule:

DAY	GAME	TIMES
Thursday	GOLD RUSH Swiss Teams	10:00 and 2:30
	Stratified 299er Pairs	10:00, 2:30, 7:30
Friday	Gold Rush Pairs	10:00 and 2:30
	0-49er Pairs	10:00, 2:30
	Stratified 299er Pairs	7:30
Saturday	Gold Rush Compact KO Teams	10:00 and 2:30
	Stratified 299er Pairs	10:00, 2:30, 7:30
Sunday	Stratified 299er Swiss Teams	10:00

all events except GOLD RUSH events are single session

GOLD RUSH events are two sessions, and are for players with < 750 masterpoints

Join us for...

- Free morning coffee • Free snacks
- Door prizes • Trophies • Hand analysis
- Free bridge lessons • Fun • Surprises
- ... and a whole lot more!!

Wednesday Compact Knockout



Wed Compact Knockout: Bracket 1

8 Tables

10.33	1	Justine Cushing - Melih Ozdil, New York NY; Lewis Finkel, Jupiter FL; Joel Wooldridge, Astoria NY
7.23	2	Paul Pearson, Enfield CT; Laurie Robbins, Windsor CT; Reginald Harvey, Wallingford CT; Thomas Lorch, Hartford CT

Wed Compact Knockout: Bracket 2

8 Tables

4.68	1	Carolyn Joseph, Farmington CT; Jeanne Striefler, West Simsbury CT; Sally Kirtley, North Granby CT; Jerry Hirsch, Simsbury CT
3.28	2	Beverly Saunders, South Windsor CT; Vera Gerard, Hartford CT; Ronald Talbot - Lincoln May, Glastonbury CT

Wednesday GOLD RUSH Compact Knockout

Wed GOLD RUSH Compact Knockout: Bracket 1

8 Tables

4.03	1	Donald McA'Nulty - Carol McA'Nulty, West Roxbury MA; Robert Eidlitz, Hartsdale NY; Doris Nussbaum, Wilton CT
2.82	2	Gary Cohen, Bloomfield CT; Merrill Stein - Inge Schuele - Patricia Roth, West Hartford CT
1.81	3	Jane Clancy, Attleboro MA; Eleanor Stone, Westwood MA; Brenda Quinn, North Attleboro MA; Mary Forte, Foxboro MA
1.41	4	Rodney Aspinwall - J. Gail Schulze - Margaret Molwitz, New Canaan CT; Diane Storey, Westport CT

Wed GOLD RUSH Compact Knockout: Bracket 2

9 Tables

3.84	1	Carolyn Halsey - Tony Halsey, New Canaan CT; Robert Abramowitz, Montville NJ; Wendy Lee, East Hanover NJ
2.69	2	Susan Tordel Williams - Robert Williams, Ayer MA; Zita Samuels - Judith Grace, Brookline MA
1.73	3	Veronica Tiedemann - Kathryn Payne - Judith Crystal, Greenwich CT; Dorothy Carpenter, Westport CT
1.34	4	Adish Jain - Asha Jain, South Glastonbury CT; Peter Solomon - Sally Solomon, West Hartford CT

Wed GOLD RUSH Compact Knockout: Bracket 3

8 Tables

3.66	1	Ann Barton - Dena Kaplan, Stamford CT; James Nowill, Florence MA; Anne McCune, Keene NH
2.56	2	Roz Sternberg, Avon CT; Anant Patel, Rocky Hill CT; Carol Hill, Simsbury CT; Lila Englehart, Granby CT

Wed Afternoon One-Session Swiss Teams

11 Tables / Based on 19 Tables

	A	X	
4.40	1		Betty Bloom - Steve Bloom, Duaneburg NY; John Stiefel, Wethersfield CT; Richard DeMartino, Riverside CT 70.00
3.30	2	1	Judith Hess, Fairfield CT; Esther Watstein, Stratford CT; James Misner - Elaine Misner, Wilton CT 53.00
2.48	3		Judy Dubay - William Dubay, Voorheesville NY; Robert Donald - Diane Burger, Troy NY 45.00
2.16	4	2	Dean Panagopoulos - Athena Panagopoulos, Lynn MA; Ira Cooper - Catherine Cooper, Woburn MA 41.00
1.42		3/4	Carolyn Olschefske - Phillip Olschefske, Newington CT; Donna Lyons, Naples FL; Michele Raviele, Farmington CT 39.00
1.42		3/4	Robert Klopp, New Haven CT; Gernot Reiners - Lawrence Stern, Branford CT; Charles Heckman, North Haven CT 39.00

Wed Afternoon 0-750 One-Session Swiss Teams

8 Tables

	B	C	
2.73	1		Arleen Goldman, Livingston NJ; Carol Kaufman, Scotch Plains NJ; Peggy Hall, Summit NJ; Mary Lou Ferris, Chatham NJ 57.00
2.05	2	1	Doris Andrews - Ann Dougherty, Southbury CT; Margaret James, Sandy Hook CT; Barbara Terkildsen, Newtown CT 54.00
1.54	3		Margaret Karbovanec, Fairfield CT; Barbara Moore, Darien CT; Pat Brasher, Norwalk CT; Helen McBrien, New Canaan CT 44.00

Wednesday Stratified Open Pairs

27.5 Tables / Based on 23 Tables

	A	B	C		
11.55	1			Edward Etkind, Torrington CT; Larry Bausher, West Haven CT	66.55%
8.66	2			Geoffrey Brod, Avon CT; Joel Krug, Middletown CT	60.54%
6.50	3			Haven Sharaf, Danvers MA; Bill Irvine, Quincy MA	60.53%
7.88	4	1	1	Garson Heller Jr - Mario Sa Couto, Westport CT	60.01%
5.91	5	2		Selen Hotamisliligil, Wellesley MA; Cenk Tuncok, Amesbury MA	59.48%
3.60	6			Carl Berenbaum, Elkins Park PA; Barbara Kepple, West Chester PA	59.12%
2.94	7			Tom Joyce, East Hartford CT; Hilda Silverman, West Hartford CT	56.79%
4.43		3		Wayne Lubin, Brookfield CT; Morris Feinson, Danbury CT	55.67%
3.32		4		Donna Feir, Tolland CT; Susan Seckinger, Wethersfield CT	55.25%
3.55		5	2	Richard Fronapfel - Susan Fronapfel, Danbury CT	55.02%
2.25		6		William Titley, Woodbury CT; Richard Blair, Old Lyme CT	53.52%
1.95			3	John Hodge - Sue Hodge, Allendale NJ	45.61%

FIRST SESSION

SECTIONS M N				NORTH-SOUTH	
A	B	C			
1			Douglas Doub, West Hartford CT; Judith Hyde, Coventry CT		59.72%
2			Haven Sharaf, Danvers MA; Bill Irvine, Quincy MA		59.26%
3	1	1	Richard Fronapfel - Susan Fronapfel, Danbury CT		59.22%
4			Tom Joyce, East Hartford CT; Hilda Silverman, West Hartford CT		55.56%
5	2		James Macomber, Farmington CT; Dinesh Gupta, South Windsor CT		55.10%
6	3		William Watson, Bloomfield CT; Edgar Ramspeck, East Hartford CT		54.72%
7	4		Joan Brault, Avon CT; Aldona Siuta, Unionville CT		54.50%
8			Don Stiegler, Shelton CT; Gary Miyashiro, West Redding CT		54.02%
9	5		Sharon Santow, Greenwich CT; Jay Force, Stamford CT		53.49%
10			Sarah Budds, Niantic CT; Allan Clamage, Stratford CT		52.79%
	6	2	Garson Heller Jr - Mario Sa Couto, Westport CT		49.94%

SECTIONS M N				EAST-WEST	
A	B	C			
1			Geoffrey Brod, Avon CT; Joel Krug, Middletown CT		65.58%
2			Edward Etkind, Torrington CT; Larry Bausher, West Haven CT		64.53%
3	1		Selen Hotamisliligil, Wellesley MA; Cenk Tuncok, Amesbury MA		62.41%
4	2		Donna Feir, Tolland CT; Susan Seckinger, Wethersfield CT		59.23%
5	3		Jill Fouad, New Canaan CT; Karin Olsen Nye, Old Greenwich CT		58.40%
6			Larry Wallowitz, Rocky Hill CT; Lesley Meyers, Bloomfield CT		54.77%
7			Frances Schneider - Sandra DeMartino, Riverside CT		54.02%
8			Carl Berenbaum, Elkins Park PA; Barbara Kepple, West Chester PA		53.23%
9	4		John Sedgwick, Springfield MA; Elizabeth Lincoln, Longmeadow MA		52.22%
10	5		Lothar Stiberth, Naugatuck CT; Stanley Gedansky, Woodbridge CT		52.01%
	6		William Titley, Woodbury CT; Richard Blair, Old Lyme CT		51.64%
		1	Arlene Norman - Paul Norman, Manchester CT		46.97%
		2	Gary Bloomstone - Jacob Bast, Newton MA		45.14%

SECOND SESSION

SECTIONS M N				NORTH-SOUTH	
A	B	C			
1			Edward Etkind, Torrington CT; Larry Bausher, West Haven CT		68.64%
2			Carl Berenbaum, Elkins Park PA; Barbara Kepple, West Chester PA		65.24%
3	1		Wayne Lubin, Brookfield CT; Morris Feinson, Danbury CT		62.71%
4			Jeffrey David, Rutland MA; Robert Casey, Worcester MA		59.60%
5			Cynthia Schneider - Eli Schneider, East Brunswick NJ		57.14%
6	2		Selen Hotamisliligil, Wellesley MA; Cenk Tuncok, Amesbury MA		56.43%
7	3		William Titley, Woodbury CT; Richard Blair, Old Lyme CT		55.47%
8			Larry Wallowitz, Rocky Hill CT; Lesley Meyers, Bloomfield CT		54.55%
9			Natalie Hertz - Dan Hertz, Harrison NY		53.96%
10	4		Myrna Butler, Westfield MA; Muriel Dane, Longmeadow MA		53.72%
11	5		Nat Zucker - Julia Zucker, Monroe Township NJ		53.69%
	6		Robert Gruskay, West Hartford CT; Virginia Naugler, Bloomfield CT		53.09%
	7		Joan Brault, Avon CT; Aldona Siuta, Unionville CT		48.26%
	8		Jill Fouad, New Canaan CT; Karin Olsen Nye, Old Greenwich CT		47.92%
		1	Livia Giroux, Warwick RI; Barbara Barrette, Plainfield CT		47.21%
		2	Jeanine Kachele, Middletown NY; Martha Schuck, Chester NY		43.92%

SECTIONS M N				EAST-WEST	
A	B	C			
1	1	1	Garson Heller Jr - Mario Sa Couto, Westport CT		70.46%
2			Haven Sharaf, Danvers MA; Bill Irvine, Quincy MA		61.84%
3			Don Stiegler, Shelton CT; Gary Miyashiro, West Redding CT		58.07%
4			Tom Joyce, East Hartford CT; Hilda Silverman, West Hartford CT		58.07%
5			Richard Wieland, Redding CT; Vesna Hauptfeld, Waterford CT		57.00%
6	2		Joan Martin, Bridgeport CT; Ann Cady, Roxbury CT		55.75%
7	3		Graet MacKinnon, Burlington ON; Tom Shannon, Toronto ON		55.74%
8			Geoffrey Brod, Avon CT; Joel Krug, Middletown CT		55.30%
9			Cynthia Michael, Woodbridge CT; Gail Carroll, Bethany CT		54.93%
10	4		Michael Dworetzky, Bloomfield CT; Daniel Finn, Clarksville MD		52.44%
11	5		Donna Feir, Tolland CT; Susan Seckinger, Wethersfield CT		51.10%
	6	2	Richard Fronapfel - Susan Fronapfel, Danbury CT		50.65%
	7		John Sedgwick, Springfield MA; Elizabeth Lincoln, Longmeadow MA		50.14%

Wed Evening Side Game

The Wednesday evening side game results will appear in the FRIDAY bulletin

Wed Morning 299er Game

7.0 Tables

	A	B	C		
2.40	1	1		Marlene Myers, Longmeadow; Maxine Cechvala, S Hadley	60.83%
1.80	2	2	1	Haroula Dobyms, Milford CT; Judi Zucker, Stratford CT	59.17%
1.35	3	3	2	David Foster - Louis Cascio, Ridgefield CT	57.50%
1.01	4	4		Bonnie Murphy - Jonathan Clark, Branford CT	54.58%
0.76	5			Raymond Ng - Carrie Mackenzie-Ng, Toronto ON	53.75%
0.94			3	Sharon Phillips - Cathy Dann, Greenwich CT	50.00%

SECTION Q NORTH-SOUTH

A	B	C		
1	1	1	David Foster - Louis Cascio, Ridgefield CT	57.50%
2	2		Bonnie Murphy - Jonathan Clark, Branford CT	54.58%
3			Betty Payton - Mildred Conlon, W Hartford CT	52.08%

SECTION Q EAST-WEST

A	B	C		
1	1		Marlene Myers, Longmeadow MA; Maxine Cechvala, South Hadley MA	60.83%
2	2	1	Haroula Dobyms, Milford CT; Judi Zucker, Stratford CT	59.17%
3			Raymond Ng - Carrie Mackenzie-Ng, Toronto ON	53.75%
		2	Lorraine Chagnon - Roberta Avery, Colchester CT	47.08%

Wed Afternoon 299er Game

9.5 Tables

	A	B	C		
2.83	1	1	1	Don Steele - Robert Hyatt, Simsbury CT	60.59%
2.12	2	2		Paul Melvin - Anne Melvin, Simsbury CT	58.73%
1.59	3	3		J Marx, Manchester CT; Clifford Abraham, Vernon CT	57.97%
1.19	4	4		Bonnie Murphy - Jonathan Clark, Branford CT	55.35%
0.90	5	5		Michael Grant - Elizabeth Grant, Greenwich CT	54.34%
0.67	6			Edward Konowitz, Cheshire CT; Irving Rosenthal, Avon CT	53.74%
1.25			2	Valerie Del Padre, Cumberland RI; Beatrice Martini, Providence	51.40%
0.94			3	John Calderbank - Nancy Calderbank, Glastonbury CT	50.53%

SECTION Q NORTH-SOUTH

A	B	C		
1	1		J Marx, Manchester CT; Clifford Abraham, Vernon CT	57.97%
2	2		Bonnie Murphy - Jonathan Clark, Branford CT	55.35%
3	3		Michael Grant - Elizabeth Grant, Greenwich CT	54.34%
4			Edward Konowitz, Cheshire CT; Irving Rosenthal, Avon CT	53.74%
	4		Diane Lambert, Seekonk MA; Marcia Hess, Bristol RI	51.62%
		1	Valerie Del Padre, Cumberland RI; Beatrice Martini, N Providence RI	51.40%
		2	John Calderbank - Nancy Calderbank, Glastonbury CT	50.53%

SECTION Q EAST-WEST

A	B	C		
1	1	1	Don Steele - Robert Hyatt, Simsbury CT	60.59%
2	2		Paul Melvin - Anne Melvin, Simsbury CT	58.73%
3	3		M Sandra Macri - Karen Sterrett, Simsbury CT	52.80%
4	4		Raymond Ng - Carrie Mackenzie-Ng, Toronto ON	49.78%

Wed Evening 299er Game

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Upcoming Nearby Regionals:

DISTRICT 4 LONG ISLAND SPRING REGIONAL

April 16-21, 2013

Melville, Long Island, NY

Melville Marriott

631-423-1600

Room rate: \$129 + tax

Reservations deadline: March 15

DISTRICT 25 SENIOR REGIONAL

April 24 - 28, 2013

Hyannis, MA

Hyannis Resort & Conf Center

866-828-8259

Room rate: \$93 + tax

Reservations deadline: April 6

DISTRICT 4 EASTERN STATES REGIONAL

May 23-27, 2013

New York, NY

New York Hilton Hotel

212-586-7000

Room rate: \$279 + tax

Reservations deadline: until sold out

DISTRICT 3 SPRING REGIONAL

June 10-16, 2013

Saratoga Springs, NY

Saratoga Hilton

518-584-4000

Room rate: \$139 + tax

Reservations deadline: until sold out

DISTRICT 25 NEW ENGLAND SUMMER REGIONAL

June 17-23, 2013

Sturbridge, MA

Sturbridge Host Hotel

508-347-7393

Room rate: \$80 + tax

Reservations deadline: May 21

Upcoming District 25 sectionals:

EMBA Winter Sectional	Feb 22-24	Watertown, MA
CBA STaC	Feb 20-26	clubs in CT
CBA Winter in Connecticut Sectional	Mar 1-3	Hamden, CT
Maine Winter Sectional	Mar 9-10	Portland, ME
Rhode Island Spring Sectional	Mar 23-24	Johnston, RI
EMBA Spring Sectional	Apr 5-7	Watertown, MA
Central Maine Sectional	Apr 13-14	Gardiner, ME
New Hampshire Sectional	Apr 20-21	Newington, NH
New Hampshire non-LM Sectional	Apr 20-21	Grantham, NH
Central Mass Sectional	May 4-5	Auburn, ME
Connecticut Spring Sectional	May 17-19	Hamden, CT
Maine "DownEast" Sectional	May 17-19	Camden, ME
EMBA Memorial Day Sectional	May 24-26	Watertown, MA
Vermont Spring Sectional	May 31-Jun 2	Rutland, VT
RI "Summer Splash" Sectional	June 8-9	Johnston, RI
District 25 STaC	June 24-30	local clubs

Cromwell Regional Schedule - February 13-18, 2013

new schedule!!!

♥♥♥ Thursday, February 14 ♥♥♥	
10 AM & 2:30 PM	Stratified <i>by average</i> Swiss Teams
	Gold Rush (0-750) Stratified Swiss Teams
	Stratified Open Pairs
10 AM , 2:30 PM , 7:30 PM	Intermediate/Newcomer Pairs
7:30 PM	Side Game (Evening series)
Friday, February 15	
10 AM & 2:30 PM 2:30 PM	Bracketed Compact KO Teams
	One session Swiss Teams
10 AM & 2:30 PM	A/B Stratified Pairs
	Gold Rush Pairs (300-750, 100-300, 0-100)
10 AM , 2:30 PM	Stratified 49er Pairs
7:30 PM	Flight A Knockout Teams (seeded) <small>(continues Sat 10AM, 2:30PM, Sun 10AM, 2:30PM if needed)</small>
	Flight B Bracketed Knockout Teams (0-3000) <small>(continues Sat 10AM, 2:30PM, 7:30PM)</small>
	Intermediate/Newcomer Pairs
	Side Game (Evening series)
Saturday, February 16	
10 AM & 2:30 PM 2:30 PM	Bracketed Compact KO Teams
	One session Swiss Teams
10 AM & 2:30 PM 2:30 PM	Gold Rush (0-750) Compact KO Teams
	One Session 0-750 Swiss Teams
10 AM & 2:30 PM	Flight A/X Pairs (X=0-4000)
	Flight B/C Pairs
10 AM , 2:30 PM , 7:30 PM	Intermediate / Newcomer Pairs
7:30 PM	Side Game (Evening series)
8:30 PM	Zip KO Teams
Sunday, February 17	
10 AM & TBA	Flight A/X Swiss Teams
	Flight B/C Swiss Teams
10 AM	299er Swiss Teams
Monday, February 18	
10 AM & 2:00 PM	Bracketed Compact Knockout (finish by 5:30)
	Stratified Pairs (finish by 5:30)
2 PM	Swiss Teams (1 session - red points)

Goodwill Quote of the Day:

Smile Often!!!



**Greet and welcome your
opponents each round**