



District 25, American Contract Bridge League

New England Units of the ACBL

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Sunday, January 8, 2012

The Sixty-Eighth Annual Keohane Individual Regional in Newton, MA January 6-8, 2012



Today's Schedule:

| Sunday, January 8 | | |
|-------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 11:00 AM | Ethel Keohane Stratified Individual | 1st session |
| | Flight A KO Teams | 4 th round |
| | Side Game (Morning Series) | |
| | Intermediate/Newcomer Pairs | |
| 3:00 PM | Ethel Keohane Stratified Individual | 2 nd session |
| | Flight A KO Teams | Final round |
| | Side Game (Morning Series) | |
| | Intermediate/Newcomer Pairs | |

STRATA & FLIGHT BREAKS:

Strata for Pair games: A: 3000+; B: 750- 3000; C: 0- 750; Newcomer: 0-299

Strata for Individual: 750+; B: 200-750; C: 0- 200

Hospitality today

During the session:

\$5 Chits will be distributed for use at the concession stand.

*“Thank you for coming.
PLEASE drive home safely!”*



Congratulations to Saturday's winners!

SATURDAY BILL KEOHANE INDIVIDUAL

| | |
|---|-----------------------------|
| A | Jeff Gertz, Marblehead MA |
| B | Jeff Gertz |
| C | Benson Ho, North Andover MA |

FLIGHT B BRACKETED KNOCKOUT TEAMS

| | |
|-----------|---|
| Bracket 1 | Robert Bertoni, Haverhill MA; Peter Manzon, Waltham MA; James Jones Jr, Jamaica Plain MA; Barry Margolin, Arlington MA |
| Bracket 2 | Joan O'Connell, Hope Valley RI; A Borod, East Greenwich RI; Alice Lahoud - John Lahoud, Portsmouth RI |
| Bracket 3 | Paul Harris - Cecilla Borrás, Waltham MA; Diogo Teixeira, Wellesley MA; Christine Halkiotis, Wellesley Hills MA |
| Bracket 4 | Peter Valiante - B Tysor, Grantham NH; Lawrence Rawls, Croydon NH; Daniel Button, New London NH |
| Bracket 5 | Barry Herring, Wellesley MA; Joseph Foster, Framingham MA; Maria Kawka - Marek Kawka, Bolton MA |

ACBL SLOW PLAY POLICY

If you are a habitually (or even occasionally) slow player, you should be aware that there are new rules governing your conduct at the bridge table. These new, stricter rules will be applied at this and future tournaments.

The ACBL Board of Directors approved unanimously a new policy, based on references to slow play regulations in the Laws of Duplicate Bridge. Their motion read,



“When a pair has fallen behind, it is incumbent on them to make up the time lost as quickly as possible, *whether at fault or not*. All players are expected to make a concerted effort to catch up when they have fallen behind, regardless of the reason for their lateness.

“In the absence of compelling evidence to the contrary, the director should presume that a pair finishing a round late by more than two or three minutes on more than one occasion during a session is responsible for the lateness.

There is a strong expectation that the director will penalize such a pair. The size of the penalty will tend to increase for subsequent instances of slow play and for chronic or egregious slow play. While warnings typically will be given before a penalty is assessed, failure to do so in no way limits the director’s authority to issue a penalty.”

Slow play, as opposed to careful or thoughtful play, is discourteous to your opponents -- and to all other competitors as well. Players and pairs who take more than their allotted time will be subject to penalty. And if you do fall behind, *even if through no fault of your own*, you nevertheless have a clear obligation to get caught up as soon as possible.



Larry Weiss Award

At the District 25 Board meeting at the Mansfield tournament in November, EMBA President James Rasmussen was presented the Larry Weiss trophy. This prestigious award is presented annually to a New England player who has demonstrated

- (1) achievement in duplicate bridge during the year in which the award is given,
- (2) a strong degree of association with New England bridge, especially through volunteer activities, and
- (3) most notably, superior behavior at the table.



The trophy is inscribed with the words: "For grace and skill at the bridge
Congratulations, Jim!"

William Keohane Stratified Individual

26.00 Tables / Based on 24 Tables

| | A | B | C | | |
|------|---|---|---|----------------------------------|--------|
| 8.93 | 1 | 1 | | Jeff Gertz, Marblehead MA | 61.46% |
| 6.70 | 2 | 2 | | John Demakes, Marblehead MA | 60.64% |
| 5.02 | 3 | | | Buddhadeb Biswas, Lexington MA | 60.49% |
| 3.77 | 4 | 3 | 1 | Benson Ho, North Andover MA | 59.42% |
| 2.98 | 5 | | | Arnold Selig, Cheltenham PA | 58.24% |
| 2.79 | 6 | 4 | | Arthur Schatz, Newton MA | 57.39% |
| 3.22 | | 5 | 2 | Dan Rice, Milton MA | 56.82% |
| 1.52 | | 6 | | Stanley Richmond, Needham MA | 56.06% |
| 1.97 | | | 3 | Felix Springer, W Hartford CT | 54.54% |
| 1.17 | | | 4 | Maurice Chesney, Saunderstown RI | 50.06% |
| 0.70 | | | 5 | Gora Banerjee, Winchester MA | 48.67% |

SATURDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

SECTION E NORTH

| A | B | C | | |
|---|---|---|--------------------------------|--------|
| 1 | 1 | | Joe DeCosta, North Andover MA | 57.01% |
| 2 | | | Stan Ryckman, Somerville MA | 56.63% |
| 3 | | | Naresh Mehta, Shrewsbury MA | 55.30% |
| 4 | 2 | | Betsy Hines, Marshfield Hls MA | 54.92% |
| 5 | | | David Perrin, Charlotte VT | 54.17% |
| | 3 | | Felix Springer, W Hartford CT | 51.89% |

SECTION E EAST

| A | B | C | | |
|---|---|---|--------------------------------------|--------|
| 1 | 1 | 1 | Benson Ho, North Andover MA | 64.39% |
| 2 | | | John Dickenson, North Wales PA | 58.52% |
| 3 | 2 | | Carolyn Johansson, South Weymouth MA | 54.17% |
| 4 | 3 | | Lawrence Schell, Weymouth MA | 53.41% |
| 5 | 4 | | Stuart Price, New York NY | 50.38% |
| | | 2 | Anne McCune, Keene NH | 48.11% |

SECTION F NORTH

| A | B | C | | |
|---|---|---|---------------------------------|--------|
| 1 | | | Vesna Hauptfeld, Waterford CT | 60.98% |
| 2 | | | Jay Tang, Sharon MA | 59.85% |
| 3 | 1 | | Stanley Richmond, Needham MA | 57.95% |
| 4 | | | Charles Rosenthal, Fitchburg MA | 56.06% |
| 5 | 2 | | Arthur Schatz, Newton MA | 55.68% |
| | 3 | 1 | Janet Latour, Gardner MA | 54.73% |

SECTION F EAST

| A | B | C | | |
|-----|---|---|----------------------------------|--------|
| 1/2 | 1 | | Judy Pollack, North Dartmouth MA | 55.11% |
| 1/2 | | | Jean Shaffer, Milton MA | 55.11% |
| 3 | 2 | | Therese Gustafson, Gardner MA | 54.55% |
| 4 | 3 | | Jeff Gertz, Marblehead MA | 52.65% |
| 5 | 4 | 1 | Gora Banerjee, Winchester MA | 51.89% |

SECTION E SOUTH

| A | B | C | | |
|---|---|---|---------------------------------|--------|
| 1 | | | Mark Levin, Quincy MA | 68.56% |
| 2 | 1 | | Nancy Fleming, Weston MA | 58.52% |
| 3 | | | Samuel Hanna, West Roxbury MA | 56.44% |
| 4 | | | Judith Williams, Eastham MA | 54.92% |
| 5 | 2 | | Sheila Bender, Randolph MA | 53.79% |
| | 3 | 1 | Sheila Sawyer, Chestnut Hill MA | 52.46% |

SECTION E WEST

| A | B | C | | |
|-----|-----|---|---------------------------------|--------|
| 1 | | | Arnold Selig, Cheltenham PA | 64.20% |
| 2/3 | 1/2 | 1 | Dan Rice, Milton MA | 53.60% |
| 2/3 | 1/2 | | Michael Lieberman, Cambridge MA | 53.60% |
| 4/5 | 3 | | Gary Mills, New York NY | 51.89% |
| 4/5 | | | Sidney Kanter, Clifton NJ | 51.89% |

SECTION F SOUTH

| A | B | C | | |
|---|---|---|---------------------------------|--------|
| 1 | 1 | | John Demakes, Marblehead MA | 64.20% |
| 2 | 2 | | Lisa Procter, Dover MA | 57.39% |
| 3 | 3 | | Barbara Needle, Needham MA | 54.55% |
| 4 | 4 | | Marilyn Schmidt, Northampton MA | 53.03% |
| 5 | | | David Tuttle, Reading MA | 52.46% |

SECTION F WEST

| A | B | C | | |
|---|-----|---|----------------------------------|--------|
| 1 | | | Ronald Briggs, Lexington MA | 60.42% |
| 2 | | | Kenk Tuncok, Amesbury MA | 59.47% |
| 3 | 1 | | Maurice Chesney, Saunderstown RI | 53.22% |
| 4 | 2 | | Daniel Neiman, Rowley MA | 52.08% |
| 5 | | | Robert Gacicia, Weymouth MA | 50.38% |
| | 3 | | James Murphy, Sherborn MA | 50.00% |
| | 4/5 | | Andre Wiejacki, Chelsea MA | 49.62% |
| | 4/5 | | William Shaffer, Milton MA | 49.62% |

SATURDAY EVENING SESSION

SECTION E NORTH

| A | B | C | | |
|---|---|---|--------------------------------------|--------|
| 1 | 1 | | Whitton Norris Jr, Bedford MA | 58.63% |
| 2 | 2 | | Felix Springer, W Hartford CT | 57.18% |
| 3 | | | Audrey Thirkell, Biddeford ME | 55.41% |
| 4 | 3 | | Blanche Dellarciprete, Winchester MA | 52.98% |
| 5 | | | Stan Ryckman, Somerville MA | 52.94% |

SECTION E EAST

| A | B | C | | |
|---|---|---|--------------------------------------|--------|
| 1 | 1 | | Laura Poulton, North Dartmouth MA | 57.85% |
| 2 | 2 | 1 | Paula Dambraskas, Richmond MA | 57.44% |
| 3 | 3 | 2 | Benson Ho, North Andover MA | 54.44% |
| 4 | 4 | | Carolyn Johansson, South Weymouth MA | 54.25% |
| 5 | | | Patricia Kelsey, Old Lyme CT | 52.74% |

SECTION F NORTH

| A | B | C | | |
|---|---|---|-------------------------------|--------|
| 1 | 1 | | Arthur Schatz, Newton MA | 59.09% |
| 2 | 2 | | Milton Weinstein, Paxton MA | 55.30% |
| 3 | | | Richard Burns, Needham MA | 55.11% |
| 4 | 3 | | Nathalie Sussman, Mashpee MA | 54.92% |
| 5 | 4 | | Stanley Richmond, Needham MA | 54.17% |
| | | 1 | Richard Woerner, Wellesley MA | 46.02% |

SECTION F EAST

| A | B | C | | |
|---|---|---|-------------------------------|--------|
| 1 | 1 | | Jeff Gertz, Marblehead MA | 70.27% |
| 2 | 2 | | Therese Gustafson, Gardner MA | 55.87% |
| 3 | 3 | | Jill Hankinson, Cumberland RI | 55.30% |
| 4 | | | Gayle Dempsey, Needham MA | 53.98% |
| 5 | 4 | | Leona Lashua, Gardner MA | 51.33% |
| | | 1 | Larry Huhn, Chandler AZ | 49.43% |

SECTION E SOUTH

| A | B | C | | |
|---|---|---|--------------------------------|--------|
| 1 | | | Buddhadeb Biswas, Lexington MA | 69.28% |
| 2 | 1 | | John Demakes, Marblehead MA | 57.08% |
| 3 | | | Samuel Hanna, West Roxbury MA | 54.65% |
| 4 | 2 | | Vera Molloy, Cranston RI | 53.51% |
| 5 | | | David Tuttle, Reading MA | 51.50% |
| | 3 | | Lisa Procter, Dover MA | 47.45% |

SECTION E WEST

| A | B | C | | |
|---|---|---|----------------------------------|--------|
| 1 | | | Jeanne Cavallo, Mansfield MA | 60.13% |
| 2 | 1 | | Robert Pagliarulo, Roslindale MA | 55.96% |
| 3 | | | Robert Gacicia, Weymouth MA | 54.82% |
| 4 | 2 | | Louis Beckerman, Newton MA | 52.27% |
| 5 | 3 | | Susan Tordel Williams, Ayer MA | 50.98% |

SECTION F SOUTH

| A | B | C | | |
|-----|---|---|---------------------------------------|--------|
| 1 | | | Isaiah Shalom, W Brookfield MA | 59.66% |
| 2 | 1 | | Sheila Bender, Randolph MA | 55.11% |
| 3 | | | Rita Baudo, West Yarmouth MA | 54.36% |
| 4/5 | 2 | | Effie Bea, Quincy MA | 53.03% |
| 4/5 | | | Yi Keng Liu, Lexington MA | 53.03% |
| | 3 | | Barbara Barrette, Plainfield CT | 50.76% |
| | | 1 | Deborah Ouellette, West Brookfield MA | 44.70% |

SECTION F WEST

| A | B | C | | |
|---|---|---|-----------------------------------|--------|
| 1 | | | Dan Rice, Milton MA | 60.04% |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | Michael Lieberman, Cambridge MA | 55.87% |
| 2 | 2 | | Sidney Kanter, Clifton NJ | 52.65% |
| 3 | | | Arnold Selig, Cheltenham PA | 52.27% |
| 4 | | | Charles Cucurullo, Newburyport MA | 51.33% |
| 5 | 3 | | | |

Flight A Knockout Teams

17 Tables

Richard DeMartino, Riverside CT; Geoffrey Brod - Stephen Earl, Avon CT; Betty Bloom - Steve Bloom, Duanesburg NY;
Allan Rothenberg, W Hartford CT

vs

Luke Gillespie, Wayland MA; Anton Tsytkin, Ashland MA; Adam Grossack, Newton MA; James Streisand, Sudbury MA

17.91 3/4 Douglas Doub, W Hartford CT; Franklin Merblum, Bloomfield CT;
Pat McDevitt, Brookline MA; Richard Weiss, Swampscott MA

17.91 3/4 Lewis Gamerman, Westwood MA; Sheila Gabay, Newton MA; Alan Applebaum, Brookline MA; Victor King, Hartford CT

Flight B Bracketed Knockout Teams

FLIGHT B KO TEAMS BRACKET 1

12 Tables

19.41 1 Robert Bertoni, Haverhill MA; Peter Manzon, Waltham MA; James Jones Jr, Jamaica Plain MA; Barry Margolin, Arlington

13.59 2 Robert Carvin, North Easton MA; Fredrick Magnus, Framingham MA;
Marcia White, Lakeville MA; David Pimental, Dartmouth MA

7.76 3/4 Steven Hudson, Revere MA; Paul Truesdale - Richard Hudson, Peabody MA; Paul Simon, Arlington MA

7.76 3/4 Robin Hillyard, Carlisle MA; Leonard Aberbach, Wayland MA; John Berry, New Hyde Park NY; Douglas Thompson, Acton

FLIGHT B KO TEAMS BRACKET 2

9 Tables

13.92 1 Joan O'Connell, Hope Valley RI; A Borod, East Greenwich RI; Alice Lahoud - John Lahoud, Portsmouth RI

9.74 2 Magnus Weiman - Maureen Weiman, Eden Prairie MN; Matthew Fienberg - Jill Hunter, Northborough MA

5.57 3/4 Helen Flanagan, Stoughton MA; Mary Forte, Foxboro MA; Lynda Edson, South Easton MA; Jane Clancy, Attleboro MA

5.57 3/4 Curtis Barton, Chelmsford MA; Patricia Worthley, Andover MA; Ellen Dickau - Martin Dickau, Carlisle MA

FLIGHT B KO TEAMS BRACKET 3

12 Tables

12.94 1 Paul Harris - Cecilla Borrás, Waltham MA; Diogo Teixeira, Wellesley MA; Christine Halkiotis, Wellesley Hills MA

9.06 2 Bala Bathey, Tewksbury MA; Patricia Nye, YarmouthPort MA; Charles Curley, Wakefield MA; Gene Flynn, Shrewsbury

5.18 3/4 Peter Blanshan - Marilyn Wolman - Roberta Arbetter, Chestnut Hill MA; Arnold Jacobson, Sudbury MA

5.18 3/4 Franklin Fisher, Cambridge MA; Abraham Fisher, Concord MA; Janet Fidelman, Arlington MA; Steve Herman, Revere MA

FLIGHT B KO TEAMS BRACKET 4

12 Tables

10.75 1 Peter Valiante - B Tysor, Grantham NH; Lawrence Rawls, Croydon NH; Daniel Button, New London NH

7.53 2 Michael Holmes - Rebecca Holmes, Orleans MA; Eleonore Freihofer - Dennis Walsh, Mashpee MA

4.30 3/4 Bill Wennerberg, Plymouth MA; Elizabeth Paige, Duxbury MA; Brenda Hussey, Hingham MA; Maureen Berggren, Quincy

4.30 3/4 Marcia West, Charlestown RI; Paula Najarian, E Greenwich RI; Rosanne Catarius, Roslindale MA; Chris Geoghegan, Natick

FLIGHT B KO TEAMS BRACKET 5

12 Tables

9.04 1 Barry Herring, Wellesley MA; Joseph Foster, Framingham MA; Maria Kawka - Marek Kawka, Bolton MA

6.33 2 Greg Chang, Lexington MA; Richard Healy, Westboro MA; Steven Diamond, Shrewsbury MA; Harvey Rosenthal, Boston

3.62 3/4 Luke Dwyer - Jane Murray, Boston MA; Melissa Parkin, Somerville MA; Jeffrey Parkin, Fairfield CT

3.62 3/4 Daniel Jablonski, Stoneham MA; David Maze, Somerville MA; Ira Cooper - Catherine Cooper, Woburn MA

Consolation Knockout Teams

CONSOLATION KO TEAMS BRACKET 1

6 Tables

8.05 1 Terry Byrne, Jamestown RI; Joyce Regan, E Greenwich RI; Phyllis Chase, Providence RI; Philip Lam, North Berwick ME

4.27 2 Wayne Burt, Pembroke NH; Lawrence Cheetham, Bedford NH; Arthur Giovannangeli, Dublin NH;

Jeffrey Lehman, Newton Center MA

CONSOLATION KO TEAMS BRACKET 2

7 Tables

6.55 1 Sol Hartman, Boston MA; Mark Yesley - Marlene Yesley, Newton MA; Carole Goldberg, Stockbridge MA

3.47 2 Ken Camilleis, South Yarmouth MA; Barbara Glazerman, Newton MA;

Anthony Keats, Mays Landing NJ; Lena Russo, Natick MA

Saturday Open Games

SATURDAY MORNING OPEN PAIRS

29.0 Tables

| | A | B | C | | |
|------|---|---|---|---|--------|
| 5.92 | 1 | 1 | | Louis Russo, Auburndale MA; Peter Zucker, Watertown MA | 64.02% |
| 4.44 | 2 | | | Buddhadeb Biswas, Lexington MA; Lou Kelleher, Dover MA | 62.69% |
| 4.10 | 3 | 2 | 1 | Marvin Pope - Carol Pope, Acton MA | 62.12% |
| 3.07 | 4 | 3 | | John Baringer Jr, Warwick RI; Albert Votolato, Raynham MA | 60.98% |
| 2.30 | 5 | 4 | | Alfred Fogarty, Duxbury MA; Margie Wollam, Cohasset MA | 60.23% |
| 1.73 | 6 | 5 | | Whitton Norris Jr, Bedford MA; Herve Bernard, Lac-Etchemin QC | 59.85% |
| 1.30 | | 6 | | Peter Matthews Jr, Roslindale MA; Brian Duran, Medford MA | 59.28% |
| 2.51 | | | 2 | Anne McCune, Keene NH; Maurice Chesney, Saunderstown RI | 58.14% |
| 1.88 | | | 3 | Marilyn Frutkin - Bill Frutkin, Wynnewood PA | 56.06% |
| 1.41 | | | 4 | Brian Fisher - Flo Fisher, Glastonbury CT | 54.36% |
| 1.06 | | | 5 | Mary Gagnon, No Kingstown RI; Lois DeBlois, Warwick RI | 53.79% |
| 1.21 | | | 6 | Foster Greene, West Tisbury MA; Allan Erickson, Providence RI | 52.27% |

SECTION W

NORTH-SOUTH

| A | B | C | | |
|-----|---|---|--|--------|
| 1 | 1 | | Louis Russo, Auburndale MA; Peter Zucker, Watertown MA | 64.02% |
| 2 | 2 | | John Baringer Jr, Warwick RI; Albert Votolato, Raynham MA | 60.98% |
| 3/4 | 3 | | Robert Brisson - Elizabeth Brisson, Peabody MA | 58.71% |
| 3/4 | | | Sondra Caplin - Donald Caplin, Waltham MA | 58.71% |
| 5 | 4 | 1 | Anne McCune, Keene NH; Maurice Chesney, Saunderstown RI | 58.14% |
| 6 | | | Joseph Cappannelli, Stoneham MA; Lorraine Kiely, Lowell MA | 56.25% |
| | 5 | 2 | Mary Gagnon, No Kingstown RI; Lois DeBlois, Warwick RI | 53.79% |

SECTION W

EAST-WEST

| A | B | C | | |
|---|---|---|---|--------|
| 1 | 1 | | Alfred Fogarty, Duxbury MA; Margie Wollam, Cohasset MA | 60.23% |
| 2 | | | Donald Robertson, Wellfleet MA; Steven Salidas, Brewster MA | 58.90% |
| 3 | 2 | | Elliot Fienberg, Framingham MA; Francis Lombardo, Winchester MA | 57.39% |
| 4 | 3 | | Stephen McDevitt, Medford MA; Gloria Tsoi, Somerville MA | 55.68% |
| 5 | 4 | 1 | Brian Fisher - Flo Fisher, Glastonbury CT | 54.36% |
| 6 | 5 | | William Shaffer - Jean Shaffer, Milton MA | 51.89% |
| | 6 | 2 | Alan Horvitz, Townsend MA; Lorraine Rosenthal, Clinton MA | 51.14% |

SECTION X

NORTH-SOUTH

| A | B | C | | |
|---|---|---|---|--------|
| 1 | | | Buddhadeb Biswas, Lexington MA; Lou Kelleher, Dover MA | 62.69% |
| 2 | 1 | | Whitton Norris Jr, Bedford MA; Herve Bernard, Lac-Etchemin QC | 59.85% |
| 3 | | | Arkady Shifrin, Natick MA; Nataly Goldin, Chestnut Hill MA | 56.44% |
| 4 | 2 | 1 | Foster Greene, West Tisbury MA; Allan Erickson, Providence RI | 52.27% |
| 5 | 3 | | Joe DeCosta, North Andover MA; Charles Rosenthal, Fitchburg MA | 50.76% |
| 6 | 4 | 2 | Patricia McCornack, Vineyard Haven MA; Gail Farrish, Edgartown MA | 50.57% |
| | 5 | | Terry Parkerson, Warwick RI; William Shockley, Westerly RI | 49.05% |

SECTION X

EAST-WEST

| A | B | C | | |
|---|---|---|---|--------|
| 1 | 1 | 1 | Marvin Pope - Carol Pope, Acton MA | 62.12% |
| 2 | 2 | | Peter Matthews Jr, Roslindale MA; Brian Duran, Medford MA | 59.28% |
| 3 | 3 | | Bill Hannon, Duxbury MA; Gautam Merchant, Marshfield MA | 57.20% |
| 4 | 4 | 2 | Marilyn Frutkin - Bill Frutkin, Wynnewood PA | 56.06% |
| 5 | | | Ilse Rothman - Edward Rothman, Dartmouth MA | 55.11% |
| 6 | 5 | | Alan Korpi, Wellesley MA; Steven Goodman, Upton MA | 53.60% |

SATURDAY AFTERNOON SWISS TEAMS

17 Tables

| | A | B | C | | |
|------|---|---|---|---|-------|
| 4.10 | 1 | 1 | | Brian Duran, Medford MA; Peter Matthews Jr, Roslindale MA; Donna Marshall, Reading MA; Kimberly Gilman, Carlisle MA | 64.00 |
| 3.08 | 2 | 2 | 1 | Joe Silvestro, Waltham MA; Dick Majcher, Woburn MA; Yanyan Liu, Wilmington MA; James Osten, Lexington MA | 60.00 |
| 2.31 | 3 | 3 | | Bruce Emond, Holden MA; Paul Wolf II, Shrewsbury MA; Sonja Smith, North Granby CT; David Rock, Westfield MA | 57.00 |
| 2.16 | 4 | 4 | 2 | Emily Gardner - A Jean Fast, Holliston MA; Chickie Lemay, Framingham MA; Diane Carr Staton, Sherborn MA | 50.00 |
| 1.30 | 5 | 5 | | Joyce Pearson, Framingham MA; Saul Agranoff, Newton MA; Stuart Whittle, Waltham MA; Kathy Benjamin, Arlington MA; Jori Grossack, Waban MA | 45.00 |
| 1.62 | | | 3 | David Donald - Barbara Besse - Patricia McCornack, Vineyard Haven MA; Gail Farrish, Edgartown MA | 44.00 |
| 1.22 | | | 4 | Marsha Gerstein, Somerville MA; William Gay, Framingham MA; Mark Heumann, Watertown MA; Joseph Charnock, Lexington MA | 42.00 |

SATURDAY AFTERNOON OPEN PAIRS

41.5 Tables

| | A | B | C | | |
|------|---|---|---|--|--------|
| 7.89 | 1 | | | Stephen Gladyszak, Chelsea MA; Ann Borgschulte, Lexington MA | 68.26% |
| 5.92 | 2 | | | Myra Kolton, Chestnut Hill MA; John Malley, Pascoag RI | 63.89% |
| 6.98 | 3 | 1 | | Gordon Webster, Framingham MA; Richard Saval, Wayland MA | 62.78% |
| 3.33 | 4 | | | Ann Baum, Newton MA; Steven Groag, Warwick RI | 62.73% |
| 5.24 | 5 | 2 | 1 | Edward Aron, Needham MA; Bertram Winer, Wayland MA | 61.78% |
| 3.93 | 6 | 3 | | Albert Votolato, Raynham MA; John Baringer Jr, Warwick RI | 61.43% |
| 2.94 | | 4 | | Bonnie Miller - David Miller, Chestnut Hill MA | 59.55% |
| 2.21 | | 5 | | Bohkee Yap, Lexington MA; Nancy Perkins, Lynnfield MA | 59.17% |
| 3.30 | | 6 | 2 | Mary Gagnon, No Kingstown RI; Lois DeBlois, Warwick RI | 59.03% |
| 2.48 | | | 3 | Larry Huhn, Chandler AZ; Reddy Siva Prasada Poondla, Quincy MA | 55.34% |
| 1.86 | | | 4 | Lucia Enica, Belmont MA; James Overly, Cambridge MA | 55.09% |
| 1.39 | | | 5 | David Wooden, Acton MA; Ann Jacobs, Stow MA | 54.72% |
| 1.04 | | | 6 | Michael McDonald, N Dartmouth MA; Tom Floyd, N Stonington CT | 53.70% |

SECTION U NORTH-SOUTH

| A | B | C | | |
|---|---|---|---|--------|
| 1 | | | Myra Kolton, Chestnut Hill MA; John Malley, Pascoag RI | 63.89% |
| 2 | 1 | 1 | Mary Gagnon, No Kingstown RI; Lois DeBlois, Warwick RI | 59.03% |
| 3 | 2 | | Steve Kern, ; Robert Norton Clu, Holliston MA | 56.94% |
| 4 | 3 | | Ellen Alper, West Roxbury MA; Carolyn Weiser, Woburn MA | 54.63% |
| | 4 | | Anne Jenkins - Alan Godes, Needham MA | 51.39% |
| | | 2 | Florence Weener - Daniel Weener, Needham MA | 49.07% |

SECTION U EAST-WEST

| A | B | C | | |
|---|---|---|---|--------|
| 1 | | | Ann Baum, Newton MA; Steven Groag, Warwick RI | 62.73% |
| 2 | 1 | 1 | Lucia Enica, Belmont MA; James Overly, Cambridge MA | 55.09% |
| 3 | 2 | | Stewart Rubenstein, Newton MA; Christina Parker, Newton Centre MA | 54.63% |
| 4 | 3 | 2 | Michael McDonald, N Dartmouth MA; Tom Floyd, N Stonington CT | 53.70% |
| | 4 | | Lorraine Rosenthal, Clinton MA; Alan Horvitz, Townsend MA | 51.39% |

SECTION V NORTH-SOUTH

| A | B | C | | |
|---|---|---|--|--------|
| 1 | 1 | | Gordon Webster, Framingham MA; Richard Saval, Wayland MA | 62.78% |
| 2 | 2 | 1 | Larry Huhn, Chandler AZ; Reddy Siva Prasada Poondla, Quincy MA | 55.34% |
| 3 | 3 | | June Spurk, Haverhill MA; Pat McHugh, Amesbury MA | 54.56% |
| 4 | | | Walter Fontaine, North Providenc RI; Lou Kelleher, Dover MA | 53.03% |
| | 4 | 2 | Janine Corwin, Brookline MA; Elizabeth Gompels, Newton MA | 51.52% |

SECTION V EAST-WEST

| A | B | C | | |
|---|---|---|--|--------|
| 1 | | | Arkady Shifrin, Natick MA; Nataly Goldin, Chestnut Hill MA | 60.66% |
| 2 | | | Donald Robertson, Wellfleet MA; Steven Salidas, Brewster MA | 55.80% |
| 3 | 1 | | Bill Hannon, Duxbury MA; Gautam Merchant, Marshfield MA | 54.58% |
| 4 | 2 | | Jacqueline Kovacs, Andover MA; Lawrence Newman, Wellfleet MA | 53.33% |
| | 3 | | Roger Li, Boston MA; Andrew Hanes, Provincetown MA | 52.56% |
| | | 1 | Robert Stubbs, Framingham MA; Jacob Bast, Newton MA | 50.59% |
| | | 2 | Dianne Epstein, Centerville MA; Dana Kramer, Framingham MA | 50.30% |

SECTION W NORTH-SOUTH

| A | B | C | | |
|---|---|---|---|--------|
| 1 | 1 | | Bohkee Yap, Lexington MA; Nancy Perkins, Lynnfield MA | 59.17% |
| 2 | 2 | | Albert Seguin Jr - Arlene Seguin, Cranston RI | 57.78% |
| 3 | 3 | | Philip Nyman, Weston MA; Riza Gross, Waltham MA | 52.64% |
| 4 | 4 | | Eileen O'Neill, Fall River MA; Douglas McCormac, North Dartmouth MA | 52.31% |
| | | 1 | Pierce Zavod, Laconia NH; Robert Fain, Greenville RI | 47.83% |
| | | 2 | William Schwab - Shelia Schwab, Boston MA | 46.90% |

SECTION W EAST-WEST

| A | B | C | | |
|---|---|---|---|--------|
| 1 | 1 | | Albert Votolato, Raynham MA; John Baringer Jr, Warwick RI | 61.43% |
| 2 | | | Eric Schwartz, Arlington MA; Stephen Rzewski, South Dennis MA | 58.88% |
| 3 | 2 | | Howard Canan, Holden MA; Donald Deamer, West Boylston MA | 54.86% |
| 4 | 3 | 1 | David Wooden, Acton MA; Ann Jacobs, Stow MA | 54.72% |
| | 4 | | Gloria Tsoi, Somerville MA; Stephen McDevitt, Medford MA | 53.10% |
| | | 2 | Selen Hotamisligil, Wellesley MA; Murat Azizoglu, Concord MA | 47.54% |

SECTION X NORTH-SOUTH

| A | B | C | | |
|---|---|---|---|--------|
| 1 | | | Stephen Gladyszak, Chelsea MA; Ann Borgschulte, Lexington MA | 68.26% |
| 2 | | | Zachary Grossack, Newton MA; Margie Sullivan, Sagamore Beach MA | 56.13% |
| 3 | 1 | | Richard Palmer, Charlestown MA; Ruth Weston, Marshfield MA | 49.80% |
| 4 | 2 | 1 | Brian Fisher - Flo Fisher, Glastonbury CT | 49.02% |
| | 3 | | Margaret Patton - Sheila Grow, Wayland MA | 48.80% |
| | | 2 | Nick Arbuthnot - Barney Reiffen, Lexington MA | 46.99% |

SECTION X EAST-WEST

| A | B | C | | |
|---|---|---|---|--------|
| 1 | 1 | 1 | Edward Aron, Needham MA; Bertram Winer, Wayland MA | 61.78% |
| 2 | 2 | | Bonnie Miller - David Miller, Chestnut Hill MA | 59.55% |
| 3 | | | Joseph Seo, Watertown MA; Amnon Gabay, Newton MA | 52.38% |
| 4 | | | Jason Sharp, Newton MA; Donald Caplin, Waltham MA | 50.52% |
| | 3 | 2 | Rosamond Lownes, Westwood MA; Diane Roberts, Needham MA | 50.12% |

SATURDAY EVENING OPEN PAIRS

14.0 Tables

| | A | B | C | | |
|------|---|---|---|--|--------|
| 3.64 | 1 | | | Shome Mukherjee, Randolph MA; William Hunter, Peabody MA | 68.94% |
| 3.19 | 2 | 1 | 1 | Michael McDonald, N Dartmouth MA; Tom Floyd, N Stonington CT | 63.45% |
| 2.39 | 3 | 2 | 2 | Mary Gagnon, No Kingstown RI; Lois DeBlois, Warwick RI | 62.69% |
| 1.54 | 4 | | | Ann Baum, Newton MA; Steven Groag, Warwick RI | 58.90% |
| 1.79 | 5 | 3 | | Miriam Roos - Peter Roos, Hyannis MA | 56.82% |
| 1.35 | 6 | 4 | | David Donald - Barbara Besse, Vineyard Haven MA | 56.25% |
| 1.19 | | 5 | 3 | Janine Corwin, Brookline MA; Elizabeth Gompels, Newton MA | 53.79% |
| 0.76 | | 6 | | Jacqueline Kovacs, Andover MA; Lawrence Newman, Wellfleet MA | 53.41% |

SECTION W

NORTH-SOUTH

| A | B | C | | |
|---|---|---|--|--------|
| 1 | | | Shome Mukherjee, Randolph MA; William Hunter, Peabody MA | 68.94% |
| 2 | 1 | 1 | Mary Gagnon, No Kingstown RI; Lois DeBlois, Warwick RI | 62.69% |
| 3 | 2 | 2 | Janine Corwin, Brookline MA; Elizabeth Gompels, Newton MA | 53.79% |
| 4 | 3 | | Patricia Worthley, Andover MA; Curtis Barton, Chelmsford MA | 53.22% |
| 5 | 4 | | Anand Lele - Anita Taylor, Natick MA | 51.52% |
| 6 | | | William Cowdell, Cumberland RI; Everett Halsall, East Greenwich RI | 50.19% |

SECTION W

EAST-WEST

| A | B | C | | |
|---|---|---|--|--------|
| 1 | 1 | 1 | Michael McDonald, N Dartmouth MA; Tom Floyd, N Stonington CT | 63.45% |
| 2 | | | Ann Baum, Newton MA; Steven Groag, Warwick RI | 58.90% |
| 3 | 2 | | Miriam Roos - Peter Roos, Hyannis MA | 56.82% |
| 4 | 3 | | David Donald - Barbara Besse, Vineyard Haven MA | 56.25% |
| 5 | 4 | | Jacqueline Kovacs, Andover MA; Lawrence Newman, Wellfleet MA | 53.41% |
| 6 | | 2 | Jane Arsham - Rosemary Tator, Arlington MA | 50.57% |

SATURDAY EVENING BOARD-A-MATCH TEAMS

13 Tables

| | A | B | C | | |
|------|-----|-----|-----|--|-------|
| 3.84 | 1 | 1 | | Joyce Pearson, Framingham MA; Saul Agranoff, Newton MA; Jori Grossack, Waban MA; Kathy Benjamin, Arlington MA | 17.00 |
| 2.88 | 2 | 2 | | Bradley Mampe, Watertown MA; Steven Willner, Needham MA; Kimberly Gilman, Carlisle MA; Donna Marshall, Reading MA | 16.50 |
| 2.16 | 3 | | | Eric Schwartz, Arlington MA; Margie Sullivan, Sagamore Beach MA; Zachary Grossack, Newton MA; Stephen Rzewski, South Dennis MA | 16.00 |
| 1.97 | 4 | 3 | | Paul Wolf II, Shrewsbury MA; Bruce Emond, Holden MA; Sonja Smith, North Granby CT; David Rock, Westfield MA | 14.00 |
| 1.30 | 5/6 | 4/5 | | Robert Derrah - Shirley Derrah, Springfield MA; Susan Smith - Michael Smith, Newington CT | 13.00 |
| 1.30 | 5/6 | 4/5 | | Bonnie Luks - Muriel Yetkie, Auburn MA; Larry Hanerfeld, Leominster MA; Eileen White, Holden MA | 13.00 |
| 2.05 | | | 1/2 | Emily Gardner - A Jean Fast, Holliston MA; Diane Carr Staton, Sherborn MA; Chickie Lemay, Framingham MA | 9.50 |
| 2.05 | | | 1/2 | Gary Peterson, Marlboro MA; Dan Haggett, Framingham MA; Christine Pettingell - Dorothy Briggs, Sudbury MA | 9.50 |

Saturday 299er Games

SATURDAY MORNING 299ER PAIRS

42.0 Tables

| | A | B | C | | |
|------|---|---|-----|--|--------|
| 7.35 | 1 | 1 | | Richard Giles, Concord MA; David Cancian, Lincoln MA | 65.77% |
| 5.51 | 2 | 2 | | Elizabeth Gerding, Newcastle ME; Linda Bradley, East Dennis MA | 61.61% |
| 4.13 | 3 | 3 | | John Baack - Alta Baack, Wellesley MA | 60.71% |
| 3.10 | 4 | 4 | 1 | Linda Gelb, Belmont MA; Nancy Hodin, Lexington MA | 60.42% |
| 2.33 | 5 | | | Jacqueline Shaevel, Brookline MA; Diana Lam, Boston MA | 59.95% |
| 1.85 | 6 | 5 | | Lucy Hulse, Natick MA; Harriet Dann, Needham MA | 59.86% |
| 1.41 | | 6 | | Terry Robinson - Mary Robinson, Auburndale MA | 59.65% |
| 1.66 | | | 2 | Laura Heintz, Weston MA; Nicole Hynes, Chestnut Hill MA | 55.02% |
| 1.24 | | | 3 | Richard Woerner, Wellesley MA; Fred Wingerath, Winchester MA | 54.17% |
| 0.93 | | | 4 | Esin Ansay, Weston MA; Alicia Munnell, Boston MA | 53.57% |
| 0.84 | | | 5 | Daniel Clark - Robert Shor, Reading MA | 53.27% |
| 0.51 | | | 6/7 | Louise Wieland - Gaynor Casner, Concord MA | 52.38% |
| 0.51 | | | 6/7 | James Cusack, Cambridge MA; Elizabeth Noferi, Sudbury MA | 52.38% |

SECTION L

NORTH-SOUTH

| A | B | C | | |
|---|---|---|--|--------|
| 1 | 1 | | Elizabeth Gerding, Newcastle ME; Linda Bradley, East Dennis MA | 61.61% |
| 2 | 2 | | Lucy Hulse, Natick MA; Harriet Dann, Needham MA | 59.86% |
| 3 | 3 | | Toby Davidson, Lexington MA; Nancy Raphael, Cambridge MA | 55.99% |
| 4 | 4 | 1 | Laura Heintz, Weston MA; Nicole Hynes, Chestnut Hill MA | 55.02% |

SECTION L

EAST-WEST

| A | B | C | | |
|---|---|---|--|--------|
| 1 | 1 | | Richard Giles, Concord MA; David Cancian, Lincoln MA | 65.77% |
| 2 | 2 | | Terry Berenson, Swampscott MA; Carolyn Brauer, Marblehead MA | 55.32% |
| 3 | 3 | | Carolyn Coleman, South Orleans MA; Neva Reiner, Lexington MA | 53.53% |
| 4 | 4 | | Beatrice Phear, West Tisbury MA; Cecily Greenaway, Vineyard Haven MA | 52.55% |

SECTION S

NORTH-SOUTH

| A | B | C | | |
|-----|-----|-----|--|--------|
| 1 | 1 | | Judith Parks - Patrick Parks, Rollinsford NH | 54.17% |
| 2/3 | 2 | 1 | Esin Ansay, Weston MA; Alicia Munnell, Boston MA | 53.57% |
| 2/3 | | | June Daily, Newton MA; Stanley Macht, Brookline MA | 53.57% |
| 4/5 | 3/4 | 2/3 | Louise Wieland - Gaynor Casner, Concord MA | 52.38% |
| 4/5 | 3/4 | 2/3 | James Cusack, Cambridge MA; Elizabeth Noferi, Sudbury MA | 52.38% |

SECTION S

EAST-WEST

| A | B | C | | |
|---|---|---|--|--------|
| 1 | 1 | 1 | Linda Gelb, Belmont MA; Nancy Hodin, Lexington MA | 60.42% |
| 2 | | | Clinton Wright, Slatersville RI; Ron Noble, No Providence RI | 55.65% |
| 3 | 2 | | Richard Woerner, Wellesley MA; Fred Wingerath, Winchester MA | 54.17% |
| 4 | | | Sandra Larson, Durham NH; Cate Avery, Dover NH | 53.87% |
| | 3 | | Sunny Adler, Winchester MA; Barbara Rosenbaum, Lexington MA | 51.79% |

SECTION R

NORTH-SOUTH

| A | B | C | | |
|---|---|---|---|--------|
| 1 | 1 | | John Baack - Alta Baack, Wellesley MA | 60.71% |
| 2 | | | David Crossley, East Greenwich RI; John Lombardo, Cranston RI | 59.52% |
| 3 | 2 | | Ronald Matlin - Anne Matlin, Lexington MA | 57.44% |
| 4 | 3 | | Anthony Larosa - Audrey Larosa, Lynnfield MA | 51.19% |
| | 4 | 1 | Clifford King - Anita King, Lexington MA | 50.89% |

SECTION R

EAST-WEST

| A | B | C | | |
|---|---|---|---|--------|
| 1 | 1 | | Douglas Hardy - Makiko Hardy, Scituate MA | 59.52% |
| 2 | | | Anne Donahue, Watertown MA; Judith Frager, Wellesley Hills MA | 57.14% |
| 3 | | | Sarah Widhu, Nashua NH; Nancy Von Kittlitz, West Newbury MA | 51.79% |
| 4 | 2 | 1 | Susan Goldberg - Robert Goldberg, Needham MA | 50.89% |
| | 3 | | Lois Barbour, Natick MA; Helaine Fox, Framingham MA | 50.60% |

SECTION T

NORTH-SOUTH

| A | B | C | | |
|---|---|---|---|--------|
| 1 | | | Jacqueline Shaevel, Brookline MA; Diana Lam, Boston MA | 59.95% |
| 2 | 1 | | Rachel Katz, Chestnut Hill MA; Maxine Aaronson, Sudbury MA | 59.23% |
| 3 | 2 | 1 | Daniel Clark - Robert Shor, Reading MA | 53.27% |
| 4 | 3 | | Carol Whitmarsh, Edgartown MA; Dorothea Arnold, West Tisbury MA | 51.66% |

SECTION T

EAST-WEST

| A | B | C | | |
|---|---|---|---|--------|
| 1 | 1 | | Terry Robinson - Mary Robinson, Auburndale MA | 59.65% |
| 2 | | | Nancy Hornbeck, Durham NH; Lisa Allison, Lee NH | 58.33% |
| 3 | | | Jan Anderson - Lynley Baker, Manchester MA | 57.86% |
| 4 | 2 | | Muriel Henderson, Boxborough MA; Stephen Eakman, Stow MA | 54.46% |
| | 3 | | John Tucker, Weston MA; Kenneth Roberts, Wlesley Hills MA | 49.74% |
| | | 1 | Maureen Richards, Brookline MA; Simon Zimmerman, Hopkinton MA | 42.22% |

SATURDAY AFTERNOON 299ER PAIRS

33.5 Tables

| | A | B | C | | |
|------|-----|---|---|--|--------|
| 6.22 | 1 | 1 | 1 | Trish Webb - Dean Dubofsky, Arlington MA | 67.86% |
| 4.67 | 2 | | | Ronald Agel, Boston MA; Kenneth Bernstein, Belmont MA | 66.67% |
| 3.50 | 3 | 2 | | John Baack - Alta Baack, Wellesley MA | 66.32% |
| 2.30 | 4/5 | 3 | 2 | Richard Woerner, Wellesley MA; Fred Wingerath, Winchester MA | 61.90% |
| 2.30 | 4/5 | | | Sarah Widhu, Nashua NH; Nancy Von Kittlitz, West Newbury MA | 61.90% |
| 1.48 | 6 | | | Michael Williams, Salem MA; Phyllis Bloom, Acton MA | 61.61% |
| 1.46 | | 4 | | Anthony Larosa - Audrey Larosa, Lynnfield MA | 59.52% |
| 1.24 | | 5 | 3 | Constance Brown - Fred Brown, Belmont MA | 58.33% |
| 0.95 | | 6 | | Robert James - Susan James, Sandwich MA | 56.25% |
| 0.94 | | | 4 | Constance Rubin - Joyce Dorfman, Newton MA | 55.73% |
| 0.70 | | | 5 | William Haas - Mary Ann Haas, Concord MA | 54.76% |
| 0.67 | | | 6 | Karen Hewitt, Northfield VT; Janet Miner, Waltham MA | 53.62% |

SECTION L NORTH-SOUTH

| A | B | C | | |
|---|---|---|--|--------|
| 1 | 1 | 1 | Richard Woerner, Wellesley MA; Fred Wingerath, Winchester MA | 61.90% |
| 2 | | | Linda Bradley, East Dennis MA; Elizabeth Gerding, Newcastle ME | 59.52% |
| 3 | | | Jacqueline Shaevel, Brookline MA; Diana Lam, Boston MA | 51.19% |
| | 2 | | Esin Ansay, Weston MA; Alicia Munnell, Boston MA | 48.21% |

SECTION L EAST-WEST

| A | B | C | | |
|---|---|---|---|--------|
| 1 | | | Ronald Agel, Boston MA; Kenneth Bernstein, Belmont MA | 66.67% |
| 2 | | | Sarah Widhu, Nashua NH; Nancy Von Kittlitz, West Newbury MA | 61.90% |
| 3 | 1 | | Sheila Schofield, Salisbury MA; Joanne Megna-Wallace, West Newbury MA | 54.46% |
| | 2 | | Elizabeth Gluck, Foxboro MA; Alice Borden, Mashpee MA | 50.60% |
| | | 1 | Deborah Doyle, Rowley MA; Susan Gunderson, Weston MA | 38.39% |

SECTION R NORTH-SOUTH

| A | B | C | | |
|-----|---|---|---|--------|
| 1 | | | Ann Donoghue, Beverly MA; Paula Martin, Salme MA | 55.65% |
| 2/3 | | | John Lombardo, Cranston RI; David Crossley, East Greenwich RI | 53.57% |
| 2/3 | | | Carol Whitmarsh, Edgartown MA; Dorothea Arnold, West Tisbury MA | 53.57% |
| | 1 | 1 | Clifford King - Anita King, Lexington MA | 52.38% |

SECTION R EAST-WEST

| A | B | C | | |
|---|---|---|--|--------|
| 1 | 1 | 1 | Trish Webb - Dean Dubofsky, Arlington MA | 67.86% |
| 2 | 2 | | Anthony Larosa - Audrey Larosa, Lynnfield MA | 59.52% |
| 3 | | | Estelle Cushner, Winchester MA; Marcia Fleishman, Wayland MA | 58.33% |

SECTION S NORTH-SOUTH

| A | B | C | | |
|---|---|---|--|--------|
| 1 | 1 | | John Baack - Alta Baack, Wellesley MA | 66.32% |
| 2 | 2 | 1 | Constance Rubin - Joyce Dorfman, Newton MA | 55.73% |
| 3 | 3 | 2 | Karen Hewitt, Northfield VT; Janet Miner, Waltham MA | 53.62% |
| 4 | | | Sandra Larson, Durham NH; Cate Avery, Dover NH | 52.29% |

SECTION S EAST-WEST

| A | B | C | | |
|---|---|---|---|--------|
| 1 | | | Lawrence Eppler, Pawcatuck CT; Barry Buehler, East Lyme CT | 58.71% |
| 2 | 1 | | Alan Peterfreund, Amherst MA; Michael Ramella, Northampton MA | 52.57% |
| 3 | | | Clinton Wright, Slatersville RI; Ron Noble, No Providence RI | 50.07% |
| 4 | 2 | 1 | Lois Barbour, Natick MA; Helene Fox, Framingham MA | 49.79% |

SECTION T NORTH-SOUTH

| A | B | C | | |
|---|---|---|--|--------|
| 1 | | | Barbara Wilson - Regina Sommer, Sudbury MA | 58.04% |
| 2 | 1 | | Robert James - Susan James, Sandwich MA | 56.25% |
| 3 | 2 | 1 | William Haas - Mary Ann Haas, Concord MA | 54.76% |
| 4 | | | Daniel Clark - Robert Shor, Reading MA | 49.70% |

SECTION T EAST-WEST

| A | B | C | | |
|---|---|---|---|--------|
| 1 | | | Michael Williams, Salem MA; Phyllis Bloom, Acton MA | 61.61% |
| 2 | 1 | 1 | Constance Brown - Fred Brown, Belmont MA | 58.33% |
| 3 | | | Ronald Allen, Wells ME; Alan Brams, Cambridge MA | 54.46% |
| 4 | | | Anne Donahue, Watertown MA; Judith Frager, Wellesley Hills MA | 51.49% |
| | 2 | | Elaine Joseph, Shrewsbury MA; Jackie Saunders, Fitchburg MA | 49.70% |

SATURDAY EVENING 299ER PAIRS

9.0 Tables

| | A | B | C | | |
|------|---|---|---|---|--------|
| 2.68 | 1 | 1 | | Ronald Allen, Wells ME; Alan Brams, Cambridge MA | 60.46% |
| 2.01 | 2 | 2 | 1 | Charles Young, Lincoln MA; Marsha Girouard, Medway MA | 57.99% |
| 1.51 | 3 | 3 | | Barbara Kolodkin, Lenox MA; Alan Aaron, Ashland MA | 57.02% |
| 1.13 | 4 | 4 | | Neva Reiner, Lexington MA; Carolyn Coleman, South Orleans MA | 55.90% |
| 0.85 | 5 | 5 | | Stella McClintock, N Andover MA; Roberta Sylvia, Nantucket MA | 55.61% |
| 1.34 | | | 2 | Constance Rubin - Joyce Dorfman, Newton MA | 54.89% |
| 1.01 | | | 3 | Judith Parks - Patrick Parks, Rollinsford NH | 53.65% |
| 0.76 | | | 4 | Ralph Green, Newton MA; Jerome Kaplan, Auburn MA | 49.36% |

Upcoming Nearby Regionals:



**DISTRICT 3 WINTER REGIONAL
JAN 10-16, 2012
Rye, NY**

Rye Town Hilton
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Reservations deadline: January 10

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FEB 14-20, 2012
Cromwell, CT**

Crowne Plaza Hotel
Room rate: \$94 + tax

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Reservations deadline: Jan 14

Upcoming District 25 sectionals:

| | | |
|------------------------------------|-----------|-----------------------------|
| District 25 winter STaC Tournament | Jan 9-15 | New England clubs except CT |
| RI Winter Sectional Tournament | Jan 28-29 | Johnston, RI |
| CT winter STaC Tournament | Feb 23-29 | CT clubs |
| EMBA Winter Sectional Tournament | Feb 24-26 | Watertown, MA |

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Flts Open, A, and B
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Sat 1/21 (1 and 7 PM)

2 session finals on Sun
1/22 (10AM & TBA),

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OUTRAGEOUS FORTUNE

by Stephen Rzewski

To win a matchpoint event, one must play well, make few mistakes, and hope for some luck. Besides receiving some outright “gifts” from opponents, good luck can occasionally befall players who find themselves in poor, anti-percentage contracts, whether by result of a bidding misunderstanding, or by aggressive overbidding. When faced with the prospect of playing what seems like a hopeless contract, it is essential to keep one’s head and look for a favorable lie of the cards that will enable you to bring the requisite tricks home, no matter how improbable. And conversely, when luck smiles upon the opponents, one has what may seem like the slings and arrows of outrageous fortune—and move on to the next hand. On the last round of a two-session Sectional open pairs, where I sense that we might be in contention, I pick up:

♠ Q76 ♥ A76432 ♦ AK7 ♣ A

With neither side vulnerable, my LHO opens 1NT (14-17), and my partner overcalls 2♣. In our methods, that call shows clubs and a five-card major, which I can infer from my hand must be spades. With a spade fit and all those controls, I have what looks like a great hand. I bid 2NT, which we use as an asking bid, and partner answers 3C, which is his weakest action, indicating a bad hand without disclosing which major he holds. Still, it is hard for me to imagine a holding where we do not have some kind of play for game, so I bid 4♠, which is passed out (in retrospect, my 2NT inquiry was probably a pointless exercise). LHO leads the ♦Q, and there is some hilarity when the dummy appears, as I see that partner really meant his 3♣ call:

♠ 109432
♥ J9
♦ 2
♣ J10982

♠ Q76
♥ A76432
♦ AK7
♣ A

Unfortunately, it looks as though we will be heading for an untimely minus score, as it will take some miraculous holding or bad defense for me to make this contract. It looks like my best play is to take my side winners and try to scramble as many ruffs as I can, and hope for the best. So I win the diamond lead and start by playing my singleton ♣A, to lay the groundwork for scoring club ruffs in my hand. It is a good thing that I am paying attention, as my often inattentive eyes catch sight of the queen on my left.

Wait a minute. To find out if that is a true card, I lead my low diamond, ruff in dummy, and play a 2nd club, ruffing in my hand. As if answering a prayer, the ♣K does in fact come down on the table. Instead of proceeding with my first idea of crossruffing, I change tactics by leading the ♠Q: LHO pauses, then plays low, as RHO produces the ace. He then leads a heart. I play the ace, followed by the ♦K to discard dummy’s losing heart, then cross my fingers as I pay a second spade. I am almost afraid to look, as LHO wins the jack, and RHO... follows suit! The dummy has only good clubs and two trumps against LHO’s lone remaining king. Making +420.

Actually, I have to confess to having made a subtle error in the play: at the table, after winning the diamond lead, I made the mistake of playing the second high diamond and pitching a heart from dummy immediately. This could have led to trouble when RHO won the ♠A, as he could have defeated me by playing a 4th diamond, which would have made the hand unmanageable. In fact, he saved me by playing a heart. To be fair, from his point of view, I might have had a heart loser, which could go away if his diamond play gave me a ruff and sluff. Of course, if the defense had led trump on opening lead and drawn three rounds, they would have enjoyed a club winner and defeated the contract, and I would have had no story to tell.

The complete deal:

♠ 109432
♥ J9
♦ 2
♣ J10982

♠ KJ8
♥ Q85
♦ QJ654
♣ KQ

♠ A5
♥ K10
♦ 10983
♣ 76543

♠ Q76
♥ A76432
♦ AK7
♣ A

Cromwell Regional Schedule - February 14-20, 2012

| Tuesday, February 14 | |
|----------------------------------|---|
| 1 PM | Stratified Open Charity Pairs |
| 7 PM | Bracketed Random Draw KO I (continues Wed 9AM, 1PM, 7 PM) Side Game (Tues-Wed-Thurs series) |
| 1 PM, 7 PM | Intermediate / Newcomer Pairs |
| Wednesday, February 15 | |
| 9 AM | Side Game (Morning series) |
| 9 AM & 1 PM 1 PM | Bracketed Compact KO One session Swiss Teams |
| 10 AM & 2 PM 2 PM | Gold Rush (0-750) Compact KO One Session 0-750 Swiss Teams |
| 10 AM & 2:30 PM | Daylight Open Pairs |
| 10 AM, 2 PM, 7 PM | Intermediate / Newcomer Pairs |
| 1 PM, 7 PM | Side Game (Tues-Wed-Thurs series) |
| 7 PM | Bracketed Random Draw KO I (continues Thu 9AM, 1PM, 7 PM) |
| Thursday, February 16 | |
| 9 AM | Side Game (Morning series) |
| 10 AM & 2:30 PM | Daylight Stratified Open Pairs Gold Rush (0-750) Stratified Swiss Teams |
| 10 AM, 2 PM, 7 PM | Intermediate/Newcomer Pairs |
| 1 PM & 7 PM | Stratified <i>by average</i> Swiss Teams Side Game (Tues-Wed-Thurs series) |
| Friday, February 17 | |
| 9 AM | Side Game (Morning series) |
| 9 AM & 1 PM 1 PM | Bracketed Compact KO One session Swiss Teams |
| 10 AM & 2:30 PM | Gold Rush Pairs (300-750, 0-300) Daylight A/B Pairs |
| 10 AM, 2 PM | Stratified 49er Pairs |
| 1 PM, 7:30 PM | Side Game (Fri-Sat series) |
| 7:30 PM | Flight A Knockout Teams (seeded) (continues Sat 1PM, 7PM, Sun 11AM, 3PM if needed) Flight B Bracketed Knockout Teams (0-3000) (continues Sat 9AM, 1PM, 7PM) Intermediate/Newcomer Pairs |
| Saturday, February 18 | |
| 9 AM | Side Game (Morning series) |
| 9 AM & 1 PM 1 PM | Bracketed Compact KO One session Swiss Teams |
| 10 AM, 2 PM, 7 PM | Intermediate/Newcomer Pairs |
| 10 AM & 2:30 PM | Daylight Stratified Open Pairs |
| 1 PM | Side Game (Fri-Sat series) |
| 1 PM & 7 PM | Flight A/X Pairs (X=0-4000) Flight B/C Pairs |
| 7 PM | One session Swiss Teams Side Game (Fri-Sat series) |
| Sunday, February 19 | |
| 11 AM | Side Game (Morning series) Intermediate / Newcomer Swiss Teams |
| 11 AM & TBA | Flight A/X Swiss Teams Flight B/C Swiss Teams |
| Monday, February 20 | |
| 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) |