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UNIT 430 BRIDGE
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From time to time, I receive articles of tribute for one of our bridge players. I appreciate them all and assure you that, should you be moved to write an obituary for one of our former members, I will do my utmost to print it. (That goes for any submissions - the Matchpointer does not pay its contributors - everything is submitted voluntarily and I try to recognize those efforts by printing anything that is not out-and-out defamatory or illegible.)

Recently I received a first for me, a self-penned obituary from John Findlay. You will find it, with a short note from Lynne Findlay, at the back of this magazine. I could recognize John, and he could probably have recognized me, but we did not personally know each other. In reading his note, I am sorry I did not get to know him better. In eloquent fashion, he makes some important points.

First he calls bridge a "privilege." Indeed it is. Bridge is not a right, it is a privilege. We need both the blessing of government (Michael Neagu notes club bridge was forbidden in Rumania when he started to play) and people to play it with. We need at least one partner and at least two opponents. Isn't it interesting that we have always have more opponents than we do partners? But if we work with our partners and play our cards right, we can persevere over those opponents. On the other hand, it shows that opponents are not evil but necessary. For the game to be complete, somebody has to take the opposite view and we should nurture that opposition. Imagine bridge, or life, without opposition. It would not be enjoyable, nor even possible.

More important, bridge requires organization. Before even a simple kitchen game can take place, someone has to arrange the date, players, cards, scoresheets, I could go on and on. If we expect to play the game, we should, at some point, be prepared to do some of the work required to ensure the game goes on.

Right now, the unit board is short one member. It deeply disappoints me that we

FOF OPENERS

Editor
David Schmidt

have over 1,300 members, and regularly attract several hundred players to our sectionals, yet cannot find 12 people to serve on the unit board.

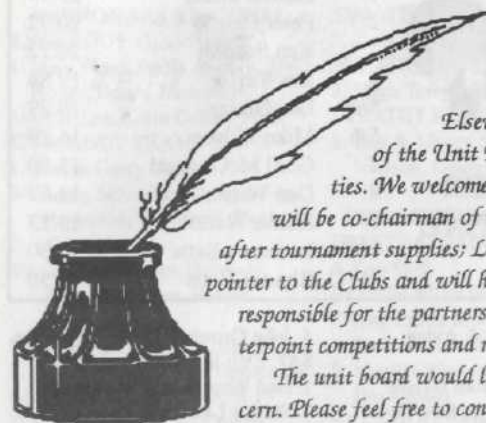
When we do find people who are willing to serve, we should support them. They make it possible for us to play. We may not agree with everything they do or say but that does not give us the right to constantly argue with or harass them, or they will cease to serve us (as has happened too frequently recently).

When we work with them, we should give them the respect we expect for our own efforts. We need our opponents as much as our partners, together they bring out the best in us.

John goes on to say he thoroughly enjoyed meeting all the players. I began to play duplicate because I did not know enough players to put together enough "kitchen" bridge games to satisfy my hunger for the game. Duplicate has given me the opportunity to find enough players to have a bridge game just about any time, and any place, I wanted to play. And, in most cases, the players were as hungry to play as I.

Through bridge, I have met hundreds of different personalities. I have met people I never dreamed of meeting, people with different interests, philosophies and cultures. Yet despite their diversity, they all share a link with me, they all play bridge and were all prepared to play it with or against me. I have gained many friendships which would otherwise not be possible and even when I have not accepted the ideas of the people I met, exposure to them has made me a more tolerant person, and for that I am grateful.

Good reading.



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Elsewhere in the Matchpointer is a list of the members of the Unit Board for 1993/94 together with their responsibilities. We welcome the new members to the Board. Graham Putnam will be co-chairman of the unit's sectional tournaments as well as looking after tournament supplies; Les Fouks will take over distribution of the Matchpointer to the Clubs and will help with sectionals and Bruce McIntyre will be responsible for the partnership desk at our sectionals, keep track of unit masterpoint competitions and manage the monthly unit games.

The unit board would like input from the members on any matters of concern. Please feel free to contact the board member responsible for any particular activity or myself at any time. (The list of board members includes telephone numbers so you know how to reach them.)

Since the annual general meeting, Marcia Christie has resigned from the Unit Board and as chairman of the Vancouver Regional to be held in Richmond next April. Noone has done as much for Vancouver bridge the past few years as Marcia. What she didn't do herself she arranged and scheduled others to do. The debt we all owe her for her many, many hours of effort is enormous. We are all grateful for her hard work and advice over the years.

Thankyou
Marcia
Christie

District 19 is looking for a replacement as Chairman of the 1994 regional. If you think you might have the time and energy to do this demanding task, please give me a call and we can discuss what is required. Remember we only have the bridge events we have because of the work of the many volunteers. Is it your turn to contribute?

We
Need
Your
Help

In addition we now have a vacancy on the unit board. We specifically need someone to come onto the board and take on the responsibilities of sectional co-chairman, looking after the paperwork and organization of our four or five annual sectional tournaments. We also need a volunteer to organize the annual Christmas party at the Engineers' Auditorium Dec. 12.

Please consider if you can help out in any of these capacities.

Chuck Campbell

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SUMMER SECTIONAL

FRI. AFT. OPEN PAIRS

- Haiderali Nazak & Nurdin Kassam
- Marina Page & Adam Dabrowski
- Gary Phelan & Doug Thomas
- Dan Watson & Derek Ward
- Don Fraser & Peter Marr
- John Lien & John Horne

WOMEN'S PAIRS

- Phyllis Gerber & Delphine Tablotney
- Elaine Levins & Pat Wotherspoon
- Pauline Lee & Hazel Stowards
- Anne Scott & Angela Fenton
- Daisy Neilson & Bernice Selander
- Diane Ayukawa & Joycie Miura

MIXED PAIRS

- Elaine Crossley & Don Campbell
- Victor Bennington & Eileen Sands
- Derek Ward & Joyce Peters
- Hobart Liang & Mary Fines
- Hua Yang & Yan Song
- Marcia & Richard Christie

FRI. EVE. OPEN PAIRS

- Judy Acheson & Dot Carnegie
 - Elaine Levins & Pat Wotherspoon
 - Angeline Bennington & Mary Sutherland
 - Virginia Harper & Yvonne Klan
- #### JUNIOR PAIRS
- Jules Wilkins & Greg Lam
 - Dianne Jackson & Elaine Busch
 - David Kerr & James Burt
 - Brenda Cameron & Pat Lester
- #### STRATIFIED PAIRS-Fit A
- Ken Scholes & Peter Herold
 - Peter Maclean & Martin O'Reilly
 - Linda Sims & Lauren Miller
 - John Bryden & Rick Gorman



SUMMER SECTIONAL

1.	Lauren Miller	23.94
2/3.	Peter Herold	20.72
2/3.	Ken Scholes	20.72
4.	Bev Taylor	19.88
5/6.	Leo Glaser	16.29
5/6.	Mike Wilson	16.29
7.	Gord McOrmond	15.50
8.	Dan Watson	13.67
9.	Haider Nazak	13.53
10/11.	Laurence Betts	12.50
10/11.	Rhonda Betts	12.50

- Michael Neagu & Aidan Ballantyne
 - John Kamb & Tom Devine
 - Laureen Holley & Bev Taylor
 - Mary Fines & Alison Dorosh
 - Paul Hagen & Bob Connop
- #### STRATIFIED PAIRS-Fit B
- Laureen Holley & Bev Taylor
 - Gary Phelan & Dan Watson
 - Marguerite Chiarenza & Pauline McClafferty
 - Jane Root & Bill Gladstone
 - Pat Carruthers & Dianne Isfeld
 - Marina Page & Anne Scott
- #### STRATIFIED PAIRS-Fit C
- Rob Shelburn & Hing Kong Ho
 - Roger Cheung & Nancy Yoshida
 - CC Tsai & Jim leNobel
 - Felipe Hernandez & Duane Tilden
 - Pauline Lee & John Lien
 - Jain Craig & Marg Elligot
- #### SAT. AFT STRAT 99'ers-Fit A
- Jeanette Greenhut & Nomi Kaplan
 - Gypsy Sturrock & Shirley Laidlaw
 - Pat Hartley & Nancy Kiskis
 - Adelina Wong-Chor & Myra Johnston
 - Gulzar Mitha & Mechthild Kellas-Dicks
- #### SAT. AFT STRAT 99'ers-Fits B/C
- Jeanette Greenhut & Nomi Kaplan
 - Gypsy Sturrock & Shirley Laidlaw
 - Pat Hartley & Nancy Kiskis
 - Adelina Wong-Chor & Myra Johnston
- #### SAT. EVE STRAT 99'er's-Fit A
- Gail Watson & Gloria Prescott
 - Shirley Laidlaw & Gypsy Sturrock
 - Roy Trask & Aase Haines

- John Campbell & Bill Stevenson
- #### SAT. EVE STRAT 99'er's-Fit B
- Gail Watson & Gloria Prescott
 - Shirley Laidlaw & Gypsy Sturrock
 - Pat Hartley & Nancy Kiskis
 - Nancy Davis & Carolyn Keane
- #### SAT. EVE STRAT 99'er's-Fit C
- Shirley Laidlaw & Gypsy Sturrock
 - Pat Hartley & Nancy Kiskis
- #### B-A-M SWISS TEAMS-Fit A
- Leo Glaser, Gord McOrmond, Lauren Miller, Mike Wilson
 - Laurence & Rhonda Betts, Mike Dimich, Bev Taylor
 - Chuck & Diane Campbell, Nicci Charleson, Jennifer Paynter
 - Peter Herold, Jim Dickie, Sandy Jenkins, Ken Scholes
 - Ted & Larry Hicks, Doug Thomas, Dan Watson
- #### OPEN SWISS TEAMS-Fit B
- Louis Landau, Haiderali Nazak, Prashant Pandit, Adi Wadia
 - Brian Bleu, Dennis McMahan, John Reay, Craig Snelgrove
 - David Binney, Paul Cameron, Debra Green, Jim Sherman
 - Jordan Lampe, Andrew Kopser, Miles & Wayne Ohlrich
 - Sandi White, Gladys Mackie, Andrew Ross, Rhoda Tafler
 - Phil & Lenora Awram, Barbara & Edith Hicks
 - Joycie Miura, Dwayne Dicks, Hazel Dressler, Lorraine Hardy
 - CC Tsai, Jason Peng, Yan Song, Hua Yang, Jian Zhang

VERNON SRS REGIONAL KNOCKOUT TEAMS-Brkt I

- Mary Fines, Stella Allison, Ev Hodge, Donna Morrison
 - Liz Lee, Colin Collin
- #### KNOCKOUT TEAMS-Brkt II
- Tom & Gerry Cross
 - Joerg Schneider, Bonnie Anderson, Pat Stapff, Dot Carnegie
 - Ted Trerise, Joe Dolynski, Mariann Hutton, Beulah Blomme

KNOCKOUT TEAMS-Brkt III

KNOCKOUT TEAMS-Brkt IV

- Marjorie Mason, Al Coulter, Wynne Gilbreath
 - Rosemary Sontowski
 - Dorothy Cavazzi
- #### STRATIFIED PAIRS-Str A
- Tom Cross & Helen Montgomery
 - Joyce Peters
 - Phyllis Gerber & Delphine Tablotney

STRATIFIED PAIRS-Str B

- Barbara Stachoski & Tillie Nielson
 - Joerg Schneider & Pat Stapff
 - Beulah Blomme & Joe Dolynski
- #### STRATIFIED PAIRS-Str C
- Moyra Storey & Stella Steves
 - Claire Burns & Marion Crowhurst

STRATIFIED PAIRS-Fit A

- Leo Steil
 - Doug Cowan & Pat Landau
 - Margaret Pearce & Mohammed Dadbeh
- #### STRATIFIED PAIRS-Fit B
- Pat Carruthers & Roz Richardson
 - Jeanne Bentley & Helen Montgomery
- #### STRATIFIED PAIRS-Fit C
- Marion Crowhurst & Claire Burns
 - John French
 - Kay Lyons & Maree Logan

OPEN PAIRS

- Fred Webster
- Wilf May
- Bob Beattie & Thelma Hofstede
- Pat Carruthers & Arlene Browning
- Leo Steil

STRATIFIED TEAMS-A

- Tom & Gerry Cross
- #### STRATIFIED TEAMS-B
- Flora Tereposky, Joan Olson
- #### STRATIFIED TEAMS-C
- Ray & Moyra Storey, Tillie Nielson, Gladys Ness

STRAWBERRY SECTIONAL

FRI STRAT PAIRS-Str A

- Leo Steil
- Kay Lyons & Maree Logan
- Marsha Woroniuk & Rita Hasselbach

SAT STRAT PAIRS-Str B

- Duane Tilden & Grace Jeklin
 - Rani & Hoshang Shroff
 - Rani & Hoshang Shroff
- #### MASTER PAIRS
- Leo Steil

STRAT SWISS TEAMS-Str A

- Aidan Ballantyne
- Peter Maclean, Steve Clements, Lauren Miller, Mike Wilson
- Wilf May
- Stan Bodlak, Sandi White, Ev Hodge, Donna Morrison
- Jean Groome

STRAT SWISS TEAMS-Str B

- Bob Beattie, Thelma Hofstede, Beryl Hamilton, Ray Morrison
 - Barb Stachoski, Tillie Nielson, Gladys Ness, Wynne Gilbreath
 - Marsha Woroniuk, John Horne, Liz Stoneman, Rekha Shah
 - Joerg Schneider, Pat Stapff, Tai Eng, Dot Carnegie
- #### STRAT SWISS TEAMS-Str C
- Kay Lyons, Maree Logan, Stella Steves, Moyra Storey

ROSSLAND SECTIONAL

- #### STRATIFIED PAIRS-Fit B
- Hoshang & Rani Shroff
- #### STRATIFIED PAIRS-Fit C
- Hoshang & Rani Shroff
- #### OPEN SWISS TEAMS
- Angela Taylor

VERNON SECTIONAL

- #### FRI AFT OPEN PAIRS
- Aban & Bob Gerrie
- #### FRI. EVE MASTER PAIRS
- Aban & Bob Gerrie
- #### SAT OPEN PAIRS
- Aban & Bob Gerrie

SUMMER NORTH AMERICAN CHAMPIONSHIPS

- #### FLT A SWISS TEAMS
- Cam Doner

A PARTNERSHIP GAME

by Connie Delisle

The greatest partner of them all was the late Jimmy Donaldson, as everyone will attest to. Even if you made the most outrageous error, he would always say "Sorry, pard, I could have made it easier for you."

Bridge is such an enjoyable game. To get the best from partner, be the best partner possible. Pointing fingers and giving lessons only make you look silly. Partner wants to win and play well as much as you. We all make mistakes.

Watch the fun the rookies have. They don't criticize partner, they make a note of the problem and find an answer after the game. They laugh, they talk to the opponents, they introduce themselves. We could all learn a lot from them.

Let's all try and put laughter back into bridge. We can still be serious. Most of all, cherish your partner, you cannot play without one. Be the partner everyone wants to play with.

See you at the tables.

TRADPHY RACES

AFTER THREE SECTIONALS

PHIL WOOD

1. Dan Watson	53.76
2. Aidan Ballantyne	43.21
3. Doug Thomas	36.19
4. Bev Taylor	33.27
5. Mike Dimich	30.63
6. Rhonda Betts	30.11
7. Mike Wilson	28.89
8. Mike Takemori	28.59
9. John Bryden	28.17
10. Jennifer Paynter	27.52

EDITH BONNELL

1. Bev Taylor	33.27
2. Rhonda Betts	30.11
3. Jennifer Paynter	27.52
4. Alison Dorosh	22.16
5. Marylou Bert	20.67
6. Donna Morrison	19.62
7. Stella Alliston	19.28
8. Marcia Christie	17.48
9. Dot Carnegie	16.33
10. Bernice French	13.75

PHIL WOOD UNDER 200

1. Brian Bleau	15.49	6. Yan Song	10.66
2. Prashant Pandit	14.91	7. Bruce McIntyre	9.77
3. Hua Yang	12.43	8. Craig Snelgrove	9.59
4. Adi Wadia	11.62	9. Rita Hasselbach	9.43
5. Eileen Sands	11.35	10. C.C. Lai	8.53

UNIT, DISTRICT, CBF BOARD MEMBERS NEEDED!

We urgently require a volunteer to fill a vacant position on the unit board. Being a unit director means attending one meeting a month and contributing your input and ideas! We specifically require someone with the ability and interest to assist with the paperwork aspects of our sectional tournaments and/or co-ordinate our Christmas party. Unit board members receive six free sectional plays for a year's service. Please contact any member of your board if you are able to help.

Jennifer Paynter's three-year term as one of this unit's District 19 directors expires at the end of 1993. If you are interested in this position, please contact the board in writing by Sep. 30. As a DINO director, you would be expected to represent this area at DINO board meetings, held at each of the DINO regionals, and to assist in organizing bridge activities in B.C. and Washington.

Aidan Ballantyne's three-year term as Zone VI (B.C.) Director of the Canadian Bridge Federation expires this year. If you are interested in this position, please send your application to Janice Anderson, CBF Co-ordinator, 107 Scrivener Cr., Regina, Sask, S4N 4V6, by Sep. 15.

District 19 urgently requires someone to take over the chairmanship of the Vancouver Regional, scheduled for Apr 4-10, 1994. Much of the preliminary work has already been done so the job should not be too onerous. Please contact Jennifer Paynter if you are able to serve in this capacity.

the MEET PLAYERS

MICHAEL NEAGU

FUTURE
STAR

If we want to attract new young players to bridge, perhaps we should make the game illegal.

That strategy appears to have worked for 24-year-old Michael Neagu, a recent Rumanian immigrant who has become a regular and welcome presence in local bridge since discovering the Vancouver Bridge Centre in May.

Neagu began playing bridge during his first year in high school in Bucharest.

"My friend had some French bridge magazines. We read them and went from there," Neagu recalls, noting bridge was only played in homes since club bridge was prohibited at the time.

Like many Canadian players, Neagu cut his teeth on the game at university.

"We played bridge almost all the time," he says, adding the university players included "some of the best players in the country."

Although Neagu immigrated to Canada just over a year ago, it took him till this spring to find a club.

"I looked in the phone book but couldn't find any bridge clubs. I never thought to look under the Vancouver Bridge Centre."

His first exposure to local club bridge was a shock.

"I expected bigger clubs."

Since duplicate bridge was allowed in Rumania about five years ago, the game has become extremely popular, with clubs in Bucharest (at about 2,000,000 people, a city quite comparable to Vancouver) regularly sporting 30-table games.

Neagu is hesitant to compare bridge

between the two countries, saying his two-to-three month exposure to club duplicate is not enough to make a realistic comparison.

However, he hopes to get a better comparison as he attends more bridge tournaments (to date, he has attended only the North Shore sectional).

One tournament he is focussing attention on is the Spring North American Championships in Cincinnati.

"(Rob Shelburn and I) want to get the free trip to the NAOPC finals in Cincinnati," Neagu says, as Shelburn nods agreement.

The two have formed a regular partnership recently, which both agree is important to improving their bridge.

"It's better to have a regular partner," Neagu says, as Shelburn indicates his full agreement.

Although Precision and Italian Blue Club systems are the norm in Rumania, Neagu plays basically standard American with Shelburn.

"Standard is very close to what I learned," he says, noting "when you start, everybody learns the same thing, when you have clubs, you bid clubs, and so on."

In his opinion, the system a person plays is much less important than a player's concentration and attitude towards the game.

"Attitude definitely has a lot to do with it. You have to concentrate and you have to feel you're in control when you're playing a hand."

Ain't that the truth...no matter which country you come from!

UNIT 430 - 1992-93 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

BALANCE SHEET AS AT JUNE 30, 1993 (Unaudited)

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
Current		Current	
Term Deposits	\$8,039.68	Accts Payable	\$2,491.55
Canadian Bank Account	\$5,731.43	GST Payable	<u>172.91</u>
U.S. Bank Account (conv)	845.32		2,664.46
Accts Receivable	223.95	Subsidy Fund Account	<u>1,606.75</u>
Prepaid Exp	<u>615.26</u>	Total Liabilities	\$4,271.21
	15,455.64		
Supplies	<u>291.13</u>	MEMBER'S EQUITY	
	15,746.77	Balance fr Jun, 92 statement	11,569.57
Equipment		Net income for current year	<u>2,431.70</u>
Playing Cards (Net)	540.00	Balance, Jun 30, 1993	<u>14,001.27</u>
Bidding Boxes (Net)	1,265.71		
Boards (8 sets) (Net)	<u>720.00</u>		
TOTAL ASSETS	\$18,272.48	TOTAL LIAB'S & EQUITY	\$18,272.48

SCHEDULE OF SUBSIDY FUND ACCOUNT

	Totals	CNTC 20%	CWTC 30%	NAOP 20%	COPC 15%	GNT 15%
Balances, Jun 30, 1992	240.30	43.10	140.78	43.10	13.32	Ø
Net revenues fr events	748.32	140.50	112.00	297.60	198.22	Ø
Entertainment book sales	1,157.00	231.40	347.10	231.40	173.55	173.55
Contributions						
from CBF	1,692.00				1,692.00	
from CWTC NtIs	610.00		610.00			
from Tri-Country Playoffs	272.58	272.58				
Total Available	4,720.20	687.58	1,209.88	572.10	2,077.09	173.55
Subsidies Given Out	3,327.12	687.58	Ø	572.10	1,894.00	173.44
Subtotals	1,393.08	Ø	1,209.88	Ø	Ø	0.11
Imp League Proceeds	213.67	42.73	64.11	42.73	32.05	32.05
Balances, Jun 31, 1993	1,606.75	42.73	1,273.99	42.73	215.14	32.16

UNIT 430 - STATEMENT OF INCOME & EXPENSES

Year Ended June 30, 1993 (Unaudited)

REVENUES

	Gross Revenue	Costs	Profit (Loss)
SECTIONALS			
Evergreen (Pacific Inn)	8,225.56	7,883.22	342.34
Future Stars (Oakridge)	1,019.25	1,561.10	(541.85)
RoundUp (Sheraton)	7,617.76	8,315.42	(697.66)
Winter (Engineers)	9,860.67	7,121.19	2,739.48
Spring (Engineers)	8,369.54	6,771.15	1,598.39
Summer (NSWC)	<u>7,119.62</u>	<u>6,118.54</u>	<u>1,001.08</u>
	\$42,212.40	\$37,770.62	\$4,441.78
OTHER EVENTS			
Multi-Level Events	3,465.42	2,717.10	748.32
Christmas Party	891.88	1,193.93	(302.05)
Monthly Unit Games	2,242.99	1,834.17	408.82
IMP League	742.99	529.32	213.67
Other	<u>134.00</u>	<u>30.00</u>	<u>104.00</u>
Subtotals	<u>\$49,689.68</u>	<u>\$44,075.14</u>	<u>\$5,614.54</u>
OTHER REVENUE			
Membership Income (ACBL) & Exchange		4,907.64	
Bidding Box Rentals		45.85	
Interest Earned		370.70	
Seattle NABC Surcharge		3,282.00	
Miscellaneous		<u>648.30</u>	<u>9,254.49</u>
TOTAL REVENUES			\$14,869.03
ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES			
Bank Charges		117.22	
Matchpointer Costs	4,327.61		
Less: advertising/subscription revenue	<u>(696.80)</u>		
		3,630.81	
New Membership		75.02	
Postage, stationery, photocopy, software		508.56	
Telephone		301.91	
Unit Board expenses		1,164.33	
Depreciation		720.95	
Teachers Course Rebates		50.00	
Directors' Training Fees		507.88	
CNTC Hospitality Expense		75.00	
CWTC Nationals Free Plays		85.47	
Tri-Country Playoffs		605.19	
Canadian Bridge Federation		350.00	
Seattle NABC Surcharge		3,282.00	
Allocated to Subsidy Acct		<u>961.99</u>	
TOTAL EXPENSES			\$12,437.33
NETINCOME FOR THE YEAR			\$2,431.70



To Joerg Schneider
c/o The Matchpointer

I just read your article in the May Matchpointer describing a hand played in 4S by Mexico in the tri-country event. In each

defensive scenario you outline, you suggest an active defence which will 'roadmap' the squeeze for even the most inexperienced declarer. I propose the following defence, given that tricks 1-5 went as described.

South knows partner has one of only two distributions: 2-4-1-6 or 2-5-1-5. Therefore declarer is either 6-5-1-1 or 6-4-1-2. If the former, there will be no squeeze. However, it cannot be the former because partner would have discarded a club on the third spade rather than the H5 from a four-card holding. Therefore we know exactly what declarer's hand is but he doesn't know either of ours and has no way to find out unless we tell him ourselves! Declarer plays the H4 to H2, H3, H7. North exits the H9, H6, H10, D5. South exits the HQ, D6, H8 HA. Declarer does not know who has the HK and cannot get a true count on the hand because we have not generously given him this information! He now plays two spades, South discarding the D9, DQ, dummy the C6, C8 North the C3, C5.

Declarer will now pause to think, holding a good spade, a club to the good queen and the HJ, a loser which would make him down one unless he can dispose of it by taking the club

hook or by catching North in a squeeze if by some miracle he started life with 2-5-1-5 distribution. Declarer could still be sitting there, considering the possible distribution of the defensive hands, especially when the approach, style and ability of the defenders is unfamiliar. North could 2-4-4-3, 2-4-3-4, 2-4-2-5, 2-5-1-5. South could be 3-4-3-3, 3-4-4-2 (would be a peculiar lead of the deuce from a doubleton J), 3-4-5-1, 3-3-6-1. If they are the first distributions, the club hook will be on; if they are the unlikely second distributions, the CQ will bring in the suit. If they are the third distributions North is down to

Ferguson
♠: J3
♥: K9875
♦: J
♣: AJ953

Herrera
♠: A2
♥: 3
♦: 76543
♣: KQT86

Strebinger
♠: T94
♥: QT2
♦: KQT982
♣: 2

Rosenberg
♠: KQ8765
♥: AJ64
♦: A
♣: 74

DT, CJ9 and South is down to DKT8. In any of the possible scenarios it cannot hurt to lay down the last trump. Even if South plays DK, North plays C9, declarer still has to decide if South still holds HK, CJ and North DT8, in which case the CQ will bring in the suit...or if North has been squeezed and is down to HK, CJ. He should assume North would not discard C9 if his last three cards were DT8, C9 and should therefore assume that North is

truly squeezed on the play of the last spade. However you can see that passive, deceptive defense on this hand, rather than pointless diamond returns which aid only one cause: declarer's, can give the defence a chance to beat a contract which because unbeatable at trick two. When a world-class player went wrong, by failing to cash the squeeze card, thinking it too remote a possibility, this is evidence that, left to do everything for themselves, most declarers will go wrong unless they really think through the hand.

Lesson: First law of Defence: Don't help declarer!

Keep up the good work, Joerg. I enjoy your articles. You do come up with some great hands!

Sheila Dickie

ENTRIES, ENTRIES, ENTRIES

by Louis Landau

E/W Vul ♠: AJT63
Dlr: S ♥: AT6
♦: A73
♣: Q4

♠: K952 ♠: Q84
♥: K87 ♥: Q543
♦: KT865 ♦: 92
♣: T ♣: J985

♠: 7
♥: J92
♦: QJ4
♣: AK7632

North	East	South	West
	Pass	Pass	ID
X	Pass	3C	Pass
3S	Pass	3NT	

Lead: D6

One of the most difficult things to do in planning a bridge hand is to work out where you will want to be a few tricks down the line. A good

example of this was the hand at left. South let the diamond run round to his jack and then set about his business of establishing his long club suit to enable him to make the necessary nine tricks for his contract. He played low to his queen of clubs (remembering "play the high card from the short side") and then cashed his ace and king of clubs. Against a normal break, and this happens well over 60 percent of the time, the clubs

would break 3-2 and there would be no problem with the hand. With the actual 4-1 break, the clubs were still not established. He could continue with the suit but as he had no entries back to his hand, this would be a futile effort. If the contract is played in this manner it must be defeated as all declarer will make is 2 diamonds, 3 clubs, 1 heart and at best 2 spades, but probably only 1.

This is, of course, the whole reason for this article. It is very elementary, but very true, that if you are going to set up your long suit, and that is normally the right thing to do, especially in a no trump contract, you must be able to get to the tricks you have set up.

In the above hand you are very short of entries to your hand and there is very little to be gained on relying on a "normal" break in a suit if there is a safer way of making your contract. The far better way to play the contract is to take the first trick with your ace! Even though this seems to give the opposition an extra trick, in the actual hand this is the only way to make the contract. After taking the diamond trick you once again set about playing your clubs, starting with the queen. After the same three rounds of clubs, you can now play a fourth round with the sure knowledge you have an entry to your hand with the queen and jack of diamonds. In this manner you will make 5 clubs, 2 diamonds, 1 heart and 1 spade for the necessary 9 tricks for your contract. A little planning ahead is a most important part of declarer play to ensure you can get to where you want, when you want, irrespective of the distribution of the cards.

Play in haste, repent at leisure!



TRANSFERS INTO THE UNIT

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Edwin Cotton, fr Okanagan
Jean Coyle, fr Parksville
Case Kokke, fr Salem
Giselle Krone, fr Trent Valley
Vera Lacina, fr Honolulu
George Leforme, fr Parksville
Margaret Leforme, fr Victoria
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Rob Shelburne, fr Quesnel
David Smith, fr Okanagan
MA Smith, fr ACBL
Mary Stewart, fr Okanagan
Yeyan Zheng, fr Parksville



BOOK REVIEW

Shadows in the Bridge World

- by Mike Dorn Wiss

Having made the mistake of seeing Jurassic Park on a Saturday night before children are either in bed or hangin' at the 7-11, I was happy to have Mike Dorn Wiss's book with me for the wait before the dimming of the lights. Otherwise I might have killed a few of the little buggers.

The book consists of a baker's dozen chapters plus an introduction, of the adventures of "the Shadow," who like many other main characters

in bridge literature seldom goes wrong and never misses a good coup, be it technical or psychological. The author, who is also in on most of the action, keeps the identity of the Shadow a closely guarded secret— in fact, the Shadow himself complains more than once about the author's exposure of him in the articles which form four of the first five chapters.

It seems to me that one of the unfortunate aspects of bridge literature is that technical books sell and books of tales and stories, for the most part, do not. Bridge players are more interested in Flannery erudita than fannish esoterica. We're more interested in buying books on how to squeeze West in two suits. We *borrow from the library* books that describe squeezing the attractive left hand opponent out of her suit and into something more comfortable...

Why this is I do not know. Do we spend so much money learning this game that we can't buy into a little fun? From the list of best-selling bridge books it seems so. But even if you enjoy an occasional story, this book will last longer than you think.

When I mentioned a baker's dozen chapters a few paragraphs ago, I did so knowing there might be a few readers who don't know that a baker's dozen is enough points for an opening bid (13). When I read the book I knew not what the curses of England, Ireland, Scotland and Wales were, and was rather confused working it out. But the minor quibbles fade when you sit down to watch a new hero work his table magic. Especially nice touches are the complete lack of compass positions (which always slow me down while reading: which opponent is West and which is East, anyhow?) and some imaginative nicknames which colour the action. When a familiar bridge diagram is called for, the cards show the position, the narrative explains the action and the nicknames show the *attitude*.

Computers make everything easier these days but they don't make publishing a book cheaper. So when a local author makes the time, spends the money and has the courage to publish a book that clearly caters to a very thin slice of the reading pie, we should support it if we can. Try it; you'll like it.

Bruce McIntyre

Editor's Note I invite all local bridge players to send myself or Bruce McIntyre (you will find our addresses elsewhere) short reviews of your favourite bridge books by Sept. 15. Bruce has graciously offered to collate the reviews and prepare a list of bridge books which might make good Christmas gifts for bridge players. We hope to publish the list in the October issue of the Matchpointer to give you ample time to purchase the ones which might interest you and/or your friends.



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September Game is a Sunday Night Game
7:00 pm, Sunday, September 5

October Game is a Saturday Night Game
7:30 pm, Saturday, October 2

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JUNE WINNERS

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|------------------------------------|------|
| 1) Harold Rodd & Anne Nagy | 3.50 |
| 2) Elaine Ryan & Rhoda Tafler | 2.63 |
| 3) Marvin Lee & Roger Cheung | 1.97 |
| 4) David Schmidt & Marian Zarychta | 1.48 |
| 5) Richard & Marcia Christie | 1.23 |
| 6) Adolph Feingold & Leo Steil | 0.83 |

JULY WINNERS

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|----------------------------------|------|
| 1) John Mullen & Nigel Fullbrook | 3.13 |
| 2) Mark Eddy & Sandra Robson | 2.35 |
| 3/4) Doug Cowan & Pat Landau | 1.54 |
| 3/4) Joni & Brian Johnston | 1.54 |
| 5) Gary & Faye Gilrairie | 1.56 |
| 6) Bruce McIntyre & Tom Dorn | 1.09 |

AUGUST

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|-------|-------|--|
| 15 | 7:30 | "Beat Average" Day-Vancouver Centre |
| 18 | 10:00 | Seeberg Trophy Open Charity Pairs-Vancouver Club |
| | 7:30 | Mixed Pairs Club Championship-Pemberton |
| 19 | 12:30 | Club Charity Game-Cloverdale |
| 20 | 8:00 | Lucky # Club Championship-Vancouver Centre |
| 21 | 1:00 | NAOPC Club Qualifying-Strat B,C-Vancouver Centre |
| 23 | 7:30 | Novice Club Championship-Vancouver Centre |
| 27 | 7:45 | NAOPC Club Qualifying-Strat A,B,C-Pemberton |
| 27-29 | | Parksville Sectional-Nanaimo |
| 31 | 7:30 | NAOPC Club Qualifying-Strat A,B,C-Vancouver Centre |

SEPTEMBER

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|---|-------|---|
| 2 | 12:30 | Club Championship-Cloverdale |
| | 7:30 | COPC Club Qualifying Game-Vancouver Centre |
| 3 | 7:45 | Swiss Teams Club Championship-Party Night-Pemberton |
| 5 | 1:00 | Club Championship-East Richmond |

AUGUST WINNERS

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|-----------------------------------|------|
| 1) Rob Shelburn & Michael Neagu | 3.13 |
| 2) Les Baldys & Barry Wade | 2.35 |
| 3) Dan Webster & Frank Caul | 1.76 |
| 4) Hal Rodd & Anne Nagy | 1.56 |
| 5) Dan Watson & John Mullen | 1.09 |
| 6) Mike Dorn Wiss & Ken Robertson | 0.78 |

1993 UNIT GAME POINT RACE

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|--------|------------------|-------|
| 1. | John Mullen | 10.66 |
| 2/3. | Elaine Ryan | 7.44 |
| 2/3. | Rhoda Tafler | 7.44 |
| 4/5. | Brian Johnston | 5.79 |
| 4/5. | Joni Johnston | 5.79 |
| 6/7. | Marcia Christie | 5.64 |
| 6/7. | Richard Christie | 5.64 |
| 8. | Nigel Fullbrook | 5.62 |
| 9. | Gordon Davis | 5.09 |
| 10/11. | Anne Nagy | 5.06 |
| 10/11. | Hall Rodd | 5.06 |



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|----------------|---------|---|
| 5 | 1:00 | Stratified Club Championship-Vancouver Centre |
| | 7:00 | Monthly Unit Game -Vancouver Bridge Centre |
| 6 | 10:00 | Labour Day Holiday Pairs-Vancouver Club |
| 8 | 10:00 | Handicap Game-Vancouver Club |
| | 7:30 | Stratified Non-Life Master Club Championship-Vancouver Centre |
| 9 | 7:30 | 0-200 Club Championship-Pemberton |
| | 7:30 | Club Championship-Mission |
| 10-12 | | Evergreen Sectional-Queensborough Community Centre |
| 13-19 | | Ocean Shores Regional-Ocean Shores, Washington |
| 13 | 10:00 | Club Championship-Vancouver Club |
| | 7:15 | Swiss Teams-South Surrey |
| | 7:30 | North American 49'ers Club Qualifying-Vancouver Centre |
| | 7:30 | Stratified IMP Pairs-Pemberton |
| 14 | 7:30 | Evergreen Sectional Winners Night-Vancouver Centre |
| | 7:45 | Swiss Teams-Burnaby |
| 15 | 7:30 | NLM IMP Pairs-Vancouver Centre |
| 16 | 7:15 | Quarterly Open Pairs Championship-Fraser Valley Club |
| 17 | 7:30 | Swiss Teams-Sur-del |
| 19 | 1:00 | Beat The Experts-Vancouver Centre |
| 20 | 10:45 | Club Championship-Burnaby |
| | 7:30 | Club Championship-Chilliwack |
| 21 | 7:30 | Ocean Shores Regional Winners Night-Vancouver Centre |
| 22 | 7:30 | COPC Club Qualifying-Pemberton |
| 23 | 7:15/30 | Royal Viking Instant MP Game-Fraser Valley/Vancouver Centre/Pemberton |
| 25 | TBA | John Findlay Memorial Rubber Bridge Tourney & Goofy Pairs Calcutta-Vancouver Centre |
| 26 | 12:00 | NAOPC-Flight C Unit Final -Vancouver Bridge Centre |
| 27-3 | | Rogue Valley Regional-Medford, Ore. |
| 29 | 10:00 | Stratified Pairs-Vancouver Club |
| | 7:30 | Master/Non-Master Swiss-Vancouver Centre |
| | 7:30 | Club Championship-Maple Ridge |
| OCTOBER | | |
| 1 | 7:45 | Swiss Teams Party Night-Pemberton |
| 2 | 7:30 | Monthly Unit Game -Vancouver Bridge Centre |
| 3 | 1:00 | Charity Game-East Richmond |
| | 1:00 | "Beat Average" Day-Vancouver Centre |
| 4 | 7:30 | ACBL Charity Game-Chilliwack |
| | 7:30 | Stratified Club Championship-Vancouver Centre |
| 5 | 7:30 | COPC Club Qualifying Game-Vancouver Centre |
| | 7:45 | Club Championship-Burnaby |
| 7 | 7:30 | Loonie Jackpot Club Championship-Vancouver Centre |
| 8-11 | | Thanksgiving Sectional-Kelowna |
| 11 | 10:00 | Thanksgiving Day Party Pairs-Vancouver Club |
| | TBA | Thanksgiving CNTC Club Qualifying-Vancouver Centre |
| 13 | 10:00 | Lions Gate Handicap Pairs Championship-Vancouver Club |
| | 7:30 | CBF International Fund Game-Vancouver Centre/Pemberton |
| 14 | 7:15 | Charity Club Championship-Fraser Valley Club |
| | 7:30 | Club Championship-Mission |
| 15 | 7:45 | Novice/Master Night-Pemberton |
| 16 | 12:00 | NAOPC-Flight A Unit Final -Pemberton Bridge Club |
| 16-17 | | Future Stars (0-100) Bridge Tournament-Vancouver Bridge Centre |
| 17 | 12:00 | NAOPC Flight B Unit Final -Pemberton Bridge Club |





Check with your local club as to whether you have qualified and for which level(s). If you qualify in Flt A but meet the eligibility requirements for Flts B and/or C, you may play in those flights at the unit finals. If you qualify in Flt B but are eligible for Flt C, you may also play in Flt C during the unit finals.

Any qualifying player may play with any other qualifying player in the unit final. As at the club level, if you qualify in the Flt A unit final but meet the eligibility requirements for Flts B and/or C, you may play in either of those flights in Stage Three. If you qualify in Flt B and are eligible for C, you may play in Flt B or C in the District Final.

The District Final will be held with our November Round-Up sectional at the Pacific Inn in White Rock. All three flights will be held concurrently, so you must choose which flight to play in. Any qualifying player may play with any other player who qualifies for this level. The unit will provide some assistance with table fees. Winners of the District Final advance to the national finals to be held during the Spring, 1994, ACBL Nationals in Cincinnati. Some subsidy funding is also available for this trip.

OTHER MULTI-LEVEL EVENTS

Canadian Open Pairs Championship

This is an unlimited masterpoint event. Club qualifying games will be held in September/October. Check with your local club as to dates and times. The unit final is tentatively scheduled for Jan. 23, 1994. The Canadian finals will be held in conjunction with the Apr, 1994, Vancouver Regional.

Club qualifying games	
Sep 2	Vancouver Centre
Sep 22	Pemberton
Oct 5	Vancouver Centre

Canadian National Teams Championship

This is an unlimited masterpoint event, potentially leading to Canadian representation in such international events as the Bermuda Bowl. Clubs may hold qualifying games from August through December. Check with your local club as to dates and times.

Club qualifying games	
Oct 11	Vancouver Centre

FLIGHT A Unlimited FLIGHT B 0-1500 MP's FLIGHT C

Non-Life Master (max 500 MP's)

Remaining club qualifying games

Aug 21 (aft)	Vancouver Centre	Strat B, C
Aug 31	Vancouver Centre	Strat A, B, C
Aug 27	Pemberton	Strat A, B, C

UNIT FINALS

Flight C

Sunday, September 26, 1993

Vancouver Bridge Centre
Noon & TBA

Flight A

Saturday, October 16, 1993

Pemberton Bridge Club
Noon & TBA

Flight B

Sunday, October 17, 1993

Pemberton Bridge Club
Noon & TBA

DISTRICT FINALS

All Flights

Nov. 13-14, 1993

Pacific Inn, White Rock

THE VBC MUSIE (aka Eugene Chan)

Australia, Bermuda, Israel, Mexico, Singapore...teams in an upcoming World Championship? No, just a small sampling from the **Vancouver Bridge Centre guest book!** Delighted visitors advise repeatedly that the Bridge Centre is a club all Vancouver bridge players should be justifiably proud of.

Not quite believing the accolades, in late May I travelled 2500 km through Ontario and Quebec visiting as many bridge clubs as possible. Many factors contribute to a successful club and I learned much on this trip. Conclusion: we have **the nicest bridge club in Canada.** In the coming months we plan to make the Bridge Centre even better!

Celebrating birthdays, none other than the Bridge Centre itself. Seems like only yesterday the Bridge Centre opened to a "Sneak Preview" for a Finesse West tour group, **Saturday, June 27, 1992**, one day before the Bridge Centre's official grand opening.

VBC first anniversary celebrations centered around the 4th annual "**Hands Across the Border**". This is a tour group of bridge players from all over America taking the scenic passage over the Rockies by rail. They are hosted by local bridge clubs at their nightly stop-over. Joined by our local players, the visitors enjoyed a scrumptious buffet and evening Swiss Teams at the Arbutus Club on Fri., Jun 25. A farewell matchpoint game Saturday afternoon at the Bridge Centre capped off their memorable trip. Congratulations to Anne Nagy for co-ordinating another highly successful event.

28 and 19 tables respectively tried to win computers and world-wide bragging rights on Jun 4-5, the 8th annual Epton Worldwide Pairs. Friday winners were (N/S) Bob and Aban Gerrie, (E/W) Connie Delisle and Sheila Dickie. Saturday winners were (N/S) Sheila Dickie and Hall Rodd, **a double win for Sheila!** (E/W) Bruce McIntyre and Rob Shelburn. Yes! the Bridge Centre can easily handle more tables next year.

The VBC **Summer IMP league** that began Jun 30 is into Stage Two. 12 teams initially split into two divisions are now realigned into championship (champagne) and consolation (beer) divisions. Some notable entries failed to reach pre-season expectations, leaving the "Bran Flakes" a prohibitive favourite for post-season bubbly. Showing the grit and determination that champions are made of, the "Heartless Club" plays with gusto every week. Such spirit, rarely encountered, shows what bridge is all about and makes us all young again. Thankyou for showing the way.

On a sadder note, we mourn the passing of John Findlay. John was a daily presence at the Bridge Centre, playing the game he loved so much. We often forget that rubber bridge players far outnumber duplicate players and their contributions are every bit as important for the ACBL and the general bridge community. In his honor we are having a John Findlay Memorial Rubber Bridge Tournament on Saturday afternoon, Sep. 25. In conjunction with our inaugural "Goofy Pairs" Calcutta that same evening, these two events make up a special "September Follies" doubleheader. Somewhere up there **we know John is smiling.**

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Dennis Groden
Olive Perdue
Mike Takemori

NEW DIAMOND LIFE MASTER

Aileen Bell...



GIVE ME A HAND

by Joerg Schneider

The NAOP at Vancouver Bridge Centre produced this deal (the first hand out for us):

North	East	South	West
		1H	P
2C (1)	P	2S(2)	P
4N (3)	P	5S(4)	P
6N	All Pass		

Dir: S ♠: JT2
 ♥: K6
 ♦: AK5
 ♣: QJ986
 ♠: 98763 ♠: K
 ♥: 73 ♥: QJT4
 ♦: Q987 ♦: 6432
 ♣: A5 ♣: 7432

1. Game Force

2. Believing that once a game force has been established this no

♠: T2

♥: -

♦: AK5

♣: -

♠: 987 ♠: -

♥: - ♥: J

♦: Q98 ♦: 6432

♣: - ♣: -

♠: Q54

♥: 9

♦: J

♣: -

tion: East is known to still have HJ and West S9, therefore the diamond 5 is

♠: -

♥: 6

♦: K5

♣: -

♠: 9 ♠: -

♥: - ♥: JT

♦: Q87 ♦: 64

♣: - ♣: -

♠: 5

♥: A9

♦: J

♣: -

longer shows extra strength. I was under the impression it does show 17+ points.

3. A bit of a stretch, particularly since we are both short in partner's long suit.

4. Roman Key Card

The lead was the HQ, run to the K. It's easy to see that a small spade to the A plus the diamond finesse brings in 12 tricks.

But to give myself some additional chances, I played SJ, K, A, small. King of Clubs, A, small, small, heart back to the A. After four rounds of clubs, the position with West still to discard is (see left):

West is squeezed. In fact she threw a diamond and now ST and a spade to the Q clarifies the position: East is known to still have HJ and West S9, therefore the diamond 5 is declarer's 12th trick.

The defence could have been more testing: Hold up on the first club, then win the ace and return a diamond (the 9 for maximum camouflage). This is totally risk-free as declarer can always take the finesse if he needs it. Now cashing the clubs results in this end position with South and West still to discard (see right):

Now, whether South throws a diamond or a heart, the squeeze does not work because East's six of diamonds protects the suit.

However, North still prevails. Before running the clubs, cash the Queen, then the ten of spades. Now the position, when the last club is played is (see left):

East must throw a diamond, South discards the heart 9, West the diamond 7 and now a heart to the Ace fixes West.

♠: AQ54

♥: A9852

♦: JT

♣: KT

♠: T2

♥: 6

♦: K5

♣: -

♠: 987 ♠: -

♥: - ♥: JT

♦: Q87 ♦: 643

♣: - ♣: -

♠: Q54

♥: A9

♦: J

♣: -

NEW MEMBERS

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FUTURE STARS BRIDGE TOURNAMENT

LIMITED TO PLAYERS WITH UNDER 100 MASTER POINTS

OCTOBER 16-17, 1993

Schedule of Events

SATURDAY

12:00 pm *Mini Lesson* "Introduction to Tournament Bridge"
 Topics: Bid boxes, hand duplication, matchpoint scoring, calling the director, etc.

1:00 pm *Stratified Open Pairs* Single Session
 0-20; 20-50; 50-100

6:30 pm *Mini Lesson* "Matchpoint Play Techniques"
 Topics: Expert analysis and review of selected deals from the first session; other bidding and declarer play tips and strategies.

7:30 pm *Flighted Open Pairs* Single Session
 Flight A: 0-100 Flight B: 0-50

SUNDAY

11:00 am *Stratified Open Pairs* Single Session
 0-20, 20-50, 50-100

4:00 pm *Mini-Lesson* "Teamwork"
 Topics: Scoring at team games (IMPS vs Matchpoint scoring), strategies for team play, mechanics of swiss teams and other types of team games

5:00 pm *Open Swiss Teams* Single session
 Number of matches TBA



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TO IMP OR NOT TO IMP

by Patti Prenty, IMP League Commissioner

Hopefully many of you are thinking about getting an IMP team together for the upcoming season. As my novice year as Unit 430 IMP League Commissioner has ended, I would like to share some of my thoughts and expectations for the coming season.

The first directive I would like to introduce is that the IMP League should be enjoyable.

When first conceived, IMP League games were played at the homes of the players. Some people would end up offering their house more than others but the hospitality was shared by the team. Times have changed of course, and less people have the space to offer for two independent tables. The IMP League has changed now that the majority of games are played at a club. There is a director on site to make rulings and no one has to go out of their way to make coffee, juice and buy a dozen donuts. I have no objections to playing at a club; it is often easier and more convenient for all members on both teams. My objection is that sportsmanship and hospitality have gone by the wayside.

When I requested the names of all the players that played a match, I was greeted with the scowling attitude of "what does it matter? Only the winning team gets any masterpoints." What is so very wrong with knowing your opponents' names? You sit beside someone for approximately 1.5 hours, play 14 hands and you don't care who they were? No one expects you to know everyone in the bridge world in the Lower Mainland but surely it's not too much to expect you to know who you played against the last match. And, for the record, it does matter who played, even on the losing team. Each member of the team must play half the matches to be entitled to the Masterpoints won by the team in a season.

As many commissioners before me, I found no matter how hard I tried, it was impossible to cover every aspect of the Conditions of Contest. Penalties for late arrivals, what constitutes a forfeit, how much is assessed in a forfeit, how does it affect the standings, what to do with uncooperative captains or inflexible teams. There are many more examples of areas of conflict but space is limited.

What I am disappointed in is the fact that these come up at all. Are there players that purposely show up late, hoping to annoy their opponents and perhaps gain a possible psychological advantage? Are there players that purposely cancel a game at the last minute because they would really like to inconvenience four other people? Are there players who would not play a scheduled match because they have already cinched a playoff spot? I hope not.

I would like to promote sportsmanship and friendliness within the IMP League (and all bridge everywhere for that matter) and try more of the folksy atmosphere of a few years ago. I do not want to take away the competitiveness, just the pettiness and spitefulness, and reintroduce some fun. We all love the game of bridge—that is why we play it!

NEW MEMBERS

Michael Knox, Vancouver
Greg Lam, Vancouver
Julian Lee, Burnaby
Elsie MaNeil, Burnaby
Tom Markham, Burnaby
Brian McCool, Burnaby
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Muriel Obrien, Ladner
Kristin Orians, Vancouver
Xiangxu Peng, Burnaby
Pat Pope, Vancouver

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FINAL IMP LEAGUE STANDINGS

FLIGHT A

1. Nathan Divinsky, Aidan Ballantyne, Don Brazeau, Gord Davis, Dan Jacob, Mike Strebinger
2. Mike Takemori, John Bryden, Dennis Dohl, Martin O'Reilly, Ben Takemori, Steve Vincent
- 3/4. Laurence Betts, Greg Arbour, Mike Dimich, Dave House, Bev Taylor, Mike Wilson
- 3/4. Cam Lindsay, Ron Borg, Bob Connop, Cam Doner, Paul Hagen

FLIGHT B

1. Don Sache, Sheila Giroto, Brenda Robson, David Schmidt
2. Larry Meyer, Rod Coote, Jim McKenzie, Dick Simpson, Bob Takashita
- 3/4. Frank Kelley, Colin Collin, Esther Freeman, Avril Hodson, Elaine Levins, Pat Wotherspoon
- 3/4. Jim Sache, Brad Fletcher, Jim Groves, Dianne Isfeld, Grace Jeklin, Garry Skoropada

Both Flights A & B of the 1993 IMP League featured a turn-around from 1992. In Flt A, the Divinsky team, a perennial contender, reversed the 1992 result. This year, Divinsky beat Takemori in the finals, after losing to the same team a year ago. Both teams should be congratulated, having reached the finals two years in a row. It must, however, rank as a disappointment for the top-seeded Takemori team, whose only loss of the season came in the championship.

In Flt B, the D. Sache team finally lived up to its top billing of the past two years. After scraping into second place during the regular season, Sache put it all together in the playoffs, handily winning both matches. The victory makes Schmidt Flt B's second three-time champion, and also marks Giroto's second championship. Congratulations are also due the Meyer team for confounding the "experts," rising far above their ninth ranking to make it all the way to the finals.

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Flight A	Unlimited	\$30/team
Flight B	0-1500 MP	\$30/team
Flight C	0-300 MP	\$15/team

Closing date for entries in all flights
September 12, 1993

To register your team,
please see Patti Prenty
at the Evergreen Sectional
or call 275-1531

IMP LEAGUE

VANCOUVER BRIDGE CENTRE

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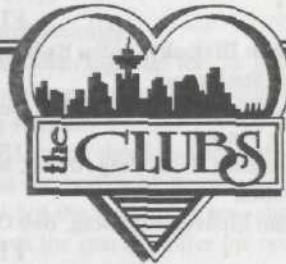
-call for details of the fall lesson schedule-

GAME SCHEDULE

Monday	7:30 PM	Novice (0-20)
Tuesday	11:00 AM	Open Day Game
Tuesday	7:30 PM	Stratified Open Game
Wednesday	7:30 PM	Strat. Non-Life Master
Thursday	7:30 PM	Open (Loonie) Game
Friday	11:00 AM	Supervised Play
Friday	8:00 PM	Open Lucky # Game
Saturday	7:30 PM	Handicap Fun Game
Sunday	1:00 PM	Stratified Open Game

SPECIAL EVENTS

Tue Aug 15	"Beat Average" Day - free play next wk
Fri Aug 20	Lucky # Club Championship
Sat Aug 21 (aft)	NAOP Qual-Strat B,C - includes free play for Aug 22
Mon Aug 23	Novice Club Championship
Fri Aug 27	TGIF
Sat Aug 28 - 11 am	Defense Workshop with C Delisle
Thu Sep 2	Cdn Open Pairs Champ Club Qual.
Sun Sep 5 (aft)	Stratified Club Championship
Sun Sep 5 (eve)	Monthly Unit Game
Wed Sep 8	Strat NLM Club Championship



Mon Sep 13	NA 49'ers Club Qual.
Tue Sep 14	Evergreen Winners Nt - Evergreen Sctl Winners play free
Wed Sep 15	NLM IMP Pairs
Sun Sep 19	Beat the Experts
Tue Sep 21	Ocean Shores Winners Nt - Ocn Shrs Rgl Winners play free
Thu Sep 23	Royal Viking Instant Matchpoint Game
Fri Sep 24	TGIF
Sat Sep 25	September Follies-John Findlay Memorial Rubber Bridge Tourney & Goofy Pairs Calcutta
Sun Sep 26	NAOPC Flt C Unit Final
Wed Sep 29	Master/Non-Master Swiss
Sat Oct 2	Monthly Unit Game
Sun Oct 3	"Beat Average" Day
Tue Oct 5	COPC Clug Qualifying
Thu Oct 7	Loonie Club Champ
Mon Oct 11	Thanksgiving CNTC Club Qual - Time TBA
Wed Oct 13	CBF Intl Fund Game

EAST RICHMOND BRIDGE CLUB

New Location - 7891 Cambie at River Rd
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Ernie Dietrich 936-2298

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\$4.50 entry, includes lunch

REGULAR GAMES

Sunday 1:00 PM

Handicap game last Sun.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sep 5 - Club Championship-Pre-dealt
Sep 12 - Club Closed for Sectional
Oct 3 - Charity Game-Pre-dealt-hand records

RECENT WINNERS

Club Champ: Leo Steil & Fred Sontag

CLOVERDALE BRIDGE CLUB

Cloverdale Curling Rink

6150-176th Street

Pat Stapff 588-6794

NO SMOKING

REGULAR GAMES

Thursday 12:30 PM

Handicap Game last Thurs. each mo.

SPECIAL GAMES

Aug 19 - Club Charity Game

Sep 2 - Club Championship

Watch for details of
new starting time from Sep 9.

PEMBERTON BRIDGE CLUB

1520 Pemberton St., North Vancouver Club Phone: 987-3733

REGULAR GAME SCHEDULE

Monday	7:30 PM	Stratified Open Game (eff Sep 1)
Tuesday	7:30 PM	Novice 0-20 Masterpoints
Wednesday	7:30 PM	Open - Handicap 1st & 3rd Wed.
Thursday	7:30 PM	Stratified (0-200) - Jackpot
Friday	7:45 PM	Open Teams & Party Night 1st Fri.

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UPCOMING SPECIAL EVENTS

Aug 18	Mixed Pairs Club Championship
Aug 27	NAOP Strat A,BC, Club Qualifying
Sep 1	Handicap Game
Sep 3	Swiss Teams Club Champ - Party Nt
Sep 9	0-200 Club Championship
Sep 10	Closed for Sectional
Sep 13	Stratified IMP Pairs
Sep 15	Handicap Game
Sep 22	COPC Club Qualifying
Sep 23	Royal Viking Instant Matchpoints
Oct 1	Swiss Teams Party Night
Oct 4	Stratified Club Championship
Oct 6	Handicap Game
Oct 13	CBF International Fund Game
Oct 15	Novice/Master Night

RECENT WINNERS

Club Championships - Open Pairs
Stella Alliston & Donna Morrison
Stella Alliston & Ev Hodge
Tie-Joyce Peters & Derek Ward/Don
Fraser & George Bell
0-200 -Pauline Thompson & Lois Carry
Novice -Karl Kupka & Fred Steger
Epson Pairs
N/S - Alison Dorosh & June Pocock
E/W - Rose Wrean & Mary Fines (1st
E/W in Dino)
Stratified NAOP Qualifying
A/B - Anne & Terry Scott
C - Roger Cheung & Marvin Lee
NAOP - Flt C
Phil Murray & Gord McPherson
ACBL Int Fund Game
Tie-Derek Ward & George Bell/Jules
Wilkins & Greg Lam

SOUTH SURREY BRIDGE CLUB

Director/Manager:
Arlene Browning

1284-184th Street

REGULAR GAMES

Monday 7:15 PM

Handicap Game - 1st Monday ea. mo.

Computer Scoring

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sep 13 - Swiss Teams

SPECIAL NOTICE

We will offer novice bridge lessons & supervised play starting at 6:30 pm, Sep. 13

TSAWASSEN BRIDGE CLUB

South Delta Rec Centre

1720-56th Street, Delta

Finn Schultz 273-7271

REGULAR GAMES

Monday 7:30 pm

BURNABY DUPLICATE BRIDGE CLUB

1491 Carleton Ave., Burnaby
Hazel Dressler 524-4445

REGULAR GAMES

Monday 10:45 AM

Handicap Game - 1st Mon. ea mo.

Tuesday 7:30 PM

UPCOMING GAMES

Monday

Sep 20 - Club Championship

Tuesday

Sep 14 - Swiss Teams

Oct 5 - Club Championship

Club Championship Winners

Ernie Dietrich & Pauline Lee

SUR-DEL BRIDGE CLUB

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SUNNYSIDE DUPLICATE BRIDGE CLUB

SUNNYSIDE COMMUNITY CENTRE
1854-154th Street
South Surrey

REGULAR GAMES

Friday 7:30 PM

Tuesday 12:30 PM

HANDICAP GAMES

First Friday of the month

First Tuesday of the month

SWISS TEAMS

Sep 17

Oct 19

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REGULAR GAMES

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REGULAR GAMES

Thursday 7:15 PM Sharp

Entry: \$4.50/regular games (eff Sep 1)

Includes refreshments

IMP League - \$10/team

Handicap Game last Thursday each month

No smoking in playing area

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sep 16 - Quarterly Open Pairs Champ

Sep 23 - Royal Viking Instant MP Game

Oct 14 - Charity Championship

RECENT WINNERS

Bi-Monthly Swiss Teams - Mike Moffat, Alex
Kiper, Ernie Dietrich, & Dianne Wilson
Local Charity Game

Ted Hicks & Doug Thomas

NAOP Club Qualifying

A,B,C - Henry Yang & Yan Song

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3096 E. Hastings, Vancouver

Marianne Scott 298-3932

REGULAR GAMES

Wednesday 11:00 AM

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REGULAR GAMES

Monday 10:00 AM

Wednesday 10:00 AM

NON-SMOKING

UPCOMING SPECIAL EVENTS

Aug 18 Seeberg Trophy-Open Charity Pairs

Aug 25 Stratified Pairs

Sep 6 Labour Day Holiday Pairs

Sep 8 Handicap Game

Sep 13 Club Championship

Sep 29 Stratified Pairs

Oct 11 Thanksgiving Day Party Pairs

Oct 13 Lions Gate Handicap Pairs Champ

RECENT WINNERS

Club Championship -

Joyce Peters & Stella Alliston

Ambleside Open Pairs -

Adam & Maria Dabrowski

NAOP Qualifying - Les Baldys & Al Turvey

Membership Game -

Geraldine LaCroix & Joan Richards

Players of the Month -

April - Maria Dabrowski

May - Julie Smith & Shirley McKinney

June - Win Trerise

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Sep 20 - Club Championship

Oct 4 - Club Charity Game

NAOP-Flt A,B,C Winners

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MAPLE RIDGE

Leisure Centre

11963 Haney Place

Wednesdays, 7:30 p.m.

Sep 29 - Club Championship

MISSION

Leisure Centre

7621 Taulbut Avenue

Thursdays, 7:30 p.m.

Sep 9 - Club Championship

Oct 14 - Club Championship

Swiss Teams Championship Winners

(22 teams) Garry Skoropada, Brad

Fletcher, Jim Groves, Jim Sache

Club Championship Winners

Michael Dawe & Ron Simpson-Hill

ABBOTSFORD

McCallum Activity Centre

2478 McCallum Road

Fridays, 7:30 p.m.

Plan to attend the annual fall Swiss
Teams - watch for flyers for exact date

Club Championship Winners-

Lois Mazuren & Joan Olson

Ken Cowherd & Dan Webster

WHITE ROCK BRIDGE CLUB

Sunnyside Community Centre

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Director: Finn Schultz

REGULAR GAMES

Wednesday 7:00 PM

Handicap Game last Wed. each mo.

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with Respect

A MOMENT OF REFLECTION

Feeling in good health, I recently underwent a drastic weight loss within a very short time prompting urgent advice from the family physician. Ulcers? Had my blood pressure run amok?

Within ten days, my body had become the property of medical technology: ultrasound, exams, needle biopsies, X-rays, more exams and finally the specialist. Facing my wife and myself, he conveyed the outcome: Cancer. Condition terminal within months.

Only those of us initiated into this particular "bridge" club can know that words are merely mortal in expressing the sweep of heartfelt emotions that now apply to one's life and to what thereof remains. To procrastinators such as myself, how fortunate we are to have this advance knowledge of time to put our affairs in order.

With determination, a little less steam and less "justified" focus on perceived errors of partner, I'm continuing every day with my rubber bridge sessions grateful not to require hospitalization. I'm able to remain at home cared for with love and surrounded by all that is familiar and dear.

What a privilege it has been for me to have been passionately engrossed in playing, on an almost daily basis, as an avocation and a vocation, the most intriguing and frustrating card game to exist. From 1943 to 1993 I visited hundreds of rubber and duplicate clubs coast-to-coast throughout Canada and the U.S. and have thoroughly enjoyed meeting thousands of players from novice to expert and from all walks of life. I embrace this opportunity to thank you, friends, for these 50 wonderful years!

When you are reading this and I am on my way to my next unknown destination, you can bet I'll be out there drumming up a fourth for a game...

John Lawford (Finch) Findlay
April 28, 1993

In Memoriam - 1921-1993

John made his final contract July 3, 1993, exactly three months from first diagnosis. I shall miss deeply a very loving husband.

Lynne Findlay



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