

THE KIBITZER - MAY 1995

NOTES FROM THE UNIT BOARD

The 1995-96 version of the Unit 390 Board is now in place. We welcome Keith Falkenberg and Rick Stevens as new members and welcome back Dan Bertrand (after a one year hiatus) and Stephanie McAdam (second year term). We bid farewell to Gordon Moir and Ran White who are leaving the board. A big thank you goes out to Gordon and Ran for their commitment and service. Gordon was a most able President and Tournament Chairman. His diplomatic skills and ability to see the big picture will serve as an example to future Boards. Ran served most ably as Unit Secretary in an efficient and effective manner. Both have left big shoes to fill, they will be missed. The new Executive is:

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| President: | Stephanie McAdam (256-2563) | Future Masters: | Tessa Bombenon (269-7389) |
| Vice-President: | Brenda Murchison (288-8828) | Future Masters: | Rick Stevens (283-5341) |
| Treasurer: | Dave Christison (265-4579) | Tournament Chairman: | Keith Falkenberg (230-7441) |
| Secretary: | Judy Elson (239-2717) | Asst. Tourn. Chairman: | Rae Cram (228-4754) |
| Special Events & Kibitzer: | Dan Bertrand (288-8828) | Club Liaison: | Alex Knox (283-7597) |

All of these people have made a commitment to the growth of Bridge in Unit 390. We look for your support and suggestions. The Board will continue to focus on services to our Future Masters but will also promote opportunities for our more experienced players. Look for some new events in next year's Sectionals! We are also dedicated to improving standards of ethics and behaviour at the table. This can only make the game better and more enjoyable for all. Please feel free to contact any member of the Board with questions or suggestions.

Mark the following dates on your calendars now. These are our Sectionals for the 1995-96 year. See you at the table! Stephanie

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| September 8-10 1995: | Polish Canadian Cultural Center |
| November 3-5 1995: | Inns of Banff Park |
| January 12-14 1996: | Polish Canadian Cultural Center |
| March 15-17 1996: | Polish Canadian Cultural Center |

MEMBERSHIP DESK

People Updates

Congratulations to the following new Life Masters, Paul Graham and Delia Michaud. Congratulations, also, to Dan Bertrand and Bernard Michaud, New Bronze Life Masters and Lois Dunsmore, Silver Life Master.

Missing Persons

Joanna Anderson and Lavinia Hurdle are lost, if anyone knows where we can find them please call Judy Elson at 239-2717.

Hello and Goodbye

A warm welcome to our new members: Betty Amery, Rose Mary Brown, James Cox, Anne Day, Betty & John Dix, Joy Gloin, Audrey Hogarth, Jean Libin, Peter Meier, Sylvia Meyers, Bill & Trudy O'Rourke, Eileen Platz and Mary Royal.

And those transferring into our unit: Dan Bolianatz from South Saskatchewan, Marjorie Grubb back from Las Vegas and Robert Wallace from Mesa.

A fond farewell to the following people who have moved elsewhere: Patricia & John Beatty to St. Albert, Bernie Lambert to Surrey and Bill Lewis to Saskatoon.

In Memoriam

It is with deep regret that the unit announces the death of Lil Murphy. We extend our deepest sympathy to her family.

Telephone List Updates

Don't forget the new telephone list will be published with the next Kibitzer - to insure the list is as up to date as possible, please let Judy know of any changes. If you can still find your 94 telephone list, you might like to note the following changes:

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| Adams, Hans | 282-7190 | Hoe, Henry | 242-4577 |
| Beatty, Patricia | 460-1369 | Madge, Fran & David | 247-9758 |
| Blanchard, Verna | 245-5251 | Michaud, Delia | 256-8349 |
| Cook, Glen | 274-8716 | O'Rourke, Trudy | 241-2665 |
| Flock, Doran | 228-1383 | Rackham, Arlis | 254-5008 |

Congratulations to Nick and Judy Gartaganis, Ray Grace and Peter Jones (from Edmonton) who are on their way to Toronto for the Canadian National Team Championship. They finished second by 1 imp in Zone V (Alberta-Saskatchewan). They will compete with teams from all across the country for the privilege to represent Canada in the Tri - Country Playoff (Bermuda, Canada and Mexico) Good Luck Folks!

NEWS FROM THE CLUBS

Bow River

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| Fri | May 19 | 1:00 | Alberta Senior Games (55+)(Ten dollar membership fee entitles you to join the Alberta Senior Citizen Ass. And play in both the May 19 and May 26 games. The winners will play in Edmonton with some of their expenses paid) |
| Fri | May 26 | 1:00 | Alberta Senior Games (55+) |
| Wed | May 24 | 7:30 | Novice & 99er Club Championship |
| Mon | June 5 | 7:30 | Master-Novice Game |
| Mon | June 12 | 12:30 | Novice & 99er Club Championship |
| Sun | June 18 | 1:00 | Club Championship |
| Fri | June 30 | 7:45 | Swiss Teams Club Championship |
| Tues | July 4 | 7:30 | Club Championship |
| Sun | July 9 | 1:00 | Club Championship |
| Wed | July 19 | 12:30 | Club Championship |
| Fri | Aug 18 | 7:45 | Club Championship |

Auntie Pickle Sighting

Auntie Pickle was seen single-handedly defeating the feared Gartaganis team during a 28 board match. Unfortunately, Aunite Pickle was playing for the Gartaganis team!

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| Mon | May 29 | 7:30 | Canadian Bridge Federation Club Charity |
| Mon | June 12 | 7:30 | Club Championship |
| Thur | July 13 | 7:30 | Club Championship |
| Mon | Aug 28 | 7:30 | Club Charity in support of John Howard Society |
| Mon | Sept 11 | 7:30 | Club Championship |

Martinique

Laura Chromka carried Don Gladman to victory in the Helen Shields Rookie Master Game edging out 35 other pairs. The next party game will be "April Showers Bring May Flowers" May 16th. All ladies in attendance will receive a flower. All gentlemen will get a surprise also!

June is full of special events at the Martinique.

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| Fri | June 9 | 7:30 | World Wide Pairs (formally Epson Pairs) |
| Fri | June 16 | 7:30 | New Players Welcome to Unit 390 - Come and make yourself known to the new players of our unit. (and Party as well) |
| Week of June 20 - 24 | | | Bridge Week - ALL games club championships! |

In July the Martinique will be hosting the Finesse West Tour "Cross Border Team Challenge". Prizes and fun for all. The Finesse Westers will also be playing bridge Friday July 21.

August is the month to qualify for the North American Open Pairs. Philadelphia is the site of the 1996 Spring Nationals. The top 2 pairs in Flights A, B & C in our district will win a free trip to Philadelphia. Hamish & Ian Boyd, Gordon Campbell (playing with Doug Deschner from Red Deer), Nick and Judy Gartaganis, John Kesselring and Dave Horton all won a free trip last year. During the week of August 20 - 26 all evening games are N.A.O.P. qualifiers. Friday evening, August 25th is the Woodstock game - don't miss it!

RESULTS FROM THE SPRING SECTIONAL

Open & Stratified Games

| Stratified Imp Pairs (49 pairs) | | | Stratified Open Pairs (65 pairs) | | |
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| Flight A | | | Flight A | | |
| 1 | Don Gladman & John Lang | | 1 | Ed Ridgen & Vince Sisko | |
| 2 | Keith Falkenberg & Murray Peterson | | 2 | Dick Anderson & Peter Basarsky | |
| 3 | Ben Chee & Maureen Bailey | | 3 | Ron Rodvick & Glenn Lefebvre | |
| Flight B | | | Flight B | | |
| 1 | Keith Falkenberg & Murray Peterson | | 1 | Ed Ridgen & Vince Sisko | |
| 2 | Tanja Hurlbert & Ruth Gilchrist | | 2 | Ron Rodvick & Glenn Lefebvre | |
| 3 | Gordon Moir & Stephanie McAdam | | 3 | Fran Tadros & Brian Saville | |
| Flight C | | | Flight C | | |
| 1 | Helen Bradley & Pamela Austin | | 1 | Gloria Guy & Mike Guy | |
| 2/3 | Rosella Ellis & Elaine Winter | | 2 | Barry Emmet & Glenn Spenser | |
| 2/3 | Torchy McCarthy & Gina Clarke | | 3 | Carole Ann Bozohora & Pat Jorgenson | |

Open Pairs (46 pairs):

- 1 Ken Penton & Rick Tewari
- 2 Alex Knox & Terri Walters
- 3 Glenn Lefebvre & Marion Pennell

Consolation Pairs (30 pairs):

- 1 Bruce Mottle & Steve Lawrence
- 2 Jim Berglund & Howard Coren
- 3 Heather Girvitz & Brian Girvitz

Stratified Swiss Teams (34 teams):**Flight A**

- 1 Clarende Duby, Elsie Johnson
Earl Knipfel, Dave Horton & Dann Kramer
- 2/4 Russ Peterson, Bev Pyper,
Steve Lawrence & Garry Lietz
- 2/4 David Boushy, Gord Sharp,
Alex Knox & Lois Dunsmore
- 2/4 Brian Girvitz, Heather Girvitz,
Ken Penton & Rick Tewari

Stratified Swiss Teams (continued):**Flight B**

- 1 Jim Berglund, Howard Coren,
Barry Emmet & Michael Hurka
- 2 Dinesh Agrawal, Raj Agrawal
Ron Pongar & Fi Nadir
- 3 Bill Walker, John Gilchrist
Ruth Gilchrist & Jim King

Flight C

- 1/2 Rosella Ellis, Elaine Winter,
Pat Jorgenson & Carole Ann Bozohora
- 1/2 Bruce Mottle, Laurel Chrumka,
Dave Madge & Fran Madge

Speedball Teams (4 teams):

- 1 Jim Drysdale, Glen Anderson,
Maurice Wuetherick & Donna Fuller

Future Master Games**Friday Afternoon 99er Pairs (14 pairs):****Flight A**

- 1 Chuck Blanchard & Martha Blanchard
- 2/3 Tony Vissers & Shirley Klassen
- 2/3 Rick Stevens & Ken Limber

Flight B

- 1 Rick Stevens & Ken Limber
- 2 Linda Trypka & Lynn Stefanson
- 3 Lily Halliday & Don Adams

Flight C

- 1 Linda Trypka & Lynn Stefanson
- 2 Marlene Lenstra & Laurel Chrumka

Friday Evening 99er Pairs (18 pairs):**Flight A**

- 1 Robert Dow & Evelyn Ward
- 2/3 Betty Gladu & Laurel Chrumka
- 2/3 Arie Struik & Olga Jones

Flight B

- 1 Robert Dow & Evelyn Ward
- 2 Betty Gladu & Laurel Chrumka
- 3 Mary Ross & Sharon Lutz

Flight C

- 1 Robert Dow & Evelyn Ward
- 2 Mary Ross & Sharon Lutz
- 3 Linda Trypka & Lynn Stefanson

Saturday Afternoon 99er Pairs (18 pairs):**Flight A**

- 1 Elizabeth Stanway & Patricia Blochert
- 2 Don Seidle & Howard Bursey
- 3 Chuck Blanchard & Martha Blanchard

Flight B

- 1 Don Seidle & Howard Bursey
- 2 Gwen Hewitt & Wes Hewitt
- 3 Joan O'Reilly & Dan Bolianatz

Saturday Evening 99er Pairs (15 pairs):**Flight A:**

- 1 Stefan Nowakowski & Kathleen Gleeson
- 2 Donna Lea Anderson & Stan Halluk
- 3 Chuck Blanchard & Martha Blanchard

Flight B:

- 1 Stefan Nowakowski & Kathleen Gleeson
- 2 Joan O'Reilly & Dan Bolianatz
- 3 Howard Bursey & Don Seidle