



Bloomington-Normal Bridge Newsletter

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July Events



**Monday Morning Duplicate games starting at 11:45AM,
First Christian Church, Jefferson and Lee, near downtown Bloomington**

July 5 – open pairs

July 12 – NAP qualifier open pairs

July 19 – open pairs

July 26 – open pairs

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

Mike's Bridge Club schedule:

Thursday, July 1, 11:45AM – open pairs – Fox Creek Village

Saturday, July 3, 11:45AM – open pairs – Westminster

Monday, July 5, 6:15PM – 99ers only pairs – Knights of Columbus

Tuesday, July 6, 6:15PM – open pairs – Heartland

Wednesday, July 7, 1:15PM – 99ers only pairs – Fox Creek Village

Thursday, July 8, 11:45AM – open pairs – Fox Creek Village

Saturday, July 10, NO GAME – TOURNAMENT AT UAW HALL

Monday, July 12, 6:15PM – 99ers only pairs – Heartland

Tuesday, July 13, 6:15PM – NAP qualifier open pairs – Heartland

Wednesday, July 14, 1:15PM – 99ers only pairs – Fox Creek Village

Thursday, July 15, 11:45AM – NAP qualifier open pairs – Fox Creek Village

Saturday, July 17, 11:45AM – NAP qualifier open pairs – Westminster

Monday, July 19, 6:15PM – 99ers only pairs – Heartland

Tuesday, July 20, 6:15PM – open pairs – Heartland

Wednesday, July 21, 1:15PM – 99ers only pairs – Fox Creek Village

Thursday, July 22, 11:45AM – open pairs – Fox Creek Village

Saturday, July 24, 11:45AM – open pairs – Westminster

Monday, July 26, 6:15PM – 99ers only pairs – Heartland

Tuesday, July 27, 6:15PM – open pairs – Heartland

Wednesday, July 28, 1:15PM – 99ers only pairs – Fox Creek Village

Thursday, July 29, 11:45AM – open pairs – Fox Creek Village

Saturday, July 31, 11:45AM – open pairs – Westminster

Contact Mike Tomlianovich at 309-825-5823 for information or to arrange for a partner.

All games sanctioned by the American Contract Bridge League.

Bridge players supporting other bridge players:

The Safe Harbor homeless shelter is in need of winter coats for men. If have any man's coat you would like to donate, please contact Safe Harbor.

Westminster Village offers a variety of living options, from an individual duplex in the "Willows" to comprehensive skilled nursing care at the Martin Health Center. Westminster Village provides the opportunity for an independent lifestyle with services and security. Please phone Jean Daily at 309-663-6474, visit Jean at the Westminster Village office at 2025 E Lincoln Street in Bloomington, or check their web site: <http://www.westminstervillageinc.com/>

Heartland Community College offers community education courses, including bridge. Get a catalog at bridge games or access the web page at: <http://www.heartland.edu/communityed>

Bridge classes and seminars available!

If you know of anybody who would like to attend a beginner or intermediate class or if your social bridge group would like a topic-focused seminar, please contact accredited bridge teacher Mike Tomlianovich. Each class consists of 24 hours of instruction and practice at a cost of tuition plus \$15 for a textbook. 1-2 hour seminars on a variety of bridge topics are available for a donation. Contact Mike at 309-825-5823 for details.

Public service announcement:

OSF St Joseph Medical Center needs volunteers to help staff the gift shop, reception desk, or patient transport. Please contact OSF's volunteer coordinator by phone at 309-662-3311 extension 1118 to discuss where you can help. Thank you!

The Bloomington-Normal "Top 25" Masterpoint holders
 As of 6/6/2010 – residents of Bloomington-Normal only – paid up ACBL members only

- 1 **3,201.02 Betty Capodice**
- *** 2,557.18 Laura Addison**
- 2 **2,412.87 Steve Babin**
- 3 **1,730.20 Mike Tomlianovich**
- *** 1,398.35 Sharad Chitgopekar**
- *** 1,320.43 Ed Lombard**
- 4 **1,495.77 Steve Hawthorne**
- 5 **1,420.73 Zack Freehill**
- 6 **1,308.97 Hank Hoffman**
- 7 **1,200.95 Dewey Gronau**
- 8 **1,163.34 Eunice Patton**
- 9 **1,032.61 Jeanne Strand**
- 10 **1,014.14 Ivey Weaver**
- 11 **1,003.92 Stan Gutzman**
- *** 780.34 Jack Kessler**
- *** 741.06 Pearl Harris**
- 12 **835.64 Jean Barnett**
- 13 **770.76 Don Strand**
- 14 **755.43 Glen Beaman**
- 15 **732.14 Henrietta Crain**
- 16 **698.21 Charlie Morton**
- 17 **660.11 Randall Motchan**
- 18 **607.84 Martin Compton**
- 19 **584.24 Ann Schuyler**
- 20 **567.22 Ruth Wettaw**
- 21 **558.59 Ann Farnsworth**
- 22 **514.89 Peg Deutsch**
- *** 474.92 Nona Wooley**
- 23 **456.23 Bob Smith**
- 24 **449.17 Bev Upp**
- 25 **426.11 Dennis Moll**
- *** deceased**

Other players:

- ***12,741.55 Dick Benson-LeRoy**
- 10,446.55 Chris Benson-LeRoy**
- 3,978.04 Alan Wienman-Morton**
- 3,829.42 Phyllis Rahn-Dunlap**
- 3,345.54 Larry Matheny**
- 2,784.69 Ron Sholes-Springfield**
- 2,662.84 Leonard Kaufman-Peoria**
- 2,382.25 Georgia Heth-Morton**
- 2,284.79 Gail Moon**
- 2,179.38 Liz Zalar-Springfield**
- 2,098.81 Kish Devaraj**
- 2,076.19 Chuck Zalar-Springfield**
- 2,005.10 Leah Newell- Springfield**
- 1,924.14 Ray Russ-Henry**
- 1,897.22 Joanne Glazebrook-Washington**
- 1,800.20 Carole Sholes-Springfield**
- 1,754.07 Terry Goodykoontz-Champaign**
- 1,707.70 John Burdon**
- 1,679.22 Paul Lindauer-Varna**
- 1,639.56 Margaret Hansell-Champaign**
- 1,395.40 Bobbie Straker-Pekin**
- 1,325.18 Marilyn Stickel-Lacon**
- 1,389.69 Tim Cull-Springfield**
- 1,120.92 Jim Moon**
- 926.81 Donna Kaufman-Peoria**
- 870.79 Floyd Sherry-Eureka**
- 738.35 Bev Fast-Peoria**
- 683.75 Marilyn Toubeaux-Peoria**
- 688.98 Phil Kenney-Eureka**
- 620.22 Eunice Viktor-Morton**
- 591.74 Camilla Rabjohns**
- 573.47 Bill Carley-Peoria**
- 578.82 Carole Miller-Champaign**
- 483.71 Bill Bulfer-East Peoria**

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#1

Solving a bridge problem often takes little more than counting to thirteen. The auction, the play of the hand, and that math skill showed this declarer the way to success.

Scoring: Matchpoints (Pairs)

	S AK109				
Dlr W	H 52				
Vul none	D QJ103				
	C A98				
S 7	S 843	West	North	East	South
H AJ109876	H K43	3H	DBL	Pass	4S
D 7	D A98542	Pass	Pass	Pass	
C Q763	C 4				
	S QJ652				
	H Q				
	D K6				
	C KJ1052				

BIDDING: After North's takeout double, South had enough to jump to game.

PLAY: West led his singleton diamond won by the ace. East returned the nine of diamonds, a suit preference for hearts (higher ranking side suit). West ruffed but since he held no more trumps, followed with the ace and another heart. Declarer ruffed, drew trumps, and then had to find the queen of clubs to make his game. His first instinct was to place it in the East hand but he stopped to see what information he had uncovered. First, West surely had seven hearts for his vulnerable preempt. The play proved West held only one diamond and one spade so that left him with four clubs and the problem was solved. When East followed with a low club on the king, declarer confidently played another to dummy's nine.

#2

When defending a contract the auction and play of the hand will usually help you decide on the best course of action, but sometimes you just have to hope. Take a look.

Scoring: Matchpoints (Pairs)

Dlr	E	S J9732				
		H AK96				
Vu	N/S	D 2				
l		C K53				
S	KQ104	S A85	West	North	East	South
H	J10754	H Q8			1C	3D
D	J3	D 1096		Pass	Pass	Pass
C	J10	C AQ964	DBL*			
		S 6				
		H 32				
		D AKQ8754				
		C 872				

*Negative double

BIDDING: East's hand wasn't very strong but it's one that everyone seems to open these days. South made a preemptive jump bid and holding a weak hand, West made a very questionable negative double. East had no place to go so he passed hoping for down one. After all, South was vulnerable and +200 would be better than a partscore.

PLAY: West obediently led his partner's suit and declarer was delighted to count nine possible tricks. Declarer ducked and West continued with the ten of clubs. Declarer played the king and East won the trick. South's vulnerable jump suggested a solid or near solid suit so East was understandably worried. He cashed the ace of spades and West encouraged but East knew from the negative double that declarer would hold only one spade. Next East cashed the nine of clubs and felt better when declarer followed. It appeared declarer had 1-2-7-3 distribution so East saw the only way to defeat the hand was to find his partner with the jack or queen of trumps. Accordingly, East played a fourth club and declarer had no answer. If he ruffed low West would overruff and if he ruffed high, it would promote a trump trick for E/W.

Even though the result earned them a top board, East made a note to discuss with his partner the strength needed for a three level negative double.

#3

Here is another hand that shows the importance of overtricks in a pairs event.

Scoring: Matchpoints (Pairs)

Dlr	N	S Q4			
		H 4			
Vu	N/S	D AK106542			
l		C Q72	West	North	East
					South
S	KJ86	S 109732		1D	Pass
H	QJ2	H K109653	Pass	2D	Pass
D	QJ73	D 8	Pass	4H*	Pass
C	J5	C 6	Pass	Pass	6C
			Pass	Pass	Pass
	S A5				
	H A87				
	D 9				
	C AK109843				

*Splinter

BIDDING: This N/S pair plays the 2/1 system so South's 2C bid was forcing to game. North rebid his diamond suit and South did the same in clubs. Knowing there was at least six clubs in his partner's hand, North next jumped to show heart shortness along with club support and South confidently bid the slam.

PLAY: Realizing that declarer may have to ruff hearts in dummy, West led a low trump. South saw the slam could be made so he considered how to find the overtrick. He could try to trump two hearts in dummy and discard his spade on the diamond king or he could establish dummy's diamond suit. He finally decided on the diamonds so he won the club in hand and followed with ace and another diamond. East showed out on the second diamond and declarer ruffed. Next, declarer led to dummy's queen of clubs drawing the last trump and ruffed another diamond establishing the suit. He now ruffed a heart to dummy and discarded his losers on the good diamonds.

There was nothing difficult about the hand but the overtrick was important. Several pairs played in 3NT while others were in five of a minor. Some reached the club slam but played for only 12 tricks.

#4

When competing it helps to have the right tools and know when you use them. Here is a hand where the vulnerability helped a pair find a great save against the opponents' game contract.

Scoring: Matchpoints (Pairs)

Dlr N	S 64				
	H 983				
Vu E/ l W	D AQ105				
	C K1084				
		West	North	East	South
S 10852	S AK		Pass	1H	2H*
H A1072	H KQJ54				
D KJ876	D 943	4H	4NT	Pass	5C
C	C J65	Pass	Pass	DBL	Pass
		Pass	Pass		
	S QJ973				
	H 6				
	D 2				
	C AQ9732				

*Michaels Cue Bid

BIDDING: South's cue bid showed spades and a minor with 10+ cards in the two suits. West leaped to game but North continued with 4NT asking South for his minor suit. South bid clubs and East ended the auction with a double.

PLAY: West led the ace of hearts and continued the suit. South ruffed followed by ace and a club to dummy. Next he led a low spade won by East who led a third heart. Declarer ruffed again, drew the last trump, and led a diamond to dummy's ace. A low spade brought forth the other honor from East and South was still able to ruff another spade in dummy to escape for down one. Most E/W pairs were allowed to make game in hearts losing only two diamonds and a diamond ruff.



June results:

Mike's Tuesday evening open pairs- June 1 – 8 pairs:

- 1st. (68.45%) Mike Tomlianovich-Bloomington & Steve Babin-Normal
- 2nd. (56.55%) Joyce Clay-Bloomington & Stan Gutzman-Normal
- 3rd. (55.36%) Dave & Zack Freehill - Bloomington
- 4th. (52.98%) Leonard Johnson-Bloomington & Ray Dostal-Bloomington
- 5th. (50.60%) Steve Wulfers-Normal & Randall Motchan-Bloomington

Mike's Wednesday afternoon 99ers only pairs – June 2 – 7 pairs:

- 1st. (64.58%) Dan Liu-Bloomington & Don Randall-Bloomington
- 2nd. (59.38%) Lori & Jim Fernstrom-Bloomington
- 3rd. (54.17%) JoAnn Schroeder-Bloomington & Fran Morton-Bloomington
- 4th. (53.13%) Marilyn & Gene Byers - Bloomington
- 5th. (50.00%) Mary Houska-Normal & Joe Krause-Bloomington

Mike's Thursday open pairs – June 3 – 4½ tables:

- 1st. (65.97%) Ann Schuyler-Bloomington & Dennis Moll-Bloomington
- 2nd. (58.33%) Joyce Clay-Bloomington & Zack Freehill-Bloomington
- 3rd. (52.78%) Margaret Hansell-Champaign & Steve Babin-Normal
- 4th. (51.39%) Mary Cralley-Normal & Jean Barnett-Bloomington

Mike's Saturday open pairs – June 5 – 10 tables:

North-South

- 1st. (62.27%) Betty Capodice-Bloomington & Chris Benson-LeRoy
- 2nd. (56.94%) Joyce Clay-Bloomington & Paul Lindauer-Varna
- 3rd. (55.79%) Margaret Hansel-Champaign & Doug Steele-Seymour
- 4th. (55.32%) Bev Upp-Bloomington & Hank Hoffman-Bloomington
- 5th. (54.17%) Glen Beaman-Bloomington & Ron Emmett-LeRoy
- 6th. (50.69%) Babe Fullan-Bloomington & Henrietta Crain-Normal

East-West

- 1st. (62.73%) Phyllis Rahn-Dunlap & Ray Russ-Henry
- 2nd. (56.25%) Eunice Patton-Bloomington & Steve Babin-Normal
- 3rd. (54.63%) Steve Wulfers-Normal & Randall Motchan-Bloomington

Monday Morning Duplicate – June 7 – 6½ tables:

- 1st. (64.59%) Bev Upp-Bloomington & Zack Freehill-Bloomington
- 2-3. (57.08%) Stevie & Roger Joslin - Bloomington
Phil Kenney-Eureka & Floyd Sherry-Eureka
- 4th. (55.84%) Jeanne Strand-Normal & Dewey Gronau-Bloomington
- 5th. (53.75%) Bobbie Straker-Pekin & Steve Babin-Normal
- 6th. (52.50%) Fran Morton-Bloomington & Peg Deutsch-Bloomington
- 7th. (51.25%) Ann Schuyler-Bloomington & Dennis Moll-Bloomington
- 8th. (50.00%) Betty Capodice-Bloomington & Steve Hawthorne-Bloomington

Mike's Monday evening 99ers only pairs – June 7 – 6 tables:

North-South

- 1st. (67.22%) Barbara Schaad-Bloomington & Sarah Bourland-Normal

2nd. (57.22%) Patti Corrigan-Bloomington & Lori Moore-Bloomington

3rd. (55.00%) Mary Lou Gold-Bloomington & Gaye Hoselton-Chenoa

East-West

1st. (62.22%) Fran & Lynn Devore - Normal

2nd. (58.33%) Anne Garrett-Bloomington & Patty Paul-Bloomington

3rd. (50.56%) Joe Krause-Bloomington & John Sheen-Downs

Mike's Tuesday evening open pairs- June 8 – 6 pairs:

1st. (61%) Steve Wulfers-Normal & Randall Motchan-Bloomington

2nd. (58%) Charlie Morton-Bloomington & Zack Freehill-Bloomington

3rd. (50%) Stan Gutzman-Normal & Floyd Sherry-Eureka

Mike's Wednesday afternoon 99ers only pairs – June 9 – 6 pairs:

1st. (67.50%) Lori Moore-Bloomington & Pati Corrigan-Bloomington

2nd. (61.25%) Lynn Devore-Normal & Joe Krause-Bloomington

3rd. (57.50%) JoAnn Schroeder-Bloomington & Fran Morton-Bloomington

Mike's Thursday open pairs – June 10 – 6 tables:

1st. (65.78%) Zack Freehill-Bloomington & Steve Hawthorne-Bloomington

2nd. (58.00%) Camilla Rabjohns-Peoria Heights & Ray Russ-Henry

3rd. (56.30%) Lori Moore-Bloomington & Mike Tomlianovich-Bloomington

4th. (56.07%) Ramesh Chaudhari-Normal & Steve Babin-Normal

5th. (55.60%) Ann Schuyler-Bloomington & Dennis Moll-Bloomington

Mike's Saturday open pairs – June 12 – 10 tables:

North-South

1st. (62.96%) Camilla Rabjohns-Peoria Heights & Steve Hawthorne-Bloomington

2-3. (60.42%) Betty Capodice-Bloomington & Carole Miller-Champaign

Liz & Chuck Zalar - Springfield

4th. (52.31%) Babe Fullan-Bloomington & Charlie Morton-Bloomington

5th. (54.17%) Glen Beaman-Bloomington & Ron Emmett-LeRoy

East-West

1st. (67.36%) Jean Barnett-Bloomington & Stan Gutzman-Normal

2nd. (61.57%) Steve Wulfers-Normal & Randall Motchan-Bloomington

3rd. (60.65%) Eunice Patton-Bloomington & Steve Babin-Normal

4th. (55.32%) Bret Van Fleet-Bloomington & Zack Freehill-Bloomington

5th. (50.46%) Doug Steele-Seymour & Dan Bunde-Champaign

Monday Morning Duplicate – June 14 – 6 tables:

North-South

1st. (66.25%) Betty Capodice-Bloomington & Steve Hawthorne-Bloomington

2nd. (60.83%) Henrietta Crain-Normal & Charlie Morton-Bloomington

3th. (60.42%) Stevie Joslin-Bloomington & Zack Freehill-Bloomington

East-West

1st. (56.67%) Jean Barnett-Bloomington & Ivey Weaver-Bloomington

2nd. (54.17%) Steve Babin-Normal & Ray Russ-Heenry

3-4. (52.92%) Bev Meginnes-Towanda & Peg Deutsch-Bloomington

Dewey Gronau-Bloomington & Hank Hoffman-Bloomington

5th. (51.25%) Joyce & Bob Clay - Bloomington

Mike's Monday evening 99ers only pairs – June 14 – 8 tables:

North-South

1st. (57.14%) Marilyn & Gene Byers - Bloomington

2nd. (54.91%) Joyce Clay-Bloomington & JoAnn Schroeder-Bloomington

3rd. (53.13%) Joyce Werner-Downs & Dorothy Berg-Bloomington

4th. (50.00%) Mary Houska-Normal & Jon Gilpin-Normal

East-West

1st. (72.32%) Anne Garrett-Bloomington & Patty Paul-Bloomington

2nd. (52.23%) Dan Liu-Bloomington & Calvin Wu-Normal

3rd. (50.00%) Susan & Dan Klotzbach-Bloomington

Mike's Tuesday evening open pairs- June 15 – 4 tables:

1st. (66.67%) Eunice Patton-Bloomington & Steve Babin-Normal

2nd. (54.76%) Bev Upp-Bloomington & Jeanne Strand-Normal

3-4. (51.79%) Jerry Oswald-Bloomington & Floyd Sherry-Eureka

Dave & Zack Freehill - Bloomington

Mike's Wednesday afternoon 99ers only pairs – June 16 – 6 tables:

North-South

1st. (58.89%) JoAnn Schroeder-Bloomington & Fran Morton-Bloomington

2nd. (54.44%) Lori & Jim Fernstrom - Bloomington

3rd. (52.78%) Vi Kothe-Bloomington & Dorothy Berg-Bloomington

East-West

1st. (56.67%) Roberta Weddig-Normal & John Sheen-Downs

2nd. (52.22%) Candy Morin-Springfield & Mike Bowers-Springfield

3rd. (51.67%) Carla Smith-Normal & Jan Farkas-Bloomington

Mike's Thursday open pairs – June 17 – 7 tables:

North-South

1st. (63.69%) Ann Farnsworth-Bloomington & Jean Barnett-Bloomington

2nd. (60.71%) Betty Capodice-Bloomington & Steve Hawthorne-Bloomington

3rd. (58.63%) Roger Joslin-Bloomington & Paul Lindauer-Varna

East-West

1st. (61.90%) Dave & Zack Freehill - Bloomington

2nd. (55.95%) Phil Kenney-Eureka & Floyd Sherry-Eureka

3rd. (55.06%) Margaret Hansell-Champaign & Steve Babin-Normal

4th. (52.98%) Camilla Rabjohns-Peoria Heights & Ray Russ-Henry

5th. (50.60%) Bill Carley-Peoria & Hank Hoffman-Bloomington

Mike's Saturday open pairs – June 19 – 8½ tables:

North-South

1st. (68.46%) Mike Ring-Champaign & Bill Lindemann,Sr-Champaign

2nd. (66.07%) Bret Van Fleet-Bloomington & Steve Hawthorne-Bloomington

3rd. (57.44%) Glen Beaman-Bloomington & Ron Emmett-LeRoy

4th. (56.55%) Peg Deutsch-Bloomington & Jeanne Strand-Normal

5th. (51.49%) Jean Barnett-Bloomington & Margaret Hansell-Champaign

East-West

1st. (55.29%) Carole Miller-Champaign & Steve Babin-Normal

2nd. (54.23%) Paul Lindauer-Varna & Mike Tomlianovich-Bloomington

3rd. (53.97%) Esther Dunn-Bloomington & Bev Meginnes-Towanda

4th. (52.38%) Ann Schuyler-Bloomington & Zack Freehill-Bloomington

Monday Morning Duplicate – June 21 – 6½ tables:

1st. (60.00%) Bobbie Straker-Pekin & Steve Babin-Normal

2nd. (57.78%) Betty Capodice-Bloomington & Chris Benson-Leroy

3th. (57.08%) Sallie Boge-Bloomington & Bev Upp-Bloomington

4th. (54.17%) Phil Kenney-Eureka & Floyd Sherry-Eureka

5th. (53.75%) Stevie Joslin-Bloomington & Zack Freehill-Bloomington

6th. (51.48%) Peg Deutsch-Bloomington & Jeanne Strand-Normal

7th. (50.84%) Roger Joslin-Bloomington & Hank Hoffman-Bloomington

8th. (50.00%) Mary Cralley-Normal & Jean Barnett-Bloomington

Mike's Monday evening 99ers only pairs – June 21 – 5½ tables:

1st. (66.40%) Lynda Frankeberger-Bloomington & Steve Green-Goodfield

- 2nd. (58.33%) Patty & Rodger Paul - Bloomington
- 3rd. (57.82%) Joyce Werner-Downs & Dorothy Berg-Bloomington
- 4th. (57.03%) Fran & Lynn Devore - Normal
- 5-7. (52.35%) Patti Corrigan-Bloomington & Lori Moore-Bloomington
 Mary Lou Gold-Bloomington & Gaye Hoselton-Chenoa
 Dan Liu-Bloomington & Calvin Wu-Normal

Mike's Tuesday evening open pairs- June 22 – 7pairs:

- 1st. (61.46%) Hank Hoffman-Bloomington & Mike Tomlianovich-Bloomington
- 2nd. (58.33%) Eunice Patton-Bloomington & Steve Babin-Normal
- 3rd. (55.21%) Darryl Bremner-Clinton & Stan Gutzman-Normal
- 4th. (53.13%) Steve Wulfers-Normal & Randall Motchan-Bloomington

Mike's Wednesday afternoon 99ers only pairs – June 23 – 4½ tables:

- 1st. (66.67%) JoAnn Schroeder-Bloomington & Fran Morton-Bloomington
- 2nd. (62.50%) Sandy Chambers-Bloomington & Joyce Clay-Bloomington
- 3rd. (57.29%) Lori & Jim Fernstrom - Bloomington
- 4th. (54.17%) Roberta Weddig-Normal & John Sheen-Downs
- 5th. (51.04%) Lynda Frankeberger-Bloomington & Steve Green-Goodfield
- 6th. (50.00%) Marilyn & Gene Byers - Bloomington

Mike's Thursday open pairs – June 24 – 6 tables:

- 1st. (60.37%) Ann Schuyler-Bloomington & Zack Freehill-Bloomington
- 2nd. (58.52%) Peg Deutsch-Bloomington & Dewey Gronau-Bloomington
- 3rd. (57.78%) Betty Capodice-Bloomington & Chris Benson-LeRoy
- 4th. (57.41%) Darryl Bremner-Clinton & Stan Gutzman-Normal
- 5th. (57.04%) Jeanne Strand-Normal & Jason Cannell-Bloomington
- 6th. (54.07%) Roger Joslin-Bloomington & Mike Tomlianovich-Bloomington
- 7th. (51.85%) Bev Upp-Bloomington & Hank Hoffman-Bloomington

Mike's Saturday open pairs – June 26 – 10 tables:

North-South

- 1st. (58.80%) Eunice Patton-Bloomington & Betty Capodice-Bloomington
- 2nd. (57.41%) Marilyn Stickel-Lacon & Ray Russ-Henry
- 3rd. (56.94%) Dot Bergstrom-Peoria & Shirley Bloch-Peoria
- 4th. (53.94%) Marlys & Fred Clark - Mahomet
- 5th. (53.70%) Camilla Rabjohns-Peoria Heights & Steve Hawthorne-Bloomington
- 6th. (53.47%) Bev Upp-Bloomington & Zack Freehill-Bloomington
- 7th. (50.00%) Jeanne & Don Strand - Normal

East-West

- 1st. (58.80%) Dewey Gronau-Bloomington & Hank Hoffman-Bloomington
- 2nd. (55.09%) Steve Wulfers-Normal & Randall Motchan-Bloomington
- 3rd. (54.86%) Dan Bunde-Champaign & Mike Ring-Champaign
- 4th. (51.85%) Patricia & Bill Bulfer - East Peoria

Monday Morning Duplicate – June 28 – 8½ tables:

North-South

- 1st. (59.23%) Ivey Weaver-Bloomington & Betty Capodice-Bloomington
- 2nd. (58.63%) Bev Upp-Bloomington & Hank Hoffman-Bloomington
- 3th. (58.33%) Ann Schuyler-Bloomington & Floyd Sherry-Eureka
- 4th. (50.30%) Bev Fast-Peoria & Jean Barnett-Bloomington
- 5th. (50.00%) Joyce Clay-Bloomington & Peg Deutsch-Bloomington

East-West

- 1st. (68.25%) Ray Russ-Henry & Steve Babin-Normal
- 2nd. (56.88%) Jeannie Nord-Bloomington & Bev Meginnnes-Towanda
- 3rd. (53.97%) Jeanne Strand-Normal & Stan Gutzman-Normal

4th. (52.38%) Dave & Zack Freehill - Bloomington

5th. (52.12%) Stevie & Roger Joslin - Bloomington

Mike's Monday evening 99ers only pairs – June 28 – 6 tables:

North-South

1-2. (63.33%) Sam Weiler-Bloomington & JoAnn Schroeder-Bloomington
Patty & Rodger Paul - Bloomington

3rd. (52.22%) Patti Corrigan-Bloomington & Lori Moore-Bloomington

4th. (50.56%) Marilyn & Gene Byers - Bloomington

East-West

1st. (55.56%) Vi Kothe-Bloomington & Dorothy Berg-Bloomington

2nd. (55.00%) Mary Lou Gold-Bloomington & Gaye Hoselton-Chenoa

3rd. (54.44%) Dan Liu-Bloomington & Calvin Wu-Normal

Mike's Tuesday evening open pairs- June 29 – 4 tables:

1st. (59.52%) Bev Upp-Bloomington & Hank Hoffman-Bloomington

2nd. (57.14%) Mike Tomlianovich-Bloomington & Steve Babin-Normal

3rd. (54.76%) Randall Motchan-Bloomington & Floyd Sherry-Eureka

Mike's Wednesday afternoon 99ers only pairs – June 30 – 3½ tables:

North-South

1st. (62.50%) Lori & Jim Fernstrom - Bloomington

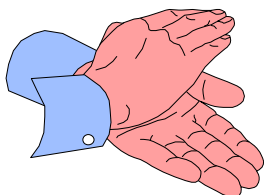
2nd. (54.17%) Patti Corrigan-Bloomington & Lori Moore-Bloomington

East-West

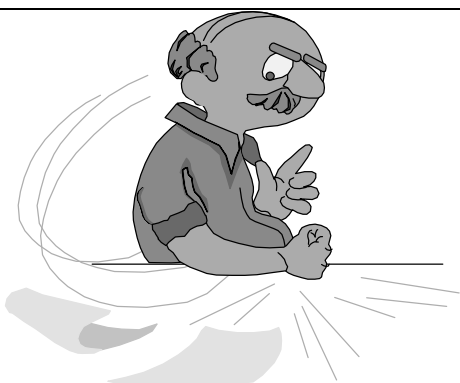
1st. (65.00%) Vi Kothe-Bloomington & Dorothy Berg-Bloomington

2-3. (50.83%) Marilyn & Gene Byers - Bloomington

Lynn Devore-Normal & Dan Liu-Bloomington



Congratulations to all winners!



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Bloomington-Normal entries in the unit 208 2010 masterpoint races – 6/6/2010

Mini-McKenney (all masterpoints earned):

0-5 masterpoints: Joyce Clay #2 with 26.80, Joyce Werner #3 with 5.23

5-20 masterpoints:

20-50 masterpoints: JoAnn Schroeder #1 with 26.48

50-100 masterpoints: Sarah Bourland #4 with 15.67

100-200 masterpoints:

200-300 masterpoints: Bret Van Fleet #7 with 25.38

300-500 masterpoints: Bev Upp #3 with 45.97, Dennis Moll #6 with 37.09, Dave Freehill #7 with 31.70

500-1000 masterpoints: Ann Schuyler #5 with 69.08

1000-2500 masterpoints: Zack Freehill #4 with 98.94, Steve Babin #8 with 80.01

2500-5000 masterpoints: Betty Capodice #5 with 57.70

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

0-5 masterpoints: Joyce Clay #1 with 18.65, Joyce Werner #2 with 3.95

5-20 masterpoints: Lynn Devore #10 & # 10 with 4.78

20-50 masterpoints: JoAnn Schroeder #2 with 12.53

50-100 masterpoints: Sarah Bourland #6 with 9.88

100-200 masterpoints:

200-300 masterpoints:

300-500 masterpoints: Dennis Moll #4 with 23.24, Bev Upp #8 with 18.67

500-1000 masterpoints: Ann Schuyler #2 with 34.75

1000-2500 masterpoints: Zack Freehill #3 with 40.22, Hank Hoffman #9 with 34.64

2500-5000 masterpoints: Betty Capodice #1 with 30.95

Bloomington-Normal 70% club – years 2009-2010 only
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2010/05/26 72.22% Fran & Lynn Devore(99ers)
2010/05/24 75.00% Vi Kothe & Dorothy Berg(99ers)
2010/05/12 70.00% Lori & Jim Fernstrom(99ers)
2010/05/10 75.00% Marge & Dick Swanberg(99ers)
2010/04/29 72.74% Hank Hoffman & Steve Babin
2010/04/26 73.33% Joyce Clay & JoAnn Schroeder(99ers)
2010/04/26 72.22% Anne Garrett & Patty Paul(99ers)
2010/04/15 71.88% Ann Schuyler & Dennis Moll
2010/04/11 72.50% Eunice Patton & Steve Babin(Schroeder open house)
2010/04/07 74.17% Joyce Werner & Dorothy Berg(99ers)
2010/03/03 72.22% Joyce Werner & Dorothy Berg(99ers)
2010/02/24 73.33% Dan Liu & Don Randall (99ers)
2010/02/17 71.88% Vi Kothe & Dorothy Berg (99ers)
2010/01/04 72.50% Roberta Weddig & Joe Krause (99ers)

2009/12/14 70.00% Roberta Weddig & Joe Krause (99ers)
2009/10/05 70.42% Ann Farnsworth & Hank Hoffman
2009/09/21 73.44% JoAnn Schroeder & Ann Schimelpfenig (99ers)
2009/09/14 77.78% JoAnn Schroeder & Ann Schimelpfenig (99ers)
2009/08/24 70.54% Ben Snyder & Roger Joslin (99ers)
2009/08/03 71.11% Barbara Schaad & Sarah Bourland (99ers)
2009/07/25 70.83% Betty Capodice & Steve Hawthorne
2009/06/29 70.84% Bobbie Straker & Steve Babin
2009/06/23 73.00% Mike Tomlianovich & Steve Babin
2009/05/11 72.33% Beverly Poole & Jill Colledge (99ers)
2009/05/04 73.76% Mary Houska & John Sheen (99ers)
2009/04/30 71.67% Dennis Moll & Steve Hawthorne
2009/04/20 74.44% Joyce Werner & Dorothy Berg (99ers)
2009/04/13 72.32% Mary Houska & John Sheen (99ers)
2009/03/09 70.00% Cindy Lake & Wendy Anderson (99ers)
2009/01/29 73.61% Betty Capodice & Joanne Glazebrook

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

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

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

New sectional masters: Joann Rouse, Darryl Bremner, John Sheen,

Joe Krause, Ann Schimelpfenig, Sarah Bourland, Patty Paul, JoAnn Schroeder

New regional masters:

Walter Fox, Ann Schuyler, Art Adams, Bev Upp, Ramesh Chaudhuri,

Kirk Biggs, Jeannie Nord, Darryl Bremner

New NABC masters: Peg Deutsch, Chris Biggs, Dennis Moll, Ann Schuyler, Bev Upp, Dave Freehill

New life masters: Randall Motchan, Sam Katz, Jean Barnett, Stan Gutzman,

Ann Schuyler, Peg Deutsch, Dennis Moll, Bev Upp, Steve Wulfers, Bret Van Fleet, Dave Freehill

New bronze life masters: Ruth Wettaw, Ann Farnsworth, Charlie Morton, Sam Katz, Carole Bardwell,

Jean Barnett, Stan Gutzman, Randall Motchan, Ann Schuyler, Peg Deutsch

New silver life masters:

Steve Hawthorne, Eunice Patton, Hank Hoffman, Dewey Gronau,

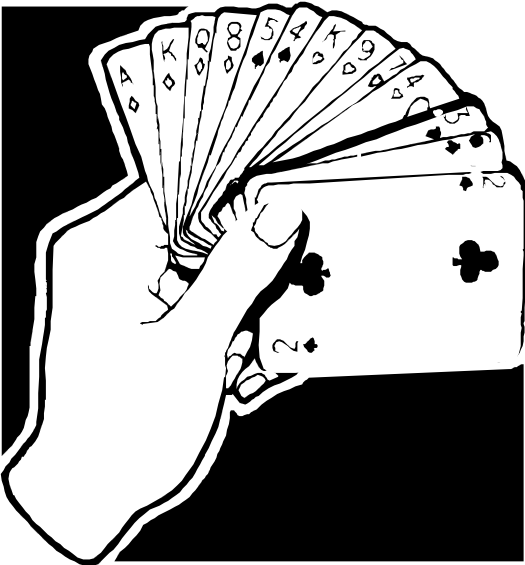
Zack Freehill, Jeanne Strand, Ivey Weaver, Stan Gutzman

New gold life masters: Laura Addison



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Upcoming tournaments:



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

