The OREGON TRAIL

Regional

SECOND EDITION TUESDAY FEBRUARY 19, 2013

Columbia River Bracketed KO TEAMS (2nd sess.). 9 a.m. MORNING SIDE GAME SERIES (stratified) 9 a.m. Columbia River Bracketed KO TEAMS (3rd sess.). 1 p.m. AFTERNOON SIDE GAME SERIES (stratified) . . . 1 p.m. Portland Bracketed KO TEAMS (1st session) 1 p.m. 299ER SINGLE-SESSION PAIRS (stratified) 1 p.m. OPEN PAIRS (stratified, 2 sessions) 1 & 7 p.m. Columbia River Bracketed KO TEAMS (final) 7 p.m. Portland Bracketed KO TEAMS (2nd session) 7 p.m. EVENING SIDE GAME SERIES (stratified) 7 p.m. SINGLE-SESSION SWISS TEAMS (stratified) 7 p.m. 299ER SINGLE-SESSION PAIRS (stratified) 7 p.m.

TODAY'S SCHEDULE

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TOMORROW'S SCHEDULE

EARLY BIRD Bracketed KO TEAMS (1st sess. of 3). 9 a.m. MORNING SIDE GAME SERIES (stratified) 9 a.m. Portland Bracketed KO TEAMS (3rd session) 1 p.m. Marilyn Vilhauer Bracketed KO TEAMS (1st session) . 1 p.m. AFTERNOON SIDE GAME SERIES (stratified) 1 p.m. 299ER SINGLE-SESSION PAIRS (stratified) 1 p.m. A/B OPEN PAIRS (Open/2500) 1 & 7 p.m. GOLD POINT Rose PAIRS (750/300) 1 & 7 p.m. Portland Bracketed KO TEAMS (final session) 7 p.m. Marilyn Vilhauer Bracketed KO TEAMS (2nd sess.) . 7 p.m. EVENING SIDE GAME SERIES (stratified) 7 p.m. SINGLE-SESSION SWISS TEAMS (stratified) 7 p.m. 299ER SINGLE-SESSION PAIRS (stratified) 7 p.m.



The American Beaver is Oregon's state animal. Highly prized for its fur, it was overtrapped by early settlers, though it has been reestablished throughout the state. Oregon is known as the "Beaver State," and Oregon State University's athletic teams are called the "Beavers."

STRATIFIED OPEN CHARITY PAIRS

	A	В	C	22.0 Tables	
7.47	1			Connie Marfell, Milwaukie OR; Stan Sather, Lake Oswego OR	65.03%
5.60	2			Stu Swan - Hadi Allahverdian, Portland OR	63.83%
3.68	3/4			Craig Zastera, Woodinville WA; Sun-O Ho, Redmond WA	63.51%
4.53	3/4	1		Julian Dupuis, Kelso WA; Joe Rottmann, Vancouver WA	63.51%
2.36	5			Rose Bolson, Lake Forest Par WA; Corrine Joinette, Edmonds WA	61.44%
2.45	6			Jack Bradshaw - Carole Bradshaw, Courtenay BC	56.21%
3.40		2	1	Thomas Scharf, Vancouver WA; Christopher Cross, Portland OR	55.66%
2.55		3		Margi Redden, Portland OR; Ian Kirk, Tualatin OR	55.56%
1.91		4		Angela Thompson, Lincoln City OR; Frances Gates, Waldport OR	55.01%
1.57		5		Eunice Patton, Bloomington IL; Brenda Glaze, Anchorage AK	54.03%
1.17		6/7		Edward Kelley - Roger Arockiam, Portland OR	52.61%
1.57		6/7		Lynda Hirst, Vancouver WA; Norman Potter, Lincoln City OR	52.61%
1.85			2	David Mack, Bellevue WA; Alex Roman, Burnaby BC	46.30%
1.39			3	Beth Cookson - Chris Cookson, Nanaimo BC	46.19%
1.04			4	Craig Schauermann - Steve Tubbs, Vancouver WA	45.42%

WAGONS

The Oregon Trail was too long and arduous for the Conestoga wagons commonly used in the eastern U.S. and on the Santa Fe Trail. Their 6,000 lb. freight capacity was larger than needed, and the large teams (8 to 10 animals) required could not navigate the tight corners often found on the Oregon Trail. Thus, prairie schooners were developed by wainwrights, with about 2,500 lbs. freight capacity and about 88 square feet of storage in a box 11 feet long, 4 feet wide, and 2 feet high, and which could easily be pulled by 4 to 6 oxen (cheaper and easier to train, but slower) or 6 to 10 mules. New wagons cost between \$85 and \$170. The canvas covers were doubled and treated with linseed oil to help keep out the rain, dust, and wind. The



wooden wheels were protected with an iron rim, but the pioneers had to soak the wheels periodically to swell the wood so the iron "tires" would not fall off. Wagons sometimes broke down along the way, with broken axles or broken wagon tongues. The wagons had no springs, so almost nobody actually rode in them, as it was too dusty and rough, and also too hard on the livestock.

STRATIFIED OPEN CHARITY PAIRS MON EVE--ONE SESSION

			NORTH-SOUTH		SECT	ON C		EAST-WEST	
A	В	С			A	В	С		
1			Connie Marfell,		1			Jack Bradshaw - Carole	
			Milwaukie OR; Stan					Bradshaw, Courtenay BC	258.00
			Sather, Lake Oswego OR	298.50	2	1	1	Thomas Scharf,	
2			Craig Zastera,					Vancouver WA;	
			Woodinville WA; Sun-O					Christopher Cross,	255.50
			Ho, Redmond WA	291.50	3			John Coone, Vernon BC;	
3			Judy Kay, Beaverton OR;					Jack Triplett, Inkom ID	253.00
			Laverne Kittilson,		4	2		Edward Kelley - Roger	
			Portland OR	250.00				Arockiam, Portland OR	241.50
4	1		Eunice Patton,			3		Franklin Alan,	
			Bloomington IL; Brenda					Indianapolis IN; Evelyn	
			Glaze, Anchorage AK	248.00				Kennedy, Ruidoso NM	234.50
	2		Gregory Smith - Marilee						
			Smith, Portland OR	229.00					
		1	Michael Rickus - Garry					———	
			Lowe, Newport OR	204.00				4 4 4	
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1	В	С	Stu Swan - Hadi Allahverdian, Portland OR	293.00	A	В	С	Julian Dupuis, Kelso WA; Joe Rottmann,	291.50
1	В	С	Stu Swan - Hadi Allahverdian, Portland OR Rose Bolson, Lake	293.00	A 1	B 1	С	Julian Dupuis, Kelso WA; Joe Rottmann, Vancouver WA Margi Redden, Portland OR; Ian Kirk, Tualatin OR	291.50 255.00
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STRATIFIED 299ER CHARITY PAIRS MON EVE--ONE SESSION

			NORTH-SOUTH		SECT	ION G		EAST-WEST	
D	E	F			D	E	F		
1	1		Shirley Porter - Sandra		1			Marvin Rosen - Cheryn	
			Flaherty, Port Ludlow WA	118.50				Grant, Portland OR	99.00
2	2	1	Lorraine Almy - Don		2			Connie Cleaton - Peggy	
			Almy, Edmonds WA	101.50				Brom, Portland OR	97.00
3	3	2	Norma Schauermann -		3	1	1	Judy Scoril - Jim	
			Claude Blair, Vancouver WA	98.00				Scovil, Vancouver WA	93.50
4			Susan Cothern,		4			Bob Lofgren - Elaine	
			Woodinville WA;					Corey, Vancouver WA	92.50
			Christine McKenna,	84.50		2		Ginny Kopacz - Dawn	
								Campbell, Portland OR	92.00
						3	2	Ginny Peterson - Judy	
		_						Wilkinson, Vancouver WA	89.50

D20 Regionals Rise Above the Ordinary!

It's not the handling of difficult hands that makes the winning player. There aren't enough of them. It's the ability to avoid messing up the easy ones.

- Alan Sontag



The best available bid is often the least bad alternative.

- Jerry Helms



I favor light opening bids. When you're my age, you're never sure that the bidding will get back around to you in time.

- Oswald Jacoby at 77

Other District 20 Regionals This Year

(prices are for ACBL paid-up members; non-members pay \$2 more per session)

July 22 - 28, 2013 EMERALD EMPIRE REGIONAL, \$11/session

at the Valley River Inn, 1000 Valley River Way, Eugene, Oregon

Sept. 30 - Oct. 6, 2013 OREGON COAST REGIONAL

at the Seaside Civic & Convention Center, 415 First Avenue, Seaside, Oregon

December 26 - 31, 2013 RENO HOLIDAY REGIONAL

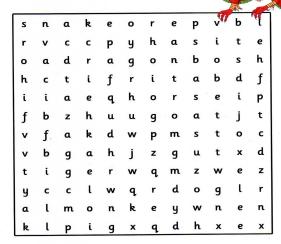
at the Grand Sierra Resort, 200 North Riverplace, Reno, Nevada

Side Game Series

A Side Game Series is a series of at least three onesession games open to all players. Participants may enter as many sessions as they wish and play with the same or different partners. Overall ranking is done on an individual basis by computing the sum of each players two best games. At NABC and regional tournaments, gold points are awarded to section-top placing players who have competed in at least two sessions of this event. Each session of a Side Game Series may also be run as a onesession stratified pairs.

Join us at the THURSDAY night sock hop. Free beer and a no host bar!

Chinese Zodiac Word Search Puzzle



rat	horse	dragon	monkey	pig	
rooster	ох	tiger	rabbit	snake	
goat	doa	KUNG HE	E FAT CH	IOYI	

299ER STRATIFIED CHARITY PAIRS

	D	E	F	11.0 Tables	
2.97	1	1		Shirley Porter - Sandra Flaherty, Port Ludlow WA	70.54%
2.23	2	2	1	Lorraine Almy - Don Almy, Edmonds WA	60.42%
1.67	3			Marvin Rosen - Cheryn Grant, Portland OR	58.93%
1.25	4	3	2	Norma Schauermann - Claude Blair, Vancouver WA	58.33%
1.04	5			Connie Cleaton - Peggy Brom, Portland OR	57.74%
1.07	6	4	3	Judy Scoril - Jim Scovil, Vancouver WA	55.65%
0.75		5		Ginny Kopacz - Dawn Campbell, Portland OR	54.76%
0.67			4	Ginny Peterson - Judy Wilkinson, Vancouver WA	53.27%

Special Newcomer Program!!!

At noon today: Half-hour Mini Class by Mary Alice Seville

"IMPS, Matchpoints, and Other Bridge Jargon"

At 6:15 tonight: Guest Speaker - Mike Eyer "How to Win More (Often)"

Some **Bridge Buffs** include General Dwight D. Eisenhower, Winston Churchill, the Marx Brothers, George Burns, Hugh Hefner, Clint Eastwood, Martina Navratilova, George S. Kaufman, Wilt Chamberlain, Deng Xiaoping, Mahatma Gandhi, Somerset Maugham, Warren Buffet, Bill Gates, and Charles Shulz. In 1997, three years before Schulz died, the ACBL named Snoopy a Life Master.

"Learn Bridge in a Day" has been successfully used by clubs across the country to promote bridge and attract new bridge players in the community. To find out more, join Sue Kroning in a discussion of this program at 10 a.m., Friday, February 22, in the Boardroom.





What do you know about your ACBL player number?

(from *The Official Encyclopedia of Bridge*)

Since July 1961 the American Contract Bridge League has been assigning each member a 7-digit player number. The last digit in each number is a self-checking device by which the computer knows when to throw out incorrect numbers. The method by which the checking digit is computed is interesting. Multiply the first 6 digits by 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, and 2 respectively, then add these products. Then divide the total of the sum of the products by 11 and note the remainder. Subtract the remainder from the divisor, 11, and the resulting difference should equal the check digit. If it does not, or if the net result of this work is a remainder of 1, then the number is not used. When a player achieves Life Master status, this is indicated by a change in their player number by the substitution of a letter for the first digit, alphabetically, from J for 1 to R for 9. However, the number is still used in electronic scoring.

Initial number	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Life Master letter	J	Κ	L	М	N	0	Р	Q	R

COLUMBIA RIVER BRKTD KNOCKOUT TEAMS (Round 2)

Columbia River KOS BRACKET 1

2 Tables
R Ian Martindale - Charlene Martindale - Craig Jones, Boise ID; Suzanne St Thomas, Salem OR
VS
Donald Tofte - Irene Pickett - Edward Lee, Portland OR; David Green, Sherwood OR

Joel Datloff, Vancouver WA; Roger McNay, Beaverton OR; Jon Bartlett - John Ashton, Portland OR
VS
Cameron Doner, Richmond BC; Brenda Jacobus, Las Vegas NV; Barbara Nist, Seatac WA; Patti
Hartley, Kirkland WA

Joan Cremin, Paradise Valley AZ; Haig Tchamitch, Scottsdale AZ; Geoff
Hampson - Marc Jacobus - Curtis Cheek, Las Vegas NV
VS

Merlin Vilhauer, Beaverton OR; Jeffrey Taylor, Eugene OR; Polly Dunn- Pat Dunn, Bellevue WA

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Betty Rossmann - Ed Ulman, Portland OR; Mike Cappelletti, Winter Park
FL; George Whitworth, Coarsegold CA; Allison Howard, Cookeville TN; Jim Looby, Burbank CA
vs

Catherine Creer, Spokane WA; Naomi Paasch, Moorhead MN; Hendrik Sharples, Brush Prairie WA; Gerry Marshall, Las Varas Mexico; G Gard Hays, Veradale WA

Columbia River KOS BRACKET 2

Dave Slegel, The Dalles OR; Samuel Jones - Kathleen Holahan, Portland OR; Mary Hovda, Sandy OR

VS

Terrance Hill - Paul Hochfeld - Brian Breckenridge, Corvallis OR; GeeGee Walker, Medford OR

Christie Maher, Kalama WA; Jerry Woodman, Woodland WA; Rita Fontaine, Longview WA; Wanda Burness, Rainier OR

VS

Irva Neyhart - Richard Garvin, Corvallis OR; James Windus, Vancouver WA; Gary Nitzberg, Carson City NV

Brenda Olsen - Mary Beth Bartel, Creswell OR; Sharron Lyons, Springfield OR;
Randy Jean Hiltbrand, Eugene OR

VS

Dwayne Brackhahn - Ron Senn, Beaverton OR; James Wheeler, Ridgefield WA; Robert Hormel, Portland OR

Amy Casanova - Joseph Stanisiewski - Charles Swart, Portland OR; Michael Eyer, Lake Oswego OR

Cliff Allen III, Camas WA; Gerald Brown - Gary Todd - Chuck Burns, Vancouver WA

Columbia River KOS BRACKET 3

16 Tables

Norma Titus - Barbara Hamal, Kingston WA; Shirley Staggs - Pauline Bullert, Vancouver WA

VS

JoAnn Marks - Inez Weiss - Marie Germuska, Portland OR; Richard Gettmann, Bend OR

Jim Carr, Ridgefield WA; Kathleen Vasks - Rudi Metzner - Betty Metzner, Camas WA

VS

Rita Cannon, Ladysmith BC; Wendy Gregory, Duncan BC; Bruce Boan - Peggy Boan, Mill Bay BC

Alan Stewart - William Phillips, Vancouver WA; Richard Rodeman, Washougal WA;

Lyle Claflin, Boise ID

VS

Mary Ferguson - Jim Tritz, Richland WA; Paul Burma, Sunnyside WA; Doug Sanders, Grandview WA

Deborah Lackey, Washougal WA; Barbara Pyles, Portland OR; Eileen Milligan - Mary Alice Seville,

Deborah Lackey, Washougal WA; Barbara Pyles, Portland OR; Eileen Milligan - Mary Alice Seville Corvallis OR vs

vs Wanda Knight - Eileen Boal, Albany OR; Becky McKenzie, Corvalis OR; Karen Nelson, Corvallis OR

Hideous Hog Predictions

<u>Bracket One</u> Datloff (-1) over Doner: John Ashton's first ever morning session goes remarkably well. Rossmann (-4) over Creer: Ali Howard's southern charm beguiles Sharples and Marshall. Cremin (-3) over Vilhauer: The reflection off of Cheek and Hampson temporarily blinds the D20 District Director. Martindale (-2) over Tofte: Three real Idahoans and one honorary one deal locals a tough loss.

<u>Bracket Two</u> Neyhart (-2) over Maher: Kalamaty befalls strong southern Washington team. Olsen (-5) over Brackhahn: Ducks over Beaver(ton)s as usual. Casanova (-1) over Allen: Up and coming Portlanders outlast some of Vancouver's finest. Hill (-2) over Slegel: Walker, pride of the Rogue Valley, wows local heavies.

<u>Bracket Three</u> Ferguson (-3) over Stewart: Tri-City team ramping up for their Regional (October 14-20 in Kennewick WA) in style. Marks (-2) over Titus: The bracket's surviving Central Oregonian shows 'em how they do it on the dry side. Lackey (-4) over Knight: Mary Alice Seville, D20's Education Coordinator, has obviously learned a lot from the lectures she's set up at our Regionals. Cannon (-1) over Carr: You don't come all the way to Vancouver from the Warm Valley to lose, do you?