

The Oregon Coast Regional at Seaside

THIRD EDITION WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 28, 2016

TODAY'S SCHEDULE

MORNING SWISS TEAMS (strat., continues Thu. am.) 9 a.m.
 MORNING SIDE GAME SERIES (stratified) 9 a.m.
 ♦ 299ER SINGLE-SESSION PAIRS (stratified) 9 a.m.
 Astoria Bracketed KO TEAMS (1st of 4 sessions) 1 p.m.
 Gearhart Bracketed KO TEAMS (3rd session) 1 p.m.
 Three Strat OPEN PAIRS (2 sessions) 1 & 7 p.m.
 ♦ **COHO GOLD PAIRS** (750/300/200) 1 & 7 p.m.
 AFTERNOON SIDE GAME SERIES (stratified) 1 p.m.
 ♦ 99ER SINGLE-SESSION PAIRS (stratified) 1 p.m.
 ♦ 299ER SINGLE-SESSION PAIRS (stratified) 1 p.m.
 Astoria Bracketed KO TEAMS (2nd session) 7 p.m.
 Gearhart Bracketed KO TEAMS (final 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.



TOMORROW'S SCHEDULE

MORNING SWISS TEAMS (stratified, final sess.) . . . 9 a.m.
 MORNING SIDE GAME SERIES (stratified) 9 a.m.
 ♦ 299ER SINGLE-SESSION PAIRS (stratified) 9 a.m.
 Astoria Bracketed KO TEAMS (3rd session) 1 p.m.
 Louis & Clark Brktd KO TEAMS (1st of 4 sessions) . . 1 p.m.
 Three Strat OPEN PAIRS (2 sessions) 1 & 7 p.m.
 ♦ **CHINOOK GOLD PAIRS** (750/300/200) . . . 1 & 7 p.m.
 AFTERNOON SIDE GAME SERIES (stratified) 1 p.m.
 ♦ 99ER SINGLE-SESSION PAIRS (stratified) 1 p.m.
 ♦ 299ER SINGLE-SESSION PAIRS (stratified) 1 p.m.
 Astoria Bracketed KO TEAMS (final session) 7 p.m.
 Louis & Clark 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.



News from Judy: Stop in for a cup of clam chowder after your afternoon session today!

TUESDAY THREE STRAT OPEN PAIRS

36.0 Tables / Based on 76 Tables				
A	B	C		
33.57	1		Hendrik Sharples, Brush Prairie WA; Gerry Marshall, Las Varas Mexico	65.93%
25.18	2		Frances Schenk - Jan Galey, Baton Rouge LA	63.51%
18.88	3		Jessie Brunswig, Kirkland WA; Jerry McVay, Lacey WA	62.41%
14.16	4		Mark Itabashi, Murrieta CA; Steven Love, Laguna Niguel CA	61.04%
11.19	5		Richard Carter, Medina WA; Craig Zastera, Woodinville WA	58.38%
9.59	6		Bjorgvin Kristinsson, Minneapolis MN; Linda Wiener, Vancouver WA	57.63%
8.39	7		Connie Marfell, Milwaukee OR; Duncan Smith, Victoria BC	57.12%
7.46	8	1	Amy Casanova, Portland OR; Louis-Amaury Beauchet, Sherwood OR	57.08%
6.71	9		Daniel Hoekstra, Portland OR; Connie Coquillet, Vancouver WA	56.63%
6.10	10	2	Deborah Lackey, Washougal WA; Stacy Walthall, Camino CA	56.45%
5.60	11		Albert Wilson Jr, Brookings OR; Suzanne Cook, McKinleyville CA	56.21%
5.16	12		Gustav Axen, New Westminster BC; Samuel Asai, Hood River OR	56.21%
4.80	13		Gerald Fox, Napa CA; Tom Jacobson, Fairfield CA	55.84%
4.48	14		Gene Fomin, Glacier WA; Gregory Trautman, Olympia WA	55.57%
4.20	15		Jean Barry, Livermore CA; Nick Wiebe, Oakland CA	55.52%
3.95	16		Marc Franklin - Mary Lou Moriarty, Portland OR	54.90%
3.73	17		Suzanne St Thomas, Boise ID; Flo Savage, Beaverton OR	53.81%
3.53	18		David Brower, Portland OR; Margaret Peterson, Larkspur CA	53.71%
3.75		3	Lamya Agelidis, La Jolla CA; Christine Denny, Encinitas CA	53.06%
3.28		4	James Wheeler, Ridgefield WA; Leslie Kelson, Portland OR	52.88%
2.27		5	Faye Gilraine - Gary Gilraine, Vancouver BC	52.00%
1.91		6	William Wood - Jill Wood, Meridian ID	50.43%
1.70		4	Joann Okumura - Paul Lund, Salt Lake City UT	47.30%



Did you know that Oregon boasts the nation's fastest talkers? This was shown by an analysis of consumer telephone calls placed to businesses in the United States. (Labianna, Juliana, "50 Facts for 50 States," Reader's Digest, Jul/Aug 2016, p. 116)



TUESDAY MORNING SIDE GAME

	A	B	C	22.0 Tables	
6.07	1			Charles Burns, Vancouver WA; Samuel Asai, Hood River OR	61.39%
3.98	2/3			Mary Ose, Sacramento CA; Carolyn Benner, El Dorado Hills CA	61.11%
5.12	2/3	1		Mary Sievers, Stockton CA; Lee Hanson, McMinnville OR	61.11%
3.84	4	2		Eileen Boal, Albany OR; Mark Rowe, Philomath OR	59.58%
1.92	5			Bruce Brownfield - Leonard Wisbey, Graham WA	59.31%
1.44	6			John Reisner - Georgia Farman, Florence OR	58.19%
2.45	7			Robert Thomson, San Rafael CA; Martha England, Mill Valley CA	57.50%
2.88		3		Rick Gardner, Arch Cape OR; Douglas West, Ocean Park WA	56.67%
3.22		4	1	Diane Parker, Medina WA; Barbara Aydelott, Edmonds WA	55.97%
1.71		5		Susan Wheeler - G Steve Wheeler, Castle Rock CO	55.28%
1.22		6		Salena Johnson, Portland OR; Connie Marfell, Milwaukee OR	55.00%
2.42			2	Brian Wood, Golden CO; Jan Petroski, Woodburn OR	54.03%
1.81			3	Mary Collins, Tulsa OK; Mary Brown, Crested Butte CO	52.78%
1.19		4/5		Arthur Crawford - Leslie Muir, Meridian ID	52.36%
1.19		4/5		Michael Schultz, Lake Oswego OR; Barry Heller, Burbank CA	52.36%
0.76		6		Karen Rise, Leavenworth WA; Nobli Morris, Wenatchee WA	52.08%

NORTH-SOUTH				SECTION I			EAST-WEST		
A	B	C		A	B	C			
1			Robert Thomson, San Rafael CA; Martha England, Mill Valley CA	207.00	1		Mary Ose, Sacramento CA; Carolyn Benner, El Dorado Hills CA	220.00	
2			Jean Barry, Livermore CA; Nick Wiebe, Oakland CA	202.50	2	1	Eileen Boal, Albany OR; Mark Rowe, Philomath OR	214.50	
3/4	1		Susan Wheeler - G Steve Wheeler, Castle Rock CO	199.00	3		Ron Jauch - Jamie Newman, Nevada City CA	203.50	
3/4			John Coone, Vernon BC; Robert Law, Tigard OR	199.00	4	2	1	Diane Parker, Medina WA; Barbara Aydelott, Edmonds WA	201.50
	2		Salena Johnson, Portland OR; Connie Marfell, Milwaukee OR	198.00		3	2	Arthur Crawford - Leslie Muir, Meridian ID	188.50
	3		Ginny Curtis, Citrus Heights CA; Teri Smoot, Placerville CA	182.50					
		1	Barbara Charlton - Carol Nystrom, Vancouver WA	165.50					
		2	Bruce Thornburgh, Boise ID; Brian Brady, Eagle ID	152.00					
1	1		Mary Sievers, Stockton CA; Lee Hanson, McMinnville OR	220.00	1			Charles Burns, Vancouver WA; Samuel Asai, Hood River OR	221.00
2			Bruce Brownfield - Leonard Wisbey, Graham WA	213.50	2	1		Rick Gardner, Arch Cape OR; Douglas West, Ocean Park WA	204.00
3			John Reisner - Georgia Farman, Florence OR	209.50	3	2	1	Brian Wood, Golden CO; Jan Petroski, Woodburn OR	194.50
4	2	1	Mary Collins, Tulsa OK; Mary Brown, Crested Butte CO	190.00	4			Jan Galey - Frances Schenk, Baton Rouge LA	188.50
	3	2	Michael Schultz, Lake Oswego OR; Barry Heller, Burbank CA	188.50		3		Bill McGeary - Sheryl Clough, Clinton WA	186.50
	4		Karen Rise, Leavenworth WA; Nobli Morris, Wenatchee WA	187.50		4	2	Perry Cowgill - Blythe Bartlett, Vashon WA	180.00



When you start bridge, you learn rules. When you advance, you learn logical reasoning. Frank Stewart

TUESDAY AFTERNOON SIDE GAME

	A	B	C	26.0 Tables	
6.83	1			Samuel Jones, Portland OR; Brenda Glaze, Anchorage AK	64.87%
5.12	2			Jeff Reynolds - Genie Reynolds, San Francisco CA	62.17%
3.84	3			Robert Thomson, San Rafael CA; Martha England, Mill Valley CA	61.76%
2.94	4			Hans Wandel - Joseph Habeich, Portland OR	59.57%
5.12	5	1		Susan Wheeler - G Steve Wheeler, Castle Rock CO	59.52%
3.84	6	2		Jim Windus, Vancouver WA; Louise Johns, Beaverton OR	58.97%
1.47	7			Sue Boyle - Robert Moore, San Diego CA	57.47%
2.88		3		Art Silvas - Lee Silvas, Renton WA	56.86%
2.16		4		Mary Perkins, Astoria OR; Teresa Jefferson, Seaside OR	55.91%
1.62		5		Dennis Harms - Carol Harms, Corvallis OR	55.62%
1.22		6		Frances Gates, Waldport OR; Garry Lowe, Newport OR	55.29%
2.91			1	Pamela Ann Kitto - Glo Klinger Williams, Stockton CA	54.70%
2.18			2	Linda Thomas - Darrel Mooney, Boise ID	53.89%
1.64			3	Ellen Waatainen - Gloria Shabbits, Nanaimo BC	53.56%
1.23			4	W Arnold - C Arnold, Portland OR	52.45%
0.92			5	Carol Van Dusen - Connie Spencer, Astoria OR	49.67%



Special Educational Program
(2nd floor Convention Center)

12:15 - 12:45 pm today: Dick Morris

"Super Accepting Jacoby Transfers"

no speaker between sessions -Join Margi Redden at the

I/N reception at the Holiday Inn Express 4:30-6 pm

Teacher Appreciation Breakfast
at Pig 'N Pancake this Friday at 9:30 am
bridge teachers, join Deborah Lackey!
Call her: 901-413-6411



TUESDAY AFTERNOON SIDE GAME

NORTH-SOUTH			SECTIONS O P			EAST-WEST			
A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C	
1		Samuel Jones, Portland OR; Brenda Glaze, Anchorage AK	421.66	1		1		Jeff Reynolds - Genie Reynolds, San Francisco CA	404.08
2		Robert Thomson, San Rafael CA; Martha England, Mill Valley CA	401.46	2		2		Hans Wandel - Joseph Habeich, Portland OR	387.22
3	1	Jim Windus, Vancouver WA; Louise Johns, Beaverton OR	383.32	3	1	3		Susan Wheeler - G Steve Wheeler, Castle Rock CO	386.88
4		Sue Boyle - Robert Moore, San Diego CA	373.56	4		4		Jill Entsminger, Henderson NV; Thomas Loveday, Sequim WA	370.48
5	2	Art Silvas - Lee Silvas, Renton WA	369.60	5		5		Patrick Kallaus, Holualoa HI; Barbara Kallaus, Kailua HI	365.34
6	3	1 Pamela Ann Kitto - Glo Klinger Williams, Stockton CA	355.52	6	2	6		Mary Perkins, Astoria OR; Teresa Jefferson, Seaside OR	363.40
7	4	Bill McGeary - Sheryl Clough, Clinton WA	351.10	7	3	7		Dennis Harms - Carol Harms, Corvallis OR	361.56
8	5	2 Linda Thomas - Darrel Mooney, Boise ID	350.28	8	4	8		Frances Gates, Waldport OR; Garry Lowe, Newport OR	359.40
9		Douglas West, Ocean Park WA; Sharon Crapko, Seaside OR	343.20	9		9		Diane Cullen, Beaverton OR; Sylvia Riewerts, Milwaukee OR	354.62
10	6	Nancy Swanson - Margot Leonard, Portland OR	328.18	10	5	10		Jo Ellen Amrine - Frank Amrine, Moore SC	351.68
		3 Carol Van Dusen - Connie Spencer, Astoria OR	322.88			6		Edward Stark - Miriam Witters, Happy Valley OR	350.04
		4 Erezia Connell - William Connell, Eureka CA	321.78			7	1	Ellen Waatainen - Gloria Shabbits, Nanaimo BC	348.16
						2		W Arnold - C Arnold, Portland OR	340.94
						3		Gordon Sawyer, Seattle WA; Allen Custer, Edmonds WA	309.50
						4		Betty Metzner - Rudi Metzner, Camas WA	305.22



Slow play ... is essentially an impolite activity.
Brent Manley, *Bridge Bulletin*, June 2009, p. 53

TUESDAY THREE STRAT OPEN PAIRS FIRST SESSION

NORTH-SOUTH			SECTIONS I J K			EAST-WEST			
A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C	
1		Frances Schenk - Jan Galey, Baton Rouge LA	457.64	1		1		Mark Itabashi, Murrieta CA; Steven Love, Laguna Niguel CA	457.97
2		Hendrik Sharples, Brush Prairie WA; Gerry Marshall, Las Varas Mexico	448.63	2		2		Jessie Brunswig, Kirkland WA; Jerry McVay, Lacey WA	446.67
3	1	James Wheeler, Ridgefield WA; Leslie Kelinson, Portland OR	419.87	3		3		Connie Marfell, Milwaukee OR; Duncan Smith, Victoria BC	430.49
4		Merlin Vilhauer, Beaverton OR; John Sather, Lake Oswego OR	417.28	4		4		Richard Carter, Medina WA; Craig Zastera, Woodinville WA	410.67
5		Albert Wilson Jr, Brookings OR; Suzanne Cook, McKinleyville CA	408.69	5		5		Bjorgvin Kristinsson, Minneapolis MN; Linda Wiener, Vancouver WA	402.58
6		Alan Johnson, Happy Valley OR; Barney Gorter, Milwaukee OR	403.48	6		6		Gustav Axen, New Westminster BC; Samuel Asai, Hood River OR	401.62
7	2	1 Deborah Lackey, Washougal WA; Stacy Walthall, Camino CA	402.12	7	1	1		Amy Casanova, Portland OR; Louis-Amaury Beauchet, Sherwood OR	401.44
8		Gerald Fox, Napa CA; Tom Jacobson, Fairfield CA	394.47	8		8		Gene Fomin, Glacier WA; Gregory Trautman, Olympia WA	398.17
9		Daniel Hoekstra, Portland OR; Connie Coquillette, Vancouver WA	389.61	9	2	9		William Wood - Jill Wood, Meridian ID	395.01
10		Marc Franklin - Mary Lou Moriarty, Portland OR	384.76	10		10		Ronald Tracy, Edmonds WA; Anne La Cour, Freeland WA	388.34
11		Sharon Bialek - Norm Bialek, Bellevue WA	380.85	11		11		Richard Carle, Longview WA; Merle Stetser, Honolulu HI	385.90
12		Mark Peterson, Larkspur CA; Cole Powell, Oakland CA	379.97	12		12		Greg Hinze, San Antonio TX; Dana Hastings, Baton Rouge LA	383.89
13		Julie Smith, Vancouver BC; Kate Montgomery, Portland OR	369.24	13		13		Leonard Wisbey - Bruce Brownfield, Graham WA	380.36
14	3	2 Faye Gilraine - Gary Gilraine, Vancouver BC	367.60	14		14		Suzanne St Thomas, Boise ID; Flo Savage, Beaverton OR	379.45
		4 Joann Okumura - Paul Lund, Salt Lake City UT	357.08			3		Lamya Agelidis, La Jolla CA; Christine Denny, Encinitas CA	377.51
						4		Janice Cook, Roseburg OR; Michael Sandahl, Oakland OR	343.05
						2		Thomas Kuehne, Bermerton WA; Nancy Sjoblom, Tumwater WA	341.65

ACBL D20
Goodwill Message

Discuss hands *after* the game.
Accept defeat and victory with grace.

If you win or reach a milestone, we want your photo!
Sam Jones will take photos Mon. 10:30-11 pm and
Tue.-Wed. 12:30 - 1 pm, 6:30 - 7 pm, and 10:30 - 11 pm
Deborah Lackey will take photos Thu.-Sat., same hours

MONDAY EVENING STRATIFIED SWISS TEAMS

	A	B	C	32 Tables	
9.80	1			Dave Westfall - Charles Bennett, Spokane WA; Peter Herold, Namaimo BC; Judy Harris, Salmon Arm BC	71.00
7.35	2			Bill Lawrence, Clackamas OR; Kathy Hansen - Michael Hansen, Vancouver WA; Ross Armour, Edmonton AB	66.00
5.51	3	1	1	Fred Parkinson - Lee Parkinson, Tacoma WA; Louis Akerman - Linda Akerman, Silverdale WA	58.00
4.13	4	2		Jim Burbidge - Linda Yount, Federal Way WA; Paul Evanoff - Wende Keirse, Kent WA	53.00
3.10	5			Trudy Hurdle - John Hurdle, Richmond BC; Gay Parrish - Jay Brandt, Bellingham WA	52.00
2.99	6	3	2	Candace Garvey, Sedona AZ; Bernie Widolff, Portland OR; Kathy Kuebbing, Newport OR; Terry Adamik, Boulder City NV	50.00
2.24	7	4		Donald Berry - Russell Page - Rita Beny - Neville Hircock, Victoria BC	48.00
1.86	8	5	3	Gale Gropp - Marjorie Sinel - Joan Peterson, Bellingham WA; Marilyn Knipp, Delta BC	47.00
1.26		6		Art Silvas - Lee Silvas, Renton WA; Paul Huntress, Auburn WA; Linda Longmire, Yarrow Point WA	44.00
1.40			4	Rajam Raman - Nat Raman, Seattle WA; Giff Kassebaum - James Kassebaum, Sonoita AZ	43.00
1.05			5	James Madison, Silver Creek WA; Susan Norton, Spokane WA; Patsy Neveau, Coeur D Alene ID; Linda Hacker, Gainesville GA	41.00

The Seaside Unit is raffling off several gift baskets (Coffee Plus, Champagne Bubbly, and Wine & Cheese), with tickets for \$2 each or 3 for \$5. The drawing will be held Friday. A second raffle for a free weeks's lodging in 2017 at The Lanai at the Cove can be entered for \$5/ticket, but that drawing will not be held until their summer STAC in August 2017. Funds raised will help fund electronic equipment for their weekly bridge lessons. The bridge teachers are Ann Marie Gramson and Sandra Baker.



TUESDAY RAZOR CLAM GOLD PAIRS FIRST SESSION

NORTH-SOUTH				SECTION L			EAST-WEST		
7	3	1		7	3	1	7	3	1
1			Jerome Gordon, Salem OR; Jane Miller, Calgary AB	1	1		N Dennis Berg, Santa Barbara CA; Arthur Levine, Goleta CA		165.91
2			Phyllis Sutter, West Linn OR; Jo-Anne Bowen, Vancouver WA	2	2	1	Richard Collingham - Tarene Collingham, Pasco WA		157.36
3	1		Marylee Webber, Hood River OR; Lynn Rosen, White Salmon WA	3	3		Toni Brown - Dawn Guenther, Eugene OR		151.18
4	2		Joan Eck - Theresa Eck, Seattle WA	4	4	2	John Shribbs - Patricia Shribbs, Petaluma CA		150.00
5			Linda Baker - Lou Arevalo, Spokane WA	5			Perry Cowgill - Blythe Bartlett, Vashon WA		144.64
6			Susan Moran - Maureen Steele, Nanaimo BC	6			William Elton, Kelso WA; Raynor Christianson, Burton WA		141.00
	3	1	Graham Budd, Cobble Hill BC; Marg Budd, Chandler AZ						
		2	Patricia Robbins - Orrin Robbins, Olympia WA						
1			Karen Allen - Robert Allen, Laurel MT	1	1		Vicky Fine - Wendy Saville, Eugene OR		160.50
2			Tom Cotton, Surrey BC; Marlene Sumi, Burnaby BC	2			Paul Mock - Patricia Mock, McMinnville OR		156.50
3			Kamlesh Batra - Shiv Batra, Mercer Island WA	3	2	1	Eric Blitz - Marilyn Blitz, Palm Desert CA		154.00
4	1	1	Richard Kennedy - Tony Alberts, Seattle WA	4			Elizabeth Cole, Naples FL; William Moore, Lake Oswego OR		152.50
5	2	2	Gordon Macnevin, Napa CA; Manny Suarez, Astoria OR	5	3		Karen Eveland, Lewiston ID; Lenore Hanson, Renton WA		150.00
6	3		Zack Woodbury - Mike Goffe, Portland OR	6			Karen Davis, Bend OR; Mary Thompson, Redmond OR		147.50
	4		Paul Miller - Marie Miller, Rockaway Beach OR			2	Walter Larsen - Sylvi Larsen, Portland OR		123.00



Doubling on trump tricks is the formula for success [in defeating a suit contract].
 Billy Miller, *Bridge Bulletin*, Oct. 2013, p. 59

SECTION M



SEPTEMBER 28TH IS "ASK A STUPID QUESTION DAY!"

In 2010, when a *Parade* reader asked Marilyn vos Savant if there truly is such a thing as a stupid question, her succinct answer was "yes"! Some of those submitted to her over the years were the following:

- ♣ *Why does a wool sweater shrink when washed? The same wool on sheep doesn't shrink when they stand in the rain.*
- ◇ *Why is it that all in those old mysteries, they always said, "The butler did it"? Were butlers really so terrible?*
- ♥ *I'll sleep better at night if you could explain why so many things taste like chicken.*
- ♠ *We have all heard the expression "Once in a blue moon." What other colors does the moon come in?*
- ♣ *I do not understand women. Would the study of quantum mechanics help?*
- ◇ *Is there a difference in the caloric burn of a 150-pound man sleeping alone (unfortunately) in a 60-degree room with the electric blanket set at 72 degrees as opposed to the blanket turned off, all other factors being equal? P.S. What happens if you add a woman?*
- ♥ *How fast is the Earth revolving? If it ever suddenly stopped, how far would a 200-pound man fly? Would I end up in Denver?*

RAZOR CLAM GOLD PAIRS (750/300/200)

9.42	7	3	2	31.0 Tables		
7.07	1	1		N Dennis Berg, Santa Barbara CA; Arthur Levine, Goleta CA	62.51%	
5.30	2			Linda Baker - Lou Arevalo, Spokane WA	60.85%	
3.97	3			Elizabeth Cole, Naples FL; William Moore, Lake Oswego OR	60.25%	
3.14	4			Phyllis Sutter, West Linn OR; Jo-Anne Bowen, Vancouver WA	57.08%	
3.99	5			Perry Cowgill - Blythe Bartlett, Vashon WA	56.28%	
2.36	6	2		Vicky Fine - Wendy Saville, Eugene OR	56.10%	
2.09	7			Tom Cotton, Surrey BC; Marlene Sumi, Burnaby BC	55.97%	
2.99	8			Martha Waldemar, Clackamas OR; Leonard Waldemar, Oak Grove OR	55.56%	
2.24	9	3		Joan Eck - Theresa Eck, Seattle WA	55.32%	
1.57	10	4		Penny Smith - Terry Smith, Warrenton OR	55.24%	
1.99	11			Karen Davis, Bend OR; Mary Thompson, Redmond OR	55.21%	
3.53	12	5		Betsy Brezel, Union WA; Judy Duning, Olympia WA	55.11%	
1.33	13	6	1	Zack Woodbury - Mike Goffe, Portland OR	54.92%	
1.22	14/15			William Elton, Kelso WA; Raynor Christianson, Burton WA	54.83%	
2.65	16	7	2	Kamlesh Batra - Shiv Batra, Mercer Island WA	54.83%	
2.01				Richard Collingham - Tarene Collingham, Pasco WA	54.61%	
1.83				Marylee Webber, Hood River OR; Lynn Rosen, White Salmon WA	53.54%	
1.99				Paul Miller - Marie Miller, Rockaway Beach OR	52.94%	
1.57				Carol Schmid Peterson - Barbara Bloch, Lake Oswego OR	51.89%	
1.25				Eric Blitz - Marilyn Blitz, Palm Desert CA	51.64%	
				Richard Kennedy - Tony Alberts, Seattle WA	51.61%	

TUESDAY RAZOR CLAM GOLD PAIRS SECOND SESSION

NORTH-SOUTH				SECTION L			EAST-WEST		
7	3	2		7	3	2			
1	1		Penny Smith - Terry Smith, Warrenton OR	162.50	1	1		Betsy Brezel, Union WA; Judy Duning, Olympia WA	171.50
2			Perry Cowgill - Blythe Bartlett, Vashon WA	152.50	2	2		Paul Miller - Marie Miller, Rockaway Beach OR	151.00
3			William Elton, Kelso WA; Raynor Christianson, Burton WA	148.50	3	3	1	Zack Woodbury - Mike Goffe, Portland OR	150.50
4	2		Joan Eck - Theresa Eck, Seattle WA	146.50	4/5	4	2	Carol Rosenthal - Keith Rosenthal, Sammamish WA	144.00
5	3		Claire Strachan - Judy Madge, Calgary AB	144.00	4/5			Karen Davis, Bend OR; Mary Thompson, Redmond OR	144.00
6			Phyllis Sutter, West Linn OR; Jo-Anne Bowen, Vancouver WA	143.00	6			Elizabeth Fullerton, Vancouver WA; Marodean Herzman, Gresham OR	140.50
4	1		Carol Schmid Peterson - Barbara Bloch, Lake Oswego OR	138.00					
	2		Richard Collingham - Tarene Collingham, Pasco WA	131.00					
1			Elizabeth Cole, Naples FL; William Moore, Lake Oswego OR	165.61	1				
2			Maggie Burke, Tacoma WA; Janice Nelsen, Puyallup WA	160.85	2	1		Linda Baker - Lou Arevalo, Spokane WA	176.45
3			Peggy McCormick - Janet Crossley, San Rafael CA	153.70	3			N Dennis Berg, Santa Barbara CA; Arthur Levine, Goleta CA	164.13
4			Al Taylor - Meredith McKittrick, Blk Butte Ranch OR	150.80	4			Martha Waldemar, Clackamas OR; Leonard Waldemar, Oak Grove OR	162.28
5			Michael Sehestedt - Trish Larsen, Missoula MT	139.07	5	2		Clarence Merskin, Sun City Center FL; Shirley Shane, Fostoria OH	142.68
6	1		Vicky Fine - Wendy Saville, Eugene OR	135.72	6			Marylee Webber, Hood River OR; Lynn Rosen, White Salmon WA	136.18
	2	1	Kathie Schriver, University Pl WA;					Susan Moran - Maureen Steele, Nanaimo BC	130.60
		2	Judith Hussey, Fircrest WA	131.31	3	1		Joanne Ruyle - Beth Unger, Portland OR	127.23
			Eric Blitz - Marilyn Blitz, Palm Desert CA	118.66		2		Patricia Robbins - Orrin Robbins, Olympia WA	127.09



Razor Clams

What do you know about your ACBL player number?

(Information 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.

Initial number	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
L.M. letter	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R

TUESDAY STRATIFIED 99ER PAIRS

	A	B	C	9.0 Tables	
2.22	1			Charlotte Riviera, Bellevue WA; Joanne Kerr, Kirkland WA	64.29%
1.74	2	1		Stanley Slete, Auburn WA; Robin Dowd, Des Moines WA	62.80%
1.31	3	2		Irwin Roberts, Astoria OR; Ruth Johnson, Warrenton OR	61.31%
0.98	4	3		Louise Nagel - Terry Nagel, Portland OR	58.63%
0.73	5	4		Patricia Armstrong, Boise ID; Marybeth Davis, Ketchum ID	55.36%
0.56		5		Barbara Balensifer, Warrenton OR; Thomas Stanley, Astoria OR	54.17%

NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION R			EAST-WEST		
A	B	C		A	B	C		
1	1	1	Irwin Roberts, Astoria OR; Ruth Johnson, Warrenton OR	103.00	1		Charlotte Riviera, Bellevue WA; Joanne Kerr, Kirkland WA	108.00
2	2		Louise Nagel - Terry Nagel, Portland OR	98.50	2	1	Stanley Slete, Auburn WA; Robin Dowd, Des Moines WA	105.50
3	3		Barbara Balensifer, Warrenton OR; Thomas Stanley, Astoria OR	91.00	3	2	Patricia Armstrong, Boise ID; Marybeth Davis, Ketchum ID	93.00
4			Jack Grasham - Debbie Grasham, Brookings OR	89.00	4		Vicki Sensiba - Greg Sensiba, Sequim WA	89.00
						3	Diane Eatherton, Philomath OR; Mary Moore, Corvallis OR	83.50
						1	Win Westfall, Folsom CA; Pat Westfall, Fulson CA	73.50



STRATIFIED 299ER PAIRS

TUESDAY MORNING

	D	E	F	13.0 Tables	
3.02	1	1	1	Charlotte Riviera, Bellevue WA; Joanne Kerr, Kirkland WA	66.36%
2.27	2			Frank Larson - Gayle Larson, Bend OR	65.23%
1.95	3	2		Janet Meister, Bellevue WA; Karen Trenner, Kirkland WA	63.64%
1.49	4	3	2	Vicki Sensiba - Greg Sensiba, Sequim WA	56.59%
1.10	5	4		Gordon Macnevin, Napa CA; Manny Suarez, Astoria OR	55.45%
1.06	6	5		Darlene Allen, Squamish BC; Denise Holst, Courtenay BC	54.09%
1.11		6	3	Carol Kato, Eagle Point OR; William NewComb, Shady Cove OR	52.05%
0.84			4	Fran Allen, Portland OR; Wendy Aisley, Beverly Hills CA	51.14%
0.63			5	Susan Vollmer - Jo Ann Saucedo, Federal Way WA	50.68%

NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION K			EAST-WEST			
D	E	F		D	E	F			
1	1		Janet Meister, Bellevue WA; Karen Trenner, Kirkland WA	140.00	1	1	1	Charlotte Riviera, Bellevue WA; Joanne Kerr, Kirkland WA	146.00
2	2		Darlene Allen, Squamish BC; Denise Holst, Courtenay BC	119.00	2		2	Frank Larson - Gayle Larson, Bend OR	143.50
3			Nora Laughlin - Donna Brooks, Juneau AK	117.00	3	2	2	Vicki Sensiba - Greg Sensiba, Sequim WA	124.50
4/5	3	1	Carol Kato, Eagle Point OR; William NewComb, Shady Cove OR	114.50	4	3		Gordon Macnevin, Napa CA; Manny Suarez, Astoria OR	122.00
4/5			Susan Servais, Bellevue WA; Sharon Riddle, Kirkland WA	114.50	5	4		James Ross Burwell - M Diane Burwell, Port Angeles WA	108.00
	4	2	Fran Allen, Portland OR; Wendy Aisley, Beverly Hills CA	112.50					
		3	Susan Vollmer - Jo Ann Saucedo, Federal Way WA	111.50					

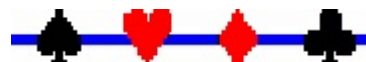


Plan a second bid before you choose a first.
Jerry Helms

TUESDAY AFTERNOON

	A	B	C	9.0 Tables	
2.49	1	1		Patricia Jacob, Wilsonville OR; Jane Urban, Portland OR	59.78%
1.87	2			A Bryan Craddock - Shirley Craddock, Nanaimo BC	57.86%
1.40	3			Beverly Walker, Vancouver WA; Salena Johnson, Portland OR	57.43%
1.67	4	2	1	Carol Koch, Portland OR; Geraldine O'Neill, Charlottesville VA	54.89%
1.25	5	3		Karen Klug - Norman Jacox, Portland OR	54.42%
0.94		4		Nely Johnson - Margaret Matin, Portland OR	53.23%
1.22		5	2	Joe Halloran - Ellie Halloran, Portland OR	52.55%
0.92			3	Virginia Retford, Sagle ID; Gayle Hanset, Sandpoint ID	49.29%

NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION Q			EAST-WEST			
A	B	C		A	B	C			
1			Beverly Walker, Vancouver WA; Salena Johnson, Portland OR	96.49	1	1		Patricia Jacob, Wilsonville OR; Jane Urban, Portland OR	100.43
2	1		Karen Klug - Norman Jacox, Portland OR	91.43	2			A Bryan Craddock - Shirley Craddock, Nanaimo BC	97.20
3			Frank Larson - Gayle Larson, Bend OR	89.84	3	2	1	Carol Koch, Portland OR; Geraldine O'Neill, Charlottesville VA	92.22
4	2		Nely Johnson - Margaret Matin, Portland OR	89.43	4	3	2	Joe Halloran - Ellie Halloran, Portland OR	88.29
	3		Karen Soutar - Jack Burch, Albuquerque NM	87.00					
		1	Virginia Retford, Sagle ID; Gayle Hanset, Sandpoint ID	82.80					



STRATIFIED 299ER PAIRS TUESDAY EVENING

	A	B	C	8.0 Tables	
2.36	1	1	1	Stanley Slete, Auburn WA; Robin Dowd, Des Moines WA	67.26%
1.77	2	2		David Wolfe - Elke Wolfe, Gold Hill OR	61.90%
1.33	3	3	2	Sandra Lindstrom - David Lindstrom, Mercer Island WA	61.01%
1.00	4	4		Patricia Jacob, Wilsonville OR; Jane Urban, Portland OR	56.55%
0.83	5			William Georgi - Jo Anne Georgi, Eleele HI	56.25%
0.71		5		Rita Schaulat, Novato CA; Susan West, San Rafael CA	52.08%
0.92			3	Jack Grasham - Debbie Grasham, Brookings OR	51.79%

NORTH-SOUTH			SECTION Q			EAST-WEST		
A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C
1	1		1	1	1	Stanley Slete, Auburn WA; Robin Dowd, Des Moines WA		113.00
2								
3	2	1	2	2	2	Sandra Lindstrom - David Lindstrom, Mercer Island WA		102.50
	3		3	3		Patricia Jacob, Wilsonville OR; Jane Urban, Portland OR		95.00

BRIDGE

JUMBLE



Unscramble these four Jumbles, one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.

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Check out the new, free JUST JUMBLE app.



THE BRIDGE PAIR ARGUED CONSTANTLY, SO THEIR OPPONENTS HOPED THEY'D

Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

(Answers tomorrow)

Active Ethics



A primary objective of the ACBL is to Continue the concerted effort begun at The Fall, 1986 Atlanta NABC to try to Instill in all players the concept that Vigorous efforts should be made to provide Equity in bridge.

Every player should take pains to make sure That the opponents have in no way been Harmed through incomplete or misleading Information as to the meaning of his/her pair's Conventional calls and treatments. An aggressive approach along these Lines on the part of each and every Individual will do much to ensure That bridge remains the game that You enjoy so much.



TUESDAY THREE STRAT OPEN PAIRS SECOND SESSION

NORTH-SOUTH			SECTIONS I J K			EAST-WEST		
A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C
1		Hendrik Sharples, Brush Prairie WA; Gerry Marshall, Las Varas Mexico	477.00	2		Frances Schenk - Jan Galey, Baton Rouge LA		434.00
2		Jessie Brunwig, Kirkland WA; Jerry McVay, Lacey WA	429.50	3		John Keech, Victoria BC; Kathy Bye, Burnaby BC		411.00
3		Jean Barry, Livermore CA; Nick Wiebe, Oakland CA	424.00	4		Bjorgvin Kristinsson, Minneapolis MN; Linda Wiener, Vancouver WA		406.50
4		Richard Carter, Medina WA; Craig Zastera, Woodinville WA	409.00	5	1	Daniel Hoekstra, Portland OR; Connie Coquillette, Vancouver WA		405.50
5		Nina Lubick, Laguna Woods CA; Robert Bjorge, Bellingham WA	399.00	6		Amy Casanova, Portland OR; Louis-Amaury Beauchet, Sherwood OR		400.00
6		David Brower, Portland OR; Margaret Peterson, Larkspur CA	398.50	7		Sharon Anderson - Roger Anderson, Eagan MN		399.50
7		Marc Franklin - Mary Lou Moriarty, Portland OR	386.00	8		Mark Itabashi, Murrieta CA; Steven Love, Laguna Niguel CA		399.00
8		Isabel Chernoff, Surrey BC; Insa Fricker, White Rock BC	382.50	9	2	Janet Wickersham, Sierra Madre CA; Danielle Le Blanc,		398.00
9		Gene Fomin, Glacier WA; Gregory Trautman, Olympia WA	382.00	10		Deborah Lackey, Washougal WA; Stacy Walthall, Camino CA		390.50
10		Donald Crozier, Bend OR; Harvey Bush, Klamath Falls OR	377.50	11		Gerald Fox, Napa CA; Tom Jacobson, Fairfield CA		389.50
11		Suzanne St Thomas, Boise ID; Flo Savage, Beaverton OR	376.00	12		Gustav Axen, New Westminster BC; Samuel Asai, Hood River OR		387.50
12		Connie Marfell, Milwaukee OR; Duncan Smith, Victoria BC	371.50	13		Albert Wilson Jr, Brookings OR; Suzanne Cook, McKinleyville CA		380.50
13		Anita Morse, North Vancouver BC; Sandra Robson, New Westminster BC	363.50	14		Jean Groome, Delta BC; Robert Walters, New Westminster BC		379.00
14		La Quitta Talbot - Herbert Fallin Jr, Keller TX	356.50	3		Julie Smith, Vancouver BC; Kate Montgomery, Portland OR		378.50
	1	Paul Harding, New Westminster BC; William Radford, Kennewick WA	354.00	4	3	Lamya Agelidis, La Jolla CA; Christine Denny, Encinitas CA		367.50
	2	Brian Thomas - Carol Kilmer, Portland OR	352.00	5	4	Faye Gilraine - Gary Gilraine, Vancouver BC		362.50
	3	1 Nobi Morris, Wenatchee WA; Karen Rise, Leavenworth WA	350.00			Helen Miller - John Penney, Lacey WA		339.50
	4	Richard Garvin - Paul Hochfeld, Corvallis OR	321.00					



TUESDAY EVENING SIDE GAME

	A	B	C	20.0 Tables	
5.69	1			June Hensala, Lake Oswego OR; Paula Strand, Kirkland WA	62.20%
4.74	2	1		Candace Allen - Robert Richardson, Clinton WA	61.22%
3.56	3	2		Carolyn Adams - Bert Adams, Steilacoom WA	58.71%
3.50	4	3		Stanley Harris MD, Olympia WA; Fax Koontz, Longview WA	57.08%
2.60	5	4	1	Shawna Cheney, Wailuku HI; Melinda Westgate, Mercer Island WA	56.97%
2.45	6/7	5		Nancy Swanson - Margot Leonard, Portland OR	56.64%
1.18	6/7			Brenda Glaze, Anchorage AK; Samuel Jones, Portland OR	56.64%
1.75		6		Barry Sorenson - Lucille Sorenson, North Bend OR	56.21%
1.95			2	Sandra Straus, Newport OR; Therese Price, Toledo OR	52.61%
1.46			3	Linda Thomas - Darrel Mooney, Boise ID	52.29%
1.10			4	Gary Griesmeyer, Tumwater WA; Larry Verrall, Mount Vernon WA	52.18%
0.82			5	Martha Jenkins, Kirkland WA; Lynne Phillips, Sammamish WA	51.96%

NORTH-SOUTH			SECTIONS O P			EAST-WEST		
A	B	C		A	B	C		
1	1		Stanley Harris MD, Olympia WA; Fax Koontz, Longview WA	262.00	1		June Hensala, Lake Oswego OR; Paula Strand, Kirkland WA	285.50
2	2		Nancy Swanson - Margot Leonard, Portland OR	260.00	2	1	Candace Allen - Robert Richardson, Clinton WA	281.00
3	3		Barry Sorenson - Lucille Sorenson, North Bend OR	258.00	3	2	Carolyn Adams - Bert Adams, Steilacoom WA	269.50
4	4		Donald Rahe - Ruth Rahe, Twin Falls ID	243.50	4	3	1 Shawna Cheney, Wailuku HI; Melinda Westgate, Mercer Island WA	261.50
5	5	1	Sandra Straus, Newport OR; Therese Price, Toledo OR	241.50	5		Brenda Glaze, Anchorage AK; Samuel Jones, Portland OR	260.00
6	6	2	Linda Thomas - Darrel Mooney, Boise ID	240.00	6	4	Edward Stark - Miriam Witters, Happy Valley OR	252.50
7		3	Gary Griesmeyer, Tumwater WA; Larry Verrall, Mount Vernon WA	239.50	7	5	Jo Ellen Amrine - Frank Amrine, Moore SC	244.50
8			Jim Windus, Vancouver WA; Louise Johns, Beaverton OR	239.00	8		Charles Burns - Gary Todd, Vancouver WA	244.00
		4	Martha Jenkins, Kirkland WA; Lynne Phillips, Sammamish WA	238.50		6	Gerald Brown, Vancouver WA; Cliff Allen III, Camas WA	238.00
						2	Donna Gering - Lynn Morgan, Vashon WA	196.00



TUESDAY EVENING STRATIFIED SWISS

	A	B	C	52 Tables	
11.57	1			Milton Petersen, Omaha NE; Billy Miller, Las Vegas NV; Dan Jacob, Vancouver BC; Peter Weichsel, Carlsbad CA	71.00
8.68	2	1		Edgar L'Heureux, White Rock BC; Chuck Irwin - Jack Johnson, Surrey BC; Diane Griffiths, Langley BC	64.00
6.51	3			Robert Micone, Tustin CA; Jin Hu, Wappingers Fls NY; Oren Kriegel, Chicago IL; Jonathan Fleischmann, Bloomfield MI; Aaron Jones, Oceanside CA	63.00
5.57	4	2		Fred Lundin - David Wigutoff, Astoria OR; Joseph Habeich - Hans Wandel, Portland OR	61.00
3.66	5			Anne Brenner - David Caprera, Denver CO; Polly Dunn - Patrick Dunn, Bellevue WA	59.00
2.41	6/7			Susan Stubinski - Bruce Wick, Houston TX; Harriet Smith, Solana Beach CA; Paul Darin, San Diego CA	54.00
2.41	6/7			Ronald Dennis - Patricia Dennis, Beaverton OR; Dawn Campbell, Portland OR; Robert Johnson, Tigard OR	54.00
4.18	8/9	3		Leeanne Creech, Snoqualmie WA; Betty Williams, Bainbridge Isle WA; Marilyn Helbig, Bellevue WA; Dana Lawrence, Kirkland WA	53.00
1.42	8/9			Barbara Nist, Seatac WA; Patti Hartley, Kenmore WA; Ken Scholes - Sandra Scholes, Bellevue WA	53.00
3.13	10	4		Michael Walker, Vancouver WA; Darryl Hendershot, Thousand Palms CA; Slava Simice, Comox BC; Marek Foff, Edmonton AB	52.00
1.05	11			Nelda Linman, Bend OR; Sharon Fauss, Central Point OR; Ray Lowe, Astoria OR; Kathy Downen, Boise ID	51.00
2.35		5		Allen Custer, Edmonds WA; Joseph Ulrich, Arlington WA; Krishna Rustagi - Gordon Sawyer, Seattle WA	49.00
1.54	6/7			John Jonas - Linda Jonas, Dana Point CA; Carol Armstrong, San Clemente CA; Judy Alvord, Laguna Niguel CA	46.00
1.54	6/7			Karen Couch, Destin FL; Sylvia Jackson, Edmond OK; Gayle Marr, Ft Walton Beach FL; Doris Needham, Navarre FL	46.00
4.29			1	Susan Bradford, Dallas OR; Ellie Hall-Pitzer, Keizer OR; Judith Ferguson - Irma Jean McKinney, Salem OR	44.00
2.82			2/3	Milt Mansell - Sharon Mansell - Linda Ellsworth - Bill Ellsworth, Calgary AB	42.00
2.82			2/3	Dan Masters, Colbert WA; Gregory Smith, Spokane WA; Linda Smith - David Smith, Corvallis OR	42.00
1.81			4	Dottie Larson - B J Kolkman, Spokane WA; Jack Smith, Chattaroy WA; Joann Scholtz, Otis Orchards WA	41.00
1.36			5	Brad Hanna - Jeanette Hanna, Clackamas OR; Lonnie Barron - Tammy Barron, Happy Valley OR	40.00
0.89			6/7	Judith Stewart - Carol Nystrom - Barbara Charlton, Vancouver WA; Kathleen Vasks, Camas WA	38.00
0.89			6/7	Erik Larson - Ann Larson - Joyce Willcox - Pat Moore, Corvallis OR	38.00

How to Be a Good Partner

Marty Bergen, *The Bridge Bulletin*, January 1984

1. Remember that this is only a card game. Have a good time and make sure partner does too.
2. Don't give lessons (unless you are being paid to do so).
3. Like partner and root for him/her 100 percent. Remember you and partner are on the same side... and [partner] wants to win as much as you do. It's OK to be nice to a partner you happen to live with.
4. When you choose to play bridge with someone, it is unfair to get upset when he/she doesn't play any better than usual.
5. Never say anything to partner unless you would want him/her to say it to you. ... Never "result" (criticize partner for a normal action that didn't work this time).
6. If you feel the urge to be nasty, sarcastic, or critical, excuse yourself and take a walk.
7. When you have time between hands, try to discuss topics other than bridge. Never discuss a hand just played with your partner except to clear up a misunderstanding in bidding or defense.
8. Think twice before verbally analyzing a hand (you may be wrong). Never assume partner made a mistake until the hand is over and you have time to think it through.
9. When asking another player about a disaster, ask about *your* hand, not partner's. Don't ever criticize or embarrass partner in front of others. Never side with an opponent against your partner.
10. If you are too good for a partner, or don't enjoy playing with him/her, choose someone else next time rather than being a martyr (but don't dump a partner unless you're sure).



◆ Between 1940 and 1944 the ACBL deducted up to 10 Master Points a year (*a lot at that time!*) from players who did not participate and win in tournaments. Thus Master Points provided a more current guide to a player's ability.

Alan Sontag, *The Bridge Bum*, 1977

Welcoming and Training Your New Puppy (Daily Bulletin, July 23, 2008, p.3)

Marti Ronemus wrote an amusing column for new players at the Las Vegas NABC. She spoke of how a pamphlet for puppy training could also apply to the care of bridge partners. See if you don't agree.

- Treat your new puppy with respect and love if you want an enduring relationship.
- Catch your puppy doing something RIGHT.
- Remember, sometimes you need to leave your puppy alone to play.
- Keep training sessions short, otherwise your puppy will lose interest.
- Small morsels of food are useful in modeling good behavior.
- Your puppy cannot learn a new command right away.
- Never use harsh words. Your puppy is trying to do the right thing. If he isn't learning, it's YOUR fault!

Remember, if a dog was the teacher you would learn things like:

1. When loved ones come home, always run to greet them.
2. Never pass up the opportunity to go for a joy ride.
3. Allow the experience of fresh air and the wind in your face to be pure ecstasy.
4. Take naps.
5. Stretch before rising.
6. Run, romp, and play daily.
7. Thrive on attention and let people touch you.
8. Avoid biting when a simple growl will do.
9. On warm days, stop to lie on your back on the grass.
10. On hot days, drink lots of water and lie under a shady tree.
11. When you're happy, dance around and wag your entire body.
12. Delight in the simple joy of a long walk.
13. Be loyal.
14. Never pretend to be something you're not.
15. If what you want lies buried, dig until you find it.
16. When someone is having a bad day, be silent, sit close by, and nuzzle them gently.



Bill Gates' Response

(on being asked whether it was humiliating to be so smart and rich and lose at bridge) "Warren [Buffet] and I love to play bridge.... very relaxing, great game, you can play it on-line. There are thousands of truly great bridge players that are way better than we are. You know, for amateurs, we're pretty good, but it's relaxation...it's a fun endeavor!"

The Harvard Campaign Launch, September 21, 2013, YouTube

SEASIDE BRACKETED KNOCKOUT TEAMS

50.21	1	Nanette Noland, Baton Rouge LA; Marc Jacobus - Geoff Hampson, Las Vegas NV; Mike Passell, Plano TX	BRACKET 1 12 tables 
35.15	2	Gaylor Kasle - Barbara Kasle, Boca Raton FL; Joshua Donn, Las Vegas NV; Ron Smith, Chicago IL; David Grainger, Roseville CA	
20.08	3/4	Ed Ulman, Portland OR; Linda Lewis - Paul Lewis - Jim Looby, Las Vegas NV; George Whitworth, Coarsegold CA	
20.08	3/4	Cameron Doner, Surrey BC; Brenda Jacobus, Las Vegas NV; Howard Epley - Karen Epley, Kent WA	
26.38	1	Donald Tofte - Edward Lee, Portland OR; Mark Smith, Milwaukee OR; David Green, Sherwood OR	BRACKET 2 12 tables 
18.47	2	Marty McCune - Mary McCune - John Swanson - Reidun Decker, Seattle WA	
10.55	3/4	Mary Allen, Peoria IL; Lori Moore - Ann Schuyler, Bloomington IL; James Milam, Idaho Falls ID	
10.55	3/4	Michael Moffatt - Vicki Moffatt - Doug Hansford, Surrey BC; Susan Peters, Vancouver BC	BRACKET 3 13 tables 
20.32	1	Danielle Goulet - Tony Farr - Eleanor Gibson - David Reid, Victoria BC	
14.22	2	Richard Morris - Katherine Morris, Beaverton OR; Jill Roberts, San Diego CA; Mariam Saner, Vancouver WA	
8.13	3/4	Dawn Campbell, Portland OR; Robert Johnson, Tigard OR; Patricia Dennis - Ronald Dennis, Beaverton OR	
8.13	3/4	Leda Fields - John Fields, Arroyo Grande CA; Edward Frymoyer, Half Moon Bay CA; Don Doolittle, Burlingame CA	BRACKET 4 16 tables 
16.34	1	Wayne Fahie, Saskatoon SK; Fraser Glen, N-Battleford SK; Bob Nell, Zehner SK; Rick Grieman, Regina SK	
11.44	2	Denny Gibson, Bellingham WA; Debbie Martignago, Pitt Meadows BC; Jim Garnier, Maple Ridge BC; Andy Hellquist, Surrey BC	
6.54	3/4	Layne Benben - Harriet Hegge - Ginny Kopacz, Portland OR; Terry Strand, Wilsonville OR	
6.54	3/4	Nancy Crawford - George Crawford - Mary Hepokoski - Peter Hepokoski, Portland OR	BRACKET 5 16 tables 
11.76	1	Michael Shuster - Shelley Mardiros - Carole Kirk, Banff AB; Joan Dupuis, Canmore AB	
8.23	2	James Stahl - Linda Stahl, Chagrin Falls OH; Edwin Van Dam, Portland OR; Edward Celnicker, Milwaukee OR	
4.70	3/4	Harriett Kessinger - Terry Nagel - Ralph Zack - Bing Kibbey, Eugene OR	
4.70	3/4	Bruce Boan - Peggy Boan, Mill Bay BC; Jane Wagner - Roy Wagner, Nanaimo BC	

Some Numbers Rules

2, 3 & 4: Guides to preemptive opening bidding, how many tricks you can be set for a favorable sacrifice against game – 2 (adverse vulnerability), 3 (equal), or 4 (favorable).

7: In defense, add the no. of cards of the suit in your hand and in dummy and subtract from 7 to determine the number of times to hold up an ace.

8: If your right-hand opponent opens with a weak two-bid, partner probably has about 8 points.

11: Vs. the opening lead of a “4th best” spot card, subtract its number from 11 to find the number of higher cards out.

15: (Cancino Count) Open in 4th seat if the number of spades plus high card count = 15+.

20: Add up your high-card points and the number of cards in your two longest suits. Open with 20+.

Just remember, though, “you can make some decisions at the bridge table by applying a rule, but the essence of the game is problem-solving: counting and drawing inferences.” (Frank Stewart, *Honolulu Star-Advertiser*, 8/10/12, p. D2).

Playing cards were originally pasteboards, made out of two thin sheets of paper pasted together with a black paste to help make the cards opaque. Two sheets had to be used because a single sheet would become transparent if a player had a lamp behind him. A player had to hold a card the right way up and looking at the full face of it. In the late 1870s, double-headed cards were first introduced.

John Clay, *Tales from the Bridge Table*, 1988, p. 185



News from Judy! Our Lady of Victory Parish (across the big parking lot towards the beach) will be serving lunch this week for \$6, including a drink. Today they will prepare chicken croissant sandwiches with broccoli/grape salad.

STRIVE FOR HEART HEALTH IDEALS

Do not smoke

Have a health body mass index (<25)

Be physically active (150+ min/wk)

Keep cholesterol healthy (< 200 mg/dL)

Keep blood pressure healthy (<120/80 mmHg)

Keep blood sugar healthy (< 100 mg/dL)

Eat a balanced diet

Do Eat

6+ servings leafy green veggies /week
 at least 1 more veggie/daily
 more than 2 servings of berries/week
 more than 5 servings of nuts/week
 extra-virgin olive oil rather than butter
 more than 3 servings of whole grains/daily
 1 serving non-fried fish/week
 beans > 3 meals/week
 poultry > 2 meals/week
 optional: 1 glass of wine/daily

Do Limit

Butter (1 Tbsp/day)
 Cheese (< 1 serving/week)
 Red meat (< 4 meals/week)
 Fried foods (< 1 serving/week)
 Fast food (<1 serving/week)
 Sweets (<5 servings/week)