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Jackie Doppelt Tops In Sacramento

Jackie Doppelt, a veteran Master peger from Vacaville, CA, took home all the marbles at the recent River City Open in Sacramento, CA. In besting the field of 132, she took home a nice 196 MRP's, in addition to a sizeable first place check. Her last match was with the streaking George "Ras" Rasmussen (WA). With the score at 2-1 in her favor, the 4th game looked grim, but holding a 3-3-4-4 hand, a 5 turned for the match! Nevertheless, in taking home 2nd, "Ras" picked up 202 MRP's (combined with a 37GP qualifying card), and this Grand Master has zoomed into the thick of the national MRP race.

Marilyn Andersen (CA) had a fine tournament as she took home first in the doubles (teamed with Marilyn McGrew), and came home 3rd in the Main event. Master Rick Rickmyer (CA) copped 4th. Reno's Mike Galante took qualifying honors with a nifty 38 17/22 +232.

Tad Pilecki (CA) won the Consolation, with Angelo Torrise (CA) taking home 2nd (he was 2nd in the Main Event last year). Boyde Horne (CA) and Master Rollie Heath (OR) finished 3-4.

Directors Bill Pope and Annett Eiffert hosted a bevy of satellite events, The winners:

Friday Singles: Richard Combie (CA)
Friday Doubles: Marilyn Andersen & Marilyn McGrew (CA)
Saturday Special: Roy Banducci (CA)
Last Chance: Jerry Montgomery (CA)
Team: Wardenburg, Hays, White and Mustain
All Events: Mike Galante (NV)

A highlight of the meet saw local Karen "Catfish" Shumizu plunk down a 29-hand in the Saturday night game. Oops, this gem was not in a sanctioned event, no \$100 from the ACC, but Bob Julian forked up a nickel for Karen. This was her first ever 29!

This event was extremely well run, complete with Tom Nohrden's first-class playoff boards (his calligraphy is top notch), an excellent bar-beque lunch (beef and chicken over a red-oak fire), raffles, and a food drive for the poor. Directors Pope and Eiffert even had an extra nice coffee and pastry bar. This is a four-star event...mark your calendars.

Mary and a 29-Hand!

The American Cribbage Congress & Cribbage World

The President's Column

Everett "Ev" Bey

Postal Service

When you ask cribbage players to do something, they respond!

Seeking to improve the US Postal Service's delivery of our "Periodical Class" monthly *Cribbage World*, I asked in October for members to fax, e-mail or snail mail me the date they received delivery of the October issue.

The response was overwhelming. I received 13 faxes, 48 e-mail messages and 97 letters...a total of 158 replies.

These were compiled by date and zip code. 5,921 copies were mailed on October 8 at the Minneapolis Business Main Entry Unit by our mailing service, and delivery ranged from October 10 to October 29.

I live in Sun City, AZ and my copy usually arrives the third week of the month. This time I received it on October 19, the same day Tats Tsuruda got his in Hawaii.

I sent the compilation to Paul Vogel, USPS Great Lakes area official at Bloomingdale, Illinois, requesting him to monitor our future mailings to determine whether delivery could be speeded up, be more prompt, hoping to discover where the roadblocks occurred.

If *Cribbage World* was given "first class mail" treatment as Postal regulations require, I figured delivery should have been accomplished within 7 to 10 days, at least by October 18th. Unfortunately, 66 of those 158 replies reported delivery after that date. This represented 42% of those responding.

If that percentage was true for the entire mailing, it indicates that some 2,400 *Cribbage World's* were received late...making much of the material obsolete and out-of-date.

This is unsatisfactory! Especially considering the \$1,300 monthly postal expense.

In mid-November I heard from Mike Stevens, a Minneapolis P. O. official, who said he would track our next *Cribbage World* mailing to determine that we get speedier delivery. We'll follow through!

Comments from ACCers was gratifying.

Randy Gregg, a resident of Chaska, MN, was surprised that CW was printed in Richfield, MN by Lightning Printing, only 40 miles from his home. Maybe that's why he received his CW first.

In Centralia, WA, Wesley Knuth's wife pencils the date received on each month's CW, ranging from the 6th to the 18th for the past five months.

One of our members, a postal worker himself, says he "aggressively sees that they're all out as soon as possible, 'cracking the whip' on his fellow workers to get them out Top Priority."

Robert E. Todd, Sr., Yuma, AZ, said his 17th date "mailing time seems to be a little long." Lou Roso, Modesto, CA, receiving his on the same date, noted: "It seems to be arriving later each month...correct me if I'm wrong."

Edgar Haron of Paradise, CA applauded: "Good luck on speeding up delivery."

PHYLIZZIE, an e-mail identification for Phyllis Schmidt in Williamstown, MA, hoped we would get a lot of responses.

"Keep up the good work and thank you for all you do from cribbage players everywhere," was a sentiment echoed by many...Janet Viands, Reston, VA; Linda Brandl, Wisconsin Rapids, WI; Bill Metcalf, West Covina, CA; Theresa Segal, Bedminster, NJ; William Wright, Novata, CA; Jerry Tardif, Milford, IA, and Richard Kachure, somewhere in NJ.

Adrian Levy, Lafayette, CA, insisted; "Please do something about the snail mail's delivery of my *Cribbage World*. It takes so long to get me that an anthropologist doesn't need to read the date on the magazine...he could carbon date it. Also, thanks for your monthly comments, they're insightful to read."

Al Tenenbaum, Cranbury, NJ, said: "Keep up the good job you are doing, even though frequently thankless." Henry Joly, Hollidaysburg, PA echoed his remark, adding: "Thank you for all you do for the members of the ACC."

Finally, an anonymous comment: "Maybe we could take up a collection from the membership to fund the resurrection of the Pony Express!"

Thanks to everybody for their participation and kind remarks. Now let's hope for positive results.

Keep peggin'...Ev Bey

Great Paybacks! K. C. Finley Tops Charm City

With 106 peggers in attendance, K. C. Finley, pegging out of Enfield, CT, "charmed" his opponents into submission and came away with the championship at the recent Baltimore Charm City Classic. And the win was well earned as his last match was with Phyllis Schmidt (MA), the ACC's highest ranking player of the fair sex (One-Star with 10,416 MRP's).

Danny Bennett (VA) nailed 3rd, with Michael Crowe (VA) taking 4th. Nancy Roncetti (PA) set the pace in the qualifying rounds scoring a nifty 33 GP's in the 20-game round.

Dave Ritchey, a Master from Orange City, FL posted an excellent 20 9/9 +196 Grand Slam in the Consolation qualifying round, but Larry Phifer (NC) prevailed in the playoffs to win the event. Life Master Rit Alkas (CT) took 2nd, followed by Henry Douglass (NC) and Joy Barnes (FL) in 3-4. Douglass and Barnes are both Masters. Alkas also had a qualifying-round Grand Slam (18 9/9 +103). However, Barnes topped his score with a 19 GP card, scoring three skunks.

The cards were cold in sanctioned play, as no 28 or 29's showed, but Rich Bryant scored a 28-hand in Friday's Early Bird.

Director Stephen Sattler reported great paybacks (over 100%) were realized through a sponsor and contributions by the Baltimore Cribbage Club. He also noted that some \$329 was raised by a raffle, the proceeds going to the "Supper Club"...an organization that feeds the poor and homeless.

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176 In Turtle Lake Myron Schmidt Cops Casino Action

Once again, Director Alan Lindner has attracted a full house to his St. Croix Casino cribbage matches in Turtle Lake, WI.

This time around, Myron Schmidt, Wykoff, MN came away the champion. In besting the huge field (176), Schmidt came away with 196 MRP's and a nice top prize. Larry Holtan (MN) nailed 2nd, and One-Star Duane Toll (WI) took home 3rd...and another 105 MRP's to add to his lofty 11,000+ lifetime mark. Al Bailey (MN) took 4th...and Minnesota peggers very nearly took all four top spots.

Charlie Rosenberger (MN) took top qualifying honors with a 36 16/22 +174 card.

Frank Danielski, a Grand Master from Little Chute, WI, very nearly earned his Life Master by running the table in the 108-player Consolation. He topped the qualifiers by winning 8 of 9, and then won the playoffs as well. Danielski now stands at 5,995 MRP's...needing but a scant 5 MRP's to earn Life Master. Director Alan Lindner took 2nd, followed by Master John Syftestad (WI) and Larry Phifer (NC) in 3-4.

Lindner's satellite events:

Friday: Doug Munneke (MN)

Saturday: Kevin Post (MN)

28's: Pat Kufahl, Jean Cervantes, James Parker

The three players scoring 28-hands were rewarded \$250 each, and 235 players scoring a 24-hand earned \$25 each. Munneke's Grand Slam in the Friday game earned \$100...for a total \$6,725 bonus paid by the St. Croix Casino.

Munneke had a weird weekend, as each match scored one less Game Point. Beginning with his nice 20 GP card, he scored 19, 18, and 17 on his next three cards. The 20, 18, and 17 cards were in 9-game matches, so his weekend was well rewarded.

Lindner is scheduling this event again next February...and the field is limited to the first 180 entries.

Grand Master John Chambers Tops Dante Club

With a sizeable 130 peggers on hand, Grand Master (and author) John Chambers, Providence, RI, came away with the win at the Dante Club Open in W. Springfield, MA on November 1. The win comes with 196 MRP's, in addition to a sizeable first place prize.

Veteran Grand Master Al Dinwoodie (RI) very nearly earned his Life Master by taking home 2nd. And Doris Perkins (MA) is knocking on the door for her Grand Master by taking 3rd. Donna LaFleur (CT) already has her Grand Master and by finishing 4th takes home yet another 105 MRP's. In addition LaFleur took honors in the qualifying round with a nice 22 GP card in the 12-game round.

A nice crowd of 66 players played the Consolation, and Grand Master Paul Gallagher (MA) came away the winner. Dudley Dumaine (MA), Larry Harmon (CT) and Master George Riley (MA) finished 2-3-4. Mike Aceuedo (MA) posted a very nice 14 GP card in the 7-game round to take qualifying honors.

Director Tom Fiorini reports that George Smith had the only 28-hand...and that this event continues to be one of the Eastern Region's most popular events (and one of the oldest).

November's Cribbage World Poxed

November's issue of *Cribbage World* really had a whammy! First, editor DeLynn Colvert was in Daytona Beach at the Grand National...and that put CW one week late. Then, with *Cribbage World's* stacked on the floor at the printers in Minnesota, nary a label could be found to stick on this issue to mail. Membership Chairman Jeff Monroe had mailed them via USPS and evidently they got lost in the mail. To compound the problem, Monroe's answering machine was inadvertently shut off and no message was received about the lost labels. To make a long story short, November's CW was finally mailed on November 24...some three weeks late. What next?

Post GNXVII Cruise Sails With 22 Peggers

Gene Biegler and Paul Barnes conducted a Post GNXVII Cruise out of Port Canaveral, FL to unwind from the hectic week of pegging in Daytona Beach. 22 peggers decided to do the same thing and they conducted a sanctioned event on board the cruise ship. Director Gene Beigler (WI) won the event, with Jack Brown (VA) in 2nd. Bob Julian (WI) and Roberta Schweig (IL) took 3-4. David O'Neil (GA) won the 16-player Consolation.

Stan Daniels Memorial Sharlene Medeiros Cops Portside

Some 116 peggers showed for the Stan Daniels Memorial at Portsmouth, VA in early October and Sharlene Medeiros, a Grand Master from Shrewsbury, MA came away with the win. She also scored 35 GP's in the qualifying round (2nd) and came away with 192 MRP's for the weekend.

In an oddity, One-Star Joe Bernard (IL) qualified first, and finished 2nd (1-2), and Medeiros was 2-1, as this duo ran away with the event. Mike Crowe (VA) and Jack Brown (VA) finished 3-4.

88 players went at it in the Consolation, and Rick Bryant (MD) took the win, followed by Grand Master David Clemmey (MA), Grand Master Ginny Danielski (WI), and Grand Master Paul Gallagher (MA) in 2-3-4. Marvin Lewis (VA) took qualifying honors.

Bernard's streak was aided by the ACC's 4th 29-hand of the season in the first game of the playoffs with Medeiros.

Director Richard McCormick conducted a variety of satellite events, the winners:
Friday: Lucille Simpson (NY)
Sat. Doubles: Rick Bryant & Carolyn Neste (MD)
Last Chance: Danny Bennett (Grand Slam)
28's: Joe Ramos, Tom Jacobs, Bernard Whitfield

This event was a memorial to Stan Daniels, a colorful pegger well known in cribbage circles. His widow, Gean, supplied her usual excellent pumpkin bread for breakfast both days. Director McCormick reports that he cajoled his 16-year old daughter Megan to play in her first tournament...and he reports that she played well!

William Kraatz Finally Wins!

William Kraatz has been playing in the Niagara Falls Open for 17 years...and he finally won! Kraatz lives in Niagara Falls and maintained bragging rights for the locals. Utah Walton (VA) nailed 2nd in the 61-player event. Two New Yorkers took home 3-4...Fred Schauf and Jack Marchand. Veteran Shamus O'Connor (NY) posted a very nice 39 GP card (22 games) to take qualifying honors.

38 players played the Consolation and Kathy Blough (MI) took qualifying honors (18 GP's in the 9-game match), but Harold Belles (NY) won the playoffs. Cindy Toussaint (NY) took home 2nd, followed by Maynard King (PA) and Peter Lerch (NC) in 3-4.

Karl Frey (NY) won the Friday Early Bird, and Cal Brown (NY) teamed with Bill Poole (NY) to win the Doubles. Director Nelson Wheaton keeps 'em pegging in New York.

12th Jesse James Open Tom Larson Cops Minnesota Meet

Tom Larson, pegging out of Minnetonka, MN won the 12th Annual Jesse James Open in Northfield, MN on November 22. Darlene Johnson (MN) took home 2nd, followed by Dorothy Schaefer (MN) and Al Greenlee (MN) in 3-4. Greenlee really smoked the qualifying round, posting an extra nuce 41 19/22 +262 card. This is one of the highest cards this cribbage year.

The Consolation played to 62 peggers...and the top finishers are all highly ranked by the ACC. First, the top qualifier was Russell Adams (MN), a 13th-ranked ACC player and Life Master, winning 8 of 9 to take honors. Veteran Knicky Kniech (WI) won the playoffs. The streaking Helen Railsback (NE) took 2nd...and is a Grand Master. Charley Parker (MN) is a Master and took 3rd. Tournament Director Alan Lindner (WI) copped 4th.

The Satellites:

Friday: Lyle Lund (MN)
Saturday: Larry Loupee (IA)
All Events: Emilio Perez (IL) (60 GP)

An unusual run of cards followed Dick Frost (WI) in the Main Event playoffs. He was involved in 8 straight skunk games. He won 1-3-5-6 by a skunk, and got skunked in games 2-4-7-8. And he very nearly got skunked in game 9, but a 24-hand saved his bacon.

Director Jerry Gruber reports that only Brett Fairbanks could score a 28-hand...and that in the Consolation event. And he was well-satisfied with the number of players that showed...114!

Jim Huser Cops W. B. Classic

Jim Huser, one of Wisconsin's most dedicated peggers, came away with the win at the 66-player W. B. Classic in Slinger, WI. Les Kvien (IL) took home 2nd, but the hot hand belonged to Grand Master Deb Schisel (IL). She took 3rd in the playoffs...and topped the qualifiers with a nice 26 GP card (14 game match). Life Master Bob McCabe (WI) nailed 4th. Larry LaGassie (WI) won the 40-player Consolation. Ethel Sherwan took home 2nd, with Kevin Bremmer (WI) and Sharon Schaefer (WI) in 3-4.

Helen Railsback Tops 372 In Reno

Helen Railsback, a veteran Grand Master from Syracuse, Nebraska, won the huge Veteran's Day Classic in Reno on November 15. The win came with 252 MRP's and Railsback's lifetime totals are now well over 5,000. As usual, she was wearing a gleaming outfit on Sunday and she bedazzled the playoff crowd as she pegged for the title. Marcus Hadley (IL) was her last victim, but 2nd paid handsomely and awarded some 196 MRP's. Mike Galante (NV) has been hot lately, and finished 3rd, followed by Kenneth Mitchell (CA) in 4th.

Robert Gromek (NV) has always scored well in Reno, and, once again, came home with the top qualifying score...38 17/22 +233. Gromek will be directing the upcoming Grand National XVIII in Las Vegas next September.

A whopping 256 peggers played the Consolation, and Annett Eiffert, a Master from Citrus Heights, CA, came away with the win. Wayne Steinmetz (WI) took home 2nd, and this Grand Master has zipped to the 5,600 MRP mark (lifetime). Gene Usselman (ID) and Gerald Hahn (OR) took home 3-4. James Nohrden (CO) took qualifying honors with an extra nice 22 9/10 +173.

The nation's MRP leaders were in attendance, but only Jason Shumate (CA) could take advantage of the MRP's offered. He finished 9-16 (70 MRP's) and has zipped among the leaders, standing at 500+ for this cribbage year.

The satellite events saw Deena and Michael Lowry (CA) winning the doubles (\$1,100) and Steve Harding (CA) winning the High Rollers (\$650).

Once again, the Sands had the red carpet out for the players, and directors Bill and Dorthalee Irons and crew ran a first class event, attested by yet another huge crowd. Reno, indeed, is the cribbage player's mecca! The veterans were rewarded by 15% of the entries, and this deduction was partially offset by the Sand's donating \$1,000 to the prize fund...and yet another \$1,000 for any 29-hand in the qualifying round. This time around, Angela French, Santa Ana, CA took home the \$1,000, plus another \$100 from the ACC for this gem. Four sanctioned 28's were scored: Michael Rowe (AK); Vernon Ward (CA); Edward Deveau (AK); and Deena Lowry (CA).

140 In Nashua, NH Frank Corrado Tops In New Hampshire

Frank Corrado, pegging out of East Hartford, came away the winner at the large New Hampshire Open on October 4. In besting this sizeable field, Corrado came away with 196 MRP's...and throws his hat into the national MRP race (standing at over 300 for the year). Jerry Bernier (MA) took home 2nd, followed by Master Fred McGibney (VT) and Master Paul Cormier (MA) in 3-4.

Yet another Master took qualifying honors... George Chase (RI). He scored a nice 20 10/12 +109.

Dick West, Attleboro, MA, is nearing his Grand Master by winning the 70-player Consolation. Joe Lasorsa (NH) had the hot hand in this event, taking home 2nd after qualifying first, winning 7 of 8 in the qualifying round. John Matthews (ME) and Grand Master Bob Drukman (MA) took home 3-4.

Director Al Miller conducted a doubles match on Saturday, and Stuart Levy teamed with Josh Dengen for the win. Earle Sweet scored the meet's only 28-hand.

Dave Gustafson On The Nose!

Minnetonka's (MN) Dave Gustafson has been knocking on the door for some time for his Master rating. He stood at 1,991. But at the recent Jesse James Open in Northfield, MN, he entered the Sunday's Consolation...and scored exactly nine MRP's...and his Master rating (2,000 MRP's). National Statistician Bob McCabe will confirm his numbers in next month's CW.

Joe Lusignan at 4,000+

Joe Lusignan, Salinas, CA qualified high and went two rounds in the playoffs at the Veteran's Day Classic in Reno to easily wing it over the 4,000 MRP mark...and his Grand Master. McCabe will also confirm his numbers in next month's CW.

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- 1- Robert Gillette, Chief Solano, Aug 8
- 2- Sam Shwartz, NE Inaugural, Aug 9
- 3- Beverlee Honeycutt, Redmond Sr., Aug 23
- 4- Joe Bernard, Portside Open, Oct. 11
- 5- Betty Schaeffer, GNXVII, Oct 18
- 6- Angela French, Veteran's Day, Nov. 14

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- Saturday, Jan. 23: 9 AM, Main Event, \$50, \$10 Q (incl. lunch),
22 games, 1 in 4 qualify for playoffs
- Sunday, Jan. 24: 8 AM, Main Event playoffs, best 3 of 5
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9th All-Star Game Slated

Central Region 3; Eastern Region 3; Western Region 2

With the Central and Eastern Regions tied at three matches each, and the Western Region with two wins, the upcoming 9th Annual All-Star match promises to be a close tussle. The match will be held at the Sands on Thursday, February 4. This match pits the top eight players from each region, playing one game each with the other region's eight players (16 games). The match will begin at 6:30 PM.

This year's match promises to be a close one as all three squads boast veteran, highly ranked players. Based on lifetime MRP's, the Eastern squad appears to be a slight favorite. This squad has amassed some 54,000 MRP's. The Western

squad's aggregate total is 48,000 (lifetime) and the Central squad has scored 42,000.

This year's match will have the same format as last year. The event will be strictly a team event, and with a \$100 entry, the winning team members will win \$300 (100% payback). For those players wishing to compete by individual scores, an optional \$20 Q-Pool will be offered. The top four will split the pot (40%, 30%, 20%, 10%).

The top eight players from each region are listed below, with three alternates. Each player should contact his/her captain to insure all players will be present (say "yes" or "no.")

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Correction...

Last month's *Cribbage World* reported that the Executive Committee had appointed Larry Hassett as assistant to the National Grass Roots Statistician, replacing Jeff Monroe.

This is in error. The Executive Committee does not make such appointments for the Grass Roots program. This is strictly the prerogative of the National Grass Roots Commissioner, Gene Mikulsky.

The Executive Committee discussed the fact that Monroe, Membership Secretary, had too much work to do and that it might be better if someone else in the Western Region would replace him as the Grass Roots assistant statistician. Among the names discussed was Hassett, who is now retired and has time to do more Grass Roots work. The Executive Committee comments were merely meant as a recommendation to Mikulsky.

Grand National XIX

Awarded to Eau Claire, WI

The ACC Board of Directors unanimously awarded the 19th Grand National (Year 2000) to Eau Claire, Wisconsin, where it will be capably conducted in a beautiful Ramada by Alan Lindner. Al has conducted many tournaments during the past several years, including successful ones at the St. Croix Classic and the Eau Claire Classic.

Grand National XVII Financial Update

Following the Daytona Grand National, tournament director Paul Barnes issued a complete financial resume for the 10 various tournaments that comprised the weekend.

The Grand National took in \$21,765 and paid out \$20,908. There are still some expenses to be paid and awards to be sent, but any money left over will be shipped to the next Eastern Region Grand National.

A total of \$51,430 in prize money was awarded.

71 players in the Main event shared \$19,135; 54 in the Consolation split \$6,270; 25 Early Early Birds divided \$2,848; 50 Friday Night players whacked up \$5,764; 6 Friday Night High Rollers split \$5,140; 26 in the Saturday Special shared \$2,943; 2 Saturday High Rollers split \$1,150; 25 Last Chance players shared \$2,777; 3 3-person teams split \$720; and 9 5-person teams shared \$1,905. In addition, 4 players won \$2,718 in side pools.

Check Those Decks!

The 16th game of the qualifying round at Reno's huge Veteran's Day Classic was very unusual.

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How to Win at Cribbage

by
Carol Henderson

When choosing the person with whom you'll fight,
Look for the one with the failing eyesight.
Always supply your own deck of cards.
Make it wild or unusual to throw them off-guard.
Select the board to fit your style of play,
If you do this right you could "make hay".
For example, plug the holes of the board (on his side),
He'll never score points, no matter how hard he tries.
To be adept at "hauling timber",
You'll want to keep those fingers limber.

If you want to win, you must know the score,
What combinations can make twenty-four?
Of course there's the six, sevens and eights,
But there are other hands that can also equate.
How about a hand with an ace and 4 sevens?
Now there's a hand that was made in heaven!
Another great set is 4 threes and a nine;
That hand will surely make your competitor whine.

Score a hand of twenty and that's still fine.
You can do it, you know, with 3-threes and 2-nines.
If you prefer use the threes, fives and fours,
These are all good hands, need I say more?
Don't forget the obvious - the nobs and the nibs,
Be sure to remember the flush in the crib.

If you have tried all of these and you still can't win,
There's no shame in losing - it isn't a sin,
Unless of course, you wagered some money,
Then you'll have to explain it all to your honey.
Your mate might understand, then again they may not,
In any event, you will have been caught.

So players, in closing, I wish you "GOOD LUCK!"
Keep on peggin' and make lots of bucks!

Leukemia Society Given \$5,571

Roy Boyles, Sacramento, CA has been making cribbage boards with the proceeds going to the Leukemia Society. He reports to CW that to date he has donated \$5,571 in memory of his granddaughter who passed away from this dreaded disease. He wishes to thank the ACC membership for their support and help in this project. (See his ad, this issue).

In the meanwhile, it's drill, drill, drill...

Pegging With Opponent's Pegs Rule Too Severe?

Donald Smith, Oregon City, OR wrote CW a lengthy letter discussing the rule concerning pegging with your opponent's pegs.

He feels the rule is vague and the penalty too severe. He feels a more equitable rule would be to simply move the pegs to the proper position and penalize the offender two points.

The ACC has an ongoing Rules Committee...and perhaps they will take a second look at this rule.

Goodell In a Rut

In October's CW, Gene Goodell (Portland, OR) was reported to have pegged 1-7-7, "Fifteen-two and a go" for 3, forgetting to take the pair. His opponent was Steve Hutcheson.

Would you believe that Goodell, the nation's no. 1 Grass Roots pegger, playing Steve Hutcheson once again (Nov. 21) repeated the same mistake!

What next?

Ventura Cribbage Club Rewards Players

The Ventura (CA) cribbage club rewards players who play a minimum of 18 weeks in Grass Roots competition!

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Hot Night In Grand Rapids

On October 28, GR 71, Grand Rapids, MI, had a hot night. Ward Hanna scored a Grand Slam...and Jerry Devroy scored his first ever 29-hand!

Devroy was wearing his Bronze Award ring for the first time...and CW bets he'll never be without it!



Bill Irons and Jack Shumate III display their trophies for their Main and Consolation wins.

Bill Irons Hot At Lake Tahoe Challenge

As the above photo indicates, Bill Irons, a Master pegger from Sparks, NV, came away with all the marbles (and trophy boards) at the recent 93-pegger Lake Tahoe Challenge. (Director Jack Shumate is shown with his Consolation trophy.) Not only did Irons win the Main Event, but teamed with the streaking Mike Galante (NV) to win the doubles event as well. Irons loves doubles at Lake Tahoe as he won with his wife, Dorthalee in 1996.

Newly-crowned Grand Master Roger King (CA) came close, but had to settle for 2nd place, followed by Ray Gonzales (CA) and Mike Galante (NV) in 3-4.

Veteran Grand Master Greg Schleusner (CA) added to his lofty 5,000+ MRP's (lifetime) by taking qualifying honors with a nice 37 16/22 +175. He was aided by a 28-hand enroute to this high score. (Marilyn Brown and Wayne Glashan also scored this gem).

Director Jack Shumate nailed the 47-player 9/9 Grand Slam and winning the playoffs as

well. Jack Monroe (CA) was the victim of this hot streak, but, nevertheless, taking 2nd wasn't all that bad. Roy Kaufman (CA) and Jerold Montgomery (CA) took 3-4.

Director Shumate conducted a bevy of satellite events. The winners:

Time Passer: Gordon Brown (CA)

Friday: Goldia Rager (CA)

Doubles: Bill Irons & Mike Galante (NV)

Saturday: Cynthia Brumfield (CA)

High Rollers: Richard Wardenburg (CA)

All-Events: Sundae Webb (52 GP's)

Brumfield's Saturday night win was her first...and in her first tournament!

Once again, Shumate awarded many handsome trophies. Clyde Ross's burlwoods and Carl Martini's brushed aluminum awards are first class.

Lin Bixby won the "No Sniveling" contest when her finger was smashed when a pegger rose for the national anthem, pushing his chair against her finger. (Murphy's Law again!)

ACC Constitution and By-Laws Amended

Article VII...Other Committees section of the ACC Constitution and By-Laws was amended by the Board of Directors at the Annual Meeting. The new Article, which is printed below, can be pasted into your copy of the document. It reads as follows:

ARTICLE VII Other Committees

a. Six standing committees will operate on a continuing basis. The officers of the Executive Committee shall appoint a member of the Board of Directors to be in charge of each of these committees as follows:

- (1) Tournament Rules/Guidelines Committee (National Tournament Commissioner)
- (2) Rules Committee (Chairperson)
- (3) Marketing/Public Relations/Publicity Committee (Chairperson)
- (4) Judges Program Committee (Commissioner)
- (5) Grass Roots Program Committee (Grass Roots National Commissioner)
- (6) Ethics Committee (Chairperson)

b. All members of the Ethics Committee must be members of the Board of Directors and all shall be appointed by the officers of the Executive Committee, and each region shall be represented in accordance with the guidelines adopted by the Board of Directors.

c. All terms of members of the committees expire at the Board of Directors Annual Meeting, and new appointments will be effective upon adjournment of the Annual Meeting.

d. Special (ad hoc) committees operating under guidelines contained in ACC regulations shall be appointed by the officers of the Executive Committee. Members of these committees need not be members of the Board of Directors. When the projects for which these committees were created are completed, these committees shall cease to exist.

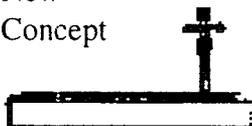
e. The Ethics Committee has the authority to suspend individuals, but all other recommendations of all committees must eventually be presented to the Board of Directors for action.

f. All appointments are revocable and replaceable by the appropriate individual(s).

(Adopted October 16, 1998, effective immediately)

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Western Region Wrapup

The Western Region had a multitude of tournaments this October and November. *Cribbage World* attempts to cover all sanctioned events, but the sheer number has overwhelmed our publication. Here is a condensation of these events:

Sept. 6, Labor Day Special, Roseburg, OR: Donna Hasset ran the table in this 74-player event, taking qualifying honors as well as the playoffs, earning 197 MRP's. Don Bakko (WA) took 2nd. Dan Hansen (OR) won the 54-pegger Consolation.

Oct. 4, Montana Championship, Missoula, MT: John Haller (OR) won this 93-player event, with Jack Perkins (MT) taking 2nd. Sharon Hejtmanek (MT) was top qualifier and finished 3rd, scoring 128 MRP's. Steve Daer (MT) took 4th. Gary Rose (WA) won the 62-player Consolation. Satellite winners: Mike McDaniel (WA); Jerry Goedert (WI); Todd Malmgren & Graeme Gossett (OR), doubles; Walt Conell (MT), and Jim Reilly (ID).

Oct. 4- Souther Lions Open, Medford, OR: Jim Broadhurst (OR) ran the table. He took qualifying honors and won the playoffs as well, taking home 150 MRP's. John Holseth (OR), Shari Wikstrom (WA), and Tim Hutsell (CA) finished 2-3-4. Ralph Reynolds was hot in the Consolation, being top qualifier and finishing 2nd. Rickie Mack (CA) won the playoffs.

Oct. 4- Gold Coast Classic, Ventura, CA: local Norman Nikodym won the 46-player event, followed by Mel Kranz (CA), Cy Madrone (CA), and Ron Hogle (CA). "Wes" Summers topped the qualifiers with a 35 GP card. Bill Bishop (CA) won the Consolation and Saturday night special. Doubles champs were Shirley Kelley (CA) and Tom Newland (CA).

Oct. 10- Feather River Open, Oroville, CA: This event was not listed in CW, but drew 96 players. Ron Sargent (CA) came away the winner, besting Grand Master Roger King (CA) in the final playoff. King also finished 2nd last year. Harold Sontag (CA) and Vern Kennebeck (CA) took 3-4. Annett Eiffert (CA) won the 42-player Consolation. Jim Langley (CA) won the Friday night game. 6 of the top 8 in the Consolation were women. Two 28's were scored...Carroll Johnson and Ruth Fraker.

Oct. 11- Colorado Fall Classic, Denver, CO: Ian Travers from Salem, OR nailed this 58-player event, edging Helen Railsback (NE) in the final playoff. Russell Nelsen (AZ) and Hilmar Krueger (NE) took 3-4. Travers was also high qualifier, and earned 155 MRP's. Cindy Widdowson (CO) won the 36-player Consolation. Nancy Warren (NE) took 2nd. The satellite winners: Earl Newberry (CO) and Iris Fuller (CO). John Hardy (CO) scored the only 28-hand.

Oct. 18- Coastal Gem Classic, Yachats, OR: Richard McNeil (OR) bested 44 peggers in the Main, and Betty Nolz (OR) took the Consolation. Paul Nolz was high qualifier in the Main. The satellite winners: Winona Johnson (OR); LaDonna Govenor (CA); Rosemary Hendricks & "Ras" Rasmussen (WA) doubles; Jim Gogolin (OR); and Betty Frost (OR).

Oct. 25- Ghosts and Goblins, Hermiston, OR: the streaking Betty Nolz (OR) took home the title in this 94-player event. Keith Blackman (OR), Bob Wikstrom (WA), and Bruce Wridge (OR) finished 2-3-4. Tom Anderson (OR) scored a 35 GP card to take qualifying honors. Irving Busby (WA) won the 66-player Consolation. James Abbott (OR) took 2nd. The satellite winners: Dorothy Westerlund, Jim Sime, Storey & Johnson (doubles), Mike Daniels, and Emma Clow. Bob Oriet earned his Master rating. Ken Capper and "Ras" Rasmussen scored 28-hands in this unique format (Halloween).

Nov. 1- Ship Ashore Open, Crescent City, CA: George "Ras" Rasmussen took this 47-player event, with Al Nelson (WA) in 2nd. Rollie Heath (OR) took qualifying honors (34 GP's). Jim Broadhurst (OR) won the 34-player Consolation. Bob Clark (CA) took 2nd. The satellite winners: Dan Mitchell (CA), and "Ras" Rasmussen. Marlene Stone and Jerry Cutsforth scored 28-hands.

Nov. 1- Abe Kealoha Extravaganza, Honolulu, HI: Geoff Dozier (HI) copped this 30-player event. Boyd McDonald (CA) finished 2nd. Thelma Weber (CA) won the Consolation (and the Cry Baby). Gil Abrigo (HI) won the GR event, and Mary Jane Esera teamed with Debbie Yoshizu (HI) to win the doubles.

Nov. 8, Prineville Lions Open, Prineville, OR: Lowell Bailey (WA) nailed this 74-player event (taking home 147 MRP's). Bob Wikstrom (WA) took 2nd. Bernie Saueressig (WA) and Paul Hatcher (OR) took 3-4. Joe Cover (OR) topped the qualifiers. Anne Haller (OR) won the 50-player Consolation, and Jim Hornbacher finished 2nd (and was top qualifier). Satellite winners: Clarence Van Orsow (OR), Larry Alderman (OR) & Bob Herrmann (OR) (doubles), Richard McNeil (OR), Gene Sissel (OR), Ralph Reynolds (OR) and David Gilkeson (OR).

In Memoriam

James K. Murphy

Englewood, Florida

Jim died recently in Englewood. A member of GR 29, he was well liked and will be sorely missed by his many friends. He had been a GR 29 member for the past 8 years, and had recently moved to Engelwood from New York.

Frank T. Schweig, Sr.

Carpentersville, Illinois

Frank died unexpectedly on his way home after attending Grand National XVII and the Grand National Post Cruise event. One of the ACC's great peggars, he very nearly won the national championship in 1986, finishing 2nd. He had earned 3,982 MRP's in a stellar pegging career. With his wife, Roberta, they were fixtures at events in the Central Region, and were a formidable pair. Frank will be greatly missed.

Carl W. Ferguson

Hurst, Texas

Carl passed away in July in Texas. An avid pegger, he had attained his Grass Roots Bronze award. He will be missed by his many friends and cribbage competitors.

Ralph Kern

Muskegon, Michigan

Ralph became ill at his Monday cribbage match, and died the following Saturday, just eight days before his 100th birthday. An avid pegger, he played in Muskegon, as well as Engelwood, Florida. He was very much a gentleman, and a formidable cribbage opponent.

LaDell Booth Schilling

Sparks, Nevada

LaDell was not a member of the ACC, but aided Bill and Dorthalee Irons with their semi-annual events in Reno. He was a WWII veteran, and active in Veterans activities, including the Reno cribbage matches. The ACC doffs it's hat to LaDell, dead at 75.

Floyd Smith Singing The Blues

Floyd Smith, Eagle River, AK, recently wrote CW concerning his worse night pegging ever. On September 29, he won his first three games...and then proceeded to lose 15 in a row. The last 9-game match saw him go 0-9-172.

Aw, come on, Floyd, that ain't so bad. CW received word from the Gold Coast Classic in Ventura, CA, that some poor soul lost his first 21 games...and managed to ruin his "perfect card" by winning his 22nd, and last, game! Ed.

Glory Be! A Price REDUCTION!

Jeanne Hofbauer writes CW that the advertised price of rooms at Howard Johnson's in Portland has been changed from \$60 (singles and doubles) to \$50! How's that, cribbage fans? CW predicts that this Portland Winter Open will draw upwards to 200 players (and maybe more now that you can save \$20 on your motel bill!)

Schmidt and Hyndman Get Kudos

A letter from George Bickford, National Tournament Commissioner:

Due to a previous committment, I was unable to attend GNXVII. I received a program in the mail and while reading thought it, I came to the page "Grand National XVII Sponsors and Supporters."

On this page there was special thanks to sponsors and to those who donated various items to the GN. Also listed, were the tournaments that participated in the 50/50 drawings.

There were 28 tournaments who participated. Of these 28, 21 were in the Northeast region.

At these 21 tournaments, the 50/50 raffle was conducted by two great ladies, who deserve the same recognition as those in the program.

Congratulations and thanks to **Phyllis Schmidt and Isabelle Hyndman** for a job well done!!

Tuckett-Hardardt Tie Knot In Reno

On Friday, November 12, Julie Tuckett amd George Hardardt, Jr. were married in Reno. This duo had a wedding reception at the Sands in a penthouse suite. Many peggars on hand for the Veteran's Day Classic were in attendance, as well as many family friends.

Julie and George reside in the San Diego area, and are very active with their cribbage (Julie is the director of the annual "Peg For The Border Open.")

Cribbage fever, catch it!

Grass Roots

South Boston, Ma Club 109 Doris Perkins
We haven't had a 29 hand in a long time, and this year in September, Joan Morrison had a 28 hand and emptied half the skunk pot which had been hit several times in the summer months

On the 7th of October, Vinnie Ciccone had a 29 hand and cleared it altogether. Many of our club were in Daytona, so the pot didn't collect a lot, when on October 21st Fayann Salerno had a 29 hand and took home \$1.75.

Grass Roots #109 has moved to the Randolph Elks Club. Our new address is 21 School Street, Randolph, MA. Handicap accessibility was our biggest need, but the fact that the atmosphere is much nicer and the people friendlier certainly adds to the enjoyment of the evening. We have 40 registered players and will add a few more shortly from the Elks.

It is like putting a mini-tournament on each week, but I have lots of help.

Boise Idaho Club 202 Don Kunz
Prior to the start of the real season our club played "Bind Draw" doubles. Eddie Edwards and Dor Kunz were paired for the event. This team scored a grand slam card with 171 plus points. Needless to say the score cards has been enlarged and framed for viewing. What are the odds of a grand slam doubles card?

Pittsburg CA Club 54 Mary Gladish
The easiest way to get down Fourth Street is with a 28 hand. Two Fourth Street "Terrorist" did this in back to back weeks. Tony Haag on 11/9/98 and Sundae Webb on 11/2/98.

Fremont CA Club 43 Jay Snyder
Ben Holder gets 28 hands on two successive weeks. The second when playing Barbara Ruiz.

River City Peggers Club 162
No respect for last years club champion, Annett Eiffert has yet to get a Grass Roots point this year. Reports are she's scoring high in A.C.C. tournaments.

Starting a New Grass Roots Club?
Need help? Contact:
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'97-'98 ACC Financial Statement

According to the 1997-1998 financial statement, ending June 30, 1998, filed by ACC treasurer Fred McGibney at the Annual Meeting, the association's equity increased some \$6,000 over the previous year, to \$66,103.61, with total assets of \$69,304.09.

Total income for '97-'98 was \$80,933.46 and total expenses were \$76,050.98, showing a net profit of \$4,937.48 for the year.

The ACC Board of Directors also approved an \$80,229.57 budget for the 1998-1999 year, anticipating a \$5,609.31 net profit over anticipated \$76,620.26 expenses.



2 Yr. Comparative Balance Sheet by Year (Includes unrealized gains) As of 6/30/98

Acct	6/30/97 Balance	6/30/98 Balance
ASSETS		
Cash and Bank Accounts		
CHECKING-Merchants Bank	12,212.02	15,717.73
FD Invst. Acc-Merchants Bank	15,345.33	16,067.27
SAVINGS-Merchants Bank	6,757.62	6,926.62
Total Cash and Bank Accounts	34,314.97	38,711.62
Other Assets		
Advance-Due from Crib Gen Pgm	0.00	0.00
Asset-Due fro Memb. Sec.	0.00	1,900.00
Due From C-W-Advance	2,500.00	2,500.00
Due from Dues-Min Bal Advance	900.00	900.00
Total Other Assets	3,400.00	4,400.00
Investments		
CD # 1001288-Merchants Bank	12,402.88	13,004.98
CD #1001015-Merchants Bank	12,576.93	13,187.49
CD #1001023-Merchants Bank	0.00	0.00
Total Investments	24,979.81	26,192.47
TOTAL ASSETS	62,694.78	69,304.09
LIABILITIES & EQUITY		
LIABILITIES		
Other Liabilities		
Restricted Fund-Crib Gen & Jr.	2,528.65	3,200.48
Total Other Liabilities	2,528.65	3,200.48
TOTAL LIABILITIES	2,528.65	3,200.48
EQUITY	60,166.13	66,103.61
TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY	62,694.78	69,304.09

ACC AMERICAN CRIBBAGE CONGRESS

Profit & Loss Comparison

7/1/96 Through 6/30/98

Category Description	7/1/97- 6/30/98	7/1/96- 6/30/97
INCOME/EXPENSE		
INCOME		
Advertising-Cribbage World	6,923.25	4,003.25
Donations-Unrestricted	0.00	0.00
Dues-Membership	36,734.00	42,733.00
Gifts-Restricted		
Crib Gen-Donations	1,142.72	587.45
Jr. Program-Donations	288.00	419.00
Total Gifts-Restricted	1,430.72	1,006.45
Interest-Income	2,103.60	1,508.63
Miscellaneous-Income	0.00	1.20
Sales-Rulebooks	1,184.00	1,175.00
Sanction Fees-Tournaments	31,614.00	29,446.00
Web Page-Sponsorship	240.00	240.00
Income - Other	758.89	671.47
TOTAL INCOME	80,988.46	80,785.00
EXPENSES		
29 Hand Cash-Awards	2,300.00	1,500.00
ACC Statistia-McCabe	501.95	0.00
Certificates-28-29 Hand Awards	439.30	372.40
Cribbage World	38,194.01	36,025.01
D&O Insurance-Off. & Dir. Liability Ins	1,300.00	1,300.00
Data Processing-Equipment & Software	3,792.42	3,718.39
Election-Expense	500.00	0.00
Ethics Committee	0.00	252.51
Expenses-Other	387.95	210.54
Grand-National Tournaments		
Awards-Grand National	2,289.00	3,457.04
Grand National-Subsidy	300.00	2,000.00
Total Grand-National Tournament	2,689.00	5,457.04
Hall Of Fame:		
Photo Expense	0.00	244.74
Voting Expense	0.00	35.00
Total Hall Of Fame	0.00	279.74
Jr. Tournament-Sponsorships	758.89	671.47
Membership-Administration	9,385.12	10,366.63
Officer-Expense Reimbursements:		
Bernard-Mid-West Tourn. Comm.	325.24	171.54
Bey-President	555.99	384.70
Bickford East-Eastern Tournament Comm	303.96	558.66
Fingleton	34.29	171.37
Hatcher Ethics-Chair - Ethics Committee	265.73	0.00
Hatcher Policy-VP Policy	128.01	0.00
Hoffbauer-Tournament Comm-Western	812.38	831.83
Koolstra-EVP	0.00	80.25
Lullskald-EVP	135.48	292.15
Ramos-V.P. Operations	75.37	243.18
Reh-Secretary	204.18	0.00
Total Officer-Expense Reimbursements	2,840.63	2,733.68
Promotion-& Marketing		
ACC Banners-For Tournaments	2,255.01	0.00
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TOTAL EXPENSES	76,050.98	66,135.58
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New Judges

These new Judges are certified using the ACC Book of Rules:

Irving Busby, Spokane, WA
Holly Darfler, Porter Corners, NY
Bob Diehl, Leadville, CO
Norman Nikodym, Ontario, CA
Vaida Stevens, Oroville, CA
Lloyd Stinson, Tacoma, WA
John Wallen, Glendale, AZ

Effective August 1, 1998, the Judges Certification and Recertification exams will be directed towards the 1998 Rule Book. Please do not seek the new Rule Books from your Testing Examiner. As a reminder to take the ACC Judges Examination, send \$3 to: Al Miller, 12 Michael Ave., Nashua, NH 03062-1418.

An Apology

My article in last month's *Cribbage World* on the Grass Roots controversy which culminated at the Daytona Beach annual meeting of the Board of Directors used a bad choice of words in describing the incident. The word "renegade" definitely was not meant to apply to Gene Mikulsky or any other individual involved in the matter. However, after being called a "liar" 20 or 30 times during the public meeting, I suppose I was a little hot under the collar when I got home and wrote the article.

*Regretfully,
Ev Bey*

Corrections

CW listed the winner of the Carson Valley Open in Minden, NV as Ron Wright. His correct name is **Ronald Wrightman (CA)**.

Leonard Goldman (CA) won the Chief Solano Open in Fairfield, CA on August 8...not Jay Snyder as reported.

Sloppy reporting by tournament directors causing errors in reporting disappoints those who have earned honors and didn't receive them. *Cribbage World* makes enough mistakes on its own without compounding the problem. CW needs everyone's cooperation in getting information accurately. CW thanks all our hard-working tournament directors for any extra effort to make their reports readable...and accurate!

Judges Make Mistakes

Just because an individual passes an open book exam does not make that person proficient at making on the spot decisions.

At the recently held Portside Tournament, I received complaints regarding three judges involving rulings that were made.

The decisions that were made were totally incorrect!

The first incorrect ruling was regarding a renege. When a renege is discovered: within Rule VII Section 3 it states...the non-offending player receives two points for each card that singly could have been played (Judges confirm number of cards). This means that if a player could have played two cards his opponent would be entitled to 4 points of penalty, two for each card, and the cards are removed from the hand.

The Judges wrongly ruled that only one card was penalized, not both cards.

The second incorrect ruling was regarding order of counting.

Rule IX Section 2. Order of counting. Paragraph C states: if the dealer should count his/her hand and peg it correctly before the pone pegs his/her score, **there is no penalty**, but the dealer must retract the points, allow the pone to peg his/her score and then the dealer may peg his/her score.

The judges wrongly penalized the dealer for improperly touching pegs.

The third incorrect ruling was playing a card that exceeded 31.

Rule VII Section 1, the order of play, paragraph E states: A single card which has been released by the fingers is considered played whether or not the count has been announced, and may be retrieved only if it would cause the count to exceed 31.

With the count at 26, a player played a six and stated 31. The judges were summoned and discovered the player had a five in his/her hand and ruled a renege. The correct ruling would have been to retrieve the six that was played and play the five that would have covered the 31 count as stated.

Another bad ruling. Judges can be removed from the certified listing if complaints keep coming in on those making incorrect rulings. **Judges...be careful!**

*Al Miller
Testing Examiner*

Long, Long Odds...And It Doesn't Count!

On November 10th in Westwood, MA, the Senior Cribbage Club was hard at a doubles match. Fred Slotnick did the impossible! He scored a 29-hand (he was dealt the standard five cards in doubles, not the six cards that singles players receive...making the odds very, very long, indeed).

But to make the story grim...he couldn't count this gem. The other team pegged out before he could count it!

Tournament of Champions In 2000 and 2007

Why would anyone be looking forward to the Tournament of Champions in the year 2000 and 2007?

Brian Folz, Yreka, CA, and Jason Hofbauer, Washougal, WA are two junior peggers who will be eligible to play in the year 2000 (you must be 21 to play in Reno). And in the year 2007 Bobby Grossman, Succasunna, NJ, will be eligible.

TOC Director Joan Rein extends congratulations to this trio...and says she will be looking forward to their playing in this prestigious event.

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1 Year Invites

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A winner of a Sanctioned event (Main or Consolation)

Top 10% of Grass Roots three divisions

Champion of Grass Roots club

Grass Roots National Tournament winner

Grass Roots Regional Tournament Winner

Anyone with as many Master Rating Points as the 50th player in a region

3 Year Invites

Top 50 Master Points rated players from each region

10 Year Invites

Champion of Tournament of Champions

Automatic Invites

Anyone reaching a Masters rating before the end of the season

Anyone reaching a Bronze rating in Grass Roots before the end of the season

In addition, you must be a member of the **American Cribbage Congress**. If you will **not** be 21 by the time the TOC is played you will receive a deferment, but only if you notify Joan Rein, PO Box 306, Carver, MN 55315 by mail or CRIBAGLADY@aol.com by Email.

Feast Or Famine In Alaska

Recently, Floyd Smith has gone 0-9..twice, and Tony Chiarro had the horse collar once (0-9). But on October 27, Chiarro scored a 29-hand and finished 2nd in the match. Chris Kim scored a grand slam 9/9 to take honors. Henry Carle keeps 'em pegging way up north!

Tournament Trail

Upcoming Sanctioned Events

Abbreviation Keys:	EF: Entry fee	LC: Last Chance
	EB: Early Bird	DBL: Doubles
	SatS: Saturday Special	SGL: Singles
	Cons: Consolation	HR: High Roller

January 8-10, Virginia Championship

Howard Johnson, 2401 W. Hundred Rd., Chester, VA 23831. EF: \$50, \$20 Q. Coffee, Sat. lunch. FriDBL, HR, SatS, Cons, LC. Hosp. Room. Contact: Rick Allen, 3013 Laddria Dr., Richmond, VA 23225. (804) 323-7476. Co-D: Matt Easterbrook, Andy Hulcher.

January 8-10, Portland Winter Open, Ray Van Orsow Memorial

Howard Johnson Airport Hotel, 7101 NE 82nd Ave., Portland, OR. EF: \$50, \$10 Q. Lunch, coffee, donuts. FriTPEB, FriDBL, FriHR, SatS, Cons, LC. Contact: Dot Mickow, 16500 SE 1st #158, Vancouver, WA 98684. (360) 944-9701. Co-D: Ken Julkowski (503) 788-6907.

January 10, 1999, Hawaii Open

Murphy's Bar & Grill, 2 Merchant St., Honolulu, HI 96813. EF: \$30. \$2 to charity. Coffee, lunch. Cons. Contact: Tsarkie, 3261 Kilihune Pl., Honolulu, HI 96816. (808) 734-4800. Co-D: Kathy Tsark, Fred White.

January 15-17, 1999, Washington Champ.

Moose Lodge, 1400 Grand Ave., Centralia, WA 98531. EF: \$50, \$10 Q. \$3 to charity. Lunch incl. Coffee & refreshments (by donation). FriEB, HR, DBL, SatS, Cons, LC. Contact: George "Ras" Rasmussen, 1100 Cobra Lane, Centralia, WA 98531. (360) 360-807-8392. Co-D: Rosemary Hendricks (360) 273-7151.

January 15-17, Pacific Coast Championship

Salinas Moose, 11 Monterey St., Salinas, CA 93901. EF: \$60, \$10 Q. FriSGL, SatS, All-E, Cons. Contact: Ross Njaa, 1258 Riker St., Salinas, CA 93901. (831) 422-2024. Co-D: Mel Ashley, PO Box 771, Marino, CA 93933.

January 15-17, Georgia Open

Holiday Inn Augusta, 1075 Stevens Creek Rd., Augusta, GA 30907. EF: \$55. \$2 to charity. Lunch. FriEB, SatS, Cons, LC. Contact: George Dean, 208 Tremont Way, Augusta, GA 30907-3809. (706) 860-4898. Co-D: Patricia Goad.

January 22-24, North Pole Open

Ramada Inn, 200 N. Perkins, Appleton, WI 54914. EF: \$55, \$15 Q. Sat. lunch. FriEB, Fri 1-game elim., SatS, Cons. Contact: Gene & Aggie Mikulsky, 7620 Lower Rd., Sobieski, WI 54171. (920) 822-5394.

January 22-24, Kah-Nee-Ta Classic

Kah-Nee-Ta Resort, PO Box K, Warm Springs, OR 97761. EF: \$50, \$10 Q. Coffee, pastries, lunch. FriTP, FriEBDBL, FriHR, Cons. Contact: Jim Waldorf, 2565 SW Bear Dr., Madras, OR 97741. (541) 475-3992. Co-D: Carroll Evans.

January 24, 10th Super Lite Classic

Dante Club, Memorial Ave., W. Springfield, MA 01089. EF: \$45, \$10 Q. \$1 to charity. Coffee, lunch. Cons. Contact: Charlie Finley, 16 Carol St., Enfield, CT 06082. (860) 745-1143. Co-D: James Law.

Feb. 5, ACC Tournament of Champions
Sands, Reno, By invite only.

Feb. 6-7, ACC Open

Sands, 345 N. Arlington, Reno, NV 89501. EF: \$60, \$20 Q. Coffee, pastries. Cons. \$3,500 added by Sands. Contact: Scott Kooistra, 906 Mulberry, Yankton, SD 57078. (605) 665-8016. Co-D: Roy & Jeanne Hofbauer (360) 835-3623.

February 12-14, Hampton Rd. Ed Horigan Mem.

Portside Holiday Inn, 8 Crawford Pkwy., Portsmouth, VA 23704. EF: \$57, \$20 Q. \$2 to charity. Coffee, lunch. FriEB, HR, SatS, Cons, LC. Contact: Marvin Lewis, 4065 Cory Lane, Chesapeake, VA 23321. (757) 488-1920. No Walk-ins.

February 13, Valentine's Day Open

Antioch Senior Ctr., 415 W. Second St., Antioch, CA 94509. EF: \$52, \$10 Q. \$3 to charity. Coffee, donuts. Cons. Contact: Sundae Webb, 221 Pheasant Cr., Pittsburg, CA 94565. (925) 439-0744. Co-D: Mitch Mitchell, Mike Wiley.

February 14, 2nd MN Valentine Special

Keller Lake Lounge, 2280 Maplewood Dr., Maplewood, MN 55417. EF: \$48 (incl. \$10 Q). Cons. Contact: Jerry Gruber, 5121 Nokomis Ave S., Minneapolis, MN 55417. (612) 722-1292. Co-D: Al Booth (612) 783-7042, Todd Schaefer (612) 699-5878.

February 19-21, St. Croix Casino Classic

St. Croix Casino, 777 Hwy 8, Turtle Lake, WI 54889. EF: \$55, \$15 Q. Coffee, soda, lunch. FriEB, SatS, Cons. 24, 28, 29 hand. GS prizes. Contact: Al Lindner, 122 N. main St., PO Box 9, Greenwood, WI 64437. (715) 267-7629.

February 20, Willows Open

Willows Elks Lodge, 150 Shasta St., Willows, CA. 95988. EF: \$40, \$10 Q. \$1.50 to charity. Coffee, lunch. No Cons. Contact: Carl Martens, 1025 W. Wood St., Willows, CA 95988. (530) 934-7961.

February 21, 1999, Hawaii Open

Murphy's Bar & Grill, 2 Merchant St., Honolulu, HI 96813. EF: \$30, \$2 to charity. Contact: Tsarkie, 3261 Kilihune Pl., Honolulu, HI 96816. (808) 734-4800. Co-D: Kathy Tsark, Fred White.

February 26-28, Greater Orlando Open

Travelodge, 5711 W. Irlto Bronson, Kissimmee, FL 34746. EF: \$45, \$20 Q. \$1 to Crib. Gen. Coffee, Lunch. FriEB, SatS, Cons, LC. Skunk pot for 28-29 hands. Contact: Paul Barnes, 1316 Fatio Rd., DeLand, FL 32720. (904) 738-7659. Co-D: John Groz.

February 26-28, MGM Open

Midway Hotel, 780 Packer Dr., Green Bay, WI 54304. EF: \$50, \$15 Q. \$1.50 to charity. FriDBL, FriSGL, SatSGL, SatDBL, LC, \$100 bonus for 29. Contact: Tom Gallagher, 1160 St. Agnes Dr., Green Bay, WI 54304. (920) 499-0775. Co-D: Bob Miller (920) 430-1136, Jerry Lemke (715) 856-6856.

February 28, Shawn's Special

Parix Club, 36 Stanley Ave., Woonsocket, RI. EF: \$40, \$10 Q. \$1 to charity. Lunch. Cons. Contact: Shawn Jordan, 114 Chapel St., Norwood, MA 02062-3144. (781) 769-1061. Co-D: Earle Remington.

March 5-7, Capital City Open

Ramada Inn, 1870 Old Hudson Rd., St. Paul, MN 55119. EF: \$60, \$15 Q. FriEB8PM, SatS8PM, All-E, Cons. Contact: Todd Schaefer, 1132 Greystone Ave. N. Oakdale, MN 55128. (651) 699-5878, (w) (651) 215-0903.

March 5-7, Colorado Winter Open

Elks Lodge, 2475 W. 26th Ave., Denver, CO 80301. EF: \$50, \$10 Q. \$1 to charity. Coffee. FriSGL, SatS, Cons. Contact: Roger Wilson, 2977 Eagle Way, Boulder, CO 80301. (303) 444-8613.

March 12-14, 6th Roadrunner Classic AZ Champ.

Glandale Elks, 5525 W. Colter Dr., Glandale, AZ. EF: \$62 (\$72 non-ACC), \$10 Q. Coffee, donuts, Sat. lunch. FriEB, SatS, Cons, LC? Contact: Ev Bey, 10826 W. Thunderbird Blvd., Sun City, AZ 85351-2646. (602) 972-6848.

March 13-14, Warren Swett Memorial

Hob Nobs, Inter. US 14 & IL 31, Crystal Lake, IL 60014. EF: \$50, \$20 Q. Sat. lunch, coffee, pastries. EB, SatS, Cons, LC. Contact: John Swett, PO Box 214, Crystal Lake, IL 60039-0214. (815) 459-4276. Co-D: Ralph Madsen (815) 459-2713.

March 13, Chief Solano Open

Fairfield Senior Ctr., 1200 Civic Center Dr., Fairfield, CA 94533. EF: \$55, no Q. Breakfast. Contact: George Halterman, 3410 Astoria, Fairfield, CA 94533. (707) 428-4343. Co-D: Betty Crofy, Bill Moss.

March 14, Annual Tri-Valley Open

VFW Post 1526, Holliston St., Medway, MA 02053. EF: \$45, \$10 Q. \$2 to charity. Coffee, lunch. DBLS, Cons. Contact: Pat Llewellyn, 30 Stone St., Bellingham, MA 02019. (508) 966-1613.

March 16-22, Copper Canyon Open

Los Mochis, Mexico. EF: \$45, \$15 Q. Cribbage every day, Cons. Contact: David O'Neil, 1069 Texel Lane, Clarkston, GA 30021. (404) 296-4689.

March 19-21, Timber Capital Classic

Seven Feathers Casino, 146 Chief Miwaleta Lane, Canyonville, OR 97417. EF: \$42, \$10 Q. FriEB, SatS, Cons, LC. Contact: John Thiems, 746 Elgarose Rd., Roseburg, OR 97470. (541) 677-0102. Co-D: Larry Hassett.

March 19-21, Albert Lea Open

Albert Lea Inn, 2301 E. Main, Albert Lea, MN 56007. EF: \$50, \$20 Q. Coffee, donuts. Fri9gmduplicate, SatS, Cons, All-E. Buzz & Helen 50th Ann. party Sat. night. Contact: Arnold Groskreutz, 188 1st Ave. SE, Wells, MN 56097-1605. (507) 553-5782.

March 21, 1999, Hawaii Open

Murphy's Bar & Grill, 2 Merchant St., Honolulu, HI 96813. EF: \$30, no Q. \$2 to charity. Coffee, lunch. Cons or GR play. Contact: Tsarkie, 3261 Kilihune Place, Honolulu, HI 96816. (808) 734-4800. Co-D: Kathy Tsark.

Mar. 21, South Shore Open, L. Horigan Mem.

Randolph Elks, 21 School St., Randolph, MA 02368. EF: \$45, \$15 Q. Coffee, lunch. 3-person teams, Cons. Contact: Jim Ready, 67 Pearl St. Place, Stoughton, MA 02072. (781) 344-0417. Co-D: John Rooney, John Brennan.

March 26-28, 1999, Oregon State Champ.

Eagles Lodge, 235 E. 4th, Prineville, OR 97754. EF: \$50, \$10 Q. 10% after exp. to charity. FriHR, FriDBL, SatS, Cons, LC. Contact: Marvis & Ralph Reynolds, PO Box 805, Prineville, OR 97754. (541) 447-5920.

March 26-28, Alaska Championship

American Legion, 840 W. Fireweed Lane, Anchorage, AK 99516. EF: \$50. 10% to charity. FriDBL, Cons. Contact: Henry Carle, 6600 Downey Finch Lane, Anchorage, AK 99516. (907) 345-2137. Co-D: Heather Brean (907) 338-5847.

March 26-28, Palmetto Classic

Quality Inn, Broad River Rd @ I-20, Columbia, SC 29210. EF: \$50, \$10 Q. Coffee, lunch. \$1 to Crib. Gen. FriEB, HR, SatS, Cons, LC. Contact: Al Kucera, Apt. E-10, 2700 Feather Run Trail, W. Columbia, SC 29169. (803) 794-6954. Co-D: Tom Redhair, Paul McClanahan.

April 3, Gold Country Challenge I

L. O. V. E. Building, 660 Minnie St., Condon Park, Grass Valley, CA 95945. EF: \$50, \$10 Q. \$7.50 to charity. Coffee, donuts, lunch. Cons. Contact: Donald Flint, 18391 Sisil Lane, Penn Valley, VA 95946. (530) 432-3010. Co-D: John Wear (530) 272-8148.

April 9-11, 4th Winnemucca Classic

Winnemucca Convention Ctr., 50 Winnemucca Blvd., Winnemucca, NV 89446. EF: \$50, \$10 Q. FriTF, FriDBL, Cons, LC. **\$1,000 Added.** Contact: Marvis & Ralph Reynolds, PO Box 805, Prineville, OR 97754. (541) 447-5920. Co-D: Bob & Sandy St. Yves.

April 9-11, Mick Michaelis Classic

River Front Inn, 1821 Riverside Ave., Marinette, WI 54143. EF: \$55, \$15 Q. Lunch. FriTP2:30PM, FriEB8PM, Fri1-gmElim, SatS8PM, All-E, Cons. Contact: Gene & Aggie Mikulsky, 7620 Lower Rd., Sobieski, WI 54171. (920) 822-5394.

April 11, Central VA Spring ACC Open

Holiday Inn, 1021 Koger Ctr. Blvd., Richmond, VA 23235. EF: \$45, \$10 Q. Lunch. SatEB, Cons. Prize Dwgs. Contact: Huston Kitts, 3101 S. Ridge Dr., Midlothian, VA 23112. (804) 744-0150. Co-D: John Mangiaratti (804) 379-9678.

April 16-18, Milwaukee Challenge

Kettle Maraine Bowl, 1 mile west of Hwy 41 on Hwy 60, Slinger, WI 53086. EF: \$60, \$15 Q. Lunch. FriCap8PM, FriSGL8PM, SatS7:30PM, Cons, LC. Motels 5mi W on Hwy60 (Hartford). Contact: Marlene Lazachek, 8102 Legend Dr., Franklin, WI 53132. (414) 427-4595.

April 16-18, Mid-Columbia Open

American Legion, 34 Cascade St., Hood River, OR 97031. EF: \$50, \$10 Q. \$2 to charity. Lunch \$5. FriTP3PM, FriDBL7PM, FriHR7PM, Cons, LC. Contact: Don & Marilyn Hilton, 1837 Tucker Rd., Hood River, OR 97031-9690. (541) 386-2036.

April 18, 1999, Hawaii Open

Murphy's Bar & Grill, 2 Merchant St., Honolulu, HI 96813. EF: \$30, no Q. \$2 to charity. Coffee, lunch, Cons. Contact: Tsarkie, 3261 Kilihune Place, Honolulu, HI 96816. (808) 734-4800. Co-D: Kathy Tsark.

April 30, May 1-2, Hawkeye Classic

Starlite Village, 929 3rd St., Des Moines, IA 50309. EF: \$60, \$20 Q. Lunch. FriEB, SatS, All-E, Cons. Contact: Larry Loupee, 425 E. 2nd St. S, Newton, IA 50208. (515) 792-8236. Co-D: Bob Hanes.

April 30, May 1-2, Black Hills Open

American Legion, 818 E. St. Patrick St., Rapid City, SD 57701. EF: \$45, \$10 Q. FriEB, SatS, All-E, Cons. Contact: Wes Hall, 721-5 E. Chicago St., Rapid City, SD 57701. (605) 342-3577. Co-D: Chuck Broder (605) 399-9558.

April 30, May 1-2, 28th World Championship

Plumas Co. Fairgrounds, Quincy, CA 95971. EF: \$60, \$10 Q. Rotary charity, coffee, lunch, dinner. FriDBL7PM, SatHR7:30PM, SatS7:30PM, Cons, LC. Contact: Mike Taborski, PO Box B, Quincy, CA 95971. (530) 283-0800. Co-D: Dan Smith.

May 2, Ocean State Classic

LeFoyer Club, 151 Fountain St., Pawtucket, RI 02860. EF: \$35, no Q. Lunch, coffee, donuts, door prizes. Cons. Contact: John Chambers, PO Box 40068, Providence, RI 02940. (401) 831-4157. Co-D: Ron Nelson, Tom Tobin.

May 28-30, 1999, Greater Spokane Valley

Valley Eagles, 16801 Sprague, Spokane, WA 99037. EF: \$45, \$10 Q. \$2 to charity. FRITP, FriHR, FriDBL, SatS, Cons, LC. Contact: Irving Busby, 12808 E. Maxwell, Spokane, WA 99216. (509) 926-0538. Co-D: Betty Johnson (509) 928-6404.

May 28-30, Western New York Open

Niagara Falls AFB, Lockport Rd., Niagara Falls, NY. EF: \$45, \$15 Q. \$1.50 to charity. Lunch, coffee, donuts. FriEB, SatDBL, Cons. Rooms \$10/person at AFB, 2 to room, need SS#. Contact: Shamus O'Connor, 3797 Lynn Rd., Orchard Park, NY 14127. (716) 649-0637. Co-D: Richard Schurkus.

May 28-30, Nipomo Open

Nipomo Senior Ctr., 200 E. Dana St., Nipomo, CA 93444. EF: \$52, \$10 Q. \$2 to charity. Coffee, donuts, lunch. FriEB, SatS, Cons, LC, 4-person team. Entries by May 28. Contact: Darrell Hunstad, 441 Mercury Dr., Nipomo, CA 93444. (805) 929-3804. Co-D: Debbie Wrightman (805) 925-9514.

June 5-6, Granite State Classic

Holiday Inn, Northeastern Blvd., Nashua, NH 03062. EF: \$100, best 4 of 7, dbl elim, Cons. Contact: Al Miller, 12 Michael Ave., Nashua, NH 03062-1418. (603) 882-7204.

June 5-6, Nugget Classic

Paradise Ridge Senior Ctr, 877 Nunneley Rd., Paradise, CA 95969. EF: \$60, \$10 Q. \$6 to SenCtr. Lunch, snacks, coffee. FriEB7PM, Cons. No smoking, no alcohol served. Contact: Jerry Moore, 1473 Patrick Dr., Paradise, CA 95569-1477. (530) 877-1477. Co-D: Bruce Forbes, Vern Meyers.

June 11-13, Cascade Classic

Redmond VFW, Sisters Ave., Redmond, OR. EF: \$40, \$10 Q. \$3 to charity. FriEB3PM, FriDBL, FriHR, SatS, Cons. Contact: Lucille Endicott, 61750 Teal Rd., Bend, OR 97702. (541) 382-5646. Co-D: Anne Haller, Margery Clark.

June 13, Hawaii Open

Murphy's Bar & Grill, 2 Merchant St., Honolulu, HI 96813. EF: \$30, no Q. \$2 to charity. Cons. Contact: Tsarkie, 3261 Kilihune Pl., Honolulu, HI 96816. (808) 734-4800. Co-D: Kathy Tsark.

June 18-20, California Championship

Veteran's Memorial Bldg., 1351 Maple Ave (off Hwy 12), Santa Rosa, CA 95404. EF: \$65 (early entry), \$10 Q. Lunch, coffee. FriDBL, SatHR, SatS, Cons, LC. Contact: Miles Drake, PO Box 4173, Santa Rosa, CA 95402. (707) 586-3393. Co-D: Avon Ray (707) 546-8967, Jerry Brisgel (707) 546-1083.

July 11, Hawaii Open

Murphy's Bar & Grill, 2 Merchant St., Honolulu, HI 96813. EF: \$30. Coffee, lunch. Cons. Contact: Tsarkie, 3261 Kilihune Place, Honolulu, HI 96816. (808) 734-4800. Co-D: Kathy Tsark, Fred White.

July 16-18, Mid-Summer Tourists Classic

American Legion, 840 W. Fireweed Lane, Anchorage, AK 99576. EF: \$50. 10% to charity. FriDBL, Cons. Contact: Henry Carle, 6600 Downey Finch Lane, Anchorage, AK 99516. (907) 345-2137. Co-D: Heather Brean (907) 338-5847.

August 15, Hawaii Open

Murphy's Bar & Grill, 2 Merchant St., Honolulu, HI 96813. EF: \$30, no Q. Coffee, lunch. \$2 to charity. Cons. Contact: Tsarkie, 3261 Kilihune Place, Honolulu, HI 96816. (808) 734-4800. Co-D: Kathy Tsark, Fred White.

September 12, Hawaii Open

Murphy's Bar & Grill, 2 Merchant St., Honolulu, HI 96813. EF: \$30, no Q. \$2 to charity. Coffee, lunch. Cons. Contact: Tsarkie, 3161 Kilihune Place, Honolulu, HI 96816. (808) 734-4800. Co-D: Kathy Tsark, Fred White.

September 24-26, Carson Valley Classic

Carson Valley Inn, 1627 US 395N, Minden, NV 89423. EF: \$50, \$10 Q. Coffee, pastries. FriDBL, Cons, LC. 100% payback all events. Contact: Marvis & Ralph Reynolds, 220 S. Claypool St. (PO Box 805), Prineville, OR 97754. (541) 447-5920.

October 1-3, Southern Oregon Lions

Lions Sight & Hearing Ctr., 228 Holly St., Medford, OR 97501. EF: \$50, \$10 Q. \$5 to Lions S & H Ctr, FriDBL, FriHR, SatS, Cons, LC. Contact: Marvis & Ralph Reynolds, PO Box 805 (220 S. Claypool St.) Prineville, OR 97754. (541) 447-5920.

October 9, Feather River Open

Oroville Eagles, 2010 Montgomery St., Oroville, CA 95965. EF: \$55, \$10 Q. \$5 to charity. FriEB, Cons. Contact: John Mathews, 3456 Charlene, Oroville, CA 95966. (530) 533-7793. Co-D: Tom & Vaida Stevens.

October 15-17, Wisconsin Dells Classic

Holiday Inn, Hwy 13 & I-90/94, Wisconsin Dells, WI 53965. EF: \$55, \$15 Q. Lunch. FriEB, HR, SatS, Cons, LC. Hosp. room. Contact: Patrick Barrett, 5821 Griffith Ave., WI Rapids, WI 54494. (715) 424-5059. Co-D: Linda Barrett.

October 15-17, Coastal "Gem" Classic

Lion's Hall, 4th & Pontiac, Yachats, OR 97498. EF: \$50, \$10 Q. \$5 to Lions. FriTP3PM, FriDBL7PM, FriHR7PM, SatS7PM, Cons. LC. Lunch avail Sat & Sun. Contact: Marvis & Ralph Reynolds, PO Box 805, Prineville, OR 97754. (541) 447-5920.

October 29-31, 8th Abe Kealoha Extrav.

Murphy's Bar & Grill, 2 Merchant St., Honolulu, HI 96813. EF: \$80, no Q. Coffee, lunch, awards banquet. FriDBL6PM, Cons, LC4PMSat, GRSun2PM. Contact: Tsarkie, 3261 Kilihune Pl., Honolulu, HI 96816. (808) 734-4800. Co-D: Kathy Tsark, Fred White.

November 5-7, Prineville Lions Open

EAgles Lodge, 235 E. 4th St., Prineville, OR 97754. EF: \$50, \$10 Q. Lions charity. FriTP3PM, FriDBL7PM, FriHR7PM, Cons. LC. Lunch avail Sat & Sun, dinner Fri eve. Contact: Marvis & Ralph Reynolds, PO Box 805, Prineville, OR 97754. (541) 447-5920.

Quiz:

Who are these three peggers...and what do they have in common?



Answer:

These three stalwart peggers all hail from Wisconsin...and all three have won the huge ACC Open in Reno. From left to right: Gene "Moose" Biegler, West Bend, WI; Jerry Goedert, Palmyra, WI; and Warren Sondericker, Milwaukee, WI.

Biegler won this huge event in 1998, carting home a whopping \$10,000. Goedert nailed this event in 1997, and he, too, took home the ten grand. Sondericker is the only two-time winner of this granddaddy of all cribbage events, having won in 1987 (454 players) and again in 1992 (826 players). The 1992 event paid Sondericker \$10,000, and the 1987 paid somewhat less.

In 1996 this event sported 1,020 players and has been at the maximum limit since. The event can only sport 1,024 players. Entry forms are in the November issue of CW. Don't delay...and miss the greatest pegging action on earth.

Jack Allison's Tips

Jack Allison, Smyrna, GA, has come up with some tips for Grass Roots play to liven the action.

Here are a few:

\$100 (or other) award to club champion.

\$25 to monthly GP leader

\$25 for any Grand Slam

\$10 for any +175 card (or higher)

\$5 for largest crib in each meet

Awards for 23-hands, 24-hands, 28-hands, 29-hands, etc.

Other possibilities are \$ for last 24-hand in match, crib flushes, raggedy ann's, etc.

Of course, the dollars given can vary depending on your club's size (and wealth). But adding incentives keep the interest at a high level, especially if you have a bad card, and then hope exists for at least a special prize for that rare hand.

TOC, JPW/ACC Open Update

Director Joan Rein reports that as of November 26, some 136 peggers eligible for the Tournament of Champions have signed on...and she expects a record crowd of 500 or so for this prestigious event.

And, of course, the following Joseph P. Wergin/ACC Open is predicted to sell out at 1,024 players.

Remember, the deadline for entry for both events is 6 PM, January 20 (your entries must be at the Sands on or before this date). Don't delay.

If you have any questions about your eligibility for the TOC, call Joan at (612) 448-2459.

Help! DeLynn Colvert noted an order for trophy boards on a slip of paper in Daytona Beach. He lost the paper...and can't remember who ordered the boards...Not only is he hard of hearing, he is also getting Alzheimer's disease! Call (406) 543-6855.

Tournament MRP's Entered This Month:

Labor Day Special
 New Hampshire Open
 Gold Coast Classic
 St. Criox (Oct.)
 Portside Open
 Colorado Fall Classic
 W. B. Classic
 Coastal Gem
 Grand National XVII
 ACC Post Cruise
 Minnesota Valley
 Ghosts & Goblins
 Niagara Falls Open
 Ship Ashore
 Dante Club

Julian, Shumate Continue To Set MRP Pace

Life Master Bob Julian (WI) and Master Jason Shumate (CA) continue to set the pace in the national MRP race. Both players have topped 500MRP's for the year. However, several players have made a move this past month. One Star Joe Bernard nailed the Portside Open and has moved over 400; Life Master Laurence Samet (MA) picked up 147 MRP's at the Grand National, and leads the Eastern Region (412). Life Master Paul Hatcher (OR) and Two-Star DeLynn Colvert (MT) are unofficially over the 400 mark as well as the season hits near the midpoint. Six players have topped 300...and the race is on.

Honeycutt, Johnson Earn Grand Master

Smith, Kufahl Hit 2,000 MRP's

Harvey Honeycutt (OR) won the huge Grand National in Prineville, OR years ago...and he continues to pile up MRP's. He recently rang up his 4,000th MRP...and Grand Master 113. Gil Johnson (WA) is another veteran pegger who steadily earns MRP's, and he, too, is over the 4,000 MRP mark, and takes home No. 114. Medford Smith (MA) nailed the New Hampshire Open and has topped 2,000 (Master no. 370). Pat Kufahl (WI) also has topped the 2,000 mark, earning Master 371.

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- 2 322 Stuart, Bobby G., GA
- 3 321 Shoemaker, William J., CT
- 3 321 Corrado, Frank, CT
- 5 287 Drukman, Robert J., MA
- 6 281 Chrabaszcz, Emil G., MA
- 7 269 Rooney, John J., MA
- 8 262 Brown, R. Bruce, MA
- 9 250 Bernier, Jerry, MA
- 10 239 Brown, Jack, VA
- 11 238 Medeiros, Sharlene, MA
- 12 227 Lafleur, Donna, CT
- 13 225 Gallagher, Paul M., MA
- 14 218 Dinwoodie, Al, RI
- 15 217 Myers, Jack, MA
- 16 213 Ramos, Joe, RI
- 17 208 Mooradd, Lissa, MA
- 18 197 Duresky, Jim, VA
- 19 196 Chambers, John E., RI
- 20 192 Phifer, Larry, NC
- 21 187 Perkins, Doris, MA
- 22 184 Ready, James, MA
- 23 177 McGibney, Frederick, VT
- 24 175 Burgess Jr., Charles A., RI
- 25 174 Palmer, Harry, MA
- 26 171 Babiec, Stan, MA
- 27 168 Azevedo, Mike, MA
- 27 168 Veradt, Zeke, MA
- 29 166 Bakken, Nelson, CT
- 30 165 Medeiros, Bill, MA
- 31 162 Simpson, Lucille L., NY
- 32 160 Chase, George, RI
- 33 157 Schmidt, Phyllis, MA
- 34 153 Donahue, Edward C., MA
- 34 153 Dumaine, Dudley, MA
- 36 151 Gehrllich, Dutch, MD
- 37 150 Macdonald, Wilma, MA
- 38 148 Setian, Peter, MA
- 39 147 Miller, Albert, NH
- 39 147 Braut, Richard, MA
- 41 146 Clemmey, David R., MA
- 41 146 Cormier, Paul H. J., MA
- 41 146 Christiansen, Dwight M., CT
- 44 145 Gelston, Harry E., RI
- 45 141 Kraatz, William M., NY
- 46 140 Fisher Jr, Russ, FL
- 47 134 Vanelli, Joyce, MA
- 48 130 Palmer, Brenda, MA
- 49 129 Brodeur, John, MA
- 49 129 Schaeffer, Betty, FL
- 51 128 Alkas, Rit, CT
- 52 127 Veradt, Cindy, MA
- 53 126 Morrison, Joan, MA
- 54 122 Heroux, Brian, RI
- 54 122 Barbour, Barbara, CT
- 56 117 West, Richard H., MA
- 57 116 Martin, Phil, CT
- 58 115 Webb, George E., MA
- 59 114 Caccia, Louis J., MA
- 60 111 Bryant, Rick, MD
- 61 110 Walton, Utah S., VA
- 62 108 Whitfield, Bernard, NC
- 63 107 Smith, Medford, MA
- 63 107 Groz, John C., FL
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- 65 105 Lebian, Michael, ME
- 65 105 Johnson, Lucinda, FL
- 65 105 Goss, Peggy, FL
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- 74 99 Bouchard, Roger J., CT
- 75 98 Moore, Robert E., VA
- 76 97 Gallagher, Warren A., MA
- 77 95 Medeiros, Emily, MA
- 78 94 Lerch, Peter K., VA
- 79 93 Douglass, Henry, NC
- 80 92 Weinberg, Sidney, VA
- 80 92 Jordan, Shawn, MA
- 82 91 Packard, William D., MA
- 82 91 Rapoza, Charles, MA
- 84 90 Medeiros, Robert, MA
- 84 90 Bickford, George E., MA
- 86 89 Bochinski, Stanley, NY
- 87 87 Boudreau, Raymond, FL
- 88 86 O'Connor, Shamus, NY
- 89 85 Eichler, Paul, NY
- 90 84 Schurkus, Richard B., NY

Central Region

- 1 540 Julian, Robert, WI
- 2 419 Bernard, Joe, IL
- 3 336 Schisel, Deb, IL
- 4 311 Toll, Duane W., WI
- 5 307 Danielski, Frank, WI
- 6 285 Fox, Earl G., MN
- 7 272 Kvien, Les, IL
- 8 266 Sondericker, Warren, WI
- 9 262 Schmidt, Myron, MN
- 10 255 Steinmetz, Wayne, WI
- 11 241 Gauthier, Glenn, WI
- 12 240 Cervantes, Jean, WI
- 13 235 Gruber, Gerald, MN
- 14 232 Selk, Nate, WI
- 15 251 Staven, Connie, WI
- 16 212 Jacobsen, David C., MN
- 17 204 Schaefer, Todd D., MN
- 17 204 Huser, James, WI
- 19 202 Bremmer, Kevin, WI
- 20 197 Karr, Allen E., WI
- 21 189 Ralston, Ronald, IA
- 22 186 Holtan, Larry, MN
- 23 182 Hirschman Sr., Ronald, WI
- 24 178 Trojan, Frank L., MN
- 25 177 Railsback, Buzz, NE
- 26 172 Fischer, Jerome, WI
- 27 159 Andrusko, Shawn, MN
- 27 159 Railsback, Helen, NE
- 29 157 Langman, Harry, WI
- 30 154 Frost, Richard, WI
- 31 148 Johnson, Darlene, MN
- 31 148 Schaefer, Sharon, WI
- 33 147 Hansen Sr., Barry, WI
- 34 146 Biegler, Gene, WI
- 35 142 Bailey, Allen, MN
- 36 138 Habighorst, Mark, WI
- 37 135 Lazachek, Marlene, WI
- 38 134 Flesch, Donald, WI
- 39 130 Hanes, Bob, IA
- 40 126 Fingston, Martha, WI
- 41 125 Tesch, W. Lee, WI
- 41 125 Danihel, Tony, WI
- 43 124 Pasiuk, Francis, MN
- 44 123 Upton, Norbert, MN
- 45 122 Rosenberger, Charles, MN
- 46 117 Rowley, Lawrence A., WI
- 47 116 Schweig, Roberta E., IL
- 48 115 Patrin, Donald A., MN
- 49 111 McCabe, Bob, WI
- 50 110 Smith, Richard D., NE
- 51 109 Henderson, Douglas L., WI
- 52 108 Barrett, Ariene M., WI
- 52 108 Loch, Dianne, WI
- 54 106 Momsen, Pete, WI
- 55 105 Johnson, Bill, WI
- 55 105 Herwig, Steven M., IA
- 55 105 Krueger, Hilmar, NE
- 58 104 Mikulsky, Eugene P., WI
- 59 101 Bartholomew, Larry, IA
- 59 101 Stroup, Sandra, IL
- 61 100 Ramstad, Ruth, MN
- 61 100 Lyon, Sylvia, WI
- 61 100 Barrett, Michael, WI
- 64 99 Mikulsky, Aggie G., WI
- 65 98 Aird, Joseph P., MI
- 65 98 Horvath, Richard, WI
- 67 96 Joslin, Bob, MN
- 68 95 Dahl, James, WI
- 69 94 Kufahl, Pat, WI
- 70 93 Warren, Nancy, NE
- 70 93 Page, Doug, WI
- 72 92 Capodagli, Kenneth, IL
- 73 90 Loupee, Larry C., IA
- 74 87 Chase, Robert P., MN
- 75 85 Lui, Laura, WI
- 75 85 Mahan, Marsha, WI
- 77 82 Adams, Russell B., MN
- 77 82 Morlock, Elmer, MN
- 77 82 Cummings, Grace, WI
- 80 81 Lindner, Alan J., WI
- 81 79 Leiter, Frank, MN
- 82 78 Willborn, Jack S., WI
- 83 77 Chmielewski, Don, MN
- 84 76 Post, Kevin S., MN
- 84 76 Danielski, Ginny, WI
- 86 72 Boesel, Ray, WI
- 86 72 Vadnais, Shelly, MN
- 88 71 Young, Bob, IA
- 89 70 Gregg, Randy, MN
- 90 67 Maresch, Bruce, WI
- 90 67 Beucier, Thomas T., MN
- 90 67 Vincent Sr., Dale G., WI

Western Region

- 1 419 Shumate, Jason, CA
- 2 381 Summers II, William, CA
- 3 332 Hatcher, Paul, OR
- 4 313 Colvert, De Lynn, CA
- 5 283 Hom, James H., CA
- 6 275 Saueressig, Bernie, WA
- 7 269 Gogolin, James R., OR
- 8 266 Hassett, Donna, OR
- 9 236 Blackman, Jerry, OR
- 9 236 Harvey, Diane A., OR
- 11 227 Reynolds, Stephen, CA
- 12 220 Effert, Annett J., CA
- 13 215 Noiz, Paul J., OR
- 14 212 Gonzales, Raymond, CA
- 15 207 Wikstrom, Shari, WA
- 16 206 Moritzky, Jack, OR
- 16 206 McNeil, Richard, OR
- 18 204 Wikstrom, Bob, WA
- 18 204 Noiz, Betty A., OR
- 18 204 Rasmussen, Elmer G., WA
- 21 203 Rowe, Michael M., AK
- 21 203 Mitchell, Danny, CA
- 23 197 Travers, Ian, WY
- 24 195 Broadhurst, Jim, OR
- 25 193 Cover, Joseph, OR
- 26 192 Goldman, Leonard, CA
- 27 182 Taylor, James C., OR
- 28 178 Reynolds, Ralph L., OR
- 29 177 Stevens, Brad, CO
- 30 176 Bakko, Don, WA
- 31 173 Gilmore, Evelyn, CA
- 32 172 Gade, Armin, AZ
- 33 171 Wakeman, Bill, CA
- 34 162 Wrigde, Bruce, OR
- 35 158 Jarrell, Jesse, CA
- 36 157 Wilson, Roger W., CO
- 37 147 Ward, Vernon D., OR
- 37 147 Haller, John C., CA
- 39 146 Jensen, Bill, CA
- 40 143 Capper, Betty Jean, OR
- 41 142 Holsteth, John, OR
- 42 140 Hutsell, Tim, CA
- 42 140 Shirland, William W., CO
- 44 139 Elliott, Gene, OR
- 45 138 Snyder, Jay M., CA
- 46 135 Neilson, Alden, WA
- 47 129 Ng, Harry, CA
- 48 128 Miotke, Darrel E., OR
- 48 128 Wahlig, Mona, CA
- 48 128 Heath, Rollie, OR
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- 52 125 Malmgren, Todd, OR
- 52 125 Cohen, Abby, CA
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- 58 121 Monroe, Jeff, CA
- 58 121 Ferrario, Monte, CA
- 61 120 Clark, Bob, CA
- 61 120 Wahlig, Len, CA
- 63 119 Mack, Herschel, CA
- 64 116 Rose, Gary, WI
- 65 114 Reilly, Virginia M., ID
- 66 110 Webb, Sundae, CA
- 67 108 Anderson, Robert, WA
- 68 106 McDaniel, Mike, WA
- 69 105 Nikodym, Norman, CA
- 69 105 Dunn, Joe, ID
- 69 105 Ross, Craig L., CA
- 69 105 Kranz, Mel, CA
- 69 105 Wrightman, Ronald, CA
- 69 105 Schmucker, John W., CA
- 69 105 Walton, Larry, OR
- 69 105 Gilsback, Bob, CA
- 69 105 Knutson, Jim, WA
- 69 105 Blackman, Keith, OR
- 69 105 Njaa, H. Ross, CA
- 80 104 Shumate III, Jack B., CA
- 80 104 Abbott, James B., OR
- 82 103 Wilson, Sharon I., OR
- 83 102 Dunning, Roy, WA
- 83 102 Hoffbauer, Jeanne, WA
- 83 102 Johnson, Gil, WA
- 86 101 Gossett, Graeme, OR
- 87 100 Nelson, Russell R., AZ
- 87 100 Van Orsow, Denny, OR
- 87 100 Kanno, Rodney M., HI
- 87 100 Mijo, Scott A., CA
- 87 100 Wardenburg, Richard C., CA

TOURNAMENT RESULTS

Labor Day Special

Roseburg, OR, Sep 6, 1998

Director: Larry Hassett

MAIN: 74

- 1 147 Donna Hassett, OR
 - 2 105 Don Bakko, WA
 - 3 70 Sharon I. Wilson, OR
 - 3 70 Jeanne Hofbauer, WA
- CONSOLATION: 54
- 1 45 Daniel Hansen, OR
 - 2 30 Arthur M. Copeland, OR
 - 3 18 Julie Felkins, CA
 - 3 18 Tom Goucher, CA

New Hampshire Open

Nashua, NH, Oct 4, 1998

Director: Al Miller

MAIN: 140

- 1 196 Frank Corrado, CT
 - 2 147 Jerry Bernier, MA
 - 3 105 Frederick McGibney, VT
 - 3 105 Paul H. J. Cormier, MA
 - 5 70 George Chase, RI
 - 5 70 Medford Smith, MA
 - 5 70 Emily Medeiros, MA
 - 5 70 Laurence Samet, MA
- CONSOLATION: 70
- 1 63 Richard H. West, MA
 - 2 45 Joe Lasorsa, NH
 - 3 30 Bob Cunningham, MA
 - 3 30 John Matthews, MA

Gold Coast Classic

Ventura, CA, Oct 3-4, 1998

Director: Cy Madrone

MAIN: 46

- 1 105 Norman Nikodym, CA
 - 2 70 Mel Kranz, CA
 - 3 42 Cy Madrone, CA
 - 3 42 Ron Hoglund (NM), CA
- CONSOLATION: 24
- 1 30 William Bishop, CA
 - 2 18 Richard Williams, CA
 - 3 9 Bruce Fein, CA
 - 3 9 Sylvia Norris, CA

St. Croix Classic (October)

Turtle Lake, WI, Oct 4, 1998

Director: Alan Lindner

MAIN: 176

- 1 196 Myron Schmidt, MN
 - 2 147 Larry Holtan, MN
 - 3 105 Duane W. Toll, WI
 - 3 105 Allen Bailey, MN
 - 5 70 Michael Barrett, WI
 - 5 70 James Dahl, WI
 - 5 70 Joe Bernard, IL
 - 5 70 Jerome Fischer, WI
- CONSOLATION: 108
- 1 63 Frank Danielski, WI
 - 2 45 Alan J. Lindner, WI
 - 3 30 John Syttestad, WI
 - 3 30 Larry Phifer, NC

Portside Open

Portsmouth, VA, Oct 10-11, 1998

Director: Richard McCormick

MAIN: 116

- 1 147 Sharlene Medeiros, MA
 - 2 105 Joe Bernard, IL
 - 3 70 Michael E. Crowe, VA
 - 3 70 Jack Brown, VA
- CONSOLATION: 88
- 1 63 Rick Bryant, MD
 - 2 45 David R. Clemmey, MA
 - 3 30 Ginny Danielski, WI
 - 3 30 Paul M. Gallagher, MA

Colorado Fall Classic

Denver, CO, Oct 10-11, 1998

Director: Roger Wilson

MAIN: 68

- 1 147 Ian Travers, WY
 - 2 105 Helen Railsback, NE
 - 3 70 Russell R. Nelsen, AZ
 - 3 70 Hillmar Krueger, NE
- CONSOLATION: 36
- 1 45 Cindy Widdowson, CO
 - 2 30 Nancy Warren, NE
 - 3 18 Robert West, CO
 - 3 18 De Lynn Colvert, MT

W. B. Classic

Slinger, WI, Oct 11, 1998

Director: Gene Biegler

MAIN: 66

- 1 147 James Huser, WI
 - 2 105 Les Kvien, IL
 - 3 70 Deb Schisel, IL
 - 3 70 Bob McCabe, WI
- CONSOLATION: 40
- 1 45 Larry Lagassie, WI
 - 2 30 Ethel Sherwan, WI
 - 3 18 Kevin Bremmer, WI
 - 3 18 Sharon Schaefer, WI

Coastal Gem

Yachats, OR, Oct 17-18, 1998

Director: Marvis & Ralph Reynolds

MAIN: 44

- 1 105 Richard McNeil, OR
 - 2 70 Winona Johnson, OR
 - 3 42 Ralph L. Reynolds, OR
 - 3 42 Dick L. Walcker, OR
- CONSOLATION: 27
- 1 30 Betty A. Nolz, OR
 - 2 18 Bill Sword, OR
 - 3 9 Robert Landon, AZ
 - 3 9 Stephen Reynolds, CA

Grand National XVII

Daytona Beach, FL, Oct 17-18, 1998

Director: Paul Barnes

MAIN: 282

- 1 252 Bobby G. Stuart, GA
 - 2 196 Lissa Mooradd, MA
 - 3 147 John J. Rooney, MA
 - 3 147 Laurence Samet, MA
 - 5 105 Russ Fisher Jr, FL
 - 5 105 Lucinda Johnson, FL
 - 5 105 Marlene Lazachek, WI
 - 5 105 Mona Wahlig, CA
 - 9 70 Frank Danielski, WI
 - 9 70 Paul M. Gallagher, MA
 - 9 70 Lee Jackson, FL
 - 9 70 Harry Langman, WI
 - 9 70 Robert A. Read, FL
 - 9 70 William Shoemaker, CT
 - 9 70 Brad Stevens, CO
 - 9 70 Bernard Whitfield, NC
- CONSOLATION: 213
- 1 84 Joseph P. Aird, MI
 - 2 63 Bruce D. Sattler, MD
 - 3 45 Glenn Gauthier, WI
 - 3 45 Peter Setian, MA

ACC Post Cribbage Cruise

Port Canaveral, FL, Oct 20-23, 1998

Director: Gene Biegler & Paul Barnes

MAIN: 22

- 1 70 Gene Biegler, WI
 - 2 42 Jack Brown, VA
 - 3 21 Robert Julian, WI
 - 3 21 Roberta E. Schweig, IL
- CONSOLATION: 16
- 1 18 David R. O'Neil, Clarkston GA
 - 2 9 Frank T. Schweig Sr., IL

Minn Valley Open

Carver, MN, Oct 24, 1998

Director: Joan Rein

MAIN: 118

- 1 147 Ronald Ralston, IA
 - 2 105 Bob Hanes, IA
 - 3 70 Randy Gregg, MN
 - 3 70 Connie Staven, WI
- CONSOLATION: 70
- 1 63 Buzz Railsback, NE
 - 2 45 Dennis Cosgrove, MN
 - 3 30 Joy A. Jerdee, MN
 - 3 30 Charles Rosenberger, MN

Ghost & Goblin

Hermiston, OR, Oct 23-25, 1998

Director: John Haller

MAIN: 94

- 1 147 Betty A. Nolz, OR
 - 2 105 Keith Blackman, OR
 - 3 70 Bob Wikstrom, WA
 - 3 70 Bruce Wridge, OR
- CONSOLATION: 68
- 1 63 Irving Busby, WA
 - 2 45 James B. Abbott, OR
 - 3 30 Mike McDaniel, WA
 - 3 30 Gordon McGinnis, OR

Niagara Falls Open

Niagara Falls, NY, Oct 23-25, 1998

Director: Nelson Wheaton

MAIN: 61

- 1 105 William M. Kraatz, NY
 - 2 70 Utah S. Walton, VA
 - 3 42 Fredrick Schauf, NY
 - 3 42 John E. Marchand Sr., NY
- CONSOLATION: 38
- 1 45 Harold E. Belles, NY
 - 2 30 Cynthia Toussaint, NY
 - 3 18 Maynard King, PA
 - 3 18 Peter K. Lerch, VA

Ship Ashore

Smith River, CA, Oct 30-Nov 1, 1998

Director: Susan Ertell

MAIN: 47

- 1 105 Elmer Rasmussen, WA
 - 2 70 Alden Nelson, WA
 - 3 42 Bernie Nelson, OR
 - 3 42 Tim Hutsell, CA
- CONSOLATION: 34
- 1 45 Jim Broadhurst, OR
 - 2 30 Bob Clark, CA
 - 3 18 Mike Patrick, OR
 - 3 18 G. Barrett Mace, CA

Dante Club

W. Springfield, MA, Nov 1, 1998

Director: Tom Fiorini

MAIN: 130

- 1 196 John Chambers, RI
 - 2 147 Al Dinwoodie, RI
 - 3 105 Doris Perkins, MA
 - 3 105 Donna Lafleur, CT
 - 5 70 Edward C. Donahue, MA
 - 5 70 Henry Douglass, NC
 - 5 70 D. Carl Deyette, CT
 - 5 70 Roy Derby, NH
- CONSOLATION: 66
- 1 63 Paul M. Gallagher, MA
 - 2 45 Dudley Dumaine, MA
 - 3 30 Larry Harmon, CT

Grand Master

113- Harvey Honeycutt
Beatty, Oregon
114- Gil Johnson
Spokane, Washington

Master

370- Medford Smith
W. Roxbury, Massachusetts
371- Pat Kufahl
Merrill, Wisconsin

Israel Has Grass Roots Club

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