

MARITIME BRIDGE LINE



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NEWCOMERS TO PLAY IN VALLEY SECTIONAL

The executive of Unit 194 spent a good portion of their meeting in Bridgewater discussing ways to introduce new players to the game of duplicate bridge.

After considerable discussion, it was decided that a special game be held during the Annapolis Valley Sectional.

This newcomers game would be open to new players who had very few master points or who had never played duplicate before.

The game will be one session and will run concurrently with the first round of the Open Pairs at 1:30 pm on Saturday, September 25.

The newcomers will play the same hands as the open but not as many.

The field will be stratified into three stratas. A = 20-50 points, B = 5 - 20 points and c = 0 - 5 points. Trophies will be awarded to the winners of each strata.

Following the session of bridge there will be a reception for the newcomers. They will have wine and cheese, receive a souvenir of the game and have an opportunity to discuss the results of the hands they have played with the more experienced members of the executive.

We are asking clubs to promote this special game among their newer players. Efforts to get newcomer games in the past usually failed because there were not enough players to have a separate game. This meant that the pairs who did turn out either had to go home or play in the regular game, neither of which is a palatable option to the newcomer.

The Unit is keenly interested in finding ways to introduce new players to the game. If you have

suggestions we would be happy to hear them.

We know just how enjoyable and gratifying the game of bridge can be. We have to find a way of exposing new people to this terrific pastime.

This year the Annapolis Valley Sectional will be held at the Wandlyn Inn in Coldbrook, NS.

To get to the venue, take Highway 101 to the Valley and take exit 14.

The Wandlyn Inn is clearly visible to the right of the exit ramp.

REPEAT WINNERS IN ROSS MEMORIAL

The second Annual Ross memorial Pairs was held at the South Shore sectional in Bridgewater on Friday afternoon, May 28.

Once again this year, Patricia Timbrell, of Chester Basin, and Nancy Steele of Mahone Bay were the winners.

Pat and Nancy had a strong 67% game to win the 16 table event. Norman O'Brien of Moncton and Bob Brown of Sackville, NB were runners-up.

The Ross Trophy is in Memory of Stump and Jessie Ross who were instrumental in bringing duplicate bridge to the South Shore.

Their daughter, Mary Moulton, and son, Don Ross played as partners again this year. Last year they were runners-up.

Pat and Nancy received individual trophies as well as their names on the Ross Memorial ☺

99 MASTER POINT RACES

LAGAN

1. Ian Crowe	86.07
2. Balon Buckley	77.07
3. Joe Currie	53.27
4. Ron MacDonald	51.23
5. Jo Ann Lynds	45.75
6. Boyd Wells	45.00
7. Gerry Callaghan	44.86
8. David Scammell	41.41
9. Bill Halliday	39.69
10. Kathie MacNab	38.64

SPRINGHILL

1. Mike Hartop	48.44
2. Claude LeBlanc	41.00
3. Bill Campbell	40.51
4. Brian Hannon	39.07
5. Al Hackett	25.38
6. Heinz Paschke	22.85
7. Dale Murray	19.21
8. Bill Brock	15.39
9. Leo Mahoney	13.94
10. Jack O'Brien	12.62

MCLEOD

1. Jo Ann Lynds	45.75
2. Kathie MacNab	38.64
3. Myrtle Moulton	36.97
4. Judy Walker	36.81
5. Zelda Zelikovitz	20.68
6. Virginia Giza	19.64
7. Elizabeth Legacy	17.58
8. Elsie Adams	15.07
9. Hattie Cashin	13.92
10. Anna Mae McIsaac	13.54

CALLAGHAN

1. Mary Cotter	43.18
2. Sandy Fox	36.65
3. Ann Hartop	27.86
4. Ursula Paschke	23.74
5. Ellen Brock	15.39
6. Ann Mahoney	13.94
7/8. Elizabeth Fortunato	12.69
7/8. Stania Truka	12.69
9. Bea O'Brien	12.62
10. Marie Carragher	12.12

These are the cumulative totals of Master points won by players in the 1999 Sectionals up to and including the South Shore sectional in Bridgewater May 28-30, 1999.

1999 ZONE 1 CNTC FINALS

Amherst Bridge Club Rooms 75 Willow Street, Amherst, NS April 11 - 12, 1999

1. ERIC BALKAM - MIKE BETTS - JOHN STEWART - DON PRESSE	93
2. Sam Ghosh - Bob Simmonds - Bob Melles - Brian Alexander	85
3. Myrtle Moulton - Joe Currie - Rod MacKenzie - Leo Weniger	81
4. Ken Eisner - Gerry Murphy - Betsy Eisner - Dave Scammell - Ian Crowe - Balon Buckley	79
5. Elizabeth Legacy - Bernie Britten - Ron MacDonald - Bram Schwartz - Ron Legacy	76
6. Judy Losier - Bob Losier - Peter Hare - Therese Butler	66

DON COX MEMORIAL

April 23 - 25, 1999

Keddy's Motor Inn, Truro, NS

S9904045

TIDAL BORE PAIRS

Flight A 10 tables

1. **Jessie Sanford, Falmouth, NS - Hugh Shankel, Windsor, NS** 96.48
2. Larry Mock - Gerard MacMaster 95.69

Flight B 7 tables

1. **Larry Mock, Dartmouth - Gerard MacMaster, Port Hawkesbury(Also won C)**

STRATIFIED PAIRS

Flight A 23 tables

1. **Charles Fortune - Fred Hegenbarth, New Glasgow, NS** 145
2. Brian Hannon - Claude LeBlanc, Miramichi, NB 136.5
3. Jessie sanford - Hugh Shankel 135.5

Flight B 13 tables

1. **Fortune - Hegenbarth (Also won C)**
2. Ann Mahoney - Leo Mahoney, Moncton, NB 123

FRIDAY ZIP KO TEAMS 10 teams

1. **Gerard Whalen - Elianor Kennie - Suzanne Edwards - Ann Poole**
2. Jo Ann Lynds - Boyd Wells - Robert Davis - Mark Creelman

KNOCKOUT TEAMS 11 teams

1. **Ken Eisner - Gerry Murphy - Eric Balkam - David Scammell**
2. Dale Murray - Joe Hortie - Ian Crowe - Balon Buckley

FLIGHT A OPEN PAIRS 19 tables

1. **Carolyn MacDonald, Truro, NS - Bill Knoll, Jr, New Glasgow, NS** 384
2. Ian Crowe, Halifax - David Scammell, Truro, NS 382.88
3. Joe Currie - Myrtle Moulton, Halifax, NS 372

Flight B/C STRATIFIED PAIRS 16 tables

1. **Elaine MacKeigan - Olney MacDonald, Sydney, NS** 368.34
2. Scott Rappard - Ken Tulle, Antigonish, NS (Also Won C) 365.68

SATURDAY ZIP KO TEAMS 11 teams

1. **Elianor Kennie - Valerie Best - Verna Petrie - Lorraine Williams**
2. Ian Crowe - BValon Buckley - Elizabeth Legacy - Dale Murray

FLIGHT A SWISS TEAMS 17 teams

1. **Mark Spear - Bernie Britten - Elizabeth Legacy - Ron Legacy** 86
2. Eric Balkam - Leo weniger - Joe Currie - Myrtle Moulton 84
3. Judy Walker - Gerry Callaghan - Brian Hannon - Claude LeBlanc 75

Flight B/C 16 teams

1. **Kay Hagen - Joe Austin - Dave Griffiths - Diane Banks** 83
2. Margo Beveridge - Barbara Landry - Mary Mpulton - Liz MacDonald (Won C) 79
3. Gerard MacMaster - Larry Mock - Grace Stephens - Jean Bakeeff 78

CHATHAM RESULTS

May 7 - 9, 1999 KOC Hall, Chatham, NB S9905104

MIRAMICHI PAIRS

Flight A 16 tables

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| 1. Ann Burns - Selma Mitchell, Newcastle, NB (Also Won B) | 164.81 |
| 2. Martha Johnson - Gordon Steeves, Newcastle, NB | 163.13 |
| 3. Roger Pichette, Moncton, NB - Mary McCombs, Chatham(Won C) | 157.99 |

FRIDAY STRATIFIED PAIRS

Flight A 21 tables

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| 1. Bill Halliday - Kathie MacNab, Halifax, NS | 272.47 |
| 2. Jo Ann Lynds - Boyd Wells, Truro, NS | 272.37 |

Flight B 12 tables

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| 1. Karen Sobey - Jean Knowles, Newcastle, NB | 262.36 |
| 2. Diane Donovan - Pat Underhill, Miramichi, NB (Also Won C) | |

FRIDAY ZIP KO TEAMS 7 teams

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| 1. Grahan Wade - Diana Bernard - Roy Cole - Jay Bryenton | |
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KNOCKOUT TEAMS OF FOUR 6 teams

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| 1. Ian Crowe - Balon Buckley - Mike Hartop - Arthur Lilly | |
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OPEN PAIRS

Flight A 27 tables

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| 1. Jo Ann Lynds - Boyd Wells | 381.36 |
| 2. Mary Cotter, Fredericton - Bill Campbell, Miramichi | 362.23 |
| 3. Sam Ghosh - Barbara MacKay, Fredericton, NB | 356.41 |

Flight B 14 tables

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| 1. Brian Hannon - Claude LeBlanc, Miramichi, NB | 353.55 |
| 2. Gordon Steeves - Delta Steeves, Miramichi, NB | 333.29 |

Flight C 7 tables

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| 1. Diana Bernard - Deborah Matheson, Miramichi, NB | 320.50 |
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SATURDAY ZIP KO TEAMS 6 teams

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| 1. Gerry LaFlamme - Linda Cobham - Bill Halliday - Kathie MacNab | |
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FLIGHT A SWISS TEAMS 11 teams

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|---|-----------|
| 1. Ron MacDonald - Sandy Fox - Mary Cotter - Bill Campbell | 83 |
| 2. Balon Buckley - Ian Crowe - Mike Hartop - Arthur Lilly | 81 |
| 3. Bram Schwartz - Bob Baker - Joe Currie - Bryan Rapson | |

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Flight B/C SWISS TEAMS 11 tables

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| 1. Barry Budge - David Robertson - Esmee McKenzie - Roger McKemzie | 101 |
| 2. Gordon Ross - Evelyn Ross - Stania Truka - Betty Fortunato | 86 |
| 3. Roy Cole - Bonnie Cole - Graham Wade - Jay Bryenton | 79 |

Flight C 6 tables

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| 1. Marielle Benoit - Joyce St. Onge - Ellen Brock - Bill Brock | 64 |
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SOUTH SHORE

May 28 - 30, 1999 Wandlyn Inn, Bridgewater, NS S9905072

ROSS MEMORIAL PAIRS

Flight A 16 tables

1. **Patricia Timbrell, Chester Basin - Nancy Steele, Mahone Bay, NS** 177.81
2. Norm O'Brien, Moncton, NB - Bob Brown, Sackville, NB 162.05

Flight B 13 tables

1. **Timbrell - Steele**
2. Calvin Fraser - Jaye Fraser **(Also Won C)** 160.31

STRATIFIED PAIRS

Flight A 17 tables

1. **Leon Zellkovitz - Zelda Zellkovitz, Halifax, NS** 115
2. John Pitblado, Liverpool, NS - Fred Kaufman, Sun City, FI 112.5

Flight B 12 tables

1. **Pitblado - Kaufman**
2. Mike Connolly, Yarmouth - Jill McCormick, Halifax, NS **(Also Won C)** 96

KNOCKOUT TEAMS OF FOUR 6 teams

1. **Ann Hartop - Mike Hartop - Ron MacDonald - Earle Fergusson**

FRIDAY ZIP KO TEAMS 9 teams

1. **Jo Ann Lynds - Boyd Wells - Mary cotter - Mark Spear**
2. Joy Cavazzi - Elianor Kennie - Joe Hortie - Jessie Sanford

FLIGHT A OPEN PAIRS 11 tables

1. **Ian Crowe, Balon Buckley** 261.36
2. Bill Halliday - Kathie MacNab 251.9
3. Mike Hartop - Earle Fergusson 246.69

Flight B/C PAIRS 9 tables

1. **Cyril Connolly - Mike Connolly (Also won C)** 255.71
2. Scott Greenough - Glendon Dominoe, Bridgewater, NS 251.03
3. John Pitblado - Fred Kaufman 251.03

SATURDAY ZIP KO TEAMS 4 teams

1. **Jo Ann Lynds - Boys Wells - Mark Spear - Mary Cotter**

FLIGHT A SWISS TEAMS 10 teams

1. **Gerry Callaghan - Judy Walker - Ian Crowe - Balon Buckley** 99
- 2/3. Bilgin Batman - Jeannine Law - Michael Inkpen - Gordon Way 72
- 2/3. Mark Spear - Mary Cotter - Sandy Fox - Norm O'Brien 72
4. Edgar Blinn - Bram Schwartz - Fred Struve - Syed Husain 67

Flight B/C SWISS TEAMS 12 teams

1. **Bob Chase - Bill Davidson - Scott Greenough - Glendon Dominoe (Also Won C)** 103
- 2/3. Margo Beveridge - Barbara Landry - Mary Moulton - Liz MacDonald 72
- 2/3. Cyril Connolly - Mike Connolly - Peter Luard - Suzanne Edwards 72

UPCOMING TOURNAMENTS

ST. JOHN'S

JULY 30 - AUGUST 1, 1999

St. John's Curling Club, St. John's, NF
S9908087

Friday, July 30

2:00 pm METRO PAIRS
KNOCKOUT TEAMS 1
8:00 pm STRATIFIED PAIRS
KNOCKOUT TEAMS 2
11:45 pm ZIP KO TEAMS
KNOCKOUT TEAMS 3

Saturday, July 31

1:30 pm OPEN PAIRS 1
7:30 pm OPEN PAIRS 2
11:30 pm ZIP KO TEAMS

Sunday, August 1

9:00 am SWISS TEAMS
two session playthrough

Chairman:

Jim Kirby 709-754-4733

Partnerships:

Brenda Kirby 709-754-4733

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THE 50th ANNIVERSARY OF NEWFOUND-
LAND JOINING CONFEDERATION. YOU WILL
NEVER FORGET A TRIP TO 'THE ROCK'.**

SUGARLOAF

AUGUST 6 - 8, 1999

Lions Club Hall, Ramsey Street
Campbellton, NB S9908088

Friday, August 6

2:00 SUGARLOAF PAIRS
KNOCKOUT TEAMS 1
8:00 STRATIFIED PAIRS
KNOCKOUT TEAMS 2
11:45 ZIP KO TEAMS
KNOCKOUT TEAMS 3

Saturday, August 7

1:30 OPEN PAIRS 1
7:30 OPEN PAIRS 2
11:30 ZIP KO TEAMS
KNOCKOUT TEAMS 3

Sunday, August 8

9:00 STRATIFLIGHTED SWISS
two session playthrough

Tournament Chairman and Partnerships:

BILL BROCK 506-759-7740

Accommodations:

Howard Johnson 506-753-4133
Maritime Inn 506-753-7606
Forty Winks 506-753-3395
Journey's End 506-753-4121
Sugarloaf Campground 506-789-2366

E-MAIL ADDRESSES

Are you on the on-line? Do you have an e-mail address? Would you like to have the e-mail addresses of other Maritime bridge players?

Ian Crowe, of Halifax, has offered to compile such a list. There are many bridge players who are on the Internet and who would find such a list of e-mail addresses extremely convenient for communicating with their bridge friends. This could also be an excellent way of keeping bridge players informed of current bridge issues.

Forward your e-mail address to

buckley.crowe@ns.sympatico.ca

and you will receive a copy of the compiled list.

TOURNAMENT CALENDAR

CNTC ZONE FINAL

AMHERST BRIDGE CLUB ROOMS, 106 Church Street, AMHERST, NS
CNTC FINALS ENTRANTS REQUIRE ADVANCE REGISTRATION

Begins Saturday, April 4, at 12 noon. Play will continue until approximately 6pm Sunday, April 5. Information will be mailed to team captains upon registration.

GN TEAMS FLIGHT C (same location) April 4, April 5
Play commences at 12 noon on April 4.

Hotels: Wandlyn Inn 902-667-8331, Journeys End 667-0404

PORT CITY SECTIONAL

KEDDYS HOTEL, 10 Portland at Main St., SAINT JOHN, NB 506-657-7320

Friday, April 10 2:00 pm PORT CITY pairs
KNOCK-OUT TEAMS 1
8:00 pm STRATIFIED PAIRS
KNOCK-OUT TEAMS 2
11:45 pm MIDNIGHT ZIP KO Teams
KNOCK-OUT TEAMS 3

Saturday, April 11 1:30 pm OPEN PAIRS Qualifying
7:30 pm OPEN PAIRS Final
CONSOLATION Pairs
11:30 pm MIDNIGHT ZIP KO Teams

Sunday, April 12 9:30 am SWISS TEAMS 1 *
2:30 pm SWISS TEAMS 2

Tournament Chairman BETTE DOHERTY 506-847-7401
Partnerships RUBY PREMDAS 506-658-1882
*NOTE EARLY START FOR SWISS TEAMS

DON COX MEMORIAL

KEDDYS MOTOR INN, Prince Street, TRURO, NS 902-895-1651

Saturday, April 25 1:00 pm OPEN PAIRS Qualifying
7:00 pm OPEN PAIRS Final
OPEN CONSOLATION
11:30 pm MIDNIGHT ZIP KO

Sunday, April 26 10:00 am SWISS TEAMS
(Playthrough)

Tournament Chairman BOYD WELLS 902-897-1995
Partnerships PAT SCAMMELL 902-893-7571

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