



2009 San Antonio Regional

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THURSDAY July 2, 2009

MEET THE COMMITTEE CHAIRS ***MANY THANKS***

- In case of a medical emergency call 911 first and then the hotel.
- **ZIP KNOCKOUTS** Tonight
- Lost and Found is at the Prize Desk
- Fresh baked cookies, brownies & lemon bars tonight during the evening game.



Jeri Tribo—Intermediate Newcomer Chair

The I/N games will be held in the LaJoya Ballroom. Jeri and her committee will help arrange partnerships for all I/N players. Prizes for I/N section winners will also be awarded in the LaJoya Ballroom.



Helen McCrae—Prize Committee

WINNERS! Helen and the prize committee will be located in the Grand Ballroom Foyer. You can claim your prize for Win-an-Entry, Over-all Winners, section tops, KO or Swiss team wins. Hours are 12:30 pm and 6:00 pm. Sunday's awards will be available immediately after the Swiss events.

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Linda Lawrence—Registration Committee

Linda and her volunteers will be welcoming bridge players at the Registration Desk in the Grand Ballroom Foyer. Register and pick up your welcome gift. Registration Desk will be open at 12:30 pm and 6:00 pm daily.



Bev, Sheryleen and their volunteers will help arrange partnerships for the tournament at the Partnership Desk located in the Grand Ballroom Foyer. Partnership Desk will be open Tuesday—Saturday at 12:30 pm and 6:00 pm and on Sunday at 9:00 am.

Wednesday Results

WED MORN SIDE PAIRS

10.0 Tables

	A	B	C		
3.03	1	1		William Harlin - Joyce Harlin, Gainesville GA	62.50%
2.58	2	2	1	Kathy Watkins - Terri Orlean, Houston TX	59.82%
1.94	3	3	2	Myrna Dorman, League City TX; Sylvia Thomas, Alvin TX	59.23%
1.45	4/5	4	3	Johnell McKee, Friendswood TX; Marilyn Hughes, La Porte TX	56.85%
1.13	4/5			P Burka, Austin TX; John Bromberg, Dallas TX	56.85%
1.09	6	5	4	Linda Griffith - Sandy Potts, Austin TX	54.46%
0.95		6	5	Joyce Stukenholtz, Pharr TX; Jackie Burroughs, McAllen TX	53.57%

WEDNESDAY AFT SIDE GAME

13.5 Tables

	A	B	C		
3.64	1	1		Michael Boulette, Ingram TX; Maureen Lightfoot, Kerrville TX	63.76%
2.73	2	2		Dewitt Hudson Jr - Elizabeth Hudson, Arlington TX	58.58%
2.27	3	3	1	Gool Castleberry - Janelle McArthur, San Antonio TX	56.85%
2.24	4	4	2	Carol Cobler, Pipe Creek TX; Nancy Fisher, San Antonio TX	56.76%
1.57	5	5		Diane Di Giovanni, Scottsdale AZ; Helen Lawrence, San Antonio TX	56.66%
1.12		6		George Pisk, Manchaca TX; Terrie Reid, Houston TX	56.12%
0.79		6		Nancy Dean - Barbara Hollahan, Austin TX	55.25%
1.28		3		Richard Curtin - Elaine Davis, San Antonio TX	51.53%
0.96		4		Carole Lee O'Connor - Patricia Balhorn, San Antonio TX	50.29%

WED AFT 299ERS

10.5 Tables

	A	B	C		
2.97	1			Jackie Burroughs, McAllen TX; Joyce Stukenholtz, Pharr TX	64.83%
2.23	2			James Babich - Mary Powell, New Braunfels TX	62.79%
2.02	3	1	1	Debbie McCullough - Regina Day, San Antonio TX	58.81%
1.25	4			Larry Nagel - Mabel Byrnes, Corpus Christi TX	57.86%
1.52	5	2	2	Stuart Windeler, Fair Oaks Ranch TX; Julie Hogenauer, San Antonio TX	57.25%
1.14	6	3		Kenneth MacMorran - Sharon MacMorran, Austin TX	55.95%
0.89		4	3	Sunny Won - Bobby Terrell, San Antonio TX	55.87%
0.95		5	4	Darla Barger, San Antonio TX; Susan Wheeler, Boerne TX	55.14%

Wed KO2 - Bracket 1 June 30, 2009

EVENT LEADERS

- 1 Carolyn Riely - Terry Riely
Sharon Mann - George Mann
 - 2 Kerr Godfrey - Ellen Hessel
P Burka - John Bromberg
 - 3/4 Betty Starzec - Jane Armstrong
Eddie Wold - Robert Morris
 - 3/4 Karla Riddick - Mary Anne Woessner
Philip Duterme - Robert Arnett
- Wednesday Eve Swiss Teams July 1, 2009

FLIGHT B EVENT LEADERS

- 1 86.00 14 Milton Ellisor - Becky Ellisor
Donna Frederick - Robert Frederick
- 2 85.00 18 Charles Jefferson - Forrest Gray
Everette Lewis - Sheryleen Grothus
- 3 83.00 3 Alfred Fortier III - Steve Tuggle
Edward Yetter - Bonnie Kay Yetter
- 4 80.00 5 Andy Villastrigo - Ronald Briggs
Arline Rubin - Liane Tsai
- 5 74.00 6 Daniel Blaettler - Thomas Trudeau
Phyllis Giffin - Phil Brown



**Sherry Johnson-DiBaggio
Hostess Friday Night Hospitality**

Friday Night Hospitality will be held in the Colonnade Room on the 20th Floor after the evening game around 10:00 pm. Sherry and her volunteers have prepared sausage, potato salad, cole slaw, various dips and desserts. So all of you lamenters and winners join us for some great food and hospitality. Hope to see you there!

Prize Desk

Winners! Winners! Winners!
Come to the Prize Desk and claim your prize
Grand Ballroom Foyer
Tuesday – Saturday 12:30 pm & 6:00 pm
Sunday immediately after Swiss event

Partnership Desk

Looking for a Partner?
Visit the Partnership Desk
Grand Ballroom Foyer
Tuesday- Saturday 12:30 pm & 6:00 pm
Sunday 9:00 am

Photo Station

Pictures! Pictures! Pictures!
Taken in the Grand Ballroom Foyer
Tuesday-Saturday 12:30 pm & 6:00 pm
Sunday immediately after Swiss event

Check Writing Policy

Please make all checks to
San Antonio Bridge League
We CANNOT accept checks made
out to ACBL. Thank you

Turn 'EM Off

Cell phones, audible pagers, and any similar communication equipment, except for health-related equipment, may not be operated or operable in the playing area during a session of play unless by permission of the director-in-charge of the tournament or event.

Book Store

Britain Beesley's OKLA. BOOKS store, specializing in bridge books and supplies will be open before and after the sessions throughout the tournament.
Book store is located in the Grand Ballroom Foyer

Side Game Series

A Side Game Series is a group of at least three one-session games open to all players. Participants may enter as many sessions as they wish and play with the same or different partners. Overall ranking is done on an individual basis by computing the sum of each player's two best games. At NABC and regional tournaments, GOLD POINTS are awarded to section-top placing players who have competed in at least two session of this event

Intermediate Newcomer Speaker Program LaJoya Room

Today's Speakers



Ed Rawlinson (12:45)
Card Combinations



Terry Riely (6:15)
"To Finesse or Not"

Tomorrow's Speakers



Diane Olson (12:45)
"Those Pesky Opponents"



David Mitchell (6:15)
"Weak 2's"

Winners

Wed Eve 299ers One Of One Session July 1, 2009 FLIGHT B EVENT LEADERS

FLIGHT A EVENT LEADERS

- 1 112.57 I 8-E/W Stuart Windeler - Julie Hogenauer
- 2 97.93 I 2-N/S Kathleen Lothringer - Jacquelyn Fisher
- 3 97.29 I 2-E/W Patricia Skelton - Gretchen Chapa
- 4 96.21 I 8-N/S Beth Gale - Kenyon Daniel
- 5 91.83 I 9-N/S Judy Carroll Taquino - John Cisman

- 1 112.57 I 8-E/W Stuart Windeler - Julie Hogenauer
- 2 97.93 I 2-N/S Kathleen Lothringer - Jacquelyn Fisher
- 3 97.29 I 2-E/W Patricia Skelton - Gretchen Chapa
- 4 91.71 I 3-N/S Pansy Blakely - Carolyn Conway

FLIGHT C EVENT LEADERS

- 1 112.57 I 8-E/W Stuart Windeler - Julie Hogenauer
- 2 91.71 I 3-N/S Pansy Blakely - Carolyn Conway
- 3 89.93 I 4-N/S George Fillis - Karen Fillis

MARIE BAILEY
INTERMEDIATE-NEWCOMER PROGRAM

LaJoya Ballroom
Win-an-Entry Monday 7 pm
Stratified Pairs ...Tuesday-Saturday 1:30 & 7 pm

A: (100-300) B: (50-100) C: (0-50)
(masterpoints)

Partnership desk located in the LaJoya Ballroom



Jeri Tribo

Accolades go to Jeri and her committee for the hard work they have done to make the I/N games successful. She has done an outstanding job and is well qualified. She serves on the Unit 172 172 Board. She is a certified director and bridge teacher. She is a Bronze Life Master. Thanks, Jeri, for a job well done!



Janise Saul—Photographer

Overall winners, including Intermediate Newcomers, meet Janise at the Photo Station located in the Grand Ballroom Foyer. She will be ready to take your picture Tuesday—Saturday at 12:30 pm and 6:00 pm. Sunday pictures will be taken immediately after the Swiss event. We want pictures of anyone who has reached a new masterpoint rank, especially NEW Life Masters!

WEDNESDAY SWISS TEAMS

19 Tables

	A	B	C	
10.15	1			Jack Lacy, Lago Vista TX; Wayne Rauschuber, San Antonio TX; Melody Euler, Temple TX; James Thurtell, Dallas TX 155.00
7.61	2	1	1	Harry Ingham, San Marcos TX; Greg Schepens - Terry Richardson, Austin TX; Verlyn Stahlecker, San Antonio TX 122.00
5.71	3			Forrest Gray - Charles Jefferson - Jodie McMahon - Diane Olson, San Antonio TX 118.00
4.28	4			Richard Lampman, Universal City TX; Carole Price - Sally Armstrong - Bette Allen, San Antonio TX 116.00
3.38	5			Kenneth McBride - Donna McBride - Donald Jackson - Patricia Jackson, Kerrville TX 111.00
5.31	6	2		Jean Townsend - Glenda Marshall - Patsy Miller - Arlene Freeman, Georgetown TX 109.00
3.98	3			Dianne Ebert - Carol Nelson, Austin TX; Darlene Gilmore, La Grange TX; Carol Helms, Schulenburg TX 108.00
2.99	4			John Johnson - Dianne Vander Putten - James Bagley, Harlingen TX; Jean Burgoine, La Feria TX 98.00
2.36	5			Harold Wilson - Charlotte Wilson - Barbara Deberry - Marian Gindler, Gonzales TX 92.00
2.56	2			Ross Thornbrugh - Loretta Thornbrugh - Andrea Williams - Sherill Harris, San Antonio TX 83.00

Wed Eve Strat Choice Pair Wed Eve 3of3 Session July 1, 2009

FLIGHT A EVENT LEADERS

1	373.96	K	7-E/W	Janise Saul - Samuel Williams Jr
2	373.94	K	10-E/W	Marilyn Mac Donald - Bill Mac Donald
3	366.25	K	5-N/S	Melody Gann - Billy Leeper
4	366.05	K	4-N/S	Charlene Sands - Virgil Massey
5	364.95	K	3-N/S	Marilyn Arnold - Derrell Childs
6	363.10	XX	1-N/S	Robert Mangas - Beverly Barnum

Wed Eve Strat Choice Pair Wed Eve 3of3 Session July 1, 2009

FLIGHT B EVENT LEADERS

1	366.05	K	4-N/S	Charlene Sands - Virgil Massey
2	363.10	XX	1-N/S	Robert Mangas - Beverly Barnum
3	346.50	K	4-E/W	K Carpenter - Jerrold Harrington
4	344.21	XX	6-N/S	Ann Curry - Nelle Hixson
5	308.42	K	8-N/S	Kathleen Harrington - Joyce Anderson

Wed Eve Strat Choice Pair Wed Eve 3of3 Session July 1, 2009

FLIGHT C EVENT LEADERS

1	344.21	XX	6-N/S	Ann Curry - Nelle Hixson
2	305.67	XX	2-N/S	Patricia Skelton - Gretchen Chapa
3	285.10	K	2-N/S	Nancy Pinkerton - Marilyn Holmes
4	282.85	XX	3-N/S	Jeri Houchins - Marilyn Bergman

Wednesday Eve Swiss Teams July 1, 2009

FLIGHT A EVENT LEADERS

1	103.00	8	Betty Starzec - Jane Armstrong Eddie Wold - Robert Morris
2	86.00	14	Milton Ellisor - Becky Ellisor Donna Frederick - Robert Frederick
3	85.00	18	Charles Jefferson - Forrest Gray Everette Lewis - Sheryleen Grothus
4	83.00	3	Alfred Fortier III - Steve Tuggle Edward Yetter - Bonnie Kay Yetter
5	81.00	19	Carolyn Peters - Thomas Peters Bill Staats - Mark Bumgardner
6	80.00	5	Andy Villastrigo - Ronald Briggs Arline Rubin - Liane Tsai

Thanks to the OMNI Hotel

Playing all three sessions? Looking for a quick breakfast or lunch? Like to save money?

Check out *Morsels Grab & Go* at the OMNI

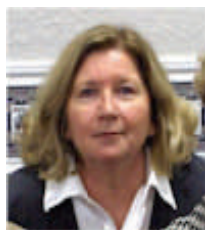
Breakfast 6:00 AM to 10:30 AM and Lunch 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM

The OMNI is offering discounts to bridge players. Discount card good until July 5.

ALERT! You must show the reusable Discount Card given at Registration.

Hotel Shuttle Service

The shuttle service runs from 6am-10pm and leaves on the hour for the airport. It is dedicated to airport service. If available, shuttle will take hotel guests to sites within a 5 mile area: shopping centers that include, La Cantera, North Star Mall, and The Rim; Fiesta Texas, and some restaurants. Please check with the hotel concierge for more information.



The Following Restaurants Have Donated Prizes and Would Welcome Bridge Players

In this weather and this economy, kudos to Kay for all her hard work. Please let the restaurants know we appreciate their support.

<u>Restaurant Name</u>	<u>Type of Cuisine</u>	Chili's	American
County Line	Barbeque	Luce Ristorante	Italian
Order Up *	Pizzeria, Taqueria, Burgeria	Macaroni Grill	Italian
Fuddruckers *	Burgers	Mama Margie's	Mexican
Carrabba's	Italian	Alamo Café	Mexican
Joe's Crab Shack	Seafood	It's a Grind	Coffee Shop
Pei Wei	Chinese	• Within Walking Distance	
Outback Steakhouse	Try to Guess	For directions or information on other local favorites check	
Texas Land & Cattle *	Steak	Hospitality or ask any committee member	
Jason's Deli *	Sandwiches & Salads		
Bravo Cucina	Italian		
Maggiano's	Italian		
Clear Springs	Seafood		
Sushi Zushi *	Japanese		
Freebird Burrito	Mexican		
Sea Island	Seafood		
Egg & I *	Breakfast		
Chili's	American		

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

THURSDAY JULY 2

9:00 am Bracketed KO #3 – 2nd session
Morning Side Game Series – 3rd session
Stratified Choice Pairs (2 of 3 sessions daily)
12:45 pm Guest Speaker: Ed Rawlinson
1:30 pm Stratified Choice Pairs (2 of 3 sessions daily)
Bracketed KO #4 – 3rd session
Bracketed KO #5 – 1st session
Afternoon Side Game Series – 3rd session
299er Stratified Pairs – single session
6:15 pm Guest Speaker: Terry Riely
7:00 pm Stratified Choice Pairs (2 of 3 sessions daily)
Bracketed KO #4 – 4th session
Bracketed KO #5 – 2nd session
Evening Side Game Series – 3rd session
299er Stratified Pairs – single session
Stratified Swiss – one session
10:30pm Zip KO

FRIDAY JULY 3

9:00 am Bracketed KO #3 – 3rd session
Compact KO A – (1 of 2 sessions)
Morning Side Game Series – 4th session
Stratified Choice Pairs (2 of 3 sessions daily)
12:45 pm Guest Speaker: Diane Olson
1:30 pm Stratified Choice Pairs (2 of 3 sessions daily)
Bracketed KO #5 – 3rd session
Bracketed KO #6 – 1st session
Afternoon Side Game Series – 4th session
299er Stratified Pairs – single session
6:15 pm Guest Speaker: David Mitchell
7:00 pm Stratified Choice Pairs (2 of 3 sessions daily)
Bracketed KO #5 – 4th session
Bracketed KO #6 – 2nd session
Evening Side Game Series – 4th session
299er Stratified Pairs – single session
Stratified Swiss – one session

**More information and Interactive Planner
available at www.spsimpson.com/regional**



Carolyn & Terry Riely

Your Daily Bulletin Editors, Carolyn & Terry Riely, welcome any items of interest. Examples of Active Ethics, interesting auctions and defenses, great plays by your partner (we would like to receive at least one this week) and comments on the tournament.

Many thanks to Steve Simpson, Assistant Editor. Steve is the Unit 172 Webmaster and recipient of the 2009 Texas Star Award.



Steve Simpson

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