

Tricks & Treats

Happy Holidays to all of the Members of the Columbia Bridge Club

CHRISTMAS PARTY: The date of the annual **Christmas Party** is Thursday, December 14 with Cocktails from 6PM to 7PM, dinner at 7PM, and bridge to follow. You are encouraged to bring a covered dish. Without a covered dish the cost for the evening is \$10.00. Chairpersons this year are Joyce Lauterbach and Gwen Beckman, and Pat Webb has been of considerable help. Come enjoy good food, friends and an evening of Bridge.

Birthday Celebrations: We held our first monthly Birthday Celebration on Saturday November 11, 2000. We only had 5 ½ tables that day, but everyone who came had a wonderful day, and I have received many Kudos, Thanks and requests that these Birthday Parties continue. Several offered to help with contributions of cookies or cake in future parties. (Thanks, and remind me who you are, because I certainly plan to take you up on this.) The next monthly Birthday Celebration is Saturday December 9, 2000. Damaris Rorie and Pat Webb will be hosting this party. I know that with Damaris and Pat at the helm the next party will be even better, and with your support and a little luck we will have even more than 5 ½ tables.

And just in case we don't have enough parties this month, we are planning to have a *Fun & Games Party* on New Years Eve Party at the Club House on Sunday, December 31, 2000 from 8 PM until....!!! This one is not planned as a Bridge Event. Instead we invite you to bring a favorite Game whether it is Pictionary, Trivial Pursuit, Balderdash, Hearts, or whatever. Also, bring along your favorite Spouse OR Best Friend. We want to get to know each other in a more social, rather than Competitive setting. Please call either myself at 216-9320, OR Bob Webb at 796-1114 if you would like us to arrange a ride for you. We don't know how many to plan for, and if you would like to bring along Champagne or cocktails, a snack or finger food it would be most welcomed but not required. By the way, non-drinkers will be there for those of you wanting rides.

CONGRATULATIONS: Unit Finals for North American Open Pairs was held at CBC on October 29, 2000. State Champions for both Flight A and Flight B were CBC Members. Flight A winners were **Happoldt Neuffer** and **Lucas Lebioda**, and Flight B winners were **Ognyan Trifonov** and **John MacGregor**. Other Qualifiers were Bobbi Hollingsworth, Wayne Hollingsworth, and Patrick and Joyce Lauterbach. Regional finals will be in Morganton, North Carolina on December 9 for Flight A, and December 10 for Flight B.

Moving Up The Ladder: New Junior Master (5 MP) is Pat McNeely & Elaine Wade; New Club Master (20 MP) is Helga Dodson; New Sectional Master (50 MP) is Jeffrey Thomas; and New Bronze Life Master (500 MP) if Thurman Bruffey. **Congratulations!**

From the Nationals: Jimmy Blackwell playing with Joe Walden won the Imp Pairs game. *Congratulations Jimmy!*

Special Games At Club

Club Appreciation, OPEN Oct 26

1A: Marjorie Edens, Gwen Beckman 2A: Hap Neuffer, Arnold Levinson 3A/1B: Harold Moore, David Collins 2B: Emily O'Boyle, Betty Caddell\

3B: Thomas Balcerek, Nathan Fain

Club Championship, 0-1000 Nov 13

1A/1B: John & Joyce Wilkinson 2A: Marianne Murphy, Winkie Hankock 3A: Rosa Shaw, Carolyn Flyod

2B: Bill Fogleman, Henry Momand Jr. 3B/1C: Jack Moye, Joan Heath

2C: Jeffrey Thomas, Dorothy Defiori

Club Championship, 0-300 Nov 15

1A/1B: Terry Moore. J. Eisenman 2A/2B: Helga Dodson, Dorothy Defiori 3A/3B: Ken & Margarita Staugler 2C: Mary Hayden, Bea Horddych Club Championship. OPEN Oct 28

1A: George Nichols, Joyce Lauterbach 2A/1B: Virginia Roberson, Bea Nelson 3/4A: Marika Hallosy, Velma Lamp 3/4A: Happoldt Neuffer, Betty Warren

2B: Thurman & Cathy Bruffey

Club Championship, OPEN Nov 14

1A: Pat Webb, Gwen Beckman 2A: Eleanor Hack, John Wilkinson

3A: Pat & Joyce Lauterbach

1B: Thomas Balcereck, Nathan Fain

2B: Betty Caddell, Jean Mason

ACBL Membership, OPEN Nov 16
1A/1B: Imogene Morris, Lillian Hopkins
2A: Marika Hallosy, Velma Lamp

3A: Flora Shealey, Ardis Dalrymple2B: Winkie Hancock, Dorothy Cole

Unit Game, 0-750 Nov 7

1A/1B: John Blume, J. Eisenman 2A: Amelia Nelson, Ellen Oliver 3A/2B: Diane Finan, Melissa Day

3B: Marion Spagnalo, B.J. Cornelia

Club Championship, OPEN Nov 15

1A: Eleanor Hack, Joel Levy 2A/1B: V. Robertson, Amelia Nelson 3A: Happoldt Meuffer, Ellen Oliver

2B: Joan Osteen, Lillian Smith

Jr. Fund Game, OPEN Nov 18

1A: J. Lauterbach, Damaris Rorie 2A/1B: Donald Dial, V. Robertson 3A: Velma Lamp, Margaret Hill

2B: Harold Moore, Amelia Nelson

ACBL Wide Charity, OPEN Nov 20

1A/1B: B. Fogleman, H. Momand 2A: Happoldt Neuffer, Flora Shealey 3A/2B: Lil Hopkins, Carolyn Floyd 3B: John & Joyce Wilkinson

Master Point Races

COLEMAN FARRELL 0-50

Jeffrey Thomas 32.35
Betty Warren 15.18
Arnold Levinson 13.19
Patricia Roach 11.72
Shirley Ness 10.51
Mary Hayden 9.91
Catherine Gordon 8.85
Elaine Wade 7.89
Jane Temple 7.59
Ken Staugler 6.29

HENRY MILLS 0-Life Master

Amelia Nelson 45.63 John Wilkinson 45.46 Jeffrey Thomas 32.35 Everett Ness 29.73 Sybil Pratt 27.53 Bea Hordych 25.40 Joan Osteen 23.35 Mary Nichols 22.84 Joyce Wilkinson 22.46 Frances Lawton 21.42

SOL LOURIE 0-Unlimited

Happoldt Neuffer 69.01
James Blackwell 48.71
Amelia Nelson 45.63
John Wilkinson 45.46
Marika Hallosy 44.56
Gwen Beckman 42.73
Ken Fasching 42.31
Eleanor Hack 39.99
Lillian Hopkins 39.85
Harold Moore 39.34

Upcoming Tournaments

Nov. 30 to Dec. 3: Hilton Head Sectional

Dec. 8 - 10: Morganton, NC (Includes NAOP finals)

Dec. 11 - 17: STaC: Mid-Atlantic fund-raiser

Dec. 27 - 31: Atlanta, Georgia Jan. 12 - 14: Batesburg, SC

December 2000

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	26 NOON: 0-750 7:30PM - OPEN	19 NOON: 0-750 7:30PM - OPEN Jr. Fund Game	NOON: 0-750 Charity Club Champ 7:30PM - OPEN	5 NOON: 0-750 7:30PM - OPEN	Tuesday.
	27 10AM - OPEN 7PM: 0-300	20 10AM - OPEN 7PM: 0-300	13 10AM - OPEN 7PM: 0-300	6 10AM - OPEN Jr. Fund Game 7PM: 0-300	Wednesday
	28 IPM: 0-300 7:30PM - OPEN Club Championship	21 IPM: 0-300 Club Championship 7:30PM - OPEN	14 Christmas Party 6PM: Cocktails 7PM: Dinner 8PM: OPEN Game	7 IPM - 0-300 7:30PM - OPEN Unit Game	Thursday
	29	22	15	8	Friday I Hilton Head Sectional
	30 1PM - OPEN	23 IPM - OPEN	16 IPM - OPEN Jr. Fund Game	9 1 PM - OPEN Club Championship Birthday Celebrations	Saturday 2 IPM - OPEN Hilton Head Sectional