

## Tricks & Treats

### For Members of the Columbia Bridge Club

**The Birthday Party**-was the Club Championship won by **Hap Neuffer** and **Lukasz Lebioda**. Our hostess **Damaris Rorie** eased the pain of the rest of the field with just excellent treats.

**December** is the Unit STaC month. The tournament will be held at the club the week of Monday December 9 through Sunday the 15<sup>th</sup>. Only the Wed. 11<sup>th</sup> evening and Thursday Aft the 12<sup>th</sup> will not be STaC events. All other sessions will be **Open STaC events**.

**Monday Dec. 2 at 7 P.M. will be an ACBL-wide game.** *It will be an Open game not 0-1000*

**The Christmas party with your hostess Damaris Rorie and her students** will be on Thursday evening Dec. 19<sup>th</sup>. **There will be no afternoon game that day.** If Damaris asks for your help, please lend a hand. The club will be open for Happy Hour At 6:00. Everyone bring a side dish, appetizer or dessert, the club will furnish the entrées. We'll go for supper at around 7:00 and bridge whenever we get the tables clear. Bridge entry is free for those who bring food.

**November Highlight was the Sectional at Tricity** Leisure Center. Our Chairmen, **Pat and Bob Webb** would like to thank all who contributed to the hospitality fund and those who made goodies, they got uniformly great reviews. Also, they would like to recognize **Winkie Hancock** who did a great job with partnerships, **Irma Murray** who got us great caddies and **Margaret Hill** who with **Alice Moore**, helped so much with hospitality. Once again **Damaris Rorie** did a fine job with the I-N group and events. There were also a few players who really cleaned up-the logistics crew of **Everett Ness, Brent Holcomb** and **Pat Lauterbach**. Our tournament was budgeted for 230 tables (we can't count the NAP) and we had 211 play. We lost a little money, \$95.17, but we count the Palmetto State Tournament a success.

**A special congratulations goes to Betty Caddell** who not only won the Imp Pairs opening event with **Nathan Fain**, but won the **Edna Lee** trophy that goes to the CBC member that wins the most points during the Palmetto Tournament.

**The Charleston Regional** starts Thursday Dec.26<sup>th</sup>. Embassy Suites is full, but there is a Hilton in the area and other hotels within walking distance. **There will be no games at the club starting Dec. 24<sup>th</sup>.** Play at the club will resume with the Thursday afternoon game Jan. 2.

**Situations dealt with here** are brought up by C flight players who are interested in how the game works. Now, every player enjoys discussing the game and the possibilities, but let's be aware of the quality of the analysis we are getting. Of course it's great that you have a world class player to talk to at the club like **Lukasz Lebioda**. Or maybe a player who has won a National (6-session) event (**Hap Neuffer**). Any time you get to listen to some one like **Larry Allen** talk at a Sectional, take the time, it's well worth while. Get a line on the game from the best 'A' flight players at the club-play in the Open games, it gives you a chance to talk to those of us who've won a few Regional events. Caveat: Trust science rather more than psychics.

**A few further words** on 'ducks'. I watched a lady duck against a 3NT contract from Ax as dummy's Queen from Qxxx won in front of her. A small card lead next from dummy and her Ace went on air-and her partner's Jxx went up in smoke. Aces should take Kings and Queens. There are times to hold up certainly, but not when you can take a high honor with a doubleton ace.

**Henry Momand**, our president, is the working chairman of next year's Sectional in early August. He's going to need, and be looking for, help. Any ideas on another location since Tri-city may not be available would be a large help.

**OTHER Palmetto winners:** Fri. aft. **Joel/Eleanor Levy 3B, Mary Townhill 4B, Dode DeFiori/Bea Hordych 3C, BJ Cornelia/Fran Potter 4C.** Fri. Eve-Wayne Hollingsworth 4A, Gwen Beckman/Jeff Thomas 3B, Jo Westbury/Sybil Pratt 4B, Fran Potter/BJ Cornelia 5B, Dot Cole/Marlise Overby 6B, Rick and Mary Giles 4C. Sat Aft. Alice Moore/John MacGregor 6A, Rick and Mary Giles 1C, 3B, Mary Townhill 4B, Harold Moore/Marg Hill 6B. Sat. eve-Dot Cole/Connie Moody 6B, Rick/Mary Giles 3C, Everett & Shirley Ness 4C. Swiss Teams- Hap Neuffer/Lukasz Lebioda 5/6A. Tom Balcerek/Nate Fain/LuAnn Edwards/Abdul Ghaffar 2B. Ed Scheiblich/Linda York 3B. Buckey Bruce/Marika Hallosy Catherine & Thurman Bruffy 6B. Ken/Margarita Staugler/Teri Kuhs/Lois Ball 4C. 199'ers Fri. aft. Tootsie Holland/Elaine Wade 2<sup>nd</sup>, Carol Brooks/Veronica Ramseur 3<sup>rd</sup>, Ann Phillips/Dixie Hines 4/5 Arlene Polansky/Naomi Freedman 4/5. Sat. Aft. Iona Hunter/Elaine Wade 3<sup>rd</sup>, Francis Kovach/Brent Holcomb 4<sup>th</sup>.

#### **Congratulations to these winners**

##### **Club Champ 11/2**

- 1) Hap Neuffer/Lukasz Lebioda
- 2) Jeff Thomas/Kay Stursburg
- 3) Brian Lipscomb/Ken Fasching
- 4) DaMaris Rorie/Mary Townhill
- 5) Tommy Overby/Harold Moore

##### **Charity 11/5**

- 1) J MacGregor/Alice Moore
- 2) Ellie Hack/Pat Lauterbach
- 3) DaMaris Rorie/Velma Lamp
- 4) Pat Webb/Brian Lipscomb

##### **Charity 11/6**

- 1) Chuck Weight/Mary Jenny
- 2) Lou Riddle/Dode DeFiori
- 3) Bea Hordych/Tootsie Holland

##### **Club Champ 11/12**

- 1) Rosa Shaw/Carolyn Cromer
- 2) Mary Townhill/Bernetha Henry
- 3) Wendy Carlson/Marianne Murphy
- 4) Mary Nichols/Sybil Pratt
- 5) Bea Nelson/Henry Momand

##### **Club Champ 11/19**

- 1) Ken Fasching/Brian Lipscomb
- 2) Ardis Dalrymple/Lil Hopkins
- 3) Bob and Pat Webb
- 4) Ellie Hack/Joel Levy
- 5) Everett Ness/Betty Caddell

##### **Club Champ 11/20**

- 1) Joel Levy/Elle Hack
- 2) Jim Blackwell/Damaris Rorie
- 3) Marianne Murphy/Jean Mason
- 4) Mary Bostic/Joan O'Steen
- 5) Bea Nelson/Marika Hallosy

##### **IMP pairs-Palmetto Sectional**

- 1A1B) Nate Fain/Betty Caddell
- 2A) Rose Watson/Marg Edens
- 3A) Velma Lamp/Marg Hill
- 4/5A2B) K Fasching/R Severson
- 4/5A) Ellie Hack/Gwen Beckman

- 3B) Winkie Hancock/Jean Mason
- 5B) Mary Townhill
- 6B2C) Iona Hunter/Sylvia White
- 3C) Abdul Ghaffar/Sig Friedman
- 4C) Thurman & Cathy Bruffey

##### **Club Champ 11/25**

- 1) John & Joyce Wilkinson
- 2) Henry Momand/Bill Fogleman
- 3) Carolyn Floyd/Jean Mason

#### **June 2002/May 2003 Club Points Races**

##### **Sol Lourie Unlimited**

Brian Lipscomb	81.57
Hap Neuffer	65.11
Ken Fasching	54.22
Pat Lauterbach	43.58
DaMaris Rorie	42.78
Rosa Shaw	37.07
Ellen Oliver	36.79
Marika Hallosy	36.51
Bea Nelson	34.09
Alice Moore	34.09

##### **Henry Mills 0-LM**

Everett Ness	31.09
Arnold Levinson	29.49
Thomas Overby	26.75
Frances Lawton	22.95
Lou Riddle	20.58
Bernetha Henry	19.32
Dode DeFiori	16.24
Mary Townhill	15.12
Shirley Ness	14.77
Brent Holcomb	14.61

##### **Coleman Farrell 0-50**

Shirley Ness	14.77
Brent Holcomb	14.61
David West	13.85
Elaine Wade	8.52
James Hutchinson	7.96
Terry Moore	7.15
Jane Temple	6.51
Leck Mason	5.58
Patrick Austin	5.39
Francis Kovach	7.71



**"People who enjoy what they are doing invariably do it well." Joe Gibbs**

**"When you are through changing, you're through." Bruce Barton**



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 7PM - OPEN ACBL Wide Charity Game	3 NOON: 0-750 7:30PM - OPEN	4 10AM - OPEN 7 PM: 0-300	5 1PM: 0-300 Club Champ 7:30 PM - OPEN	6	7 1PM - OPEN Charity Game Birthday Celebrations
8	9 7PM - OPEN STAC	10 NOON - OPEN STAC 7:30 PM - OPEN STAC	11 10AM - OPEN STAC 7PM: 0-300 Club Champ	12 1PM: 0-300 Charity Game 7:30 PM - OPEN STAC	13	14 1PM - OPEN STAC
15	16 7PM: 0-1000	17 NOON: 0-750 7:30PM - OPEN	18 10AM - OPEN Club Champ 7PM: 0-300	19 1PM: No Game 7:30 - OPEN Christmas Party	20	21 1PM: OPEN
22	23 7PM: 0-1000	24 No Games 	25 Merry Christmas 	26 MABC Regional Charleston No Club Games	27 MABC Regional Charleston No Club Games	28 MABC Regional Charleston No Club Games
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