

Tricks & Treats

For Members of the Columbia Bridge Club

The Birthday Party was a special event coinciding with the ECAT's World Wide Contest. **Velma Lamp, Fran Jenkins and Marg Hill** hosted our event won in a close contest by **Dot Cole and Betty Caddell**. Eleven and a half tables competed and all enjoyed the brownies, date bars and chips. Mmmmm...date bars. Bring a plate just for me next time.

N/S	ECAT's World Wide Contest		E/W
1) Betty Caddell/Dot Cole	61.18%	1) Dodi DeFiori/Jeff Thomas	60.38%
2) Lil Hopkins/Emily O'Boyle	61.02	2) Maria and Bob Davis	58.51
3) Ken Fasching/Brian Lipscomb	60.43	3) Ardis Dalrymple/BJ Cornelia	57.16
4) Grace Bishop/Alvaree Hanley	54.30	4) Tom Overby/Harold Moore	51.63
5) Betty Warren/Hap Neuffer	51.30	5) Marika Hallosy/Bea Nelson	50.82

We were sorry to hear of the death of **David Collins** of a heart attack June 4. He was a good competitor on bridge nights and help with the club parties. Our condolences to his frequent partner **Marg Hill** and all the rest of his friends.

We have also been informed of the death of **Eve Elder** who liked to play Wednesdays and Saturdays since I've been here. I enjoyed knowing Eve and we extend condolences to all of her friends.

The membership party was **June 26**, Your hostess **Alice Moore** and **Lil Hopkins**. Certainly a great meal. Trophies and a token of the sweet smell of success were presented to the 2002-2003 winners. 15 tables stayed for bridge afterwards.

Congratulations to our newest Life Master, **Sibyl Pratt**. Needing a fraction of a Gold point, she of course scored w-a-a-a-y more than enough in the Augusta Regional.

Only double a cue bid of your suit if you want partner to lead something else. I had a whole paragraph built around the previous sentence ready to go until something strange happened at my table. And it happened again and again and again. All in the month of June. What is this reluctance to lead trump when you have a bad suit? I watched a declarer who reached 4S on a stayman sequence lose all 5 outstanding trumps (with a 3-2 split no less) when her suit was QTxx across from xxxx. I watched a declarer lose 2 top tricks, two ruffs and a finesse he never should have been put in the position of taking because he refused to lead trumps that were 9xxx across from Kxxx when he had a running 6 card side suit. When you have to cross-ruff to make the hand, fine. But when you have the Holy City and all you have to do is lose top trumps....get a trump on the table, lose them already, and cash the side winners without letting opponents score those spot card trumps!!!! You trying to make your partner crazy?

We are in the process of setting up two free two hour seminars on match point bidding with **Greg Mackey**, the winner of this year's Bob McMann trophy for match point game percentage. The first session will be 10:30 A.M. on Saturday July 19 and the second on Saturday August 16 also at 10:30. I enjoy playing with Greg. He has, obviously from his success, an effective approach that would amply repay you and your partner's time to audit. You and your best partner should attend and hash out what ideas you feel are most effective. Bring a sandwich, we'll have soda, make coffee and talk it over.

July 5th is a Saturday there might not be as many show up as other Saturdays. Let's all bring some finger food and do a little light picnicking to celebrate our county's birthday? See you there.

Congratulations to these winners

NAP 0-1000 6/3

- 1) Bea Nelson/Henry Momand
- 2) Mary Nichols/Dode DeFiori
- 3) Jean Mason/Bill Fogleman

NAP OPEN 6/3

- 1) Rose Watson/Brian Lipscomb
- 2) Betty Caddell/Dot Cole
- 3) Pat Webb/David Gottfried

0-500 Charity 6/5

- 1) Everett & Shirley Ness
- 2) Bea Hordych/Dode DeFiori
- 3) Lou Riddle/Melissa Day

Open Club Champ 6/17

- 1) Ellie Hack/Ogie Trifonov
- 2) Bob and Pat Webb
- 3) Lil Hopkins/Ardis Dalrymple

NAP Open 6/16

- 1) Everett Ness/Mary Townhill
- 2) Bea Nelson/Marika Hallosy
- 3) Martha Tennent/Ed Catalano

Open NAP 6/19

- 1) Bea Nelson/Ellie Hack
- 2) Hap Neuffer/Alice Moore
- 3) Pat Lauterbach/K Fasching

0-500 NAP 6/19

- 1) Bill Fogleman/Marianne Murphy
- 2) Maria and Robert Davis
- 3) Bruce and Tootsie Holland

Open NAP 6/21

- 1) Bill Fogleman/Jean Masson
- 2) Betty Caddell/Marilyn Wyatt
- 3) Carolyn Floyd/Lil Hopkins

NAP 0-1000 6/23

- 1) Jeff Thomas/Dode DeFiori
- 2) Everett and Shirley Ness
- 3) Bill Fogleman/Henry Momand

Club Champ 6/25

- 1) Bill Fogleman/Jean Mason
- 2) Velma Lamp/Marj Edens
- 3) Everett Ness/Rosa Shaw

N/S

Anniversary Party Game

- 1) Marj Edens/Genet Horning
- 2) Fran Jenkins/Bea Nelson
- 3) Hap Neuffer/Lukasz Lebioda

E/W

- 1) Bob and Pat Webb
- 2) Alice Moore/John MacGregor
- 3) Ken Fasching/Brian Lipscomb

The trophy races are finals, congratulations to our top competitors, especially those whose names appear on more than one list. New definitions for the trophy classes discussed next month.

Open Division			Bob McMann races (final)		Restricted points games	
Player	%	games played	Player	%	Games played	
1) Greg Mackey	55.80	61	1) Bea Nelson	56.73	38	
2) James Blackwell	54.90	77	2) Henry Momand	55.80	42	
3) Pat Lauterbach	54.31	93	3) Jeff Thomas	53.99	26	
4) Brian Lipscomb	54.17	105	4-5) Bob Davis	53.89	48	
5) Bob Webb	54.08	63	4-5) Maria Davis	53.89	48	
6) Joel Levy	53.84	42	6) Rosa Shaw	53.61	70	
7) Ken Fasching	53.65	115	7) Dan Davis	53.57	30	
8) Hap Neuffer	53.63	144	8) Henriette Morris	53.29	27	
9) Pat Webb	53.50	83	9) Marianne Murphy	53.18	39	
10-11) Gwen Beckman	53.19	62	10) Winkie Hancock	53.00	29	
10-11) Joyce Lauterbach	53.19	73				

June 2002/May 2003 Club Points Races (final)

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Hap Neuffer	141.13
2) Brian Lipscomb	132.08
3) Pat Lauterbach	102.27
4) Ken Fasching	97.25
5) Ellie Hack	80.23
6) Bea Nelson	79.06
7) Marika Hallosy	76.61
8) Alice Moore	70.55
9) Rosa Shaw	66.08
10) Pat Webb	65.15

Henry Mills 0-LM

Everett Ness	58.62
Arnold Levinson	53.34
Thomas Overby	46.10
Frances Lawton	44.15
Dorothy DeFiori	39.90
Mary Townhill	37.83
Bea Hordych	34.94
Betty Warren	34.27
Bernetha Henry	34.09
Brent Holcomb	32.35

Coleman Farrell 0-50

Brent Holcomb	32.35
Leck Mason	17.18
Elaine Wade	14.32
David West	13.85
Francis Kovach	13.51
Terry Moore	11.67
James Hutchinson	11.24
Patrick Austin	11.22
Jane Temple	11.03
Leonard Bifano	8.84

"Yesterday's over my shoulder. I can't look backward too long. There's too much to see waiting in front of me and I know that I just can't go wrong." Jimmy Buffet "Changes in Latitude"

July 2003

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