Washington Bridge League Fall Sectional Silver Spring Civic Building Silver Spring, MD ◆ October 16-19, 2025

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Thursday Various Locations	
Stratiflighted A/X (unlim/2000) & B/C/D (1000/500/300) pairs	10:30 am
Stratiflighted A/X (unlim/4000) & B/C/D (2500/1500/750) pairs	.7:30 pm
Stratiflighted A/X (unlim/4000) & B/C/D (2500/1500/750) pairs	.7:00 pm
Friday Silver Spring Civic Building	
Stratiflighted A/X (unlim/4000), B/C/D (2500/1500/750), and intermediate/newcomer (500/300/100) pairs	.10:30 am
Stratified A/X/Y (unlim/4000/2000) and under 750 (750/500/300) pairs,,	.3:00 pm
Saturday Silver Spring Civic Building Grass Roots Day = Regionally rated for extra masterpoints!!!	
Two-session Robinson Trophy A/X (unlimited/4000) pairs (2-session play-througentries allowed)	
B/C/D (2500/1500/750) pairs	10:30 am, 3 pm
Intermediate/newcomer (500/300/100) pairsNewcomer (0-20) pairs	
Sunday Silver Spring Civic Building	
Flights A/X (unlim/5000) Swiss	10:30 am & TBA
Bracketed flight B teams (2-session playthrough w/break) B Teams bracketed by total team masterpoints, no single player >3000	
bottom bracket may be played as Swiss teamsIntermediate/newcomer (500/300/100) pairs	

Stratified and stratiflighted events held as advertised as attendance allows (director's discretion)	

Stratification by average masterpoints of the team or pair. No individual may exceed the event's upper limit.

Open Chart applies to A/X games and stratified games, Basic+ Chart applies to Bracketed B teams, B/C/D pairs, under 750 pairs, and under 500 pairs, and Basic Chart applies to 0-20 pairs.

Events are single sessions unless indicated otherwise.

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Lots of intermediate & newcomer events with silver points!

The tournament will be held at the same new location as our April sectional: the Silver Spring Civic Building (see next page for more information)

Extra Points Saturday! All events on Saturday award regional-rated silver points. An additional \$1 will be added to your entry fee to support Grass Roots events in our local area.

The Robinson Trophy will be awarded to the winner of the 2-session Robinson Trophy Pairs game on Saturday.

Snacks and drinks at all sessions, lunch on your own. There are many restaurants serving a wide variety of cuisines within a few blocks of the tournament. See the restaurant guide here.

0-5 Masterpoint Players play FREE throughout.

Purchase your entry at the game using a credit card. Cash payments will not be accepted.

COVID policy: We appreciate players accommodating the health and safety of other players with medical concerns, and will have masks available at the tournament so that you can wear one if a pair of players wearing masks requests you to wear a mask while at their table.

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Locations:

Silver Spring Civic Building (Friday through Sunday) 1 Veterans Plaza, Silver Spring, MD

St. James Episcopal Church (Thursday 10:30 am) 11815 Seven Locks Road, Potomac, MD

Beth El Hebrew Congregation (Thursday 7 pm) 3830 Seminary Road, Alexandria, VA

Ohr Kodesh Congregation (Thursday 7:30 pm) 8300 Meadowbrook Lane, Chevy Chase, MD

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The Silver Spring Civic Building is located in vibrant downtown Silver Spring.

There are many restaurants serving a wide variety of cuisines located within a few blocks of the playing site. See the restaurant guide here.

The Montgomery County parking garage located across the street from the Civic Building (at 801 Ellsworth Drive) offers ample parking. Parking is payable at a rate of \$1.25 per hour on Friday and Saturday; parking is free on Sunday. If you have not already done so, we **HIGHLY** recommend that sometime prior to the tournament, you download one of the two available parking apps (ParkMobile or Passport Parking), install it on your phone and use it to pay for parking. Using one of these two apps to pay for parking, rather than using the kiosk, will be much faster and more efficient. For this sectional, parking for Friday and Saturday will be subsidized by a donation from Krauss Dansby Wealth Partners. The subsidy will be paid in the form of a reduction to your entry fee when you show your receipt for parking payment. On Saturday morning, there is typically a popular farmer's market in front of the Silver Spring Civic Building, so please leave extra time if you are going to pay at the kiosk rather than through one of the apps. Additionally, on Saturday morning you can only get to the parking garage from the north because Ellsworth Drive is blocked from the south.



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