

Unit 356



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June 2018

June Events

June 10

Member Appreciation Game
2 Sessions
Skyline

June 24

Unit Game
Adobe

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Welcome New Members

Andrew P Averill
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Joanne M Obrien
Louise Weiss
Nancy J Weiss

Contribute to the Kibitzer

The Kibitzer welcomes articles and information from players and clubs throughout our unit. Deadline for submissions are the 15th of the month.

Articles should be in word or text format, photos in .jpg format.

Adobe *By Lee Erdman*

April Results

Master Point Winners Under 1000

Sundaresan Ram 10.23; Monica Quinlan 7.10; Lee Erdman 5.13;
Linda Grissom 4.65; Brad Leach 4.54;

Master Point Winners 0 - 2500

Jared Boulds 11.27; Sundaresan Ram 10.23; Monica Quinlan 7.1;
William Schelstrate 5.81; Lee Erdman 5.13;

Master Point Winners Open

Jared Boulds 11.27; Martin Schiff 11.14; Sundaresan Ram 10.23;
Eric Swanson 7.73; William Howard 7.30.

65% games

Mike Levy - Martin Schiff 71.14; Sundaresan Ram - Tim Tilton 69.57;
Mike Levy - Jeff Lesser 69.44; Stephen Maltzman - Ron Vickery 69.32;
Jack Forbes - Jim Kolson 67.30; Martin Schiff - Sundaresan Ram 66.88;
Sundaresan Ram - Tim Tilton 66.44; Greg West - Robert Brussel 66.31;
Don and Helen Cherry 65.91; Ann Ecomidity - Nicolai Minenko 65.68;
Tim Tilton - Catherine Collinson 65.49; Ray Grady - Dave Douglass 65.34;
Ann Ecomidity - Sundaresan Ram 65.33; Martin Schiff - Sundaresan Ram 65.23.

Thunder Mountain Bridge Center *By James Cobis*

April Results

Top Ten Master Point Winners

Marjorie Dugas 4.31; Marc Hay 4.04; Paul Soper 2.92; Kaye Dean 2.60;
Joyce Davis 2.50; Bob Walton 2.57; Sully Frumenti 2.42; Jim Cobis 2.31;
Judy Shelnutt 2.13; Margaret Glenn 2.06.

65% games

Marc Hay - Marjorie Dugas 73.00.

Over 70% Games all Clubs

April Results

Deb & Drew Browning 74.48; Jack Shoemaker - Andy Stein 73.44; Marc Hay - Marjorie Dugas 73.00; Corinne Leachman - Bud Stein 72.81; Bill Barkley - Paul Black 70.19; Bruce Block - Bill Webster 71.21; Rollie & Darlene Armacost 71.15; Mike Levy - Martin Schiff 71.14; Sharon Eisenhauer - Carl Koprowicz 70.19.

Small Slams Bridge Club *By Joyce Honorof*

April Results

Top Ten Master Point Winners

Rudy Broyles 4.01; Suzanne Broyles 4.01; Mike Pickering 2.92; Jim Coe 2.84;
Terry Coe 2.84; Marilyn Baker 2.29; Tom Baker 2.29; Karen Muench 2.27;
Stephanie Parks 2.27; Carl Travor 1.96

65% games

Bruce Block - Bill Webster 71.21; Karen Muench - Stephanie Parks 66.86;
Rudy & Suzanne Broyles 66.48; Rudy & Suzanne Broyles 65.06.

Saguaro *By Doris Kuzmak*

April Results

Top Ten Master Point Winners

Court Smith 6.22; Nona Dale 5.98; Larry Hudgens 5.90; Emmanuel Vuvunas 5.83;
Mark Hess 4.81; Paul Black 4.71; Allen Bowman 3.61; Carol Gove 3.29;
Marvin Gove 3.29; Ann Stark 3.23

65% games

Nona Dale - Larry Hudgens 68.52; Carol Gove - Marvin Gove 67;
Ann Stark - Court Smith 65.36

Mike's Play and Learn Bridge *By Mike Smith*

April Results

Top Master Point Winners

Dorothy Hall 1.86; Kathy Klammer 1.56; Andy Stein 1.43; Jack Shoemaker 1.43

65% games

Deb & Drew Browning 74.48; Jack Shoemaker - Andy Stein 73.44;
Vonnie Erickson-Judy Bois 69.44; Pat & Ron Haupt 68.75;
Jane Smith - Carol Koretz 68.06; Dorothy Hall - Kathy Klammer 66.63;
Andy Stein - Jack Shoemaker 66.15

Green Valley *By Allen Bowman*

April Results

Top Ten Master Point Winners

Bob Baptist 17.43; Mary Baptisi 17.43; Fran Herrmann 17.36;
Corinne Leachman 13.93; Franz Schatz 13.23; Allen Bowman 11.88;
Ted Walden 11.70; Butch Vuvunas 11.40; Karen Eble 11.23;
Darlene Armacost 10.54;

65% games

Corinne Leachman - Bud Stein 72.81; Rollie & Darlene Armacost 71.15;
Bill Barkley - Paul Black 70.19; Corinne Leachman - Gary Mitchell 66.35;
Ken Grafton - Russ Stowers 69.68; Darlene Armacost - Mick Miller 68.98;
Al Bowman - Brenda Sonderegger 68.11; Fran Herrmann - Franz Schatz 67.95;
Bob & Mary Baptist 67.79; Corinne Leachman - Russ Stowers 67.73;
Bob & Mary Baptist 66.78; Corinne Leachman - Gary Mitchell 66.35;
Bill Hackbarth - Gene Maki 66.35; Dot Elliott - Edie Hawkins 66.1;
John Arnold - Nora Tkacz 66.03; Corinne Leachman - Gary Mitchell 65.38;
Karen Eble - Ted Walden 65.72;

99'er 65% games

Vera Breit - Irene Sullivan 68.75;

Tucson Charity Bridge *By Pat Felker*

April Results

Top Ten Master Point Winners

Elliott Weiss 8.64; Diann Plunkett 7.47; Paul Plunkett 7.47; Noel Justus 7.15;
Joseph Bianco 6.77; Lee Larson 6.49; Hurd Baruch 6.45; Robert Helitzer 6.03;
Arline henmann 5.96; John Piet 5.96.

65% GAMES

Sharon Eisenhower - Carl Koprowicz 70.19; Diane Galis - Hurd Baruch 69.94;
Susan Chaikin - Harriet Kronman 68.34; Robert Yanal - Elliot Weiss 67.79;
Kelly Bright - Russell Bright 67.77; Noel Justus - Morley Cooper 67.15;
James Kerr - Betsy Morrow 66.23; Joseph Bianco - Robert Heltizer 66.07;
James Kassebaum - Giff Kassebaum 65.87; James Kerr - Betsy Morrow 65.34.

DONATIONS

The club and individual donations allowed the group to donate \$3,820 to the Southern Arizona VA Health Care System (SAVAHCS) Fisher House located on the campus of the Tucson VA Medical Center, which provides a "home away from home" for loved ones of Veterans or Active Duty personnel receiving inpatient care from the Tucson VA..

The club also collected \$363 for the ABCL Education fund.



Recent Rank Advances

New Junior Masters:

Beverly Harpold
Jon D Sorenson

New Club Masters:

Bill Allen
Betty L Coleman
Anita J Froehlich
Nancy L Schooley

New Sectional Masters:

Bobbie Lambert

New Regional Masters:

Janet L West
Ann W Wood

Recent Rank Advances

New Bronze Life Masters:

James W Kassebaum

New Ruby Life Masters:

Pamela S Thaut

New Gold Life Masters:

Lawrence Dev De Lucia

New Platinum Life Masters:

Martin Schiff Jr

Thank you from Unit 356...

Member Appreciation Day

Great food and bridge in a beautiful setting!



June 10, 2018

Skyline Country Club

5200 East St. Andrews Drive, Tucson AZ 85718

Two Sessions

9 AM and 1:30 PM

\$25 per player

Buffet-style lunch includes wonderful salads, sandwich selections, desserts and beverages. Lunch begins at 12:30 p.m.

Pre-registration required. Deadline: Wednesday, June 6, 2018

Players names are required to gain access to the club

Please register by emailing Mindy Hawkins, mhawkins1949@gmail.com or complete the form below and return to The Adobe Bridge Center:

Playing Both Sessions

Playing Morning Only

Playing Afternoon Only

Non-life master section (0-749 masterpoints)

N/S only due to medical reasons

Name _____

Partner _____

To cancel , please call Mindy Hawkins 859-619-3765 or email mhawkins1949@gmail.com.

THURSDAY
JUNE
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Extra Masterpoints!
NLM & OPEN Sections
Pairs Game
Open To All Players



SADDLEBROOKE COUNTRY CLUB

64500 E. SaddleBrooke Blvd, Tucson, AZ. 85739

Sign In begins 8AM Game Time 9AM Luncheon at Noon

\$30 includes *game fee AND delicious buffet lunch, dessert, beverages*



ALL profits go to the Alzheimer's Association



SILENT AUCTIONS
50-50 CASH PRIZE RAFFLES
TAX DEDUCTIBLE DONATIONS

Reservations Required. Registration Deadline: June 15th

To Register, Email: TLDreservations@gmail.com

BRIDGE BITES #85

DON'T BE FOOLED

Brian Gunnell

♠ Q973 ♥ QJ98 ♦ J943 ♣ A		E-W Vulnerable <i>South West North East</i> 1♥ Pass 3♥ Pass 4♥ Pass Pass Pass
♠ JT86 ♥ K4 ♦ AQ5 ♣ QT32	<i>Dummy</i> <i>West East</i> <i>t</i> <i>Declarer</i>	As West, you lead the ♠J and the defense must conjure up 4 tricks. But be warned! Declarer is a tricky fellow, and some flim-flam is not entirely out of the question.

Your ♠J opening lead is covered by the Queen, King, Ace. Declarer leads a Club to Dummy's ♣A, and then takes the losing Heart finesse. After winning the ♥K it is time for West to ponder a while. Where will the defense find three more tricks?

Can the defense cash three Diamonds? Probably not, Declarer is favorite to hold the ♦K and, anyway, there's no rush, those Diamonds aren't going anywhere. It looks like there is a Spade to cash (based on the play of the ♠Q at Trick 1), but that also can wait. So you exit safely with a Heart and await developments. Declarer wins that in Dummy and leads a Diamond to his King and your Ace. Now what?

At this point it might seem obvious for West to cash the ♠T and the ♦Q for down one. But by now you should be getting suspicious. Something isn't quite adding up here, there's something fishy going on, what is it?

Why hasn't Declarer led a Spade to the board, setting up Dummy's Nine for a Diamond pitch? The reason is that Declarer doesn't have a second Spade! That squandering of the Queen at Trick 1 was a clever ruse, designed to fool you. So, what do you play next?

The only way to beat the contract now is to lead a casual *low* Diamond, hoping that Declarer will mis-guess and finesse the Diamond Nine. He probably will, and that will be down one! A fiendishly deceptive play is foiled by sound logic.

	♠ Q973 ♥ QJ98 ♦ J943 ♣ A	
♠ JT86 ♥ K4 ♦ AQ5 ♣ QT32	<i>Dummy</i> <i>West East</i> <i>Declarer</i>	♠ K542 ♥ 32 ♦ T82 ♣ 9864
	♠ A ♥ AT765 ♦ K76 ♣ KJ75	

It would have been very easy for West to fall in the trap of slipping into auto-pilot mode after the play at Trick 1, basing his defense entirely on the assumption that Declarer had at least one more Spade. It helps to give count signals when possible when Declarer plays a suit, in order for the defenders to get a count on the hand. So, when Declarer crossed to Dummy's ♣A, East and West should both play the highest Club they can afford in order to show an even number. Later, when a Diamond is led from the board, East plays the Two to show an odd number. This will point to Declarer starting with 1=5=3=4 distribution, and another clue for West that Declarer was up to no good when he played the ♠Q at Trick 1!

WEEKLY CLUB SCHEDULES

Club	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Adobe Bridge Club (JLee Erdman Club Manager) 401 E Limberlost 795-2441 adoblebridge@qwestoffice.net www.bridgewebs.com/adobe	1:00pm Open	9.00 am 499'er 12:30pm Open & 499	9.00 am 299'er 12:30pm Open	9.00 am 299'er & Mentor Game 12:30pm Open & 499	12:30pm Open	12:30pm Open	1:00pm Open
Green Valley Duplicate Bridge Club Games Open to Members and Guests Only (Al Bowman—Club Manager) 3660 S Camino Del Sol albowmangv@cox.net gvbridge.com		1:00pm Inv Canoa			1:00pm Inv Canoa	1:00pm Inv Canoa	
High Desert Hands (Carol L Erbeck, Club Manager) 1270 Treasure Road, Pearce 520-559-7894 carol@crazyedoptical.com						12:00pm	
Mike's Play and Learn Bridge (Michael D Smith, Club Manager) 520-820-1757 5360 E Pima St Tucson AZ 85712 mikesmith55@cox.net						12:30 199'er	
Mountain View Duplicate Bridge Club (Jo Ann Aiken, Club Manager) 38759 Mountain View Blvd, SaddleBrooke - 818-1727 jotax123@aol.com www.bridgewebs.com/mountainview/			1:00pm			1:00pm	
Saguaro Duplicate Bridge Club (Doris Kuzmak, Director/Manager) 600 S La Canada Dr 625-4027 or 237-1959 dldkay@cox.net gvbridge.com							12:30pm Open
Thunder Mountain Bridge Center 240 N Hwy 90 (James Cobis , Club Manager) P.O. box 839, Bisbee, Arizona 85603 or 520-366-1866 jacobisab@gmail.com		12:30pm		12:30pm		12:30pm	9:00am 1:00pm
Tucson Charity Bridge (Ruth Houkom, Club Manager) 5360 E Pima Street, Tucson charitybridge@comcast.net www.tucsoncharitybridge.com		12.30 999 (St Alban's)	12:30pm 749 (Streams)		12:30pm 749 (Streams)		9:00am 999 (Streams)
Small Slams Bridge Club Open to SaddleBrooke and SaddleBrooke Ranch residents and their guests only (Joyce Honorof Club Manager) SaddleBrooke HOA #1 Activity Center and Clubhouse 64518 Galveston Lane; Tucson, AZ 85739 SmallSlamsBridgeClub@gmail.com www.bridgewebs.com/smallslams/					1.00pm 749	1.00pm 20	

SPECIAL EVENTS SCHEDULE – June 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					June 1	June 2
					NAP AD, MVBC World Wide Bridge Contest TM	World Wide Bridge Contest AD, TM, TCB
June 3	June 4	June 5	June 6	June 7	June 8	June 9
NAP AD	GRF AD	NAP AD CC MVBC	CG AD		CC AD	NAP SA
June 10	June 11	June 12	June 13	June 14	June 15	June 16
Member Appreciaton Game Skyline	GRF AD			CG AD	NAP AD, MVNC	
June 17	June 18	June 19	June 20	June 21	June 22	June 23
CG Swiss Adobe	GRF AD	CG AD NAP MVBC		The Longest Day SS See Flyer NAP AD	CC AD	CG AD
June 24	June 25	June 26	June 27	June 28	June 29	June 30
Unit Game Adobe	GRF AD CG GV	NAP AD, MVBC		CG GV	CC AD CG GV	CC SA

Abbreviations: AD– Adobe, MV – Mountain View, SA –Saguaro, TM – Thunder Mountain, GV - Green Valley, HDH - High Desert Hands, TCB - Tucson Charity Bridge, MPL - Mikes Play and Learn, SS - Small Slams;
B -Birthdays, **BAM** -Board-a-Match, **CAC** – Club Appreciation Championship, **CC** – Club Championship, **CG** - Charity Game, **MAG**—Member Appreciation Game, **NLM** – Non Life Master, **IN** – Intermediate /Novice, **SFG**—Special Fund Game, **SR**—Sectionally Rated, **ST**— Swiss Teams, **UWC**—Unit Wide Championship, **AMB**--Membership Game, **GNT** - GNT Qualifier, **NAP** - North American Pair Qualifier, * See write-up under club; **ACG** - ACBL Wide Charity Game