

Long Beach Unit
September 15, 2016

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August 21 Unit Game: Overall results: 1st in A: Steve Skinner/Jackie Hess, 2nd Colleen Bilas/Sean Lui, 3rd Jo and John Melis, 4th Mark Raggio/Sheryl Kohlhoff, 5th John Petrie/Sankar Reddy, 6th Paul Pettler/Janet Logan. In the B flight overalls: 4th Peggy Waite/Hashim Mahmood, 5th Joyce Henderson/Pamela Cole, 6th Eva Mroz/Penny Wentworth. In the C flight overalls: 1st John Hagman/Alan Olschwang, 2nd Bettyanne Houts/Nancy Toussaint, 3rd Lynn Johnson/Rosemary Ford. And in the NLM section Judy and Thomas Percer were 1st. Congratulations to all!

70+% GAMES: Aug 16 through Sept 15: In the NLM game Aug 16 Bill Heck/Jim Werner had 73.13%. In the NLM Aug 20 Bill Heck/Jim Werner had 71.67%. In the evening game Aug 24 Mark Itabashi/Mitch Dunitz had 70.24%. In the NLM evening game Aug 29 Darlene Harrison/Lynn Danielson had 70.31%. In the open game Aug 31 George Welsh/Earl VanDerVord had 73.21%. In the evening game Sept 7 Jo Melis/Kay Tseng had 70%. In the NLM game Sept 13 Jim Werner/Bill Heck had 73.33%. And in the open game Sept 15 Shirley Carroll/Steve Mager had 71.63%. Congratulations all!

BIG MASTER POINT AWARDS Aug 16 through Sept 15: In the unit game Aug 21 Steve Skinner/Jackie Hess won 4.08mp for 1st, Colleen Bilas/Sean Lui 3.06mp for 2nd. Sept 12 Earl VanDerVord/George Welsh won 3.65mp for 1st. Sept 13 Sherman Gao/Pei Chen won 5.25mp for 1st, Steve Mager/Ted Gibbs 3.94mp for 2nd. Sept 14 Bill Wilson/Bob Goodman won 3.65mp for 1st in the afternoon game and Mary Singer/George Derevjanik won 3.35mp for 1st in the evening game. And in the open game Sept 15 Shirley Carroll/Steve Mager won 3.65mp for 1st. Congratulations to all!

NEW MEMBERS: Allen Buchanan, Janice Gorham, Asya Kamsky, Linda Lane.

STATUS CHANGES: New Regional Master: William Heck

CONDOLENCES to the family and friends of Jo Daigle who passed away late last month.

GET WELL WISHES to Eileen Nelson

UP-COMING EVENTS AT THE CLUB:

Sept 18-24: Club Championship Week. Extra points, regular prices.

Sept 19 is Talk Like a Pirate Day. Extra points, regular prices.

Sept 22 Inter-Club Championship game. Big points to the winners if you rank nationally.

Sept 25: Unit Game at 1 pm. Card fees \$8. Players with points from 0 to 199 pay \$1.99.

Oct 3-9: Club Appreciation Week. Extra points, regular prices.

Oct 9: monthly LBBC team game.

Oct 14: ACBL-wide Instant Matchpoint Game. Extra points. Card fee: \$13.

Oct 23: Unit Game 1pm. Card fees \$8. Players with points from 0 to 199 pay \$1.99.

Oct 24-30: Club Championship Week. Extra points, regular prices.

Oct 31: Unit-rated Halloween Game. Costume contest with special prizes. Regular prices.

NEWS FROM LEISURE WORLD BRIDGE CLUBS- Judy Carter-Johnson

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CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP Sept 12-- Clubhouse #3: Lorna Wallace/Larry Topper 1 in A. Hanefi Erten/Arne Lier 2 in A, 1 in B. Cookie Pham/Ellen Kice 3 in A, 2 in B, 1 in C. Chie Wickham/Alan Olschwang 4 in A. 3 in B. Sue Boswell/Paul Chen 5 in A, 4 in B, 2 in C. Kathryn Moore/Dee Park 6 in A, 5 in B, 3 in C.

GET WELL wishes to Jaye Woodington, Jean Byer , Cole Sachs (husband of our Monday Director).

70% games: Joyce Henderson and Howard Smith had a 70.35% game on Sept 5.

IRVINE REGIONAL ...Some of our members who scored points are: Stan Johnson, Louise Seifert, Howard Smith, and Joan Tschirki

REMINDER: ACBL classifies Leisure World bridge games as “invitational” meaning non-resident guests must secure an advance reservations. Games are held on Monday/Thursday at clubhouse #3 at 12:15. For reservations call: Monday—Midge Dunagan (562) 594 9686 –Thursday—Cookie Pham (562) 431 6453. Phone number for clubhouse #3--Late arrivals, last minute reservations, last minute cancellations, need a partner--After 12:00 noon: (562) 481 7368. Games are held on Friday/Saturday at clubhouse #1 at 12:15. For reservations please call: Friday—Jeanette Estill (714) 647 2609 –Saturday—Joan Tschirki--(303) 805 2729.

Any news for next month’s column, please e mail me @ jcj90740@gmail.com results of all Leisure World games are posted on www.acblunit557.org