



Unit 534 Chatter

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Early Request for Unit 534 Board of Directors Candidates.

Several of our current board members have indicated that they will not run for another term after this year.

Please consider being a candidate for election to the Board of Directors...they need your help.

The board's main job is to:

1. Manage the Unit Business:
 - Sectional Tournaments.
 - Education Programs.
 - Unit Games.
 - The Chatter.
 - Unit Web Site.

The board normally meets 4 times a year, just before a Unit Game.

Formal nominations for candidates will start in August and continue thru Sept. Balloting/Voting will start in October and conclude with the November Unit Game.

Please contact one of the current board members if you are willing to serve.

THANK YOU!!

Dennis Boomgaarden, having served on the board for approximately 15 years, most of it as President, has decided to pursue other activities. He will resign at the end of the year.

Charlie Fox having served many years will resign at the end of this year.

Peggy Cowherd has announced she will not run for the board again.

RECOVERY ROOM

Del Gero is recovering from a painful muscle disease.

Mary Glagau had a pacemaker put in and is recovering in Orange County.

Evelyn Guilliat has suffered a re-occurrence and is back on chemo therapy.

Jack Guilliat is under care in the Village.

Unit Game Financial Report will appear next issue.

NEW GAME IN TOWN

By the time you read this, you'll probably know that a new game has started in Temecula.

Once a month, on the 2nd Friday, Debbie Cameron is running a Pot Luck Dinner and Bridge game at the Mary Phillips Sr. Center. Dinner time: 6:00, Game time: 6:30.

Each game should be a charity game or a Club Championship game.

Debbie wants this to be a "very friendly" "have fun" game, no marginal Director calls.

Players are expected to bring a dish, otherwise, an "extra fee" may be imposed.

June Birthdays

7	Suzanne	Raymond
8	Del	Gero
16	Anita	Kingsbury
16	Flo	McClanahan
17	Gladys	Ernst
17	Joyce	Jacobsen
17	Rick	Kerbel
21	Rebecca	Dunscombe
21	Marion	Fawcett
23	Jim	Wooden
24	Simeon	Stern
25	Peter	Matthews
27	Keman	Ronan
28	Josie	Haring
29	Arden	Boomgaarden

A space looking for some horizontal enhancement..

E-mail us if you know a good source for horizontals

Thank You.

Someone once said "Find a need and fill it."

We need to fill this space with something more meaningful.

Membership Achievements

New Member: Michael Rausch
WELCOME TO UNIT 534!

New Sectional Masters: Michael Conners.
New Bronze Life Masters: Mo Anvari,
Cecil Leach.

Rick Kerbel has agreed to taking over as Webmaster for the Unit Web Site. Thank him when you see him.

Have a good time. *Bridge is for fun. You should play the game for no other reason. You should not play bridge to make money, to show how smart you are, or to show how stupid your partner is....or to prove any of the several hundred other things bridge players are so often trying to prove.* Bridge legend Charles Goren. Marty Bergen's "21 Rules of Being a Good Partner."

Standard American Yellow Card Opening Bid Requirements				
Bid	Point	Min.	Conventional	Responder's
	Count	Length	Meaning	Special Bids
1 C	12- 20 *	3	See notes 1 - 2	1NT = 6-10 hcp non forcing, no 4 cd maj.
1 D	12- 20 *	3	See notes 1 - 2	1NT = 6-10 hcp non forcing, no 4 cd maj.
1 H	12- 20 *	5	See notes 1 - 2	2NT = Jacoby, game forcing
1 S	12- 20 *	5	See notes 1 - 2	2NT = Jacoby, game forcing
1NT	15 - 17	Balanced		Stayman (2C), Jacoby xfer
				2S = xfer- I have a 6+ card minor.
				2NT = Invitation to 3NT
				3C or 3D 6+ card suit, invite to 3NT.
				3H or 3S 6+ card suit with slam interest.
				Also see note 4.
2C	22+		Strong, Artificial	See Note 3.
2D	6 - 11 *	6	Weak	2NT = game interest, do you have outside feature?
2H	6 - 11 *	6	Weak	2NT = game interest, do you have outside feature?
2S	6 - 11 *	6	Weak	2NT = game interest, do you have outside feature?
2NT	20 - 21	Balanced		Stayman (3C), Jacoby xfer
3NT	25 - 27	Balanced		Stayman (4C), Jacoby xfer
3x	6 - 10	7	Pre-emptive	
4x	6 - 10	8	Pre-emptive	
				* = point count may vary + or - by instructor, author, etc.
Note 1	Balanced hand, not 15-17.			
	With 4-4 in the minors, open 1D. With 3-3, open 1C. 1D if shape is 4432.			
	Unbalanced hands: always open the longest suit.			
	With two 5+ card suits, always open the higher level suit.			
Note 2	After a 1 level response, 1NT = 13/16, 2NT = 19/21.			
Note 3	2C-2D response in a relay or waiting but other bids positive and specific. (2NT = 8 hcp, balanced.) 2C-2D--2NT sequence = 22-24 hcp. After 2C - 2D, bidding is forcing to 3 of opener's major or 4 of opener's minor.			
Note 4	After 1NT (Dbl), Stayman and transfers apply. After 1NT is overcalled, Stayman & transfers do not apply. Cue bid is strong.			
Note 5	2NT response (Jacoby 2NT) to 1H or 1S is game forcing, agreeing trumps + slam interest. Opener bids 3 of a non-trump suit to show singleton/void, or else shows point count by bid of 4 of trump suit to show max-no slam interest. 3NT = 15 -17. 3 of trump suit = 18+ hcp & slam interest.			
	These sequences conform to the SAYC (Standard American Yellow Card) system.			

Did you know that the following conventions are used in Standard American Yellow Card? Doubles: Negative, Takeout, Penalty, & Redoubles. Also Jacoby Transfers, 4NT Blackwood (Std.), Michaels cue bid, Jacoby 2NT, Gerber over NT, Unusual 2NT, Weak 2 & 3 openers. Strong 2 Club Openers (2D response = waiting), Reverses, Grand slam force, 4th-suit xfers, Texas xfers, DOPI. Other features: Negative doubles thru 2 spades, 8-16 HCP simple overcall, 1 NT opener = 15-17 HCP. 1NT overcall = 15-18 HCP, 2D-2H-2S opener = weak (5-11 HCP).

Club Masterpoint Leaders for May

Mon/Wed Sun City DBC: 3.76 Doug Murphey, Cathy Garvin; 2.83 Mo Anvari, Ali Selim; 2.62 Irene Hoffman; 2.41 Berna Lord; 2.36 Elaine Putman; 2.29 Ben Brock; 2.28 Cle Nelson, Jim Eves; 2.05 Faye Miller; 1.85 Barbara Baisden; 1.67 Ruth Kile; 1.54 Marguerite Jungles; 1.51 Helen Telford; 1.47 Monty Fisher; 1.36 Marguerite Price; 1.34 Lois Bevins; 1.16 LaVerne Nielsen; 1.11 Judy McManus, Donna Seyfried.

Monday Hemet: 3.04 Bill/Rosemary Dimitt; 2.57 William Wellman; 2.23 Karen/Duane McComb; 2.16 Blair Bowen; 1.90 Larry Iannotti; 1.84 Pauline Gilbert; 1.43 Barbara Revels; 1.38 Kenneth Chia; 1.34 Cyrus Rezayat; 1.33 Peggy Bailey; 1.20 Mary Ellen Petersen/Bob Lortie; 0.86 Carl Hoerberling; 0.84 Fred Fairbanks; 0.73 Karen Brandt; 0.68 Itsuko Barton/Donna Guillaume; 0.64 Marie/Richard Lawrence; 0.55 George Spillers/Margo Olson; 0.54 Joann Thoresen; 0.49 Bill Williams; 0.35 Mary Terell; 0.24 Robert/Judith McManus

Tuesday Murrieta: 5.32 Ali Selim; 3.26 Mo Anvari; 3.10 Cleland Nelson; 2.97 Carol Wood; 2.53 Carolyn Waska; 2.50 Jamie Santistevan; 2.45 Sherril Maag; 2.43 Marlene Koerner; 2.22 Rami Mina; 2.16 Fred Kunkle; 2.01 Anne Maxfield; 1.98 Cyrus Rezayat/Fred Fairbanks; 1.87 Douglass Murphey; 1.64 Harvey Lesser; 1.62 Mary Palmquist; 1.50 Bill Papa/James Griffin Jr; 1.46 Bill Williams; 1.19 Suzanne Raymond; 1.14 Bob/Frances Jackson; 0.90 James Wooden/Edwin Oldham; 0.83 Patricia Hawkins.

Wednesday Temecula: 4.44 Cleland Nelson; 3.96 Marlene Koerner; 3.81 Joseph Eves; 3.13 James Wooden/Bill Williams; 2.71 Ali Selim; 2.66 Doug Vanderheide; 2.28 Lucille Lockwood; 1.99 Mo Anvari; 1.79 Fran White/Wicker Gamble; 1.38 Virginia Hoppe; 1.34 Cari Reuter; 1.27 Philip Machamer/Cecil Leach; 1.26 Marilyn Rumsey; 1.21 Vince Tomasulo/Felicia Hogan; 1.18 Margy Jiran/Lloyd Scott; 1.16 Bob/Frances Jackson; 1.12 Joyce Cellilli; 0.96 Richard Duquette/Glenn Lavering; 0.94 Debra Cameron.

Thursday Hemet: 4.41 Duane/Karen McComb; 3.16 Barbara Revels; 2.49 Robert Nye; 2.39 Larry Iannotti; 2.26 Marie/Richard Lawrence; 2.17 Karen Brandt; 2.07 Fred Fairbanks; 1.93 Kymber Hoover; 1.84 Peggy Bailey; 1.84 Cyrus Rezaya/Cleland Nelson; 1.43 Morgan Roberts/Carl Hoerberling; 1.35 Judith McManus; 1.34 Mary Ellen Petersen; 1.21 George Spillers; 1.13 Joann Thoresen/Pauline Gilbert; 1.09 Herb Bernstein; 1.04 Donna Guillaume/Itsuko Barton; 0.91 Bob Lortie/Charlotte Cross

Thursday Temecula: 4.04 Marlene Koerner; 3.82 James Wooden; 3.04 Joseph Eves; 2.84 Joyce Cellilli; 2.32 Edwin Oldham; 1.98 Douglass Murphey; 1.97 Charles Fox/Peggy Cowherd; 1.82 Mo Anvari; 1.71 Mary Palmquist; 1.62 Anne Maxfield; 1.61 Carol Wood; 1.54 Reginald Fujimoto; 1.19 Arden/Dennis Boomgaarden; 1.12 Anita Kingsbury/Berna Lord; 1.11 Harvey Lesser; 1.06 Jamie Santistevan; 0.86 Janet Gleason/Sherril Maag; 0.84 W. Faye Miller; 0.71 Ali Selim; 0.70 Carolyn Waska; 0.60 Donna Seyfried/Jean Wooden; 0.50 Ruth Brandt; 0.28 Darrell Waska; 0.22 Sally Carell; 0.20 David Mielke/Fred Kunkle.

Friday Sun City: 3.25 Beatrice Corley; 3.16 Cleland Nelson; 2.89 Kenneth Chia; 2.48 Peggy Bailey; 2.36 Joseph Eves; 2.33 Carl Hoerberling; 2.32 Bill Williams; 2.18 Douglass Murphey; 2.18 Cathy Garvin; 2.07 Mo Anvari; 2.07 Harvey Lesser; 1.87 James Wooden; 1.85 Joyce Cellilli; 1.75 Sherril Maag; 1.50 Anne Maxfield; 1.35 Del Gero; 1.35 Shirley Gero; 1.19 Barbara Baisden; 1.12 Berna Lord; 1.12 Carol Wood; 1.07 Peggy Cowherd; 1.07 Janet Gleason; 0.98 William Wellman; 0.83 Fred Fairbanks; 0.83 Cyrus Rezayat.

Saturday Temecula: 3.00 Fran White; 2.68 Gary Carman/Dale Klinzing; 2.68 Bill Williams; 2.01 Philip Machamer/Suzanne Raymond/Cecil Leach; 2.01 Magdalene Krish; 1.96 Mo Anvari/Ali Selim; 1.62 Cari Reuter; 1.51 Sherril Maag/Carol Wood; 1.42 Joseph Eves/Cleland Nelson; 1.31 Rick Kerbel; 1.16 Berna Lord; 1.15 Dennis/Arden Boomgaarden; 1.07 Charles Fox/Harold Long; 0.99 Janice Pond/Caryn Villalon/Alan Lasnover/Virginia Hoppe; 0.99 Lance Eddy/Josephine Haring/Lucille Lockwood/Peggy Cowherd; 0.90 Marlene Koerner; 0.89 Rami Mina; 0.73 Reginald Fujimoto/Harvey Lesser; 0.63 Chuck Savage/Marilyn Rumsey

UNIT GAME MASTERPOINT WINNERS - June 12, 2011

Results for this game will be reported in the July issue.

Stellar Games

Level A 2500 + MP: None Reported.

Level Ax 750-2500 MP: None Reported.

Level B: 300-749: None Reported.

Level C: 100-299: None Reported.

Level D: 0-99: None Reported.

Ask The Director For a Free Unit Game Play (if you are a paid up member of Unit 534).

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We try to publish by the 8th of the month, or, no later than the Unit Game.

Also posted on www.acbldistrict22.com/534 Chatter & Club News.

June 2011				
DATE	DAY	TIME	EVENT	LOCATION / NOTE
8	Wed	12:00	Charity Pairs	Mary Phillips Sr Ctr-Temecula
9	Thur	12:15	Charity Pairs	Simpson Center-Hemet
9	Thur	1:00	Charity Pairs	Mary Phillips Sr Ctr-Temecula
10	Fri	12:00	Charity Pairs	Masonic Lodge-Sun City
10	Fri	6:00	POT LUCK/Charity Pairs	Mary Phillips Sr Ctr-Temecula
11	Sat	11:30	Swiss Teams/Charity	Mary Phillips Sr Ctr-Temecula
12	Sun	1:00	UNIT GAME	Sierra Dawn-Hemet
14	Tues	12:30	Charity Pairs	Murrieta Senior Center
15	Wed	12:00	Club Championship	Mary Phillips Sr Ctr-Temecula
18	Sat	11:30	Club Championship	Mary Phillips Sr Ctr-Temecula
21	Tues	1:00	Club Championship	Murrieta Senior Center
23	Thur	1:00	Club Championship	Mary Phillips Sr Ctr-Temecula
24	Fri	12:00	Club Championship	Masonic Lodge-Sun City
July 2011				
DATE	DAY	TIME	EVENT	LOCATION / NOTE
JULY 11-17			STAC Pairs-District 23	Check w/director
4	Mon		4th of July Holiday	
4	Mon	12:30	OPEN (regular pairs game)	Civic Hall-Sun City
4	Mon		CLOSED	Simpson Center-Hemet
6	Wed	11:30	ALL AMERICAN PICNIC	Civic Hall-Sun City
6			Hot Dogs, Beans, Potato Salad, Apple Pie, Ice Cream	
6	Wed		SIGN UP REQUIRED	Civic Hall-Sun City
6	Wed	12:30	Regular Pairs Game	Civic Hall-Sun City
8	Fri	6:00	POT LUCK/Charity Pairs	Mary Phillips Sr Ctr-Temecula
9	Sat	11:30	Swiss Teams/Charity	Mary Phillips Sr Ctr-Temecula
10	Sun	1:00	UNIT GAME	Civic Hall Sun City
12	Tues	12:30	STAC Pairs	Murrieta Senior Center
13	Wed	12:00	STAC Pairs	Mary Phillips Sr Ctr-Temecula
14	Thur	12:15	Charity Pairs	Simpson Center-Hemet
14	Thur	1:00	STAC Pairs	Mary Phillips Sr Ctr-Temecula
15	Fri	12:00	STAC Pairs	Masonic Lodge-Sun City
16	Sat	11:30	STAC Pairs	Mary Phillips Sr Ctr-Temecula
19	Tues	12:30	Charity Pairs	Murrieta Senior Center
20	Wed	12:00	Charity Pairs	Mary Phillips Sr Ctr-Temecula
21	Thur	1:00	Charity Pairs	Mary Phillips Sr Ctr-Temecula
22	Fri	12:00	Charity Pairs	Masonic Lodge-Sun City
25	Mon	12:30	Club Championship	Civic Hall-Sun City

Fall Sectional
 Nov. 18-19-20, 2011
 Webb Hall
 Sun City

Summer Sectional
 June 1-2-3, 2012
 Comm. Rec. Center
 Temecula

June 12, Sierra Dawn Hemet UNIT GAMES July 10, Civic Hall