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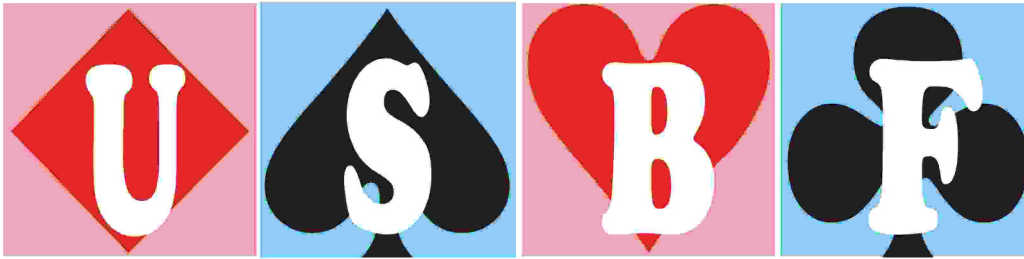
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Oldies and Goodies

Detroit is nearly one million people coming from more than 100 ethnic and nationality groups, giving an exciting diversity to the city. Together with its Canadian sister city, Windsor, Detroit represents the largest metropolitan area on any international border in the world. Despite a 4,000 mile long common border, approximately one-third of all U.S. - Canadian border crossings take place here. And where else can you drive straight south to enter Canada? Detroit's international flavor is further enhanced by the steady stream of ships passing by on the Detroit River, one of the busiest inland waterways in the world. The river carries more shipping traffic than any other river in North America and Detroit ranks as one of the major U.S. ports. The opening of the St. Lawrence Seaway in 1959 made Detroit an international port and nearly 1,000 foreign ships use the Port of Detroit facilities annually.

Detroit's eye-catching Civic Center borders the river at the foot of Woodward Avenue. Dominated by the grandeur of the ultra-modern Renaissance Center (world headquarters for General Motors) with its towering 72-story Marriott Hotel, the riverfront area features scores of handsome buildings surrounded by gardens including the Veteran's Memorial Building, the City-County Building, the Ford Auditorium, Cobo Conference/Exhibition Center, Joe Louis Sports Arena, and the Hart Plaza--a vital riverfront park designed by sculptor Isamu Noguchi featuring the Dodge Fountain, a futuristic creation. Modern office buildings, luxury condominiums, and apartments adjoin this area. But Detroit is more than just buildings!

Detroit is Symphony -- and a very fine one at that. In the winter season, the Symphony performs at Orchestra Hall and summer brings cabaret concerts and the outdoor Meadow Brook Festival. And, as a Detroit tradition, ticket subscribers who can't attend a particular concert call the box office prior to curtain time to make their tickets available to students that day for a reduced price.

Detroit is Theatre -- the Fisher (just north of Wayne State's campus), Star, and Gem theatres feature top-flight productions. "The Wiz", "Annie" and "Cats" all enjoyed long runs in Detroit and many pre-Broadway hits are included on the playbill. In addition, the Hilberry Theatre on Wayne State's campus features one of the country's only graduate repertory theaters.

Detroit is Sports -- For the spectator sports enthusiast, Detroit boasts the Pistons basketball, Lions football, Red Wings hockey, and Tigers baseball teams.

Detroit is a Melting Pot -- and proud of it. There are at least 67 designated ethnic communities within Detroit (such as the Swedes, Albanians, Yugoslavians, African-Americans, Belgians, Mexican, Polish and Lebanese). This ethnic conglomeration is featured all through the summer with a series (every week) of three-day free ethnic festivals at the riverfront Hart Plaza.

Ladies First: Teams Entered In Seeding Order

"I like to play blackjack. I'm not addicted to gambling, I'm addicted to sitting in a semi-circle."

-Mitch Hedberg

Dinkin Bye to RR2	Lynn Baker Lynn Deas Kerri Sanborn Sam Dinkin, NPC	Karen McCallum Beth Palmer Irina Levitina
Westheimer	Valerie Westheimer, Capt Mildred Breed Rozanne Pollack	Hjordis Eythorsdottir Shawn Quinn Cheri Bjerkan
Joel Bye to RR2	Geeske Joel, Capt Debbie Rosenberg Janice Seamon-Molson	Tobi Sokolow Jill Levin Jill Meyers
Moss	Sylvia Moss, Capt Migry Zur Campanile	Judi Radin JoAnna Stansby
Mancuso	Renee Mancuso, Capt Kathleen Sulgrove Georgiana Gates	Sheri Winestock Brenda Bryant Patricia Griffin
Sprung	JoAnn Sprung Sally Wheeler Carole Miner Danny Sprung, NPC	Janet Robertson Cindy Bernstein Cynthia Balderson
Lewis	Linda Lewis, Capt Cathy Strauch Beverly Gardner	Suzy Burger Linda McGarry Jo Anne Casen
Bales	Toni Bales, Capt Terry James Lee De Simone	Anita Torrence Cheryl Schneider Kay Enfield

A woman has twins, and gives them up for adoption. One of them goes to a family in Egypt and is named "Amal." The other goes to a family in Spain; they name him "Juan". Years later, Juan sends a picture of himself to his mum. Upon receiving the picture, she tells her husband that she wishes she also had a picture of Amal. Her husband responds, "But they are twins. If you've seen Juan, you've seen Amal."

Little Johnny came downstairs bellowing lustily. His mother asked, "What's the matter now?" "Dad was hanging pictures, and just hit his thumb with a hammer," said Johnny through his tears. "That's not so serious," soothed his mother. "I know you're upset, but a big boy like you shouldn't cry at something like that. Why didn't you just laugh?" "I did!" sobbed Johnny.

Two confirmed bachelors sat talking, their conversation drifted from politics to cooking. "I got a cookbook once," said one, "but I could never do anything with it." "Too much fancy work in it, eh?" asked the other. "You said it. Every one of the recipes began the same way - "Take a clean dish."

Women's Schedule

Day	Date	Time	Stage
Monday	June 6	10:30 am	Captains' Meeting
Monday & Tuesday	June 6 June 7	11:00 am - 10:30 pm	Round Robin 2
SEMI-FINAL			
Wednesday	June 8	11:00 am - 1:20 pm 1:35 - 3:55 3:55 - 6:00 6:00 - 8:20 8:35 - 10:55	Boards 1-16 Boards 17-32 Dinner break Boards 33-48 Boards 49-64
FINAL & USA2 SEMI-FINAL			
Thursday	June 9	11:00 am - 1:20 pm 1:35 - 3:55 3:55 - 6:00 6:00 - 8:20 8:35 - 10:55	Boards 1-16 Boards 17-32 Dinner break Boards 33-48 Boards 49-64
Friday	June 10	11:00 am - 1:20 pm 1:35 - 3:55 3:55 - 6:00	Boards 65-80 Boards 81-96 Dinner Break
USA2 FINAL			
Friday	June 10	6:00 - 8:20 8:35 - 10:55	Boards 1-16 Boards 17-32
Saturday	June 11	11:00 am - 1:20 pm 1:35 - 3:55 3:55 - 6:00 6:00 - 8:20 8:35 - 10:55	Boards 33-48 Boards 49-64 Dinner break Boards 65-80 Boards 81-96

Top 45 Oxymoron's:

45. Act naturally
44. Found missing
43. Resident alien
42. Advanced BASIC
41. Genuine imitation
40. Airline Food
39. Good grief
38. Same difference
37. Almost exactly
36. Government organization
35. Sanitary landfill
34. Alone together
33. Legally drunk
32. Silent scream
31. Living dead
30. Small crowd
29. Business ethics
28. Soft rock
27. Butt Head
26. Military Intelligence
25. Software documentation
24. New classic
23. Sweet sorrow
22. Childproof
21. "Now, then ..."
20. Synthetic natural gas
19. Passive aggression
18. Taped live
17. Clearly misunderstood
16. Peace force
15. Extinct Life
14. Temporary tax increase
13. Computer jock
12. Plastic glasses
11. Terribly pleased
10. Computer security
9. Political science
8. Tight slacks
7. Definite maybe
6. Pretty ugly
5. Twelve-ounce pound cake
4. Diet ice cream
3. Working vacation
2. Exact estimate
1. Microsoft Works

Margin	Winner	Loser		Margin	Winner	Loser		Margin	Winner	Loser
0	10	10		15	15.23	4.77		30	18.37	1.63
1	10.44	9.56		16	15.49	4.51		31	18.53	1.47
2	10.86	9.14		17	15.75	4.25		32	18.68	1.32
3	11.27	8.73		18	16	4		33	18.83	1.17
4	11.67	8.33		19	16.23	3.77		34	18.97	1.03
5	12.05	7.95		20	16.46	3.54		35	19.11	0.89
6	12.42	7.58		21	16.68	3.32		36	19.25	0.75
7	12.77	7.23		22	16.9	3.1		37	19.38	0.62
8	13.11	6.89		23	17.11	2.89		38	19.5	0.5
9	13.45	6.55		24	17.31	2.69		39	19.62	0.38
10	13.78	6.22		25	17.5	2.5		40	19.74	0.26
11	14.09	5.91		26	17.69	2.31		41	19.85	0.15
12	14.39	5.61		27	17.87	2.13		42	19.96	0.04
13	14.68	5.32		28	18.04	1.96		43	20	0
14	14.96	5.04		29	18.21	1.79				

Women's 8 Board Victory Point Scale

WOMEN'S SCHEDULE OF PLAY FOR ROUND ROBIN

There are 8 teams in the Round Robin. Teams will be numbered in Seeding Point order.

ORDER OF PLAY ON JUNE 7TH IS OPPOSITE TO THAT ON JUNE 6TH.

EVERY PLAYER ON EACH TEAM MUST PLAY AGAINST EACH OTHER TEAM (USBF General Conditions of Contest Section VIII B).

Last two matches on June 7th are segregated, no comparisons, no substitutions in closed room.

Time	Pairings	Seeded Team	Boards
Monday, June 6th			
11:00-12:15	1 v 8, 2 v 7, 3 v 6, 4 v 5	1, 2, 3, 4	1-8
12:15-1:30	1 v 7, 2 v 6, 3 v 5, 4 v 8	7, 6, 5, 8	9-16
BREAK			
2:00 – 3:15	1 v 6, 2 v 5, 3 v 8, 4 v 7	1, 2, 3, 4	17-24
3:15 – 4:30	1 v 5, 2 v 8, 3 v 7, 4 v 6	5, 8, 7, 6	25-32
4:30 – 5:45	1 v 4, 2 v 3, 5 v 8, 6 v 7	1, 2, 5, 6	33-40
DINNER BREAK			
8:00-9:15	1 v 3, 2 v 4, 5 v 7, 6 v 8	3, 4, 7, 8	41-48
9:15 –10:30	1 v 2, 3 v 4, 5 v 6, 7 v 8	1, 3, 5, 7	49-56
TUESDAY, JUNE 7TH			
11:00-12:15	1 v 2, 3 v 4, 5 v 6, 7 v 8	2, 4, 6, 8	1-8
12:15-1:30	1 v 3, 2 v 4, 5 v 7, 6 v 8	1, 2, 5, 6	9-16
BREAK			
2:00 – 3:15	1 v 4, 2 v 3, 5 v 8, 6 v 7	4, 3, 8, 7	17-24
3:15 – 4:30	1 v 5, 2 v 8, 3 v 7, 4 v 6	1, 2, 3, 4	25-32
4:30 – 5:45	1 v 6, 2 v 5, 3 v 8, 4 v 7	6, 5, 8, 7	33-40
DINNER BREAK			
8:00-9:15	1 v 7, 2 v 6, 3 v 5, 4 v 8	1, 2, 3, 4	41-48
9:15 –10:30	1 v 8, 2 v 7, 3 v 6, 4 v 5	8, 7, 6, 5	49-56

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Detroit is Restaurants -- Esquire and Holiday rate it as one of the five best restaurant towns in the United States. There are the usual fine steak and seafood establishments plus dozens of small ethnic restaurants where the menus may be printed in two languages. Greektown cuisine is fantastic and within a graduate student's budget! Eastern Market, a maze of shops and open-air stalls, features fresh produce, meats, cheeses and specialties for creative home cooking.

Detroit is Museums -- Greenfield Village is one of the most elaborate and extensive collections of fully restored historical buildings and items anywhere, including such gems as the Wright Brothers' Cycle Shop and Stephen Foster's home. Craftsmen demonstrate their ancient or revived talents, while weekly events like antique car gatherings, musket shoots and pottery festivals spice the season. The adjoining Henry Ford Museum, an extensive collection of automotive and other transportation vehicles are featured. Although the Village and Museum are national tourist attractions, Detroiters get special recognition--season memberships are available, and horse drawn sleigh rides through the grounds are featured at Christmas-time.

Detroit is the Renaissance Center -- "RenCen," the waterfront complex, is larger than New York's Rockefeller Center. Its towering glass and steel structure (a 72-story Marriott Hotel with four adjacent office towers and two new towers) is an architectural tribute to the city's rebirth and to the Detroit investors with the wisdom and vision to build it.

Detroit is Belle Isle -- a 982-acre scenic island located in the Detroit River, 1.5 miles upriver from the heart of downtown. The park is an enchanting combination of great variety including frequent free concerts, canoeing on lagoons, biking and running on wooded trails, a Nature Center, an Aquarium, the Dossin Great Lakes Museum, a Conservatory, Greenhouses, and a vast picnic area.

Age After Beauty: Senior Teams In Seeding Order

"The great thing about democracy is that it gives every voter a chance to do something stupid."
- Art Spander

Lynch	Carolyn Lynch, Capt Mark Lair John Sutherlin	Mike Passell Garey Hayden Peter Weichsel
O'Rourke	Lou Ann O'Rourke Eddie Wold Drew Casen	Marc Jacobus Roger Bates Bruce Ferguson
Deustch	Seymon Deustch, Capt Bob Hamman Bart Bramley	Kyle Larsen Hemant Lall
Schwartz	Richard Schwartz, Capt Dan Morse Arnold Fisher	Lewis Finkel Bobby Wolff Fred Hamilton
Milner	Reese Milner Sam Lev Ron Smith	Matthew Granovetter Billy Eisenberg John Mohan
Levine	Michael Levine, Capt Dan Gerstman Chuck Burger	Dennis McGarry Dennis Clerkin Howard Perlman
Woolsey	Kit Woolsey, Capt Mark Cohen	Fred Stewart Milt Rosenberg
Kasle	Gaylor Kasle, Capt Peter Boyd John Schermer	Larry Kozlove Steve Robinson Neil Chambers
Jacobs	George Jacobs, Capt Jeffrey Miller Claude Vogel	Steve Beatty William Wickham Peggy Kaplan
Eisenstein	Glenn Eisenstein, Capt Geoffrey Brod Keith Garber	Allan Falk John Rengstorff Jim Looby
Kranyak	Kenneth Kranyak, Capt Chuck Malcolm Phil Becker	Laurie Kranyak Linda Perlman
Cappelli	Robert Cappelli, Capt Robert Bitterman	Robert Katz Joseph Chiesa

STUFF YOU GOTTA KNOW BEFORE YOU LEAVE

1. No flight ever leaves on time unless you are running late and need the delay to make the flight.
2. If you are running late for a flight, it will depart from the farthest gate within the terminal.
3. If you arrive very early for a flight, it inevitably will be delayed.
4. Flights never leave from Gate #1 at any terminal in the world.
5. If you must work on your flight, you will experience turbulence as soon as you touch pen to paper.

6. If you are assigned a middle seat, you can determine who has the seats on the aisle and the window while you are still in the boarding area. Just look for the two largest passengers.
7. Only passengers seated in window seats ever have to get up to go to the lavatory.
8. The crying baby on board your flight is always seated next to you.
9. The best-looking woman on your flight is never seated next to you.
10. The less carry-on luggage space available on an aircraft, the more carry-on luggage passengers will bring aboard.

Senior's Schedule

Day	Date	Time	Stage
Monday	June 6	10:30 am	Captains' Meeting
Monday	June 6	11:00 am - 10:30 pm	Round Robin
QUARTER-FINAL (CONCURRENT USA 2 R 64 & R32; 4 TEAMS WITH 1 SURVIVOR)			
Tuesday	June 7	11:00 am - 1:10 pm	Boards 1-15
		1:25 - 3:35	Boards 16-30
		3:35 - 6:00	Dinner break
		6:00 - 8:10	Boards 31-45
		8:25 - 10:35	Boards 46-60
SEMI-FINAL (CONCURRENT USA2 R16, 5 TEAMS WITH 2 SURVIVORS)			
Wednesday	June 8	11:00 am - 1:10 pm	Boards 1-15
		1:25 - 3:35	Boards 16-30
		3:35 - 6:00	Dinner break
		6:00 - 8:10	Boards 31-45
		8:25 - 10:35	Boards 46-60
FINAL (CONCURRENT USA2 R8 & SEMI-FINAL)			
Thursday	June 9	11:00 am - 1:10 pm	Boards 1-15
		1:25 - 3:35	Boards 16-30
		3:35 - 6:00	Dinner break
		6:00 - 8:10	Boards 31-45
		8:25 - 10:35	Boards 46-60
Friday	June 10	11:00 am - 1:10 pm	Boards 61-75
		1:25 - 3:35	Boards 76-90
		3:35 - 6:00	Dinner Break
USA2 SEMI-FINAL (2ND HALF)			
Friday	June 10	6:00 - 8:10	Boards 31-45
		8:25 - 10:35	Boards 46-60
USA2 FINAL			
Saturday	June 11	11:00 am - 1:10 pm	Boards 1-15
		1:25 - 3:35	Boards 16-30
		3:35 - 6:00	Dinner break
		6:00 - 8:10	Boards 31-45
		8:25 - 10:35	Boards 46-60

A dog gave birth to puppies near the road and was ticketed for littering.

He had a photographic memory which was never developed.

A small boy swallowed some coins and was taken to a hospital. When his grandmother telephoned to ask how he was, a nurse said, 'No change yet.'

What's the definition of a will? (It's a dead giveaway).

When cannibals ate a missionary, they got a taste of religion.

A bicycle can't stand alone because it is two-tired.

A chicken crossing the road is poultry in motion.

The butcher backed into the meat grinder and got a little behind in his work.

She had a boyfriend with a wooden leg, but broke it off.

When a clock is hungry it goes back four seconds.

Time flies like an arrow. Fruit flies like a banana.

A beggar walked up to a well dressed woman shopping on Grafton Street and said "I haven't eaten anything in four days." She looked at him and said, "God, I wish I had your willpower."

A man inserted an ad in the classifieds: WIFE WANTED. Next day he received a hundred letters. They all said the same thing: YOU CAN HAVE MINE.

A wedding is just like a funeral except that you get to smell your own flowers.

Alimony is like buying oats for a dead horse.

Any married man should forget his mistakes - no use two people remembering the same thing.

Bachelor: the only man who has never told his wife a lie. 6

Time	Boards		Time	Boards
11:00-11:45	1-5		DINNER BREAK	
11:50-12:35	6-10		6:15-7:00	31-35
12:40-1:25	11-15		7:05-7:50	36-40
BREAK			BREAK	
1:40 - 2:25	16-20		8:05-8:50	41-45
2:30 - 3:15	21-25		8:55-9:40	46-50
3:20-4:05	26-30		9:45-10:30	51-55

SCHEDULE OF PLAY FOR FIRST DAY ROUND ROBIN

There are 12 teams in the Round Robin. Teams will be numbered in Seeding Point order.

Pairings will not be known until immediately before each match ("Blind Draw").

Last three matches are segregated, no comparisons, no substitutions in closed room.

Seniors

Margin	Winner	Loser		Margin	Winner	Loser		Margin	Winner	Loser
0	10	10		12	15.28	4.72		24	18.43	1.57
1	10.55	9.45		13	15.61	4.39		25	18.63	1.37
2	11.08	8.92		14	15.93	4.07		26	18.82	1.18
3	11.59	8.41		15	16.23	3.77		27	19	1
4	12.07	7.93		16	16.52	3.48		28	19.17	0.83
5	12.53	7.47		17	16.8	3.2		29	19.33	0.67
6	12.98	7.02		18	17.07	2.93		30	19.49	0.51
7	13.41	6.59		19	17.33	2.67		31	19.64	0.36
8	13.81	6.19		20	17.58	2.42		32	19.79	0.21
9	14.2	5.8		21	17.81	2.19		33	19.93	0.07
10	14.58	5.42		22	18.02	1.98		34	20	0
11	14.94	5.06		23	18.23	1.77				

USBF 5 Board VP Scale



No Electronic Devices are Permitted in the Playing Area.

This applies to players AND kibitzers.

Penalties will be assessed for violation of this rule.

Please turn off all cell phones and check them at the door.

The USBF reserves the right to wand anyone entering the playing field.

Senior exception: Pace Makers are allowed!

Margin	Winner	Loser		Margin	Winner	Loser		Margin	Winner	Loser
0	10	10		20	15.26	4.74		40	18.41	1.59
1	10.33	9.67		21	15.46	4.54		41	18.53	1.47
2	10.66	9.34		22	15.66	4.34		42	18.65	1.35
3	10.97	9.03		23	15.85	4.15		43	18.76	1.24
4	11.28	8.72		24	16.03	3.97		44	18.87	1.13
5	11.58	8.42		25	16.21	3.79		45	18.98	1.02
6	11.87	8.13		26	16.38	3.62		46	19.08	0.92
7	12.16	7.84		27	16.55	3.45		47	19.18	0.82
8	12.44	7.56		28	16.72	3.28		48	19.28	0.72
9	12.71	7.29		29	16.88	3.12		49	19.38	0.62
10	12.97	7.03		30	17.04	2.96		50	19.47	0.53
11	13.23	6.77		31	17.19	2.81		51	19.56	0.44
12	13.48	6.52		32	17.34	2.66		52	19.65	0.35
13	13.72	6.28		33	17.49	2.51		53	19.74	0.26
14	13.96	6.04		34	17.63	2.37		54	19.83	0.17
15	14.19	5.81		35	17.77	2.23		55	19.91	0.09
16	14.42	5.58		36	17.91	2.09		56	19.99	0.01
17	14.64	5.36		37	18.04	1.96		57	20	0
18	14.85	5.15		38	18.17	1.83				
19	15.06	4.94		39	18.29	1.71				

Seniors USBF 14 Board VP Scale

Reaching the end of a job interview, the Human Resources Person asked a young Engineer fresh out of Texas A&M, "And what starting salary were you looking for?" The Engineer said, "In the neighborhood of \$125,000 a year, depending on the benefits package." The interviewer said, "Well, what would you say to a package of 5 week's vacation, 14 paid holidays, full medical and dental, a company matching retirement fund for 50% of your salary, and a company car leased every 2 years -- say, a red Corvette?" The Engineer sat up straight and said, "Wow! Are you kidding?" And the interviewer replied, "Yeah, but you started it."

Walking up to a department store's fabric counter, the pretty girl said, "I would like to buy this material for a new dress. How much does it cost?" "Only one kiss per yard," replied the male clerk with a smirk. "That's fine," said the girl. "I'll take ten yards." With expectation and anticipation written all over his face, the clerk quickly measured out the cloth, wrapped it up, then teasingly held it out.

The girl snapped up the package, pointed to the old geezer standing beside her, and smiled, "Grandpa will pay the bill."

A resident in a posh hotel breakfast room called over the head waiter one morning and read from the menu. "I'd like one under-cooked egg so that it's runny, and one over-cooked egg so that it's tough and hard to eat. I'd also like grilled bacon which is a bit on the cold side, burnt toast, butter straight from the freezer so that it's impossible to spread, and a pot of very weak, lukewarm coffee." "That's a complicated order sir," said the bewildered waiter. "It might be quite difficult." The guest replied sarcastically, "It can't be that difficult because that's exactly what you brought me yesterday!"

"What time does the library open?" the man on the phone asked.

"Nine A.M." came the reply. "And what's the idea of calling me at home in the middle of the night to ask a question like that?"

"Not until nine A.M.?" the man asked in a disappointed voice.

"No, not till nine A.M.!" the librarian said. "Why do you want to get in before nine A.M.?"

"Who said I wanted to get in?" the man sighed sadly. "I want to get out."

SCHEDULE OF PLAY FOR SENIORS USA2 ROUND ROBIN

This Round Robin is the Round of 16 for USA2 and takes place on Wednesday, June 10th.

There are 5 teams in this Round Robin, the 4 USA1 Quarterfinal losers and the survivor of the USA2 Round of 64 & 32, played on Tuesday, June 9th. Teams will be numbered in Seeding Point order.

The matches are being played "BAM" style, so the same lineup plays for two segments at a time, and you will not be able to compare until after 2 segments have been played.

The 14 board matches will be played in 7 board halves. Each player on each team must play against each other team ("Balanced Play Requirement").

Dinner break from 3:45-6:00.

Time	Table Also NS Pair	EW	Boards
	1	3	1-7
11:00-12:05	2	4	8-14
&	3	5	15-21
6:00-7:05	4	1	22-28
	5	2	29-35
Table Change, no lineup change, no comparison			
	1	4	22-28
12:10-1:15	2	5	29-35
&	3	1	1-7
7:10-8:15	4	2	8-14
	5	3	15-21
1:15-1:30 & 8:15-8:30	BREAK & LINEUP CHANGE		
	1	5	36-42
1:30-2:35	2	1	43-49
&	3	2	50-56
8:30-9:35	4	3	57-63
	5	4	64-70
Table Change, no lineup change, no comparison			
	1	2	43-49
2:40-3:45	2	3	50-56
&	3	4	57-63
9:40-10:45	4	5	64-70
	5	1	36-42

Those who jump off a bridge in Paris are in Seine.
 A backward poet writes inverse.
 A man's home is his castle, in a manor of speaking.
 Dijon vu - the same mustard as before.
 Practice safe eating - always use condiments.
 Shotgun wedding: A case of wife or death.
 A man needs a mistress just to break the monogamy.
 A hangover is the wrath of grapes.
 Dancing cheek-to-cheek is really a form of floor play.
 Does the name Pavlov ring a bell?
 Condoms should be used on every conceivable occasion.
 Reading while sunbathing makes you well red.
 When two egotists meet, it's an I for an I.
 A bicycle can't stand on its own because it is two tired.
 What's the definition of a will? (It's a dead giveaway.)
 In democracy your vote counts. In feudalism your count votes.
 She was engaged to a boyfriend with a wooden leg but broke it off.
 If you don't pay your exorcist, you get repossessed.
 With her marriage, she got a new name and a dress.
 When a clock is hungry, it goes back four seconds.
 The man who fell into an upholstery machine is fully recovered.
 You feel stuck with your debt if you can't budge it.
 Local Area Network in Australia: the LAN down under.
 He often broke into song because he couldn't find the key.
 Every calendar's days are numbered.
 A lot of money is tainted - 'taint yours and 'taint mine.
 A boiled egg in the morning is hard to beat.
 He had a photographic memory that was never developed.
 A plateau is a high form of flattery.
 A midget fortune-teller who escapes from prison is a small medium at large.
 Those who get too big for their britches will be exposed in the end.
 Once you've seen one shopping center, you've seen a mall.
 Bakers trade bread recipes on a knead-to-know basis.
 Santa's helpers are subordinate clauses.
 Acupuncture is a jab well done.

Vugraph

The 2011 USSBC will be covered on BBO Vugraph starting with the Quarter-finals. We hope to cover 4-8 tables in play in the Quarter-finals, all 4 tables in play in the Semi-finals and both tables in the USA1 Finals and USA2 Finals. We may be able to cover some of the matches in the earlier rounds of the USA2 Bracket as well.

The 2011 USWBC will be covered on BBO Vugraph starting with the Semi-finals. We hope to cover all 4 tables in play in the Semi-finals and both tables in the Finals and Playoffs.

To watch the Vugraph online, go to the **BBO website** where you can either log on directly from your browser, go to "Vugraph" and choose which table to watch, or download the BBO software to run BBO on your computer. If you choose the latter approach, after downloading, install the software on your computer, log on, follow the directions to become a BBO member and you'll be magically transported to the Lobby of the largest bridge club in the world. Click on the button labeled VUGRAPH and you'll be able to choose which of the USWBC matches you want to watch.

There will usually be a "yellow" user on BBO called USBF. If you have general questions, please ask USBF, not one of the hard-working Vugraph Operators, some of whom may not have time to respond to private messages. Thank you.

Each day's schedule is the same (these are Detroit times; to see the times for your time-zone, go to the **BBO Vugraph schedule site**)

11:00-1:15
 1:30-3:50
 6:00-8:15
 8:30-10:50

In the Quarterfinals, each match will play a different set of boards. In the Semi-Finals and Final, all of the teams will play the same boards, but for security reasons, if one match is sufficiently behind that we have to start it later than the other one, we will not start the Vugraph broadcast until both matches have started play.

After a session, you can review the Vugraph action on our Web Vugraphs, which show each hand played with a link to bidding and play records. Take a look at the older events currently available (under Archived Results) to see what we'll have for the 2011 USSBC. Web Vugraphs are posted within about half an hour of completion of the Vugraph show.

HOSPITALITY SUITE INFORMATION

The Governor's Suite, 6910, on the 69th floor, will be open from 8am to midnight, Monday June 6 through Saturday, June 11.

Players and volunteers are welcome at all times during those hours.

During the tournament, light food and snacks will be available on a regular basis.

The USBF is funding morning hospitality and the Michigan Bridge Association is funding the rest. A variety of printed and digital materials will be available there, as well.

Local hosts, Bill and Sandy Arlinghaus, will staff the suite. Players and volunteers should feel free to come up and hang out...as their home away from home.



More Hospitality Info...

Breakfast will be available in the suite, 6910, in the mornings.

A light supper will be provided between sessions.

Wine, beer, and snacks will be available after the last session.

At other times, snacks and soft beverages will be available.

Tour information and restaurant information will be available in the suite.

Remember that if you wish to go to Canada, you must have your passports



Solution to puzzle on page 11

3pm	French poodle dog	Clovn	Grant	Sara
11am	Tabby cat	Toby	Sells	Paula
4pm	Siamese cat	Rascal	Kraft	Ned
9am	Golden retriever dog	Buddy	Baker	Hugh
1pm	Persian cat	Flurly	Putnam	Brad
Time	Pet type	Pet name	Last Name	First Name

Fun and Games Page ...

A busy veterinarian had a full day of appointments with various people and their pets. However, his secretary was having a bad day. The computer crashed and they had to piece together who came in when. Unfortunately, they didn't piece it together very well. Use the following clues to determine the full name of each pet owner, the name of the pet, what kind of pet, and what time their appointment was.

- Paula doesn't own a dog and didn't make the 1pm appointment. Mr. Baker didn't make an afternoon appointment.
- The tabby cat isn't named Buddy or Rascal. Brad's cat isn't a Siamese. Rascal isn't a dog.
- Mrs. Grant, who made the 3pm appointment, didn't have a pet named Toby, whose appointment wasn't at 9am.
- Hugh's last name isn't Kraft and he didn't make a 4pm appointment. The French Poodle isn't named Fluffy and wasn't due in for the 11am appointment.
- The owner with the pet named Fluffy had an appointment two hours after the owner with the tabby cat and two hours before Sara and her pet.
- The order of the appointments is the owner of the golden retriever dog, Ms. Sells and her cat, the owner whose last name is Putnam, the owner of the pet named Clown, and Ned.

	Baker	Grant	Kraft	Putman	Sells	Buddy	Clown	Fluffy	Rascal	Toby	Golden Retriever	Persian Cat	French Poodle	Siamese Cat	Tabby Cat	9am	11am	1pm	3pm	4pm	
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Solution on page 10

1st name	Last name	Pet name	Pet type	time

Practice for the Seniors...

Board 28 ♠ A75
 Dealer: W ♥ Q96532
 N/S Vul. ♦ T86
 ♣ 2

♠ J4 ♠ 93
 ♥ KT ♥ AJ874
 ♦ KQ95 ♦ J74
 ♣ Q9763 ♣ T85

♠ KQT862
 ♥
 ♦ A32
 ♣ AKJ4



West	North	East	South
Larsen	Bramley	Deutsch	Hamman
Pass	Pass	2H	Double
3H	Pass	Pass	4S
Pass	6S	All Pass	

Why we preempt... Deutsch's five card preempt combined with Larsen's two card raise certainly made this hand hard for his teammates to bid. Six is attractive ... and if the club hook is working, it even has some play!

With 17 HCP, a void, AND a 6 card suit, Hamman chose to double. Larsen raised and Bramley, hoping for a second double, passed. Hamman jumped to game in spades, clearly not anticipating a six card heart holding in his partner's hand.

Bramley had to think his trump ace combined with a ruffing value in clubs was more than his partner was expecting to see. He dutifully jumped to the slam.

Larsen led the king of hearts which Hamman ruffed with the deuce of trump. Hamman played a spade to the ace and took the club finesse. Larsen won and played his last spade.

Alas, Hamman came up two tricks short for -100 and a loss of 10.2 IMPs!

Early Picks from Limey Jack and Howie Doing... not bad, thanks!

Women's:

Bales will bale and Lewis will lews.
 The other two winners are harder to choose.

Mancuso and Dinkin are likely to stay.
 And end 1 and 2 for the U. S. of A.

Senior's:

Lynch is a cynch to take the top spot.
 And I like O'Rourke a hell of a lot.

Capelli's a goner.. And Jacobs is too.
 Matthew and Reese may never get through!

Eisenstein's over and Kasle is toast.
 Levine is a sleeper ... could easily coast.

Woolsey's a maybe. Schwartz maybe not.
 Kranyak is cold but Deustch could be hot.

Cherrio Gang... I'll pick up the slack.
 Count on ol' Howie... not some guy named Jack!

Howie Doing... Never better!

Well, the Distaff tussle begins soon. As usual, Limey Jack will give you the goods far before Howie Dung has put on his knickers in the morning.

Unluckily for the three teams named Lewis, Bales and Sprung; their tram tickets will be punched before they reach Manchester. There is only one chance of an upset and that will take some dicey slips and turns.

The shuffling will determine the last winner. Only Mancuso has a chance at an upset and they will need to draw Moss. Moss will defeat any other team it plays. Should Moss-Mancuso play, that will have all the attention. I venture that Moss will hold serve, but also be served notice.

Limey Jack will be with you all the way. While that blithering fool has a kip in front of the telly, I will be here to guide you along.

Cheers, Limey Jack

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Giant Sudoku

Several Advantages of Getting Old

Kidnappers are not very interested in you. In a hostage situation, you are likely to be released first.

No one expects you to run anywhere.

People call at 9 PM and ask, 'Did I wake you?'

People no longer view you as a hypochondriac.

There is nothing left to learn the hard way.

Things you buy now won't wear out.

You can eat supper at 4 PM.

You can live without sex but not your glasses.

You no longer think of speed limits as a challenge.

You quit trying to hold your stomach in no matter who walks into the room.

You sing along with elevator music.

Your eyes won't get much worse.

Your investment in health insurance is finally beginning to pay off.

Your joints are more accurate meteorologists than the national weather service.

Your secrets are safe with your friends because they can't remember them either.

Your supply of brain cells is finally down to a manageable size.

Answers to puzzle... no peeking!!

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Jokes for (and about) Seniors...

Age is important only if you're cheese or wine.
Of all my husband's relatives, I like me best.
Once over the hill, you pick up speed.
I used to get lost in the shuffle; now I just shuffle along with the lost.
The twinkle in your eye is only the reflection of the sun on your bifocals.
You're so old you confuse having a clear conscience with having a bad memory.
You're getting old when you don't care where your spouse goes, just as long as you don't have to go along.
Did you hear about the time Eddy's sister tried to make a birthday cake? The candles melted in the oven.
What is the left side of a birthday cake?
The side that's not eaten.
"Doctor, I get heartburn every time I eat birthday cake."
Next time, take off the candles."
The older I get, the better I was.
Seen it all, done it all, can't remember most of it.
I'm on a 30-day diet. So far I've lost 15 days.
Your secrets are safe with your friends because they can't remember them either.
Travelling to see historical sites isn't as much fun when many of the sites are younger than you are.
You start video taping daytime game shows.
Your joints are more accurate than the National Weather Service.
You sit in a rocking chair and can't get it going.
Eat right, exercise regularly, die anyway.
You're just jealous because the voices only talk to me.
Wrinkled was not one of the things I wanted to be when I grew up!
In dog years I'm dead.
Sometimes I wake up grumpy -- other times I let her sleep.
I live in my own little world, but it's okay because they know me here.
You give up all your bad habits and you still don't feel good.
Your best friend is dating someone half his age and isn't breaking any laws.
When I feel athletic, I go to a sports bar.
Does vacuuming count as aerobic exercise?
I can please only one person per day. Today is not your day and tomorrow isn't looking good either.
Q: When is a birthday cake like a golf ball?
A: When it's been sliced.
Q. What do they serve at birthday parties in heaven?
A. Angel food cake!
Q. Does a pink candle burn longer than a blue one?
A. No, they both burn shorter!

Grandma, is it exciting being 99?
It certainly is! If I wasn't 99 I'd be dead.
Why was the birthday cake as hard as a rock?
Because it was marble cake!
Q. Why did the birthday cake go to the doctor?
A. Because it was feeling crumbly!
Hard work will pay off later. Laziness pays off now!
Of all my husband's relatives, I like me best.
Many of your co-workers were born the same year that you got your last promotion.
Your supply of brain cells is finally down to manageable size.
Age is like underwear, it creeps up on you!
I get enough exercise just pushing my luck.
Old age and treachery will always overcome youth and skill.
You have more patience; but actually, it's just that you don't care any more.
My karma ran over your dogma
I'd explain it to you, but your brain would explode.
If at first you don't succeed, destroy all evidence that you tried.
According to my best recollection, I don't remember.
My mind is made up, don't confuse me with the facts!
An endurance test for some people is the pursuit of happiness.
People no longer view you as a hypochondriac.
As you grow older, you stand for more and fall for less.
A bore is a person who brightens a room simply by leaving it.
Destiny is not a matter of chance; it is a matter of choice.
A conference is a way of postponing a decision.
I would enjoy walking if it weren't for those long walks back.
A wish is a desire without an attempt.
A mind is like a parachute: it only functions when it is open.
When you get old, your semi-annual erection becomes an annual semi-erection!
Better to be an old fart than a young shithead.

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Few women admit their age. Few men act theirs.

All I have to do is win the lottery!

If God had wanted me to touch my toes, he would have put them on my knees.

I don't have a solution, but I admire your problem

I am diagonally parked in a parallel universe.

Don't worry about avoiding temptation. As you grow older, it will avoid you.

If a woman's place is in the home, why am I always in this car?

Don't interrupt me while I'm talking to myself.

Been there, done that, got the t-shirt.

My wild oats have turned to mush.

I'll be spontaneous when I get around to it.

I used to jog 5 miles a day; then I found a short cut.

A wise man knows everything; a shrewd one, everybody.

A person who has a right to boast doesn't have to.

I used to be a man of vision, before the medication cleared it up.

Just when I find the key to success, someone goes and changes all the locks.

Chronologically gifted!

I'm at that awkward age between desirability and complete senility.

I'm not old, I'm youthfully challenged.

Aged like fine wine, complex & fruity.

Enjoy your birthday, you're not extinct yet!

After fifty everything that doesn't hurt doesn't work!

Chaos, panic & disorder.... my work here is done.

We are born naked, wet & hungry, then things get worse.

You're a classic, you only get better with age!

A closed mouth gathers no feet.

A genius is one who shoots at something no one else can see, and hits it.

If you see me getting smaller, I'm leaving.

Be kind to your kids; they'll be choosing your nursing home.

Everyone has a photographic memory. Some just don't have film.

I don't have hot flashes, I have power surges.

Due to budget cuts, the light at the end of the tunnel has been turned off.

My own mortality will be the death of me yet.

Caution, senior moment in progress!

A man asked his wife, "What would you most like for your birthday?"

She said, "I'd love to be ten again."

On the morning of her birthday, he got her up bright and early and they went to a theme park.

He put her on every ride in the park - the Death Slide, The Screaming Loop, the Wall of Fear.

She had a go on every ride there was.

She staggered out of the theme park five hours later, her head reeling and her stomach turning.

Then they were off to a movie theater where they ate popcorn and sweets and drank Cola.

At last she staggered home with her husband and collapsed into bed.

Her husband leaned over and asked, "Well, dear, what was it like being ten again?"

One eye opened and she groaned, "Actually, honey, I meant dress size!"

Q. What did the bald man say when he got a comb for his birthday?

A. Thanks. I'll never part with it!

A well adjusted woman is one who not only knows what she wants for her birthday, but even knows what she's going to exchange it for.

"The secret of staying young is to live honestly, eat slowly, and lie about your age." - Lucille Ball

"Inside every older person is a younger person wondering what happened." - Jennifer Yane

"You were born an original. Don't die a copy." - John Mason

Why couldn't prehistoric man send birthday cards? The stamps kept falling off the rocks!

Why did the older gentleman feel warm on his birthday? Because people kept toasting him!

Birthdays are good for you. Statistics show that the people who have the most live the longest.

I get everything I set my mind to. Now where'd I set my mind?



More Practice in the Seniors...

Board 11
Dealer: S
None Vul.

♠ A
♥ Q3
♦ 632
♣ QJ98765

♠ 8432
♥ T9
♦ AQ5
♣ AKT4



♠ KQ965
♥ AK87
♦ KJ9
♣ 2

♠ JT7
♥ J6542
♦ T874
♣ 3

West	North	East	South
Beatty	Ferguson	Jacobs	Casen
			Pass
1C	Pass	1S	Pass
2S	Pass	2NT	Pass
4S	Pass	4NT	Pass
5H	Pass	6S	All Pass

What an unlucky hand for Beatty and Jacobs, found on BBO, practicing against Ferguson and Casen, on different teams, but all in the Trials.

Casen led his singleton club. Jacobs won in dummy and played a spade toward his hand. Ferguson couldn't go wrong. With stiff ace, he won the trick and immediately played back a club, scoring the uppercut to defeat the hand. 9.3 IMPs to North/South!

Board 16
Dealer: W
E/W Vul.

♠ A2
♥ J6
♦ QJ43
♣ AJ743

♠ QJT87
♥ T432
♦ AT76
♣



♠ K93
♥ KQ975
♦ 92
♣ T98

♠ 654
♥ A8
♦ K85
♣ KQ652

Beatty	Ferguson	Jacobs	Casen
Pass	1C	1H	2H
4H	Pass	Pass	Double
All Pass			

There was little to the play. The Board was won in the bidding. Casen led his ace of hearts and switched to a low diamond, ducked to North's queen. North cashed his spade ace and Jacobs claimed ten tricks.

Clearly, looking at the hand, Ferguson and Casen had a great save in clubs. The vulnerability was in their favor and they have just three losers: one spade, one heart and one diamond. Had they bid five clubs, they would have intended it as a make, not a save. After all, they do hold 25 HCP's between them!

Since clubs could have been a 3 card suit, Beatty's jump to four hearts really but North/South's feet to the fire and this time they got burned. 11.5 IMPs to East/West!

Beatty	Ferguson	Jacobs	Casen
Pass	1C	1S	1NT
Double	3NT	All Pass	

Sometimes aggressive overcalls pay off and sometimes they don't. This was one of the latter. Jacobs overcalled one spade on his JTxxx. It could have worked.

When the opponents bid 3NT, Jacobs' side had five top tricks: two hearts and three spades... but it required a heart through the king from Beatty at trick one or trick two.

Beatty, predictably, led the king of spades and Jacobs, playing standard signals, played the deuce. Perhaps Beatty should have worked out to shift to a heart since the diamond and club aces were in dummy. It wasn't too late.

However, he continued with the spade ace to clear the suit, playing Jacobs for the king of clubs instead of the queen of hearts. The result: 8.6 IMPs to North/South.

Board 4
Dealer: W
All Vul.

♠ 9
♥ KT6
♦ A7
♣ AQ98542

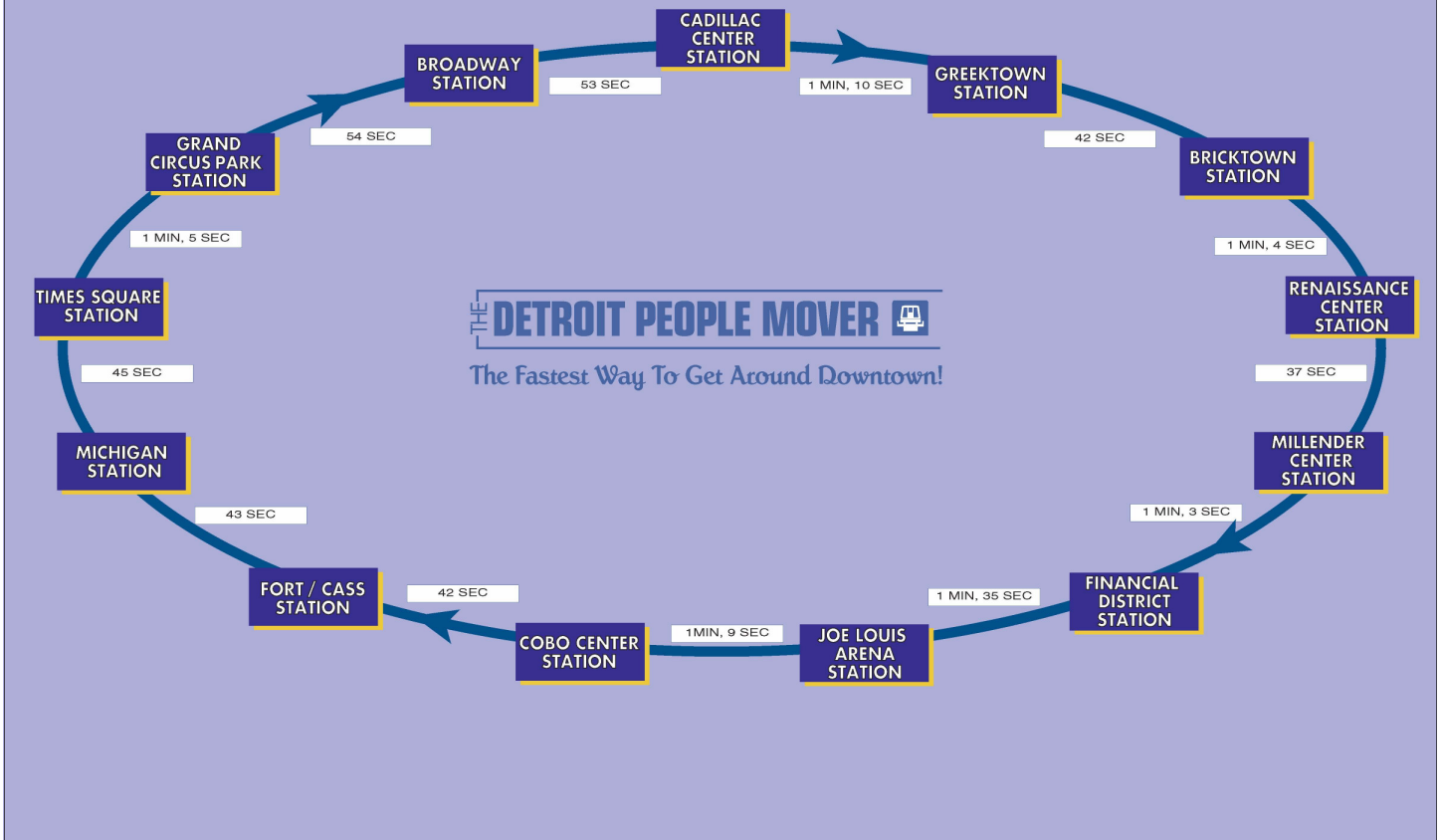


♠ AK8
♥ 9875
♦ KT98
♣ J3

♠ JT732
♥ AQ3
♦ 6542
♣ T

♠ Q654
♥ J42
♦ QJ3
♣ K76

STATION-TO-STATION TIME CHART



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Monday-Thursday

6:30 AM - Midnight

Friday

6:30 AM - 2 AM

Saturday

9 AM - 2 AM

Sunday

Noon - Midnight

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Payment:

Cash (U.S. Nickels, Dimes, Quarters)

Tokens (Available in or near stations)

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