

“Trials” and Tribulations

Katz/Nickell vs Woolsey/Beatty

Board 16
Dealer: W
E/W Vul.
♠ AK532
♥ 96
♦ 764
♣ A42

♠ QJT9
♥ J4
♦ KQJ52
♣ K9
♠ 876
♥ AKT852
♦ 93
♣ J5
♠ 4
♥ Q73
♦ AT8
♣ QT8763



Steve Beatty, past president of the USBF

West	North	East	South
Katz	Woolsey	Nickell	Beatty
1D	1S	2H	Pass
2NT	Pass	3H	Pass
4H	All Pass		

What a dreadful lie of the cards for East/West. They found themselves speeding and were down three before they even gained the lead!

Beatty led a spade to Kit's king. Kit cashed his spade ace. He led his spade deuce for Beatty to ruff. Steve cashed his diamond ace, led a club to Kit's ace (Nick guessing correctly and ducking in dummy), and got a promotion for his now doubleton trump queen when Kit played a fourth spade.

The contract was down one even if everything was positioned perfectly (one club, one diamond, and two spades off the top), but down three was brutal.

+300 was worth 5 IMPs in the IMP Pairs on BBO.

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In Seeding Order

**Go to Heaven for
the climate, Hell
for the company.**

Mark Twain



Fleisher	Martin Fleisher, Capt Zia Mahmood Michael Rosenberg	Michael Kamil Chip Martel Chris Willenken
Bye to Rnd of 8		
Nickell	Frank Nickell, Capt Eric Rodwell Bobby Levin	Ralph Katz Jeff Meckstroth Steve Weinstein
Bye to Rnd of 8		
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Baseggio	Franco Baseggio, Capt Ai-Tai Lo Walter Lee	Andrew Stark Alan Schwartz Jiang Gu

Shane (top) and Bob Blanchard, the only Father/Sox (not necessarily in that order) combination in the Championships!!

No One Goes Quietly ... Zia and Chip Practice

Board 3
Dealer: S
E/W Vul.

♠ KT
♥ Q85432
♦ AKQJ
♣ T

♠ A4
♥ AT
♦ 54
♣ AKQJ985



♠ Q76
♥ K976
♦ T62
♣ 742

♠ J98532
♥ J
♦ 9873
♣ 63

West	North	East	South
Zia	Tom Hanlon	Chip	Hugh McCann
			2S
3NT	Double	All Pass	

West	North	East	South
Mark Moran	Sabine Zenkel	Rory Boland	Roy Welland
			3S
3NT	4S	4NT	Pass
Pass	Double	All Pass	

I thought Hugh McCann, Irish expert, was reckless opening 2S on Jack sixth... until I saw that Roy opened THREE!

Sometimes it works and sometimes it doesn't. This time it was well orchestrated. West had too much to simply double and take a small profit.

There was little to the play in either room. North was on lead and cashed four rounds of diamonds to allow West to claim.

In one case that was making game doubled ... and in the other, it was down one in four doubled. 14 IMPs to Zia and Chip, Sabine and Roy.

Jacobs/Beatty Go Down in Grand Fashion

Board 8
Dealer: W
None Vul.

♠ AKJ7543
♥ K6
♦ AQ
♣ 86

♠ T6
♥ T8543
♦ T5
♣ QT93



♠ 82
♥ QJ
♦ K98763
♣ 542

♠ Q9
♥ A972
♦ J42
♣ AKJ7

West	North	East	South
	Jacobs		Beatty
Pass	1S	Pass	2C (nat gf or bal)
Pass	3D (6+S and bal)	Pass	3H (relay)
Pass	3NT (17-19)	Pass	4C (Spade Cue)
Pass	4D	Pass	4H
Pass	4NT	Pass	5S (2 with the Q)
Pass	5NT	Pass	6C
Pass	7S	All Pass	

What an unlucky hand! Not sure what the "right" line is... though, as the cards lie, nothing works.

The opening lead was a spade. Jacobs won and played five rounds of spades, noting nothing spectacular in the pitching. He cashed the heart king and the queen fell on his left. He played a club to the ace. He cashed the ace of hearts and the jack fell on his left. He ruffed a heart in hand (maybe it was QJT with East ... no luck). He played a club to the king (maybe there was a Qx ... again no luck). Jacobs still had one last chance... the diamond finesse. Alas, that, too, was offside. Nothing he could do from trick one! -15.5 IMPs on a not bad grand slam!

Round Robin Schedule

Time	Pairings	Seeded Team	Boards
Friday, May 31st			
10:00-11:15	1 v 6, 2 v 5, 3 v 4	1, 2, 3	1-8
11:20-12:35	1 v 4, 2 v 3, 5 v 6	4, 3, 6	9-16
12:40-1:55	1 v 5, 2 v 4, 3 v 6	1, 2, 3	17-24
75 MINUTE LUNCH BREAK			
3:10 - 4:25	1 v 3, 2 v 6, 4 v 5	none	25-32
4:30 - 5:45	1 v 2, 3 v 5, 4 v 6	none	33-40
15 MINUTE BREAK			
6:00 - 7:15	1 v 6, 2 v 5, 3 v 4	6, 5, 4	1-8
7:20 - 8:35	1 v 4, 2 v 3, 5 v 6	1, 2, 5	9-16
SATURDAY, JUNE 1ST			
10:00 - 11:15	1 v 5, 2 v 4, 3 v 6	5, 4, 6	17-24
11:20 - 12:35	1 v 3, 2 v 6, 4 v 5	none	25-32
12:40 - 1:55	1 v 2, 3 v 5, 4 v 6	none	33-40

Round Robin Information

The 2013 USBC Round Robin will be a 1.5-day complete Round Robin, with 16 board matches, scored using the USBF 16 board Victory Point scale (see left please).

Each match will be played in halves. Each player on every team must play at least half of the match against each other team.

On Friday, there will be 7 half matches. On Saturday, there will be 3 half matches.

SEQUESTERED MATCHES

The final two matches on Saturday will have the Closed Room sequestered. One pair on each team must play both matches in the Closed Room. No score comparison is allowed during these 2 matches.

For the first sequestered match, the NS pair at each table will be asked to complete a score sheet & have the EW pair verify that it is correct. We will pick up those score sheets and enter the scores into the computer in order to have your scores for that match completed by the time you finish the final match.

Those scores will be shown on a wall near the playing area. Players will be asked to confirm that those scores are correct when they turn in your score for the final match.

We hope that this procedure will help speed up the determination of which teams have qualified.

Margin	Winner	Loser	Margin	Winner	Loser	Margin	Winner	Loser
0	10	10	21	15.19	4.81	42	18.33	1.67
1	10.31	9.69	22	15.38	4.62	43	18.44	1.56
2	10.61	9.39	23	15.56	4.44	44	18.55	1.45
3	10.91	9.09	24	15.74	4.26	45	18.66	1.34
4	11.20	8.80	25	15.92	4.08	46	18.77	1.23
5	11.48	8.52	26	16.09	3.91	47	18.87	1.13
6	11.76	8.24	27	16.26	3.74	48	18.97	1.03
7	12.03	7.97	28	16.42	3.58	49	19.07	0.93
8	12.29	7.71	29	16.58	3.42	50	19.16	0.84
9	12.55	7.45	30	16.73	3.27	51	19.25	0.75
10	12.80	7.20	31	16.88	3.12	52	19.34	0.66
11	13.04	6.96	32	17.03	2.97	53	19.43	0.57
12	13.28	6.72	33	17.17	2.83	54	19.52	0.48
13	13.51	6.49	34	17.31	2.69	55	19.61	0.39
14	13.74	6.26	35	17.45	2.55	56	19.69	0.31
15	13.96	6.04	36	17.59	2.41	57	19.77	0.23
16	14.18	5.82	37	17.72	2.28	58	19.85	0.15
17	14.39	5.61	38	17.85	2.15	59	19.93	0.07
18	14.60	5.40	39	17.97	2.03	60	20	0
19	14.80	5.20	40	18.09	1.91			
20	15	5	41	18.21	1.79			

16 Board VP Scale

John Diamond



Pun Intended!!

1. The fattest knight at King Arthur's round table was Sir Cumference. He acquired his size from too much pi.
2. I thought I saw an eye doctor on an Alaskan island, but it turned out to be an optical Aleutian .
3. She was only a whiskey maker, but he loved her still.
4. A rubber band pistol was confiscated from algebra class, because it was a weapon of math disruption.
5. No matter how much you push the envelope, it'll still be stationery.
6. A dog gave birth to puppies near the road and was cited for littering.
7. A grenade thrown into a kitchen in France would result in Linoleum Blownapart.
8. Two silk worms had a race. They ended up in a tie.
9. A hole has been found in the nudist camp wall. The police are looking into it.
10. Time flies like an arrow. Fruit flies like a banana.
11. Atheism is a non-prophet organization.
12. Two hats were hanging on a hat rack in the hallway. One hat said to the other: "You stay here; I'll go on a head."
13. I wondered why the baseball kept getting bigger. Then it hit me.
14. A sign on the lawn at a drug rehab center said: "Keep off the Grass."
15. The midget fortune-teller who escaped from prison was a small medium at large.
16. The soldier who survived mustard gas and pepper spray is now a seasoned veteran.
17. A backward poet writes inverse.
18. In a democracy it's your vote that counts. In feudalism it's your count that votes.
19. When cannibals ate a missionary, they got a taste of religion.
20. If you jumped off the bridge in Paris, you'd be in Seine.
21. A vulture boards an airplane, carrying two dead raccoons. The stewardess looks at him and says, "I'm sorry, sir, only one carrion allowed per passenger."
22. Two fish swim into a concrete wall. One turns to the other and says "Dam!"
23. Two Eskimos sitting in a kayak were chilly, so they lit a fire in the craft. Unsurprisingly it sank, proving once again that you can't have your kayak and heat it too.
24. Two hydrogen atoms meet. One says, "I've lost my electron." The other says "Are you sure?" The first replies, "Yes, I'm positive."
25. Did you hear about the Buddhist who refused Novocain during a root canal? His goal: transcend dental medication.
26. There was the person who sent ten puns to friends, with the hope that at least one of the puns would make them laugh. No pun in ten did.

Homophonic Puns are created by substituting one word for a similar-sounding word.

- A good pun is its own reward.

I bet the butcher the other day that he couldn't reach the meat that was on the top shelf. He refused to take the bet, saying that the steaks were too high.

Homographic Puns are created in one of two ways: either by using a word that has two different meanings, or by substituting a word with the exact same spelling as the word for which it was substituted.

- Corduroy pillows are making headlines.

Did you hear about the optometrist who fell into a lens grinder and made a spectacle of himself?

Compound Puns are made by using a string of two or more words that sound similar to a string of different words.

- Where do you find giant snails? On the ends of giants' fingers.

• A man walks into a psychiatrist's office wearing only shorts made of plastic wrap. The shrink says, "Well, I can clearly see you're nuts."

Santa's helpers are subordinate Clauses.

**No Electronic Devices are Permitted in the Playing Area.
This applies to players AND kibitzers.
Severe 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.**



USA1 ROUND OF SIXTEEN		
CAPTAINS' MEETING IN PLAYING AREA AFTER ROUND ROBIN		
SATURDAY JUNE 1ST	3:45 - 5:55 6:10 - 8:20	SEGMENT 1 BOARDS 1-15 SEGMENT 2 BOARDS 16-30
SUNDAY JUNE 2ND	10:00 - 12:10 12:25 - 2:35 2:35 - 3:45 3:45 - 5:55 6:10 - 8:20	SEGMENT 3 BOARDS 31-45 SEGMENT 4 BOARDS 46-60 1 HOUR 10 MINUTE BREAK SEGMENT 5 BOARDS 61-75 SEGMENT 6 BOARDS 76-90
USA1 QUARTERFINALS & USA2 ROUND OF 64 (8 TEAM KO OR 6 OR 7 TEAM ROUND ROBIN)		
MONDAY JUNE 3RD	10:00 - 12:10 12:25 - 2:35 2:35 - 3:45 3:45 - 5:55 6:10 - 8:20	SEGMENT 1 BOARDS 1-15 SEGMENT 2 BOARDS 16-30 1 HOUR 10 MINUTE BREAK SEGMENT 3 BOARDS 31-45 SEGMENT 4 BOARDS 46-60
TUESDAY JUNE 4TH	10:00 - 12:10 12:25 - 2:35 2:35 - 3:45 3:45 - 5:55 6:10 - 8:20	SEGMENT 5 BOARDS 61-75 SEGMENT 6 BOARDS 76-90 1 HOUR 10 MINUTE BREAK SEGMENT 7 BOARDS 91-105 SEGMENT 8 BOARDS 106-120
USA1 SEMI-FINALS & USA 2 ROUND OF 32		
WEDNESDAY JUNE 5TH	10:00 - 12:10 12:25 - 2:35 2:35 - 3:45 3:45 - 5:55 6:10 - 8:20	SEGMENT 1 BOARDS 1-15 SEGMENT 2 BOARDS 16-30 1 HOUR 10 MINUTE BREAK SEGMENT 3 BOARDS 31-45 SEGMENT 4 BOARDS 46-60
USA1 SEMI-FINAL & USA2 ROUND OF 16 (TIMES ARE SAME, BOARD NUMBERS START AT 1)		
THURSDAY JUNE 6TH	10:00 - 12:10 12:25 - 2:35 2:35 - 3:45 3:45 - 5:55 6:10 - 8:20	SEGMENT 5 BOARDS 61-75 SEGMENT 6 BOARDS 76-90 1 HOUR 10 MINUTE BREAK SEGMENT 7 BOARDS 91-105 SEGMENT 8 BOARDS 106-120
USA 1 FINAL & USA2 QF		
FRIDAY JUNE 7TH	10:00 - 12:10 12:25 - 2:35 2:35 - 3:45 3:45 - 5:55 6:10 - 8:20	SEGMENT 1 BOARDS 1-15 SEGMENT 2 BOARDS 16-30 1 HOUR 10 MINUTE BREAK SEGMENT 3 BOARDS 31-45 SEGMENT 4 BOARDS 46-60
USA1 FINAL & USA2 SEMI-FINAL (BOARDS 1-60)		
SATURDAY JUNE 8TH	10:00 - 12:10 12:25 - 2:35 2:35 - 3:45 3:45 - 5:55 6:10 - 8:20	SEGMENT 5 BOARDS 61-75 SEGMENT 6 BOARDS 76-90 1 HOUR 10 MINUTE BREAK SEGMENT 7 BOARDS 91-105 SEGMENT 8 BOARDS 106-120
USA2 SEMI-FINAL		
SUNDAY JUNE 9TH	10:00 - 12:10 12:25 - 2:35 2:35 - 4:00	SEGMENT 5 BOARDS 61-75 SEGMENT 6 BOARDS 76-90 1 HOUR 25 MINUTE BREAK
USA2 FINAL		
SUNDAY JUNE 9TH	4:00 - 6:10 6:25 - 8:35	SEGMENT 1 BOARDS 1-15 SEGMENT 2 BOARDS 16-30
MONDAY JUNE 10TH	10:00 - 12:10 12:25 - 2:35 2:35 - 3:45 3:45 - 5:55 6:10 - 8:20	SEGMENT 3 BOARDS 31-45 SEGMENT 4 BOARDS 46-60 1 HOUR 10 MINUTE BREAK SEGMENT 5 BOARDS 61-75 SEGMENT 6 BOARDS 76-90



David Yang

Knockout Stage



Schedule



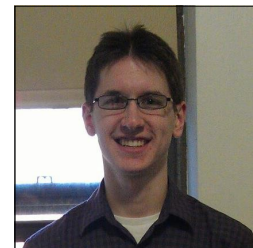
Justin Lall

USBF Junior Page ... Oren Kriegel

Oren Kriegel (18), is a first-year student at the University of Chicago double majoring in Political Science and Law, Letters, and Society (which is an interesting, if not particularly useful, major). He is from Upper Michigan and has been playing bridge for nearly five years. He placed 2nd in the Youth National Teams in 2010 and 3rd in 2011. (Ed. note: Oren has been an active member of ACBL District 13 for years and we are very proud of his success.)

Oren wrote the following hands and submitted them for this column:

Imps (USBF Juniors team match 5/5)
South dealer
North-South vulnerable



Oren Kriegel

	North (Samuel Kang)	
	6 5 2	
	A 8 5	
	9 2	
	K Q J 5 4	
West (Greg Herman)		East (Oren Kriegel)
K 9 8		A Q J 7 3
K 10		Q J 7 6
A Q 8 7 5 4 3		J
2		A 10 7
	South (William Zhu)	
	10 4	
	9 4 3 2	
	K 10 6	
	9 8 6 3	

South dealt and passed, West opened one diamond, and North overcalled two clubs. I bid two spades, forcing for one round, and South passed again. Now West faced a bit of a problem. He wanted to raise spades, of course, but three spades is not forcing and four spades is an underbid with so much playing strength. Cuebidding three clubs would establish a game force, but that would not solve the problem. West would never be able to express his hand-type. Rebidding diamonds, intending to support spades later, should also be dismissed. Three diamonds, like three spades, is not forcing, and four diamonds shows better diamonds and buries the spade support. West settled on what I believe is the best action: four clubs, a splinter in support of spades. Though this bid is not without flaws, it gives partner the gist of the hand.

North passed and it was my problem. My hand is very good opposite a partner showing club shortness and slam interest, but bidding Blackwood would be premature because we may be off the ace-king of hearts. So what should I bid? Four diamonds, a control-bid showing first- or second-round control, is possible, but partner and I had agreed not to control-bid shortness in partner's suit: four diamonds here would show the ace or king.

I decided to eschew my own advice and bid four notrump, asking for keycards. Ever the optimist, I figured that partner would have a heart control most of the time. Fortunately, Greg is a good partner, and he came through with the needed heart control. After partner's two-keycards-without-the-queen response, I placed the contract in six spades.

South led the four of spades and dummy's eight held the trick. On a different lead, I could have played to ruff two clubs in dummy, but after the trump lead, I would be short of entries to my hand. Instead, I decided to set up the diamonds, which requires diamonds to split three-two and (unless the king of diamonds drops doubleton) three-two trumps. If the king of diamonds is singleton (presumably with North), I can still make as long as the player with the singleton king has fewer than three trumps: I can ruff one club and pitch the other on the queen of diamonds after drawing a second round of trumps.

At trick two I cashed the diamond ace and ruffed a diamond with the jack of spades. I played a low spade to the king. Everyone followed to this trick, and I was cold. I ruffed a second diamond high, cashed the last trump, and led a low heart to the king and ace. I won the club return, led a low heart to the ten, and claimed. At the other table, East-West had an uncontested auction that fizzled out in four spades after they gently tried for slam, so we won 11imps.

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Some Nearby Suggestions For Your Dining Pleasure

Italian Restaurants in the Orlando Area:

Adriatico Trattoria Italiana

2417 Edgewater Dr, Orlando

Al's Pizzeria

3305 W. Oak St., Kissimmee

Aldo's Italian Deli

6325 N. Orange Blossom Trail, Orlando

Alfonso's Pizza & More

3231 Edgewater Drive, Orlando

Amalfi Italian Restaurant & Pizza Inc

2901 Curry Ford Rd, Orlando

Amici Italian Restaurant

8594 Palm Parkway , Orlando

Andiamo Italian Bistro & Grille

1751 Hotel Plaza Blvd., Lake Buena Vista

Anthony's Pizzeria & Italian Restaurant

100 N. Summerlin Ave., Orlando

1119 E. Colonial Drive, Orlando

Anthony's Lil Pizza and Pasta

425 Avalon Park South Blvd, Orlando

Aroma Italian Cafe & Wine Bar

712 E. Washington St., Orlando

Bacco Italian Restaurant

10065 University Blvd, Orlando

Bella Italia Pizza

4662 E Michigan St, Orlando

Bergamos Italian Restaurant

5250 International Dr, Orlando

Bice Ristorante

5601 Universal Blvd., Orlando

Big Fin Seafood Kitchen

8046 Via Dellagio Way, Orlando

Bravo Cucina Italiana

7924 Via Dellagio, Orlando

Brick & Fire Pizza and Pasta Parlor

1621 S. Orange Ave., Orlando

BRIO Tuscan Grille

4200 Conroy Road, Orlando

Broadway Ristorante & Pizzeria

12279 University Blvd., Orlando

1700 Woolco Way, Orlando

The Bronx Pizzeria

16869 E. Colonial Drive, Orlando

Brooklyn Pizza

5681 Pershing Ave., Orlando

Brooklyn Pizza

7001 International Drive, Orlando

Buca di Beppo

8001 S. Orange Blossom Trail, Orlando

Buffalo Wings & Subs

4152 W. Oak Ridge Road, Orlando

Buon Fratelli Pizzeria & Grill

17433 E. Colonial Drive, Orlando

Cafe Italiano

565 N. Semoran Blvd., Orlando

Cafe Trastevere

825 N. Magnolia Ave., Orlando

Cala Bella

9939 Universal Blvd., Orlando

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Hospitality Suite Information:

The hospitality suite for the 2013 USBC is room 1122 in the Tower building. Players, kibitzers, friends and supporters are welcome in the Hospitality Suite during the tournament. Please join hostesses Lisa Berkowitz & Molly O'Neill for:

Breakfast each day from 8:30-10:00 am

Lunch on Wednesday-Sunday from 2:30-4:00.

Vugraph, casual chit chat, drinks & snacks during the rest of the playing hours and for a short time after the end of the day.

NOTE: on Friday-Tuesday, we have arranged with the hotel to have a buffet lunch available at the break between sessions.



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California Pizza Kitchen

4200 Conroy Road, Orlando
695 N. Alafaya Trail, Orlando
8001 S. Orange Blossom Trail, Orlando

Capriccio Grill

9801 International Drive, Orlando

Cariera's Cucina Italiana

10663 Narcoossee Rd, Orlando
7600 Dr. Phillips Blvd., Orlando

Carrabba's Italian Grill

7890 W. Irlo Bronson Memorial Highway, Kissimmee
1001 Sand Lake Rd, Orlando
5701 Vineland Road, Orlando
8702 Vineland Ave., Orlando

Christini's Ristorante Italiano

7600 Dr. Phillips Blvd., Orlando

Chuck E. Cheese

449 N. Alafaya Trail, Orlando

Ciao Italia Ristorante Italiano

6149 Westwood Blvd., Orlando

Coelo Italia Cuisine

4439 Edgewater Dr, Orlando

Cornerstone Pizza

1513 E. Michigan Street, Orlando

CRAVE

4158 Conroy Road, Orlando

Dan's Sandwich Shoppes & Midnite Pizza

28 S. Orange Ave., Orlando

Dom's Pizza

5075 Edgewater Drive, Orlando

Don Giovanni Pizza

7900 S Orange Blossom Trl, Orlando

The Eastside Bistro

3461 E. Colonial Drive, Suite F13, Orlando
12001 Avalon Lake Drive, Suite F , Orlando

Ember

42 W. Central Blvd., Orlando

Famas Pizza & Pasta

5474 Central Florida Parkway, Orlando

Ferrara's Pizza and Pasta

3020 Lamberton Blvd., Orlando

Fiorella's Cucina Toscana

9501 Universal Blvd, Orlando

Flippers Pizzeria

5770 W. Irlo Bronson Memorial Highway, Kissimmee

Flippers Pizzeria

7480 Universal Blvd., Orlando

Flippers Pizzeria

4774 Kirkman Road, Orlando

Flippers Pizzeria

2934 Vineland Road, Kissimmee
80 W. Grant St, Orlando
6125 Westwood Blvd

The Flying Pizza Company

13212 E. Colonial Drive, Orlando

Fratelli's Italian Restaurant

373 North Orange Avenue, Orlando

Fratello's Pizza

11660 E. Colonial Drive, Orlando

Fresco's Italian Restaurant

7605 Turkey Lake Road, Orlando

Gargi's Lakeside

1414 N. Orange Ave., Orlando

Gargis Restorante Italian

1414 Orange Ave, Orlando

Gelateria - Caffé Espresso

5601 Universal Blvd., Orlando

Gino's Pizza

120 S. Orange Ave., Orlando

Gino's Pizza & Brew

1 S Orange Ave, Orlando

Ginos Pizza V

54 W Church St, Orlando

Giordano's

12151 S. Apopka Vineland Road, Orlando

Giordano's

7866 W. Irlo Bronson Mem Hwy., Kissimmee

Giovanni Pizza of Orlando

5722 Old Cheney Hwy, Orlando

Giovanni's Italian Restaurant

2140 S. Chickasaw Trail, Orlando

Giovanni's Pizzeria & Subs

3204 S. Goldenrod Road, Orlando

Girdano's

7866 West Irlo Bronson Memorial Highway, Kissimmee

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3624 W. Vine Street, Kissimmee

Goodfella's Pizzeria

11865 E. Colonial Drive, Orlando

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Gourmet O's Pizza

8216 World Center Drive, Orlando

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1200 EPCOT Resorts Blvd., Lake Buena Vista

Il Pescatore

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705 W. Colonial Drive, Orlando

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5032 W. Colonial Drive, Orlando

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275 S Chickasaw Trl, Orlando

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Josie's Pizza & Wings

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4201 S. Orange Ave., Orlando

Kafe Kalik

4969 International Drive, Orlando

L'Originale Alfredo di Roma Ristorante

10,000 Buena Vista Blvd., Lake Buena Vista

La Bella

1922 N. John Young Parkway, Kissimmee

La Bella Luna

4886 New Broad St., Orlando

La Casa Nostra Pizzeria

12701 S. John Young Parkway, Orlando

La Forchetta Ristorante

321 S. John Young Parkway

Lago

4979 New Broad Street, Orlando

Lazy Moon

12269 University Blvd., Orlando

Le Rouge Wine Bar & Tapas

7730 W. Sand Lake Road, Orlando

Lemay's Pizza

821 Cypress Parkway, Kissimmee

Leo's Pizza Subs & More

2435 Pleasant Hill Road, Kissimmee

Lido's Italian Restaurant

2509 S. Orange Ave., Orlando

Lil' Anthony's Pizza

2612 E. Colonial Drive, Orlando

Linda's La Cantina Steakhouse

4721 E. Colonial Drive, Orlando

Lou's Pizza

2555 Boggy Creek Road, Kissimmee

Lou's Pizza Pasta & Subs

2555 Boggy Creek Rd, Kissimmee

Louie and Maria's Italian Restaurant

9728 E. Colonial Drive, Orlando

Louie's Italian Restaurant

6000 Universal Blvd., Orlando

Luciano's Italian Restaurant Pizzeria

3501 W Vine St, Kissimmee

Maggiano's Little Italy

9101 International Drive, Orlando

Mama Della's Ristorante

5601 Universal Blvd., Orlando

Mama Melrose's Ristorante Italiano

10,000 Buena Vista Blvd., Lake Buena Vista

Mama Mia's Pizzeria

706 E. Wallace Street, Orlando

Mandolin's

2900 Parkway Boulevard, Kissimmee

Mangia! Italian Bistro

10065 University Blvd., Orlando

Mario's Pizza & Subs

(7213 Curry Ford Road, Orlando

Maxine's on Shine

337 N. Shine Ave., Orlando

Metro Espresso Pizza Cafe

417 E. Central Blvd., Orlando

MIA Bella Trattoria

7332 W Colonial Dr, Orlando

Michelangelo Italian Cuisine

4898 S Kirkman Rd, Orlando

Mikey's Pizza

401 W. Vine St., Kissimmee

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Milano's Pizza Restaurant

3564 Avalon Park East Blvd, Orlando

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3464 Avalon Park East Blvd, Orlando

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Miller's Orlando Ale House

641 N. Alafaya Trail, Orlando
1667 Florida Mall Ave., Orlando
7379 W. Colonial Drive, Orlando
5573 S. Kirkman Road, Orlando
6141 S. Semoran Blvd., Orlando
12371 Winter Garden Vineland Road, Orlando

Mimi's Cafe

1251 West Osceola Parkway, Kissimmee

Mr. Pizza

6420 Winegard Road, Orlando

Mrs. B's Pizza & Wings

6849 S. Kirkman Road, Orlando

Napolis Pizzeria

3928 S. Semoran Blvd., Orlando
8241 Valencia College Lane, Orlando

New York China Buffet

12173 S. Apopka-Vineland Road, Orlando

American Restaurants in the Orlando Area:

903 Mills Market

903 Mills Ave., Orlando

Beefy King

424 N. Bumby Ave., Orlando

Chuck's Restaurant

807 N. Mills Ave., Orlando

Davis Bakery

12001 Avalon Lake Drive, Orlando

Nature's Table

8701 Maitland Summit Blvd., Orlando

Pom Pom's Teahouse & Sandwicheria

67 N. Bumby Ave., Orlando

Shakers American Cafe

1308 Edgewater Drive, Orlando

Shane's Rib Shack

400 South Orlando Avenue, Winter Park

Weenie Wagon

910 Lee Road, Orlando

051 Subs

895 W. State Road 434, Winter Springs

3 Sisters Speakeasy

226 Broadway Ave., Kissimmee

310 Lakeside

301 E. Pine St., Orlando

5 & Diner

12286 E. Colonial Drive, Orlando

50's Prime Time Cafe

10,000 Buena Vista Blvd., Orlando

Ace Super Buffet

8620 W. Irlo Bronson Memorial Hwy., Kissimmee

Aces Plus Grand Buffet

1000 Plaza Drive, Kissimmee

All American Cafe

2904 Curry Ford Road, Orlando

Andrea Quality Cheesecake

6020 Edgewater Drive, Orlando

Anthony's Pizzeria & Italian Restaurant

100 N. Summerlin Ave., Orlando

Applebee Church Inc

3901 Port Sea Pl, Kissimmee

Applebee's Neighborhood Grill

12103 Collegiate Way, Orlando
2060 Osceola Pkwy., Kissimmee
4759 W. Irlo Bronson Memorial Highway, Kissimmee
13500 S John Young Pkwy, Orlando

Art's Sandwich Shop Inc.

1018 S. Orange Blossom Trail, Orlando

Artist Point

901 Timberline Drive, Lake Buena Vista

Augustine's Bar and Restaurant

8001 International Drive, Orlando

Auntie Anne's

8200 Vineland Ave., Orlando

Back Yard Burgers

11556 University Blvd., Orlando
7699 S. Orange Blossom Trail, Orlando

Bananas Diner

924 N. Mills Ave., Orlando

Baskervilles

1850 Hotel Plaza Blvd., Lake Buena Vista

(More restaurant selections in tomorrow's issue of the Trials and Tribulations...)

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Mentor's Note (Stan Subeck, mentor): Two notes of interest:

On Oren's line of play: If the king of diamonds is singleton, declarer could follow by trumping two diamonds high and playing for the ten of spades to be onside with 3-2 trumps. This provides the needed extra entry to dummy to enjoy the long diamonds.

An alternative line that may be an improvement is one which guards against a 4-1 trump break, without giving up on the diamond suit. After winning the first trump in dummy, declarer can test trumps by leading a trump to his hand.

If trumps break, the play proceeds: Diamond to the ace, trump a diamond. Trump to the king, trump a diamond. Now lead a heart. Dummy's king or ten will be an entry to the long diamonds.

If trumps are 4-1, it is best to finesse for the king of diamonds and play for 3-2 diamonds. This is better than simply playing for the king-doubleton in either hand. There are a total of eight possible king doubleton combinations, but there are actually ten 3-2 and king onside combinations (four king doubletons + six king tripletons).

Michael Rosenberg contacted me late in April, saying that he wanted to arrange for me to play in-person with an expert. I was thrilled. Steve Garner graciously agreed to play with me. On Sunday, May 19th we played a pairs game at The Chicago Bridge Center. It was terrific experience on all fronts. Steve is a pleasure to play with, there were several interesting learning opportunities (on one board, I should have discarded a heart to clarify the position for partner, but only because he was winning the current trick; otherwise I needed that heart as an exit card), and we placed first, with a score just shy of 66 percent. Overall, the session was an exercise in not making mistakes, but there were a few chances to squeeze out extra tricks. Midway through the session, this deal came up (North-South hands approximate):

Matchpoints

West dealer

North-South vulnerable

	North	
	x	
	Q J x x	
	K J x x	
	J x x x	
West (Steve Garner)		East (Oren Kriegel)
K 10 x x		A J x x x
A K 10 x		x x x
A x x x		Q
Q		K 9 x x
	South	
	Q 9 x	
	x x	
	10 9 x x	
	A 10 x x	



Steve Garner

The bidding was simple. Steve dealt and opened one diamond. I responded one spade. Steve raised to three spades, and I continued on to four spades. South led the ten of diamonds to dummy's ace. I planned to ruff two clubs in dummy, so I led the queen of clubs, South winning the ace. Another diamond came back, which I ruffed in hand. Now I ruffed a club low, and cashed the king and ace of spades. Had the spades split two-two, I would have been cold for eleven tricks (five spades, two hearts, one diamond, one club, and two club ruffs), but North showed out.

Knocking out South's trump winner would have been a mistake, so I played for as many ruffs as possible in each hand. I ruffed my last club with dummy's last trump, ruffed a second diamond back to hand, crossed to the ace of hearts, ruffed the last diamond, and played a heart to the king. South helplessly followed suit and had to trump his partner's heart winner at trick thirteen. +450 was good for 7.5 out of 8 matchpoints. This was the first time I had (consciously) executed a trump elopement, and it was the high point of the very enjoyable session.

Fun Quotes...

Weather forecast for tonight: dark.

George Carlin

A woman's mind is cleaner than a man's: She changes it more often.

Oliver Herford

I found there was only one way to look thin: hang out with fat people.

Rodney Dangerfield

All right everyone, line up alphabetically according to your height.

Casey Stengel

Recession is when a neighbor loses his job. Depression is when you lose yours.

Ronald Reagan

I cook with wine, sometimes I even add it to the food.

W. C. Fields

Everybody knows how to raise children, except the people who have them.

P. J. O'Rourke

My most brilliant achievement was my ability to be able to persuade my wife to marry me.

Winston Churchill

By all means let's be open-minded, but not so open-minded that our brains drop out.

Richard Dawkins

A friend doesn't go on a diet because you are fat.

Erma Bombeck

Do not worry about avoiding temptation. As you grow older it will avoid you.

Joey Adams

A stockbroker urged me to buy a stock that would triple its value every year. I told him, 'At my age, I don't even buy green bananas.'

Claude Pepper

Frisbeetarianism is the belief that when you die, your soul goes up on the roof and gets stuck.

George Carlin

I used to be Snow White, but I drifted.

Mae West

You can lead a man to Congress, but you can't make him think.

Milton Berle

I love deadlines. I like the whooshing sound they make as they fly by.

Douglas Adams

A child of five would understand this. Send someone to fetch a child of five.

Groucho Marx

A nickel ain't worth a dime anymore.

Yogi Berra

I am not a member of any organized political party. I am a Democrat.

Will Rogers



	8	6		2		4	5	
	1						3	
	4	7		3		6	1	
		9		6		5		
6								7
			9		4			
			5		7			
1								6
		8		1		2		

Sudoku 1

Sudoku

Sudoku 2

	3			9	4			
			3					7
9		2						
4		7						
			6					3
	6				1	8		
	8			1	3	2	4	
				6			5	
	5			2	7	3	6	

Answers to Puzzle No Peeking!

Sudoku 2 Solution

8	6	3	7	2	9	4	5	1
3	7	4	8	6	9	2	8	3
7	4	9	3	1	5	6	8	7
4	2	8	1	9	7	3	6	5
3	7	9	6	4	5	8	1	2
6	1	8	3	2	7	9	4	5
5	3	6	8	4	2	7	9	1
7	9	2	5	3	1	4	8	6
2	8	9	6	2	5	3	1	4
4	8	2	9	7	1	5	3	6

Sudoku 1 Solution

7	9	8	3	1	6	2	4	5
1	5	3	4	8	2	9	7	6
4	6	2	5	9	7	3	8	1
5	2	1	9	7	4	8	6	3
6	3	4	2	5	8	1	9	7
8	7	9	1	6	3	5	2	4
9	4	7	8	3	5	6	1	2
2	1	5	6	4	9	7	3	8
3	8	6	7	2	1	4	5	9

Puzzle Page ...

Emily Post spent last weekend at a family reunion, hosted by her grandparents. Most of her large, sprawling family was able to attend, traveling from all corners of the country. It was her first time home since she'd left for college and she'd seen few of her family since then. As a result, stories of her childhood were a favored topic during the weekend as many of her relatives reminisced. Four relatives in particular told the most embarrassing stories about her past exploits with gleeful delight, although she did point out they only got away with it because they were her favorites. Determine the full name of her four favorite relatives, what relation each was to her, and what each relative's favorite story was.

1. Michael, whose last name wasn't Shandy, was Emily's nephew.
2. Peter's last name wasn't Post.
3. Allen, whose last name wasn't Reynolds, talked about her 5th birthday party but he wasn't Emily's uncle.
4. Since Emily was in the same class, her cousin had first-hand experience with, as he described it when he told the story, Emily's infamous school play.
5. Mr. Shandy, who wasn't her grandfather, talked about Christmas when she was 9 years old.
6. Scott Wiseman didn't talk about the talent show. Peter didn't talk about the school play.

	Alex	Brandon	Claire	Elliot	Fern	Koning	Mansfield	Zorn	Kicker	Quarterback	Receiver	Running Back
Bulls												
Chargers												
Lions												
Rams												
Kicker												
Quarterback												
Receiver												
Running Back												
Fern												
Koning												
Mansfield												
Zorn												

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Team Name	First Name	Last Name	Postition

Info on next year's United States Bridge Championship ...

The 2014 USBC, which will select USA1 for the 2015 Bermuda Bowl, will be held in Phoenix, starting on Friday, May 9 and most likely ending on Sunday, May 18. The tournament will be held at the Embassy Suites Scottsdale. Room rate is \$139 a night and includes free internet, a hot breakfast, and Embassy Suites' afternoon "Managers' Reception." The Managers' Reception is during play; when Jan told the sales person at Embassy Suites that most of you would be busy at that time, he asked "but couldn't they come out and get a drink and take it in to the table while they're playing?" - made me laugh! The hotel is situated on a golf course that has special rates for hotel guests, for those who want to go a day or two early or get up early some mornings to enjoy golf. For those more interested in shopping, there's a large mall an easy walk from the hotel.

Phoenix is the largest Southwest hub in the country, so there are many flights to Phoenix from anyplace that Southwest flies, with the huge advantage that you can change the date of your return flight with no extra fee. We hope this will be a great place for the 2014 USBC.

World Youth Bridge Open Championship in Atlanta

The WBF, with support from ACBL, USBF, MABC , ACBL District 7, ACBL District 9, as well as private donors, will hold the 3rd World Youth Bridge Open Championship in Atlanta this summer. The complete schedule of play is posted on the WBF website.

Thanks to the generous support of MABC and District 7, all participants will be provided with lunch and dinner each day. Entries are due by July 1, although the organizers will try to accommodate late entrants. All players must be born in 1988 or later; there are no residence or nationality requirements.

Participants will be treated to an Atlanta Braves Game.

United States Women's and Seniors' Bridge Championships Information

The 2013 USWBC and the 2013 USSBC will be held at the Buena Vista Palace, in Orlando, FL, starting on Friday, July 12th. The USWBC will probably ending on Thursday, July 18th; The USSBC will probably end Saturday, July 20. The room rate for both events is \$129 per night, including internet and the hotel's "resort fee." To make reservations online, go to our designated reservation page. To make reservations by phone, call 866-397-6516 and mention USBF. If you have any problem making a reservation, email Jan and she will try to straighten it out.

SENIOR ENTRY INFORMATION

To enter, log into the USBF site and click on "Enter Senior Trials" under the User Menu, then follow instructions. To guarantee that you will be allowed to play, you must enter on or before Friday, June 14, 2013. Additional entries will be accepted until Friday, June 21st, but only if they improve the format of the event.

WOMEN'S ENTRY INFORMATION

To enter, log into the USBF site and click on "Enter Women's Trials" under the User Menu, then follow instructions. To guarantee that you will be allowed to play, you must enter on or before Monday, June 3, 2013. Additional entries will be accepted until Monday, June 24th, but only if they do not change the format of the event.



Joel Wooldridge

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receiver	Konig	Charlie	Rams
kicker	Mansfield	Elliot	Lions
running back	Zorn	Alex	Chargers
quarterback	Fenn	Brandon	Bulls
Position	Last Name	First Name	Team Name