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UNITED STATES BRIDGE CHAMPIONSHIPS

“Trials” and Tribulations Halfway Through the Finals

#	TEAM	TOTAL	1-15	16-30	31-45	46-60
1	Nickell	165	28	40	58	39
2	Diamond	141	30	32	33	46

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"TRIALS" AND TRIBULATIONS

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What makes the
desert beautiful is
that somewhere it
hides a well.

~Antoine de Saint-
Exupery



The DICs:
Chris Patrias
and Solly Weinstein



Knockout Schedule

Round of Sixteen		
Captains' Meeting in Playing Area at 9:45 AM		
SUNDAY MAY 11TH	10:00 - 12:10	SEGMENT 1 BOARDS 1-15
	12:25 - 2:35	SEGMENT 2 BOARDS 16-30 70 MINUTE LUNCH BREAK
	3:45 - 5:55	SEGMENT 3 BOARDS 31-45
	6:10 - 8:20	SEGMENT 4 BOARDS 45-60
MONDAY MAY 12TH	10:00 - 12:10	SEGMENT 5 BOARDS 61-75
	12:25 - 2:35	SEGMENT 6 BOARDS 76-90 70 MINUTE LUNCH BREAK
	3:45 - 5:55	SEGMENT 7 BOARDS 91-105
	6:10 - 8:20	SEGMENT 8 BOARDS 106-120
Quarterfinals		
TUESDAY MAY 13TH	10:00 - 12:10	SEGMENT 1 BOARDS 1-15
	12:25 - 2:35	SEGMENT 2 BOARDS 16-30 70 MINUTE LUNCH BREAK
	3:45 - 5:55	SEGMENT 3 BOARDS 31-45
	6:10 - 8:20	SEGMENT 4 BOARDS 46-60
WEDNESDAY MAY 14TH	10:00 - 12:10	SEGMENT 5 BOARDS 61-75
	12:25 - 2:35	SEGMENT 6 BOARDS 76-90 70 MINUTE LUNCH BREAK
	3:45 - 5:55	SEGMENT 7 BOARDS 91-105
	6:10 - 8:20	SEGMENT 8 BOARDS 106-120
Semi-Finals		
THURSDAY MAY 15TH	10:00 - 12:10	SEGMENT 1 BOARDS 1-15
	12:25 - 2:35	SEGMENT 2 BOARDS 16-30 70 MINUTE LUNCH BREAK
	3:45 - 5:55	SEGMENT 3 BOARDS 31-45
	6:10 - 8:20	SEGMENT 4 BOARDS 46-60
FRIDAY MAY 16TH	10:00 - 12:10	SEGMENT 5 BOARDS 61-75
	12:25 - 2:35	SEGMENT 6 BOARDS 76-90 70 MINUTE LUNCH BREAK
	3:45 - 5:55	SEGMENT 7 BOARDS 91-105
	6:10 - 8:20	SEGMENT 8 BOARDS 106-120
Final		
SATURDAY MAY 17TH	10:00 - 12:10	SEGMENT 1 BOARDS 1-15
	12:25 - 2:35	SEGMENT 2 BOARDS 16-30 70 MINUTE LUNCH BREAK
	3:45 - 5:55	SEGMENT 3 BOARDS 31-45
	6:10 - 8:20	SEGMENT 4 BOARDS 46-60
SUNDAY MAY 18TH	10:00 - 12:10	SEGMENT 5 BOARDS 61-75
	12:25 - 2:35	SEGMENT 6 BOARDS 76-90 70 MINUTE LUNCH BREAK
	3:45 - 5:55	SEGMENT 7 BOARDS 91-105
	6:10 - 8:20	SEGMENT 8 BOARDS 106-120

Kantar Quips ...

I give a lesson on preemptive bidding and then call off a hand. The class divides the cards. The South hand is supposed to have seven hearts, but North winds up with the 7 hearts and 20 cards and South winds up with no hearts and 6 cards. South calls me over and says: "Mr. Kantar, I have never seen a hand like this before." But she is happy because she likes to count points for short suits. North, on the other hand, is having trouble holding on to all 20 cards and they are falling over the place. But North is even happier than South because North likes to count extra points for long suits. I finally had to tell them what happened.

Wife holds her bosom before her husband leads. He wants to lead a diamond, but when he sees her holding her bosom, so he leads a heart. A diamond lead would have set the hand. He asks her why she was holding her bosom. She says: "I wasn't holding my bosom, I was trying to show a bust!" (Some of the other stories are better than this!)

Howard Shenken never made a hand in a Truscott column. They were not on such good terms. Ditto with Stayman and Goren. In the Goren columns, a 2C response to 1NT was never referred to as Stayman. It was always 'the two club convention'.

In a beginner's class I had a lady who when playing a hand was afraid to lead any suit that didn't have the ace. Finally, she had to lead up to a KJ combination and was petrified. I tried to explain to her that if she thought the ace was to her left to play the king and if she thought the ace was to her right to play the jack. Finally, finally she leads up to the KJ and is afraid to play either one. I said: "Play whichever one you want, but just tell me what you are hoping for." "O.K. I'll play the king." "Great, and what are you hoping for?" "I'm hoping they make a mistake."

This one fellows loves to psyche, but his partner has his fill and tells him that from now on he is going to fine him 20 dollars every time he psyches. The 'psycher' agrees and everything is going along just fine until the psycher winds up playing against a guy he hates. The psycher is the dealer. He says to his partner: "By the way, here's the 20 dollars I owe you, one spade!"

**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.**



Hospitality Suite Information

The hospitality suite for the 2014 USBC will be the Kayenta Suite (room 2052). Our wonderful hostesses, Lisa Berkowitz and Molly O'Neill will make the "trek" to Phoenix to welcome you to the Hospitality Suite during the tournament. Because the hotel serves breakfast every morning, we will not be serving breakfast in the hospitality suite. Please join us for:

Lunch today 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.

As we have the last two years, we will also have a "Players' Break Room" (aka Jan's office) near the playing rooms from Tuesday on. We will have coffee, soft drinks and some snacks available in that room while you wait for your slow teammates to finish playing.



Molly and Lisa invite you to room 2050 during the play for snacks and sodas. Your team captains have the key... and they add that your cooperation in tossing your trash is much appreciated.

Best Resort Restaurant

WINNER: Deseo, Westin Kierland Resort & Spa

Sushi Roku, W Scottsdale
 SWB, a southwest bistro, Hyatt Regency Scottsdale Resort and Spa at Gainey Ranch
 Wright's at The Biltmore
 LON's at the Hermosa
 ZuZu, Hotel Valley Ho
 Prado, Montelucia Resort and Spa
 T. Cook's, Royal Palms Resort & Spa
 BLT Steak, JW Marriott Camelback Inn Resort and Spa
 Elements, Sanctuary Camelback Mountain Resort and Spa
 Frank & Albert's at The Biltmore
 Bourbon Steak, Scottsdale Fairmont Scottsdale Resort and Spa
 Palo Verde at The Boulders
 J&G Steakhouse, The Phoenician
 Talavera, Four Seasons Resort Scottsdale at Troon North
 Taggia at FireSky Resort
 Ristorante Tuscany, JW Marriott Desert Ridge Resort

Best Slice

WINNER: Venezia's Pizza

NYPD Pizza
 Oregano's
 Andreoli Italian Grocer
 The Parlor (Pizzeria)
 Grimaldi's Pizzeria
 Pizzeria Bianco
 Cibo
 Mellow Mushroom
 Picazzo's Gourmet Pizza, Salad & Pizza
 Grazie Pizzeria & Wine Bar
 Humble Pie
 Pomo Pizzeria
 Ray's Pizza
 La Bocca Urban Pizzeria + Wine Bar
 Crust Pizza & Wine Cafe
 ABC Amy's Baking Company
 Local Bistro
 Slices
 Ciao Grazie

Best Spa Cuisine

WINNER: Sprouts, The Spa at JW Marriot Camelback Inn

Joya Terrace, Joya Spa at Montelucia
 Golden Door Spa Cafe, The Boulders
 Nourish Cafe, Willow Stream Spa at Fairmont Scottsdale Princess

Best Sunday Brunch

WINNER: Carefree Station Grill & Bar

LON's at the Hermosa
 Rokerij
 Postino Winecafe
 El Chorro Lodge
 St. Francis
 T. Cook
 Geordie's Restaurant & Lounge
 The Mission
 Vincent's on Camelback
 Rico's American Grill
 Elements, Sanctuary Camelback Mountain Resort and Spa
 Narcisse Champagne and Tea Lounge
 Roaring Fork
 Prado, Montelucia Resort & Spa
 Village Tavern
Best Tea Spot
WINNER: The Ritz-Carlton, Phoenix
 The Phoenician
 The English Rose Tea Room
 Coffee Bean & Tea Leaf
 Teavana
 Carefree Station Grill & Bar
 Souvia Tea
 The Teeter House
 WhiteAugust Tea Company
 Narcisse Champagne and Tea Lounge

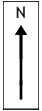
Arizona's Bests

The Grand Finale ... Nickell vs Diamond ... "Element"ary!

Board 7
 Dealer: S
 All Vul.

♠ A84
 ♥ A
 ♦ KT843
 ♣ JT54

♠ Q
 ♥ KJT7432
 ♦ J6
 ♣ Q82



♠ 965
 ♥ Q9865
 ♦ Q75
 ♣ 73

♠ KJT732
 ♥
 ♦ A92
 ♣ AK96

West	North	East	South
Katz	Greco	Nickell	Hampson
			1C (strong)
2H	3D (nat. GF)	4H	Pass (asks partner to reopen with dble)
Pass	Double	Pass	4S
Pass	5NT	Pass	6H
Pass	6S	Pass	7D
Pass	7S	Pass	Pass
Double	All Pass		
Diamond	Levin	Platnick	S Weinstein
			1S
3H	4H	5H	7S
All Pass			

This hand represents the second 21 IMP swing of the Championships. Yesterday Bramley/Stansby went down 2000 in a freely bid grand to create the same swing (see reference in Limey Jack's column in Saturday's bulletin.)

Here, seven spades is an aggressive, but reasonable spot. Both North/Souths bid it despite preemptive interference by the opponents.

Both Wests led high hearts: Katz led the king and Diamond led the jack. Both Souths won the ace in dummy, discarding diamonds from hand.

If spades split 2-2, declarer can draw trumps, cash the ace of clubs, and then play ace of diamonds and a diamond to the king. If both opponents follow, declarer simply trumps a diamond and returns to dummy in trump. If both opponents fail to follow, he falls back on the club finesse.

If spades are 3-1, declarer must guess the position of the spade queen at trick two. If he guesses correctly, he may still need the club finesse.

Stevie Weinstein, faced with a double jump by Diamond, assumed that West held at least seven hearts. This caused him to play for the spade queen to be in Platnick's hand on his right. Accordingly, he cashed the ace of spades. When the queen fell singleton on his left, he had no choice but to hope for either the queen/jack doubleton of diamonds or the club finesse. Since neither of these positions existed, the grand slam failed by a trick.

In the other room, Katz preempted only two hearts, likely giving Hampson cause to think hearts were 6-6 in his opponents' hands.

At trick two, Hampson played a spade off dummy to his king, felling the singleton queen. He was now able to save the spade ace as a dummy entry. He still had a decision to make. If RHO had a singleton diamond, he needed to draw trumps and take the club finesse. He chose to play for 3-2 diamonds. He cashed the spade jack and tested diamonds. When that worked, he scored up his doubled grand slam.

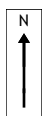
21 IMPs to Diamond ...

21 IMPs is even more impressive when you consider that the score at the end of the first quarter was 28 Nickell/30 Diamond

Board 20
 Dealer: W
 All Vul.

♠ JT52
 ♥ J9432
 ♦ AQJ
 ♣ 3

♠ AQ9
 ♥ T75
 ♦ K864
 ♣ A72



♠ K83
 ♥ Q
 ♦ 97532
 ♣ KJ86

♠ 764
 ♥ AK86
 ♦ T
 ♣ QT954

West	North	East	South
Bathurst	Katz	Moss	Nickell
1D (could be short)	Pass	1S	Pass
1NT	Pass	2C	Pass
2D	All Pass		

Meckstroth	Greco	Rodwell	Hampson
1D (could be short)	1H	3C	4H
All Pass			

Two diamonds made easily in the Closed Room, declarer losing three diamonds, one heart and one club. Katz didn't overcall and hearts never came into play.

In the Open Room, however, Greco overcalled one heart. Rodwell bid a fit-showing jump in clubs, showing diamonds and clubs and a limit raise or better. Hampson, liking his hearts and his singleton diamond, pushed to the game.

It was all on the opening lead... and who wouldn't lead a diamond?

Rodwell led the diamond deuce to the ten, king, ace. Greco took two quick pitches of spades on diamonds... and eventually lost one spade, one club, and a trick in the wash. It matters not whether Meckstroth puts up his diamond king. With spades 3-3, Greco can take one pitch, ruff a diamond, and play a spade from dummy. The best the opponents can do is to shift to trumps. Greco can win the trump in dummy and lead another spade. If RHO returns another trump, Greco must insert the nine from his hand in order to ruff a spade in dummy if trumps are not 2-2. He can then exit dummy with a club safely and claim.

12 IMPs to Diamond.

Board 26
 Dealer: E
 All Vul.

♠
 ♥ J
 ♦ AKQT87642
 ♣ AQ6

♠ T9742
 ♥ K87653
 ♦ 5
 ♣ T



♠ AKQJ65
 ♥ QT92
 ♦ J
 ♣ K3

Bathurst	Katz	Moss	Nickell
		1C (strong)	Pass
1D (neg)	6D	All Pass	

Meckstroth	Greco	Rodwell	Hampson
		1C (strong)	Pass
1D (neg)	5D	Pass	Pass
5H	6D	6H	All Pass

The first three bids were the same in both rooms.

When it got to Katz, he decided to put his opponents' feet to the fire. He leaped to six diamonds before they had any idea of what fits they had.

Nickell laid down the dummy with the two best cards in the world: the ace of hearts and the jack of clubs. It was all he had and all he needed! Katz took 12 tricks for 1370.

In the other room, Greco bid only five diamonds on the North cards. Now Meckstroth had a chance to compete with five hearts on his distributional hand with both majors.

When it came back around to Greco, he bid the diamond slam, but it was too little too late. Rodwell knew he had a heart fit and he took out insurance, bidding six hearts.

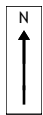
Meckstroth lost the expected three tricks and went quietly down two for -200.

15 IMPs to Nickell



Board 24
 Dealer: W
 None Vul.
 ♠ AJT8
 ♥ QJ8
 ♦ 9653
 ♣ AJ

♠ Q4
 ♥ A9753
 ♦ K2
 ♣ T854
 ♠ K5
 ♥ KT62
 ♦ J8
 ♣ KQ762
 ♠ 97632
 ♥ 4
 ♦ AQT74
 ♣ 93



West	North	East	South
Meckstroth	Greco	Rodwell	Hampson
Pass	1D (could be shrt)	1H	1S
4H	All Pass		

Bathhurst	Katz	Moss	Nickell
Pass	1D	Pass	1S
Double	2S	4H	4S
Pass	Pass	Double	All Pass

Rodwell overcalled his four card heart suit over Greco's nebulous diamond opening. Hampson bid one spade and Meckstroth, with five trump, skipped the bidding to the level of game. Greco had nothing extra. He passed and they defended four hearts. Hampson led a club against four hearts and Rodwell lost the obvious four tricks: one in each suit for -50.

At the other table, Moss did not think of overcalling one heart. He passed; Nickell responded one spade, and Bathurst made a takeout double. Katz bid two spades and Moss now jumped to four hearts. Nickell had a distributional hand that rated to play well with two good fits so he bid four spades. Moss doubled in the pass out seat and Nickell played in four spades doubled.

It was not a masterpiece of defense. Bathurst led his heart ace. When that held, he switched to the diamond king. Nickell won the ace and played a spade to the ace to lead the heart jack. Moss covered and Nickell ruffed. Nickell played another spade felling trump. Moss led his diamond jack and Nickell claimed 11 tricks for +690.

Had Bathurst switched to a club instead of the diamond king at trick two, declarer, like his teammate in the other room, would have lost a trick in each suit for down one. As it was, score 12 IMPs for Nickell.

Board 42
 Dealer: E
 All Vul.
 ♠ AK2
 ♥ J75
 ♦ 4
 ♣ QT5432

♠ T65
 ♥ KT8
 ♦ KJ8763
 ♣ 6
 ♠ 987
 ♥ 96432
 ♦ AT95
 ♣ 7
 ♠ QJ43
 ♥ AQ
 ♦ Q2
 ♣ AKJ98



Diamond	Levin	Platnick	S Weinstein
		Pass	2NT
Pass	3S (relay to 3NT)	Pass	3NT
Pass	4D (club slam try)	Pass	4H
Pass	4S	Pass	6C
All Pass			

Meckstroth	Greco	Rodwell	Hampson
		Pass	2NT
Pass	3C	Pass	3S
Pass	4C (clubs)	Pass	4D (KB)
Pass	4S (1 KC)	Pass	5C
All Pass			

Greco made five clubs on the lead of the diamond ace. After the hand, he and Hampson were lamenting the fact that they could make slam in spades. Meckstroth offered, "I'll take a push on the board."

Unlikely he feels that way now!

In the other room, his teammates bid to the slam in clubs. It goes down on a diamond lead, however, Diamond chose to lead a small heart from his KTx.

Weinstein won the heart queen and quickly claimed.

13 IMPs to Nickell

June 10-15, 2014

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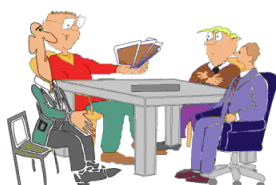
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Tuesday, June 10

- 9:00 Morning Side Game, session 1
299er Pairs
Tuesday/Wednesday Compact KO, session 1
- 1:30 KO-A session 1
Gold Rush Pairs, session 1
A/X Pairs (X=0-2000, A=2000+), session 1
299er Pairs
Afternoon Side Game, session 1
- 7:30 KO-A session 2
Gold Rush Pairs, session 2
A/X Pairs, session 2
Single Session BAM
Evening Side Game, session 1
299er Pairs



- 9:00 Swiss Teams, session 2
Choice Pairs, session 1*
299er Pairs
Morning Side Game, session 4
- 1:30 KO C, session 3
Choice Pairs, session 2*
299er Pairs
KO D, session 1
Afternoon Side Game, session 4
- 7:30 KO C, session 4
Choice Pairs, session 3*
299er Pairs
KO D, session 2
Evening Side Game, Session 4

Wednesday, June 11

- 9:00 Choice Pairs, session 1*
299er Pairs
Tuesday/Wednesday Compact KO, session 2
Morning Side Game, session 2
- 1:30 KO A, session 3
KO B, session 1
Choice Pairs, session 2*
299er Pairs
Afternoon Side Game, session 2
- 7:30 KO A, session 4
KO B, session 2
Choice Pairs, session 3*
299er Pairs
Single Session Swiss Teams
Evening Side Game, session 2



Saturday, June 14

- 9:00 Morning Side Game, session 5
299er Pairs
- 1:30 KO D, session 3
Stratified Open Pairs, session 1 B, C, D
(B: 1500, C: 750, D: 300)
A/X Pairs, session 1
Swiss Teams Qualifying
(2 days), session 1
299er Pairs
Afternoon Side Game, session 5
- 7:30 KO D, session 4
Swiss Teams Q, session 2
Stratified Open Pairs, session 2
A/X Pairs, session 2
299er Pairs
Evening Side Game, session 5

Thursday, June 12

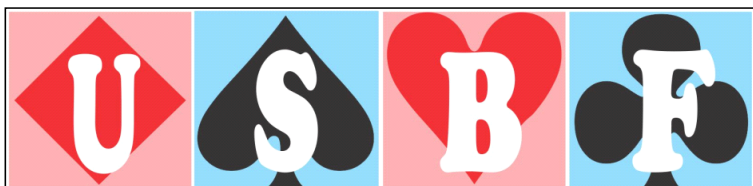
- 9:00 Swiss Teams, session 1 (Th/Fr AM)
Morning Side Game, session 3
299er Pairs
- 1:30 KO B, session 3
KO C, session 1
Gold Rush Pairs, session 1 (B=300-750; C=0-300)
A/X Pairs, session 1
299er Pairs
Afternoon Side Game, session 3
- 7:30 KO B, session 4
KO C, session 2
Gold Rush Pairs, session 2
A/X Pairs, session 2
299er Pairs
Evening Side Game, session 3

Sunday, June 15

- 9:00 Swiss Teams Stratified
Swiss Teams Q, session: 1st final
299er Swiss Teams
- 2:00 Swiss Teams Q, session: 2nd final
Stratified Swiss, Session 2
299er Swiss Teams

A=3,000 +, B=750-3,000, C=0-750
299er Strats: 300/200/100

*Choice Pairs: Players designate which sessions they will play at the time of purchase of entry Friday, June 13



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

Sudoku 1

Sudoku

Sudoku 2

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

Answers to Puzzles No Peeking!

Sudoku 2 Solution

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

Sudoku 1 Solution

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

Puzzle Page ...

The Millersville car dealership decided to do something different this year and so had a grand New Year's morning sale. Since Millersville was a small community, their one dealership carried a larger selection of car manufacturers than most dealership. Pretty much any make you wanted was available, although some manufacturers you had to special order to get. At any rate, Ralph was quite pleased on his way home – he was the senior salesman for the dealership and he'd sold five cars that morning. Determine the full name of each person who bought a car from Ralph, and the make and color of each car sold.

- Joel didn't buy a new Kia but he did get a blue car.
- The Volkswagen was bought by Mr. Reynolds. A woman bought the white car.
- Rosemary didn't get the red Toyota. The one whose last name was Parker bought the black car.
- The three men bought, in no particular order, the gold car, the Kia, and the car that Mr. Montoya bought.
- Elliot bought the black car but it wasn't the Mercedes. Sally's last name was Harrison.
- The one whose last name was Gardner didn't buy the Subaru.

	Gardner	Harrison	Montoya	Parker	Reynolds	Kia	Mercedes	Subaru	Toyota	Volkswagen	black	blue	gold	red	white
Chris															
Elliot															
Joel															
Rosemary															
Sally															
black															
blue															
gold															
red															
white															
Kia						First Name	Last Name	Car Make	Car Color						
Mercedes						Chris									
Subaru						Elliot									
Toyota						Joel									
Volkswagen						Rosemary									
						Sally									

Car Color	Car Make	Last Name	First Name
red	Toyota	Harrison	Sally
white	Mercedes	Gardner	Rosemary
blue	Subaru	Montoya	Joel
black	Kia	Parker	Elliot
gold	Volkswagen	Reynolds	Chris

Answer to Puzzle...
No Peeking!!