

Short ♣ News

 Unit 507 Fall Sectional Fri-Sun 10/27-29 →
 Unit 507-503 Challenge Sat-Sun 10/7-8 PABC
 **Reno Regional** Mon-Sun 10/9-15 **Most Club Games OPEN**
Swiss Teams: Tue 9/26 10:30AM, Also, 10/10&24
“Sliver of Gold” Teams: Tue 10/4 11AM Mon 10/9 7PM
 Wed 10/18 7PM Sat 10/21 6:36PM Tue 10/24 7PM
 Thu 10/26 10:30AM
Player Appreciation Pairs: Sat 10/14 6:36PM
 Mon 10/16 7PM Tue 10/17 7PM Thu 10/19 10:30AM
 Wed 10/25 11AM & 7PM
Team Tune Up: Mon 10/23 7PM
Club Championships: Mon 9/25 7PM Wed 9/27 7PM
Inter-Club 10/2 7PM
Saturday Evening Game Time: 6:36PM through May

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Prez Sez by Ray Yuenger

Unit 507 is cosponsoring another friendly competition between members of Units 507 and 503. The event, a two-session pairs game, will be at the Palo Alto Bridge Center on Saturday, October 7, beginning at 10 a.m. You must sign up in advance at paloaltobridge.com.

It's about time for Unit 507's fall sectional from Friday evening, October 27, through Sunday evening, October 29. You can find a flyer at the San Jose Bridge Center or online at svbridge.org.

The Unit is also holding the NAP unit final on Saturday, November 4 at the San Jose Bridge Center, with the first of two sessions starting at noon.

After receiving applications from hundreds of players to appear in a player directory for the San Jose Bridge Center and Unit 507, the Unit is about ready to publish a preliminary draft, to give each of you an opportunity to correct any errors in your listing in the directory. The draft will be left out at the bridge center for enough time to allow for corrections.

The Unit Board has been discussing ways of improving the club's appearance. If you have any suggestions, please make them to a board member.

That's all the news from our last board meeting.

SILICON VALLEY UNIT 507 2017 FALL SECTIONAL –TWO VENUES!

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 27 AT SAN JOSE BRIDGE CENTER

1190 S. Bascom Ave, San Jose
PARK & ENTER BEHIND BUILDING
Phone: (408)871-1232

**Friday pairs (single session) 7PM
OPEN and 499er**

Open: Unlimited/2000/750
499er: 500/300/100

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28 & SUNDAY, OCTOBER 29 AT WEST VALLEY COLLEGE

14000 Fruitvale Ave, Saratoga
CAMPUS CENTER

Saturday Pairs

Double sessions 10:30AM and 3:00PM	Single sessions 10:30 AM or 3:00 PM
Stratified Open: Unlimited/3000/1250	Stratified Open: Unlimited/2000/750
'Silver Rush Pairs': 750/300	Limited Under 300 3PM ONLY Newcomer Pairs: 0-20 ONLY \$5

Sunday Swiss Teams (7 rounds in 2 sessions)

10:30 AM and TBA
A/X and Bracketed for Players under 5,000

LUNCHES: Saturday Event Center Grill open around 1:45 PM Sunday \$10 lunch includes: chips, cookie & drink, and either sandwich or spinach salad or Caesar salad (with or without chicken)

\$12.00 per session for ACBL members. \$15.00 per non- or unpaid ACBL member. Events will be stratified by pair and team averages. Turnout may determine limited strats.

Midchart conventions are allowed in two-session events with unlimited masterpoints

Tournament Director: Lynn Yokel (408)499-2011
Sectional Coordinator: Mischel Postas (408)379-6780
Partnerships: <http://bridgepd.com/507>

Directions: Exit 85 north or south onto Saratoga Avenue; go west about .7 mile. Turn left on Fruitvale Avenue, then left onto Admissions Way. Park in parking lot number 5. No parking payment required.

Unit 507 Welcomes You

We extend a welcome to new members Mary Lehner, Howard Levitan, Naoma Mize, and Mieko Watanabe.

We also would like to thank Zag Kadah for choosing to play Bridge in the Silicon Valley Unit.

A free play and welcome communication should be sent to you shortly.

Late August - Early September Winners

Unit 507 NLM Sectional Sat-Sun 8/12-13 SJBC	
Saturday Pairs	
Morning Session	
Brenda Hatton - Eunice Menezes A 66.29%	
Ying Liu - Dorr Clark A	
Robert Johnson - Sydney Reuben B	
Margo & Dale Seymour B	
Joyce Freeman - Robert Reicher C	
Thomas Morse - Nancy Caldwell C	
Afternoon Session	
Shrikant Sathe - Ashwini Datar A/B/C	
Robert Johnson - Sydney Reuben A/B/C	
Sunday Teams	
Team 3 (Clark, Liu, Shelley, Abrahamson) A	
Team 1 (Hatton, Menezes, Dougherty, Castro) B	
Monday Morning SJBC 10:30AM	
8/14	Malcolm Mclaughlin - Merle Orellove A Robert Ritz - Stuart Goodgold A Jory Segal - Benay Cooper B/C Eusebio Menezes - Rajeeva Sharma B Robert Allen - Roger Joseph C
8/21	Douglas Ryan - Mary Steele A/B/C Maxine & Ray Lubow A/B Loreta Flynn - Krishna Vallabhaneni C
8/28	Judy Fisher - Norman Marks A Mark Pensler - Julie Joyce A Andy Scott - Robert Allen B/C Maxine & Ray Lubow B Philip Freiberger - Rita Tingley C
Monday Evening SJBC 7PM	
8/21	Team 1 (Kauk, Clark)
Tuesday Morning SJBC 10:30AM	
8/15	Kathleen Keener - Annette Powers A 67.53% Playing Director - Krishna Vallabhaneni A/B/C Michael Cohn - Don Wolf B/C
8/22	Team 6 (Chen, Wundram, Faulkner, Hansen) A/B Team 5 (Reeve, Morse, Hiatt, Webb) C Rochelle Alhadeff - Francine Effren D/E/F 66.25% Pim Van Rooden - Enakshi Barkataki D/E/F
9/5	Patricia Hannah - Paul Nelson A 65.77% Victor Rivkin - Boris Ginzburg A Ann Horstmann - Nancy Caldwell B/C Beverly Wright - Donna Webb B Warren Kaplan - Joan Fox C
Tuesday Evening SJBC 7PM	
08/15/17	John Schoenbrun - Robert Madalena A Jack Verson - Marshall Yancey A Allen & Mary K Samuels B
8/22	Bruce Luttrell - Hadi Eslambolchi A Daniel Rappaport - Matt Moore A/B/C Richard Sarsfield - Melanie Kakalec B Loreta Flynn - Krishna Vallabhaneni C
9/5	Z Kadah - Walid Baroudi

Wednesday Morning SJBC 11AM	
8/16	Norman Marks - Frances Dickman A George Welch - Linda Rocha A/B/C Colin Hemsley - Anne Dudman B/C Jeff Stallings - Joanne Cornbleet D/E/F 68.94% Linda & Will Kenigsberg D/E/F
8/23	Bill Langlois - Robert Ritz A 65.02% Frances Dickman - Ted Ujifusa A Frank Xie - Ying Liu B/C Ken Imboden - Laurie Faulkner B Team 5 (Reeve, Morse, Hiatt, Webb) C Ken Luskey - Ken Wirt D/E/F 67.70% Joanne Cornbleet - Jeff Stallings D/E/F 65.84%
9/6	Frances Dickman - Norman Marks A Mischel Postas - Josephine Murray A/B Andy Scott - Anne Bossange C Brenna Wundram - Dee Ann Hansen B/C Jan Kiernan - Patricia Yelvington D Joanne Cornbleet - Linda Kenigsberg E/F Gary Effren - Barry Alhadeff D/E/F
Wednesday Evening SJBC 7PM	
8/16	Lynn Bartz - Ken Imboden A/B Raymond Yuenger - Michael Fleisher A Ronald Baron - Ken Rosenfeld B Jory Segal - Anne Bossange C
8/23	Raymond Yuenger - Michael Fleisher A 65.42% Jack Verson - Marshall Yancey A Val Abid - Anne Dudman B/C Team 5 (Reeve, Morse, Hiatt, Webb) B/C
9/6	Raymond Yuenger - Michael Fleisher A 66.67%
Thursday Morning SJBC 10:30AM	
8/17	Wendy Dewell - Karen Rice A/B Bud Biswas - Preston Kauk A Brenna Wundram - Ken Imboden B Jeff Weaver - Henry Wen C Gary Effren - Barry Alhadeff C
8/24	Don Nemiro - Frances Dickman A 65.28% Bud Biswas - Peggy Sprague A Irene Hashfield - Jory Segal B/C Miwako Wong - Dee Ann Hansen B Team 5 (Reeve, Morse, Hiatt, Webb) C
9/7	Philip Freiberger - Fred Brown A/B Mary Steele - Henry Wen A/B/C Nishat Chishti - Preston Kauk C

Top 10 Games Aug 11 – Sept 10

1	68.94%	Jeff Stallings - Joanne Cornbleet	8/16 AM
2	3.11IMP/Bd	Team 1 (Foos, Fleisher)	8/26 Eve
3	67.70%	Ken Luskey - Ken Wirt	8/23 AM
4	67.53%	Kathleen Keener - Annette Powers	8/15 AM
5	66.96%	Melinda Foos - Michael Fleisher	8/27 PM
6	66.67%	Raymond Yuenger - Michael Fleisher	9/6 Eve
Tie	66.67%	Lynn Bartz - Ronald Baron	8/18 Eve
8	66.29%	Brenda Hatton - Eunice Menezes	8/12 AM
9	65.84%	Joanne Cornbleet - Jeff Stallings	8/23 AM
10	65.77%	Patricia Hannah - Paul Nelson	9/5 AM

... More Winners

Friday Morning SJBC 11AM	
8/11	Michael Angelo Ravera - Richard Parsons A/B Ken Imboden - Tsao-Tung Kevin Tsai A/B Andy Scott - Irene Hashfield C
8/18	Gabriella Bowling - Douglas Hong A Anthony Trigg - Wendy Dewell B Robert Ritz - Malcolm McLaughlin A Franklin Smoot - Dana Martin-Newman C Dan Turkus - Preston Kauk B Kathy Jasper - Jory Segal C
8/25	Bud Biswas - Prue Saunders A Robert Ritz - Stuart Goodgold A Laura Walters - Julie Joyce B Carolyn Taylor - Barbara Hansen C Pat Wong - Vera Huelbig B/C
9/8	Ken Imboden - Tsao-Tung Kevin Tsai A/B 65.43% Miwako Wong - Hisae Izushima A/B Sabina Siem - Timothy White C Vilas Namjoshi - V R Kesiraju C
Friday Evening SJBC 7PM	
8/11	Barbara & Bruce Luttrell A Melinda Foos - Michael Fleisher A Norman Marks - Ronald Baron B Ken Imboden - Kat Wesolowska B
8/18	Lynn Bartz - Ronald Baron A/B 66.67% Jeff Weaver - Henry Wen C
8/25	Barbara & Bruce Luttrell A Gary Porter - Judy Fisher A Colette & Art Quaife B Ronald Baron - Norman Marks B Irene Hashfield - Jory Segal C
9/8	Jory Segal - Daniel Claassen A/B/C Preston Kauk - Douglas Hong A/B
Saturday Evening SJBC 6:36PM (7:07PM Summer)	
8/26	Team 1 (Foos, Fleisher) 3.11 IMP/Bd
9/9	Team 3 (Foos, Fleisher)
Sunday Twilight SJBC 5:30PM	
8/13	Melinda Foos - Michael Fleisher A Frances Dickman - Ted Ujifusa A Robert Johnson - Sydney Reuben B Joyce Freeman - Robert Reicher C Margo & Dale Seymour B
8/20	Douglas Hong - Rick Giusti A/B Max Banan - Patricia Skelton A Phyllis Vierra - Mischel Postas B Kathy Jasper - Jory Segal C Franklin Smoot - Dana Martin-Newman C
8/27	Melinda Foos - Michael Fleisher A 66.96% Barbara & Bruce Luttrell A Elenalani Lam - Dorr Clark B Kathy Jasper - Jory Segal C Kat Wesolowska - Joseph Chui B
9/10	Melinda Foos - Michael Fleisher A Phyllis Vierra - Mischel Postas B Pangjie Xu - Winston Huang C

Unit 507 Board and Officers

Ray Yuenger	President & Forum Columnist
Mich Ravera	Vice-President & DiRekTor Editor
Malcolm McLaughlin	Secretary
Karen O'Connell	Treasurer
Mischel Postas	Membership chair
Doug Hong Mischel Postas	Unit Game Coordinators
Lynn Yokel	Mentor Coordinator
Mary Steele	New Players & Publicity
Ray Yuenger	Recorder, NAP/GNT Coordinator
Jeff Hack Stu Goodgold	Dist. 21 representatives

Promotions and Titles

JUNIOR MASTER	Judy Clink Aman Desai Kyra Helmbold Manoj Thawani
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REGIONAL MASTER	Jung Hu
NABC MASTER	David Zheng Arthur Zhou
ADVANCED NABC MASTER	Aravind Alwan
BRONZE LIFE MASTER	Jory H Segal
RUBY LIFE MASTER	Tsao-Tung ("Kevin") Tsai
SAPPHIRE LIFE MASTER	Malcolm McLaughlin

8 is Enough Team Game!

Tuesday Evening, October 24, 7:00 p.m.
How it works: Make up a team combining beginners and experts, or 4 medium level players or some other combination. Your team cannot exceed 8 points:
Players with over 2500 MPs = 3 points each
Players with 750 to 2500 MPs = 2 points each
Players with under 750 MPs = 1 point each
This is a Club Appreciation Team Game so the masterpoint awards are HUGE! Plus winners get a percentage of a gold point!
If you don't have a team, contact Lynn to set you up. Or just show up -- but please arrive early! You are guaranteed a team....
I hope to see you all for this fun event!

More Teams! More Teams!

Because team games have proven rather popular on Tuesday Mornings, there will now be two per month. In addition to the current fourth Tuesday, the second Tuesday of each month will now also have a team game.
The first "Second Tuesday" team game will be on October 10. Game time is the same 10:30AM as always. The limited game will still be pairs. Some of the team games may have hand records and some may be e-scored. Contact Judy Fisher at 408-395-0032 or judy@normanfisher.com if you need a partner or teammates or call the SJBC 408-871-1232.

Some Useful Conventions Somebody Preempts by Mich Ravera

A lot of players play conventions and don't actually know why they play them. I say this even though whether you have your name on a Grand Life Master plaque on our club wall or you have your name on our "New Members list", I probably play more conventions than you do.

I could name a dozen conventions that either I don't play or which I play in a modified version, but, for instance, what do you do, if your partner preempts and you have a good hand?

OK, sometimes it is easy. You have a good fit for partner and shortage in the other major suit and you just raise partner and hope that you price opponents out of the auction and that you haven't gone overboard or that everyone else will also. That's all perfectly fine, if your partner's preempt style is exactly like everyone else in the room (or at least at the other table in a team game), but it probably isn't. How do you work it out?

Of course, if you have so many restrictions that your weak 2s are almost always exactly 6-3-3-1 with a singleton non-ace in the other major and two of the top three honors in the 6-card suit, you don't need many conventions to determine your best contract. All you need is a way to find out "is that more like four or more like ten?" Almost any system that you would think of would work. My guess is that it would be best to use the cheapest bid in the other major (where opener is meant to have a singleton) to ask. The rebids would be something like 3 of opener's suit to show one of those 5-counts that required a preempt. An apparent raise of the artificial major shows a hand that you might have opened at the 1-level, if you had a little extra. This system has the advantage of partly blocking the opponents from playing in the artificial suit and keeping you from trying to play in the suit where opener is expected to have a singleton.

For instance, partner opens **2♥**. Your opponents haven't caught onto your style yet and will pass unless you bid too high. You make the inquiry with **2♠** (which must be alerted). Now, **3♥** indicates that your partner has one of those where he didn't listen to the voice from heaven that said, "Stephanie, keep your hand out of the box!" On the other hand **3♠** (which must be alerted) would say "OK partner, I have my 9-count. What do you want to play?"

Now when your opponents who have heavily restricted preempts manage to open with a preempt, you have a fairly easy task. You instantly know that you have a fit in the other major. The question is how deep the fit is and how high you need to play.

But, those of us that went to Preempt Your Heads Off University ("PYHOU"), don't always have perfect preempt shape or suit quality. We might have anything from an honorless 5-card suit on up to a broken 7-card suit and anything from a shapely 4-count on up to a 10-count that we really wanted to open **1♠**, but thought better of it. How do we sort that out?

Well, you could play **2NT** "Ogust", or **2NT** "Abbreviated Ogust" (which eliminates the answer for both a bad hand and a bad suit with which many avoid opening in the first two seats anyway and saves a bidding step – an important consideration when you open **2♥**). You could also play the very popular **2NT** "Feature-Max", which requires neither the **2NT** inquiry bid nor the answers (all of which show high cards in the suit bid) to be alerted. The advantages of these systems of these systems are that your weak twos can be a little more varied and that Responder can often make non-forcing bids in new suits (running all forcing hands through **2NT**).

One system played by several experts is what is known as "Reverse Steps". The main idea is that Responder asks about the Opener's hands with a **2NT** response. You then divide up your highcard range for the weak 2 into as many steps as possible before going over the 3-level of Opener's suit. So, over **2♦** you have **3♣** ("good") and **3♦** ("bad") as possible answers. This gives you two ranges. Over **2♠** you could have up to 4. Sometimes all Responder wants to know is the difference between "maybe I should have passed" and "maybe I should have opened at the 1-level". But, the big advantage of the "Reverse Steps" system is that, if Opener answers with **3♣**, it is possible to ask another question (sometimes even two) and still get out at **3♥** or **3♠**, if you don't like what you hear. The most common question would be about suit quality, but, depending upon your weak two style, you could tailor this to ask about outside entries or location of high cards, if either of those is likely to be more important for your style.
















But your biggest pain point comes when your opponents, who went to PYHOU, open a weak two and you have a strong two-suited hand, or, worse yet, a two-and-a-half suiter with three small cards in Opener's suit and a void in one of the unbid suits. It's even worse when opponents open **2♥** and you are short in spades.

Of course, if you are 6-5 in the minors with only two or three losers, you can bid an Unusual **4NT** and hope that partner will bid at the 6-level when it is right and that you yourself won't raise to the 6-level when it is wrong. But, what about the other 97% of the hands that you get over those pesky weak twos? If you make a takeout **double** with these hands, your partner will surely jump in the suit that you don't have to whatever level gives you the most trouble in trying to correct. And opponents may raise opener's suit to an uncomfortable level before she even gets the chance to do that. I see trouble ahead!

Well, you could play "Leaping Michaels" where your jump in a minor (that's usually to the 4-level) shows that you also have the other major, and that your jump in a major (usually over **2♦**) shows you have the other minor as well. But since when do you really want to play in 4 of a minor? And won't you want to get out in 3 of a major when game isn't there? Just because Opener has only a 6-count, doesn't prevent his partner from having a 12-count, does it?

"Roman Jumps" give an alternative. These show the suit bid and the next unbid one above it. If you are clever, sometimes you don't even have to jump. These bids alert partner to the strong shapely hand and set the stage for partner to penalize, if opponents get too far out of line.

Unit 507 Club Games







Day	Time	Game Type	Photo	Directors	Phone (408)
Monday	10:30 am	Open Stratified Hand records		Carole Dietz	395-6360
1 st , 3 rd , 4 th & 5 th Monday	7:00 pm	Open Stratified MidChart Hand Records Lifelines Lesson 6:30PM		Mich Ravera	432-1020 / 510-410-0371
2 nd Monday	7:00 pm	Unit Game Unit Championship Rated		Unit 507	871-1232
Tuesday	10:30 am	Open Stratified Hand Records		Judy Fisher	395-0032
Tuesday	3:00 pm	Lesson and Supervised Play			
Tuesday	7:00 PM	Open Stratified Hand Records		Lynn Yokel	499-2011
Wednesday	11:00 am	Two Sections: Open and 0-299 Stratified Hand Records (Lesson 10:30 am)			
Wednesday	7:00 pm	Open Stratified Hand Records			
Thursday	10:30 am	Open Stratified Hand Records			
Thursday	3:00 pm	Shuffle and Deal		Mary Steele	202-0419
Thursday	7:00 pm On Hiatus	Open Stratified Hand Records	 	Lynn Yokel / Preston Kauk	499-2011 / 807-2393
Friday	11:00 am	Open Stratified Hand Records "Points Schoints"		Gabi Bowling	650-619-0555
Friday	7:00 pm	Open Stratified Hand Records	 	Mary Steele / Doug Hong	202-0419 / 209-4381
Saturday	12:00 Noon Call to check game status	Open Stratified Hand Records "No Fear"	 	Doug Hong / Preston Kauk	209-4381 / 807-2393
Saturday	6:36 pm 7:07 pm Summers	Open Handicapped Mid-Chart IMP / Teams Hand Records		Mich Ravera	432-1020 / 510-410-0371
Sunday	5:30 pm	Open (Lesson: 5:00 pm) Monthly Potluck: 4:30 pm		Doug Hong	209-4381

All games are held at the NEW San Jose Bridge Center (408-871-1232), located at 1090 South Bascom Ave, Unit 105, San Jose, CA

All games allow methods and systems permitted by the ACBL General Convention Chart. Those games identified as "Mid-Chart" or "Super Chart" also permit methods authorized by those charts with proper disclosure. Check club postings, visit our web site at <http://www.SJBridge.org> or call for the exact dates and times of the Special Unit games.

Games are often reduced, relaxed, or cancelled during local tournaments.

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
September Bridge Calendar							
24 Doug's Open Game with Hand Records: 5:30PM	25 Carole's Open Stratified Game with Hand Records: 10:30AM Dave's 60th Club Championship: 7PM	26 Swiss Teams & 199er Pairs: 10:30AM Supervised Play: 3PM Lynn's Stratified Open Pairs Game with Hand Records: 7PM	27 Lynn's Lesson: 10:30AM Lynn's Stratified 499er & Stratified Open Game w/separate sections and hand records: 11AM Club Championship: 7PM	28 Lynn's Stratified 499er & Stratified Open Game w/separate sections and hand records: 10:30AM Shuffle&Deal: 3PM	29 Gabi's "Points Schoints" Game: 11AM Mary and Doug's Open Game w/ Hand Records: 7PM	30 Open Stratified No Fear Bridge: 12PM Mich's Midchart Handicapped IMP Game with Hand Records: 6:36PM	
October							
1 Doug's Game: 5:30PM	2 Carole's Game: 10:30AM Inter-Club Championship: 7PM	3 2-Section Game: 10:30AM Supervised Play: 3PM Lynn's Game: 7PM	4 Lynn's Lesson: 10:30AM Sliver of Gold Teams: 11AM Lynn's Game: 7PM	5 2-Section Game: 10:30AM Shuffle&Deal: 3PM	6 Gabi's Game: 11AM Doug & Mary's Game: 7PM	7 No Fear Bridge: 12PM Mich's Game: 6:36PM  Unit 507-503 Challenge	
8 Doug's Game: 5:30PM  Unit 507-503 Challenge	9 Carole's Game: 10:30AM Sliver of Gold Teams: 7PM Reno Regional Begins	10 Swiss Teams & 199er Pairs: 10:30AM Supervised Play: 3PM Unit Board Meeting: 5:30PM Lynn's Game: 7PM Regional Day 2	11 Lynn's Lesson: 10:30AM 2-Section Game: 11AM Lynn's Game: 7PM Regional Day 3	12 2-Section Game: 10:30AM Shuffle&Deal: 3PM Regional Day 4	13 Gabi's Game: 11AM Doug & Mary's Game: 7PM Regional Day 5	14 No Fear Bridge: 12PM Player Appreciation Pairs: 6:36PM Regional Day 6	
15 Doug's Game: 5:30PM Regional Ends	16 Carole's Game: 10:30AM Player Appreciation Pairs: 7PM	17 2-Section Game: 10:30AM Supervised Play: 3PM Player Appreciation Pairs: 7PM	18 Lynn's Lesson: 10:30AM 2-Section Game: 11AM Sliver of Gold Teams: 7PM	19 Player Appreciation Pairs: 10:30AM Shuffle&Deal: 3PM	20 Gabi's Game: 11AM Doug & Mary's Game: 7PM	21 No Fear Bridge: 12PM Sliver of Gold Teams: 6:36PM	
22 Doug's Game: 5:30PM	23 Carole's Game: 10:30AM Tornament Team Tuneup: 7PM	24 Swiss Teams & 199er Pairs: 10:30AM Supervised Play: 3PM Sliver of Gold 8 is Enough Teams: 7PM	25 Lynn's Lesson: 10:30AM Player Appreciation Pairs: 11AM Player Appreciation Pairs: 7PM	26 Sliver of Gold Teams: 10:30AM Shuffle&Deal: 3PM	27 Gabi's Game: 11AM  Silicon Valley Sectional Pairs: 7PM	28  Silicon Valley Sectional Pairs: 10:30AM & 3PM	
29  Silicon Valley Sectional Teams: 10:30AM	30 Carole's Game: 10:30AM Mich's Game: 7PM	31 2-Section Game: 10:30AM Supervised Play: 3PM Lynn's Game: 7PM	November 1 Lynn's Lesson: 10:30AM 2-Section Game: 11AM Lynn's Game: 7PM		2 2-Section Game: 10:30AM Shuffle&Deal: 3PM	3 Gabi's Game: 11AM Doug & Mary's Game: 7PM	4  Unit NAP Qualifier: 12Noon & TBA