

Hello! Mich Ravera, Unit 507 President, here.

Our regular monthly Unit Board meeting is usually held every month on the second Tuesday of the month at 5:30 PM. Our next regular meeting will be held on Tuesday, June 14. Almost all of the meetings are open to all Unit 507 members. So, if you contact me at michravera@yahoo.com in time to matter, I will send you the invitation, usually on the weekend before the meeting.

At our last meeting we added Betsy Wagner to the Unit Board, so we now have a full complement of 12 Board Members. At a special meeting, we agreed upon our Unit's goals for the remainder of the year. Those goals include holding a Sectional and at least two Unit Championships, all face-to-face. A full list can be found in the minutes for the April Board meetings.

Since it is May, we are looking for candidates for the Unit Board. There are six vacancies, and each incumbent has expressed an interest in continuing to serve. If we get more candidates that we have vacancies, we will hold an election in June. So, if you are interested in molding the future of Bridge in the Silicon Valley, tell us, specifically Ray Yuenger, rayyuenger@gmail.com, our Unit Secretary. We can use an additional perspective to aid in our decisions. Why not YOURS??!!

We are still working out how to resume face-to-face Bridge on a regular basis in Silicon Valley as it has, to a certain extent, in our nearby Units. The good news is that, thanks to the search efforts of Kathy Jasper and others, we may have found a place to hold a weekly daytime game. Check this space and sjbridge.org for the latest news.

I am happy to announce that we have been officially notified that Kathleen Cole and Chelsea Verhasselt have been welcomed as Junior Masters; Gavin Nesom, Manoj Thawani, and Michael Zheng advanced to Regional Master; and Carolyn Drozdiak and Andrew J Sinclair achieved the rank of Bronze Life Master. Congratulations to all!

I am unhappy to announce that Norma Black, our frequent nighttime fill in player died recently.

Speaking of websites, we are in the process of updating and relocating our website. Once we overcome some technical difficulties, you will find it at the same url as provided above.

The Sacramento Regional is scheduled for the end of this month. Its flyer is here: <https://web2.acbl.org/Tournaments/Ads/2022/06/2206104.pdf>

That's what I know this month. I'll see you at the tables, with your new-style Convention Card. Remember to use suit symbols!