



OAK PARK BRIDGE CLUB BULLETIN

SEPTEMBER 2017

OUR SEPTEMBER PLAYER OF THE MONTH IS EVERYBODY IN THE CLUB WHO HELPED MAKE OUR SECTIONAL SUCH A GREAT SUCCESS. OUR FOUR SESSIONS HAD 39, 33, 36 AND 36 TABLES MAKING IT TWICE AS BIG AS ANY OTHER SECTIONAL WE HAVE EVER HAD. THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS FOR UNIT 510 WANT TO COMMEND ALL OF OUR PLAYERS WHO BROUGHT FOOD, HELPED WITH SET-UP, HELPED WITH CLEAN-UP, TALKED US UP AT OTHER SECTIONALS & REGIONALS AND ALSO TO ALL OF YOU WHO PLAYED IN THIS GREAT EVENT. A SPECIAL THANK YOU GOES TO DEBBIE AND LYNETTE FOR BUYING THE T-SHIRTS FOR EVERYBODY, CISSY FOR GETTING US THIS GREAT VENUE ON THE FERRYBOAT AND TO SHIRLEY W. FOR DESIGNING AND BUYING THE BANNER. EVERYBODY IN THE UNIT DESERVES A ROUND OF APPLAUSE FOR WORKING ON AND PLAYING IN THE 2017 STOCKTON SECTIONAL, ONE THAT WILL GO DOWN IN HISTORY AS THE BEST EVER IN SAN JOAQUIN COUNTY.

IN A STUNNING DEVELOPMENT THE NUTTINGS HAD THE HIGH GAME AT OAK PARK THIS MONTH WITH A 71.76%.....WAIT A MINUTE. THAT IS NOT STUNNING IN THE LEAST. THEY DO THIS ALL THE TIME. NEVERMIND. THE HIGH HAND OF THE MONTH WAS A 1440 FOR THE VISITING GERRY & NANCY FROM COLORADO.

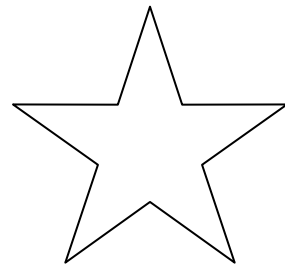
FROM PERSONAL EXPERIENCE I HAVE FOUND A BRIDGE AXIOM THAT IS PATENTLY UNTRUE. I AM SURE YOU HAVE ALL HEARD THE EXPRESSION "SIX-FIVE, COME ALIVE." THIS IS PURE UNADULTERATED BALDERDASH. AFTER A PROLIFIC AMOUNT OF MINUS 1100'S AND 1400'S FOLLOWING THIS ADVICE I HAVE COME UP WITH THE NEW AND CORRECT AXIOM, "SIX-FIVE, TAKE A DIVE." IF I GET A SUPPOSEDLY EVEN BETTER SEVEN-FIVE HAND I HAVE NOW TAKEN TO PASSING REGARDLESS OF HOW MANY POINTS I HAVE BECAUSE IT IS IMPOSSIBLE TO GET INTO THE RIGHT CONTRACT. I CANNOT EVEN COUNT THE AMOUNT OF TIMES I HAVE BEEN SO MAD I WAS TEMPTED TO BITE MYSELF AFTER HOSING UP ONE OF THESE DISTRIBUTIONAL HANDS. COME ALIVE MY *%#\$\$^%^() *^%\$%. BID TO THE LEVEL OF YOUR TRUMP PLUS YOUR PARTNERS TRUMP MULTIPLIED BY THE SQUARE ROOT OF 83 MINUS YOUR PARTNERS IQ AND YOUR GOLD MASTERPOINTS FACTORING IN A THROW OF THE CHICKEN BONES AND THE SPEED OF IDIOCY. BRIDGE IS NOT A GAME FOR MENTAL SISSIES. I FOR ONE AM CERTAINLY GLAD THAT THE ACBL IS GOING TO TAKE THE STOP CARD OUT OF THE BIDDING BOX AT THE FIRST OF THE YEAR. MY PARTNER'S WILL NO LONGER BE ABLE TO JUMP AROUND AND WAVE IT IN MY FACE FOR THE WHOLE SESSION.



TRAIN WRECK OF THE MONTH

RON & PEGGY, PETER & JENNY

MINUS 1100



SLAMMASTERS

NO ONE DESERVING THIS MONTH

SEPTEMBER PLAYER OF THE MONTH

EVERYONE IN THE CLUB

RESULTS

SEPTEMBER 6 NS-1. DENNIS & MORT 2. BARBARA & MARYANNE 3. ALICE & GLO

EW-1. NUTTING & NUTTING 2. ROSE & JACK 3. SHERRIE & MIKE

SEPTEMBER 13 NS-1. JOAN & MARILYN 2. DORIS & MARY 3. ALICE & RAY

EW-1. NUTTING & NUTTING 2. JENNY & PETE 3. CHIONG & CHANDLER

SEPTEMBER 20 NS-1. MORT & DENNIS 2. PETE & JENNY TIE MARLENE & IRMGARD

EW-1. NUTTING & NUTTING 2. MARIA & DEBBIE D. 3. MAGGIE & MIKE

SEPTEMBER 27 NS-1. IRMGARD & MARLENE 2. ZULKA & CAROL H. 3. DARLENE & ROSE

EW-1. NUTTING & NUTTING 2. SHERRIE & RAY 3. EARL & WALTER

SEPTEMBER MASTERPOINT LEADERS

NUTTING	7.35
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MORT	4.54
DENNIS	4.54
DEBBIE D.	3.34

2017 MASTERPOINT LEADERS (NORMAL PEOPLE)

EARL	17.78
WALTER	17.14
SHARON	14.34
JBAB	14.20
WENDY	13.34

2017 MASTERPOINT LEADERS (LIFE MASTERS)

NUTTING	46.69
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MORT	31.88
DENNIS	29.90
JOAN	27.28

GRANDSLAM JACKPOT WINNERS

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TOP SCORES OF THE YEAR

NUTTING & NUTTING	74.07%
JOAN & KOREY	73.54%
DORIS & PAM	70.83%
MORT & DENNIS	68.75%
ROSE & MARION	67.32%

SLAMMASTERS OF THE YEAR

EARL	14
ZULKA	14
WALTER	14
MARIA	13
MORT	13

ALL TIME 70%er CLUB MEMBERS

NUTTING & NUTTING	78.22%
JOAN & DORIS	76.19%
MORT & KEN	74.63%
KEN & DENNIS	73.97%
KOREY & JOAN	73.54%
DORIS & LORNA	71.53%
ESTELLE & MORT	71.30%
DENNIS & MORT	71.15%

PAM & DORIS	70.83%
IRMGARD & MARLENE	70.37%