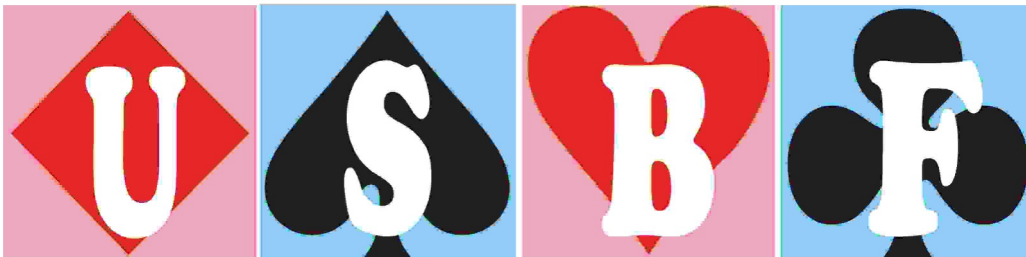




“Trials” and Tribulations—Pre-Bulletin



The Prez Says ...



Howie Weinstein, President of the United States Bridge Federation, welcomes you to the Schaumburg, IL, Hyatt Regency Hotel for the 2015 United States Bridge Championships.

Noticeable by its absence is the Nickell team. Nickell is already qualified for this year’s Bermuda Bowl in Chennai, India, from September 26th to October 10th. The team determined at this Championship will be designated USA2.

FORMAT

The format of the 2015 USBC will be five 2-day stages: the first stage will be a Round Robin among all teams except those with byes to the Knockout phase; the other stages will be 120 board Knockout matches, starting with the Round of 16 on Sunday, May 10 and Monday, May 11 and ending with the Finals on Saturday, May 16 and Sunday, May 17.

Eighteen teams will play in the Round Robin; each team will play a 6 board match against each other team; the top 13 teams will qualify for the Round of 16. Nine of the 17 matches will be played on Friday, eight on Saturday. The match IMP scores will be converted to VPs using the **USBF VP scale for 6-board matches**.

We are looking forward to a great competition. Please be respectful to your partner and your opponents. Everyone will have a better experience if we treat one another with respect.

Good luck to all teams entered.

If there is something we can do to make your stay more comfortable, please let us know. Jan Martel, Lisa Berkowitz and Suzi Subeck, all part of the tournament team, are around the site. If there is something you need, they will be happy to assist you in any way they can.

Here’s to a successful Championship!!

From the Editor:

Please be advised to keep this issue of the newsletter. While team lists and schedules will be reprinted in subsequent hard copy editions, other information will not. We do this to make room for new content at a substantial print savings to the organization. Thank you!!

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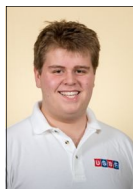
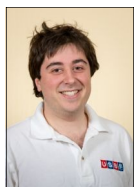
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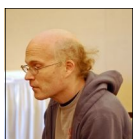
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Teams in Order by Seeding

"TRIALS" AND TRIBULATIONS—PRE-BULLETIN



The Brothers Grossack
Adam (top), Zack



Will Watson

**People who think
they know
everything are a
great annoyance
to those of us
who do.
Isaac Asimov**



Sam Dinkin



Cenk Tuncok



Brady, Ganzer

Diamond Bye to Rnd of 16	John Diamond, Capt Eric Greco Justin Lall	Brian Platnick Geoff Hampson Kevin Bathurst
Hamman Bye to Rnd of 16	Robert Hamman, Capt Ross Grabel Ron Rubin	Roger Lee Howard Weinstein Peter Weichsel
Fleisher Bye to Rnd of 16	Martin Fleisher Brad Moss Michael Rosenberg Jan Martel, NPC	Chip Martel Ishmael Delmonte Chris Willenken
Cayne	Jimmy Cayne, Capt Curtis Cheek Michael Kamil	Michael Seamon Joe Grue Zia Mahmood
Gordon	Mark Gordon, Capt Alan Sontag Jacek Pszczola	Pratap Rajadhyaksha David Berkowitz Kevin Dwyer
Bramley	Bart Bramley, Capt Kit Woolsey Matthew Granovetter	Lew Stansby Fred Stewart Roger Bates
Mahaffey	Jim Mahaffey, Capt Gary Cohler Mike Passell	Sam Lev Billy Cohen Brian Glubok
Harris	Martin Harris, Capt Neil Chambers	Jacob Morgan John Schermer
Gupta	Vinita Gupta, Capt Steve Garner Adam Kaplan	Billy Miller Ron Smith
Fireman	Paul Fireman, Capt John Kranyak John Hurd	Gavin Wolpert Vincent Demuy Joel Wooldridge
Borker	Jay Borker Larry Robbins	Doug Doub Adam Wildavsky
Milner	Reese Milner, Capt Mark Lair David Grainger	Hemant Lall Ira Chorush
Lo	Ai-Tai Lo, Capt Jeffrey Miller George Jacobs	David Caprera Steve Beatty Claude Vogel
Rigal	Barry Rigal, Capt Allan Falk	Jeff Aker John Lusky
Cappelli	Robert Cappelli, Capt Robert Bitterman Joe Harris	Frank Treiber III Jerry Helms Leon Lowe
Ivatury	Uday Ivatury, Capt Jon Sorkin	Christal Henner Lapt Chan
Denison	Daniel Denison, Capt Jason Feldman	Richard Unger Greg Hinze
Ware	Peggy Ware, Capt Greg Humphreys	Spencer Jones Adam Parrish
Ganzer	Craig Ganzer, Capt Franco Baseggio William Watson	Robert Brady Brady Richter Howard Liu
Dinkin	Sam Dinkin, Capt Adam Grossack	Cenk Tuncok Zachary Grossack
Becker	Drew Becker, Capt Kenneth Zuckerberg	Jason Rosenfeld Daniel Wilderman



Parrish, Humphreys

All About Kibitzing

WHEN CAN YOU KIBITZ IN THE PLAYING ROOMS?

You will be able to kibitz at any of the tables during this event, except in the Closed Room during the final sequestered matches of the Round Robin. However, you will be subject to the following regulations:

Kibitzers may enter the room ONLY at the start of play for a segment. Once play has started, the room will be closed.

A kibitzer who leaves the room may not return until the start of the next segment.

Cell phones and other electronic devices are not allowed in the playing rooms, even if they are turned off. Any kibitzer who is found with a cell phone will be evicted and not allowed to kibitz during the remainder of the tournament.

When a match is being shown on BBO Vugraph, no kibitzer may sit on the same side of the table as the Vugraph operator.

SCREENS

All of the USBC is played with screens. If you've never kibitzed at a table with screens before, you need to know that it is quite different from kibitzing at a regular table. You need to be seated at an "open" corner of the table (not next to the screen) in order to see much, and once there are 4 kibitzers at a table it will be very hard for additional kibitzers to see.

USBC KIBITZING RULES

The USBF **General Conditions of Contest** contain specific rules about kibitzers. They are designed to promote security at the tournament and are set forth in the conditions of contest section labeled "Security." They are:

GENERAL RULES

- a. During any use of duplicated boards across multiple matches, Kibitzers must select one table for kibitzing and may not move to any other table during a session or segment.
- b. Kibitzers may not speak with players, must watch only one hand at a time, may not sit in such a position as to see more than one hand at a time, may not sit in such a position as to see a computer screen in use for Internet broadcast, must check communication devices with the Director, cannot call attention to irregularities other than a board being placed incorrectly on the table (arrow positioning), but may serve as witnesses to a possible irregularity.
- c. Kibitzers must enter the playing room before play commences. Kibitzers are required to remain until the segment of play is completed at the table they are watching or to leave the playing area entirely. Kibitzers are expected to abide by the same rules as the players regarding leaving the room (e.g. be escorted to the restroom).
- d. Except as expressly provided in these conditions and appendices, NPC's shall be subject to the WBF General Conditions, Section 17.
- e. No one other than the Internet broadcast personnel and Tournament Directors may watch any computer screen or any other mechanism for enabling the Internet broadcast at any time in either the Closed or the Open Room.
- f. These rules may be revised in specific instances by the DICs for the orderly running of the event.



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Billy Cohen



Glubok



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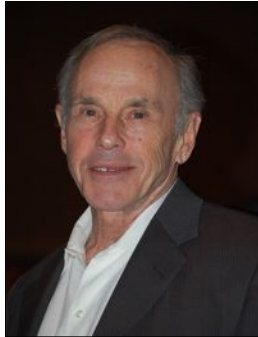


Round Robin Schedule

ROUND ROBIN		
CAPTAINS' MEETING IN PLAYING AREA AT 9:45 AM		
FRIDAY MAY 8TH	10:00-10:55 11:00-11:55 12:00-12:55 2:15-3:10 3:15-4:10 4:15-5:10 5:30-6:25 6:30-7:25 7:30-8:25	BOARDS 1-6 BOARDS 7-12 BOARDS 13-18 80 MINUTE LUNCH BOARDS 19-24 BOARDS 25-30 BOARDS 31-36 BREAK BOARDS 1-6 BOARDS 7-12 BOARDS 13-18
SATURDAY MAY 9TH	10:00-10:55 11:00-11:55 12:00-12:55 2:15-3:10 3:15-4:10 4:30-5:25 5:30-6:25 6:30-7:25	BOARDS 19-24 BOARDS 25-30 BOARDS 31-36 80 MINUTE LUNCH BOARDS 1-6 BOARDS 7-12 BREAK BOARDS 13-18* BOARDS 19-24* BOARDS 25-30*
* FINAL 3 MATCHES WILL BE SEQUESTERED, NO SUBSTITUTIONS IN CLOSED ROOM & NO COMPARISONS ALLOWED.		



Ron Rubin



Peter Weichsel

Margin	Winner	Loser	Margin	Winner	Loser	Margin	Winner	Loser
0	10	10	13	15.24	4.76	26	18.38	1.62
1	10.50	9.50	14	15.54	4.46	27	18.56	1.44
2	10.99	9.01	15	15.83	4.17	28	18.73	1.27
3	11.46	8.54	16	16.11	3.89	29	18.9	1.10
4	11.90	8.10	17	16.38	3.62	30	19.06	0.94
5	12.33	7.67	18	16.64	3.36	31	19.22	0.78
6	12.75	7.25	19	16.89	3.11	32	19.37	0.63
7	13.15	6.85	20	17.13	2.87	33	19.51	0.49
8	13.53	6.47	21	17.36	2.64	34	19.65	0.35
9	13.90	6.10	22	17.58	2.42	35	19.78	0.22
10	14.25	5.75	23	17.79	2.21	36	19.91	0.09
11	14.59	5.41	24	17.99	2.01	37	20	0
12	14.92	5.08	25	18.19	1.81			

USBF 6 Board VP Scale



Diamond, Platnick, Greco, Hampson, Moss, Grue



Baseggio



Willenken



DelMonte

**Attention Seniors:
Entries for the SUSBC close on
May 11th. Please reserve
your spot accordingly!**

VuGraph Information

The 2015 USBC will be covered on BBO Vugraph starting with the Round of 16, in which we will cover 2 or 3 matches. The Round of 16 will start Sunday, May 10th. From the Quarterfinals on, we will cover all of the tables in play. To watch the Vugraph online, go to the **BBO website** where you can log on directly from your browser, go to "Vugraph" and choose which table to watch, or download the BBO software to run BBO on your computer. If you choose the latter approach, after downloading, install the software on your computer, log on, follow the directions to become a BBO member and you'll be magically transported to the Lobby of the largest bridge club in the world. Click on the button labeled VUGRAPH and you'll be able to choose which of the USBC matches you want to watch. There will often be a "yellow" user on BBO called USBF. If you have general questions, please ask USBF, not one of the hard-working Vugraph Operators, who may not have time to respond to private messages. Thank you.

Each day's schedule is the same (these are Chicago times; to see the times for your time-zone, go to the **BBO Vugraph schedule site**)

- 10:00-12:10
- 12:25-2:35
- 3:45-5:55
- 6:10-8:20

During the Semifinals and Finals, all of the teams will play the same boards.

During the Round of 16, each team will play a different set of boards.

After a session, you can review the Vugraph action on our Web Vugraphs, which show each hand played with a link to bidding and play records. Web Vugraphs are posted about half an hour after completion of the Vugraph show.

You can find the hand records for USBC matches on the USBF site, linked to the scorecards you can get to by clicking on 2015USBC under "Event Results" in the upper left of each page

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.



Knockout Schedule

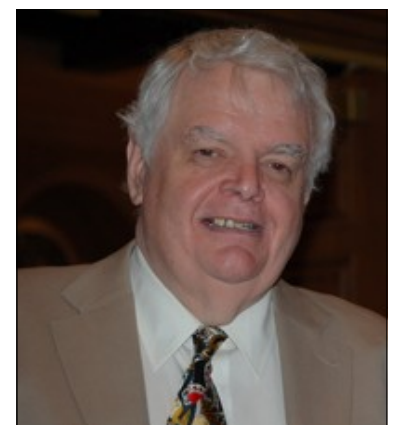
Round of Sixteen		
Captains' Meeting in Playing Area at 9:45 AM		
SUNDAY MAY 10TH	10:00 - 12:10	SEGMENT 1 BOARDS 1-15
	12:25 - 2:35	SEGMENT 2 BOARDS 16-30 70 MINUTE LUNCH BREAK
	3:45 - 5:55	SEGMENT 3 BOARDS 31-45
	6:10 - 8:20	SEGMENT 4 BOARDS 45-60
MONDAY MAY 11TH	10:00 - 12:10	SEGMENT 5 BOARDS 61-75
	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 12TH	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 13TH	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 14TH	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 15TH	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 16TH	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 17TH	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



Solly



Chris



Hamman

Seeding Information

The teams in the USBC are seeded based on a combination of Individual Positioning Points & ACBL Performance Points, including masterpoints. The seeding points for an individual player are capped at 65. Teams are seeded based on the average seeding points for the team, except that the three teams with byes are seeded on the basis of their PPs. The teams and their seed positions are listed in the table below. Note that the top 4 finishers in the Round Robin receive additional seeding points, which may change the seeding order for the Knockout stage. Teams may also add or drop players before the USBC, which would change their seeding points.

Seed	Team Name	Team Average Seeding Points
1	Diamond	70 PPs
2	Hamman	46 PPs
3	Fleisher	41 PPs
4	Cayne	52.13 SPs
5	Gordon	43.56 SPs
6	Bramley	36.72 SPs
7	Mahaffey	30.82 SPs
8	Harris	28.54 SPs
9	Gupta	25.90 SPs
10	Fireman	23.05 SPs
11	Borker	17.41 SPs
12	Milner	16.00 SPs
13	Lo	13.58 SPs
14	Rigal	11.59 SPs
15	Cappelli	8.74 SPs
16	Ivatury	8.21 SPs
17	Denison	7.32 SPs
18	Ware	5.36 SPs
19	Ganzer	4.82 SPs
20	Dinkin	4.51 SPs
21	Becker	3.38 SPs



Hospitality Suite Information

The hospitality suite for the 2015 USBC will be room 3321. Our wonderful hostess, Lisa Berkowitz will make the "trek" to Chicago, where she will be joined by Martha Katz & Phyllis Cheek, to welcome you to the Hospitality Suite during the tournament. They will serve breakfast each day from 8:00 -10:30 and lunch from Sunday-Sunday from 2:30-4:00. Lunch will be served in the hotel restaurant on Friday and Saturday.

The hospitality suite will be open for Vugraph, casual chit chat, drinks & snacks during the rest of the playing hours and for a short time after the end of the day.

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



Justin Lall

Session Entry Fees

In addition to the \$360 entry fee for this event, which all of the teams pay in advance, there is an entry fee of \$150 per session (there are two sessions a day). This entry fee is to be paid for each stage of competition before the start of that stage. Thus the following amounts will be due for the following stages of competition on or before the following times:

1. 4 sessions of the Round Robin: fees of \$600, due with the event entry fee.
2. Round of 16 entry fee of \$600 for 4 sessions, due before 10:00 on Sunday, May 10th.
3. Quarterfinals session fees of \$600 for 4 sessions, due before 10:00 on Tuesday, May 12th.
4. Semifinals session fees of \$600 for 4 sessions, due before 10:00 on Thursday, May 14th.
5. Finals session fees of \$600 for 4 sessions, due before 10:00 on Saturday, May 16th

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835 North Roselle Road
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835 East Algonquin Road
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Antny's

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Assembly

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(847) 995-8201

Bennigan's Grill & Tavern

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(847) 517-7785

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1950 East Higgins Road
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Black Pearl

28 West Golf Road
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Boomers Hot Dogs

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Chicago City Limits

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Classic Deli & Restaurant

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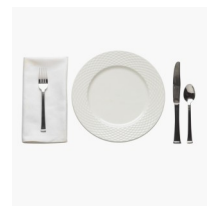
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Devil-Dog

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Domani Inc

46 South Meacham Road
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Elliott's Off Broadway Deli & Restaurant

1699 East Woodfield Road
Schaumburg, IL 60173
(847) 413-0356

Elliott's Off Broadway Deli Met Life BLDG

1900 East Golf Road
Schaumburg, IL 60173
(847) 995-0701

Elliotts Off Broadway

2800 West Higgins Road
Schaumburg, IL 60195
(847) 882-1167

Elliotts of Broadway Deli

1750 East Golf Road
Schaumburg, IL 60173
(847) 995-9210

Embassy Cafe

1933 North Meacham Road
Schaumburg, IL 60173
(847) 303-9650

FIDO Dido Inc

304 Covehill Court
Schaumburg, IL 60194
(847) 413-9401

Foster's Shrimp House

1706 West Wise Road
Schaumburg, IL 60193
(847) 891-8500

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Franco's Cucina

204 East Golf Road
Schaumburg, IL 60173
(847) 781-3900

Frankly Yours Original

1820 West Irving Park Road
Schaumburg, IL 60193
(847) 524-4380

Frankly Yours West

1580 East Algonquin Road
Schaumburg, IL 60173
(847) 397-8530

Frato's Eatery Inc

628 South Roselle Road
Schaumburg, IL 60193
(847) 895-2122

Fuddruckers

395 South Barrington Road
Schaumburg, IL 60193
(847) 534-1030

Fuji Grille

F316 Woodfield Mall
Schaumburg, IL 60173
(847) 240-5252

Garibaldi's Pizza & Pasta House

2346 West Higgins Road
Schaumburg, IL 60195
(847) 884-8663

Gaylord India Restaurant of Schaumburg

555 Mall Drive
Schaumburg, IL 60173
(847) 619-3300

Giordano's Pizza

823 East Algonquin Road
Schaumburg, IL 60173
(847) 397-8800

Golden Chopsticks

2336 West Higgins Road
Schaumburg, IL 60195
(847) 843-2336

Goochie's Carry Out Restaurant

847 East Algonquin Road
Schaumburg, IL 60173
(847) 397-8185

Greek Village Taverna

795 East Golf Road
Schaumburg, IL 60173
(847) 885-4950

Henry Jay Chinese Restaurant

2435 West Schaumburg Road
Schaumburg, IL 60194
(847) 891-3344

Higgins Subway

708 East Higgins Road
Schaumburg, IL 60173
(847) 885-0416

Hilldale Nippon KAN Restaurant

1655 Ardwick Drive
Schaumburg, IL 60195
(847) 310-1100

Ho Luck Restaurant

2 Golf Rose Centre
Schaumburg, IL 60194
(847) 882-4499

Hong Kong Cafe

1608 East Algonquin Road
Schaumburg, IL 60173
(847) 397-8208

Hooter's On Golf Inc

1705 East Golf Road
Schaumburg, IL 60173
(847) 619-4668

Hot Dog Express

1045 North Roselle Road
Hoffman Estates, IL 60195
(847) 843-0388

Hot Dog Place West Inc

2565 West Golf Road
Schaumburg, IL 60194
(847) 490-1440

Hot Dogs & More

711 West Golf Road
Schaumburg, IL 60194
(847) 882-8414

Hot Wok Village

2557 West Golf Road
Schaumburg, IL 60194
(847) 839-8880

Houlihan's

1901 East Golf Road
Schaumburg, IL 60173
(847) 605-0002

Hunan Beijing

1004 West Golf Road
Schaumburg, IL 60194
(847) 885-3777

India Garden Restaurant

855 East Schaumburg Road
Schaumburg, IL 60194
(847) 524-3007

India House

1521 West Schaumburg Road
Schaumburg, IL 60194
(847) 895-5501

Indoor Cafe

1321 East Golf Road
Schaumburg, IL 60173
(847) 413-9970

Jake's Pizza

1726 West Algonquin Road
Schaumburg, IL 60195
(847) 934-8400

Jake's Pizza

2251 West Schaumburg Road
Schaumburg, IL 60194
(847) 301-8444

Jake's Pizza No 28

889 East Schaumburg Road
Schaumburg, IL 60194
(847) 301-8333

Jake's Pizza No 3

Knollwd And Schaumburg
Schaumburg, IL 60194
(847) 301-8444

Jockey Restaurant

1017 North Roselle Road
Schaumburg, IL 60195
(847) 885-0888

John's Garage

117 Woodfield Mall
Schaumburg, IL 60173
(847) 619-0046

King Taco

1433 West Schaumburg Road
Schaumburg, IL 60194
(847) 352-2554

Kinokawa Restaurant

1578 West Algonquin Road
Schaumburg, IL 60195
(847) 705-9200

Korean Restaurant

1123 North Salem Drive
Schaumburg, IL 60194
(847) 882-3690

LA Magdalena

216 West Golf Road
Schaumburg, IL 60195
(847) 310-8331

La Margarita

1626 E Algonquin Rd
Schaumburg, IL 60173
(847) 397-7200

La Rosa Pizza & Pasta

1911 W Golf Rd
Schaumburg, IL 60194
(847) 882-2466

Lalos Restaurant

425 South Roselle Road
Schaumburg, IL 60193
(847) 891-0911

Little Caesars Pizza Treat

1648 West Algonquin Road
Schaumburg, IL 60195
(847) 705-1313

Lou Malnati's

357 South Barrington Road
Schaumburg, IL 60193
(847) 524-1900

1 south roselle road
Schaumburg, IL 60193
(847) 985-1525

1 South Roselle Road
Schaumburg, IL 60193
(847) 985-1525

Marios Homemade Style Pizza and Pasta

522 South Roselle Road
Schaumburg, IL 60193
(847) 895-6336

Mars 2112 Restaurant & Bar

Woodfield Shopping Ctr
Schaumburg, IL 60173
(847) 885-2112

Maxfields

700 East Schaumburg Road
Schaumburg, IL 60194
(847) 781-0300

Mayeb's Restaurant

851 South Roselle Road
Schaumburg, IL 60193
(847) 352-4726

Mcdonald's Hoffman Estates

2580 West Golf Road
Schaumburg, IL 60194
(847) 882-0943

2250 West Higgins Road
Schaumburg, IL 60195
(847) 843-0380

Medieval Times

2001 North Roselle Road
Schaumburg, IL 60195
(847) 843-3900

Mediterranean Cafe

2336 Hassell Road
Schaumburg, IL 60195
(847) 884-8180

Ming Ho Chinese Restaurant

1754 West Algonquin Road
Schaumburg, IL 60195
(847) 359-3131

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Ming's Chinese Restaurant

1941 East Algonquin Road
Schaumburg, IL 60173
(847) 303-6667

Mongolian Stir Fry

16 East Golf Road
Schaumburg, IL 60173
(847) 882-7268

MooTown Snacks

1821 Waldon Office Square
Schaumburg, IL 60173
(847) 925-5433

Moon Garden Restaurant

717 West Golf Road
Schaumburg, IL 60194
(847) 882-8533

Morton's of Chicago Inc

1470 McConnor Parkway
Schaumburg, IL 60173
(847) 413-8771

Munchner HOF Restaurant

1041 North Roselle Road
Schaumburg, IL 60195
(847) 882-1200

Nancy's Pizza

1045 South Roselle Road
Schaumburg, IL 60193
(847) 584-2255

Neo's Pizza

927 West Golf Road
Schaumburg, IL 60194
(847) 519-1927

New Delhi Restaurant of India

30 South Meacham Road
Schaumburg, IL 60193
(847) 895-6900

New Star Inc

801 East Algonquin Road
Schaumburg, IL 60173
(847) 925-0061

Nippon-Kan Restuarant

1625 Ardwick Drive
Schaumburg, IL 60195
(847) 843-8130

Nobu's Japanese Restaurant

1318 North Roselle Road
Schaumburg, IL 60195
(847) 839-8622

Oakwood At Garden Glen (Ip)

120 Kristin Cir
Schaumburg, IL 60195
(847) 885-8030

Official's Time Out

2354 West Higgins Road
Schaumburg, IL 60195
(847) 310-3227

Old Bridge Restaurant

1935 West Golf Road
Schaumburg, IL 60194
(847) 885-8786

Omega Restaurant

1823 West Wise Road
Schaumburg, IL 60193
(847) 534-1401

PITA House Restaurant

365 South Roselle Road
Schaumburg, IL 60193
(847) 352-4750

Palmers Restaurant

645 East Algonquin Road
Schaumburg, IL 60173
(847) 303-1302

Pancho's Burritos

816 West Golf Road
Schaumburg, IL 60194
(847) 885-4056

Papa Saverio's Pizzeria

1861 W Golf Rd
Schaumburg, IL 60194
(847) 843-4300

Papa Saverios Pizza

1098 South Roselle Road
Schaumburg, IL 60193
(847) 524-2222

Pat's Pantry & Deli Inc

1260 Freemn Road
Schaumburg, IL 60195
(847) 358-7207

Pats Pantry & Deli Inc

1260 Freemn Road
Schaumburg, IL 60194
(847) 358-7207

Pilot Petes

905 West Irving Park Road
Schaumburg, IL 60193
(847) 891-5100

Prairie Rock Brewery

1385 North Meacham Road
Schaumburg, IL 60173
(847) 605-9900

Rainforest Cafe

D121 Woodfield Mall
Schaumburg, IL 60173
(847) 619-1900

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	1						3	
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1								6
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Sudoku 1

Sudoku

Sudoku 2

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

Sudoku 1 Solution

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

MEGABUCKS MOVIES

Megabucks Studios produced four movies last year. Can you match the name of each actor with the type of film he starred in, the film location, the month it was released (one was released in July) and the amount each movie grossed (\$9m, \$11m, \$12m, \$15m)?

1. The movie filmed in Los Angeles was released later in the year than the comedy movie.
2. Nick Page was the star of the movie which grossed more than the horror movie but less than at least one of the other movies.
3. The movie released in March grossed \$1m or \$2m more or \$1m or \$2m less than one starring Steve Connelly (whose movie either grossed \$12m or was released in May).
4. The science fiction movie (not released in October) didn't gross as much as the movie filmed in New York (which was the one released either three months before or three months after the movie starring Will Bryce).
5. The action movie was released later in the year than the one which grossed \$11m and earlier in the year than the movie filmed in Boston.
6. The movie starring Tom Rowe grossed either \$2m or \$3m more than the one filmed in Las Vegas.

Actor	Type	Location	Month	\$m

Answers to Puzzle:

No peeking!

MEGABUCKS MOVIES - Solution
 Nick Page - comedy - Las Vegas - March - \$12m
 Steve Connelly - science fiction - Los Angeles - May - \$11m
 Tom Rowe - action - New York - July - \$15m
 Will Bryce - horror - Boston - October - \$9m

Limey Jack...

Hallo Yanks:

Hardly a fortnight has gone by and here we are searching for the Open Champs of the Colonies. This rates to be far more civilized than the catfight in Florida. Limey Jack hears tell that committees are still flaring like sunspots. Those lassies went at it tooth and nail. If we are lucky enough to field a team to play for Her Majesty's honour in Chennai, they should be clad in armour.

Some odd entries here: An old curmudgeon re-wielding his sword is Cayne at 82, whilst Kaplan is a mere lad of 19. In fact the Grossack twins may be a hair younger. There are three damsels and two five handed teams, and of course my favourite player and sometimes partner; Zia. Of the 21 squads entered, Diamond, Fleisher, and Hamman have one round byes whilst 18 others will play 2 days for 13 spots. Only Howie Dung would be wonky enough to think that none of the favourites will stumble out of the gate. Here is how Limey Jack will help you to make a few bob at the punter.

Cayne, Gordon, Bramley, Mahaffey, and Harris all survive. The first casualty is the 6th ranked Gupta team. These soldiers have thrown a wobbler by playing five handed, breaking the cardinal rule. Off with their heads! Fireman and Borker are subsumed into the round of 16, but Milner, another five handed team, is not. Lo makes it and Rigal, of course. Cappelli sneaks in, and then the porridge gels. Of the last six teams, the bottom three; Ganzer, Dinkin, and Becker all come to the coronation. The three directly above them; Ivatury, Denison, and Ware all take to the life rafts. Sadly, this means all the Fillies fail in the first chukker and all the five handed teams are gone. If only Howie Dung could disappear that fast.

Limey Jack is a bit knackered and will need extra rest at the flat as he is to be watching far into the night.

Cheers, LJ

Howie Doing...

Back again... My, how time flies...
Fleisher, Hamman and Diamond have byes!

Eighteen teams are under the gun.
They need to emerge between thirteen and one!

Which teams will win? Will place? Will show?
And which teams will be the first we'll see go?

The Beckers, the Ganzers, the Robert Cappellis
Will all flop around and land on their bellies!

Others may stay... but may have a scare...
Like Dinkin and Lo and Miss Peggy Ware.

Harris could stay... or Harris could not.
Depends on the number of hours they've got!

Mahaffey looks good; Bramley does too.
Cayne's well positioned with Curtis and Grue.

Gordon looks well. He'll be on fire
Since adding the likes of young Kevin Dwyer.

Ivatury is solid with Sorkin and Chan.
Jon's underrated... the hometown "da man!"

Dennison goes or Dennison stays;
Depends on the pace at which Feldman plays.

Milner's outgunned. He could be toast.
Gupta wants journey to India most!

Fireman hopes to emerge with the prize
His crew of young talent is savvy and wise.

Honestly it is no confidence builder,
Those signed for the Seniors, me truly bewilder.

You can believe me or you can watch Jack.
I am a master and he is a quack.

This competition is just between pals.
It rates to be kinder to all than the gal's.

This will be classy on anyone's scale.
Hello Chicago. Good bye Lauderdale!

Hopefully all will be friends when it's done...
And I, as the master, will be number one.

Howie Doing ... Awesome, of course!

Practice Makes Perfect... Robbins/Wildavsky Ready for Trials

Board 19
Dealer: S
E/W Vul.

♠ 3
♥ QT72
♦ KJ962
♣ KT8

♠ J76
♥ A4
♦ AQ
♣ AQ9753



♠ AK854
♥ K86
♦ 84
♣ J42

♠ QT92
♥ J953
♦ T753
♣ 6

West	North	East	South
Wildavsky	Stuart	Robbins	Pavlichek
			Pass
1C	1D	1S	3D (weak)
3NT	All Pass		

Wildavsky/Robbins did well to avoid their eight card spade fit to play in 3NT.

Stuart led a fourth best diamond into Wildavsky's AQ. Wildavsky won the diamond queen, cashed the ace of clubs and led a club to dummy's jack. A club was continued to North's king.

the Evening IMP Pairs.

The DJ rode to the ace and Wildavsky cashed out for 11 tricks and 8.8 IMPs in

Even without the underlead of the DK, 3NT is successful, while the poor spade break and offside finesses make 4S fail.

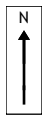
Well done!

Gordon/Pratap v. Sontag/Berkowitz ... a Grand Evening!

Board 7
Dealer: S
All Vul.

♠ T3
♥ QT95
♦ 65
♣ KQ976

♠ AK862
♥ K32
♦ A3
♣ 852



♠ Q9
♥ A4
♦ KQJ982
♣ AJ3

♠ J754
♥ J876
♦ T74
♣ T4

West	North	East	South
Sontag	Pratap	Berkowitz	Gordon
			Pass
1S	Pass	2D	Pass
2S	Pass	2NT	Pass
3D	Pass	4H	Pass
5C	Double	5H	Pass
5S	Pass	6C	Pass
6H	Pass	7D	All Pass

The opening lead was the CT which rode to the Q and A. Berkowitz pulled trump in three rounds and played the DJ. Everyone discarded clubs. The SQ was led followed by SA and SK. The S6 was ruffed.

At this point, the long spade was established for the discard of the last club.

Berkowitz claimed his 13 tricks and his 14.5 IMPs and moved on to Board 8!

Golf Courses in the Area ...



Schaumburg Golf Club, Tournament Course

9 holes (Municipal)
401 N Roselle Rd
Schaumburg, IL 60194-3529
(847) 885-9000
2 miles from the center of Schaumburg.

Schaumburg Golf Club, Players Course

18 holes over 3,189 yards with a par of 35 (Municipal)
401 N Roselle Rd
Schaumburg, IL 60194-3529
(847) 885-9000
2 miles from the center of Schaumburg.

Schaumburg Golf Club, Baer Course

9 holes (Municipal)
401 N Roselle Rd
Schaumburg, IL 60194-3529
(847) 885-9000
2 miles from the center of Schaumburg.

Walnut Greens Golf Course, Walnut Greens Course

9 holes over 1,078 yards with a par of 27 (Municipal)
1150 N Walnut Ln
Schaumburg, IL 60194-2200
(847) 490-7878
3 miles from the center of Schaumburg.

Fox Run Golf Links, Fox Run Course

18 holes over 6,287 yards with a par of 72 (Municipal)
333 Plum Grove Rd
Elk Grove Village, IL 60007-3387
(847) 228-3544
2 miles from the center of Schaumburg.

Hilldale Golf Club, Hilldale Course

18 holes over 6,432 yards with a par of 71 (Public)
1625 Ardwick Dr
Hoffman Estates, IL 60169-6738
(847) 310-1100
4 miles from the center of Schaumburg.

Poplar Creek Country Club, Poplar Creek Course

18 holes over 6,108 yards with a par of 70 (Municipal)
1400 Eric Dr
1400 Poplar Creek Drive
Hoffman Estates, IL 60169-1009
(847) 884-0219
4 miles from the center of Schaumburg.

Highland Woods Golf Course, Highland Woods Course

18 holes over 6,995 yards with a par of 72 (Municipal)
2775 Ela Rd
Hoffman Estates, IL 60192-1909
(847) 359-5850x3
4 miles from the center of Schaumburg.

Indian Lakes Resort, Island Course

18 holes over 3,443 yards with a par of 36 (Public)
250 W Schick Rd Ofc 1
Bloomington, IL 60108-1290
(866) 325-2537
4 miles from the center of Schaumburg.

Indian Lakes Resort, Woodland Course

9 holes over 3,470 yards with a par of 36 (Public)
250 W Schick Rd Ofc 1
Bloomington, IL 60108-1290
(866) 325-2537
4 miles from the center of Schaumburg.

Indian Lakes Resort, Highland Course

18 holes over 3,449 yards with a par of 36 (Public)
250 W Schick Rd Ofc 1
Bloomington, IL 60108-1290
(866) 325-2537
4 miles from the center of Schaumburg.

Bloomington Golf Club, Bloomington Course

18 holes over 5,992 yards with a par of 70 (Municipal)
181 Glen Ellyn Rd
Bloomington, IL 60108-1619
(630) 529-6232
4 miles from the center of Schaumburg.

Eaglewood Conference Resort & Spa, Eaglewood Course

18 holes over 6,017 yards with a par of 72 (Public)
1401 Nordic Rd
Itasca, IL 60143-2484
(630) 773-3510
5 miles from the center of Schaumburg.

**You can't do it unless you can
imagine it.**

George Lucas

Look Who's Here...

Sox:		Cubs:
Friday 5/8	Reds	5/11 Mets
Saturday 5/9	Reds	5/12 Mets
Sunday 5/10	Reds	5/13 Mets
		5/15-17 Pirates

Intelligent Quotes ...



Talent hits a target no one else can hit; Genius hits a target no one else can see.

Arthur Schopenhauer

Common sense is not so common.

Voltaire

There is no great genius without a mixture of madness.

Aristotle

There are no great limits to growth because there are no limits of human intelligence, imagination, and wonder.

Ronald Reagan

I know that I am intelligent, because I know that I know nothing.

Socrates

Your intellect may be confused, but your emotions will never lie to you.

Roger Ebert

Failure is simply the opportunity to begin again, this time more intelligently.

Henry Ford

Small minds are concerned with the extraordinary, great minds with the ordinary.

Blaise Pascal

Promise me you'll always remember: You're braver than you believe, and stronger than you seem, and smarter than you think.

A. Milne

Genius is talent set on fire by courage.

Henry Van Dyke

Knowledge will forever govern ignorance; and a people who mean to be their own governors must arm themselves with the power which knowledge gives.

James Madison

Genius is the ability to renew one's emotions in daily experience.

Paul Cezanne

If everyone is thinking alike, then somebody isn't thinking.

George S. Patton

Genius might be the ability to say a profound thing in a simple way.

Charles Bukowski

It takes a lot of things to prove you are smart, but only one thing to prove you are ignorant.

Don Herold

To expect the unexpected shows a thoroughly modern intellect.

Oscar Wilde

The mind is not a vessel to be filled but a fire to be kindled.

Plutarch

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Ram Restaurant & the Big Horn Brewery

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Schaumburg, IL 60173
(847) 517-8791

Red Robin

120 Woodfield Mall
Schaumburg, IL 60194
(847) 517-4476
(847) 885-7877

Ricardo's Restaurant

1170 S Roselle Rd
Schaumburg, IL 60193
(847) 891-7777
1170 South Roselle Road
Schaumburg, IL 60193
(847) 891-7777

Ron Santo's American Rotisseri

1925 North Meacham Road
Schaumburg, IL 60173
(847) 397-2676

Rosati's Pizza Pub

829 West Higgins Road
Schaumburg, IL 60195
(847) 884-0818
1770 West Wise Road
Schaumburg, IL 60193
(847) 891-5151

Sabor

160 South Roselle Road
Schaumburg, IL 60193
(847) 301-1470

Saisaki Restaurant

1063 North Roselle Road
Schaumburg, IL 60195
(847) 252-7440

Salt-N-Pepper

2263 West Schaumburg Road
Schaumburg, IL 60194
(847) 524-1401

Sante Restaurant

401 West Higgins Road
Schaumburg, IL 60195
(847) 884-7470

Savera Fast Food

260 Princeton Street
Schaumburg, IL 60194
(630) 483-8823

Sbarro's Restaurant

123 Woodfield Mall
Schaumburg, IL 60173
(847) 240-9756

Sbarro's Restaurant

123 Woodfield Mall
Schaumburg, IL 60194
(847) 240-9756

Schaumburg Inn Restaurant

1477 West Schaumburg Road
Schaumburg, IL 60194
(847) 524-7149

Shao's Kitchen

2211 West Schaumburg Road
Schaumburg, IL 60194
(847) 524-1328

Silver Lake Chinese Restaurant

889 South Roselle Road
Schaumburg, IL 60193
(847) 891-2888

Silver Lake Chinese Restaurant

837 East Algonquin Road
Schaumburg, IL 60173
(847) 925-1818

Silver Saddle

152 West Higgins Road
Schaumburg, IL 60195
(847) 490-1666

Sir Nick's Pizza

1441 Palatine Road
Schaumburg, IL 60195
(847) 202-5555

Sir Nicks Pizza

1332 North Roselle Road
Schaumburg, IL 60195
(847) 925-1000

Smiling Budda Szechuan & Mandarin Restaurant

1220 Valley Lake Drive
Schaumburg, IL 60195
(847) 843-0095

Smokey Bones BBQ & Sports Bar

680 Mull Dr
Schaumburg, IL 60173
(847) 605-0889

680 N Mall Dr
Schaumburg, IL 60173
(847) 605-0889

Sofi's Choice

1750 West Algonquin Road
Schaumburg, IL 60195
(847) 359-7069

Spring Garden Restaurant

1000 North Roselle Road
Schaumburg, IL 60195
(847) 882-4912

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Stir Crazy Cafe

5 Woodfield Mall
Schaumburg, IL 60173
(847) 330-1200

Subway Sandwich & Salad Shop

1400 North Roselle Road
Schaumburg, IL 60195
(847) 843-7827

Suchada Thai Cuisine Inc

1851 West Golf Road
Schaumburg, IL 60194
(847) 882-0910

Super China Buffet

331 W Golf Rd
Schaumburg, IL 60195
(847) 843-8683

Sweet Tomatoes

1951 McConnor Parkway
Schaumburg, IL 60173
(847) 619-1271

TGI Fridays Inc

1893 Walden Office Square
Schaumburg, IL 60173
(847) 397-2433

Taqueria Dos Aztecas

939 West Wise Road
Schaumburg, IL 60193
(847) 895-1666

Taste of Thai

1029 West Golf Road
Schaumburg, IL 60194
(847) 490-9994

Taylor Street Pizza

906 Bode Road
Schaumburg, IL 60194
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How Many Doubles Are Too Many Doubles?

Board 16
Dealer: W
E/W Vul.

♠ 87
♥ T9872
♦ T7
♣ K832

♠ KT6
♥ J653
♦ J8532
♣ T



♠ QJ4
♥ AQ4
♦ Q96
♣ Q975
♠ A9532
♥ K
♦ AK4
♣ AJ64

West	North	East	South
Sontag	Pratap	Berkowitz	Gordon
Pass	Pass	1D	Double
1H	Pass	Pass	Double
Pass	Pass	1NT	Double
2D	Pass	Pass	Double
Pass	2H	All Pass	

If we were playing with bidding boxes, Gordon would have run out of doubles at some point and Pratap would have been a more content partner!

Where did the wheels come off the bus?

2D by E/W would likely have been successful although creative defense has a chance!

By starting spades, South will be able to give North a ruff, and will still be able to score a heart ruff thus taking four diamonds, a spade and a club.

Start with two rounds of spades. When declarer leads trump, South wins and give North a spade ruff. North shifts to a heart. If declarer rises ace and tries a second diamond, South wins and leads a low club to North's king. North gives South a heart ruff; At this point, North/South have collected four trumps and two black tricks.

If declarer attempts to cut off the North hand by leading clubs early, South must clear his HK before giving North his spade ruff.

The more likely defense starts with the ace of diamonds and now East/West are favorites to collect eight tricks by dropping the HK.

4.5 IMPs to East/West

North/South can play successfully in either black suit, but neither black suit was ever bid!!

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