# **Lawson Bridge Studio News January 2019**

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## Club Games - Rates are for each player

Games: 6:20 pm at Ann Sather's Restaurant, 909 West Belmont Ave, Chicago, IL

Jan 2	O/I Pairs ACBL Junior Fund—\$13	Feb 4	Open Pairs—\$12
Jan 7	<b>OP Pairs ACBL Junior Fund—</b> \$13	Feb 6	O/I Pairs—\$12
Jan 9	O/I Pairs ACBL Junior Fund—\$13	Feb 11	<b>Unit Game L201902123A—</b> \$12
Jan 14	<b>OP Pairs ACBL Junior Fund—</b> \$13	Feb 13	O/I Pairs—\$12
Jan 16	O/I Pairs ACBL Junior Fund—\$13	Feb 18	Swiss Teams Grass Roots Fund—\$13
Jan 21	<b>OP Pairs ACBL Junior Fund—</b> \$13	Feb 20	O/I Pairs Grassroots Fund Game—\$13
Jan 23	O/I Pairs ACBL Junior Fund—\$13	Feb 25	Open Pairs Unit 123 STaC—\$14
Jan 28	<b>OP Pairs ACBL Junior Fund—</b> \$13	Feb 27	O/I Pairs Unit 123 STaC—\$14
Jan 30	O/I Pairs ACBL Junior Fund—\$13		

Jerry Scholle is recovering at home with home health services including physical therapy. He is progressing well and looking forward to assisting Phil with the games as the weather permits him to be out.

Thanks to all for assisting at the games with my absence as well as with our hosting the games. Because of this we have had no increase in costs during 2018, and I am happy to report that there will be no change in fees for the 2019 year.

#### **LAW 45 - CARD PLAYED**

## A. Play of Card from a Hand

Each player except dummy plays a card by detaching it from his hand and facing 12 it on the table immediately before him.

# **B.** Play of Card from Dummy

Declarer plays a card from dummy by naming the card, after which dummy picks up the card and faces it on the table. In playing from dummy's hand declarer may, if necessary, pick up the desired card himself.

### C. Card Deemed to be Played

- 1. A defender's card held so that it is possible for his partner to see its face is deemed played to the current trick (if the defender has already made a legal play to the current trick, see Law 45E).
- 2. Declarer is deemed to have played a card from his hand if it is:
  - (a) held face up, touching or nearly touching the table; or
  - (b) maintained in such a position as to indicate that it has been played.
- 3. A card in the dummy is played if it has been deliberately touched by declarer except for the purpose either of arranging dummy's cards, or of reaching a card above or below the card or cards touched.
- 4. (a) A card is played if a player names or otherwise designates it as the card he proposes to play (but see Law 47).
  - (b) Declarer may correct an unintended designation of a card from dummy until he next plays a card from either his own hand or from dummy. A change of designation may be allowed after a slip of the tongue, but not after a loss of concentration or a reconsideration of action. If an opponent has, in turn, played a card that was legal before the change in designation, that opponent may withdraw the card so played, return it to his hand, and substitute another (see Laws 47D and 16C1).
- 5. A penalty card, major or minor, may have to be played (see Law 50).

#### D. Dummy Picks up a Non-designated Card

- 1. If dummy places in the played position a card that declarer did not name, the card must be withdrawn if attention is drawn to it before each side has played to the next trick, and a defender may withdraw and return to his hand a card played after the error but before attention was drawn to it; if declarer's RHO changes his play, declarer may withdraw a card he had subsequently played to that trick. (See Law 16C.)
- 2. When it is too late to change dummy's wrongly placed card (see above), the play continues normally without alteration of the cards played to this or any subsequent trick. If the wrongly placed card was the first card of the trick, then the failure to follow suit to that card may now constitute a revoke (see Laws 64A, 64B7 and 64C). If the wrongly placed card was contributed to a trick already in progress and dummy thereby has