

Lawson Bridge Studio News October 2018

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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

Oct 1	Open Pairs—\$12	Nov 5	Open Pairs—\$12
Oct 3	O/I Pairs—\$12	Nov 7	O/I Pairs Grassroots Fund Game—\$13
Oct 8	Open Pairs Club Appreciation Pairs—\$12	Nov 12	Open Pairs District 13 STaC—\$14
Oct 10	O/I Pairs Grassroots Fund Game—\$13	Nov 14	O/I Pairs Unit 222 STaC—\$14
Oct 15	Open Pairs ACBL Membership Game—\$12	Nov 19	Open Pairs Grass Roots Fund—\$13
Oct 17	O/I Pairs Club Appreciation Pairs—\$12	Nov 21	O/I Pairs—\$12
Oct 22	Swiss Teams Club Appreciation—\$12	Nov 26	Open Pairs—\$12
Oct 24	O/I Pairs ACBL Membership Game—\$12	Nov 28	O/I Pairs Club Championship—\$12
Oct 29	Open Pairs Grass Roots Fund—\$13		
Oct 31	O/I Pairs—\$12		

Cub Games in October

As I write this, it appears that the Cubs will be in post season games. According the playoff schedule, only the Wednesday evening games may be affected. Be advised to see if the Cubs are playing at home during this time.

♠ **Oct 8th Monday Club Appreciation Open Pairs:**

This game has 81.8% sectionally rate black point. As special thanks to you for supporting the club on Monday evenings, we will be serving pizza at 5:45 pm with eating in the playing area and game to start by 6:30 pm with number of boards to be determined. Please inform me of your intention to play that evening by **Friday Oct 5th** so that I know how much food to order. A sign-up sheet is available at the game.

♥ **October 17th Wednesday Club Appreciation O/I Pairs:**

This game has 81.8% sectionally rate black point. As special thanks to you for supporting the club on Wednesday evenings, we will be serving pizza at 5:45 pm with eating in the playing area and game to start by 6:30 pm with number of boards to be determined. Please inform me of your intention to play that evening by **Sunday Oct 14th** so that I know how much food to order. A sign-up sheet is available at the game.

♦ **Oct 15th and 24th ACBL membership games:**

To earn 81.8% sectionally rated black masterpoints in this game **BOTH** players of a pair must be paid members of the ACBL. Non-members and non-paid members are welcome to play but will not be awarded masterpoints, thus if you are interested in earning masterpoints, please join or renew your membership in the ACBL which is easy to do online at <http://www.acbl.org>. The Bridge Bulletin is worth the price of membership alone, if you are interested in developing your game through the many articles for all levels of players.

♣ **Oct 22th Monday Club Appreciation Teams:**

This has been rescheduled one week early than previously published due to the date change for the Lake Geneva Regional. I have avoided scheduling major special games at the time of Regionals in our district. Team game with 5% gold points at a maximum of 0.25 to winner and the other awards as 81.8% sectionally rate black point. As usual, please form you teams, and let me know before 4 pm on October 22st for room set-up and an orderly start of the game. A sign-up sheet will be available at the games as well as registering with me at lawsonbridgestudio@gmail.com.

♠ **Lake Geneva Regional Date Change**

When I prepared the yearly schedule, the Lake Geneva Regional was to be from Monday October the 23rd through Sunday October 29th. It now has been rescheduled for Monday October 29th through Friday November 2nd. This is due to a change in contract between the District and the resort.

LAW 43 - DUMMY'S LIMITATIONS, Except as Law 42 allows:

A. Limitations on Dummy

- (a) Dummy may not initiate a call for the Director during play unless another player has drawn attention to an irregularity.
- (b) Dummy may not call attention to an irregularity during play.
- (c) Dummy must not participate in the play, nor may he communicate anything about the play to declarer.
- (a) Dummy may not exchange hands with declarer.
- (b) Dummy may not leave his seat to watch declarer's play of the hand.
- (c) Dummy may not look at the face of a card in either defender's hand.
- A defender may not show dummy his hand.