



# What's New in District 22

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all weekend), her committee worked non-stop. Even Mark Kupperman, another supportive spouse, who helped Judy with hospitality all those years in Oxnard, was sited with a towel in hand in at the Camarillo Community Center. Dennis Charles, club president, reports it was a rousing success, with 154 ½ tables (up 25 tables over last year and about the same as 2015) in play over the three days. The entire board of directors was on hand to help with set-ups, take-downs and general hard work to make the week-

end so much fun.

And special thanks to Tom Ciacio for outstanding directing, particularly at the challenging Swiss Pairs Sunday event that hosted 24 teams in the open game, and ten in the 499er competition. Every player went home with more silver.

Earlier in March, the Helen Shanbrom Ace of Clubs and Mini-McKenney awards were presented to the 2016 top point winners.

Congratulations are in order to the following: Debbie Kerr, Saurin and Karen Chakrabarti, Mimi Draves, Mark Eck-

hout, Charles Clarke, Josh Rosenbluth, Marilyn Brett, Linda and Bob Gruber, Arline Benzien, Chris Gillmon, Mary-Kay Imdieke, and Ken Thompson.

Another extra shout-out to Josh Rosenbluth for placing 13th nationally in the Mini-McKenney 200-300 points category (amassing 239 points) and for 20th place in the national Ace of Clubs contest with 123.

This is a special reminder that every Wednesday there is a spirited 49er game of about five tables each week. Encourage newer players to enjoy the congenial group while earning masterpoints.

Swiss event with teammates Allyson Farrell and Mun Takeda.

Back at home 227 tables competed over 24 sessions with only 34 different winners claiming the 88 top spots. Notably, Pat Delamontanya paired up with John Butisbauch for what I believe was the first time, and put together a 70.41% game.

On an even happier note, we welcomed back both Mike Frank and Bob Iorio, who despite continuing health situations inspired their partners to wins. And it turns out that Teri Smith, for whom we had grave concerns due to lack of contact, was discovered by Marybeth Higuera competing down in the Palm Springs area.

The complete list of winners for the 2-month reporting period ending April 4: Warren & Suzi Cederborg (9), Robbie (7), Vincent Cheng (5), Allyson Farrell (4), Bill & Julie Wilson (4), Donnie Graham (4), John Morrison (3), Lorna Cheng (3), Pam Wood (3); double winners were Andi Sigmund, Bob Iorio, John Butisbauch, Elaine Smith, Jacqui McGreal, Lisa D'Arcy, Pat Delamontanya, Paul Schommer, Ron Askeland, and Villa Vejvoda. Rounding out the list were thirteen single winners: Betty Smith, Dee Quatraro, Fran Prins, Gerry Jones, Harlan Ellis, Jean Moritz, Keith Lindersmith, John Maguire, Marcie Buford, Mike Frank, Nancy Holley, Pat Huston, and Phyllis Garlin.

We are missing Betty Smith's elegant presence, bid her a speedy return, and are heartened that even in absence, she is thinking of us, as evidenced by her continued generous contributions to fund the purchase of "acceptable" napkins. My wife, especially, is praying Betty will hurry back and instruct me in their proper usage.

[Congratulations to Warren for being elected president of the Western Conference during the San Diego Regional.]

## NABC Winners -- Continued from page 1

16. Paul Darin, San Diego ..43.18	48. Alberto Feilhaber, Irvine .....11.72
17. Robert Giragosian, Bakersfield ..43.09	49. Liliane Kirchoff, La Mesa .....10.58
18. Sherman Gao, Laguna Woods ....42.95	50. Joe Houde, Vista .....9.80
19. Mac Busby, San Diego .....42.68	51. Andrew Loh, Solana Beach .....9.80
20. Marjorie Michelin, Laguna Woods ..39.76	52. Elazar Harel, La Jolla .....9.05
21. Robert Hollman, Santa Barbara ..38.37	53. Bridget Poizner, San Diego .....9.05
22. Ellis Feigenbaum, Laguna Woods 38.33	54. Judy Bongarzone, Palm Desert ....8.63
23. Lynne Feldman, San Diego .....36.37	55. Barbara Hopewell, Palm Desert ...8.63
24. Bruce Ferguson, Palm Springs ...36.03	56. Brian Trent, Fullerton .....8.24
25. Harvey Jaffe, Huntington Beach 34.18	57. Sharyn Pyrz, Bonita .....8.23
26. Michael Kerr, Corona Del Mar ..34.18	58. Philip Hiestand, Irvine .....7.55
27. Shailesh Gupta, Aliso Viejo .....34.02	59. Linda Trent, Fullerton .....7.18
28. Eddie Rose, Laguna Niguel .....32.89	60. Bo Liu, Irvine .....6.61
29. Kenny Pan, Irvine .....32.38	61. David Lodge, Rancho Mirage .....6.44
30. Craig Kavim, Oxnard .....29.91	62. Lesley Davis, La Jolla .....6.36
31. Millie Garrison, Riverside .....28.63	63. Willa King, San Clemente .....5.33
32. Leo Bell, Carlsbad .....25.17	64. Ken Monzingo, San Diego .....5.21
33. Ilene Grabel, Palm Desert .....23.34	65. Carreen Hinds, Bakersfield .....4.76
34. Pat Larin, Rancho Mirage .....21.68	66. Aaron Jones, Oceanside .....4.08
35. Timothy Flaherty, San Diego .....21.23	67. Suresh Mahajan, Del Mar .....3.66
36. Weishu Wu, Irvine .....20.14	68. Jeff Porter, Palm Springs .....3.64
37. Christine Denny, Encinitas .....18.97	69. Gale Senter, San Clemente .....3.61
38. Atsuko Kurishima, Newport Beach .17.13	70. Wirt Gilliam, San Diego .....3.26
39. Martha Roth, San Diego .....16.44	71. Weidong Pei, Brea .....3.18
40. Charlotte Blum, La Jolla .....14.44	72. Mac Becket, Palm Springs .....2.80
41. May Mengstab, Laguna Woods ..13.86	73. Xiaobin Sun, Palm Springs .....2.80
42. Nancy Alvarado, Yucaipa .....13.80	74. Rebecca Pilshaw, Bakersfield .....2.70
43. Kevin Chaisson, San Diego .....13.55	75. Patricia Young, Bakersfield .....2.70
44. Philippe Lamoise, San Diego .....13.55	76. Pam Nuccio, Vista .....2.39
45. Rai Osborne, Anaheim .....12.88	77. Pat Sullivan, El Cajon .....2.39
46. Jack Waller, Dana Point .....12.09	78. Marc Franklin, Newport Beach ....1.88
47. Jim Johnsen, San Mateo .....12.00	79. Nance Lodge, Rancho Mirage .....1.78

## Visalia

By Robbie Rouch

Special congratulations to Warren Cederborg, who will be headed to the Toronto Nationals in July, representing District 22 in the Grand National Teams event with partner Leo Bell and teammates Aaron Jones and Jay Helekar!

Considerable tournament success was achieved by Visalia Unit members in the months of February and March, beginning at the Riverside Regional, where Warren and Suzi Cederborg made it to the KO semi-finals twice, amassing in excess of 73 points. At that same tournament, Donny Graham and Keith Lindersmith did us proud with a section top. In Fresno, 18 of our members earned points at the Sectional level, with 1st place showings by Carol Carr and Pam Wood, Michiko Taylor and Joan Dinwiddie, Allyson Farrell, playing with Mun Takeda, and Susan Spears, teaming with Villa Vejvoda, Anthony Toto and Al Crane. Over in San Luis Obispo, Paul Schommer and partner, Gerard Laquerriere topped all players in total tournament points earned, with a win and two near misses, including a 2nd in the 26-table



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# FALL NABC



## Fund Games

**Clubs: Fundraiser game July 4-10, 2017**

**Scheduling Fundraiser Games**


Clubs may run a week of unlimited fundraising games for each sanctioned club game, the offerings may be pairs or teams games.

**NABC Hospitality**

Funds raised from these games will be used for the San Diego Fall NABC player hospitality and player registration gifts.

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# Huge MPs!



## Welcome to Unit 516's

### 22nd Annual Big Bear Lake

Sectional Bridge Tournament  
July 14, 15, and 16, 2017



Friday, July 14  
1 PM & 7 PM  
(Single Sessions)

<b>Big Bear Stratified Pairs</b>	<b>Bear City Raccoons Stratified 299 Pairs</b>
A: 2000 +	D: 200-300
B: 750-2000	E: 100-200
C: 0-750	F: 0-100

Saturday, July 15  
10 AM & 3 PM  
(Single Sessions)

<b>Big Bear Stratified Pairs</b>	<b>Bear City Raccoons Stratified 299 Pairs</b>
A: 2000 +	D: 200-300
B: 750-2000	E: 100-200
C: 0-750	F: 0-100

Sunday, July 16  
10 AM & TBA  
**Sugarloaf Swiss Teams**  
(Double Session)

A: 2000+	C: 0-750
B: 750-2000	299er: 0-300 (2 single sessions)

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