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TEAM McLENDON OFF TO FLYING START IN CHAMPIONSHIP BRACKETED ROUND ROBIN

Last night, Team McLendon soared to success in Bracket 1 of yesterday's Round Robin event to perch firmly at the top of the tree in the first of our prestigious championship teams competitions.

The sensational silver Ice Bucket won by Team McLendon. Although obviously not pictured to scale, filling this with Fizz could still take the whole celebratory night to knock back and it's certainly the finest bird bath you'll ever see!

Preening in victory are (L to R) Radu Nistor, Barbara McLendon, Raluca Nistor, and Iulian (Max) Rotaru.
"Yes, in this Round Robin event, we ruffled a few feathers and now we're singing a very happy song!" chirped Captain Barbara mischievously.

And we, too, sing our praises to this awesome foursome, flown in from New York, on their achieving prime position in the pecking order of last night's players.
Recognising their right to crow, we trill our own tributes to this terrific team.

PLEASE REMEMBER THIS FOR THE CHAMPIONSHIP BRACKETED KNOCK-OUT TEAMS EVENT WHICH BEGINS TODAY:
the A.C.B.L stipulates that, in a Knock-Out Team of 5 or more players, each player must play half of each match, except the first.
So, you can miss the whole of the first match but you MUST play half of each subsequent match.
And if you miss half of the first match, you must play the whole of the next match as you need to have played at least half the boards by the end of the event

ALERT – REGISTRATION REMINDER
If you haven't already done so, please register with the On the Casers asap.
The information you give us at Registration enables us to improve our tournament year on year, so please help us to achieve this.
It couldn't be simpler to do as Judy King, the Regional's Cyber Queen, has provided this helpful QR code so you can register from anywhere.
If you use the code, however, be sure to collect your Goody Bag from the Hospitality Desk in the playing room.

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ANOTHER TWEETABLE ROUND ROBIN TEAM: A LATE-NIGHT CHORUS OF VICTORY FOR THESE PLAYERS

What a coup in Bracket 2
for our Transatlantic Team featured in Bulletin 2.
They are (L to R) Howard Berman and Carole Berman from Florida and Michelle Segal and Paulette Sachon from London.
So good has Bermuda Bridge been to them that they were very happy to wave the national flag in jubilation.
Tremendous Teamwork, Transatlanticers,
and Bermuda says Bravo!

THE OPENING NIGHT CHARITY GAME

UP THE LADDER TO THE ROOF!

Sparing no effort to get you the best picture possible, the Ed risked life and limb on a very rickety old ladder to get the shot opposite of the Opening Charity Game.

Thank goodness for hotel manager, Wally Jubran, who would have had the unenviable task of catching a falling Ed had he not held on to the ladder so tightly.

MEET BERMUDA'S DIRECTORS: A FAMOUS FIVE-STAR TEAM for a FIVE ALARM TOURNAMENT.

GET TO KNOW OUR DIRECTORS AND WHAT MAKES THEM TICK BY ANSWERING THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS:

1. **DAVID METCALFE is the Regional's Cyber Wizard who can make people disappear at the drop of a magic hat. TRUE OR FALSE?**

2. **NANCY STRACHAN expects all players to take the game seriously and takes a dim view if she hears even the faintest tinkling of laughter or other sounds of people enjoying themselves at the table. TRUE OR FALSE?**

3. **SOL WEINSTEIN has become, over his 50 years of service to our Regional, well-adjusted to Bermuda time and is extremely relaxed about player punctuality. He doesn't mind at all if you show up to a game a little late now and then. TRUE OR FALSE?**

4. **JACK RHIND is Bermuda's only international Director and, as well as loving his Bridge, is the Island's Number one fan of the New England Patriots. TRUE OR FALSE?**

5. **MELODY EULER believes in striking the right note in every bridge ruling she makes. TRUE OR FALSE?**

ANSWERS

1. **TRUE – Maestro Metcalfe, the Regional's Computer Keyboard Wizard, can magic you and all your wonderful scores away at the touch of a button, never mind the drop of a hat, so don't, whatever you do, bug him!**

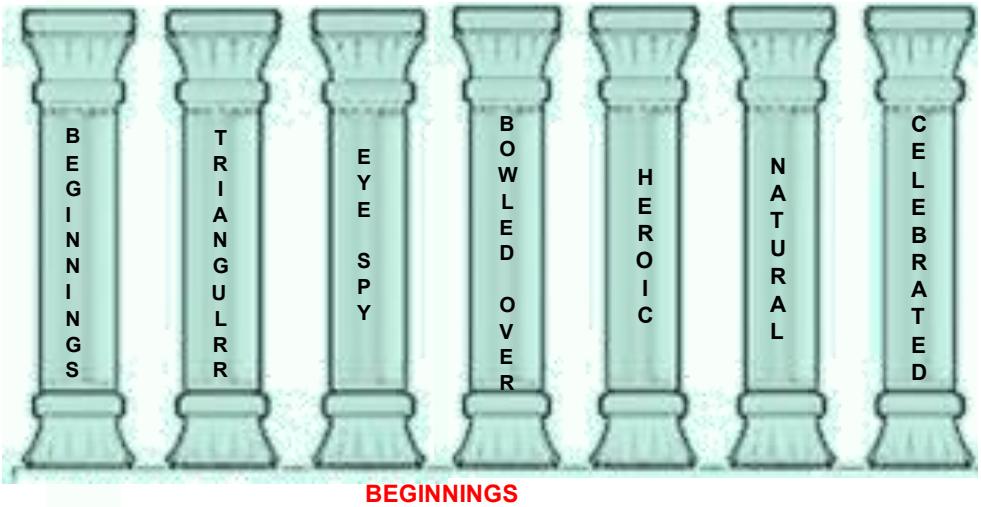
2. **FALSE – Nancy is notoriously the life and soul of the Directorial party and last year remained resiliently jolly even when her luggage was delayed for two days by Air Canada. Plus, they don't sing about "Nancy with the Laughing Face" for nothing!**

3. **SOOOOOO FALSE – please, please don't lapse into tardiness or you'll rapidly see the usual Sol disappear and transform completely into a raging storm which would rival that which wrecked the Sea Venture all those years ago** **(see Beginning on the next page)**

4. **BOTH TRUE AND FALSE – Jack is, indeed, Bermuda's only international Director, but his football affiliations lie with the other Superbowl finalists, the Seattle Seahawks. So, if you want a favourable ruling from this Director this week, don't, whatever you do, ask "Will you be Patriotic this Sunday?"**

5. **TRUE (obvs!) – as her name suggests, Melody aims to strike the right note in all her directorial dealings and she certainly is and always has been perfectly in tune with us here at the Bermuda Regional.**

7 UP – SEVEN PILLARS OF ESSENTIAL BERMUDIANA



BEGINNINGS

In 1609 (hence the name of one of the hotel's restaurants), the Sea Venture, on its way from the Motherland to the New World, was shipwrecked on these isles (Bermuda is made up of 181 small islands), which episode marked the beginning of settlement here. Shakespeare appreciated a good yarn when it came his way and wasted no time in immortalising this event in his last play, "The Tempest" (1610-1611), so many local place names reflect this connection – Prospero's Cave and Ariel Sands, for example.

In addition to these nods, the Bermuda Coat of Arms (see below) bears an image of the storm-tossed Sea Venture, with the motto "Quo Fata Ferunt" translated as "Where the winds take us", and Bermuda's National song is "This Island's Mine," words first uttered by Shakespeare's monstrous Caliban.

Bermudians today are still subject to such "On the Rocks" experiences but only in local bars, particularly (and appropriately in the 1609 bar.

Bermuda's National Coat of Arms is the only one in the world to bear the image of shipwreck.

TRIANGULAR

The fabled Bermuda Triangle is an area bordered by Bermuda, the east coast of the United States and Puerto Rico. Legend has it that, over the last two centuries, boats, ships and even aircraft have mysteriously vanished in this region, neither victims nor vessels ever found. One of the most famous of these incidents involved Flight 19, a group of five U.S. Navy Avenger torpedo bombers and a Navy seaplane sent to rescue them, which all unaccountably went missing in 1945. Popular culture attributes these disappearances to paranormal influences or to activity by extra-terrestrial beings.

Documented evidence, however, is much more sober and indicates that a significant number of these incidents were actually inaccurately reported in the first place or later embellished by sensation-seeking authors. What's more, numerous official agencies have asserted that the number and nature of disappearances in the region are similar, in any case, to those in any other area of ocean. Nevertheless, "strange things do happen at sea", and if all your brilliant play mysteriously vanishes this week, you can always blame it on the powerful pull of Bermuda's very own Twilight Zone.

I've packed my partner's bag and bought him an airline ticket – a return through the Triangle, in case he doesn't disappear on the outward journey.

EYE SPY

The name's Fleming – Ian Fleming

The connection between Bermuda and the world of espionage in the Second World War is well documented. During that time, this very hotel was transformed into a major counter-intelligence headquarters for the British, while American security bases were rapidly built elsewhere on the island to protect what Roosevelt called "the Western Hemisphere".

Naval Intelligence Officer, the author Ian Fleming, spent time in Bermuda during the war, while liaising with his colleague and friend, the Canadian William Stephenson (That Man Called "Intrepid" - hence the name of yet another hotel restaurant), who eventually retired and died here.

Fleming's creation, James Bond, was said to have been modelled on Stephenson whom the author called "the real thing" in the world of spies. In a nod to all things OO7, a giant fish-tank, prominently featured in "Dr No", was once located in the hotel lobby here, the sudden disappearance of which left many of us feeling not a little shaken AND stirred.

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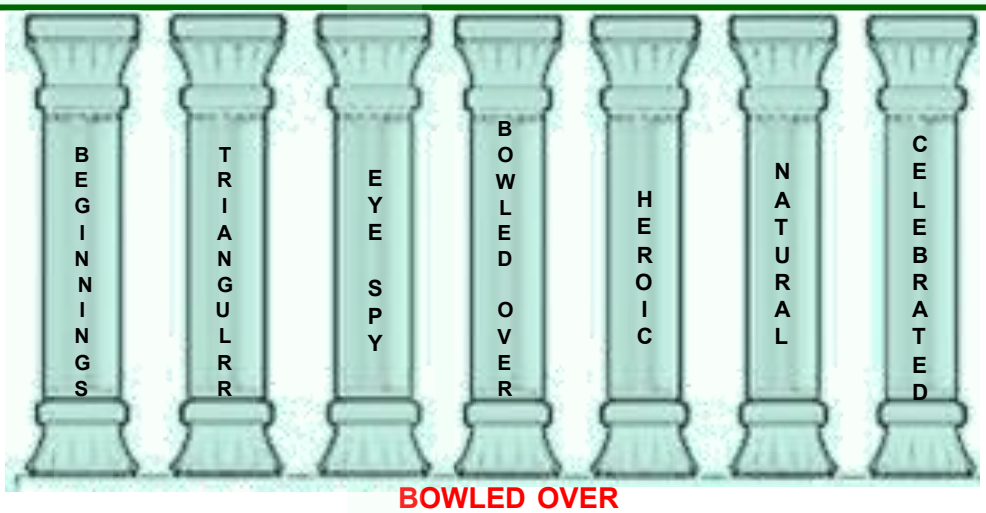


BOWLED OVER

The Bermuda Bowl competition was inaugurated in Bermuda in 1950 and featured teams from the USA, Great Britain and a combined Sweden/Iceland team; the trophy they fought for then remains to this day the Big Daddy of them all in Bridgeland.

A successful 50th anniversary of that first competition was held here in 2000, brilliantly orchestrated by Sheena Rayner, whom you might run into this week, and she might have some juicy stories to tell about that time if you ask her.

It was the competition of 1975, however, which was to become infamous because of the alleged Italian foot-tapping scandal between two Italian players and which Italy eventually won.

The Bermuda Bowl is obviously not on offer as a prize this week but, even so, you would be well advised to refrain from playing footsie with your partner under the table in case you get off on the wrong foot with someone (there are still people playing this week who officiated at that 1975 tournament), and your shuffling feet won't touch the ground if you are booted out of the game, those very feet first.

HEROIC

Bermuda can celebrate many heroes, past and present, but one from the archives who stands out for her resilience, courage and activism is Mary Prince who was born to an enslaved family in Bermuda and, after a life of brutality and abuse, including being beaten for marrying, was taken to England by her "owners" where she ran away and found freedom.

Barred from travel and thus from returning to her husband, Mary instead campaigned passionately against slavery, exemplifying and embodying to its fullest the abolisionist motto "Am I not a woman and a sister?". She became the first woman to present an anti-slavery petition to Parliament and the first black woman to write and publish in 1831 an autobiography, *"The History of Mary Prince: A West Indian Slave".* which became a key book for the anti-slavery movement in Britain, making people aware that, although the Slave Trade had been made illegal in 1807, the horrors of life on the plantations continued for many people. Mary Prince was formally recognised as a National Hero in Bermuda in 2012.

NATURAL

These islands have many stunning natural wonders to offer (see Bulletin 6 - "Trophy Trivia" for more) but here is one particular example which you might encounter this week and which showcases Nature doing its darnedest to dazzle.

Bermuda's famous pink sand is delicious beneath the toes and delightful to the eye, and is, rightly, one of its most sensational attractions. It is, however, caused, rather unappetizingly, when millions of tiny red sea creatures are crushed by the Atlantic Ocean and washed up on the shore.

So, if you take the Jitney one day to the Hotel's beach and are astonished by the stunning hue of the sand don't think that the exhausting late nights and liquid pick-me-ups are having their way with you because your eyes will not be lying in this particular case. On the other hand, if you should spot a pink elephant lounging on that pink sand.....well, lay off the Swizzles!

Hic! I'll never ever forget these rum swizzles!"

CELEBRATE

Largely because of its outstanding natural beauty and the unparalleled friendliness of its people, Bermuda has always attracted the great and the good. Mark Twain visited many times declaring it to be "Paradise"; Winston Churchill preferred to stay here a little longer than planned rather than collecting his Nobel Prize, sending his wife to Stockholm in his stead; JFK sustained road rash here after taking a tumble from his hired bike; the calendar and subsequent schedules suggest that the Clintons probably conceived their daughter Chelsea on these shores; John Lennon composed "Double Fantasy" while holidaying here; and Bob Hope broadcast a Christmas Special from here declaring Bermuda to be so British that it was even shaped like a stiff upper lip! (see below)

From Harpo to Oprah, they've all been here.

Bob Hope's Stiff Upper Lip

Goodness, what excellent company you all keep.

YESTERDAY'S BEST - PAST HANDS
by Robert Todd
From the Frying Pan into the Fire

Dealer: West
Vul: None

	♠ A98 ♥ AKJ73 ♦ 5 ♣ AQ82	
♠ KQJ4 ♥ Q96 ♦ AJT7 ♣ 95		♠ 76532 ♥ 85 ♦ K93 ♣ JT4
	♠ T ♥ T42 ♦ Q8642 ♣ K763	

NORTH	EAST	SOUTH	WEST
	P	P	1♦
X	P	2♣	P
2♥	2♠	3♥	3♠
4♥	4♠	P	P
X	All Pass		

Sometimes a competitive auction gets away from you.

Partner opens the bidding 1♦ and RHO decides to Double and bid Hearts. Having Passed as the Responder, I now decide to compete to 2♠. LHO raises Hearts and partner then raises to 3♠.
Annoyingly, RHO now bids 4♥. I realized that partner has about 13-14 HCP and I have 4 HCP. That means we have enough values that most people are not going to be bidding game. So this is not what is happening at most of the other tables.

But this is not good for us, partner's raise to 3♠ means we have a big Spade fit and most of our Spade honors are going to get ruffed. It also appears that we have a Diamond fit. That means the opponents are going to make 4♥. Passing and letting them make 4♥ is going to be a disaster…

So, I bid 4♠, hoping that it will be a good sacrifice. This almost Passed out without getting Doubled, but North finally doubles. I still had a chance to escae, but the opponents defended too well. They won the first two Hearts and cashed the ♣A, finding out their partner has the ♣K. So North shifted to their singleton Diamond. North then wins the ♠A and crosses to their partner's ♣K and gets a ruff – that is down 3 for minus 500.

Bidding 4♠ was not going to be a good board (unless I could get away undoubled) but letting them play 4♥ was going to be losing bridge. So, we tried to escape with a decent board and left with a Zero!

A VALUABLE ENTRY
by the Jack in the Regional's Pack Rhind

Both sides are vulnerable.

	♠ 763 ♥ 9542 ♦ AT4 ♣ 984	
♠ T2 ♥ Q63 ♦ J76 ♣ KQJ63		♠ K985 ♥ K87 ♦ 953 ♣ T72
	♠ AQJ4 ♥ AJT ♦ KQ82 ♣ A5	

West	North	East	South
			2NT [1]
Pass	3NT	All Pass	

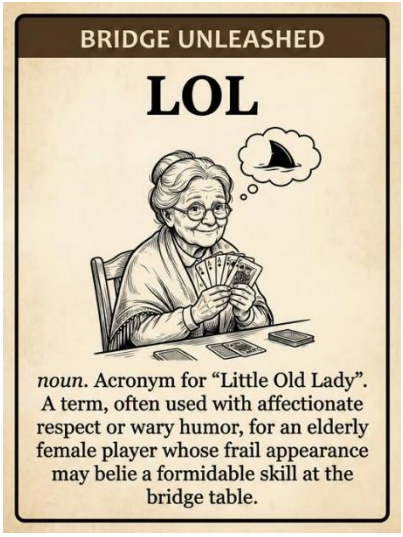
[1] 20-21 points.

West led the king of clubs, asking for a count signal from East. Declarer played low from hand at trick one but had to win the continuation of the queen of clubs, as East signaled that he had begun with an odd number of cards in the suit.

After winning the ace of clubs at trick two, declarer concluded that clubs were 5-3. So, barring a blockage in that suit, he could not afford to lose the lead. As he had only five sure winners besides the ace of clubs, his best hope was that East had the king of spades. In that case he could make three tricks in spades if he had two entries to dummy for finesses in the suit. On that premise, he would be home if he could take four diamond tricks too.

The only suit that could provide entries to dummy was diamonds. However, the only sure entry in the suit was the ace of diamonds. Since he needed two entries to dummy, declarer cashed the king of diamonds and then led a low diamond toward dummy. When West followed with a second low diamond declarer called for dummy's ten of diamonds, which won the trick.

Declarer continued with a low spade from dummy to his jack. When that held, he crossed back to dummy with a low diamond to the ace to lead a second spade toward his hand. After East followed with a small spade declarer played the queen of spades from hand. Once that held he claimed nine tricks: three spades, a heart, four diamonds and a club.



YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

SUN MORN SIDE GAME
14.0 Tables

	A	B	C		
4.55	1			Frank Starzomski, Sydney NS; Jane MacDonald, New Waterford NS	65.71%
3.41	2			Patricia Morrison - Goldie Trager, Halifax NS	62.34%
2.56	3			Richard Palmer, Fountain Hills AZ; Ruth Weston, Marshfield MA	60.42%
1.92	4			la McLeod - Jenny Widmer, Charlotte NC	60.10%
3.50	5	1		John F W Glynn, Bermuda; Susan Chapman, Montgomery AL	59.29%
1.96	6			Elizabeth McKee, Devonshire Bermuda; Molly Taussig, Warwick Bermuda	57.21%
2.63		2	1	Molly Roraback - Charles Roraback, Litchfield CT	54.49%
1.97		3		Mary Lyons Scott, Hanover NH; Nancy Fleming, Exeter NH	52.56%
1.48		4		Dragan Basta, Toronto ON; Zeljko Sokolovic, Oakville ON	52.08%
1.11		5		Jane Palmer, Ottawa ON; Anna Yates, Venice FL	50.80%
1.75		6/7	2	Arman Tookmanian, Budd Lake NJ; Joy Scally, Essex Fells NJ	50.32%
0.78		6/7		Lorna Anderson, Saint George Bermuda; Heather Woolf, Paget Bermuda	50.32%
1.31			3	Charlotte Cannon, Steamboat Spgs CO; Suze Jones, Atlanta GA	49.52%
0.98			4	Carol Pastushok, Princeton NJ; Barbara Burian, Fairfield CT	48.56%

SUN MORN SIDE GAME 1ST OF 3 SESSION

SECTION F NORTH-SOUTH

A	B	C		
1			Frank Starzomski, Sydney NS; Jane MacDonald, New Waterford NS	65.71%
2			Elizabeth McKee, Devonshire Bermuda; Molly Taussig, Warwick Bermuda	57.21%
3			June Bunn, Ft Walton Beach FL; Jo Watford, Niceville FL	55.77%
4	1	1	Molly Roraback - Charles Roraback, Litchfield CT	54.49%
5			Jeff Hand - Deborah Tormey, New York NY	53.85%
6	2		Dragan Basta, Toronto ON; Zeljko Sokolovic, Oakville ON	52.08%
	3		Jane Palmer, Ottawa ON; Anna Yates, Venice FL	50.80%
		2	Karen Phillips - Susan Mathews, Alexander City AL	46.15%

SECTION F EAST-WEST

A	B	C		
1			Patricia Morrison - Goldie Trager, Halifax NS	62.34%
2			Richard Palmer, Fountain Hills AZ; Ruth Weston, Marshfield MA	60.42%
3			la McLeod - Jenny Widmer, Charlotte NC	60.10%
4	1		John F W Glynn, Bermuda; Susan Chapman, Montgomery AL	59.29%
5	2		Mary Lyons Scott, Hanover NH; Nancy Fleming, Exeter NH	52.56%
6/7	3/4	1	Arman Tookmanian, Budd Lake NJ; Joy Scally, Essex Fells NJ	50.32%
6/7	3/4		Lorna Anderson, Saint George Bermuda; Heather Woolf, Paget Bermuda	50.32%
		2	Charlotte Cannon, Steamboat Spgs CO; Suze Jones, Atlanta GA	49.52%

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

SUN AFT SIDE PAIRS
17.0 Tables

	A	B	C		
5.12	1	1		Jerry Woodard, Wilson NC; Joe Exum, Kinston NC	60.69%
3.84	2			Frank Starzomski, Sydney NS; Jane MacDonald, New Waterford NS	59.54%
2.89	3	2		Sara Gage, Sag Harbor NY; Stephen Pescatore, Revere MA	58.62%
2.16	4			Ruth Weston, Marshfield MA; Richard Palmer, Fountain Hills AZ	58.47%
1.62	5			Patricia Morrison - Goldie Trager, Halifax NS	56.66%
2.48	6	3	1	Kathy Alfonzetti, New York NY; Angelika Algava, Delray Beach FL	56.39%
1.62		4		Bari Boyer, Edgartown MA; Beatrice Phear, West Tisbury MA	55.24%
1.22		5		Lorna Anderson, Saint George Bermuda; Heather Woolf, Paget Bermuda	54.05%
1.86		6	2	Peter Bonk - Heather Overland Bonk, Toronto ON	53.99%
1.40			3	Lonnie Kepley - Gail Kepley, Naperville IL	51.52%
1.47			4	Carol Pastushok, Princeton NJ; Barbara Burian, Fairfield CT	50.21%
0.78			5	Patricia Melton - Judy Ranson, Charlotte NC	49.75%

SUN AFT 199ER PAIRS
6.5 Tables

	A	B	C		
2.11	1			Diane Drake, Edgartown MA; Lolly Hand, Vineyard Haven MA	68.10%
1.75	2	1	1	Keri McKittrick, Hamilton Parish Bermuda; Tim McKittrick, Smiths Parish Bermuda	60.00%
1.19	3			Donna Ouchterlony - David Ouchterlony, Toronto ON	56.11%
1.31	4	2	2	Joshimar Hussey - Julia Tadman, Hamilton Bermuda	55.55%
0.74	5			Veronica Boyce, Hamilton Bermuda; Carol Eastham, Southampton Bermuda	54.76%
0.98		3		Tracey Pitt, Paget Bermuda; David Leach, Hamilton Bermuda	50.48%
0.74		4		Beth Bjarnason, Mississauga ON; Henny Westra, Chatham ON	49.05%

RESTAURANT REMINDER

For people arriving today,
welcome and
please see Bulletins 1 and 2 for useful information regarding food and drink options in and around the hotel.

And bon appétit wherever you eat!

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

SUN AFT SIDE PAIRS 2 OF 3 SESSION

SECTION E NORTH-SOUTH

A	B	C		
1	1		Jerry Woodard, Wilson NC; Joe Exum, Kinston NC	60.69%
2	2	1	Carol Pastushok, Princeton NJ; Barbara Burian, Fairfield CT	50.21%
3	3	2	Joyce Pearson, Southampton Bermuda; Wenda Krupp, Devonshire Bermuda	48.77%

SECTION E EAST-WEST

A	B	C		
1	1		Sara Gage, Sag Harbor NY; Stephen Pescatore, Revere MA	58.62%
2			Patricia Morrison - Goldie Trager, Halifax NS	56.66%
3	2		Lorna Anderson, Saint George Bermuda; Heather Woolf, Paget Bermuda	54.05%
		1	Lonnie Kepley - Gail Kepley, Naperville IL	51.52%

SECTION F NORTH-SOUTH

A	B	C		
1			Frank Starzomski, Sydney NS; Jane MacDonald, New Waterford NS	59.54%
2			Ruth Weston, Marshfield MA; Richard Palmer, Fountain Hills AZ	58.47%
3	1		Bari Boyer, Edgartown MA; Beatrice Phear, West Tisbury MA	55.24%
4	2	1	Peter Bonk - Heather Overland Bonk, Toronto ON	53.99%
		2	Patricia Melton - Judy Ranson, Charlotte NC	49.75%

SECTION F EAST-WEST

A	B	C		
1	1	1	Kathy Alfonzetti, New York NY; Angelika Algava, Delray Beach FL	56.39%
2	2	2	Adrian Morrison - Morris Trager, Halifax NS	53.79%
3			Elizabeth Carlson, Summit NJ; Katherine Smith, New Providence NJ	52.99%
4			Robert Todd, Tallahassee FL; Jeannie Exum, Kinston NC	50.69%

SUN AFT 199ER PAIRS

SECTION J NORTH-SOUTH

A	B	C		
1	1	1	Keri McKittrick, Hamilton Parish Bermuda; Tim McKittrick, Smiths Parish Bermuda	60.00%
2			Donna Ouchterlony - David Ouchterlony, Toronto ON	56.11%
3	2	2	Joshimar Hussey - Julia Tadman, Hamilton Bermuda	55.55%

SECTION J EAST-WEST

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1			Diane Drake, Edgartown MA; Lolly Hand, Vineyard Haven MA	68.10%
2			Veronica Boyce, Hamilton Bermuda; Carol Eastham, Southampton Bermuda	54.76%
3	1		Tracey Pitt, Paget Bermuda; David Leach, Hamilton Bermuda	50.48%

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

PEMBROKE SIDE SERIES
24.75 Tables / Based on 16 Tables

8.39	1/2	Jane MacDonald, New Waterford NS	125.25%
8.39	1/2	Frank Starzomski, Sydney NS	125.25%
5.03	3/4	Patricia Morrison, Halifax NS	119.00%
5.03	3/4	Goldie Trager, Halifax NS	119.00%
4.72	5/6	Ruth Weston, Marshfield MA	118.89%
4.72	5/6	Richard Palmer, Fountain Hills AZ	118.89%
5.27	7/8	Heather Overland Bonk, Toronto ON	118.28%
5.27	7/8	Peter Bonk, Toronto ON	118.28%

SUN EVE SIDE PAIRS
8.0 Tables

	A	B	C		
3.41	1	1		Peter Bonk - Heather Overland Bonk, Toronto ON	64.29%
2.56	2	2	1	Gail Kepley - Lonnie Kepley, Naperville IL	61.31%
1.92	3	3	2	Erika Jones, Southampton Bermuda; Tim Mardon, Studio Lane F Bermuda	54.76%
1.44	4	4	3	Kathy Alfonzetti, New York NY; Angelika Algava, Delray Beach FL	54.46%
1.08	5	5		Dragan Basta, Toronto ON; Zeljko Sokolovic, Oakville ON	54.17%
0.83			4	Barbara Bogumill, Saute Nacoche GA; Ken Willis, Avondale Estate GA	51.79%

SUN EVE SIDE PAIRS
8 Tables

SECTION E NORTH-SOUTH

A	B	C		
1	1	1	Gail Kepley - Lonnie Kepley, Naperville IL	61.31%
2	2	2	Erika Jones, Southampton Bermuda; Tim Mardon, Studio Lane F Bermuda	54.76%
3	3		Kathy Alfonzetti, New York NY; Angelika Algava, Delray Beach FL	54.46%

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A	B	C		
1	1		Peter Bonk - Heather Overland Bonk, Toronto ON	64.29%
2	2		Elizabeth Carlson, Summit NJ; Katherine Smith, New Providence NJ	52.98%
3	3	1	Joshimar Hussey - Julia Tadman, Hamilton Bermuda	51.19%
		2/3	Richard Bruton, Southampton Bermuda; Christopher van Rooyen, Pembroke Bermuda	47.92%
		2/3	Robert Mulderig - James Mulderig, Bermuda	47.92%

SUNDAY BRK TEAMS-1
9 Tables

17.54	1	Barbara McLendon - Radu Nistor - Raluca Nistor, New York NY; Iulian Rotaru, Sunnyside NY	100.00
13.16	2	Gail Greenberg - Jeff Hand, New York NY; Hope Furth, White Plains NY; Susan Sekulow, Rye NY	73.00
9.87	3	Rachael Gosling - John F W Glynn - Jane Smith, Bermuda; Gertrude Barker, Warwick Bermuda	71.00
7.40	4	Bill Souster, Newport Gwent United Kingdom; David Cordon, Warwick Bermuda; Brenda Fortunate, Grand Blanc MI; Judith Bussell, Devonshire Bermuda	61.00

SUNDAY BRK TEAMS-2
10 Tables

7.66	1	Howard Berman - Carole Berman, Boca Raton FL; Michelle Segal - Pauline Sachon, England	95.00
5.75	2	Katrina van Pelt, Stgeorge Parish Bermuda; Jane Clipper, Hamilton Parish Bermuda; Carol Jones, Bermuda; Kathleen Keane, Warwick Bermuda	72.00
4.31	3	Tracy Nash, Sn02 Bermuda; Martha Ferguson - Judy King, Bermuda; Desmond Nash, Sn 02 Bermuda	64.00
3.23	4	Claude Guay - Sharon Shanahan, Hamilton Bermuda; Betsy Baillie, Warwick Bermuda; Lisa Ferrari, Smiths Fl08 Bermuda	63.00

ON THE CARDS FROM THE ON THE CASERS

JOIN HOT TODDY TODAY AT 12:30 P.M.

Make plans to eat lunch today at 12:30 p.m.
with Hot Toddy in the Trudeau Room
as he discourses on
Modern Pre-Emptive Openings.
Robert Todd is a Bermuda Regional Fave
so you won't want to miss this
chance to fully drink him in.

DESK ORGANISER

ALL COMMITTEE DESKS
are located in the Harbourview Ballroom and
are available to you daily
before each game session.
Please note especially that
The Prizes and Section Tops Desk
opens TODAY

END OF REGIONAL PARTY

You MUST sign up for this event at the
HOSPITALITY DESK,
or by using the QR Code on the front page.
BY TOMORROW
or risk missing a fine do.
Organize a table of 8 – 10 party animals yourselves
or take potluck and have the
On the Casers do the job for you.
Please make any special dietary needs known
at time of booking/paying for this shindig.

Tickets may be purchased
from the Hospitality Desk at any time during the week
with cash or as a charge to your room.

MISSED YOUR PHOTO OP?

Don't despair!
Never one to be napping
when she should be snapping,
the Ed is available for
catch-up photos of winners,
or for photos of those who achieve
other milestones, bridge or otherwise,
AT MOST TIMES EVERY DAY.

She can be found loitering outside
the Playing Area or anywhere else in the hotel

Come and get recorded for posterity then;
OR
if you know someone who's handy with
a camera phone,
have that person take a photo and e-mail it to
janetev50@hotmail.co.uk
with details of your stellar achievement.

THE FABULOUS REGIONAL DRAW

If delicious food, complimentary cocktails and
daring dancing aren't enough to make Friday
night's party spectacular,
the On the Casers have also
added a chance for you to win
(amongst other prizes)
a night at the HP, courtesy of the - er – HP)
or a return flight courtesy of BermudAir.

So, what you're saying is that you simply CANNOT take
me to that Party on Friday night!

ON THE CARDS FROM THE ON THE CASERS

TODAY'S PROGRAMME - MONDAY, February 2nd

9:30 a.m.
Swiss Teams 1 (Session 2 of 2)
(finishes this morning)
Open Side Game – Paget Series (Game 1 of 3)
(continues this afternoon)
199er Game (0-199 points)

12:30 p.m.
Hot Toddy
Modern Pre-Emptive Openings

2:00 p.m.
The Championship Bracketed KO Teams
(Session 1 of 4)
(*continues to Thursday afternoon*)
Open Side Game – Paget Series (Game 2 of 3)
(continues this evening)
199er Game (0-199 points)

4:45 p.m.
Tea in Trudeau

7:45 p.m.
The Championship Stratiflighted Pairs 1
AX/BC (Session 1 of 2*)*
(*finishes tomorrow evening*)
The Bermuda Gold Pairs 1 - 0-750 points (Session 1 of 2)
(finishes tomorrow evening)
Open Side Game – Paget Series (Game 3 of 3)
(New Open Side Game Series begins tomorrow)
199er Game (0-199 points)

Senior Trophy Events in Bold

TOMORROW'S PROGRAMME - TUESDAY, February 3rd

9:30 a.m.
Stratiflighted Pairs AXB/CD (Session 1 of 2)
(continues this afternoon)
Open Side Game – Warwick Series (Game 1 of 3*)*
(continues this afternoon)
199er Game (0-199 points)

12:30 p.m.
DIRECTOR!
Come and ask Director Melody Euler anything about the art of directing

2:00 p.m.
The Championship Bracketed KO Teams
(Session 2 of 4)
(*continues to Thursday afternoon*)
Stratiflighted Pairs AXB/CD (Session 2 of 2)
Open Side Game – Warwick Series (Game 2 of 3*)*
(continues this evening)
199er Game (0-199 points)

4:45 p.m.
Tea in Trudeau:

7:45 p.m.
The Championship Stratiflighted Pairs 1
AX/BC (Session 2 of 2)
The Bermuda Gold Pairs 1 - 0-750 points
(Session 2 of 2)
Open Side Game – Warwick Series (Game 3 of 3)
(New Open Game Series begins tomorrow)
199er Game (0-199 points)

Senior Trophy Events in Bold

NEXT YEAR'S BERMUDA REGIONAL DATES HAVE BEEN SET FOR

SATURDAY, JANUARY 23RD
to
FRIDAY, JANUARY 29TH

HOPE TO SEE YOU HERE AND THEN!

The Bermuda REGIONAL

THE HASTY TASTY EXPRESS LUNCH SPECIAL TOMORROW'S MENU

For maximum speed between games, pre-order a soup and sandwich special combo.
MUST BE ORDERED A DAY IN ADVANCE
Pick up order form from the Hospitality Desk; paid for as a charge to your room.
Non-residents may pay with cash or card.
All prices inclusive of grats

Soup Only	$12.50
Sandwich Only	$13.50
Soup and Half Sandwich Combo	$17
Soup and Full Sandwich Combo	$21

TUESDAY'S MENU
Roasted Pumpkin Soup OR
Tomato Bisque

Egg Salad Sandwich OR
Tuna Salad Sandwich
Gluten-free options are available – just indicate at sign-up.
Pick-up OUTSIDE THE PLAYING ROOM from 12:15 p.m.

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