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Reminder: be sure to mark your calendar for our *Summer Sectional*, August 1-3 at Marina Village, and note that it runs <u>Thursday through Saturday</u> this year, followed by our usual unit game on Sunday the 4th. The tournament flyer can be downloaded here.

Winners at the May 19 unit game were the pairs of Busby-Chaffee, Cooper-Feldman, and Moore-Flaherty (1, 2, and 3 respectively). On June 2 the winners in the open game were Madison-Gilliam followed by Abelow-Shapley and Ron and Mary Huffaker in 2nd and 3rd. In the 1499er pairs game the winners were Basson-Kvashny followed by Anderson-Quackenbush and Weir-Mottola.

We're pleased to announce that some of our members reached new plateaus in their masterpoint holdings. Dilip Chokshi, Bob Parker, Cindy Thomas and Ken Worthington are new Junior Masters. Reaching the Club Master level were Hal and Vickie Butler and Y.S. Sootkos. Other awardees were Sam San-Wong (Sectional Master); Anisuz Zaman (Regional Master); Leslee Leven (NABC Master); Pam Nuccio (Advanced NABC Master); Pat Sullivan (Bronze Life Master); and Don Thomas and Marian Zeldin (Silver and Ruby Life Masters, respectively.)

We post all game results on <u>BridgeResults.net</u>. To receive notifications when your results are published, go to <u>http://www.bridgeresults.net/login.cgi</u> and register your email address.

San Diego Club News:

Adventures in Bridge (www.adventuresinbridge.com) is now located at 9025 Balboa Avenue in Clairemont. There are classes and various games, including one Friday evening and two on Saturday (a 1999er game at 9:30am and an open barometer game at 1pm). Game results are posted on the website. Check there for a description of all the available games and any schedule changes. Space is limited, so please RSVP to wirt@adventuresinbridge.com or (619) 328-1207.



Adventures in Bridge, 9025 Balboa Ave.

Redwood Bridge Club (www.redwoodbridgeclub.org) and San Diego Bridge Academy (www.sandiegobridgeacademy.com) are located on the west side of Balboa Park. Come visit their newly renovated facility at 3111 6th Avenue. At press time the new schedule was uncertain, so check out the websites for details on upcoming classes, descriptions of the games, and daily results.



Redwood Bridge Club, 3111 6th Ave.

San Diego Bridge Club (www.sandiegobridgeclub.com), in response to numerous requests, has added a 999er Pairs game in addition to their usual Open Pairs game on Tuesdays at the Columbus Club, 4425 Home Avenue. On Thursdays and Fridays the club holds pairs games at the Normal Heights Masonic Center, 3366 Adams Avenue (pictured below). Starting in July they will offer a Swiss Team game (Open and 1499er) once a month. The July team game will be Tuesday the 9th at the Home Avenue site. The team game and the pairs games that week will be STAC games with silver points awarded. All games begin at 10:30 a.m. and include a light lunch. Check the website or call (619) 847-3001 for details.



San Diego Bridge Club, 3366 Adams Avenue site

Winning pairs in April's SDBC games were Kathee and George Bessinger, Chaganlal-Ciolli (twice), Chaganlal-Block, Reiss-Beckerman, Madison-Gilliam, Poplawsky-Allen, Cotton-Busby (twice), Allen-Darin, Cotton-House, Dunham-Mahdavi, Kirchhoff-Roeder, Johnsen-Mahdavi, Burke-Mentor, House-Wright, Ng-Pottenger, and Pottenger-Sachs. Congratulations!

21st Century Bridge Club has happily resumed its regular Thursday evening (6:30 p.m.) games at the Redwood Bridge Club facility. If you need a partner or would like information on this sanctioned game, please call Beverly Stebbins at 619-463-0927.