

OCTOBER 2026 NEWSLETTER

CHARLOTTE SECTIONAL – and hosting the District 7 Finals of the North American Pairs was very successful! A **HUGE** thank you to chairpersons Greg LeBlanc and Cathy Miller with much help from hubbie Craig Miller and Sue Peck!! Also, there were MANY, MANY volunteers who worked extremely hard many, many hours/days. These folks greeted our guests, made sure snax and drinks were always available, Served lunches and cleaned up after them. AND to many of our members who brought tasty treats/ and desserts. Thanks also to Tom Snyder and Len Case for assisting our directors in several needs. AND to ALL who attended and played in all the different events!!

CHARLOTTE REGIONAL – Mark your calendars – October 26 – Nov 1 – being held at the Hilton Charlotte University Place. Great opportunity for GOLD points!!! (and red). Prizes/Lectures/Goodwill Day. Greg LeBlanc – gniblnc105@gmail.com – and Gainor Eisenlohr gainore@aol.com - co-chairs and Steve Hamburg, partnerships - cbatourney@gmail.com .

NEW PLATEAUS –

Junior Masters – Lynne Strauss, Ibby Page, Leslie Choka

Sectional Master – Jean McNeal

Regional Masters – Sidney Perkinson, Laura Miralia, Kim Kotz

NABC Master – Steven Aycock **LIFE MASTER** – Catherine Cotsakis

Bronze Life Masters – Robert Slusser, Linda Maloney

Silver Life Master – Patsy Reames Ruby Life Master – Sharyn Brunk

MEMBERSHIP NEWS - Rich Welc is home from the hospital - recovering after having an aortic Value replacement and is doing well. Wishing him a speedy recovery.

Bob Fogle has been suffering for the past month(s). In and out of hospital with two surgeries and now a BIG one! He will have 3 days of tests (Sept 28) and prep for heart surgery Oct 1. Then kept at hospital another week prior to discharge and a few weeks of recovery. He would really appreciate you keeping him in your thoughts and prayers!!! Bob has truly missed the Bridge club – AND likewise – we have been missing him and his partner!!

LIBRARY NEWS – Ted Jarrell has placed the following book in its library in memory of his friend, Mark Ominsky - Test Your Bridge Analysis Against the Experts by Danny Roth.

SAVE THE DATE:

Royal STaC Week – Dec. 7 – Dec. 12. Gold/Red/Silver/Black points!

