

2017 QUALICUM/PARKSVILLE SECTIONAL

Friday, May 5, Saturday, May 6 & Sunday, May 7



Qualicum Beach Civic Centre
 747 Jones St., Qualicum Beach, BC V9K 1S7
 (Inland Highway #19, exit 60, left at first stoplight)



<u>Accommodations</u>	<u>Schedule of Events</u>	
(Ask for these special bridge rates)		
Casa Grande Inn - \$120 www.casagrandeinn.com 1 (888) 720-2272	Friday 12:30 pm*	Stratified Open Pairs (1 st Session)
	6:00 pm	Stratified Open Pairs (1 st Session)
Qualicum Beach Inn - \$175 www.info@qualicumbeachinn.com 1 (800) 661-0199	Sat. 12:30 pm*	Stratified Open Pairs (1 st Session)
	6:00 pm	Stratified Open Pairs (2 nd Session)
Crown Mansion - \$159/179 www.CrownMansion.com 1 (800) 378-6811	(Single session players will be accommodated on Sat) * Recently changed start times for the Fri. & Sat. sessions.	
Shorewater Resort - \$104/114 www.shorewaterresort.com 1 (888) 450-3811	Sunday 9:30 am	Stratified Swiss Teams (1 st Session)
	TBA	Stratified Swiss Teams (2 nd session)
	Stratification	
	A = 750+	B = 200 – 750 C = 0 – 200
Director in Charge Matt Smith	Stratifications based on average of pair/team	
Information Contacts		
Rod Anderson, Chairperson rjkdand@shaw.ca (250) 738-0118	Janet Woolgar, Partnership woolgarjanet@gmail.com (250) 248-0459	

Note: Entry fees are \$8.50 per person per stratified pairs' session. Stratified Swiss Team entry fees are \$108/team which includes both team sessions & lunch. Novice Players (0-20) are FREE at the Friday afternoon session. Unpaid or non-ACBL members will pay an extra \$3.00/person/session over the quoted rates.

Qualicum Beach's Fire & Ice Street Festival

Qualicum Beach's Fire & Ice event is scheduled for Sat., May 6 from 11am to 3pm. Chili (fire) is served beginning at 11am. Ice carvers from across Western Canada & the USA will be located throughout the town competing for cash prizes while turning large blocks of ice into spectacular sculptures as spectators watch.

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Unit 429

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Welcome new members!

Donna Hickey Duncan
 Bruce Russell Courtenay
 Jack Zhang Nanaimo

Welcome Back Reinstated members

Shirley Miller Nanaimo
 Julie Tuepah Courtenay

Welcome Transfers into the Unit

Nancy Barlett Errington
 Brian Good Nanaimo
 Helen Good Nanaimo
 Shirley Miller Nanaimo

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John Godfrey

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3♣ - weak suit, 5 to a bad 7 HCP

3♦ - good suit, minimum strength

3♥ - weak suit, good 7, to a bad 10 HCP

Campbell River Sectional Results

FRIDAY AFTERNOON STRATIFIED PAIRS

A	B	C	Names
1			Pete Marinus, Derek Ward,
2			Gail Fennell - David Harper,
3			Virginia Youens - Kirk Homis,
4			Janet Collie, Janet Woolgar,
5			Ernie Tradewell - Daniel Lyder,
6			Barbara Schultz, Chris Cookson,
7/8			Tim Kennelly, Barrie Turnham,
7/8			Debbie Wastle, Katie Christie,
	1		Paul Reitsma - Roger Taylor,
	2	1	Tom Dugdale, Jeanette Baron,
	3	2	Lois Grill - Francis Grill,
	4	3	Joy Tangen - April Andrews,
	5		Grace Schmidt - J.Macnaughton,
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Top Unit 429 point winners

26.50	Pete Marinus,	
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7.80	Marylynn Ghitler,	
7.80	Al Stacey,	Pat Anderson - Ken
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7.07	Roger Lucas,	
7.06	Denise Holst,	
7.06	Art Morgan,	
6.86	Tim Kennelly,	
6.86	Maureen Olafson,	
6.30	Joan Boase,	
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5.57	Charles Hodson,	
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4.75	Arlene Petersen,	
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4.64	April Andrews,	
4.58	Howard Cohen,	
4.44	Tom Dugdale,	
4.44	Jeanette Baron,	
4.18	Wally Uyeyama,	
4.18	Vic Vlaj,	
3.92	Lysbeth McCrone,	
3.92	Barbara Morris,	
3.83	David Mosher,	
3.56	Ross Braybrook,	

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43 high card points; good 5 card major; 2nd suit for rebid; unbalanced hand.

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Helen Shanbrom Ace of Clubs Standings

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0 to 5 Ace of Clubs Masterpoint Race

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John Schuller	Parksville	12.31
Werner Dolling	Port Alberni	10.01
Lois P Westbrook	Campbell River	9.10
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5 to 20 Ace of Clubs Masterpoint Race

Darlene L Carolsfeld	Nanaimo	14.44
Edie Wilcox	Campbell River	11.35
Daphne G McMullan	Nanaimo	8.61
Diane E Young	Palm Desert CA	8.25
David Kinloch	Shawnigan Lake	7.92

20 to 50 Ace of Clubs Masterpoint Race

Neville V Sankey	Qualicum Beach	37.58
Jeanne E Wallace	Parksville	30.50
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Barbara Galick	Nanoose Bay	20.55
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50 to 100 Ace of Clubs Masterpoint Race

Betty A Bonsor	Powell River	36.57
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Jacqueline R Fennellow	Parksville	24.81
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100 to 200 Ace of Clubs Masterpoint Race

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200 to 300 Ace of Clubs Masterpoint Race

Lorna D Tinney	Parksville	91.90
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Jane E Wagner	Nanaimo	47.03
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300 to 500 Ace of Clubs Masterpoint Race

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Rod J Anderson	Qualicum Beach	73.99
Vic Vlaj	Campbell River	65.64
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500 to 1000 Ace of Clubs Masterpoint Race

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Wednesday 1:00 PM

Thursday 6:30 PM.

Campbell River Community Center

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Partner presumably has 6+ hearts, we are only borderline slam, but requires not much from partner other than

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Duncan Duplicate Bridge Club

Monday 1:00
 (instructional game 200 MP limit)
 Monday 7:15
 Wednesday 1:00
 Friday 1:00
 Vince King
 (250) 597-4770



Powell River Bridge Club

Alano Club 5856 Arbutus Avenue

Games
 Monday 9:30 AM
 Tuesday 7:00 PM
 Thursday 2:00 PM
 Website :- www.prdbc.ca

Masterpoint Milestones.

New Club Masters
 Keith Ware Comox
 New Regional Masters
 Barbara Coy Nanaimo
 New NABC Masters
 Rose Lucas Campbell River
 New Advanced NABC Masters
 Denise Holst Courtenay
 Lorna Tinney Parksville
 New Ruby Life Masters
 Marianne Daem Nanaimo

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PLAY THE PLAYERS

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 ♣A 8 5 2
 ♠10 7 ♠J 6 4 3
 ♥Q 8 4 ♥K 10 7 3
 ♦K Q 10 9 8 7 3 ♦10 4 2
 ♣6 ♣ 7
 ♠A Q 5
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 ♦5
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Courtenay / Comox Duplicate Bridge



Every Monday at 7:00 pm
 Every Thursday at 1:00 pm
 Team Game - 5th Monday of the month



At the Lion's Den in Comox under the Library
 (Across from the Comox Mall - Nordon Street Entrance)

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Did You Know?

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♠A 5 ♥9 7 ♦9 6 ♣8

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CLUB DIRECTORY

CITY	DAY	TIME	LOCATION	CONTACT
Powell River	Monday	9:30am	Alano Club 5856 Arbutus Avenue	Vivian Thickett
604 485 4430	Qualicum	Monday	1:00pm	Royal Canadian Legion
Wayne Sollitt	(250) 752-7357	Duncan	Monday	
1:00pm	2035 Herd Road, Duncan BC	Instructional game 200 MP limit	Barb Schultz	(250) 743-2705
Comox	Monday	7:00pm	Lions Den	www.cvdbc.com
Dave Mosher	(250) 334-1818	Gabriola Island	Monday	6:30pm
Rollo Senior Citizen's Centre	Gabriola Island	Anne Drozd	(250)247-7526	Nanaimo
Monday	7:00pm	Royal Canadian Legion	1630 East Wellington Rd	Bill Voth (250) 618-2645
Duncan	Monday		7:15pm	2035 Herd Road, Duncan BC
Barb Schultz	(250) 743-2705	Parksville	Tuesday	1:00pm
Bill Voth (250) 618-2645	Powell River	Thursday	2:00pm	Alano Club 5856 Arbutus Avenue
Royal Canadian Legion 180 Veterans Way, Qualicum	Dawn Campbell	250-468-9236	Powell River	Tuesday
7:00pm	Alano Club 5856 Arbutus Avenue	Vivian Thickett	604-485-4430	Oceanside
Wednesday	12:30	Anglican Church	Wembly & Church Streets Parksville	Grant Bell
250-954-1067	Campbell River	Wednesday	1:00pm	Community Center 11th Ave
www.campbellriverbridgclub.com	John Godfrey 250-923-5687	Nanaimo	Wednesday	7:00pm
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