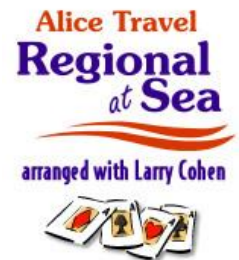




ACBL REGIONAL AT SEA WITH ROBERT TODD



Daily Bulletin

Wednesday, December 11th

Results in the bulletin include the previous morning and afternoon games. Evening game results will be published with a delay of one day (i.e. Monday evening will be in Wednesday's bulletin).

Monday Evening Side Game

5.0 Tables

mps	A	B	C		
2.28	1	1		Fran Smith, Estero FL; June Stoiber, Put-In-Bay OH	66.88%
1.71	2			Veronica Peacock, Vancouver BC; Russell Delaney, Sarasota FL	61.88%
1.28	3			Sherry Spalding Fardie, Port Orange FL; Howard Miller, Virginia Beach VA	61.25%
1.73	4/5	2/3	1/2	Annalisa Ebanks - Bruce Ebanks, Louisville KY	48.75%
1.73	4/5	2/3	1/2	Tom Rodilosso - Patricia Rodilosso, Naples FL	48.75%

Monday-Tuesday Saints (AM) Open Pairs Finals

6.0 Tables / Based on 15 Tables

mps	A	B	C		
9.80	1			Sherry Fardie, Port Orange FL; Howard Miller, Virginia Beach VA	65.99%
7.35	2	1	1	Carmina Diaz, Fort Mill SC; Alan Godes, Needham MA	58.68%
5.51	3	2	2	Michael Berkowitz, Brooklyn NY; Larry Yarger, West Point NE	58.03%
4.13	4	3		Jonathan Williams – Marilyn Williams, The Villages FL	54.08%

Monday-Tuesday Saints (AM) Gold Rush Pairs Finals

7.0 Tables

mps	D	E	F		
3.12	1	1		Elaine McDougall - Hamish Taylor, Kingston ON	66.39%
2.34	2	2		Genny Lemeshev - Yuri Lemeshev, Dallas TX	56.11%
1.76	3			Gary Kenst, Prescott AZ; Mimi Kenst, Yuma AZ	53.61%
1.58	4	3		Judith Kaplan - Jay Kaplan, Stuart FL	53.33%
2.21	5		1	Antonia Li, Burlingame CA; Eva Cheung, Menlo Park CA	52.22%
1.45			2/3	Dolores Stieper - Judy Frank, Sun City Center FL	50.28%
1.45			2/3	Bruce Ebanks - Annalisa Ebanks, Louisville KY	50.28%

Monday-Tuesday Island (PM) Open Pairs Finals

5.0 Tables / Based on 15 Tables

mps	A	B	C		
8.75	1			Larry Levin, San Antonio TX; Carol Clifford, Miami FL	61.96%
6.56	2	1		Fran Smith, Estero FL; June Stoiber, Put-In-Bay OH	57.11%
4.92	3	2	1	Patricia Rodilosso - Tom Rodilosso, Naples FL	53.36%
3.69	4	3		Jonathan Williams – Marilyn Williams, The Villages FL	52.74%
2.63			2	Sue Malin - Bill Malin, Greensboro GA	45.39%

Monday-Tuesday Island (PM) Gold Rush Pairs Finals

5.0 Tables / Based on 4 Tables

mps	D	E	F		
2.57	1	1		Kyle I Larson, Belvidere IL; Mary Jane Schindler, Rockford IL	57.64%
2.05	2	2	1	Michael Edwards - Sherlene Edwards, Georgetown TX	56.48%
1.27	3/4	3/4		Hamish Taylor - Elaine McDougall, Kingston ON	55.91%
1.54	3/4	3/4	2	Annalisa Ebanks - Bruce Ebanks, Louisville KY	55.91%

Today (Wednesday) Schedule

9:15 AM Lecture with Robert Todd (Hollywood)
10:15 AMLucia Open Pairs (Session 1 of 2)
10:15 AMGold Rush Pairs (Session 1 of 2)
10:15 AMMorning Side Game Series
2:15 PMStardust Open Pairs (Session 1 of 2)
2:15 PMGold Rush Pairs (Session 1 of 2)
2:15 PM Afternoon Side Game Series
4:45 PM Q & A with Robert
All Bridge Games in the Bridge Lounge (Deck 7)
8:15 PMEvening Side Game
All Bridge Games in the Bridge Lounge (Deck 7)

Looking for complete results?

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ALREADY EXCITED FOR YOUR NEXT CRUISE?

Michael Berkowitz

Is your Alice Travel representative on this cruise. He has information on the upcoming Alice Travel slate of Bridge Cruises and land cruises. Please let him know if you are interested in any particular event and he can get you information and sing you up, sometimes with special offers

Tomorrow (Thursday) Schedule

9:15 AM Lecture with Robert Todd (Hollywood)
10:15 AMLucia Open Pairs (Session 2 of 2)
10:15 AMGold Rush Pairs (Session 2 of 2)
10:15 AMMorning Side Game Series
2:15 PMStardust Open Pairs (Session 2 of 2)
2:15 PMGold Rush Pairs (Session 2 of 2)
2:15 PM Afternoon Side Game Series
4:45 PM Q & A with Robert
All Bridge Games in the Bridge Lounge (Deck 7)

DON'T FORGET to wear your name badge to all bridge events.

Todd's Tips

Words of wisdom from Robert's lectures

Slam bidding is a topic that puts the focus on partnership understanding. Coming to firm agreements with partner about the use of conventions like keycard blackwood, splinters, and Jacoby 2NT can help make slam bidding much easier.

With balanced hand opposite balanced hand, you should have 33+ points for slam, but if one of the hands is unbalanced you can get away with having fewer points. What's important for slam bidding where at least one hand is unbalanced is how the hands fit together. If partner shows shortness in a suit that you hold KJ94 in, then your holding is devalued. If partner shows shortness and you have Axxx, then you are in good shape and this is even better when your trump fit is more than 8 cards.

With control bidding or 2-over-1, try to figure out what information you need from partner, and plan on steering the auction in a direction that discovers that information so you can make a good decision.

Please be Scent-sitive! The Bridge lounge can be tight quarters, so please refrain from wearing colognes, perfumes, or scented lotions. Thank you!

**ROBERT'S LECTURES ARE At 9:15
IN THE HOLLYWOOD THEATER**

**ALL BRIDGE GAMES ARE IN THE BRIDGE
LOUNGE ON DECK 7**