



November 2008

What a month!! Denton Bridge Studio has TWO new LIFE MASTERS. Mary Lou Collins became a BRONZE LIFE MASTER and Jo Bryan became a LIFE MASTER. The Studio has 17 Life Masters that play regularly at the Studio and a fall class of 26 BEGINNER students and 12 ADVANCED students. Let's welcome our new players on Nov. 13, at 12:30 pm in a special 0-20 game. It's not about us, it's about them. They are the Studio's future. Perhaps someday we will be solvent enough to pay our Directors.

The November issue of the Bridge Bulletin (Viewpoint, page 6) advocates for ACBL members to take a leadership role in making duplicate a friendly game. We want to be a Studio that promotes goodwill and friendliness.

Partnership Request Form

MVS Rao, a visitor from India, was the 1st person to use our website Partnership Request Form. He was partnered with Nancy Horvat on Nov. 2. They won. If you are away from home, the ACBL website will provide you a list of all ACBL Bridge Studios.

Board-A-Match Game

The Studio is going to have a Board-A-Match game on Nov. 18, 2008. This is the toughest type of event. You play 2-3-4 boards (similar to a Mitchell movement) moving from one board to another. Your team always plays any given board against two opposition players of the same team. The team compares scores and each board is scored as a win, tie or loss. EVERY BOARD IS IMPORTANT.

Cowtown Silver Spur Sectional

Denton Bridge Studio was represented by eight people at the Cowtown (non-life master) Silver Spur Sectional on Nov. 1-2, 2008 in Arlington, Texas WINNING 31.46 SILVER points. Dave Sauder and his GIRLS (Jo Bryan, Donna Gibbs and Ruby Hill) won 4.87 SILVER points each by winning both the Sun. morning and afternoon Swiss sessions. Jo Bryan won the points she needed to become a Life Master. Non-life masters should consider this tournament. See the tournament link to view all the results.

It was a very good tournament, the people were friendly, but during play, it was QUIET, the directors were very good and the lunch on Sun. was exceptional. The facility was as good as it gets. Tournaments are exhilarating. Remember to register, souvenirs are usually given to out-of-townners and ask for your prize when you win at tournaments

A link will be added to MY ACBL soon. You can now access Regional and Sectional Tournament information and the Mini-McKenney and Ace of Clubs information. Our event's notification on the HOME PAGE was furnished at no cost to us by JoAnn & Jim Wheeler of Wheeler Press. NICE!!

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