

# What's Trumps?



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THE BRIDGE CENTER

April-May 2016

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## TROPHY GAMES

In April, the **Garian Trophy** will be in play on **Wednesday, April 20** (am). Last year's winners were **Ginny Cash** and **Ruth Johnston**. In May, we will hold the **Hamilton Trophy** game on **Monday night, May 16**. Defending are **Harry Gellis** and **Patti Martin**.

## CLOSED FOR THE HOLIDAY

The Bridge Center will be closed on **Monday, May 30** for Memorial Day. Everyone have a wonderful and safe holiday.

## FRIDAY NIGHT GAME

As of May 1, the Friday night game limit will be raised to 2000 master-points! Come and join that fun game if you have less than 2000 master-points.



## IN MEMORIAM

Dan Schechner  
Stuart Kleiman  
Ruth Johnston  
Robert Robinson  
Madeline Snead

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### *What's Trumps* Mailing List

If you are currently not receiving a copy of *What's Trumps* in the mail, and you would like to, or if your address has changed, call or e-mail Linda MacCleave: 744-6577, [lindamac@verizon.net](mailto:lindamac@verizon.net).

Names are periodically removed from the *What's Trumps* mailing list if you are not active at the Bridge Center. If you are receiving *What's Trumps* and you would like to be removed from the mailing list, please contact Linda.

## ACBL CHARITY GAME

This game will be played on **Thursday morning, April 14**. Only players eligible are those with 0-1500 points. Cost for this game will be \$10.00, with the money going to **Alzheimer research**. Please support this worthy cause and win extra points at the same time.

## DON'T FORGET THE DOUBLEHEADER

Come play on Wednesday night in our new pair/board a match game. Two chances to win. We will set up the teams for the BAM. This has become a popular game for new players, since their team partners are more experienced

## CLUB TOURNAMENTS

Thursday April 21 (pm)

Friday May 13 (pm)

Tuesday April 26 (am)

Monday May 23 (pm)

## PLAYERS OF THE MONTH

### January

1. Tom Kasvin 16.93
2. Harry Gellis 16.23
3. Mark Rosenbloom 12.74
4. Mimi Pustilnik 11.42
5. Linda MacCleave 10.11
6. Willem Vet 8.61
7. Parke Messier 8.26
8. Chris D'Ambra 7.75

### February

1. Mike Fine 13.40
2. Mark Rosenbloom 11.01
3. Willem Vet 9.47
4. Betty Richardson 8.00
5. Chris D'Ambra 7.85

## HIGH % GAMES

In January the high game was played by **Mark Rosenbloom** and **Harry Gellis** with a 70.13% and in February, the winners were **Barbara and Jack Kling** with a 70.63% game. Nice going!!!

## RBA NEWS

### Rank Changes

Congratulations to all Unit 109 players who have received a new rank as of February and March 2016, especially:

February

**Rick Deyerle–Diamond Life Master**

**Becky Duty–Sapphire Life Master**

**Ann Atwood–Bronze Life Master**

**Elizabeth Fletcher–Life Master**

March

**Linda MacCleave–Ruby Life Master**

**Bill Belanich–Silver Life Master**

### Richmond Bridge Association

#### Annual Meeting and Election

Wednesday, May 11, 2016

The Clarion Hotel Central

3207 North Boulevard

5:30 p.m. - Dinner - includes chicken marsala, baked salmon, eye of round roast beef, scalloped potatoes, vegetable medley, green salad, rolls, butter, and cake.

6:30 p.m. - Annual Meeting, Awards and Election

7:00 p.m. - Bridge (Friendly Bridge and Open Games)

Just \$15.00 per person includes dinner and bridge.

Sign up by May 8 by leaving check in envelope at the Bridge Center or by sending check to Becky Duty, 8904 Norwick Circle, Richmond, VA 23229.

Nominating Committee slate of officers for 2016-18:

**President - Barry Fratkin; Vice-President - Anne Atwood; Secretary - Chris D'Ambra; Treasurer - Tom Kasvin Board of Directors - Becky Duty, Francis Terminella, Paul McGowan, Debra Gardner**

### RICHMOND SUMMER SECTIONAL

June 24-25 at the Clarion Hotel Central

Covering most of central Virginia, including Richmond, Fredericksburg, Colonial Heights, and Petersburg

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