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From: NVBA Board of Directors <announcements@nvba.org>
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Subject: NVBA Weekly Email 7/25/2022 - NVBAers at the NABC

Dear Mark:

Hope all who attended the Providence NABC had lots of fun and had a safe trip home. NVBA showed the rest of the country that we have lots of good players! Congratulations to those below for their NABC success (Nationally rated overalls listed in chronological order)!



- Huailin Chen - 1st in the [Goldman Grand National Teams Flight A](#). See also this nice [writeup](#) about their win!
- Rick Bingham & Mel Yudkin - 3rd/4th in the [Sheinwold Grand National Teams Flight B](#)
- Ryan Connors - 36th (out of 266) in the [Von Zedtwitz Life Master Pairs](#)
- Jay Cherlow - 12th in the [Bruce LM-6000 Life Master Pairs](#)
- Keith Hafen - 4th in the [Young 0-2500 Pairs](#)
- Monique Smith - 13th in the [Wagar Women's Pairs](#)
- Hal Hindman - 14th in the [Truscott USPC Senior Swiss Teams](#)
- William Bailey - 3rd in the [Freeman Mixed BAM Teams](#)
- Alan Munro & James Dahlberg - 6th in the [Bean Red Ribbon 0-2500 Pairs](#)
- Margot Hennings - 3rd in the [0-10000 Mixed Swiss Teams](#)
- Terry Jones - Won American Bridge Teacher's Association (ABTA) Apple Basket Award for best teaching tip. See p.11 to see her award-winning [So, what do you do now?](#) tip!

Some of us were not able to attend in-person, but thanks to [BBO Vugraph](#) we could kibitz world-class players live and view things such as the [Spingold Tournament play](#). What an exciting 112-111 [Spingold Final match](#) last night!

Baltimore Regional:

- The NABC is over, but there is a chance for more big-time in-person bridge right around the corner! The Baltimore Regional begins 4 weeks from today at the Baltimore Convention Center. See [Baltimore Regional Update](#) for an 8-page pamphlet with lots of new information.
- New and Intermediate players are very welcome at the Regional. Bridge University will be held on Monday and daily lectures will be given on Tuesday through Friday. More specific information can be found at the [Bridge University and Daily I/N Teachers](#) page on the NVBA website.
- Stay at the beautiful Baltimore Inner Harbor Hilton! It connects to the Baltimore Convention Center via an enclosed, climate-controlled pedestrian walkway.
- Register at the Hilton by Thursday, 7/28, for a special room rate. See the link above for more information and the special rate code.

Thursday Night Unit Games:

- This Thursday 7/28, WBL will host an in-person unit game. Please visit the [WBL Home Page](#) for additional information concerning their in-person Unit game policies and procedures.
- For those who wish to play online this Thursday, NVBA will be hosting the weekly joint Unit games on BBO. This Thursday's online game is a BBO NVBA NAP Qualifier, NAP stratifications are Unlimited/2500/500. The 499er game starts promptly at 7:05PM. The other two - Open and Flight B - begin at 7:15PM. You can see the results shortly afterwards out at [NVBA Unit Game Results](#).
- We will have the [Zoom Postgame Discussion](#) after the online play.

NVBA, District Six, and ACBL News:

- There are 15 in-person club games listed with times in green on the updated [Clubs](#) page of the NVBA website that are scheduled to be held. Anyone who is interested in playing an in-person game should contact the listed director in advance to confirm the game is on and to make a reservation.
- Here is the current schedule for [NVBA online games](#) on BBO.
- District Six-wide Online Pair Games will be held as District 6 NAP Qualifier Games on two Wednesdays in both July and August. Play for increased amounts of red and black masterpoints on 7/27, 8/17, and 8/31! Games begin at 7:15PM on BBO. NAP stratifications are: Unlimited/2500/500. For more information, go to [NAP - District Six Bridge](#).
- The [Bridge Heroes 2022 team](#) is continuing fund-raising through August 31. If you have any questions, please contact [Kevin O'Brien](#).

See you at the tables, play well and have fun!

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