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# *Bridging the Counties*

September, 2018



## *My story... and I'm stickin' to it*

PLEASE:

- Greet everyone and be friendly.
- Praise other's bidding or play as appropriate.
- Encourage less experienced players. Build their confidence.
- Don't argue with the Director
- Play quickly - don't hold up the game

Many, many thanks to all who have contributed to this publication, given feedback, proofread and in all ways supported our efforts. As always, we are hungry for comments, kudos, feedback, and help with this publication! Thanks for reading, hope you enjoy it.

Carol Laufer & Pam Furtsch

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## ***Upcoming Events***

**September 29** - *Unit 188 Board Meeting*  
(10 am at Carol Laufer's house, 65 Caterson Ter.,  
Hartsdale)

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**October 6** - *Final North American Pairs*  
*District 3 Qualifier, Oakland, NJ*  
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**October 9 - 15** - *District 3 Autumn Leaf*  
*Regional, Crowne Plaza, Danbury CT*  
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**October 15 - 21** - *STaC - Silver points at all*  
*games at all clubs.*

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**November 22 - December 2** - *NABC*  
*Honolulu, Hilton Hawaiian Village Waikiki*  
*Beach Resort*  
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**The Maccabi 2018 Brunch & Bridge**  
**Tournament** *has been canceled.*

***Articles, Columns, Letters...***



## ***This'n That from your District Director***

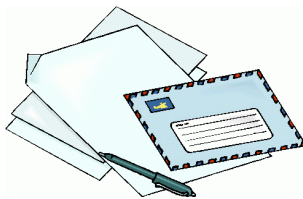
***From Carlos Munoz***

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***President's Message***  
*from Linda Otness*

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***A letter: Baghdad Bridge***  
*by Robert A. Kerr*

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***Kokish relays***  
*by Jason Fuhrman*

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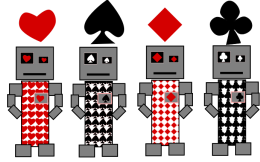
***Cliff's Notes:***  
***A(very funny) Report from the***  
***Summer Nationals***  
*by Cliff Nebel*

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***Easily Overlooked:***  
***Trump Handling in Moysian Fits***

by *Julian Laderman*

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*Handling 6-4 hands*  
by *Larry Cohen*

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*Director Please! Alerts: How to - (When to alert, when to announce, proper form and etiquette)*  
by *Malcolm Austin*

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