

Ventura Unit Bridge Club

BRIDGE BUZZ #61, May 2021

70% GAMES

So far this year there have been only four pairs who have achieved this. We are a club with tough competition!!!

ADVANCING RANKS

NEW JUNIOR MASTER

Tricia Mills

NEW CLUB MASTER

Joy Kobayashi

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Hearty welcome:

Ms Alice R. Forbes - transferring from Saddleback

Ms Lisa Royer - transferring from Southern Gold Coast

WHAT'S GOING ON?

Our hardworking Board of Directors has begun the face-to-face reopening process. A committee is working on the myriad details that this will entail, including rethinking schedules, locations, and timing. Margie Butler (MargieVCA@gmail.com) is heading up the committee and would love to hear from you with your suggestions and a wish list. Currently the hope is to open by July 15 but this is subject to our venues becoming available.

Here are some of the tentative plans. Because the Sunday game at the Townehouse has been discontinued, there is some thought our unit would continue the Sunday game on BBO.

We hope to return to the Temple on Tuesdays through Thursdays but perhaps with an earlier start time.

Additionally, there will be games scheduled for a Camarillo location on other days.

Many of you may have heard that the Thousand Oaks folks are looking for a new home and we are welcoming Unit 532 members into our fold. One accommodation is the earlier start time during the week to avoid late afternoon traffic.

More details are forthcoming as plans unfold.

Exciting news from Ojai has just been announced as well. Starting Monday, May 24, Monday noon bridge will be live in Meiners Oaks at the Temple on El Roblar and Poli Streets. Please note start time is now 12 Noon. There will more information on the exact details but it looks like there is a light at the end of the tunnel folks. If you have questions concerning health issues, stay tuned.

UPCOMING SPECIAL GAMES

Special virtual games for May:

May 24-30 Silver Linings -- silver and black points awarded

AND FINALLY.....

Rose's Classes for Beginning Bridge Players "Step-Up to Bridge" will continue Saturdays on Zoom. The 13-week session will focus on "Opening Bids."

Cost: \$10.00 per session.

Sign up on our VUBC website, VCBridge.Org. Go to "Knowledge" on the black bar of the Home Page and then click on "lessons" for information and registration.

Let us know if any of your contact information has changed, if you wish to unsubscribe to Bridge Buzz, or would like us to add a fellow bridge player to our mailing list by contacting Parker Mann at mpmann80@gmail.com

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