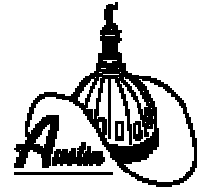


# Unit 207 Newsletter

## December - January 2015



The Unit 207 Newsletter editor is Patty Webb. The newsletter will be available on or about the first day of the months of February, April, June, August, October and December. Please let the editor know about newsworthy items. Patty can be reached at (512) 386-1090 or pattyjwebb@hotmail.com

### Upcoming Unit 207 Events

- 6 - 7 Dec (Sat-Sun) – Bridge Center – 0-200 Sectional
- 8 – 14 Dec (Mon-Sun) – STaC (Sect. Tournament at Clubs)
- 13 Dec (Sat) BCA – Unit Holiday Party – 2 free sessions with lunch
- 1 – 4 Jan (Thurs – Sun) – Austin Sect/District 16 NAP
- 24 Jan (Sat) – Grand National Flight B & C Qualifier
- 7 Feb (Sat) BCA – Unit 207 Annual Meeting

### Upcoming Special Games at Clubs

#### December

- 1 (Mon) – SAC – Club Championship
- 2 (Tues eve) – Mesa – **SAC-Run, Unit Rated**
- 2 (Tues) – SASAC – Christmas Party
- 3 (Wed) – HGR – Club Championship
- 3 (Wed eve) – BCA – Club Championship
- 4 (Thurs) – Westlake Club Championship
- 5 (Fri) – SAC Charity Game
- 5 (Fri eve) – BCA Charity Game
- 6 (Sat eve) – BCA – Charity Game (Teams)
- 8 (Mon) – BCA - STaC
- 8 (Mon) – SAC - STaC
- 8 (Mon eve) – BCA – STaC
- 9 (Tues) – BCA - STaC
- 9 (Tues) – SASAC - STaC
- 9 (Tues eve) – Mesa – STaC
- 10 (Wed) – BCA – Milestone Luncheon/STaC
- 10 (Wed) – Kyle IHOP – STaC
- 10 (Wed eve) – BCA – STaC
- 11 (Thurs) – BCA – STaC
- 11 (Thurs) – Westlake - STaC
- 12 (Fri) – San Marcos – STaC
- 12 (Fri) – BCA – STaC
- 12 (Fri) – SAC – STaC
- 13 (Sat) – BCA – Unit Holiday Party/STaC
- 14 (Sun) – BCA - STaC
- 15 (Mon eve) – BCA – Educational Foundation Game
- 16 (Tues eve) – BCA – **SAC-Run** Christmas Party/Game
- 17 (Wed) – HGR – Charity Game
- 17 (Wed) – Kyle IHOP – Charity Game
- 18 (Thurs) – BCA – Junior Fund Game
- 18 (Thurs) – Westlake – **Unit-Rated**/ Christmas Party
- 19 (Fri) – San Marcos – Charity Game

**NOTE:** SAC Mon & Fri Games will be held at NW Rec Center through the end of Dec

#### December continued

- 19 (Fri eve) – BCA – Membership Game/Holiday Party
- 22 (Mon) – BCA – Club Championship
- 23 (Tues) – BCA Charity Game
- 23 (Tues eve) – No Mesa Game
- 24 (Wed) – No Kyle IHOP Game, No BCA Night Game
- 25 (Thurs) – No games – Merry Christmas
- 26 (Fri) – No San Marcos Game, No SAC Game
- 28 (Sun) – BCA – Team Game Club Championship
- 31 (Wed) – BCA – BCA-Run **Unit Rated** Game
- 31 (Wed eve) – BCA – New Year's Eve Dinner/Unit Rated

#### January

- 6 (Tues) – BCA – Junior Fund Game
- 6 (Tues eve) – Mesa Jr. Fund Game
- 7 (Wed) – HGR – Jr. Fund Game
- 9 (Fri) – SAC – Jr. Fund Game
- 9 (Fri eve) – BCA - Jr. Fund Game
- 10 (Sat) – BCA – Lone Arranger/**Unit rated**
- 10 (Sat eve) – BCA – Jr. Fund Game
- 12 (Mon) – SAC – Jr. Fund Game
- 12 (Mon eve) – BCA – Club Championship
- 14 (Wed) – BCA – Milestone Luncheon/Jr. Fund Game
- 15 (Thurs) – BCA – Jr. Fund Game
- 15 (Thurs) – Westlake – Jr. Fund Game
- 17 (Sat eve) – BCA – Jr. Fund Game
- 19 (Mon) – BCA – Membership Game/Birthday Bash
- 19 (Mon) – SAC – No Game
- 20 (Tues) – SASAC – Jr. Fund Game
- 21 (Wed) – HGR – Jr. Fund Game
- 21 (Wed eve) – BCA – Jr. Fund Game
- 22 (Thurs) – Westlake – Jr. Fund Game
- 23 (Fri) – BCA - Jr. Fund Game
- 23 (Fri) – SAC – Club Championship
- 24 (Sat eve) – BCA – Jr. Fund Game
- 25 (Sun) – BCA – Team Game Club Championship
- 31 (Sat) – BCA – ACBL-Wide Int'l Fund Game
- 31 (Sat eve) – BCA – Jr. Fund Game

# Congratulations!

**New Silver Life Master:** Phillip Jaeger, Mark Sanders

**Others:**

(5) Mark Alpert, Phoebe Beckett, Cynthia Brettschneider, Ralph Brettschneider, David Hawk, Kathye McGregor, Kathy Mills, Patricia Pelfrey, Dean Sanders, Robert Tyler, Dennis Worley (20) July Alpert, Sharon Dameron, Brenda Lucas, Ernest Rebeck

(50) Dyanne Kerr, Susan O'Dell, Amanda Stewart (100) Pritam Sooch, BR Tetzlaff (200) Gloria Bennett, Lisa Holzgrafe, Dwight Silver, George Steele (750) Harvey Browning, MJ Collins, Bonnie Dennis, Ken MacMorran, Sharon MacMorran, Carol Nelson, Glorianne Perrizo

(1500) Doug Coppock, Becky Ellisor, Richard Frankeny, Ellen Meyer, Pam Phillips

(2000) C G Bell, Nancy Joe, June Mengden, John Taylor (4000) Larry Davis

## Future Austin Tournaments

Dec (6 <sup>th</sup> – 7 <sup>th</sup> ) - Bridge Center – 0-200 Sectional	Apr (30 <sup>th</sup> – May 3 <sup>rd</sup> ) - Bridge Center – Austin Sectional
Dec (8 <sup>th</sup> – 14 <sup>th</sup> ) - Unit 207 STaC (Sect. Tournament at Clubs)	June (13 <sup>th</sup> – 14 <sup>th</sup> ) - Bridge Center – NLM Sectional
Jan (1 <sup>st</sup> – 4 <sup>th</sup> ) 2015 <b>Crowne Plaza</b> - Austin Sect/District 16 NAP	Aug (15 <sup>th</sup> – 16 <sup>th</sup> ) - Bridge Center - 0-200 Sectional
Feb (14 <sup>th</sup> – 15 <sup>th</sup> ) - Bridge Center – NLM Sectional	Sept (24 <sup>th</sup> - 27 <sup>th</sup> ) - Bridge Center – Austin Sectional
Feb (26 <sup>th</sup> – 1 <sup>st</sup> ) - Bridge Center – Austin Sectional	Nov (7 <sup>th</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup> ) - Bridge Center – NLM Sectional
Apr (11 <sup>th</sup> – 12 <sup>th</sup> ) - Bridge Center – 0-200 Sectional	Dec (6 <sup>th</sup> - 7 <sup>th</sup> ) – Bridge Center – 0-200 Sectional
	Jan (7 <sup>th</sup> – 10 <sup>th</sup> ) 2016 – Crowne Plaza – Austin Sectional

## Sectional Tournaments at Clubs (STaC)

The week of Dec 8-14th (Mon - Sun) is STaC Week. Games are held at the Bridge Center, Senior Centers, and Westlake. The strats are 2000+, 750-2000 AND 0-750. Silver points are awarded at the club AREA levels. The results of these games are emailed to the Tournament Director and area-level winners are determined. The area-level results can be viewed on the web within a few days of each game. These games usually cost \$1 extra.

## Grand National Team Flight B & C Qualifier

This event will be held at the BCA on January 24<sup>th</sup> (Sat). It will be a two-session event. For those qualifying at the unit-level, the District 16 GNT final for Flights B and Superflight will be held at Richardson (Dallas) over the Memorial Day weekend (Sat) and for **flights A and C at Houston April 25-26 (beginning Friday night)**. District-level winners advance to the Summer Nationals. Also, the flight B upper limit has changed to 2500 and the flight A to 6000.

## Unit 207 Annual Meeting

The annual meeting will be held February 7th (Sat) at the Bridge Center at **1:00**. A stratified, open pairs game will follow at 1:30 (free to Unit 207 members attending meeting). Nominees for the positions that will need to be filled will be available on the website by the middle of December. Additional nominations may be made from the floor. Ballots will be mailed to all Unit 207 members a few days later. They may be returned by mail or at a local club game.

The Texas Star Award for outstanding service and the Goodwill Award for promoting good spirit and friendliness in bridge will be awarded at the meeting.

## Departures

Maddy Bergen – Deceased November