

August is Peach Month



Congratulations to
Renee O'Donnell
for attaining
the rank of
Life Master





Renee O'Donnell, Dee Craig
Scott Norris, Lorraine O'Donnell



Renee and her
team racking up
masterpoints at the
Scottsdale Regional
August 2026





August



1 - Roger Wicker
3 - Gordon Bunge
6 - Maggie White
9 - Dayna Curlin
12 - Ashok Bhakta
12 - Ervin Pfeifle

18 - Barbara Harrid
20 - Jesse Jordan
21 - Rita Wagner
22 - Kathy Mundy
25 - Jeanne Lyons
26 - John Moore

North American Pairs Schedule



Entry fee:
\$7.00/person

Tuesday, August 4th & 18th – 12:00 NN

Wednesday, August 5th & 19th – 6:00 PM

Friday, August 7th & 21st – 12:00 NN

Saturday, August 8th & 22nd – 12:00 NN

Half Red and Half Black
Masterpoints



august

BIRTH FLOWER

strength of character

faithfulness

integrity

infatuation

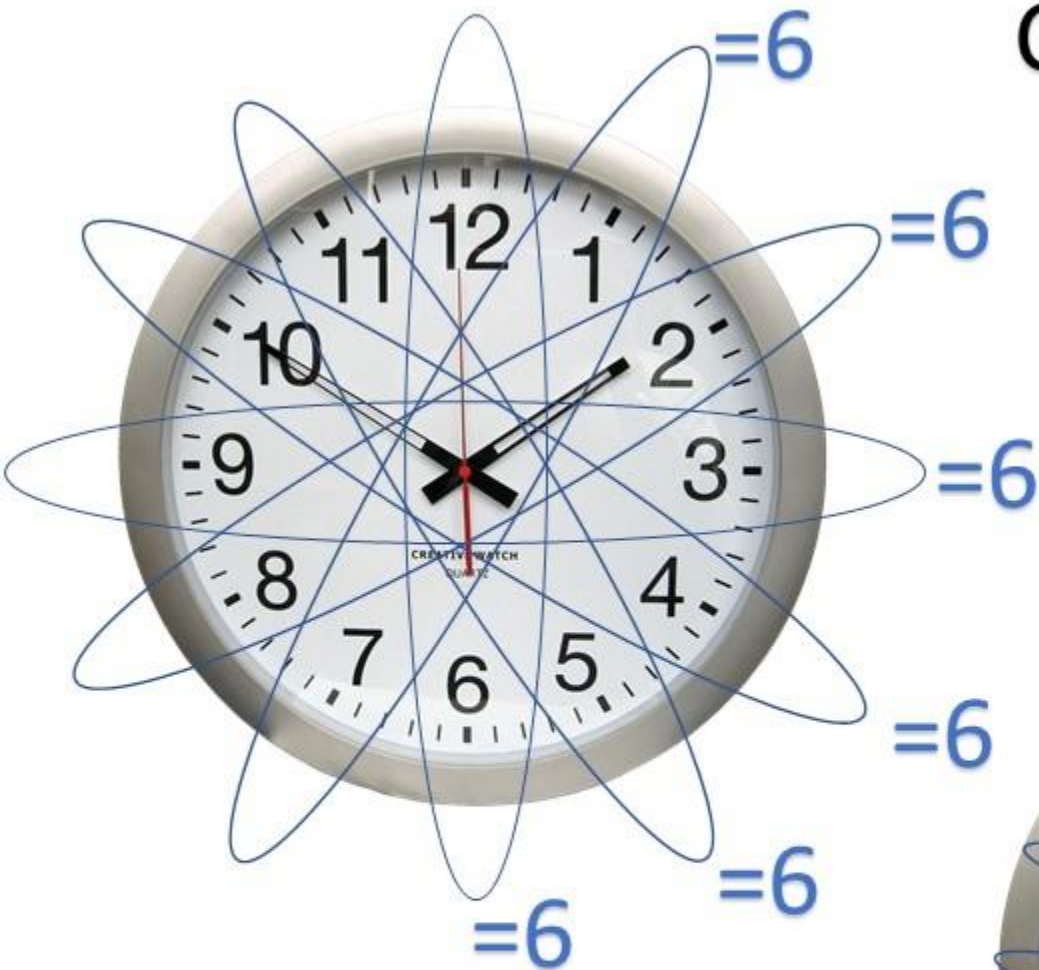
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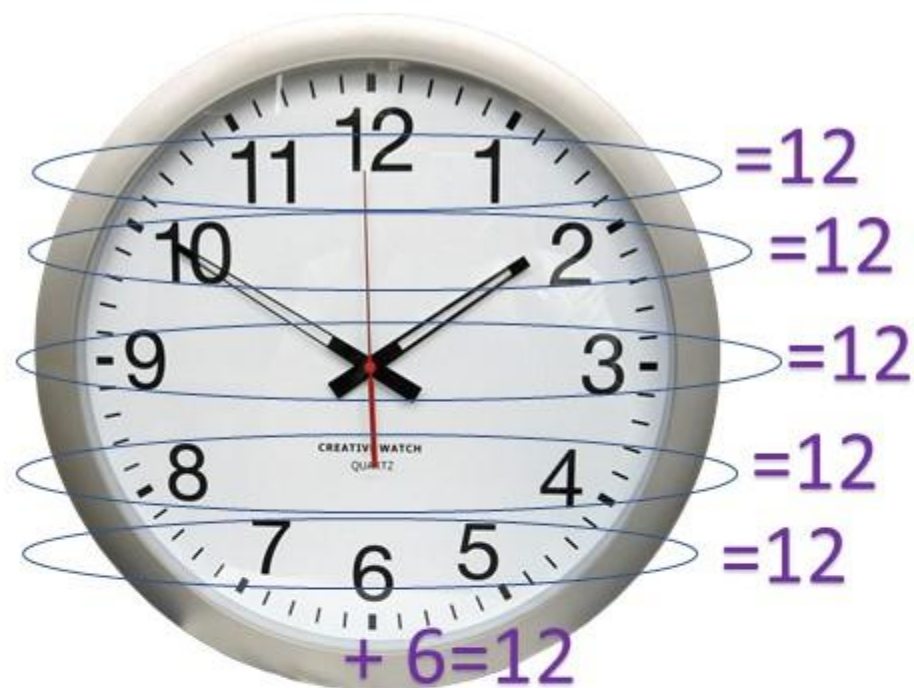
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CLOCK MATH

The two #s
added
together
= 13



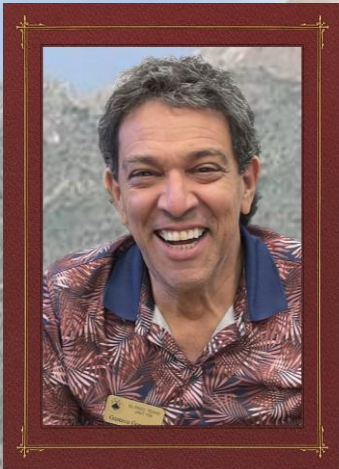
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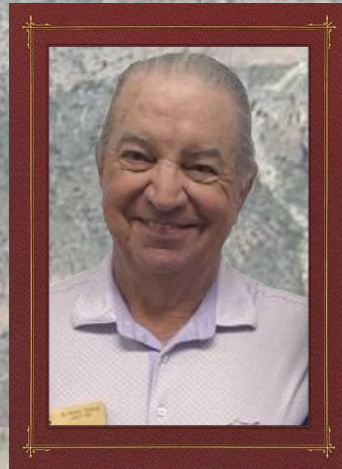
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2026 ACBL Unit #159 Board of Directors and other officers



Gustavo Gonzalez,
President



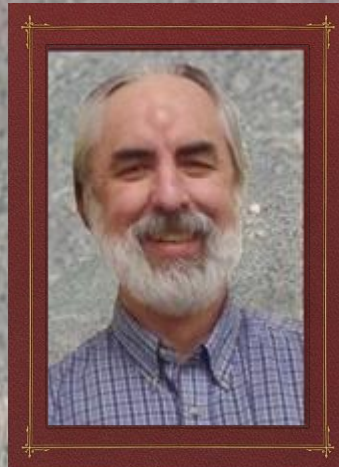
Bill Hickman
Vice President/Treasurer



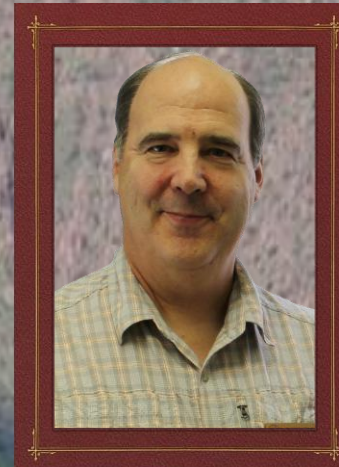
Renee O'Donnell
Secretary



Lucy Pfirman
Board Member



*Scott Norris,
Bridge Center Manager



*Phil Anderson
Unit Accountant

* Non-Board Member



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All 0-750 Players Head to ABQ and play!

Albuquerque - ACBL Unit 374
Intermediate/Novice (0-750 MP)
Open to Life Masters under 750 MP
Sectional Tournament

August 1-2, 2026

Duke City Bridge Center, 8616 Northeastern NE, 505-271-2877

PHOENIX

DESERT EMPIRE REGIONAL

MONDAY – SATURDAY

August 10 – August 15, 2026

Talking Stick Resort & Casino
9800 Talking Stick Way
Scottsdale, AZ 85256



REGION 10
DISTRICT 17



El Paso Unit 159

LOCAL SECTIONAL

Function 2509384

September 6 & 7, 2025

2216 East Yandell,

El Paso, TX 79903

915-544-6565

elpasobridge.com

2026 Taos Regional

Win a pot of gold points

SEPTEMBER 21-27



Lodging:
Sagebrush Inn and Suites
1509 Paseo del Pueblo Sur, Taos, NM
Studios and suites are available



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**Remembering
Those who lost their
lives August 3, 2019**

