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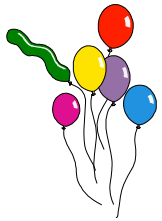
Director Dawg congratulates the graduates and sends them our best. Many of us are parents and grandparents of these young people who have studied very hard, especially during this past difficult year. We are extremely proud of them! Also, a hearty Happy Father's Day to all our dads and granddads. What a year this has been for all of you.



Jo Ann Steigmeyer, Editor

THE SOUTH BEND BRIDGE CLUB IS RE-OPENING!!

June 2, 2021, a date that will live in delight, marks the re-opening of our Bridge Club at the Town &



Country Shopping Mall. To celebrate the occasion, Bud Hinckley, our "Director Extraordinaire", will treat each of us to a FREE (as in "no charge to you") N.A.P. (North American Pairs) Game which awards its players extra "50/50 red/black" points. During the month of June, there will be other special games offered and subsidized by some of our members. We thank them for their generosity and will list them and their contributions in the next newsletter. In the meantime, let's celebrate renewing our friendships with partners and, yes, our



opponents, with joy. It will be so good to "see" them!. Game will start at 1:00 but you will want to get there early **to show proof of vaccination** and to catch up on what your friends have been up to.

Richard Scheibelhut

May 31, 1933 - May 7, 2021



Richard "Dick" Scheibelhut, passed away Friday, May 7, 2021, at the age of 87 with his children at his side. He was born on October 31, 1933 in South Bend, IN to the late Leo C. and Dorothy (DeBelius) Scheibelhut.

In May 1961, in Chicago, Illinois, Dick married Jean Louise Kreuzer, who preceded him in death on September 1, 2019 after 58 years of marriage.

Dick graduated from Notre Dame in 1955. A Navy ROTC graduate, he promptly began his Navy service becoming a Chief Engineer and Landing Officer on a Fast Attack Transport in the Mediterranean. Dick went on to test the waters at several different career paths until he discovered his love for accounting. He rose through the ranks at KPMG and ended his 29-year career there as Director of Accounting and Finance.

Throughout his life he was an avid fisherman. His other love was Bridge particularly with his wife, Jean. He was an accomplished player who became a Life Master at a tournament in Fargo, North Dakota playing with his brother, John. He continued to rise in the ranks to become a Bronze, Silver and finally a Ruby Life Master in 2016.

The members of th South Bend Bridge Club have beautiful memories of Dick who was truly a gentle man and a gentleman. Our condolences to his family.

June Glazer

June 29, 1933 - May 18, 2021



Another beloved member has left our midst. We are saddened to announce that June Glazer passed away in May at the age of 88. She was born and raised in Marion, Indiana, and attended Indiana University where she met her future husband, Eli Glazer. She and Eli

were married in 1953 and were blessed with two daughters, four grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

June and Eli both loved to be with each other and traveled often to Europe, their favorite destination. In the winters they spent time in Clearwater, Florida where June played duplicate at the local bridge club.

June started playing duplicate at the Elkhart Bridge Club over thirty-five years ago and received her Life Master award in 1991. She topped off her bridge career with a Silver Life Master ranking. The Club always looked forward to her birthday when she would bring in her wonderful array of homemade cookies and her famous salmon spread. Not only did she bring wonderful food, but she brought a lovely smile each time that she walked through the door of the club.

June often remarked that she enjoyed playing at the SBBC Club and looked forward to seeing her good friends and great partners. We felt the same about her and will miss her greatly. Our condolences to her family.

JUNE BIRTHDAYS

- 08 Dick Hastings
- 09 Kathleen Peterson
- 11 Don Groch
- 11 Julie Nelson
- 14 Ivey Benson
- 18 Connie McKay
- 21 Ann Ullman
- 27 Nancy Shaffer
- 28 Patricia Borchert
- 28 Marty Martin
- 30 Bruce BonDurant



Elaine Thompson

Table three will not be the same. Elaine Thompson has moved to Texas to be near her family. When asked if she would enjoy hearing from



her friends, partners and opponents, she gave a resounding "Yes!" So feel free to give her a call at 574-302-6529. Our best wishes to you, Elaine.

Happy "Belated" Birthday Celebration for Bud Parshall!



June 11, 2020 was to have been our first Bud Parshall Day. The Board voted to honor Bud for his generous donation to our club by holding a special yearly game in his honor on his birthday. A plaque with the winners' names was to be on display at the front of our club. However, due to the Corona-19 pandemic, we were unable to celebrate last year since the club had been closed since March of 2020. We are happy to announce that **BUD PARSHALL DAY** will be held (a little late) on **June 21st** as a Club Appreciation Day which pays 81.8% of sectional ranking. We have certainly appreciated his gift and didn't know it was going to be needed so soon.

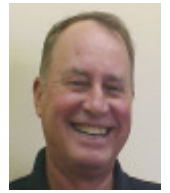
Our Guiding Lights!



Rich Mao



Bud Hinckley



Bill Searcy

These three fellas have been our "light in the tunnel" for over a year. They've worked tirelessly to give the South Bend Bridge Club, the Michigan City Bridge Club and the Valparaiso Bridge Club a place to satisfy their bridge addiction and to keep in touch with their friends and partners. We send them our heartfelt thanks, and we are confident the game of bridge will continue to thrive under their guidance.



Give a person a fish and you feed them for a day. Teach a person to use the Internet and they won't bother you for weeks, months, or maybe even years.

Top SBBC Virtual Games in May

499ers:	5/03 Candy Hurwich & Kathy Stegmaier	70.24%
	5/21 Miki Grant & Gerry Wardzinski	65.00%
1249ers:	5/13 Reggie Lowenhar & Raji Sundarar...	69.84%
	5/20 Ivey Benson & Peggy Lyzun	67.50%
Open:	5/26 Roger Skurski & Jo Ann Steigmeyer	66.25%
	5/04 Lee Boser & Gini Stipp	66.07%

ELEVEN YEARS OF THE SBBC NEWSLETTER

We congratulate and thank Jo Ann Steigmeyer for eleven years of publishing our monthly SBBC newsletter. The first issue was published on July 1, 2010 (a collectors' edition), copied in black & white and handed out to the members in the club. Along came e-mails and Jo Ann was able to send the issues in color to a bigger audience. We look forward to her twelfth year of SBBC publications. *Joan Tabler, Pres.*



Member Updates

Dave Bontrager dbontrager116@gmail.com (new e-mail)

PLEASE ADD THIS INFO TO YOUR PHONE LISTS!

Education Updates

J & J (Jo Ann & Joan) weekly classes will start again on **Monday, June 21st at 9:30 a.m.**

How much did you forget during this unwanted vacation? Let's start the first class by just going through the basics. Then, we will discuss what will



Jo Ann Steigmeyer

be covered in the weeks to come. So much to talk about. Any questions: joann1107@comcast.net or call 574-243-1355



Joan Tabler

ALERT! There will be no Thursday morning beginning class at the club at this time. **Options:** Join J & J classes (see above) or wait for beginner classes offered by Forever Learning, being taught by Tricia Killeen at our club in September. More info NEXT MONTH!


SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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Games at South Bend Bridge Club Venue

start at 1:00 EDT on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday - \$7.00

Virtual BBO Games on Tuesdays and Fridays start at 12:15 EDT - \$6.00

Director Designations: LB = Lee Boser DG = Don Groch BH = Bud Hinckley
BK=Bob Knoblock RM = Rich Mao BS = Bill Searcy

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27	28 NAP Open & 399er Dir. - DG	29 Virtual BBO Open Dir. - BS	30 Open & 399er Dir. - DG	Visit our website www.sbbc.info to find game results, calendars, newsletters and more.		

QUESTIONS - CALL BUD HINCKLEY AT 269-281-1214
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