

## SCHEDULE OF GAMES

# AUGUST 2009 AT BAND

Tuesday 12:30 PM  
Supervised Play -N- Learn

Tuesday 6:30 PM  
Charity Open Duplicate

Wednesday 12:30 PM  
Charity Open Duplicate

Wednesday 6:30 PM  
Not So Serious Duplicate

Thursday 12:30 PM  
Pro-Am Duplicate

Thursday 6:30 PM  
Charity Open Duplicate

Friday 12:30 PM  
Charity Open Duplicate

Saturday 10:00 AM  
Supervised Play -N- Learn

Saturday 2:00 PM  
"Lucky Score Jackpot" Duplicate

Bridge Academy of North Dallas

YOUR HOME FOR BRIDGE LESSONS & FRIENDLY PLAY

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				<b>Bring a New Friend and You Both Play Free!</b>	<b>Birthday Free Play</b> If your birthday is in August, please pick up a free play from an BAND Team Member	<b>1</b> 10:00 Play-N-Learn <i>Mini-Lesson 9:40</i> 2:00 "Lucky Score" Jackpot
	<b>Predict Your Score</b> Predict your final score after the first round and win a free play.	<b>Fall course schedule posted Online. Classes begin September 14th!!</b>	<b>Bridge Bingo</b> 30 minutes prior to all games. Easy chance to win a free play for a future game.			
	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b> 12:30 Play -N- Learn <i>Mini-Lesson 12:10</i> 6:30 Charity Duplicate	<b>5</b> 12:30 Charity Duplicate 6:30 NSS Duplicate <i>Mini-Lesson 6:10</i>	<b>6</b> 12:30 Pro-AM Duplicate <i>Mini-Lesson 12:10</i> 6:30 No Game Dallas Sectional	<b>7</b> No Game Dallas Sectional	<b>8</b> No Game Dallas Sectional
	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b> 12:30 Play -N- Learn <i>Mini-Lesson 12:10</i> <b>Sweet Treats!</b> 6:30 Charity Duplicate <b>Muffaletta Night Dinner</b> NAP Qualifying	<b>12</b> 12:30 Charity Duplicate <b>Deviled Egg Day</b> 6:30 NSS Duplicate <i>Mini-Lesson 6:10</i>	<b>13</b> 12:30 Pro-AM Duplicate <i>Mini-Lesson 12:10</i> <b>Sweet Treats!</b> 6:30 Charity Duplicate NAP Qualifying	<b>14</b> 12:30 Charity Duplicate	<b>15</b> 10:00 Play-N-Learn <i>Mini-Lesson 9:40</i> 2:00 "Lucky Score" Jackpot NAP Qualifying
	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b> 12:30 Play -N- Learn <i>Mini-Lesson 12:10</i> 6:30 Charity Duplicate <b>August Club Championship</b> <b>Pictures &amp; Trophies</b>	<b>19</b> 12:30 Charity Duplicate <b>Sweet Treats</b> 6:30 NSS Duplicate <i>Mini-Lesson 6:10</i> <b>Sweet Treats!</b>	<b>20</b> 12:30 Pro-AM Duplicate <i>Mini-Lesson 12:10</i> 6:30 Charity Duplicate <b>Cobb Salad Night Dinner</b>	<b>21</b> 12:30 Charity Duplicate <b>Deviled Egg Day</b> NAP Qualifying	<b>22</b> 10:00 Play-N-Learn <i>Mini-Lesson 9:40</i> 2:00 "Lucky Score" Jackpot <b>Sweet Treats!</b>
	<b>24</b> <b>Predict Your Score</b> All games week of August 24th will be Predict Your Score!	<b>25</b> 12:30 Play -N- Learn <i>Mini-Lesson 12:10</i> <b>Deviled Egg Day</b> 6:30 Charity Duplicate <b>Sweet Treats!</b>	<b>26</b> 12:30 Charity Duplicate NAP Qualifying 6:30 NSS Duplicate <i>Mini-Lesson 6:10</i> <b>BBQ Night Dinner</b>	<b>27</b> 12:30 Pro-AM Duplicate <i>Mini-Lesson 12:10</i> <b>Deviled Egg Day</b> 6:30 Charity Duplicate <b>Sweet Treats!</b>	<b>28</b> 12:30 Charity Duplicate <b>Sweet Treats!</b>	<b>29</b> 10:00 Play-N-Learn <i>Mini-Lesson 9:40</i> 2:00 "Lucky Score" Jackpot <b>Last Chance</b> NAP Qualifying

## Want a Partner?

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## August Top Tips

When responding to a takeout double, jump the bidding in your long suit with 9-11 'revalued' points. An unbid 5-card suit is worth one extra point and an unbid 6-card suit is worth 3 extra points. Do not count points for jacks and queens in suits they have bid.

You hold: ♠AQ10x ♥Kxx ♦xx ♣10xxx

West	North	East	South (you)
1♦	Dbl.	Pass	?

Jump to 2♠. Do not bid 1♠ which shows 0-8 points.  
Also, your jump is not forcing.

When partner leads low from length and dummy has small cards, third hand plays high. However, if third hand has two or three equal high cards, third hand plays the lower or lowest equal. (From K10x, play the king, from KQx, play the queen, from KQJ(x), play the jack.)

If one (or both) of your opponents is a passed hand, assume that player has fewer than 12 HCP. If that player turns up with 10 HCP early on, play the partner for any missing queen, king, or ace.

## Bridge Humor

A player who can't defend accurately  
should try to become declarer (or dummy).

~ Alfred Sheinwold

## Special Events

### Sweet Treats by Loyce

Loyce presents the most delicious desserts you have ever tasted.

You will not want to miss her treats!

### Deviled Egg Day

Donna's deviled eggs will be back in action for the month of August.

Char's cheese balls will continue to make appearances on Deviled Egg Day!

**Muffaletta Dinner - Tuesday, August 11th**  
**Cobb Salad Dinner - Thursday, August 20th**  
**BBQ Dinner - Wednesday, August 26th**  
**Saturday Lucky Score Jackpot Series**

The pot started with \$25 and each player puts in fifty cents per game.

The person that hits that day's "Lucky Score," chosen by the computer, takes home the pot. Otherwise, the money rolls over to the next game. Participation is optional.

### North American Pairs (NAP) Qualifying

North American Pairs Qualifying Games. 1/2 Red - 1/2 Black

These are the Club Level qualifying for the 2010 NAP Finals.

You must advance from the Club to the Unit to the District and then to the National.

**Flight C Unit Level Qualification will be held at BAND September 27th, 2009**

Unit = Dallas; District = Austin (in January); National = Reno, NV (in March).

## Duplicate Bridge Etiquette

**MANNERS ARE IMPORTANT** Greet your opponents at the beginning of the round and smile! At the end of the round, they are still your friends...

**SILENCE IS GOLDEN** Conversation stops when you remove your hand from the board.

**THINK BEFORE YOU TOUCH** Once you have decided on a bid in your mind, then use your hand to choose the bid from the box.

Don't let your fingers do your thinking!

**TIME IS OF THE ESSENCE** Once the auction is complete, make your opening lead and table the dummy before you write the contract in your private score.

Remember to lead face down!

**WHAT HAPPENS IN THE CURRENT ROUND...STAYS IN THE CURRENT ROUND** Once the round is finished, you may then discuss hands from the current round. Refrain from discussion between hands. Hands from previous rounds should never be discussed in front of the new opponents.

**YOUR MOTHER'S RULE** If you can't say something nice, don't say anything at all!

**HAVE FUN!** At the end of the day, we are all here to have a good time. Enjoy...