

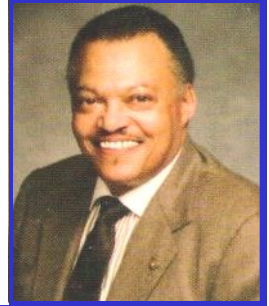
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83rd Summer National

Bridge Tournament

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George Johnson



Issue Two

Saturday

August 13, 2016

EVENTS OF TOMORROW—Sunday, August 14

10:00 AM MEMORIAL SERVICE—Salon #3

1:30 PM Pauline Taylor Mixed Pairs Championship (First Session)
(Flight A Qualifying All Others Play Thru)

Women's Pairs (First Session)

Side Game

7:30 PM Pauline Taylor Mixed Pairs Championship (Second Session)

Mixed Pairs Consolation

Women's Pairs (Second Session)

Side Game

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Hedy's Daily Healthy Tip

Influenza Vaccine (Flu) is a contagious disease that spreads generally every winter between Oct & May. It is caused by the virus and transmitted by close contact, sneezing and coughing. Symptoms come suddenly and may last several days. It may be fatal. Flu vaccine is a protection: Inactivated vaccine: does not contain any live virus: called "flu shot". It contains a very small amount of mercury-based thimerosal. Live, Attenuated (weakened) vaccine is sprayed into the nostrils. A "high-dose" vaccine is available for people 65 and older.

Who was George Johnson?

George Willard Johnson, Jr. was the president of the ABA in 1984 and 1985. (He followed Atty. Reid.) Prior to his presidency, George Johnson served as the ABA Treasurer from 1974 to 1981 and was the President-Elect under Atty. Reid. During his administration, the membership of the ABA reached the 5,000 mark and the Summer National Open Pairs was named in honor of Dr. P.W. Goode of Mobile, Alabama who had also served as treasurer of the ABA.

In "Defining Moments", the quote for him is "his fulfillment far exceeded his boasts". He stated: "I take no credit for many of my achievements. The ABA is fortunate indeed to have a core of dedicated people who are willing to forego personal gain and pleasure in order to promote the welfare and betterment of the Association."

George appointed a strong team to help fulfill all of his promises. The many improvements in tournament organization, financial stability, and uppermost on his agenda, membership growth.

Before retirement and moreso after retirement, President Johnson's involvement with the ABA reads a litany of service:

- * National Treasurer
- * Tournament & Convention Manager
- * Overseer of the Northwestern Section and
The newly formed Mid-Atlantic Section
- * President of local clubs
- * Business Manager of the same
- * Bridge teacher
- * Tournament Chairman
- * General Chairman of the 2002 Summer National in Charlotte
- * Membership in the Southern Eastern, and Mid-Atlantic Sections as well as
Honorary membership in the Northwestern Section.
- * Recipient of the Kenneth Cox Award
- * Grand Life Master (Original group)
- * Co-Player of the 1993 National
- * Mini-Friend winner of the Mid-Atlantic Section for the years
1984, '86, '87 & '94

In his own words, George stated: "in my humble opinion, Duplicate Bridge is an enjoyable pastime and may delay the onset of Alzheimer's and senility. Although the monetary rewards and 'perks' may not compensate you for your efforts and contributions, the personal satisfaction derived from serving the ABA makes it all worthwhile. The ABA needs more qualified people to give of their TALENTS, TIME and TREASUREY to ensure that the ABA will long continue to be a viable organization."

Although these words were spoken several years ago, they still apply in 2016. Thank you George Johnson for your help in sustaining the ABA.

F. Alberta Peterson Scholarship U/2000 8/11/2016 8:00 PM Tables: 20

Over All			Section			Pairs	Scores	MPA
A	B	C	A	B	C			
1	1		1	1		Katherine Marshall, DC Eula Thomas, Clinton, MD	108.50	17.97
2			2			Sharette Simpkins, Atl Bch, FL Emory Kirkland, St. Louis, MO	104.50	13.48
3			1			Carole Smith, Brooklyn, NY Geraldine Zachery, Philly	104.00	10.78
4	2		1	1		Jacki McLoyd, Atlanta, GA Rae A Smith, Silver Spring, MD	103.50	9.94
5			2			William Wood, Hartsdale, NY Lorraine Hinds, White Plains, NY	103.00	8.09
6	3		3	2		Cleveland Rock, Ruther Glen, VA Mildred U Green, Fredericksburg, VA	96.50	7.95
7/9			2			Gloria Rivers, Wilmington, DE Ellen Mayfield, Rochester Hills, MI	94.00	5.39
7/9	4/5	1/2	3/4	2/3	1/2	Margaret Williams, , Enid Savage, ,	94.00	6.29
7/9	4/5	1/2	3/4	2/3	1/2	James E Tanksley, Columbus, GA Patricia Haynes, ,	94.00	6.29
10			1			Bill Thompson, Chicago, IL Jacqueline Chappell, Chicago, IL	92.50	3.59
	6		2	1		Virginia Dixon, Conyers, GA Barbara A Jackson, Lithonia, GA	92.00	5.30
7/9			3	2		Traci Stukes, Jamaica, NY Yvonne Ebea, Bronx, NY	90.50	3.98
7/9			3/4	1/2		Annie Mays, , Felecia Peavy, ,	90.50	3.98
7/9			3/4	1/2		Carole Fields, Florissant, MO Barbara Reed, St Louis, MO	90.50	3.98
			3/4			Theressa Smith, East Orange, NJ Patricia Singleton, East St Louis, IL	90.00	1.28
			3/4			Tolliver McKinney, Memphis, TN Daisy Jones, Oak Park, IL	90.00	1.28
			4			Doris J Green, Hazel Crest, IL Irene Davis, Chicago, IL	89.00	1.55
			4	3		Linda Lindsay, Hyattsville, MD Wilma Bonner, Washington, DC	83.00	1.55

F. Alberta Peterson Scholarship O/2000 8/11/2016 8:00 PM Tables 15

Over All Rank

Section

A	B	C	A	B	Pairs	Scores	MPA
1			1		Eric Shelton, Atlanta, GA C. David Smith Jr., Silver Spring,	190.00	22.14
2			2		Andrew R Echols, Macon, GA Gloria Simmons, Fayetteville, GA	167.50	16.61
3			1		Mattie Barrow, Washington, DC Dorcas Glascoe, Washington, DC	166.50	13.28
4			3		Shirley Dillard, Lawrenceville, GA Alice F Gasaway, Pinehurst, NC	155.50	11.07
5			1		Warren Norris, Cleveland, OH Tamera Norris, Cleveland, OH	153.50	9.96
6			2		James Buford, Fredericksburg, VA Sara Buford, Fredericksburg, VA	150.50	8.86
7			3		Brenda G Polk, Portland, OR Karen E Tillis, Tacoma, WA	150.00	7.75
8					Doris Y Brightful, Baltimore, MD Celestine Howard, Columbia, MD	142.50	6.64
			2		Alice Creighton, Richmond, VA V Adean Butler, Richmond, VA	137.50	4.15
			3		Linda Hines- Wilson, Los Angeles Lucille A Cooper, Cleveland, OH	136.00	3.32
			1		Katherine Miller, Richmond, VA Lillian Holeman, Fairburn, GA	135.00	5.54
			2		Stephanie Young, Los Angeles, CA Denise McPherson, Chicago, IL	131.50	4.15
			3		Lynda Straker, West Hempstead, NY Janice McBean, Rockville Centre, NY	122.00	3.32

Schedule of Host Group Activities

SUNDAY, August 14

Memorial Service

Hospitality (GL & SW) 5:30-7:15 pm

MONDAY, August 15

Hand Dancing *Between Sessions*

TUESDAY, August 16

Painting with a Twist *Between Sessions*

"Panhellenic Day"

Hospitality(S & W)

WEDNESDAY, August 17

Awards Brunch

THURSDAY, August 18

ABA Family Feud *Between Sessions*

"ABA/ACBL Day"

Hospitality(MA, MW & ACBL)

FRIDAY, August 19

Bon Voyage

"Alma Mater Day"

**Silent
Auction**
in the
Hospitality Suite

10am-Noon
Saturday thru
Tuesday

Closes
Tuesday Night

F. Alberta Peterson Scholarship O/5000

8/11/2016 8:00 PM

Tables:25

Over All Rank			Section Rank			Pairs	Scores	MPA
A	B	C	A	B	C			
1			1			Chester G Johnson, Chicago, IL Harold R Bickham, Carmel, IN	378.31	30.24
2			1			Reginald Chapman, FT Washington, MD Mae Clark, Arlington, TX	330.86	22.68
3			2			Norman James, Chicago, IL Mattie Young, Country Club Hills, IL	330.19	18.14
4			1			James Hunter, Cleveland, OH Hedy H Echard, Durham, NC	329.22	15.12
5			1			Catherine Jones, Wilmington, DE Tyrone Davis, Philadelphia, PA	324.58	13.61
6			2			Julius C Fields, New York, NY William Foster, Silver Spring, MD	323.17	12.10
7			3			Brenda J Williams, Dover, DE Clara Berryhill, Mitchellville, MD	317.31	10.58
8			3			George E Hudson, Jamaica, NY Sylvia J Christian, Lakeland, FL	316.40	9.07
9			1			Mary E Moragne, Raleigh, NC Ednelvyn Evans, Durham, NC	313.88	7.56
10			2			Anderson C Williams, Atlanta, GA Estelle Lavender, Birmingham, AL	309.12	6.05
11			2			Carrolena Key, Washington, DC Elaine M Conway, Silver Spring, MD	303.88	5.67
12			1			Shirley Lee, Los Angeles, CA Victor Stewart, Columbia, MD	301.04	7.56
13			3			Allen L Morton, New York, NY Cheryll C Jones, Jamaica, NY	300.25	4.54
			2			Barbara Hutson, Detroit, MI Iliad Chanay Jr., Ellenwood, GA	295.75	5.67
			2			Harold Singleton III, South Orange, Jerrie Thomas, Upper Marlboro, MD	295.36	5.67
			3			Jimmy Pelham, Jamaica, NY Nathaniel Cook, Atlanta, GA	289.72	4.54
			4			Alma V Johnson, DeSoto, TX Ann Sims, Richardson, TX	288.33	3.78
			3			Bill Sides, Burbank, CA Alice P Brown, Midlothian, VA	283.63	4.54
			3			Henry G Irwin Jr., Austin, TX Mary M Young, Durham, NC	276.41	4.54
			4			Linda J Dunn, Chicago, IL Lionel O Barton, Missouri City, TX	276.04	3.78

Side Game 8/12/2016 9:00 AM Tables: 13

Over All Rank

Section

A	B	C	A	B	C	Pairs	Scores	MPA
1			1			Cleveland Fleming, Buffalo, NY Leroy Thompson Jr., Detroit, MI	178.50	11.68
2			1			Leroy Wilson Jr., Inglewood, CA Robert J Friend, Irvine, CA	166.50	8.76
3			2			Reuben E Russell, Detroit, MI Nathaniel Cook, Atlanta, GA	165.50	7.01
4			3			Iliad Chanay Jr., Ellenwood, GA Barbara Hutson, Detroit, MI	162.50	5.84
5			2			Aldis Raymond, Chesapeake, VA Leon C Ragland, Suffolk, VA	161.50	5.26
6			4			Julius C Fields, New York, NY William P Foster, Silver Spring, MD	156.00	4.67
1			3	1		Gloria Shannon, Los Angeles, CA Carnell Wingfield, Hawthorne, CA	151.00	8.12
2			4	2		Shirley M Johnson, Bellevue, WA Annette Hall, ,	148.00	6.09
3	1		5	3	1	Pamela Schooler, , Reuben Schooler, ,	147.50	6.06
4	2		4	2		Sarah R Ayers, Chicago, IL Earl Duffin, ,	146.50	4.55
			5			Jewel Dixon, Austin, TX Frances Robinson, Kansas City, KS	130.50	0.93
	3		1	1	1	Traci Stukes, Jamaica, NY Yvonne Ebea, Bronx, NY	124.50	3.64
			2	2	2	Barbara Wingate, , Richard Rogers, Cambria Heights, NY	123.50	1.09
			3		3	Patricia H Purcell, Wilmington, DE Ruth Battle, ,	120.50	0.65

Awards Brunch



This is an awards brunch you don't want to miss!! Come and celebrate the milestone achievements of bridge sisters and brothers from around the nation while simultaneously hailing the historic evolution of our American Bridge Association. And you know it wouldn't be authentic without the music and movements that are so endemic to our culture – the rhythms and lyrics that have helped sustain us through the years. So isn't it fitting that The National Hand Dance Association, another legacy institution, would aid us in pulling off this festive affair? No, you don't want to miss this one. Sign up today.

Side game 8/12/2016 1:30 PM Tables:19

Over All Rank			Section Rank			Pairs	Scores	MPA
A	B	C	A	B	C			
1			1			Jewel Chapman, Ft Washington, MD Willetta Phipps, Atlanta, GA	253.00	11.85
2			1			James Hunter, Cleveland, OH Hedy H Echard, Durham, NC	238.00	8.89
3			2			Iliad Chanay Jr., Ellenwood, GA Barbara Hutson, Detroit, MI	235.00	7.11
4/5	1/2		2	1		Shirley M Johnson, Bellevue, WA Annette Hall, ,	228.50	7.16
4/5	1/2	1	1	1	1	William R Smith, Lawrence, GA Willie Fuchs, ,	228.50	7.16
6			1			James D Pruitt, Los Angeles, CA Andreda Pruitt, Los Angeles, CA	209.00	4.74
7	3	2	2	1	1	Patricia Singleton, East St Louis Carolyn Stacker, East St Louis	205.50	4.91
8			2			Rubbie Brown, Kansas City, MO Dorothea B Avant, Chicago, IL	205.00	3.56
9			3			Morris Johnson, Brooklyn, NY Gloria A Johnson, Brooklyn, NY	204.00	2.96
			3			Elizabeth Alexander, Memphis, TN Larry Cooke, Indianapolis, IN	203.00	1.24
4	3		3	2	2	Lorraine K Marchman, Chicago, IL Sharon Everett, ,	203.00	4.09
5			4	2		Elizabeth Moseley, Woodstock, MD Ray H Moseley, Woodstock, MD	200.50	3.68
			3			Barbara Emerson Adams, Warren, OH Dorothy Nance, Duncanville, TX	199.50	1.24
			4			Gloria V Cooper, Houston, TX Lovie L Lynch, Houston, TX	192.50	1.04
6	4		4	2	2	Goldie Q Wood, Randallstown, MD Judson Wood, Randallstown, MD	192.00	3.27
					1	Deborah Crockett, , Anna L Haynes, Ft Washington, MD	165.50	1.10
			4	1	1	Lois Francis, Brooklyn, NY Geraldine Zachery, Philly, PA	162.00	1.46
			2	2	2	Evelyn Washington, Philly, PA Jean Turk, Philly, PA	156.50	1.10

Speedball Swiss

8/12/2016

9:00 AM

Tables: 30

Over All
Rank

Section

A	B	C	A	B	C	Pairs	Scores	MPA
1						Eldridge A Brown, Chicago, IL JoAnn Thompson, Chicago, IL Linda J Dunn, Chicago, IL Regena Edwards, Laurel, MD	73.00	16.32
2						Andreda Pruitt, Los Angeles, CA Mervin Jones, Wilmington, DE Catherine Jones, Wilmington, DE James D Pruitt, Los Angeles CA	67.00	12.24
3						James R Brown, Stone Mountain, GA Shirley L Williams, Atlanta, GA Anderson C Williams, Atlanta, GA Estelle Lavender, Birmingham, AL	66.00	9.79
4						Harold Singleton III, South Orange Chester G Johnson, Chicago, IL Winston O Edwards, Laurel, MD Jimmy Pelham, Jamaica, NY	65.00	8.16
5	1					Brenda G Polk, Portland, OR Karen E Tillis, Tacoma, WA Travis Curry, Mukilteo, WA Carolyn Curry, Mukilteo, WA	64.00	11.95
6/7						Larry Cooke, Indianapolis, IN Elizabeth Alexander, Memphis, TN Carrie Grady, Charlotte, NC Paul Grady, Charlotte, NC	61.00	6.12
6/7	2					Angela T Jones, Wilmington, DE Florence Carter, Cleveland Hgts Barbara Emerson Adams, Warren, OH Don Scott, Portsmouth, VA	61.00	8.96
	3	1				Barbara Davis, Philadelphia, PA Andrew H Ransom, Silver Spring, MD Charles Coffey, Laurel, MD Anola Vance, Philadelphia, PA	60.00	9.35
						M Errol Grant, W Hempstead, NY Parvez Mehta, Bronx, NY Morris Johnson, Brooklyn, NY Gloria A Johnson, Brooklyn, NY	58.00	4.50
						Annetta E Wallace, Jamaica, NY Faye Hines, Conyers, GA Ednelvyn Evans, Durham, NC Mary M Young, Durham, NC	57.00	3.75
	4					Dwight Bush, Gadsden, AL Robbie Battle, Macon, GA Andrew R Echols, Macon, GA Gloria Simmons, Fayetteville, GA	57.00	5.98

Speedball Swiss 8/12/2016 9:00 AM Tables: 30

Over All		Section		Scores	MPA
A	B	C	Pairs		
			Norman James, Chicago, IL Mattie Young, Country Club Hills Dorris West-Sides, Kansas City, MO Dorothy Nance, Duncanville, TX	56.00	6.00
5/6	2/3		Eula Thomas, Clinton, MD Katherine Marshall, DC Elve C King, Washington, DC Virginia Brockington, Springfield, VA	51.00	6.31
5/6	2/3		Catherine Chiles, Columbia, SC Letitia Dyson, Washington, DC Saundra Jones, Brentwood, NY Rhoda L Kimbrough, Hazel Crest, IL	51.00	6.31
			James Hunter, Cleveland, OH Leola C Rucker, Dayton, OH Louis S Garner, Temple Hills, MD Hedy H Echard, Durham, NC	50.00	3.00
			Katherine Miller, Richmond, VA Lillian Holeman, Fairburn, GA Bettie Harden, Atlanta, GA Betty P Spencer, Austell, GA	49.00	4.50
		4	Barbara Reed, St Louis, MO Reva Hutchins, Springfield, OH Carole Fields, Florissant, MO Alberta L Smith, Los Angeles, CA	49.00	4.68
			Cheryl Alphin Ward, St. Louis, MO Theresa Baker, St Louis, MO Enaid Savage, , Patricia Singleton, East St Louis	48.00	3.00
			Lizzie Mathis, Bear, DE Lola H LeCounte, Bowie, MD Alice Creighton, Richmond, VA V Adean Butler, Richmond, VA	47.00	4.50
			Shirleana Hoskins, St Louis, MO Celestine Tillman, Gardena, CA Annie Mays, , Felecia Peavy,	46.00	4.50
			Rubbie Brown, Kansas City, MO Dorothea B Avant, Chicago, IL Doris Gardner, St Louis, MO George Johnson, St Louis, MO	45.00	3.00
			James O Morgan, Cypress, TX Brenda Metze, Houston, TX Alma V Johnson, DeSoto, TX Ann Sims, Richardson, TX	43.00	3.00

Speedball Swiss 8/12/2016 9:00 AM Tables: 30

Over All Rank			Section			Pairs	Scores	MPA
A	B	C	A	B	C			
						Lewis Cleveland, New Carrollton Linda Lindsay, Hyattsville, MD Sandra True, Potomac, MD Wilma Bonner, Washington DC	43.00	1.50
						Doris J Green, Hazel Crest, IL Irene Davis, Chicago, IL Virginia Dixon, Conyers, GA Barbara A Jackson, Lithonia, GA	43.00	4.50
						Cecilia Willis, Wilmington, DE Mildred R Holmes, Wilmington, DE Alice C Butler, Bronx, NY Bernice Williams, New York, NY	36.00	1.50
						Lynda Straker, West Hempstead, NY Janice McBean, Rockville Centre, NY Edna Boothe, Freeport, NY Doris White, Rockville Center, NY	35.00	1.50
						Marian Mercer, Brooklyn, NY Gloria Allen, Hollis, NY Betty Sherrill, Brooklyn, NY Deloris Crosse, Brooklyn, NY	33.00	1.50
						Daisy Smith, Silver Spring, MD Yvonne Paul, Richmond Hgts, OH Cassandre Wallace, Indianapolis, IN Rosemary Bickham, Carmel, IN	31.00	1.50
						Doanne E Jackson, Buffalo, NY Arnicia Downing, Washington, DC Marjorie B Allen, Dayton, OH Thomas Bridgwaters, Indianapolis, IN	23.00	1.50

ALERT

A PENALTY WILL BE ASSESSED IF YOU ARE NOT IN YOUR SEAT AT THREE (3) MINUTES BEFORE GAME TIME FOR ALL PAIR GAMES. THE PENALTIES FOR LATENESS DURING A TEAM GAME ARE LISTED IN THE CONDITIONS OF CONTEST FOR THE TEAM GAMES.