



55+ BC Games

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Bridge, Duplicate

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1. **Age Categories:** Men and Women 55 +

2. **Events:** Duplicate Bridge

3. **Participation:**

Maximum of nine pairs per Zone; three pairs from Zero to 300 Master Points, and three pairs from 301 to 750 Master Points and three pairs with more than 751 Master Points.

- (i) All players must play in the category in which they are registered when they arrive at the Games.
- (ii) If a 301+ master points player is unable to find a 301+ partner, it is permissible to partner with a 300-player provided it does not prevent a 301+ player from competing. The resulting pair must compete in the 301+ category. The same rule applies to a 751 master points player.

4. **Competition:**

- (i) Standard rules for playing and scoring as laid down by the American Contract Bridge League shall be followed.
- (ii) An A.C.B.L. Certified (Qualified) non-playing Director shall be in charge of each session.
- (iii) A session shall be a minimum of 24 Boards, two sessions per day **for two days (Thursday and Friday) and one Medal Session (Saturday morning).** **Suggested schedule:**
 - Thursday: 9 to 11:30 am 1 to 3:30 pm**
 - Friday: 9 to 11:30 am 1 to 3:30 pm**
 - Saturday: 9 to 11:30 am (Presentations to follow)**
- (iv) The Movement, and Conventions permitted, shall be at the discretion of the Director.
- (v) Total Match Point score will be used.
- (vi) In the case of a tie, the pair, which scored highest against the pair with whom they are tied, shall be declared as finishing higher in the standings.
- (vii) Duplicate Bridge should be played in a separate room from Social Bridge.
- (viii) The Host Society shall obtain an official sanction for this meet from the A.C.B.L. and award the appropriate Master Points.
- (ix) All conversation shall be in English while competition is in progress.

5. **Medals:**

Gold, Silver and Bronze medals will be presented to the top three pairs in 0-300 Master Points, 301 to 750 Master Points, and 751+ Master Points.

BRIDGE SCORING CHART

Not Vulnerable				Vulnerable			Not Vulnerable				Vulnerable					
BID	MADE	UNDBL	DBL	RDBL	UNDBL	DBL	RDBL	BID	MADE	UNDBL	DBL	RDBL	UNDBL	DBL	RDBL	
1♠-1♦	1	70	140	230	70	140	230	4♠-4♦	4	130	510	720	130	710	920	
	2	90	240	430	90	340	630		5	150	610	920	150	910	1320	
	3	110	340	630	110	540	1030		6	170	710	1120	170	1110	1720	
	4	130	440	830	130	740	1430		7	190	810	1320	190	1310	2120	
	5	150	540	1030	150	940	1830		4♥-4♠	4	420	590	880	620	790	1080
	6	170	640	1230	170	1140	2230			5	450	690	1080	650	990	1480
	7	190	740	1430	190	1340	2630			6	480	790	1280	680	1190	1880
1♥-1♠	1	80	160	520	80	160	720	7	510	890	1480	710	1390	2280		
	2	110	260	720	110	360	1120	4NT	4	430	610	920	630	810	1120	
	3	140	360	920	140	560	1520		5	460	710	1120	660	1010	1520	
	4	170	460	1120	170	760	1920		6	490	810	1320	690	1210	1920	
	5	200	560	1320	200	960	2320	7	520	910	1520	720	1410	2320		
	6	230	660	1520	230	1160	2720	5♠-5♦	5	400	550	800	600	750	1000	
	7	260	760	1720	260	1360	3120		6	420	650	1000	620	950	1400	
1NT	1	90	180	560	90	180	760		7	440	750	1200	640	1150	1800	
	2	120	280	760	120	380	1160	5♥-5♠	5	450	650	1000	650	850	1200	
	3	150	380	960	150	580	1560		6	480	750	1200	680	1050	1600	
	4	180	480	1160	180	780	1960		7	510	850	1400	710	1250	2000	
	5	210	580	1360	210	980	2360	5NT	5	460	670	1040	660	870	1240	
	6	240	680	1560	240	1180	2760		6	490	770	1240	690	1070	1640	
	7	270	780	1760	270	1380	3160		7	520	870	1440	720	1270	2040	
2♠-2♦	2	90	180	560	90	180	760	6♠-6♦	6	920	1090	1380	1370	1540	1830	
	3	110	280	760	110	380	1160		7	940	1190	1580	1390	1740	2230	
	4	130	380	960	130	580	1560		6♥-6♠	6	980	1210	1620	1430	1660	2070
	5	150	480	1160	150	780	1960	7		1010	1310	1820	1460	1860	2470	
	6	170	580	1360	170	980	2360	6NT		6	990	1230	1660	1440	1680	2110
	7	190	680	1560	190	1180	2760		7	1020	1330	1860	1470	1880	2510	
	2♥-2♠	2	110	470	640	110	670		840	7♠-7♦	7	1440	1630	1960	2140	2330
3		140	570	840	140	870	1240	7♥-7♠	7		1510	1770	2240	2210	2470	2940
4		170	670	1040	170	1070	1640		7NT		7	1520	1790	2280	2220	2490
5		200	770	1240	200	1270	2040									
6		230	870	1440	230	1470	2440									
7		260	970	1640	260	1670	2840									
2NT		2	120	490	680	120	690	880	DEFEATED				CONTRACTS			
	3	150	590	880	150	890	1280	Not Vulnerable			Vulnerable					
	4	180	690	1080	180	1090	1680	<u>DOWN</u>	<u>UNDBL</u>	<u>DBL</u>	<u>RDBL</u>	<u>UNDBL</u>	<u>DBL</u>	<u>RDBL</u>		
	5	210	790	1280	210	1290	2080	1	50	100	200	100	200	400		
	6	240	890	1480	240	1490	2480	2	100	300	600	200	500	1000		
	7	270	990	1680	270	1690	2880	3	150	500	1000	300	800	1600		
	3♠-3♦	3	110	470	640	110	670	840	4	200	800	1600	400	1100	2200	
4		130	570	840	130	870	1240	5	250	1100	2200	500	1400	2800		
5		150	670	1040	150	1070	1640	6	300	1400	2800	600	1700	3400		
6		170	770	1240	170	1270	2040	7	350	1700	3400	700	2000	4000		
7		190	870	1440	190	1470	2440	8	400	2000	4000	800	2300	4600		
3♥-3♠		3	140	530	760	140	730	960	9	450	2300	4600	900	2600	5200	
		4	170	630	960	170	930	1360	10	500	2600	5200	1000	2900	5800	
	5	200	730	1160	200	1130	1760	11	550	2900	5800	1100	3200	6400		
	6	230	830	1360	230	1330	2160	12	600	3200	6400	1200	3500	7000		
	7	260	930	1560	260	1530	2560	13	650	3500	7000	1300	3800	7600		
	3NT	3	400	550	800	600	750	1000								
		4	430	650	1000	630	950	1400								
5		460	750	1200	660	1150	1800									
6		490	850	1400	690	1350	2200									
7		520	950	1600	720	1550	2600									