

Mat Chat

January 31, 2019



Birthdays

At the end of January we celebrated those members whose birthdays are in January; Gill Collinson, Brenda Cooper, David Klooz, Berkeley Lambert, Denise Lundy, Ray Pettit, and Paul Rogers: and those members whose birthdays are in May; Jim Cooper, Diane Harry, Rory MacCon, Heather Quick, Wes Turner, Elly Warren and Mary Watson.



Present for the photograph from left to right are: Jim Cooper, Diane Harry, Denise Lundy, David Klooz, Brenda Cooper, Berkeley Lambert, Mary Watson, Ray Pettit, and Elly Warren.

Top Scores for January

Here are the scores for January. The top scores are those members who scored 50% or more based on a minimum of 10 games.

	Games	Points	Percent
1. Turner, Wes	13	10.5	80.8
2. Watson, George	12	8.5	70.8
3. Ketcheson, Marg	20	14.0	70.0
4. Harry, Diane	14	9.5	67.9
5. McHoull, Paul	19	12.0	63.2
6. McHoull, Mary	13	8.0	61.5
7. Davis, Terry	14	8.5	60.7
8. Taylor, David	20	12.0	60.0
9. Twose, John	10	6.0	60.0
10. MacCon, Rory	12	7.0	58.3
11. Stewart, Jim	11	6.0	54.5
12. Venn, Brian	12	6.5	54.2

Pairs League

The Pairs League begins the second session for this season on Friday, February 1. The pairs in this series are Carol and Doug Williams, Mary and Paul McHoull, George Watson and Berkeley Lambert, Diane Harry and Marg Ketcheson, and Angela Lynch and Sandi Johnston.

Tea

Thank you to Heather Pettit for getting the cake and draw prizes and to Joan Klooz for helping with setting up for the tea and collecting the money. Thank you to Heather Pettit, Joan Klooz, Barb Jones, Donna Twose and Jackie Taylor for the additional help serving and cleaning up.



Winners of the Draw



Paul McHoull with Denise Lundy



Paul McHoull with Mary Watson



Paul McHoull with Marg Ketcheson

Tales from the Lighter Side

An animal orthodontist who practiced in Iowa was called one day by a frantic farmer in Australia. "Help sir!" he cried, "I just got braces and orthodontic equipment for 100 of my sheep, and the local sheep orthodontist just died! I need a responsible animal dentist to come care for my flock!" The orthodontist was moved, and a good price was offered, so he promptly flew to Australia for what he figured would be a week or two of work. But he found that he was entirely unfamiliar with the orthodontic equipment the sheep had been given, and he spent a whole six months in Australia trying to figure out the foreign braces. When at last he boarded a plane for home, after half a year of frustrating work, he sighed with happiness. At last", he said, "I'll be seeing ewes in all the old familiar braces!"

A mother pig was walking through the barnyard one day with one of her piglets. Suddenly, a raccoon raced out from behind the barn and scared the living daylights out of the mother pig. The little hog laughed to see such sport and the sow jumped over the coon.

The jockey saw the horse groom sprinkling something behind his horse's neck. "What's that?" asked the jockey. "It's yeast", answered the groom. "This will discourage birds from mistakenly building nests in your horse's beautiful mane." "Will that really work?" asked the jockey. Of course!" replied the groom, "for yeast is yeast and nest is nest, and never the mane shall tweet."



"Based on your current condition, I should probably throw the rest of those leftovers away."



"I've crunched the numbers in your retirement account. It's time to figure out who will be wearing the mask and who will be driving the getaway car."

