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1998 COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE TWELFTH COUNCIL MEETING

Date & Time : 13th January, 1999 at 7:00 p.m.

Venue : Conference Room, Ngo Kee Construction Co. Ltd.
23/F Oterprise Square

Present :	Derek Zen (Chairman)	(DZ)	Chris Chung	(CC)
	Anthony Ching	(AC)	Seneca Kwan	(SK)
	Steve Wong	(SW)	Alex Leigh	(AL)
	Chan Yiu	(CY)	J. M. Shen	(JMS)
	Daniel Chui	(DC)	C.C. Wong	(CCW)

Absent (with apologies):	Amy Yeung	(AY)
	Irene Ho	(IH)

ACTION

1. The minutes of the last meeting prepared by AY was read and adopted with the following amendments:

1.1 Club Venue

Add "From 1/4/1999 onwards," to the beginning.

3.3 PABF 1999

Action should be taken by CW instead of CC.

3.7 Supply of Bridge Accessories

The \$5,000 deposit should be with the printer rather than with IH.

4.1 AGM

Add "DZ will contact Raymond Chow of Golden Harvest for arranging guest for prize presentation at AGM."

2. Matters arising from last minutes.

DZ has sent warning letters to Roger Choi and Nelson Hsi regarding incident in Ladder Pairs 10 on 19/10/1998.

3. Progress on Various Matters

(a) Intercity 1999

The revised proposal prepared by AC was tabled for discussion. Overseas team will be charged at HK\$6,000 per team, with HK\$1,000 discount if they book at least 10 room nights through us. It was resolved that Intercity 1999 will be held at Hotel Miramar from 18th to 22nd August 1999. Hotel Miramar was chosen instead of the other 2 short-listed hotels, namely Great Eagle Hotel and Hotel Nikko, because of its price competitiveness and spacious ball room available. CC will draft an announcement later regarding registration of local teams and details on trial, if

CC

any.

There will be a Celebrity Contest if the Governor, Mr. Tung Chee Hwa, agrees to participate.

(b) Youth Camp

17 out of 30 registered for this camp showed up on 9/1/1999. JM clarified the purpose of this camp to them and 2 pairs registered for youth team selection for PABF 1999. An IMP pair game was then arranged and results will be analyzed by JM later.

JM

For 4 consecutive weekends beginning end of February, training sessions will be focused on formalities, Bidding, partnership understanding and youth team selection for PABF 1999. DZ, Nelson Hsi, Samuel Wan David Chan and AC have agreed to be trainers. Apart from those 7 pairs registered for youth team selection, other are welcome as observers.

(c) Club Venue

Mariners' Club had confirmed our booking for all tournament dates after 1/4/1999.

Alice Yau of Klaxon Ltd., landlord of our existing clubhouse, contacted SW on 9/1/1999 and acknowledged receipt of the letter sent by DZ regarding early termination of our lease with them. She will contract her boss, Mr. Hussain, and come back to us later. If no reply is received before 15/1/1999, DZ will send another letter to the landlord.

DZ

(d) PABF 1999

The Chinese Bridge Association has confirmed that PABF 1999 will be held at World Trade Centre Grand Hotel Zhejiang from 20th to 30th May 1999. So far, only 1 team consisting of AY, Monica Chan, Ella Graca and Yvonne Chun registered for ladies team selection. Deadline for registration is 31/1/1999.

It was resolved that DZ will be the non-playing captain of the youth team for PABF 1999.

(e) Finance

Preliminarily, the Association recorded a deficit of HK\$172,618.95 for 1998. SW found that 40% of receipts from drinks were not accounted for.

It was resolved that long overdue receivables relating to Intercity totaling HK\$31,500 will be written off as uncollectible.

4. A.O.B.

(a) Tournament schedule up to 31/3/1999 prepared by AC was

- circulated and approved. AC will finalise the schedule for the rest of 1999 tomorrow and circulate for comments. AC
- (b) AGM Preparation
 SW will contact winners of 1997 to return their trophies to Perfect for engraving. SW
 CW will update the special voting members list and circulate for comments. Any addition or removal will be finalised in the next council meeting. CW
 AY will contact Christine Booth for minutes of AGM 1998 and SW will send notice to all members on or before 5/2/1999. AY
 SK will arrange flowers for guest at AGM and be responsible for photo taking. SW
 IH will ask Ricky Chu to be master of ceremony at AGM. IH
- (c) Only 1 team registered for GP49 team held concurrently with Ladder Team Play-off. It was resolved that tournament fee collected will be refunded and no gold point will be awarded.
- (d) It was resolved that Terence Mak will be the trainer for the bridge class at Jockey Club HK.
5. Date of Next Meeting
 The next Council Meeting will be held at the same venue on Thursday, 11th February, 1999 at 6:30 p.m.
 There being no other business, the meeting was adjourned at 8:15 p.m.

Steve Wong
 Ag. Hon. Secretary

**1998 COUNCIL
 MINUTES OF THE THIRTEENTH COUNCIL MEETING**

Date & Time : 11th February, 1999 at 7:00 p.m.
 Venue : Conference Room, Ngo Kee Construction Co. Ltd.
 23/F Oterprise Square

Present : Derek Zen (Chairman) (DZ) Irene Ho (IH)
 Anthony Ching (AC) Alex Leigh (AL)
 Steve Wong (SW) J. M. Shen (JMS)
 Daniel Chui (DC) C.C. Wong (CCW)

Absent (with apologies): Chan Yiu (CY) Seneca Kwan (SK)
 Chris Chung (CC) Amy Yeung (AY)

ACTION

1. The minutes of the last meeting prepared by SW was read and adopted with the following amendments:-
- 3(a) Intercity 1999
 CW, rather than CC, will draft an announcement later regarding registration of local teams and details on trial, if any. CW
2. Matters arising from last minutes.
 JM has yet to analyze the results of the IMP pair game amongst those who attended the Youth gathering on 9/1/1999. JM
3. Progress on Various Matters
- (a) AGM Preparation
 The Special Voting Members' List for 1998 was circulated for comments. It was resolved that Terence Tung, York Liao, Edmund Tse, Stephen Kwok and Henry Lam be nominated as new special voting members while Pauline Au, Charles Poon, H.J. Remedios and H.L. Yu be temporarily suspended from being special voting members pending renewal of their membership. DZ' secretary will remind these special voting members to come to AGM on 26/2/1999. DZ
 DZ advised that Golden Harvest has not yet confirmed which movie star will be our guest at AGM.
 All trophies except Life Master Pairs had been returned to Perfect for engraving. SW will follow up with Fu Kwan, the 1997 winner, to return the cup before Chinese New Year. Perfect has agreed to keep those trophies not retained by winners in their warehouse in Sanpokong but the Association has to pay for transportation charges involved. CW will be responsible for marking down those 1998 winners that wish to retain their trophies for 1999. CW
 The Woo Tsing Memorial Cup (Ladderette Team) will be kept by DZ after 1999 until Ladderette Team is re-introduced. Members are reminded that the overall winner of the new Monthly Swiss Team will not be entitled to any cup. It was resolved that a new trophy worth about HK\$2,000 will be ordered to replace the broken Y. T. Fong Memorial Cup (Quadruple Pairs). CW
 CW will prepare necessary ballot paper for AGM. CW
- (b) PABF 1999
 Lawrence Lau's team had won the play-off and will represent Hong Kong in the Open Section. CW will urge them to advise the name of their non-playing captain and any change in players for CW

approval by the new Council in the next meeting.

AY advised earlier that Fatana Waller and Shirley Leung be added to their team. No other team has registered for Ladies Team selection. It was resolved that AY's team will represent Hong Kong in the Ladies Section. However, Fatana Waller may only join their team provided that she gives a proper explanation to the new Council for her last minute withdrawal from the Ladies Team for 1996 World Team Olympiad in Greece and she agrees to undertake such thing will not happen again. SW will draft a letter to her, with copy sent to AY, the team captain, requesting the above and the submission of the name of their non-playing captain. CW will remind the NPC of the Open, Ladies and Youth teams to make hotel reservation and to send their photos and system notes to the Chinese Bridge Association before 31/3/1999. In particular, all system notes must be reviewed by AC first to avoid the use of disallowed systems.

SW

(c) Intercity 1999

Based on the revised budget prepared by AC, it requires about HK\$62,000 from sponsorship/advertisement to break even. Contract has been signed with Hotel Miramar. A vote of thanks was extended by the Council to Samuel Wan for arranging this package. Invitation letters will be sent out in early March and during PABF 1999 in Hangzhou in May.

(d) Venue

The landlord has since agreed to terminate our tenancy agreement for the clubhouse after 31/3/1999 on the condition that the 2-month deposit be forfeited. After collectively endorsed by all council members, DZ has written a letter to accept their offer.

Notice will be posted at clubhouse and be put on internet by CW requesting members to bid for assets at clubhouse before 15/3/1999. Mariners' Club will not be available on 5 tournament dates before end of June. IH will book Chung Ngan Club for these dates. Besides, IH will visit a possible venue at Melbourne Plaza in Central introduced by David C.C. Ng. DZ will contact LRC in case of emergency.

CW

IH

After the removal, IH's office will become the Association's contact point (Tel. No. 2765 6036, Fax No. 2363 3175). The duplimate machine will be kept in DZ's office. Computer dealt hands can be obtained from DZ's secretary prior to the start of

tournament.

(e) Finance

An updated balance sheet and P&L Account prepared by SW was tabled for discussion. Cashflow will be very tight as current assets are just sufficient to cover current liabilities, Members are encouraged to donate their 1998 prize points. Council members present all agreed to do this first.

Total membership had dropped from 292 in 1997 to 252 in 1998 (87 Life, 110 Ordinary, 7 Senior and 48 Student). The next council should devote more efforts in raising membership, especially life membership.

(f) Tournament Schedule for 1999

The tournament Schedule prepared by AC was circulated for comments. Changes will be made by AC to schedule Open Team of Four in June and to schedule Ladder Team play-off during weekend. The revised schedule will again be circulated for comments before end of February.

AC

4. A.O.B.

(a) Members are concerned with the statement on the Chairman's Report that "over 40% of our member simply didn't pay for the drinks". In fact, it is just 40% of receipts from drinks were not accounted for.

(b) Nelson Hsi is the winner of T S Lo Cup for 1998.

(c) AC will condense the e-mail address of the Association to only one to avoid confusion to the public.

(d) It was resolved that cheque can be accepted as deposit for any appeal case.

(e) AC will issue a circular to all directors instructing them to put our Mariners' Club bill on account if tournament receipts are not enough.

(f) It was resolved that fee for new apprenticeship directors is HK\$100 per session.

There being no other business, the meeting was adjourned at 8:40 p.m.

Steve Wong
Ag. Hon. Secretary

再談 1998 年美國橋牌選拔賽 (一)

1998 U.S.A. Trials (II)

在 Bridgzette 1998 年 11 月哪一期，我們介紹了美國橋牌選拔賽的部份比賽，因該比賽屬於美國最高水平的比賽，現再將半決賽的部份精采牌例介紹如下：

In our last issue, we had briefly reported on the 1998 USA Trials, as this was bridge in its highest level, as far as the USA was concerned, we wished to relate more on it.

(1)	♠J87		
	♥AQ6		
	♦J10		
	♣KJ1094		
♠63		♠94	
♥10983	GAME N/S	♥K74	
♦AK543	DEALER W	♦Q96	
♣52		♣A8763	
	♠AKQ1052		
	♥J52		
	♦872		
	♣Q		

半決賽共有四隊，其中兩隊叫到由南主打 4S。只要不攻♣，在♦A，K 之後立刻出♥，南是無論如何也打不成 4S 的，在專家水平級的比賽中，是不會錯的。所以二隊都是下一，平牌。

但在另二隊比賽中，均叫到由北主打 3NT，二桌叫牌完全相同：

In the semi-finals, 2 teams contracted in 4S with South as declarer, DA, DK, were led and continued, now a Heart switch would defeat the contract duly found by both expert Wests; note how you should signal for a Heart switch.

In the other match, both Norths declared in 3NT instead, bidding:

W	N	E	S
-	1C	-	1S
-	1NT	-	3NT
All pass			

二桌首攻都是小♣，在明手♣Q 贏得後，都是連打 6 輪♠，坐東的 Soloway 卻墊去♣3，♦6，♦9，♦Q，西墊去二張♥，二張♦，這時定約已必成。防守方最多只能拿到♦A，♦K，♥K，♣A。另一桌墊牌正常，即西墊去三張♥，一張♦，東墊去三張♣，一張♥，當然莊家怎麼打都只有八墩牌。奇怪的是何以 Soloway 會以為留着♣能擊敗定約呢？同伴一定沒有♣K，而且不可能同時具有♣J，10，9 三張。這樣留着♣8，7 幾乎一定無用。

Clubs were led, won by Q, followed with 6 Spades tricks, Soloway for his

own reasonings discarded C3 and all 3 Diamonds, West Hamman, 2 Hearts and 2 diamonds. The contract now became undefeatable with defense taking only DA, DK, HK and CA. West, in the other room, discarded more normally, 3 Heats and one Diamond; East 3 Clubs, 1 Heart. Surely, declarer had 8 tricks only. It was queer Soloway chose this defense, surely Hamman wouldn't have CK nor CJ, 10, 9, so C8 and 7 should be dispensable.

(2)	♠9642		
	♥AJ10843		
	♦109		
	♣8		
♠AK5		♠QJ107	
♥5	GAME ALL	♥9	
♦A	DEALER N	♦QJ6532	
♣Q10965432		♣K7	
	♠83		
	♥KQ762		
	♦K874		
	♣AJ		

三桌都叫到 5♣，一桌 Nickell 叫到 5♥。
3 Wests played in 5C, Nickell played in 5H (doubled).

W	N	E	S
	-	-	1H
2C	4H	-	-
5C	5H	-	-
Dbf	All pass		

首攻♠K，東出♠Q，表示有♠J，西出♦A，再♠到東，將吃♦二下。SK was led, East played Q, guaranteed his J, west the DA and Sx to J for a Diamond ruff, 2 down.

另二桌由於北開叫 2♥，南只能加到 4♥，在 5♣ 之後南有防守力量，所以就未叫到 5♥，結果輸 3 IMP。

In the other room, N opened 2H, note the aggressiveness and 4 Spades; South raised to game and decided he had a fair hand to defend against 5C.

(3) 有二桌都叫到 6♣，一桌由東主打。叫牌：
6C was reached in 2 tables bidding in one was:

W	N	E	S
		1C	3D
4C	5D	-	-
6C	All pass		

♠J54
 ♥AJ83
 ♦Q862
 ♣Q3
 ♠AKQ87
 ♥Q1095
 ♦A7
 ♣84
 ♠102
 ♥K742
 ♦-
 ♣AKJ10972
**LOVE ALL
 DEALER E**
 ♠953
 ♥6
 ♦KJ109543
 ♣65

坐東是 Cohen (他們打 aggressive standard precision 制度)，南首攻單張♥，一下。一桌由西主打的叫牌：

East was L. Cohen who opened 1C in their Aggressive Standard Precision; South led his singleton and got his ruff, 1 down. The other bidding:

W	N	E	S
4C	4D	1S	3D
5D	-	4H	-
		6C	All pass

北家也首攻♥，出♥A，再出♥，一下。平牌一付。另二桌合約都是 6H。North led HA and continued another, also 1 down. In the other match, 6H was the final contract in both rooms.

W	N	E	S
Hamman		Soloway	
4C	4D	1S	3D
6H	All pass	4H	-

南首攻♦J，東用♦A得，出♥K，北出小忍讓，大概他希望莊家認為北的♥為 Axx，南為 Jx，這樣莊家第二墩將出♥Q，定約將不能完成。但這次做莊的是 Soloway，由於南阻擊叫 3D，所以他判斷北有♥A，因而第二墩出♥10 贏得。南墊牌情況已很清楚，於是莊家拔♠A，♠K，這是避免在連出♠時，防家墊去♠，被“鎖”在明手的安全打法，打得好！最後由於♣是 2-2 分佈，莊家已可攤牌成約。

South led DJ, Ace won and H5 to dummy's K, ducked, perhaps hoping for Soloway would play South for Jx and hop up his Q when a 2nd trump was played. Soloway however, probably influenced by S's 3D overcall, played H10 on the trump continuation. He next carefully played off 2 top Spades to prevent North's discards here when the Clubs were run. There were no further problems when the

Clubs proved to be 2-2.

另一桌叫牌：The other bidding

W	N	E	S
	Nickell		Freeman
		1S	-
2C	-	2H	-
4D	-	4NT	-
6C	-	6H	All pass

由於南沒有叫牌，增加西讀牌困難。首攻♣5，明手贏得後出♠A 回手，出♥到♥K 及♥A，北再出♠，莊家進手後，怕♣是 3-1 分配，於是拔♥Q，希望有一家♥是 Jx 二張，結果事與願違，再出♣飛南♣Q，不幸又失手，北出♥J，再♥，牌被“鎖”在莊家手上，最後還要失一副♦，下三。

As South did not overcall, card-reading here was more difficult. Freeman led C5, dummy won; Spade to hand for Hx to dummy's King and North's A who exited in Spade. Declarer fearing a 3-1 Club split, played HQ next hoping for Jx in either hand, vainly, he next finessed Club, losing. North then played HJ and H8, locking declarer in his own hand and shutting out dummy, 3 down, losing another Diamond.

(4)

♠K52	♠AQ94
♥AK	♥J93
♦Q6	♦A987
♣AQJ865	♣K2
♠1076	GAME N/S
♥Q8765	DEALER E
♦K	
♣10743	
	♠J83
	♥1042
	♦J105432
	♣9

此牌北家拿着 19 分，要他不叫實在很困難，有二桌均叫到 3C 結果分別為一下和二下。

North held some 19 pts and a good suit, but 3C proved to be too high a trick or two here.

W	N	E	S
1H	2C	1D	-
2H	Dbl	Dbl	-
		-	3C
			All pass

南只有單張♣，也只好叫 3C，另一桌叫牌：

W	N	E	S
		1D	-
1H	DbI	2H	-
-	3C	All pass	

還有二桌的叫牌：

And bidding at the other 2 tables:

W	N	E	S
	Meckstroth		Rodwell
		1D	-
1H	DbI	1S	-
-	2NT	All pass	

首攻♥，在♣上手後再攻♥，除非莊家在出♣A後再出小♣，或者第一輪先讓送小♣，之後連打♣A，♣Q，♣J，否則如果你打♣A，再打♣Q，則以後手中已無進張來提取♣贏墩，Meckstroth就是這樣打的，以致他失去三墩♥，二墩♠，以及♣和♦共三墩，下三。-300分。

A Heart was led and continued by East upon winning CK and Meckstroth went 3 off losing 2 Spades, 3 Heart, 2 Diamonds and 1 Club, playing for 3-3 Clubs or any doubleton with the 10. The successful, lucky line in this hand was small or Ace, then small when playing on Clubs.

W	N	E	S
Nickell		Freeman	
		1D	-
1H	2C	2H	-
-	DbI	-	2S
All pass			

首攻♦K，轉攻♥6，莊家共拿到♥A，♣A，♣將吃，出♥到♥K再打♠，東將吃，莊家超將吃，再出♥到明手將吃，出第四墩♠J東用♠Q將吃，再拔♠A，結果明手♠K再吃一墩，僅下一。

South forced the partnership to a 3-3 trump fit!! Anyway DK was led, H6 switched. Declarer swiftly HA, CA, Club ruffed, HK, Club, East ruffed 9 and declarer J, the third Heart ruffed in dummy and the 4th Club, East ruffed finally with Q, then SA yielding 1 more trick to dummy's K for 1down only.

(5) 四桌叫牌不同，由叫牌決定了勝負，叫到5D的二桌均是+600

Bidding at all 4 tables differed, the 2 table reaching 5D got + 600:

W	N (Meckstroth)	E	S (Rodwell)
		-	1D
1H	2D	-	4D
-	5D	All pass	

♠Q103			
♥42			
♦A8765			
♣KQ3			
♠KJ4			♠9865
♥AK9876	GAME ALL		♥J1053
♦K	DEALER E		♦J3
♣1064			♣J95
		♠A72	
		♥Q	
		♦Q10942	
		♣A872	

W	N (Martel)	E	S (Stansby)
		-	1D
1H	2H	-	3D

All pass

這一桌北的2H比上一桌2D要強，南家Rodwell示強，Stansly示弱，所以有不同結果。

In this match, Martel's 2H was stronger than Meckstroth's 2D, their partners' different evaluations of their own hands made the count.

W	N (Weinstein)	E	S (Garner)
		-	1D
1H	2H	-	3D
All pass			

W	N (Passell)	E	S (Seamon)
		-	1D
1H	2H	-	3C
-	3D	-	3S
-	4C	-	4D
-	5D	All pass	

同樣北家2H示強，南家Garner示弱，Seamon叫出第二套結果就不同，如南家♥是2張，即2-2-5-4牌型，第二輪示弱較理想。

Almost the same things happened here. Perhaps 3154 is worth another try for 3/2 suit fit whereas 2254 less so.

W	N	E	S
		1H	-
1S	-	3C	-
3D	-	3NT	All pass

(6)

♠QJ82
 ♥7532
 ♦J43
 ♣105
 ♠109753
 ♥8
 ♦AK875
 ♣93
 ♠AK
 ♥AQ1094
 ♦106
 ♣KQJ2
 ♠64
 ♥KJ6
 ♦Q92
 ♣A8764
 LOVT ALL
 DEALER S

坐東是 Schwartz 主打 3NT，南首攻 ♠6，依次 ♠9，♠10，♠K，東打 ♠3-3 的路線，即拔 ♠A，♠K，出 ♠10，依次為 ♠Q，♠A，♠3。再出 ♠10，這時 ♠不是 3-3，天已“塌”下來了，北回 ♠，南用 ♠A 進手，再打 ♠，這時莊家已不能完成定約，只好出 ♠到明手 K 出 ♥8，用 ♥Q 飛失手，防守家共拿到 3 墩 ♠，2 墩 ♥，1 墩 ♦，1 墩 ♥，下三。Schwartz 很不幸，首先 ♠10 生在北家，其次選擇打 ♠3-3，如選 ♦3-3，就打成，或者選擇打 ♥，只要 ♥J 在南家或用 ♥下桌，用 ♥8 飛，就打成了。因為 ♥最多送二墩，無論 ♥怎樣分配莊家都可拿 3 墩 ♥。

East Schwartz received C6 lead, 9, 10 and his K. Playing for even break in Spades, he took the top honours there D10, Q, A and 3 but S10 confirmed the bad break. The 'roof' now came down with North returning Club, declarer covered, South won Ace and another to kill the contract, 3 off in fact when declarer finessed HQ using Diamond as entries. That was quite unlucky: C10 in North then choosing Spades. Had he chosen Diamonds for even breaks or simply giving out 2 Heart, he would have 9 tricks.

另一桌也是叫到 3NT。The other room also played in 3NT:

W	N	E	S
-	-	1H	-
1S	-	3C	-
3NT	All pass		

首攻 ♦3，莊家用 ♠A 進手後出 ♥8，南用 ♥J 贏得，再出 ♦，莊家用 ♦K 贏得，出 ♠到 ♠K，南忍讓，明手出 ♥A，再出 ♥，共贏得 3 墩 ♥，由於 ♦3-3 分配，防守方最多贏得 2 墩 ♥，1 墩 ♦，1 墩 ♠，因而完成定約。

North led D3, Hamman won Ace, H8, to South's J, another Diamond, declarer took K. Cx to dummy's K, ducked by South. Now came HA and another; defence could not have more than 2 Heart, 1 Club and 1 Diamond as the suit broke 3-3.

另二桌都叫到 4S，由牌分配，必失 2 墩 ♥，一墩 ♠，還有一墩 ♦，下一。4S was the contract in both rooms in the other match, losing 2S and 1C, 1D, tied.
(To be continued)

1998 COUNCIL MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Date & Time : 24th February, 1998 at 6:30 p.m.

Venue : Hall, 3/F, Mariners' Club, Middle Rd, Tsimshatsui, Kowloon, Hong Kong

Present : Derek Zen (Chairman) (Chairman)
 Christine Booth (Hon Secretary)
 Chris Chung (Hon Treasurer)

There being a sufficient quorum present, the Chairman called the meeting to order.

1. The minutes of the last Annual General Meeting held on 13th February, 1997 were read and adopted.
2. The Chairman's Report was read and adopted.
3. The Hon Treasurer's Report was read and adopted.
4. The following were elected officials of the 1998 Council:

- ☐ Derek Zen (Chairman)
- ☐ Anthony Ching (Vice Chairman)
- ☐ Amy Yeung (Hon Secretary)
- ☐ Steve Wong (Hon Treasurer)

5. The following were elected members of the 1998 Council (in Alphabetical order):

- ☐ Chan Yiu
- ☐ Daniel Chui
- ☐ Chris Chung
- ☐ Irene Ho
- ☐ Seneca Kwan
- ☐ Alex Leigh
- ☐ JM Shen
- ☐ CC Wong

6. Any Other Business

Benjamin Kwok raised a query as to the numbers of Gold Point Events being held in the year. Derek Zen pointed out that the differentiation between years-round tournaments and other special events (such as trials and gold point events) had been made in direct response to members' wishes, as expressed in the results of the members' questionnaire. However, the Council would look at the issue again in compiling the new tournament

schedule for the year.

It was also expressed that the subsidy for members participating in international tournaments had remained the same for the last 10 years. Derek Zen noted that the results of the members' questionnaire had made it clear that the Association should utilize its financial resources to bring up its junior members by organization of more youth and student events, thereby increasing the pool of players. Hence, funds were being channeled in this direction, rather than in increasing subsidies.

There being no other business, the meeting adjourned at 7:25 p.m.

Christine N Booth
Honorary Secretary

Chairman's Report 1998

1998 proved to be a particularly difficult year for Hong Kong, the same is also true for the Association.

The main problem must be issues related to our Club Venue. This year we saw a further decline in tournament attendance, whether this was due to the location of our venue, lack for catering service, three tournaments per week is too much, or simply less than preferred tournament format/scheduling is something we are unable to identify, but the bottom line is the Association is losing over HK\$15,000 per month from regular tournaments, it is also disheartening to record that we even lose out on the drink service provided (over 40% of our member simply didn't pay for the drinks!). The Council came to the painful conclusion that running our own clubhouse was probably a wrong decision (or rather, wrong timing). Our financial position will not permit us to stay on at the present premises, and despite our various attempts to contact the club house owner, we never received any feedback. With Mariners' Club and Chung Ngan Club now willing to reduce their rent substantially, the Council has decided that with effect from April 1, 1999, we will resume holding tournament in these two venues and at the same time trying our very best to come to an amicable solution with the present landlord. All in all this was a bitter lesson for the Council and I only hope that this time we had made the right choice.

In order to solicit more opinion/comment from our members, we have set up a suggestion box in our venue and all proposals will be treasured by the Council.

In case any of our members is still not aware, we now have our website and the address is <http://Home03.netvigator.com/~hkcb>. Council meeting minutes, tournament schedules and announcement is on the net for better transparency and easier access.

On the regular activity side, 1998 was another busy year despite the economic downturn of the region:

We sent teams to participate in the following events:

- The ASEAN Tournament & Amazing Thailand Bridge Festival in December in Bangkok
- The PABF Championship in May in Kobe.
- The Lille World Championships in September in France
- Pesta Sukan in August in Singapore

We hosted and organised:

- The 2nd Hong Kong SAR Intercity in July
- The 1998 Shanghai - Hong Kong Interport in July
- The Guangzhou - Hong Kong - Macau Triangular Interport in July
- The Inter-secondary School Competition "AIA Rose Bowl" in July
- The Inter-post Secondary School Competition in July
- The Inter-company Tournament in August
- AIA Student Events:
 1. Open Pairs in April
 2. Open Team for Post Secondary Schools in August
 3. Swiss Team for Secondary Schools in November

As can be seen from our Treasurer's report, we again recorded a substantial loss in 1998 resulting in a not so healthy balance sheet. We can only hope that by switching back to Mariners' and Chung Ngan, we can stop the constant bleeding. Regrettably any hope of tournament fee reduction is not feasible.

The problem facing the incoming Council must be how to improve the tournament turnout (our strong competitor being the OK bridge) and our balance sheet, as well as attracting new members to the Association.

Finally, on behalf of the Association, I would like to thank all the members of the Council and Standing Committees for the invaluable contribution. I would also like to thank the Mariners' Club for the use of their premises.

I wish everyone a successful and enjoyable 1999.

Derek Zen
Chairman

Treasurer's Report

The Association is a members' society. Therefore, we need continuous support from our fellow members to justify our existence. However, both membership and turn-up rate for local tournaments have been declining in recent years. For 1998, we only have 252 members, as compared to 292 for 1997. The next council should devote more efforts not only in membership renewal but consolidating/expanding our membership base by soliciting more life and student members.

On the other hand, our regular tournament receipts can hardly cover various clubhouse expenses. As a result, we suffer a deficit of about HK\$15,000 per month from our local tournaments. In response to comments made by various members in questionnaire and in other channels, we have been revising the format of our tournaments in recent years but the overall attendance is still dropping. While comments are welcome, we do need to be encouraged by more participation from members.

While our financial position continues to deteriorate, we can no longer afford our own clubhouse. As such, the Association has since mutually agreed with the landlord to terminate our lease after 1st April, 1999 on the condition that the 2-month rental deposit will be forfeited. We do hope that by shifting back to a more convenient venue of Mariners' Club and reducing our tournament frequency to twice a week, members will be more eager to show their skills at bridge tables, not elsewhere.

Steve Wong
Hon. Treasurer

1999-2000 Council Members of HKCBA

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1998 年英國橋牌金杯賽 (一) The 1998 British Bridge League Gold Cup

進入英國金杯賽半決賽的四個隊是：

- (1) Townsend 隊 (隊員有 Townsend, Mossop, Forrester, Paul Hacketts, Justin Hacketts, Jason Hacketts) , 對手是非種子隊(2)。
- (2) Soper 隊 (隊員有 Soper, Oakford, Short, Goldsmith) 。
- (3) Price 隊 (隊員有 Price, Wright, Hallberg, Simpson) , 對手是(4)。
- (4) Cohen 隊 (隊員有 Cohen, Sandquist, Wrang, Sheehan, Gordon, Schapiro) 。

決賽由 Cohen 隊對 Soper 隊。最後 Cohen 隊奪得金杯。

這裡特別要提到 Cohen 隊中最老的隊員 Boris Schapiro, 奪得今屆(1998)金杯冠軍時已經 89 歲, 他共贏得 11 次金杯賽。第一次是在 1946 年, 距今超過 52 年。下面看一下 Schapiro 的牌例, 包括成功的和失敗的牌例：

The 4 semi-finalists were:

- (1) Townsend: Townsend, Mossop, Forrester, Paul, Justin and Jason Hacketts.
- (2) Soper: Soper, Oakford, Short, Goldsmith.
- (3) Price: Price, Wright, Hallberg, Simpson.
- (4) Cohen: Cohen, Sandquist, Wrang, Sheehan, Gordon, Schapiro.

The final was Cohen vs Soper with Cohen winning.

All the spotlights were no doubt on Boris Schapiro, at 89 and winning the British supreme competition for the 11th time when 52 years ago, in 1946, he first took this coveted event. Here are some hands on him from the tournament.

- (1)
- | | | |
|---------|----------|---------|
| ♠5 | | |
| ♥K532 | | |
| ♦8752 | | |
| ♣Q952 | | |
| ♠A9 | | ♠QJ8643 |
| ♥J876 | GAME E/W | ♥AQ4 |
| ♦KQ1043 | DEALER W | ♦A |
| ♣K10 | | ♣A73 |
| | ♠K1072 | |
| | ♥109 | |
| | ♦J96 | |
| | ♣J864 | |

W	N	E	S
Schapiro		Gordon	
1D	-	2S(16+)	-
3D	-	3NT	All pass

也許年紀大的人相對要穩一點，西本可在 3NT 之後再叫 4S，但他沒有叫。實際在另一桌上，叫牌如下進行：

Perhaps Schapiro could be more aggressive after 3NT, say, 4S but he opted not. The bidding in the other table was:

W	N	E	S
1D	-	1S	-
1NT	-	2S	-
2H	-	3S	-
4S	-	6S	All pass

莊家對♠處理是先出♠A，再出♠9，故必定下一。

奇怪的是另二隊比賽時，一隊也叫到 3NT。但我們熟悉的 Paul Hackett 坐東卻只叫到 3S。

This was 1 down on a Heart lead and Spade to Ace and Spade 9.

Strangely in the other match, 1 team also stopped in 3NT while Paul Hackett, East, in 3S somehow!

W	N	E	S
1NT	-	2H	-
2S	-	3S	All pass

(2)

♠A3			
♥K104			
♦J6432			
♣A93			
♠K6		♠9852	
♥9	GAME N/S	♥AQJ3	
♦AKQ	DEALER S	♦10987	
♣QJ87542		♣6	
	♠QJ1074		
	♥87652		
	♦5		
	♣K10		

W	N	E	S
Schapiro		Gordon	
1C	-	1H	1S
2C	2S	-	-
3C	All pass		

首攻♠A再♠，這樣 3C 很容易完成。如果首攻♦，則 3C 必倒無疑。但防守 2S 也不那麼容易。

另一桌由於南未爭叫 1S，西停在 2C，無驚無險，穩得正分。只要莊家打得好，即使再利害的防守，也無法打敗這定約。

North started with Ace and another Spade and 3C was duly made; a Diamond would have defeated the contract while 2S or even 3H was playable too.

South did not compete in the other room and 2C was the easy final contract. Townsend 隊對 Soper 隊時叫牌如下： Townsend vs Soper:

W	N	E	S
1C	-	1H	-
2C	-	-	2S
3C	All pass		

Soper 坐北首攻♦2，莊家贏得後出♣Q，北上♠A再出♦給南將吃，南出♠Q，因而得到 2 墩♠，2 墩♣，1 墩將吃，下一。

但 Soper 隊友坐東西時，叫牌很離譜：

Soper led D2, declarer won to return CQ. North took Ace, Diamond for South to ruff and SQ to defeat the contract.

Soper's EW were way off the target:

W (Short)	N (Jason H.)	E	S (Justin H.)
			2D
3C	3H	-	-
4C	4D	-	4H
5C	Dbl	All pass	

Justin Hackett 的 2D 表示任意兩套，不夠開牌點力，他的♠和♥套質量太差，因而在叫到 4H 時已闖了大禍。但西居然還救了他。西一個人叫 3C，4C，還要再叫 5C，好像沒有同伴一樣。

Justin's 2D was 5-5 in any 2 suits, below opening hand, his 4H was already disastrous on bad quality but Short was contagious enough to rescue him, forgetting he had a partner and all.

(3)

W (Schapiro)	N	E (Gordon)	S
	2S	3D	-
3S	Dbl	Redbl	-
4C	-	6C	-
6D	All pass		

♠KJ9854
 ♥K107
 ♦J
 ♣Q73
 ♠AQ1063
 ♥A6
 ♦853
 ♣AK6
 GAME N/S
 DEALER N
 ♠72
 ♥QJ985432
 ♦10
 ♣J4

6D 無問題，但對方叫到 7D。
 6D was easy but their opponents reached the grand.

W	N	E	S
	2S	5D	-
5NT	-	7D	All pass

首攻♠，莊家將吃，出♦A，再出♦到明手♦8，出♠A，再出♠將吃，以後一直出♦達到如下局面：

Spade was led, declarer ruffed, DA and Diamond to dummy's 8. SA and Spade ruff, then a million Diamonds to reach this ending:

♠KJ
 ♥-
 ♦-
 ♣Q73
 ♠Q10
 ♥A
 ♦-
 ♣AK
 GAME N/S
 DEALER N
 ♠-
 ♥QJ9
 ♦-
 ♣J4

這時東出♣到♠A，再出♥A，擠倒北家。當然，如果♣的分配是南家有帶Q的三張，則擠牌不會成功，定約不能完成，所以6D也是合理的。7D則需要有些運氣，牌的分配要有利才行。

Now Club to dummy for HA to squeeze North. If South had 3 to Q in Clubs, 7D would have no play.

(4) 闖禍的一副牌 A bad one for Schapiro:

W	N (Gordon)	E	S (Schapiro)
1D (Precision)	Dbl	3D	4H
Dbl	4NT	-	5C
Dbl	All pass		

4NT 原意是打此定約，Schapiro 以為 Gordon 持黑色兩套，於是叫了雙張的草花。

首攻♥，將吃，回♠，再將吃，再回♠，防守方已得4墩。出將牌以後除取得3墩將牌外，牌鎖在明手，防守方還要得一墩♦，共得8墩，-1700，大災難！

♠Q107
 ♥AQ
 ♦AQJ8
 ♣AJ43
 ♠AK3
 ♥J1076
 ♦10
 ♣KQ982
 ♠J9852
 ♥-
 ♦K97643
 ♣107
 ♠64
 ♥K985432
 ♦52
 ♣65

4NT was meant for play but probably interpreted as very big 2 suiter, 6 down.

A Heart was led, ruffed, Spade return for another ruff and another Spade trick, then 3 more trump tricks and 1 more Diamond when dummy was lock in, -1700.

另一桌南北的叫牌已經很差，過程是：

NS in the other room was already looking at a very bad result:

W	N	E	S
			-
1C	Dbl	1D	3H
-	4H	-	-
Dbl	Redbl	All pass	

結果下二，-1000 以為輸定了，誰知還能贏700分，12 IMPs。牌桌上的變化，令人難以想像吧。

2 down and -1000, a very surprising 12 IMPs.

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The 1998 IBPA Annual Awards

(一) 1998 年世界橋壇風雲人物 (The 1998 Personality of the year)

Paul Chemla : 法國選手, 1944 年出生。24 歲離開學校時開始打橋牌, 1980 年首次贏得 Olympiad 隊式冠軍, 去年贏得百慕大盃冠軍, 被 IBPA 評為 1998 年世界橋壇風雲人物。他打過成功的牌無數, 下例是其中精采的一例, 於 1998 年 5 月卡文迪雙人賽上打出。

♠AQ1073		♠92	
♥543	LOVE ALL	♥A8	
♦Q1087	DEALER W	♦KJ63	
♣7		♣Q10642	
	♠J864		
	♥Q107		
	♦9542		
	♣83		
W	N	E	S
2S	3S(♥和♣二套)	-	4H
All pass			

Chemla 坐南。

首攻♣7, 明手♠A 贏進, 出小♥到♥10 (如這時東贏進, 回攻♥, 只有 9 副牌), 出♣ (如這時西將吃, 再回♥, 莊家也只有 9 墩牌), 西墊♠, 給了莊家機會, 明手出♣, 大將吃出♦到 A, 再將吃♣, 出♠, 這樣, 共贏進一墩♠, 二墩♣, 一墩♦, 二墩將吃♣, 明手四墩將牌, 正好 10 墩。防守失誤, 造就了“英雄” Chemla。

(二) 最佳作莊獎 (“Le Bridgeur” Award for Best Play)

Jeff Meckstroth : 美國選手。憑下列一副牌贏得 1998 年 IBPA 最佳做莊獎

坐西的是 Jeff Meckstroth 主打 5C, 當然 3NT 容易完成得多, 北首攻♦4, 明手放♦10, (精采之極), 南用♦Q 贏得時會想到回♠或♥嗎? 南家是一位前途無量的小伙子—挪威選手 Helgemo, 自然而然的回了♦, 這時莊家墊了♥3, 等從明手出♥, 北用♥K 進手, 回出♠時, 已為時已晚, 明手的♥J 墊去手中的♠失張, 完成了合約。

♠K753	♠A98
♥K8	♥J10652
♦KJ974	♦A102
♣32	♣K8
♠104	GAME ALL
♥Q3	DEALER E
♦5	♠QJ62
♣AJ1097654	♥A974
	♦Q863
	♣Q

(三) 最佳防守獎 (The Wei-Sender Award for Best Defence)

下列這副牌, 由於東的傑出防守, 贏得了最佳防守獎。坐東的是挪威選手 Geir Helgemo。

	♠J6		
	♥AJ1083		
	♦Q62		
	♣KJ8		
♠5432		♠KQ1087	
♥Q5	GAME E/W	♥K962	
♦J	DEALER E	♦K97	
♣1097532		♣A	
	♠A9		
	♥74		
	♦A108543		
	♣Q64		
W	N	E	S
	Chemla	Helgemo	Freeman
		1S	2D
	2H		3D
3S	4D	All pass	

首攻♠, 莊家♠A 贏進, 回出♠, 東贏進, 第三墩東出♣A, 再出♥K, 非常漂亮的防守。莊家無論忍讓與否都不能進明手二次飛將牌, 實戰中, 明手用♥A 得, 出♦Q, 依次為♦K, ♦A, ♦J。莊家出♣到♠J, 被東將吃, 回♥, 再將吃♣, 定約二下。

防守方在第三墩如果先出♥K (不出♣A), 則定約將被完成。即莊家用♥A 吃住♥K, 出♦Q (♦K, ♦A, ♦J), 再從手中出♥小, 西♥Q 進手後, 無♦, ♥可出, 也不能出♠只好出♣, 東♣A 進手被投入, 東無論出♠或♥都可進入明手, 飛東♦完成定約。

(四) 最佳叫牌獎 (The Romex Award for Best Auction)

法國選手 Sylvie Willard 和 Gerard Tissot 在下列叫牌獲得最佳叫牌獎

♠10874		♠AKQJ96	
♥AKJ542	GAME ALL	♥Q87	
♦A82	DEALER W	♦-	
♣-		♣A987	
	♠5		
	♥6		
	♦J7654		
	♣KQJ542		
W	N	E	S
1H	-	2S	-
5NT	-	7NT	All pass

5NT 大滿貫試探，問同伴將牌頂張。他知道既然大滿貫試探，必定有 A，♣缺門，因此必定是♥AK 為首的 6 張套，這種情況下，無將定約已數出 13 墩。

(五) 青年最佳作莊獎

由波蘭選手 Igor Grzejdziaik 奪得。得獎的一副牌在歐洲青年錦標賽上，波蘭對挪威的一場比賽中打出，見本刊 98 年 11 月號第 31-32 頁。



中國競賽消息

中國橋牌協會 1999 年度部份競賽計劃

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| (1) 全國橋牌等級賽 (丙級) | 4. 21 - 4. 26 |
| 地點: | 山東兗州 |
| (2) 全國橋牌俱樂部錦標賽 | 7. 15 - 7. 21 |
| 地點: | 福建福州 |
| (3) 全國橋牌大賽 | 9. 18 - 9. 28 |
| 地點: | 遼寧沈陽 |

Appeals Committee Report, 1999
Case One

Subject: Mixexplanation
Event: IMP Pair Session 1
Dealer: North
Vul: NS

		♠K643		
		♥A108643		
		♦-		
		♣942		
♠AQ108			♠J972	
♥J5			♥Q97	
♦KQJ4			♦72	
♣A53			♣KQ108	
		♠5		
		♥K2		
		♦A1098653		
		♣J76		
	N	E	S	W
	-	-	2D	2NT
	-	3C	-	3NT
	All pass			

Result: 3NT down 2 after Heart lead by North and continued. Declarer won the third Heart trick in dummy and took a losing Spade finesse.

Facts: 2D was explained as Flannery upon request by West before bidding 2NT. North called Director as his turn to bid. He stated that he was not sure of the meaning of 2D. He claimed that the 2D bid was Flannery playing with the same partner last time. He inquired about rights and options. Director instructed North to give the partnership agreement, any statement claiming "not sure" is improper and would lead to possible infraction of law about unauthorized conveyed.

East alerted 2NT, explained the bid as "2 minors" upon enquiry by North, North Passed after East explained.

West called Director after the conclusion of play, claiming damage because he had an alternative line of playing on Diamond instead on Spade - should he know that 2D was a weak two in Diamond, and would have made his contract.

South argued that West had taken advantage of mis-explanation of 2NT, if 2NT was genuine 16-19 balanced, 3C should be stayman, thus West should bid 3S, and EW would not land in 3NT.

East claimed that he bid 3C was intended to mean "pass or correct". West claimed that he treated the 3C bid as Stayman, but because South's 2D was Flannery, he saw no point in playing 4 of a major and thus bid 3NT for play.

Director's Decision:

The Director ruled that

1. North had violated Law 75 - gave an incorrect explanation of 2D bid.
2. EW was thus damaged though the mis-explanation and should be awarded an adjusted score. 3NT by W, making 9 trick was assigned to NS (-400), the offending side.
3. West violated Law 16A - He had taken the advantage of East explanation of 2NT, without which he should probably bid 3S or pass (if 3C was a weak sing-off).
4. This infraction by West had damage NS and hence NS should be assigned an adjusted score (Law 16A2)
5. 4S (Dbl) by West, down two was assigned to EW (-300), the offending side.

Appeal Committee Decision: The committee was unanimous in imposing procedural penalty to both NS and EW. Majority of the member agreed that there should not be any adjusted score; i.e. 3NT down two should stay.

Before we went on to untangle this maze, let's discard some of the misconception and false claims.

- a) 3NT by West could not be made. As long as South did not cash his Diamond Ace, the declarer had a maximum of 8 tricks (1 Spade, 1 Heart, 2 Diamond, 4 Clubs), hence -400 to NS is not possible.
- b) EW never went past 3NT, to suggest West should bid 3S and East bid 4S was extremely unreasonable, again then 4S Dbl down two for EW was wrong.
- c) After South showed out on the third round of Heart, for West still to claim that 2D might be Flannery was laughable.
- d) We fail to see that although NS gave a mis-explanation, in what way was EW damaged. They landed in a reasonable but unlucky contract, the declarer made an elementary mistake and ended up in down 2 instead of down 1.

The Committee was not impressed at all with the behavior of both Pairs. We had some sympathy for EW, after all they might not have discussed the meaning of 2NT over a Flannery 2D (or else there won't be this misunderstanding), but for West to bid 3NT after hearing East's interpretation of 2NT is debatable, the fact is East had given a wrong explanation and West might have taken the advantage, for this we reckon a procedural penalty of 3 IMPs should be applied to EW.

We had no sympathy for NS. If the partnership agreement of 2D was Flannery, we saw no reason for North not to bid 4H immediately. The fact might be that North, with his holding, had sensed something wrong and guessed that South had

made a mistake. This is something not to be encouraged and we had no hesitation in imposing a procedural penalty of 6 IMP to NS.

Chairman's comment:

Again I would like to advise all member that when playing any convention, you better remember the convention, if you can't, don't use it!

It might not be too appropriate, but I can't resist offering this advice on Bridge principle in bidding - in lieu of any explicit partnership agreement, bid and treat all bids as natural. EW could definitely avoid such mis-understanding if they had adopted this simple approach.

Committee Chairman: Derek Zen

Members Present: Karic Chiu, Clement Wong, Roger Ling, Thomas Ng, Simon Hui

Scribe: Derek Zen

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**Messages from Hon. Treasurer**

The Association thanks the following members for not taking up their incentive gained in the GDBI 2<sup>nd</sup> Hong Kong SAR Inter-city Bridge Championships.

|                          |                           |
|--------------------------|---------------------------|
| Steve Wong & Hugo Hui    | Lam Shee & CC Tam         |
| Ko Chuen Ho & Billy Fung | Edward Leong & Arnold Lee |
| Stephen Kwok & KB Chan   | Tom Leung & Jacky Ip      |

The Association also thanks the following members for donation their 1997 prize points.

|               |         |                   |        |
|---------------|---------|-------------------|--------|
| Divid Chan    | HK\$100 | Christopher Leung | HK\$60 |
| M.H. Wong     | 60      | W.Y. Sit          | 430    |
| C.B.Chiu      | 30      | C.C. Lam          | 30     |
| S.C. Kam      | 120     | Y.T. Lo           | 120    |
| Jonathan Lee  | 230     | K.K. Leung        | 120    |
| Thomas Yeung  | 60      | C.K. Poon         | 60     |
| Imran Gardezi | 120     | Sam To            | 30     |
| H.S. Lam      | 30      | W.H. Chan         | 30     |
| W.K. Ho       | 40      | Shirley Chang     | 60     |
| K.S. Kam      | 170     |                   |        |

**In view of the present financial position of the Association, members are most welcome to donate their 1998 Prize points.**



# Tournament Results

## IMP Pairs 1

4/1/99

| NS |                             | Score   | M.P. | P.P. |
|----|-----------------------------|---------|------|------|
| 1  | Chris Chung - Nelson Hsi    | 431.33  | 3.1  | 60   |
| 2  | D Wan - CY Chong            | 390.11  | 1.6  | -    |
| 3  | KL Hui - WK Lai             | 270.89  | 1.0  | -    |
| 4  | Bell Tam - Roger Choi       | 246.22  | 0.8  | -    |
| 5  | Gilbert Chan - L Leung      | 174.00  | 0.6  | -    |
| 6  | Sheldon Cheung - William Ho | -30.78  | 0.5  | -    |
| 7  | HL Hau - Kinson Hui         | -73.67  | -    | -    |
| 8  | Simon Lee - Otto Chan       | -248.78 | -    | -    |
| 9  | Roma Chulani - Manu Chulani | -364.78 | -    | -    |
| 10 | Norman Hsu - Robert Yung    | -403.78 | -    | -    |
| 11 | Daniel Chui - Ng Wai Kin    | -450.78 | -    | -    |

## EW

|    |                             |         |     |    |
|----|-----------------------------|---------|-----|----|
| 1  | CC Tam - Max He             | 471.78  | 3.1 | 60 |
| 2  | Ou Xian Liang - Lui Yi      | 362.00  | 1.6 | -  |
| 3  | Laurance Lo - Patrick Yum   | 334.89  | 1.0 | -  |
| 4  | Amy Yeung - Ella Graca      | 277.67  | 0.8 | -  |
| 5  | Michael Lam - Andy Ko Leung | 151.78  | 0.6 | -  |
| 6  | Samme Lee - FH Chow         | 47.78   | 0.5 | -  |
| 7  | Alex Leigh - Stephen Kwok   | 8.67    | -   | -  |
| 8  | MK Tam - WK Chung           | -109.22 | -   | -  |
| 9  | WK Ngau - KH Sin            | -181.89 | -   | -  |
| 10 | ZH Li - HF Chow             | -439.22 | -   | -  |
| 11 | PS Shum - Kenneth So        | -954.22 | -   | -  |

## New Year Pick-up Multiple Team

5/1/99

|   | V.P.                                               | M.P. | P.P. |    |
|---|----------------------------------------------------|------|------|----|
| 1 | Patrick Lui, TT Sum, Ou Xian Liang, Lui Yi         | 36   | 1.6  | 60 |
| 2 | PS Shum, Kenneth So, Christine Booth, Robert Cheah | 32   | 0.8  | -  |
| 3 | Andy KO Leung, Nap Wong, Max He, CC Tam            | 22   | -    | -  |

## New Year Pairs

8/1/99

|     | PCT                       | M.P.  | P.P. |    |
|-----|---------------------------|-------|------|----|
| 1   | Samme Lee - Ella Graca    | 58.33 | 2.8  | 60 |
| 2=3 | Paul Lau - CY Chong       | 51.79 | 1.2  | -  |
| 2=3 | Patrick Yum - Flora Wong  | 51.79 | 1.2  | -  |
| 4   | CC Tam - Max He           | 50.60 | 0.7  | -  |
| 5=6 | WW Cho - CC Ng            | 48.81 | -    | -  |
| 5=6 | Momoko Chang - Yoko Iwasa | 48.81 | -    | -  |
| 7   | Andy KO Leung - Mei Jie   | 45.24 | -    | -  |
| 8   | Seneca Kwan - Peter Yum   | 44.64 | -    | -  |

## Ladder Team 1R Qualifying 1 & 2

11/1/99 & 12/1/99

|     | Total                                                      | M.P. | P.P. |     |
|-----|------------------------------------------------------------|------|------|-----|
| 1   | Samuel Wan, Lu Qin, Anthony Ching, Nelson Hsi              | 134  | 6.6  | 100 |
| 2   | Chan Yiu, Lam Shee, Steve Wong, CC Wong                    | 118  | 3.3  | 60  |
| 3   | Bell Tam, CC Cheung, Patrick Yum, Laurance Lo              | 115  | 2.2  | -   |
| 4   | CC Tam, Max He, Norman Hsu, Robert Yung                    | 114  | 1.7  | -   |
| 5=6 | Henry Lam, Roger Ling, Benny Kwok, William Ho<br>York Liao | 106  | 1.2  | -   |
| 5=6 | Stephen Kwok, Lawrence Leung, Imran Gardez<br>Roger Sweets | 106  | 1.2  | -   |
| 7   | WN Au, WK Chung, CW Leung, Albert Hsu                      | 101  | -    | -   |
| 8   | Ella Graca, FC Abraham, LJRemedios, A Didnnes              | 91   | -    | -   |
| 9   | Christine Booth, Yoko Iwasa, Chein, Keiko                  | 87   | -    | -   |
| 10  | Samme Lee, TT Shum, Patrick Lui, Louis Shen                | 77   | -    | -   |
| 11  | Stanley Chan, LH Chin, SC Li, WK Ngau                      | 76   | -    | -   |
| 12  | Shirley Leong, Fatana Waller, Roma Chulani<br>Manu Chulani | 62   | -    | -   |
| 13  | CC Mok, Charmian Koo, Andy KO Leung<br>MM Cheung           | 57   | -    | -   |

## GP 49 IMP Pairs 1

15/1/99

| NS  | Score                  | G.P.   | M.P. | P.P. |    |
|-----|------------------------|--------|------|------|----|
| 1   | CC Cheung - Ng Wai Kin | 160.00 | 1.0  | -    | 60 |
| 2=3 | D Wan - CY Chong       | 67.00  | -    | 1.2  | -  |
| 2=3 | Ronald Hui - WY Szeto  | 67.00  | -    | 1.2  | -  |

|   |                                 |         |   |     |   |
|---|---------------------------------|---------|---|-----|---|
| 4 | WW Cho - Divad CC Ng            | 52.00   | - | 0.7 | - |
| 5 | MK Tam - WK Chung               | 45.00   | - | -   | - |
| 6 | Tom Leung - Jason Chu           | -64.00  | - | -   | - |
| 7 | Shirley Leung - Christine Booth | -66.00  | - | -   | - |
| 8 | Robert Yung - Norman Hsu        | -261.00 | - | -   | - |

**EW**

|   |                             |         |     |     |    |
|---|-----------------------------|---------|-----|-----|----|
| 1 | WC Li - Sheldon Cheung      | 201.00  | 1.0 | -   | 60 |
| 2 | Michael Lam - Andy KO Leung | 101.00  | -   | 1.5 | -  |
| 3 | Ou Xian Liang - Liu Yi      | 48.00   | -   | 1.0 | -  |
| 4 | Patrick Yum - Flora Wong    | -7.00   | -   | 0.7 | -  |
| 5 | YC Lai - LH Chin            | -48.00  | -   | -   | -  |
| 6 | CC Tam - Max He             | -94.00  | -   | -   | -  |
| 7 | PS Shum - Kenneth So        | -97.00  | -   | -   | -  |
| 8 | SC Li - WK Ngau             | -104.00 | -   | -   | -  |

**Paul Jones 1**

18/1/99

|   |                            | PCT   | M.P. | P.P. |
|---|----------------------------|-------|------|------|
| 1 | Samme Lee - Louis Shen     | 58.79 | 2.9  | 60   |
| 2 | Sheldon Cheung - CC Ng     | 56.01 | 1.5  | -    |
| 3 | KS Kam - Nelson Hsi        | 51.67 | 1.0  | -    |
| 4 | CC Cheung - Bell Tam       | 51.63 | 0.7  | -    |
| 5 | Max He - CC Tam            | 50.93 | 0.6  | -    |
| 6 | WK Ngau - KH Sin           | 50.46 | -    | -    |
| 7 | Andy Ko Leung - MM Cheung  | 47.46 | -    | -    |
| 8 | Charmian Koo - Michael Lam | 42.82 | -    | -    |
| 9 | KC Lau - SF Fung           | 36.11 | -    | -    |

**PABF 1999 Selection Trails**

12/98

|   |                                                                           | Total | G.P. |
|---|---------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|------|
| 1 | Vincent Li, Nelson Hsi, Terence Tung, Anthoy Ching<br>Ricky Chu, Lu Qin   | 177   | -    |
| 2 | Lawrence Lau, SK Luk, WK Chan, Thomas Ng, Yau Ngai,<br>LT Pang            | 171   | -    |
| 3 | Daniel Chui, Ng Wai Kin, Patrick Yum, Lautrence Lo<br>CC Cheung, Bell Tam | 167   | 3    |
| 4 | Steve Wong, Chan Yiu, Patrick Lui, CC Ng, KP Chiang<br>KF Tung            | 132   | -    |

|   |                                                                                            |     |   |
|---|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|---|
| 5 | Irene Ho, CC Wong, KT Lin, Wallis Leung, Jacky Ip<br>Clement Wong                          | 128 | - |
| 6 | David Edwards, Andres Haagen, Roger Sweet<br>Kishin Chainani, Nacky Neumann, Shirley Chang | 112 | - |

**PABF 1999 Selection Trails Final**

|   |                                                                          | Total | G.P. |
|---|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|------|
| 1 | Lawrence Lau, SK Luk, WK Chan, Thomas Ng, Yau Ngai,<br>LT Pang           | 377   | 8    |
| 2 | Vincent Li, Nelson Hsi, Terence Tung, Anthoy Ching, Ricky<br>Chu, Lu Qin | 286   | 4    |

**Lorraine Sung Team 1 & 2**

18/1/99 22/1/99

|    |                                                          | Total | M.P. | P.P. |
|----|----------------------------------------------------------|-------|------|------|
| 1  | KL Hui, WK Lai, Bell Tam, Alan Sze                       | 144   | 6    | 100  |
| 2  | Steve Wong, WW Cho, CC Cheung, Patrick Yum               | 110   | 3    | 60   |
| 3  | Y Chun, Ella Grace, Amy Yeung, M Chan                    | 97    | 2    | -    |
| 4  | Chan Yiu, Roger Ling, LL Lee, Thomas Ng                  | 90    | 1.5  | -    |
| 5  | Roger Choi, Terrence Mak, Peter Chun Robert Zajac        | 89    | 1.2  | -    |
| 6  | Vincent Fung, Chris Chung, KP Cheung, David CC Ng        | 86    | -    | -    |
| 7  | CC Wong, Irene Ho, KT Lin, Jacky Ip                      | 81    | -    | -    |
| 8  | CC Tam, Max He, Lam Shee, MK Tam                         | 73    | -    | -    |
| 9  | Alex Leigh, Stephen Kwok, Lawrence Leung, Terry<br>Chung | 70    | -    | -    |
| 10 | Samme Lee, Patrick Lui, Louis Shen, TT Shum              | 54    | -    | -    |

**Monthly Swiss Team 1**

25/1/99

|     |                                               | IMP | M.P. | P.P. |
|-----|-----------------------------------------------|-----|------|------|
| 1   | Patrick Lui, TT Sum, Nelson Hsi, Chris Chung  | 62  | 5.2  | 60   |
| 2   | LH Chin, Stanley Chan, SC Li, WK Ngau         | 49  | 2.6  | -    |
| 3   | WK Lai, Eric Au, WC Li, Sheldon Cheung        | 45  | 1.7  | -    |
| 4=5 | Irene Ho, KT Lin, Jacky Ip, Wallis Leung      | 36  | -    | -    |
| 4=5 | Chan Yiu, Robert Zajac, Ella Graca, Amy Yeung | 36  | -    | -    |
| 6   | CC Tam, Max He, MK Tam, Lam Shee              | 12  | -    | -    |

**Ladder Pairs Qualifying 1 & 2**

26/1/99 & 29/1/99

|   |                         | PCT    | M.P. | P.P. |
|---|-------------------------|--------|------|------|
| 1 | Stephen Kwok - Bell Tam | 176.17 | 3.8  | 100  |
| 2 | LT Pang - KL Hui        | 184.39 | 1.9  | 60   |

|    |                              |        |     |   |
|----|------------------------------|--------|-----|---|
| 3  | WC Li - Sheldon Cheung       | 183.89 | 1.3 | - |
| 4  | CC Cheung - Laurance Lo      | 178.44 | 1.0 | - |
| 5  | Irene Ho - Ricky Chu         | 177.33 | 0.8 | - |
| 6  | William Ho - Benny Kowk      | 176.17 | 0.6 | - |
| 7  | MK Tam - WK Chung            | 174.11 | 0.5 | - |
| 8  | Sunny Chan - YT Lo           | 173.94 | 0.5 | - |
| 9  | Seneca Kwan - Peter Yum      | 168.67 | 0.4 | - |
| 10 | Flora Wong - Patrick Yum     | 168.39 | -   | - |
| 11 | Norman Hsu - PS Shum         | 166.28 | -   | - |
| 12 | Momoko Cheng - Yoko Iwasa    | 163.78 | -   | - |
| 13 | Samme Lee - KL Fung          | 163.22 | -   | - |
| 14 | Ella Graca - Shirley Leong   | 158.44 | -   | - |
| 15 | Alex Leigh - Louis Shen      | 156.56 | -   | - |
| 16 | Gilbert Chan - Nancy Neumann | 155.28 | -   | - |
| 17 | Michael Lam - Andy Ko Leung  | 150.67 | -   | - |
| 18 | Max He - CC Tam              | 134.06 | -   | - |

**IMP Pairs 2**

1/2/99

| NS |                              | Score   | M.P. | P.P. |
|----|------------------------------|---------|------|------|
| 1  | WK Lai - KL Hui              | 548.50  | 3.0  | 60   |
| 2  | Wendy Simpson - Robert Zajac | 262.63  | 1.5  | -    |
| 3  | Norman Hsu - Robert Yung     | 172.50  | 1.0  | -    |
| 4  | Chris Chung - Nelson Hsi     | 107.50  | 0.8  | -    |
| 5  | Steve Wong - CC Cheng        | 28.50   | 0.6  | -    |
| 6  | Cheung Lik - CK Poon         | 3.63    | -    | -    |
| 7  | HL Hau - Kinson Hui          | -111.37 | -    | -    |
| 8  | Alex Leigh - Stephen Kwok    | -257.00 | -    | -    |
| 9  | MK Tam - WK Chung            | -380.37 | -    | -    |
| 10 | FC Abraham - LJ Remedios     | -428.50 | -    | -    |

**EW**

|   |                           |         |     |    |
|---|---------------------------|---------|-----|----|
| 1 | Ella Graca - Amy Yeung    | 436.37  | 3.0 | 60 |
| 2 | Samme Lee - FH Chow       | 311.50  | 1.5 | -  |
| 3 | Laurance Lo - Patrick Yum | 89.00   | 1.0 | -  |
| 4 | Jacky Ip - Tom Leung      | 62.37   | 0.8 | -  |
| 5 | Daniel Chui - Ng Wai Kin  | -2.50   | 0.6 | -  |
| 6 | WK Ngau - KH Sin          | -101.50 | -   | -  |

|    |                            |         |   |   |
|----|----------------------------|---------|---|---|
| 7  | CC Tam - Max He            | -107.63 | - | - |
| 8  | Irene Ho - CC Wong         | -127.50 | - | - |
| 9  | Andy Ko Leung - Michal Lam | -220.50 | - | - |
| 10 | Sheldon Cheung - WC Li     | -312.63 | - | - |

**February Pick-up Multiple Team**

2/2/99

|   | IMP                                           | M.P. | P.P. |    |
|---|-----------------------------------------------|------|------|----|
| 1 | Yvonne Chun, Ella Ghun, WK Ngau, Stanley Chan | 131  | 1.0  | 30 |
| 2 | Kenneth So, PS Shun, Andy Ko Leung, NAP Wong  | 45   | -    | -  |

**Ladder Team IR2**

5/2/99

| A | Total                                                      | M.P. | P.P. |    |
|---|------------------------------------------------------------|------|------|----|
| 1 | Bell Tam, CC Cheung, Ng Wai Kin, Daniel Chui               | 68   | 4.0  | 30 |
| 2 | Ashley Lung, Karic Chiu, Anthony Ching, Nelson Hsi         | 64   | 2.0  | -  |
| 3 | Chan Yiu, Lam Shee, Steve Wong, CC Ng                      | 47   | -    | -  |
| 4 | Lawrence Leung, Imran Gardezi, Shirley Chang Nancy Neumann | 24   | -    | -  |

**B1**

|     |                                                  |    |     |    |
|-----|--------------------------------------------------|----|-----|----|
| 1   | Momoko Chang, Keiko Noda, Yuoko Iwasa Jane Leung | 37 | 2.0 | 30 |
| 2=3 | Henry Lam, Benny Kwok, William Ho, York Liao     | 33 | -   | -  |
| 2=3 | AE Rodrigues, Li Remedios, FC Abraham Ella Graca | 33 | -   | -  |

**B2**

|   |                                                |    |     |    |
|---|------------------------------------------------|----|-----|----|
| 1 | WM Au, WK Chung, TF Chow, FC Chan              | 47 | 2.0 | 30 |
| 2 | Samme Lee, Louis Shen, Patrick Lui, Alex Leigh | 39 | -   | -  |
| 3 | Stanley Chan, SC Lee, WK Ngau, WY Szeto        | 19 | -   | -  |

**C**

|   | IMP                                            | M.P. | P.P. |    |
|---|------------------------------------------------|------|------|----|
| 1 | Irene Ho, Jacky Ip, Tom Leung, KT Lin, CC Wong | 73   | 2.0  | 30 |
| 2 | Louis Chu, HL Chung, FL Cheng, Vincent Lee     | 48   | -    | -  |

**Ladder Pairs 2**

8/2/99

|   | PCT                      | M.P.  | P.P. |    |
|---|--------------------------|-------|------|----|
| 1 | KL Hui - LT Pang         | 59.53 | 3.9  | 60 |
| 2 | Alan Sze - WK Chan       | 57.24 | 1.9  | 40 |
| 3 | WC Li - Sheldon Cheung   | 57.00 | 1.3  | -  |
| 4 | Nap Wong - Andy KO Leung | 54.66 | 1.0  | -  |
| 5 | David CC Ng - KP Chiang  | 53.80 | 0.8  | -  |

|    |                            |       |     |   |
|----|----------------------------|-------|-----|---|
| 6  | Benny Kwok - William Ho    | 53.10 | 0.7 | - |
| 7  | Momoko Cheng - Keiko Noda  | 51.02 | 0.6 | - |
| 8  | Steve Wong - Chris Chung   | 50.13 | 0.5 | - |
| 9  | Anthony Ching - Nelson Hsi | 50.05 | 0.4 | - |
| 10 | Yoko Iwasa - Eric Au       | 49.63 | -   | - |
| 11 | Samme Lee - KL Fung        | 49.50 | -   | - |
| 12 | PS Shum - Norman Hsu       | 48.90 | -   | - |
| 13 | Bell Tam - Stephen Kwok    | 47.66 | -   | - |
| 14 | Ng Wai Kin - Daniel Chui   | 47.48 | -   | - |
| 15 | Patrick Yum - Flora Wong   | 47.17 | -   | - |
| 16 | Irene Ho - Ricky Chu       | 46.13 | -   | - |
| 17 | KH Sin - WK Ngau           | 45.37 | -   | - |
| 18 | Laurance Lo - CC Cheung    | 43.75 | -   | - |
| 19 | Ella Graca - Shirley Leong | 36.43 | -   | - |

**GP 49 IMP Pairs 2**

9/2/99

| NS |                              | PCT     | G.P. | M.P. | P.P. |
|----|------------------------------|---------|------|------|------|
| 1  | HW Wong - KL Choy            | 292.83  | 1    | -    | 60   |
| 2  | Robert Zajac - Steve Wong    | 248.00  | -    | 1.4  | -    |
| 3  | Lawrence Leung - Yoko Iwasa  | 126.00  | -    | 0.9  | -    |
| 4  | LL Lee - Alan Sze            | 123.67  | -    | -    | -    |
| 5  | Flora Wong - Thomas Ng       | -30.33  | -    | -    | -    |
| 6  | Ella Graca - Louis Shen      | -148.17 | -    | -    | -    |
| 7  | Bell Tam - Patrick Yum       | -310.33 | -    | -    | -    |
| 8  | Choi Ching Him - Liu Yan Lun | -343.00 | -    | -    | -    |

**EW**

|   |                              |         |   |     |    |
|---|------------------------------|---------|---|-----|----|
| 1 | CC Cheung - Laurance Lo      | 260.00  | 1 | -   | 60 |
| 2 | Momoko Cheng - Wendy Simpson | 95.00   | - | 1.4 | -  |
| 3 | Sheldon Cheung - WC Li       | 59.00   | - | 0.9 | -  |
| 4 | Kinson Hui - HL Hau          | -10.00  | - | -   | -  |
| 5 | Michael Lam - WK Ngau        | -51.00  | - | -   | -  |
| 6 | Andy KO Leung - Nap Wong     | -66.00  | - | -   | -  |
| 7 | Divad CC Ng - KP Chiang      | -287.00 | - | -   | -  |

**Open League 1**

12/2/99

|                                                | IMP | M.P. | P.P. |
|------------------------------------------------|-----|------|------|
| David Fung, Vincent Fung, TC Chu, David CC Ng, | 23  | 2    | 30   |
| vs CC Wong-Irene HO Jacky Hsi                  | 7   | -    | -    |
| Patrick Lui, TT Sum, Samme Lee                 | 25  | 2    | 30   |

|                                                |    |   |    |
|------------------------------------------------|----|---|----|
| vs CC Wong, Irene Ho, Jacky Hsi                | 5  | - | -  |
| Thomas Ng, Chris Chung, Nelson Hsi             | 25 | 2 | 30 |
| vs Yau Ngai, LT Pang, W K Chan                 | 3  | - | -  |
| Thomas Ng, Chris Chung, Nelson Hsi             | 25 | 2 | 30 |
| vs Louis Chu, Sunny Lam, Vincent Lee           | 3  | - | -  |
| Yau Ngai, LT Pang, W K Chan                    | 19 | 2 | 30 |
| vs Stephen Kwok, Nancy Neumanun, Gilbert Chan, | 11 | - | -  |
| Stephen Kwok, Nancy Neumanun, Gilbert Chan     | 19 | 2 | 30 |
| vs CC Cheung, CK Cheung, Anthony Ng            | 11 | - | -  |
| Yau Ngai, LT Pang, W K Chan                    | 18 | 2 | 30 |
| vs Shirey Leong, Ella Graca, Amy Yeung         | 12 | - | -  |
| WK Chung, SF Fung, MK Tam                      | 16 | 2 | 30 |
| vs Shirey Leong, Ella Graca, Amy Yeung         | 14 | - | -  |
| CC Cheung, CK Cheung, Anthony Ng               | 21 | 2 | 30 |
| vs Patrick Lui, TT Sum, Samme Lee              | 9  | - | -  |
| David Fung, Vincent Fung, TC Chu, David CC Ng, | 18 | 2 | 30 |
| vs WK Chung, SF Fung, MK Tam                   | 12 | - | -  |

**Paul Jones 2**

22/2/99

|    | PCT                         | M.P.  | P.P.   |
|----|-----------------------------|-------|--------|
| 1  | Mecheal Lam - Andy KO Leung | 56.37 | 3.2 60 |
| 2  | David CC Ng - Robert Sweet  | 55.78 | 1.6 -  |
| 3  | Nelson Hsi - KS Kam         | 55.33 | 1.1 -  |
| 4  | WC Li - Sheldon Cheung      | 53.26 | 0.8 -  |
| 5  | William - Momoko Cheng      | 52.07 | 0.7 -  |
| 6  | Chan Yiu - Ella Graca       | 49.70 | 0.6 -  |
| 7  | Tom Leung - Jacky Ip        | 49.26 | - -    |
| 8  | Alex Leigh - Samme Lee      | 48.52 | - -    |
| 9  | Zeev Sinsusia - John Zhai   | 46.59 | - -    |
| 10 | KH Sin - WK Ngau            | 46.29 | - -    |
| 11 | CC Cheung - Laurance Lo     | 39.41 | - -    |
| 12 | Flora Wong - Patrick Yum    | 38.15 | - -    |

**Monthly Swiss Team 2**

23/2/99

|   | V.P.                                           | M.P. | P.P.   |
|---|------------------------------------------------|------|--------|
| 1 | WK Ngau, WY Szeto, Ronald Hui, SC Li           | 56   | 5.6 60 |
| 2 | Steve Wong, Robert Zajac, Chau Yiu, Ella Graca | 55   | 2.8 -  |

|   |                                                   |    |     |   |
|---|---------------------------------------------------|----|-----|---|
| 3 | KT Lin, Irene Ho, Jacky Ip, CC Wong               | 50 | 1.8 | - |
| 4 | Bell Tam, Patrick Yum, Flora Wong, Tom Leung      | 49 | 1.4 | - |
| 5 | Samme Lee, Alex Leigh, KL Fung, NY Kong           | 40 | -   | - |
| 6 | Momoko cheng, Keiko Noda, Louis Chu, Stanley Chan | 26 | -   | - |
| 7 | Nelson Hsi, Patrick Lui, FH Chow, CC Chow         | 24 | -   | - |
| 8 | Sheldon Cheung, WC Li, CP Lau, Lawence Lo         | 20 | -   | - |

**AGM and Special Pairs** 26/2/99

| NS | Section A                 | PCT   | M.P. |
|----|---------------------------|-------|------|
| 1  | CC Cheung - Bell Tam      | 68.88 | 2.6  |
| 2  | Peter Chun - Roger Choi   | 58.00 | 1.3  |
| 3  | Chan Yiu - MK Tam         | 56.00 | 0.7  |
| 4  | Patrick Lui - Louis Shen  | 51.00 | 0.6  |
| 5  | Ella Graca - Jacky Liu    | 48.47 | -    |
| 6  | Fu Kwan - Robert Zajac    | 45.41 | -    |
| 7  | Albert Chow - Rita Ho     | 39.29 | -    |
| 8  | Andy KO Leung - MM Cheung | 29.59 | -    |

| EW  | Section A                     | PCT   | M.P. |
|-----|-------------------------------|-------|------|
| 1   | Sean Tong - Sunny Lam         | 58.16 | 2.6  |
| 2   | Irene Ho - CC Wong            | 55.10 | 1.3  |
| 3   | Kathy Chan - Nancy Neumann    | 54.08 | 0.7  |
| 4   | CC Tam - Lam Shee             | 51.02 | 0.6  |
| 5   | Shirley Leong - Fatana Waller | 46.43 | -    |
| 6   | Pearlie Chan - Darwin Choi    | 45.41 | -    |
| 7=8 | Sheldon Cheung - YK Cham      | 44.90 | -    |
| 7=8 | SC Li - Stanley Chan          | 44.90 | -    |

| NS | Section B                       | PCT   | M.P. |
|----|---------------------------------|-------|------|
| 1  | Laurance Lo - WK Hon            | 66.84 | 2.6  |
| 2  | Lawrence Lau - Flora Wong       | 60.71 | 1.3  |
| 3  | Wallis Leung - Jacky Ip         | 53.57 | 0.7  |
| 4  | Patrick Yum - Bryan Law         | 52.04 | 0.6  |
| 5  | Wilxon Lam - YS Yang            | 46.94 | -    |
| 6  | CC Mok - Nap Wong               | 44.90 | -    |
| 7  | Ng Ka Wai - Abel                | 41.33 | -    |
| 8  | Ng Chi Cheung - Leung Cheuk Hin | 33.67 | -    |

**EW Section B**

|   |                               |       |     |
|---|-------------------------------|-------|-----|
| 1 | Patrick Yum - HL Tsang        | 62.24 | 2.6 |
| 2 | Tom Leung - KT Lin            | 56.12 | 1.3 |
| 3 | Wan Kam Chuen - Ng Kwok Wing  | 55.10 | 0.7 |
| 4 | Wong Ka Cheong - Li Shiu Fung | 50.51 | 0.6 |
| 5 | Samme Lee - MH Wong           | 45.41 | -   |
| 6 | Daniel Chui - Ng Wai Kin      | 44.90 | -   |
| 7 | Timothy Lee - Derek Yew       | 43.37 | -   |
| 8 | Johnson Fok - Chan Tsun Man   | 42.35 | -   |

**IMP Pairs 3** 1/3/99

| NS | Score                         | M.P.   | P.P.   |
|----|-------------------------------|--------|--------|
| 1  | Alex Leigh - Stephen Kwok     | 284.0  | 3.2 60 |
| 2  | Nelson Hsi - Chris Chung      | 275.0  | 1.6 -  |
| 3  | CK Poon - Cheung Lik          | 254.0  | 1.0 -  |
| 4  | Norman Hsu - Robert Yung      | 235.0  | 0.8 -  |
| 5  | WK Lai - KL Hui               | 170.0  | 0.7 -  |
| 6  | Yau Ngai - WK Chan            | 104.0  | 0.6 -  |
| 7  | Chan Yiu - Lam Shee           | 52.0   | - -    |
| 8  | Samme Lee - FH Chow           | -23.0  | - -    |
| 9  | Shirley Leong - Fatana Waller | -130.0 | - -    |
| 10 | LJ Remedios - FC Abraham      | -166.0 | - -    |
| 11 | William Ho - YC Lai           | -384.0 | - -    |
| 12 | Nap Wong - Wallis Leung       | -671.0 | - -    |

| EW | Score                       | M.P.   | P.P.   |
|----|-----------------------------|--------|--------|
| 1  | Patrick Yum - Laurance Lo   | 473.0  | 3.2 60 |
| 2  | HL Hau - Kinson Hui         | 294.0  | 1.6 -  |
| 3  | Eric Au - Momoko Cheng      | 119.0  | 1.0 -  |
| 4  | Amy Yeung - Ella Graca      | 110.0  | 0.8 -  |
| 5  | CC Cheung - Steve Wong      | 58.0   | 0.7 -  |
| 6  | Max He - XF Yeung           | 55.0   | 0.6 -  |
| 7  | WK Chung - MK Tam           | -12.0  | - -    |
| 8  | Roma Chulani - Manu Chulani | -93.0  | - -    |
| 9  | Michael Lam - Andy KO Leung | -183.0 | - -    |
| 10 | Bell Tam - Roger Choi       | -217.0 | - -    |
| 11 | Ng Wai Kin - Daniel Chui    | -242.0 | - -    |
| 12 | W.A. Ris - Chow Tommy       | -362.0 | - -    |

### 1998 Master Points And Prize Points

|                     | 1998G.P. | 1998M.P. | Total G.P. | TotalM.P. | Total P.P. |
|---------------------|----------|----------|------------|-----------|------------|
| <b>Grand Master</b> |          |          |            |           |            |
| Anthony Ching       | 3        | 22.4     | 164.0      | 1060.1    | 210        |
| Ashley Lung         | 4        | 17.6     | 212.0      | 1403.4    | 90         |
| Benjamin Kwok       | 14       | 24.2     | 107.0      | 657.1     | 220        |
| CY Chan             | 11       | 24.2     | 431.0      | 3312.6    | 140        |
| Chan Yiu            | 16       | 100.1    | 137.0      | 1044.3    | 1,125      |
| Derek Zen           | 4        | 21.7     | 482.0      | 2666.6    | 210        |
| Ella Graca          | 5        | 59.5     | 275.0      | 2632.9    | 630        |
| FC Abraham          | 2        | 7.5      | 187.0      | 1752.8    | 40         |
| Fu Kwan             | 7        | 20.5     | 201.0      | 1340.3    | 190        |
| IL Isong            | 9        | 38.5     | 197.0      | 1696.9    | 540        |
| Jane Leung          | 0        | 2.7      | 101.0      | 1057.2    | 30         |
| Karic Chiu          | 8        | 25.8     | 498.0      | 2803.5    | 330        |
| LJ Remedios         | 0        | 7.6      | 100.0      | 980.7     | 30         |
| LL Lee              | 31       | 42.7     | 145.0      | 609.9     | 775        |
| Monica Chan         | 3        | 5.0      | 147.0      | 1069.6    | 60         |
| Nelson Hsi          | 18       | 106.9    | 322.0      | 1727.2    | 1,050      |
| PS Shum             | 0        | 48.3     | 183.0      | 1483.3    | 380        |
| Peter Chun          | 4        | 23.1     | 518.0      | 3022.0    | 100        |
| Peter Poon          | 3        | 2.6      | 319.0      | 2353.3    | 100        |
| Peter Yeung         | 15       | 56.7     | 481.0      | 2645.0    | 730        |
| Roger Ling          | 18       | 67.6     | 590.0      | 3350.1    | 590        |
| SS Yeh              | 7        | 24.2     | 402.0      | 3189.1    | 100        |
| Samme Lee           | 6        | 92.7     | 238.0      | 2213.2    | 1,070      |
| Samuel Wan          | 8        | 16.2     | 451.0      | 2480.5    | 100        |
| Terence Tung        | 0        | 0.4      | 104.0      | 821.4     | -          |
| Thomas Ng           | 23       | 45.9     | 215.0      | 958.8     | 655        |
| William Ho          | 4        | 42.2     | 111.5      | 1036.6    | 420        |
| <b>Life Master</b>  |          |          |            |           |            |
| Amy Yeung           | 3        | 26.8     | 95.0       | 440.0     | 210        |
| CC Tam              | 0        | 19.6     | 53.0       | 621.9     | 180        |
| Chris Chung         | 16       | 47.5     | 87.5       | 549.6     | 770        |
| EM Barham           | 0        | 0.4      | 52.0       | 513.2     | -          |
| FF Chow             | 1        | 48.5     | 85.0       | 773.4     | 330        |
| HW Wong             | 8        | 14.3     | 142.0      | 499.2     | 360        |
| Henry Lam           | 5        | 15.8     | 64.0       | 507.5     | 210        |
| Jacky Liu           | 0        | 0.5      | 54.0       | 671.2     | -          |
| KF Tung             | 1        | 16.6     | 62.0       | 355.8     | 120        |

|                       |    |      |       |       |       |
|-----------------------|----|------|-------|-------|-------|
| KL Choy               | 8  | 25.1 | 155.0 | 597.9 | 360   |
| Lawrence Lau          | 22 | 17.6 | 85.0  | 364.4 | 620   |
| Patrick Choy          | 0  | 3.9  | 89.0  | 750.0 | -     |
| Patrick Lui           | 1  | 77.4 | 87.0  | 660.6 | 720   |
| Ricky Chu             | 1  | 9.4  | 98.0  | 814.6 | 90    |
| Robert Zajac          | 8  | 40.3 | 76.0  | 760.9 | 490   |
| Roger Choi            | 10 | 27.9 | 72.0  | 598.9 | 240   |
| Vincent Fung          | 11 | 21.0 | 68.0  | 324.6 | 345   |
| Vincent Li            | 7  | 24.2 | 60.0  | 488.8 | 100   |
| York Liao             | 5  | 28.6 | 65.0  | 607.0 | 370   |
| <b>Advance Master</b> |    |      |       |       |       |
| Alan Sze              | 13 | 28.4 | 51.0  | 164.2 | 380   |
| Alex Leigh            | 7  | 17.9 | 35.5  | 313.8 | 120   |
| Benny Kwok            | 10 | 64.0 | 46.0  | 575.0 | 470   |
| CC Cheung             | 19 | 81.0 | 30.5  | 208.6 | 1,090 |
| CC Wong               | 2  | 14.8 | 25.5  | 283.1 | 160   |
| Daniel Chui           | 9  | 43.4 | 39.5  | 138.9 | 580   |
| Gilbert Chan          | 0  | 4.1  | 42.0  | 407.4 | 30    |
| Hugo Hui              | 4  | 0.0  | 27.0  | 226.0 | 60    |
| Irene Ho              | 1  | 14.7 | 36.5  | 299.8 | 130   |
| JM Shen               | 0  | 9.4  | 38.0  | 421.6 | 90    |
| John Chai             | 0  | 5.4  | 49.0  | 416.2 | 30    |
| Johnny Yu             | 0  | 26.6 | 29.0  | 331.8 | 270   |
| KC Chak               | 0  | 2.9  | 45.0  | 404.5 | 60    |
| KL Fung               | 7  | 51.6 | 46.5  | 383.2 | 810   |
| KL Hui                | 17 | 81.3 | 30.0  | 128.5 | 640   |
| KP Chiang             | 7  | 21.3 | 29.0  | 225.0 | 300   |
| LT Pang               | 18 | 41.3 | 49.0  | 337.3 | 375   |
| Lam Shee              | 7  | 38.5 | 41.0  | 186.7 | 530   |
| Laurence Lo           | 10 | 55.0 | 43.0  | 158.5 | 585   |
| Louis Leung           | 0  | 7.8  | 29.0  | 254.5 | -     |
| Lu Qin                | 15 | 41.6 | 56.6  | 271.8 | 490   |
| Ng Wai Kin            | 10 | 54.9 | 31.5  | 159.9 | 700   |
| Norman Hsu            | 0  | 41.6 | 26.0  | 434.4 | 260   |
| Patrick Yum           | 8  | 32.0 | 41.5  | 136.6 | 355   |
| SF Fung               | 0  | 10.8 | 25.0  | 255.1 | 135   |
| SK Luk                | 10 | 41.3 | 44.0  | 386.6 | 440   |
| Shirley Chang         | 0  | 8.4  | 48.0  | 439.5 | 160   |
| Steve Wong            | 10 | 60.2 | 44.0  | 398.3 | 575   |
| TT Sum                | 1  | 50.1 | 47.0  | 376.6 | 330   |
| Tom Wong              | 5  | 8.7  | 30.0  | 305.1 | 120   |
| WK Chan               | 13 | 53.1 | 42.0  | 235.5 | 515   |

|                      |    |      |      |       |     |
|----------------------|----|------|------|-------|-----|
| WK Chung             | 1  | 18.3 | 27.0 | 240.1 | 195 |
| WK Lai               | 17 | 70.0 | 25.0 | 99.1  | 495 |
| Wilson Chan          | 0  | 4.7  | 30.0 | 270.6 | 60  |
| Yau Ngai             | 8  | 42.1 | 36.0 | 137.2 | 285 |
| <b>Senior Master</b> |    |      |      |       |     |
| Andy Leung           | 2  | 19.5 | 15.5 | 161.8 | 160 |
| Bell Tam             | 9  | 70.0 | 12.0 | 133.9 | 820 |
| Billy Szeto          | 1  | 24.3 | 4.0  | 123.5 | 240 |
| CB Li                | 3  | 8.6  | 20.0 | 87.8  | 105 |
| CC Ng David          | 6  | 26.7 | 22.0 | 189.1 | 280 |
| CC Yip               | 0  | 2.9  | 14.0 | 147.0 | 60  |
| CK Cheung            | 1  | 18.6 | 17.0 | 69.6  | 135 |
| Cheung Lik           | 1  | 22.8 | 0.5  | 58.4  | 180 |
| Christine Booth      | 1  | 18.4 | 3.5  | 113.7 | 130 |
| David Fung           | 3  | 12.4 | 21.0 | 98.4  | 180 |
| Eric Au              | 0  | 30.5 | 2.0  | 51.5  | 370 |
| Fatana Waller        | 0  | 2.0  | 17.0 | 222.3 | -   |
| Frederick Mak        | 0  | 5.8  | 1.0  | 81.8  | -   |
| HL Hau               | 1  | 10.6 | 4.0  | 138.8 | 160 |
| KB Chan              | 1  | 3.1  | 23.5 | 207.1 | 30  |
| KT Lin               | 2  | 20.0 | 20.5 | 225.9 | 75  |
| Kinson Hui           | 3  | 12.3 | 7.5  | 142.2 | 160 |
| Leo Chow             | 0  | 8.4  | 8.0  | 115.6 | 150 |
| MK Tam               | 2  | 38.3 | 20.0 | 353.9 | 255 |
| Mario Yeung          | 0  | 11.1 | 22.0 | 159.5 | 150 |
| Momoko Cheng         | 1  | 29.8 | 1.0  | 181.9 | 220 |
| NY Kong              | 0  | 24.9 | 17.0 | 221.6 | 440 |
| Nancy Neumann        | 0  | 10.0 | 4.0  | 135.4 | 135 |
| OK Lo                | 0  | 0.7  | 15.0 | 124.1 | -   |
| Peter Yum            | 1  | 5.4  | 19.0 | 240.6 | 120 |
| Robert Yung          | 0  | 4.1  | 9.0  | 94.7  | -   |
| Samuel Ieong         | 0  | 2.6  | 7.0  | 70    | -   |
| Seneca Kwan          | 1  | 6.3  | 23.0 | 372.4 | 120 |
| Sheldon Cheung       | 4  | 53.0 | 4.5  | 102.9 | 560 |
| Shirley Leong        | 0  | 19.4 | 4.0  | 95.1  | 200 |
| Stephen Kwok         | 9  | 35.1 | 23.5 | 202.5 | 225 |
| Summy Man            | 0  | 6.9  | 7.0  | 148   | -   |
| TC Chu               | 3  | 12.4 | 6.0  | 59.2  | 165 |
| Tom Leung            | 1  | 18.8 | 7.5  | 61.7  | 230 |
| WC Li                | 8  | 53.8 | 17.0 | 170.5 | 530 |
| WH Yung              | 2  | 9.6  | 6.0  | 54.7  | 60  |
| WK Hon               | 1  | 24.1 | 4.0  | 73    | 175 |

|                      |   |      |      |      |     |
|----------------------|---|------|------|------|-----|
| WW Cho               | 0 | 3.2  | 14.0 | 91.2 | 40  |
| Wendy Simpson        | 0 | 3.4  | 0    | 77.8 | -   |
| YT Lo                | 1 | 0.0  | 2.5  | 72.8 | -   |
| <b>Master</b>        |   |      |      |      |     |
| Andy KO Leung        | 0 | 16.3 | 3.0  | 27.5 | 180 |
| CW Yip               | 0 | 7.9  | 2.0  | 33.8 | 100 |
| CY Chong             | 1 | 7.3  | 0.5  | 22.6 | 60  |
| Edward Leong         | 0 | 1.5  | 0    | 20.1 | -   |
| Flora Wong           | 0 | 29.0 | 0    | 49.7 | 140 |
| LH Chin              | 0 | 5.4  | 1.0  | 36.5 | -   |
| Ringo Lee            | 0 | 9.0  | 6.0  | 20.2 | -   |
| SP Chan              | 0 | 6.1  | 0    | 24.3 | 100 |
| Wallis Leung         | 7 | 21.2 | 13.0 | 27.0 | 240 |
| YK Cham              | 0 | 1.6  | 3.0  | 41.1 | -   |
| <b>Junior Master</b> |   |      |      |      |     |
| Cathy Lee            | 0 | 2.0  | 0    | 5.1  | 30  |
| Chris Fung           | 0 | 0.8  | 0    | 2.9  | -   |
| Fiona Poon           | 1 | 2.0  | 0.5  | 5    | -   |
| Ivan Hu              | 0 | 10.8 | 0    | 17.7 | 120 |
| Jacky Ip             | 0 | 6.6  | 0    | 70   | -   |
| Johnson Fok          | 1 | 5.0  | 0.5  | 6.3  | 60  |
| KC Lau               | 0 | 10.8 | 1.0  | 16.3 | 135 |
| KF Mak               | 0 | 4.3  | 0    | -    | -   |
| KY Chu               | 0 | 4.7  | 0    | 11.6 | 30  |
| Kamen Wong           | 2 | 2.1  | 1.5  | 3.2  | 70  |
| Louis Chu            | 0 | 0.7  | 0    | 1.7  | -   |
| Louis Shen           | 3 | 3.0  | 0    | -    | 100 |
| Manu Chulani         | 0 | 3.0  | 0    | 7.5  | -   |
| Michael Lam          | 0 | 16.7 | 2.0  | 18.5 | 120 |
| Nicola Marr          | 0 | 0.7  | 0    | 0.7  | -   |
| Paul Lau             | 0 | 0.6  | 0    | 8.4  | -   |
| Raymond Chan         | 0 | 1.5  | 0    | -    | 60  |
| Raymond Mak          | 0 | 0.9  | 0    | 4.1  | -   |
| Robert Cheah         | 0 | 0.5  | 0    | 3.3  | -   |
| Roma Chulani         | 0 | 3.0  | 0    | 13.4 | -   |
| Stanley Chan         | 0 | 3.1  | 0    | 4.9  | -   |
| Thomas Jin           | 0 | 0.7  | 0    | -    | -   |
| WK Ngau              | 0 | 6.5  | 0    | 13.0 | 60  |
| YC Lai               | 0 | 1.0  | 1.0  | 11.5 | 0   |
| Yoko Iwasa           | 0 | 5.8  | 0    | -    | 0   |

## 98 Winners

- (1) **Andre Quan Pairs** (Andre Quan Memorial Cup)  
Anthony Ching-Nelson Hsi
- (2) **Quadruple Pairs** (Y.T. Fong Memorial Cup)  
William Ho, Benny Kwok, York Liao, Patrick Lui
- (3) **Open Pair** (Chinese Club Cup) Benjamin Kwok-Samuel Wan
- (4) **Open Mixed Pairs** (L.A. Ozorio Cup) LL Lee-Thomas Ng
- (5) **Master Pairs** (Terence Reese Cup) LL Lee-Thomas Ng
- (6) **Life Master Pairs** (S.S. Yeh Cup) Roger Choi-Peter Chun
- (7) **IMP Pairs** (SCAA Cup) Alex Leigh-Stephen Kwok
- (8) **Ladder Pairs** (Chan Yiu Cup) CC Cheung-Bell Tam
- (9) **Edward Chok Swiss Team of Four** (Edward Chok Memorial Cup)  
Chan Yiu, Chris Chung, Nelson Hsi, Steve Wong
- (10) **Lorraine Sung Multiple Team of Four** (Lorraine Sung Memorial Cup)  
Chan Yiu, KL Choy, Roger Ling, LL Lee, Thomas Ng, HW Wong
- (11) **Open Team of Six** (Association Cup)  
CY Chan, Peter Chun, Benny Kwok, Vincent Li, Roger Ling, SS Yeh
- (12) **Open Team of Four** (Lusitano Club Cup) KL Choy, Chris Chung, Vincent Li, Lawrence Lau, LL Lee, Thomas Ng, HW Wong
- (13) **Master team of Four** (ST. John University Cup)  
WK Chan, Laurence Lau, SK Luk, LT Pang, Alan Sze
- (14) **Open League** (Ambassador Cup) Thomas Ng, LL Lee, Chan Yiu, Chris Chung, Nelson Hsi, Steve Wong, Lawrence Lau
- (15) **Ladderette Teams** (Woo Tsing Memorial Cup)  
Chan Yiu, IL leong, Lam Shee, Lu Qin, Peter Yeung
- (16) **Ladder Teams** (Victor Zirinsky Cup) Anthony Ching, Karic Chiu, Nelson Hsi, Lu Qin, Peter Yeung, Derek Zen
- (17) **Paul Jones Duplicate** (M.C. Siu Cup) Samme Lee
- (18) **TS LO Cup** Nelson Hsi

## Revised Tournament Schedule

| <i>March</i> |            | <i>Event</i>                    | <i>Type</i>  |              |
|--------------|------------|---------------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>Date</i>  | <i>Day</i> |                                 |              |              |
| 1            | Mon        | IMP Pairs 3                     | Year-round   |              |
| 2            | Tue        | March Handicap Pairs            | 1-session    |              |
| 5            | Fri        | Ladder Team 1R3                 | Year-round   |              |
| 8            | Mon        | Ladder Pairs 3                  | Year-round   |              |
| 9            | Tue        | March Pick-up Multiple Team     | 1-session(1) |              |
| 12           | Fri        | Open League 2                   | Year-round   |              |
| 15           | Mon        | Paul Jones 3                    | Year-round   |              |
| 16           | Tue        | March Individual                | 1-session    |              |
| 19           | Fri        | Monthly Swiss Team 3            | Year-round   |              |
| 22           | Mon        | Open Team of 6 Session 1        | Cup event    |              |
| 23           | Tue        | Open Team of 6 Session 2        | Cup event    |              |
| 26           | Fri        | Open Team of 6 Session 3        | Cup event    |              |
| 29           | Mon        | GP49 IMP Pairs 3                | 1-session    |              |
| 30           | Tue        | Easter Pairs                    | 1-session    |              |
| <i>April</i> |            | <i>Event</i>                    | <i>Type</i>  | <i>venue</i> |
| 2            | Fri        | Easter - No Tournament          |              |              |
| 6            | Tue        | Ching Ming - No Tournament      |              |              |
| 9            | Fri        | Ladder Team 1R4                 | Year-round   | Mariner      |
| 13           | Tue        | IMP Pairs 4                     | Year-round   | Mariner      |
| 16           | Fri        | Open League 3                   | year-round   | Chung Ngan   |
| 20           | Tue        | Ladder Pairs 4                  | year-round   | Mariner      |
| 23           | Fri        | Monthly Swiss Team 4            | Year-round   | Mariner      |
| 27           | Tue        | Paul Jones 4                    | Year-round   | Chung Ngan   |
| 30           | Fri        | Open Mixed Pairs                | Cup event    | Mariner      |
| <i>May</i>   |            | <i>Event</i>                    | <i>Type</i>  | <i>venue</i> |
| 4            | Tue        | IMP Pairs 5                     | Year-round   | Mariner      |
| 7            | Fri        | Ladder Team 1R5                 | Year-round   | Mariner      |
| 11           | Tue        | Ladder Pairs 5                  | Year-round   | Mariner      |
| 14           | Fri        | Open League 4                   | Year-round   | Mariner      |
| 18           | Tue        | Paul Jones 5                    | Year-round   | Mariner      |
| 21           | Fri        | Monthly Swiss Team 5            | Year-round   | Mariner      |
| 25           | Tue        | Andre Ouan Memorial Cup Pairs 1 | Cup event    | Mariner      |
| 28           | Fri        | Andre Ouan Memorial Cup Pairs 2 | Cup event    | Mariner      |



| <b>June</b> |                                          |             |              |
|-------------|------------------------------------------|-------------|--------------|
| <i>Date</i> | <i>Event</i>                             | <i>Type</i> | <i>venue</i> |
| 1 Tue       | IMP Pairs 6                              | Year-round  | Mariner      |
| 4 Fri       | Ladder Team 1R6                          | Year-round  | Chung Ngan   |
| 8 Tue       | Ladder Pairs 6                           | Year-round  | Mariner      |
| 11 Fri      | Open League 5                            | Year-round  | Chung Ngan   |
| 12 Sat      | 3 <sup>rd</sup> SAR Hong Kong Inter-city | 4-session   | Mariner      |
| 13 Sun      | Trials Sessions 1-4                      |             |              |
| 15 Tue      | Paul Jones 6                             | Year-round  | Mariner      |
| 18 Fri      | Wen Ng Ng Tournament                     |             |              |
| 22 Tue      | Open Team of Four Qualifying 1           | Gold Point  | Mariner      |
| 25 Fri      | Open Team of Four Qualifying 2           | Gold Point  | Mariner      |
| 26 Sat      | Open Team of Four Final 1&2              | Gold Point  | Mariner      |
| 27 Sun      | Open Team of Four Final 3&4              | Gold Point  | Mariner      |
| 29 Tue      | Monthly Swiss Team 6                     | Year-round  | Mariner      |

| <b>July</b> |                                 |             |         |
|-------------|---------------------------------|-------------|---------|
| <i>Date</i> | <i>Event</i>                    | <i>Type</i> |         |
| 2 Fri       | Open League 6                   | Year-round  |         |
| 6 Tue       | IMP Pairs 7                     | Year-round  |         |
| 9 Fri       | Master & Junior Pairs Session 1 | Gold Point  | Mariner |
| 13 Tue      | Master & Junior Pairs Session 2 | Gold Point  |         |
| 16 Fri      | Ladder Team 2R Qualifying 1     | Year-round  |         |
| 20 Tue      | Ladder Pairs 7                  | Year-round  |         |
| 23 Fri      | Ladder Team 2R Qualifying 2     | Year-round  |         |
| 27 Tue      | Paul Jones 7                    | Year-round  |         |
| 30 Fri      | Monthly Swiss Team 7            | Year-round  |         |

| <b>August</b> |                                                             |             |  |
|---------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|--|
| <i>Date</i>   | <i>Event</i>                                                | <i>Type</i> |  |
| 3 Tue         | IMP Pairs 8                                                 | Year-round  |  |
| 6 Fri         | Ladder Team 2R2                                             | Year-round  |  |
| 10 Tue        | Ladder Pairs 8                                              | Year-round  |  |
| 13 Fri        | Open League 7                                               | Year-round  |  |
| 17 Tue        | Paul Jones 8                                                | Year-round  |  |
| 18            | Inter-city No Tournament                                    |             |  |
| 23            | 3 <sup>rd</sup> SAR Hong Kong Inter-city Championships 1999 |             |  |
| 24 Tue        | Edward Chok Team 1                                          | Cup event   |  |
| 27 Fri        | Monthly Swiss Team 8                                        | Year-round  |  |
| 31 Tue        | Edward Chok Team 2                                          | Cup event   |  |

| <b>September</b> |                                |             |  |
|------------------|--------------------------------|-------------|--|
| <i>Date</i>      | <i>Event</i>                   | <i>Type</i> |  |
| 3 Fri            | Ladder Team 2R3                | Year-round  |  |
| 7 Tue            | IMP Pairs 9                    | Year-round  |  |
| 10 Fri           | Open League 8                  | Year-round  |  |
| 14 Tue           | Ladder Pairs 9                 | Year-round  |  |
| 17 Fri           | Monthly Swiss Team 9           | Year-round  |  |
| 21 Tue           | Paul Jones 9                   | Year-round  |  |
| 24 Fri           | Life & Non-life Master Pairs 1 | Gold Point  |  |
| 28 Tue           | Life & Non-life Master Pairs 2 | Gold Point  |  |

| <b>October</b> |                                 |             |  |
|----------------|---------------------------------|-------------|--|
| <i>Date</i>    | <i>Event</i>                    | <i>Type</i> |  |
| 1 Fri          | National Day No Tournament      |             |  |
| 5 Tue          | IMP Pairs 10                    | Year-round  |  |
| 8 Fri          | Ladder Team 2R4                 | Year-round  |  |
| 12 Tue         | Ladder Pairs 10                 | Year-round  |  |
| 15 Fri         | Open League 9                   | Year-round  |  |
| 16 Sat         | Open League Play-off            | Year-round  |  |
| 19 Tue         | Paul Jones 10                   | Year-round  |  |
| 22 Fri         | Monthly Swiss Team 10           | Year-round  |  |
| 26 Tue         | Open Pairs Qualifying Session 1 | Gold Point  |  |
| 29 Fri         | Open Pairs Qualifying Session 2 | Gold Point  |  |
| 30 Sat         | Open Pairs Finals 1 & 2         | Gold Point  |  |

| <b>November</b> |                                |             |  |
|-----------------|--------------------------------|-------------|--|
| <i>Date</i>     | <i>Event</i>                   | <i>Type</i> |  |
| 2 Tue           | IMP Pairs 11                   | Year-round  |  |
| 5 Fri           | Ladder Team 2R5                | Year-round  |  |
| 9 Tue           | Ladder Pairs 11                | Year-round  |  |
| 12 Fri          | GP49 IMP Pairs                 | 1-session   |  |
| 16 Tue          | Paul Jones 11                  | Year-round  |  |
| 19 Fri          | Monthly Swiss Team 11          | Year-round  |  |
| 23 Tue          | Master & Junior Team Session 1 | Gold Point  |  |
| 26 Fri          | Master & Junior Team Session 2 | Gold Point  |  |
| 30 Tue          | Master & Junior Team Session 3 | Gold Point  |  |

| <b>December</b> |                                |             |  |
|-----------------|--------------------------------|-------------|--|
| <i>Date</i>     | <i>Event</i>                   | <i>Type</i> |  |
| 3 Fri           | Quadruple Pairs Session 1      | Cup event   |  |
| 4 Sat           | Quadruple Pairs Sessions 2 & 3 | Cup event   |  |

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| 7  | Tue | IMP Pairs12                             | Year-round |
| 10 | Fri | Ladder Team 2R6                         | Year-round |
| 14 | Tue | Ladder Pairs 12                         | Year-round |
| 17 | Fri | Monthly Swiss Team 12                   | Year-round |
| 18 | Sat | Ladder Team Play-off                    | Year-round |
| 21 | Tue | GP49 IMP Pairs 3                        | 1-session  |
| 24 | Fri | <del>Christmas Eve No Tournament</del>  |            |
| 28 | Tue | Paul Jones 12                           | Year-round |
| 31 | Fri | <del>New Year's Eve No Tournament</del> |            |

### *Notes on 1999 Schedule*

#### Year-round Event

1. The formats of the IMP Pairs, Ladder Pairs, Ladder Team and Paul Jones Pairs will remain the same as in 1998.
2. Any player can come and pick-up a partner for the Paul Jones Pairs. There will always be a Council Member on hand to ensure that a partner is available. No advance reservation necessary.
3. The Open League will be conducted in a double round-robin with 14-board matches. The 2 leading team will have a play-off of 42 boards with a full IMP carry-over from their round-robin matches. This will mean a 70-board knock-out.
4. A new "Monthly Swiss Team" will be added to replace the Laddrette Team. Each session will be a 4-round Swiss of 6 boards each. Ranking points will be 10, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1. The best 7 out of 12 sessions will count towards the award.

#### Special Team Formation for Year-round Team Events

1. Each registered team will require a minimum of 3 anchor players only.
2. The 3 anchor players can only play in the designated team, and must play at least 7 out of the 12 sessions to qualify for the championship.
3. For each session, at least 1 of the anchor player must play for the team.
4. Other players can be co-opted, varying from session to session.
5. Year-round Gold Point for the winners will be awarded to players who participate in at least 7 sessions.

#### Cup Events

1. There will be no change in the formats for the following Cup Events: Andre Ouan Memorial Cup Pairs, Edward Chok Memorial Cup Team, Lorraine Sung Memorial Cup Team, Open Mixed Pairs and the Open Team of 6. Please refer to the HKCBA Handbook for details.
2. For the Quadruple Pairs, only 3 anchor players need to register and the fourth player(s) can be drawn anywhere. The 3 anchor players must play with each other once.

#### Gold Points Events

1. Strict entry rules will be enforced according to the HKCBA Handbook for the following Gold Point Events: Open Team of 4, Master & Junior Pairs, Master & Junior Team and Open Pairs.
2. For the Life and Non-life Master Pairs, a Non-life Mater can participate with Life Master in the Life Master section with a handicap of +2%.
3. Rules and regulations for all trials will be separately published. The format of these trials will reflect the conditions of the actual tournament.