



Congratulations to the 2024 Unit 557 Board

Back row: Chuck Laine, Alan Olschwang, Jenny Ernest (Treasurer), Joey DuRee, Leo Dittimore (Vice President), Mary McIntyre
Front Row: Fern Dunbar, Judy Jones, Melanie Smothers, Lillian Slater (President), Rita Vanlierop, Ann Peacock, Cherene Birkholz, Linda Leventhal (Secretary). Missing from photo: Nancy Imbery, Casey Stiers

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Status Changes

Junior Master	Robert Melworm Moyna Simon
Advanced NABC Master	Jon Yinger
Silver Life Master	Karen McKittrick Frederick Reker

Welcome New Members

Mary Ann Remnet

Welcome Transfer

Mary Ohalloran

70's Club Big Games



On January 24, Paul and Cindy Barth scored 71.43% in a field of 4 tables in the NLM section.



On January 24, Vince Wilker and Jim Warner scored 75.60% in a field of 4 tables in the NLM section.



**Silver Life Master
Karen McKittrick**



**Silver Life Master
Fred Reker**

TABLE TALK

Editor	A.K. Laine
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Article Submissions
We welcome articles, ideas and photos pertaining to our club. We reserve the right to revise submissions. Contact Ardie at ardeaux1@gmail.com.

Happy New (Bridge Education) Year



Happy 62nd birthday to Marcus Evans. Thank you, Carolyn Byrnes, for the scrumptious cake.



Our locally-famous bridge education/ 199'er group kicked off the year with mimosa, delectable treats, and of course bridge! Thank you, Rob Preece, for organizing a terrific way to kick off 2024. Also a tip of the hat to Rob, Fern Dunbar, Hank Dunbar, and Leo Dittemore for supporting Bridge education and developing aspiring bridge players.

Our Sympathies to the Friends and Family of



Louis Shen
January 2024

BBO VIRTUAL GAMES

All-Western - Districts 17, 19, 21, 22, 23

Monday-Thursday 6:30 p.m.

99ers NiteClub - VACB905265

199s NiteClub - VACV277640

BBO Competitive/ACBL Virtual Clubs

• 6:20 p.m. 19ers.



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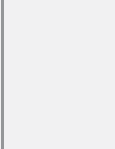



Director Chuck Laine regaled everyone with the University of Michigan fight song after their football team won the national championship on January 15th. Go Blue!



February 2024

January '24							March '24						
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Sunday		Monday		Tuesday		Wednesday		Thursday		Friday		Saturday		
28		29		30		31		1	12:30 OPEN	2	12:30 OPEN/NLM	3	12:30 OPEN	
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