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SCHEDULE:

SATURDAY, DEC. 3rd 6:30 P.M. PLAY BEGINS 10:30 P.M. BUFFET

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PEBBLE BEACH BACKGAMMON CHAMPIONSHIP/DEL MONTE LODGE/CALIF.

Del Monte Lodge Pebble Beach, California 93953 (408) 624-3811

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I will be attending the Pebble Beach Backgammon Championship. Please reserve:	for arrival and departure				
One double room or One single room	send \$75 deposit. Your request must be received at least 2 weeks prior to your				
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### You are cordially invited to attend the 4th Annual Pebble Beach Backgammon Championships

Friday, February 11, through Sunday, February 13, 1977

> Del Monte Lodge Pebble Beach, California

#### PROGRAM

Friday, February 11, at the Beach and Tennis Club, Pebble Beach. 6:30 p.m. cocktails. 7:30 p.m. dinner. First round of tournament play will follow the auction. Location: Pebble Beach Room, Del Monte Lodge.

Saturday, February 12, at Del Monte Lodge. 11:30 a.m. Play Continues. Consolation Flights begin in all divisions in the afternoon.

Sunday, February 13, at Del Monte Lodge. 11:30 a.m. Play Continues. Finals in all divisions. Conclusion of Consolation Flights in all divisions. Last Chance Flights.

Tournament limited to maximum of 150 players.

#### **Tournament Committee**

Richard Osborne - Paul Miller Barclay Cooke - Jack Vietor - Porter Ijams

Tournament Director Lewis Deyong, London

#### ENTRY FEES

Championship Division.	. \$165.00
Player Pool	\$100.00
Friday Dinner	25.00
Balance*	
Intermediate Division	S 90.00
Player Pool	\$ 50.00
Friday Dinner	25.00
Balance*	15.00
Beginner Division	S 65.00
Player Pool	\$ 25.00
Friday Dinner	25.00
Balance*	15.00

\*Note: Net proceeds and 10% of the Auction Pool will benefit the Boys Club of the Monterey Peninsula.

#### PLAYER POOL

The Player Pool will be dis	stributed as
follows:	
In Each Division:	
Championship Flight	
Consolation Flight	
Last Chance Flight	

#### In Each Flight:

Winner		%
Finalist		%
	inalists (each) 10°	

#### In Last Chance Flight:

Winner.		
Finalist.	 	

#### **AUCTION POOL**

The division of the Auction Pool will be similar except that in the Championship Flight the distribution will be:

Winner	******			60%
Finalist				20%
Semi-Fi	inalists.		(each)	10%

#### **RULES OF PLAY**

I. All entries subject to approval of the tournament committee.

II. All decisions of the tournament committee will be final.

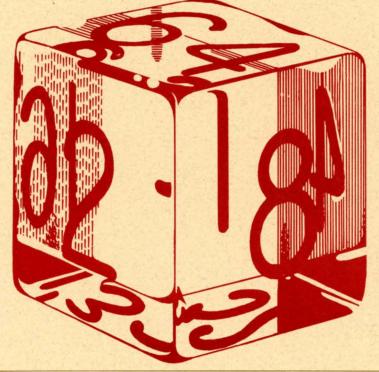
III. Player's Guide (distributed to each entrant upon arrival) will stipulate rules, method of play, etc.

#### Consolation and Last Chance Flights

Saturday, February 12th, each defeated player will be eligible to compete in the Consolation Flights.

Sunday, February 13, each player defeated on the previous day will be eligible to compete in the Last Chance Flights (except for beginners).

For information call Carol Rissel (408) 649-8500



YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO ATTEND THE 5TH ANNUAL PEBBLE BEACH BACKGAMMON CHAMPIONSHIP

February 10-13, 1978 Del Monte Lodge, Pebble Beach

### PROGRAM

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 10 Auction Dinner Pebble Beach Room, Del Monte Lodge Cocktails 6:30 p.m. Dinner 7:30 p.m.

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 11** 1:00 p.m. Council Room, Del Monte Lodge First round of tournament play, all divisions.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 12 1:00 p.m. Council Room, Del Monte Lodge Tournament play continues. Consolation Flights – all divisions.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 13 1:00 p.m. Council Room, Del Monte Lodge Tournament play continues. Last Chance Flights – all divisions.

TOURNAMENT LIMITED TO MAXIMUM OF 150 PLAYERS

For information: Carol Rissel (408) 649-8500

Tournament Committee Barclay Cooke – Jack Vietor William E. Boyd – Mrs. A. Thomas Taylor

Tournament Director Lewis Deyong, London

#### **ENTRY FEES**

Championship Division	n \$165.00
Player Pool	\$100.00
Friday Dinner	25.00
Balance*	40.00
Intermediate Division	\$ 90.00
Player Pool	\$ 50.00
Friday Dinner	25.00
Balance*	15.00
Beginner Division	\$ 65.00
Player Pool	\$ 25.00
Friday Dinner	25.00
Balance*	15.00

\*Net proceeds and 10% of the Auction Pool will benefit the Boys Club of the Monterey Peninsula.

#### **PLAYER POOL**

The Player Pool will be distributed follows:	ited as
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Consolation Flight	25%
Last Chance Flight	
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#### **AUCTION POOL**

The division of the Auction Pool	will
be similar except that in the Champ	ion-
ship Flight the distribution will be:	
Winner	50%
Finalist	
Semi-Finalists (each)	

#### **RULES OF PLAY**

- A. All entries subject to approval of the tournament committee.
- B. All decisions of the tournament committee will be final.
- C. Player's Guide (distributed to each player on arrival) will stipulate rules, method of play, etc.

As only a select number of competitors can be accommodated, your check and this entry form must reach us by January 31 or we will consider you are not coming.

## INVITATION ONLY • BACKGAMMON TOURNAMENT • OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM

Name		Phone				
Address	City	State	Zip			
PLEASE CHECK ONE:						
Championship Entrance Fee	\$165.00	As only a select numb				
□ Intermediate Entrance Fee	90.00	be accommodated, your o				
Beginner Entrance Fee	65.00	must reach us by January	31 or we will consider you			
Note: Entrance fee includes charge for Friday night	t auction dinner.	are not coming.				
If you wish to bring an additional guest(s), check You must remit an additional \$25.00 per persor dinner to assure your guests' reservation(s).	k here	Please make checks payab Pebble Beach Backgamr Box 597				
This Invitation Non-Transferable		Pebble Beach, CA 93953	3			

## **DEL MONTE LODGE** • ROOM RESERVATION CARD

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Address	City		State Zip					
I will be attending the Pebb	le Beach Backgammon Champion	iship February 10-13. Please r	reserve:					
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The California Open Backgammon Championships Match Play for the Governor's Cup sponsored by the Backgammon Associates in conjunction with the American Backgammon Players Association Sheraton-Universal Hotel, No. Hollywood, California Thursday, June 1 — Sunday, June 4, 1978

#### The California Invitational North-South Challenge Cup

Tournament Director Sidney Jackson

#### **Tournament Committee**

Judy & Don Adams Carole & George Bassman Vicki & Buddy Berke Susan & William Conrad Lucy & Gary Morton Paula & Alfred Sheinwold

#### The South -

Tom Gilbert, Captain Valerie Calamaro Deeds Bill Eisenberg Tony Goble Lili Gross Gaby Horowitz Hugh Sconyers

#### Senior Judge Barclay Cooke

#### **Rules Committee**

Dennis Carlston Malcolm Davis Celeste Duran Bill Eisenberg Tom Gilbert Hugh Sconyers

#### The North -

Dennis Carlston, Captain Sandy Carlston Kyle Larsen Nick Maffeo Chuck Papazian Stan Tomchin Nancy Weichsel

#### **Schedule of Events**

l'hursday,	June 1
5 p.m.	Registration — Main Event & Doubles Tournament
7 p.m.	*Monte Alban Mescal Tag-Team Doubles
Friday, Ju	ne 2
12 noon	Registration
1 p.m.	*California Invitational North-South Challenge Cup
4 p.m.	Doubles Finals
6 p.m.	Gala Cocktail Party
	hosted by members of the Tournament Committees
	Awards Presentation to winners of: Mescal Tag-Team Doubles
	North-South Challenge Cup
7 p.m.	*Superstar Backgammon Matches
8 p.m.	*Championship Matches Begin
Saturday,	
10 a.m.	Beginner's Seminar — "Winning Tournament Strategy"
	*Championship Matches Continue
	Intermediate Matches Begin
12 noon	Beginner Matches Begin
1 p.m.	Championship Consolation Begins
4 p.m.	Buffet
	Open Seminar — General Topics
6 p.m.	Intermediate Consolation Begins
Sunday, Ju	ine 4
10 a.m.	*Continuation of all Events
	Last Chance Tournaments — All Divisions
4 p.m.	Awards Presentation
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\*Throughout the Tournament weekend there will be closed-circuit TV display with commentary by members of the Tournament Committees.

#### **Tournament Procedure**

In the Main Event of each Division, each entrant must lose twice before being eliminated. Only then are they entered in Consolation Tournaments.

#### Seminars

Hosts are Barclay Cooke (author of backgammon's reknowned book, **The Cruelest Game**), and Bill Eisenberg (winner of World Championship titles in both bridge and backgammon).

#### **Tournament Entry Fees**

Championship	\$180
Intermediate	\$100
Beginner	\$ 60
<b>Fag-Team</b> Doubles	\$100 per team

Make check payable and mail to:

California Open Backgammon Championships 9465 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 608 Beverly Hills, CA 90212 (213) 396-4551

Players pre-registered by Monday, May 22, 1978, are entitled to a 10% reduction of Tournament entry fee.

Pre-registering Championship and Intermediate entrants may enroll a player in the Beginner Division at half the posted entry fee.

Championship and Intermediate fields each limited to 256 participants.

Doubles Tournament is limited to 32 teams. Team members consult **only** on cube decisions and the "playing" member alternates with the non-playing member when announced by the Director.

Entry subject to approval of the Tournament Committee.

Non-Playing Guests & Spectators will be charged \$25 to cover hotel food and beverage costs.

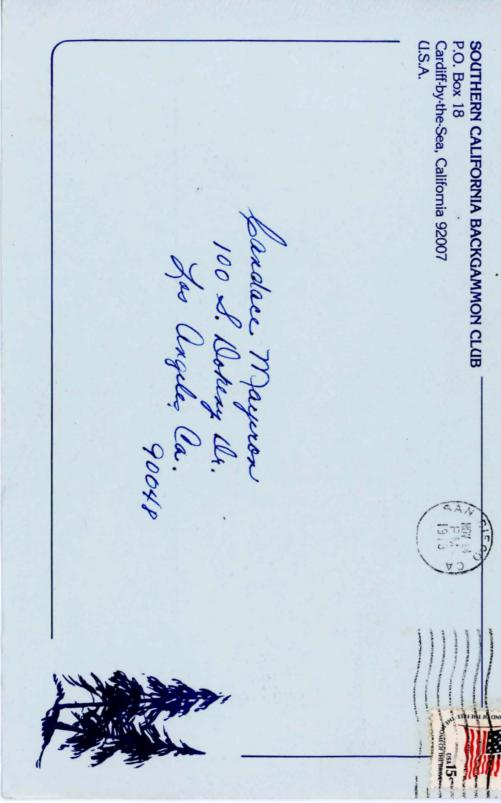
Entry fees will be refunded in full if cancellation is made by June 1, 1978.

#### **Tournament Prizes**

Generous additions to the prizes have been made by Aries of Beverly Hills and Monte Alban Mescal. Supplementary prizes include computer backgammon games, Z & Co., championship table, entries to the Phillip Morris European Championships in Monte Carlo (July 11 - 16) and 3 all-expense paid holidays from Los Angeles via AEROMEXICO to the **Baja Backgammon Bash** in Cabo San Lucas (August 3 - 7).

Call the Sheraton-Universal direct (800) 325-3535, or include required accommodation information with pre-registration. Tournament entrants receive a special room rate.

California Open Backgammon Championships 9465 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 608 Beverly Hills, CA 90212



SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA BACKGAMMON TOURNAMENT



Continental Hyatt House Hotel Los Angeles, California December 17, 1978

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On Sunday the 17th of December an Invitational Backgammon Journament will be held at the Continental Hyatt House Hotel. The tournament is organized by the Southern California Backgammon Club in cooperation with the American Backgammon Players Association.

#### TOURNAMENT PROCEDURE

The tournament will consist of a series of elimination matches with the matches getting longer as the finals are approached. In addition to the main event, players losing after winning two or more matches will automatically be entered into a consolation flight.

#### TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

11 A.M.	Registration	
12	Start Championship Play	
2	Intermediates Play	
4	Beginners Play	

Matches will be played throughout the day and into the evening. Food will be available at your convenience.

All entrants are subjected to the approval of the Tournament Committee. The tournament is sanctioned by the American Backgammon Players Association and match play will be based on the official ABPA Tournament Rules.

Participation will be limited to 128 players in each division.

Tournament Committee Sidney Jackson William Hein Drew Tanzman Continental Hyatt House Hotel 8401 W. Sunset Boulevard Hollywood, California 90069 (213) 656-4101

#### TOURNAMENT ENTRY FEES

Beginner	\$25
ntermediate	\$50
Championship	\$100

A minimum of 75% of all entry fees will be returned in the form of prizes.

	64 Championship	64 Intermediate	64 Beginner
	Players	Players	Players
1st 50%	\$2,200	\$1,050	\$550
2nd 25%	1,100	525	275
3rd 15%	660	315	165
4th 10%	440	210	110
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#### CONSOLATION WINNERS

Championship	3 day/2 night trip for two to Reno (+ \$50)
Intermediate	Stereo from Hartman's Catalog Showrooms
Beginner	Backgammon Board (+ \$25)

Make payable and mail to:

For more information call:

Bank of America	The Southern California
Backgammon Tournament	Backgammon Club
P.O. Box 668	(714) 753-5940
Cardiff-by-the-Sea, California 92007	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·

Players pre-registered by December 7th are entitled to a 10% reduction in Tournament Fees. Fees will be refunded in full if cancellation is made by December 10th.



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The American Backgammon Championships presents the Los Angeles Spring Classic Backgammon Tournament hosted by the Pacifica Hotel in Culver City (just a breeze away from Marina Del Rey and the Los Angeles International Airport. Courtesy transportation will be provided to and from the L.A. Airport.)

#### **TOURNAMENT ENTRY FEES**

Beginners	\$ 25.00
Intermediate	\$75.00
Championship	\$150.00

A handling fee of \$15.00 will be added to the entry fee if registration is made after February 20, 1979.

Ninety percent of the Entry Fee will be guaranteed as Prizes, plus additional prizes for registered hotel guests.

Prize money will be based on the number of entrants.

Main Flight (75%)	Ch	128 PPL \$150 ampionship	128 PPL \$75 Intermed.	128 PPL \$25 Beginners	384 PPL TOTAL
50%	lst	\$ 6,480	\$3,240	\$1,080	\$10,800
25%	2nd	3,240	1,620	540	5,400
13%	3rd	1,685	842	281	2,808
7%	4th	907	454	151	1,512
3%	5th	389	194	65	648
2%	6th	259	130	43	432
TOTAL		\$12,960	\$6,480	\$2,160	\$21,600

\*There will also be a Consolation Round. Based on 128 people (divided between 1st-6th), total prizes will be: Championship:\$4,320, Intermediate:\$2,160 and Beginner:\$720.

#### **TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE**

Friday

March 2nd — Registration	5:30 - 9:00 P.M.
Cocktail Party and Buffet	7:00 P.M 9:00 P.M.
Start of Play	9:30 P.M.

Final play will be held on Sunday, March 4th.

#### ADDED ATTRACTIONS

**Special Backgammon Tournament room rates** – all rooms (single or double occupancy) will be \$19.79 plus tax per night. Registered hotel guests who are also participants in the Tournament will enjoy a complimentary cocktail party and buffet from 7:00 P.M.- 9:00 P.M. on Friday, March 2nd. Non-registered hotel guests will pay \$15.00 per person. A film of the World Amateur 1978 Los Vegas Tournament will be shown at the cocktail party.

#### ADDITIONAL PRIZES

#### For Registered Hotel Guests (who participate in the Tournament), there will be a chance to win these fabulous prizes:

A trip to Aruba, Netherlands Antilles (located in the West Indies) to participate in the Aruba Backgammon Tournament, April 18-23, 1979. Trip includes accommodations at the Aruba Concorde Hotel for six days/five nights (brunch and dinner included) and airfare from Miami or New York City (entry fee not included).

Three days/two nights, paid accommodations at the SunBurst Hotel in Scottsdale, Arizona.

Three days/two nights, paid accommodations at the Town and Country Hotel in San Diego, California.

Three days/two nights, paid accommodations at the Kings Inn in San Diego, California.

Los Angeles Spring Classic Backgammon Tournament March 24, 1979			IL ENTRY FORM See payment to:	
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#### SPECTATORS

Spectators are the privileged audience of the players and are obligated to remain silent at all times, including breaks in match play.

Each player has the right to demand that any spectator(s) leave the area, without explanation.

Both players must agree before a spectator may be consulted regarding a dispute.

Signaling between spectator and player will result in their both being expelled from the tournament.

The effect of spectator's intervention must be adjudicated by an official.

#### DEFINITIONS

The Crawford Rule applies in all matches. When the first opponent reaches match point (one point less than is needed to win the match, e.g., 16 points in a 17 point match) the subsequent game, and that subsequent game only, is governed by the Crawford Rule. "The doubling cube is *not* used in this one specific game of the match." If the match continues beyond this game, the doubling cube may once again be used immediately after the opponent's first move.

A *gammon* (a score worth twice the effective cube number to the winner) occurs when the winner has borne off all his men before his opponent bears off any of his men.

A *backgammon* (a score worth triple the effective cube number to the winner) occurs when the winner has borne off all his men while his opponent has one or more men on the bar, or in the winner's home board.

A *dispute* is that event which occurs whenever the two opponent's are unable to resolve a circumstance in their match. They are then required to have an Official adjudicate the matter. An *Official* is a member of the Tournament staff, committee or other person authorized to make such rulings.

Rulings by Officials shall be made in accordance with the Tournament Rules, or according to their own discretion where the Rules allow it, or where the Rules do not cover the circumstance in question.

#### **DOUBLING CUBE**

It is the responsibility of both players to see that the doubling cube begins each game centered on the bar with the "64" side up.

Duplicate opening rolls do not advance the cube (i.e., no "automatic double") as players must reroll when this occurs.

A player may double only before rolling his dice. He may not double immediately following a voided roll.

The proper method for doubling your opponent is to announce "I double," advancing the cube number and moving it toward your opponent, on his side of the playing surface.

To properly accept a double, announce "I accept," or "I take," while placing the doubling cube on your edge of the board.

A player rejects a double by announcing "I refuse," or "I pass," scoring his loss and preparing his men for the next game.

Any single one of the above acts, or any similar, unambiguous verbal or physical act is binding upon the player.

A roll made before a double has been accepted or refused is void.

When a player has no legal move, and thus, no need to roll his dice when it is his turn, his opponent must still pause between rolls so that the player may double, should he wish.

Other than the obvious oversights which an official will adjudicate (a cube lost or centered on the bar at "16"), the position of a disputed cube will be deemed valid as it lies at that point.

For information write:

THE AMERICAN BACKGAMMON PLAYERS ASSOCIATION 12333 WEST WASHINGTON BOULEVARD LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA 90066

## California Open Backgammon Championships

June 1 - 3, 1979

Tournament Rules of the American Backgammon Players Association

#### **GENERAL PROCEDURES**

Only official tournament equipment may be used.

Unless previously announced, all match pairings and necessary by awards shall be made by random public draw.

Players must review rules before match play. Players unfamiliar with any of the Tournament Rules are encouraged to discuss these rules with an official. Match opponents accept mutual responsibility for compliance with the Tournament Rules.

Tournament entries are subject to the approval of the Tournament Committee.

Unless otherwise announced by the Tournament Director, the official language of the Tournament is English. Players may not converse with spectators during a match except to request conveniences, i.e., beverages, cigarettes, etc.

No books, or mechanical aids, such as calculators, may be used during a match. No calculations may be made on paper.

Players are each limited to a maximum of two fiveminute breaks during a match.

Very slow play may result in a penalty being imposed.

Only one hand may be used to move the men during play.

A player has completed his play only when he lifts his dice from the playing surface. Should the opponent prematurely roll (before the player has picked up his dice) that premature roll is automatically void (including non-contact positions) and must be rerolled after the play in progress has been completed. There are no options.

Once a player has picked up his dice, he may not make any adjustment or change any placement of men whatsoever. This includes placing men on, or removing them from, the bar. In the case of an error, or illegal play, his opponent may either demand that the move be replayed, or alternatively insist that it remain without correction, including a forced hit that is overlooked. This option is void once the opponent rolls his dice. Once that next roll has been made, any subsequently discovered error must remain as is, and cannot be altered by either player. There is no option. An incorrect number of men in play will be played as is for the duration of that game. A player with 14 men in play may still be gammoned or backgammoned.

A player must play his entire roll — if possible. If part of a roll is playable and part of it is not, the part of the roll which may be played *must* be played. If either number on the dice, but not both, may be played, the higher number must be played.

Should a player wish to use the left side of the board for rolling, he must secure his opponent's verbal permission before doing so, or the roll is void at his opponent's option. Once permission is secured, or when the illegal roll is allowed, then the player may continue to roll on the left until he rolls again on the right.

#### PENALTIES

Penalty points may be assessed for repeated minor offenses.

Behavior not covered by a specific rule, but deemed by the Officials contrary to acceptable Tournament behavior may be cause for disgualification.

Whenever penalty points are assessed against a player, these points are added to his opponent's score.

Promptness is expected of all participants. Penalty points will be assessed beginning 15 minutes after the scheduled starting time.

Penalty for being 15 minutes late ......1 point Penalty for each additional 5 minutes ......1 point

When the penalty exceeds half the

points required for the current round

(e.g., 8 points in a 15 point match) ..... forfeiture

#### DISPUTES

In the event of any dispute, all of the men, dice, and the doubling cube are to be left as is while an Official is called.

The decision of the Tournament Officials is final.

A high roll wins the choice of direction of play or color of men. No changes in format are allowed once a match has begun.

An incorrect starting position may be corrected only until the conclusion of the fourth play of the game.

#### SCORING

Both players must keep score and confirm for accuracy after each game.

The player with no score record will be at a disadvantage in a scoring dispute.

The loser validates the match results by signing the winner's score sheet.

It is the responsibility of both players to be aware of the posted point total for the current round.

All matches must be played to the point total as posted for that round of play.

A match played to an insufficient number of points must be resumed upon discovery.

A match played to an excessive number of points, will be reviewed to determine the player who first reached the posted point total for that round. Only if this cannot be determined, does the earlier report stand.

Unless an incorrect point total result is reported to an Official before the winner begins his next match, it must stand as originally reported.

Any private alteration or settlement is cause for disqualification, including unauthorized changes in match play points, site or time.

#### DICE

When not in play, dice and cups must remain stationary on the table.

Either player may mix the dice, but only between games.

To begin each roll, both dice must be shaken vigorously in the cup and thrown out together onto the board on the player's right.

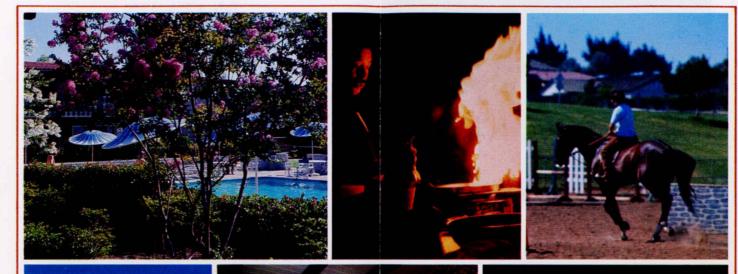
Both dice must land flat on the playing surface on the right side of the board. Any variation voids the entire roll.

Should a player roll so that one die hits the table before the other die leaves the cup, that voids the entire roll.

Physical interference before the dice settle legally does not invalidate a roll.



You are cordially invited to spend Independence Day at the Rancho Bernardo Inn. Rancho Bernardo is a beautiful locale for tennis, golf, leisure and the Rancho Bernardo Backgammon Classic. July 3 & 4, 1979













## **Rancho Bernardo**

## ackgammon Classic

#### Rancho Bernardo Inn July 3 & 4, 1979

#### AMENT SCHEDULE

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- Pre-tournament Cocktail Party no host bar Registration Closes
- Play commences in Bernardo Room:

Championship — 15 points Intermediate — 11 points Beginner — 7 points

#### , July 4th

- . Consolation rounds begin in Bernardo Room
- a. Main Flight Continues Begin Youth Competition
- Semifinals and Finals in Granada Room
- . Firework Finale



The American Backgammon Players Association Tournament Rules and the doubling cube will be used in all events.

All match pairings and byes will be made by public drawings.

Participation is limited and subject to approval of the tournament committee. Participants agree to any procedural changes deemed necessary by tournament officials.

#### **TOURNAMENT FEES**

Championship Division: \$25 registration and \$100 division prize = \$125 Intermediate Division: \$20 registration and \$60 division prize = \$80 Beginner Division: \$15 registration and \$25 division prize = \$40

Registration fees are applied toward tournament's production expenses. Prize fees are divided, without deduction, as follows:

	Main (60%)	Consolation (30%)	Last Chance (10%)
Winner	50 %	50 %	70%
Runner-up	25%	25%	30 %
3rd & 4th	12.5%	12.5%	

Tournament Committee William Hein Drew Tanzman Sidney Jackson Randall Titcher Don Smalian Vicki Whelan

### YOUTH COMPETITION

Children of participants may compete in elementary or junior divisions. Entry is free of charge. Gift Certificates supplied by the Mercado Shopping Center in Rancho Bernardo, California.

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For hotel rooms and other conveniences<sup>\*</sup>, contact the Rancho Bernardo Inn, Attention: Joan Buikema, 17550 Bernardo Oaks Drive, Rancho Bernardo, California 92128, (714) 487-1611, and request a "Backgammon Tournament Package."

\* Other conveniences include deluxe meals, special transportation arrangements from Los Angeles, tennis and golf.

To submit pre-registration: Please print entry name, address and tournament division. Enclose entry division check payable to:

> Southern California Backgammon Club P.O. Box 18 Cardiff by the Sea, California 92007

Fees will be refunded in full if cancellation notice is received by Monday July 2nd.

Tournament equipment provided by Your Move of La Jolla.

















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San Diego Open Backgammon Championships



October 5, 6 & 7, 1979 La Jolla Village Inn La Jolla, California

## Tournament Program

#### Friday, October 5th

5:00-7:30 p.m.	Registration	
7:50 p.m.	Public Draw	
8:00 p.m.	Announcement of first round ma	tches
8:15 p.m.	Play commences in Cove Room	
	Championship	15 points
	Intermediate	11 points

Novice

#### Saturday, October 6th

8:30-10 a.m.	Continental Breakfast	
9:30 a.m.	Tennis tournament begins	
2:00 p.m.	Basic Tournament Strategy	
	Seminar Conducted by Gaby Horowitz	
4:00 p.m.	Main Event - second round matches all divisions	
4:30 p.m.	Consolation Events commence; Championship and Intermediate	
8:00 p.m.	Collegiate matches begin	

#### Sunday, October 7th

8:30-10 a.m.	Continental Breakfast
9:30 a.m.	Tennis Finals
11:00 a.m.	Begin Youth Competition
	Last Chance Event for Championship and
	Intermediate Divisions
	Consolation Events - Quarter Finals;
	Championship and Intermediate
11:30 a.m.	Novice Main Event - Playoffs
12 noon	Main Event Semi-finals: Championship and Intermediate

## Tennis

A doubles tennis tournament will take place Saturday morning on the North Championship court at La Jolla Village Inn. The tournament will consist of two divisions and will be open to backgammon patrons only. Prizes will be furnished by the **Tennis Gallery** of Del Mar.

#### **Tournament Rules**

- Participation is limited and subject to the approval of the tournament committee.
- 2. Participants agree to any procedural change deemed necessary by tournament officials.
- 3. Match pairings and byes will be made by public draw.
- The American Backgammon Players Association Tournament Rules and the doubling cube will be used in all events.

#### **Rules Committee**

Buddy Berke Bill Hein Gaby Horowitz Chaim Neuman Sid Jackson

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#### **Tournament Committee**

Dick & Veda Holsinger Bob Johnson Linda Kruegel Ricky Sax Martin Shapiro

**Tennis Directors** 

Drew Tanzman Vicky Whelan

**Tournament Directors** 

Jack Broudy Tad Yamaguchi

#### Tournament Procedure

#### Championship and Intermediate Divisions:

All events are single elimination matches with the matches getting longer as the finals are approached. Players eliminated in the second round will get a first round bye Players subsequently eliminated from either event are entered in their respective last chance event.

#### Novice Division:

**Tennis Gallery** 

Entrants play a 5 point match with each player in their event section and score one event point for every match won. There will be approximately eight players in each event section, so that a continued variety of opponents will give the novice valuable opportunities to experience tournament play. On Sunday each section's top scorer continues in a single elimination play-off. All other contestants play in the Novice consolation event.

## Special Prizes

Toy Kingdom

J. Subotnick & Co. – backgammon tables for finals Hartman Catalog Showroom Southern California Backgammon Club Old Mission Stained Glass Tournament equipment furnished by Your Move of La Jolla

## Special Attractions

#### Youth Competition

Children of participants may compete in the grade school (1-8) or high school (9-12) divisions. Entry is free of charge. Play will take place Sunday at 11 a.m.; each child must bring an adult who will remain in the building throughout the event. This event is being sponsored by **Toy Kingdom**.

#### **Collegiate Competition**

The San Diego Open provides a division for Southern California College students. Winners will represent their schools for the National ACU-I Intercollegiate Championships for 1980. This is a no fee event for those participating in another division, for all others there will be a five dollar registration fee. In addition, deluxe backgammon boards have been donated by the Southern California Backgammon Club.

## Tournament Entry Fees

Championship	\$25 registration fee and \$125 prize fee	=	\$ 150
Intermediate	\$15 registration fee and \$ 45 prize fee	=	\$ 60
Novice	\$10 registration fee and \$ 15 prize fee	=	\$ 25
Prize fees will be di	vided, without deductions, as follows:		
Cha	mpionship and Intermediate Divisions:		

Championship and Intermediate Divisions:

	Main (60%)	Consolation (30%)	Last Chanc (10%)
Winner	50%	50%	70%
2nd	25%	25%	30%
3rd & 4th	121/2 %	121/2 %	-
Novice Division	(60%)	(40%)	
Winner	50%	50%	
2nd	25%	25%	
3rd & 4th	121/2 %	121/2 %	

Prize distribution will be posted at Saturday's competition.

To submit **PRE-REGISTRATION:** Please print entry name, address and tournament division. Enclose entry registration check payable and mail to: Southern California Backgammon Club

2266 Cambridge Blvd. Cardiff by the Sea, CA 92007

> For backgammon information call: (714) 753-5940

## The San Diegan Amtrak Express Tourney

Transportation arrangements have been made for thos who desire to ride the Amtrak from Los Angeles to the tou nament. A backgammon tournament will take place aboar the San Diegan express, which departs Grand Central Sta tion in L.A. at 4:45 p.m. Friday, October 5th. The train ride is two hours long and transportation will be provided from th Del Mar depot to the La Jolla Village Inn for those with trai or hotel reservations. (Train will return at 5 p.m. Sunday even ning, arriving in Los Angeles at 7:05 p.m.) To participat and reserve a round trip space, please check appropriate box on reservation card. Prizes have been furnished b Hartman Catalog Showroom with six locations in Los Angeles and one in San Diego.

## Hotel and Travel Accommodation

Village Hotel Package includes room accommodations for two nights, two Continental Breakfasts, bellman and mai gratuities, plus airport and Amtrak transfers to and from th La Jolla Village Inn.

#### Reservation Card

Please check desired accommodations	:
Twin occupancy hotel package (two players)	🗋 \$46 per perso
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The San Diegan Express Round Trip Amtrak and transfer	
service	S17 per perso
Payment is required for room and tra	in reservations. Make check payabl

and mail to: Travel Network of Del Mar; 2334 Carmel Valley Road; De Mar, California 92014.

Please Print:				
Name				
Address		Phone		
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Division Entered				
Arrival Date	Airline flight	no	Train	Time
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#### RESERVATIONS ARE LIMITED AND MUST BE RECEIVED B SEPTEMBER 24th.

For other transportation arrangements contact: Travel Network of Del Mar (714) 755-6674

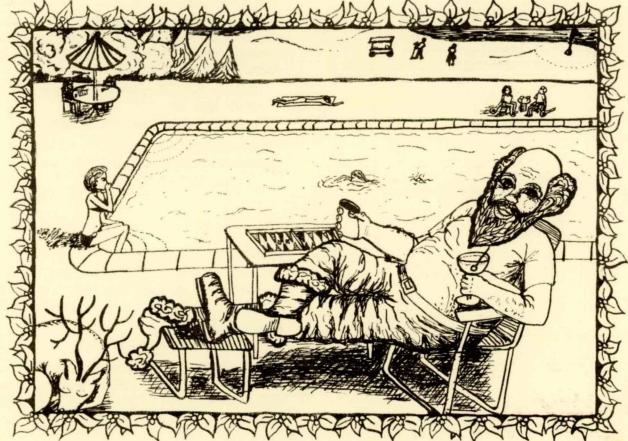


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Rancho Bernardo Christmas Backgammon Classic December 21, 22 & 23, 1979

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#### Dear Backgammon Players.

You are cordially invited to attend the Rancho Bernardo Backgammon Classic to be held December 21. 22 & 23. 1979. at the Rancho Bernardo Inn. The tournament is sanctioned by the American Backgammon Players Association in cooperation with Southern California Backgammon. Rancho Bernardo is located twenty minutes northeast of San Diego. The Inn is a beautiful leisure resort featuring an idealistic climate. Exquisite dining, four o'clock tea. championship tennis and golf — these are just some of the facilities available for your enjoyment.

#### **Tournament Rules**

The ABPA Tournament Rules and the doubling cube will be used in all matches. Participants agree to any procedural changes deemed necessary by tournament officials. It is the responsibility of all players to read the rules before beginning play, to report to the scorer's table and return at the correct time for their next match.

### Special Attractions

Precision Dice	Closed Circuit Finals
Tennis Tournament	Awards Ceremony
Youth Competition	Sale of backgammon
Backgammon Seminar	related gifts

T	ournamen	t Entry Fees	
Championship			\$150
Intermediate			60
Novice			25
	Prize Di	stribution	
	Main	Consolation	Last Chance
Championship			
Winner	\$1,100	500	280
2nd	500	300	140
3rd & 4th	350	220	—
Intermediate			
Winner	500	280	170
2nd	280	180	100
3rd & 4th	180	120	
Novice			
Winner	150	100	70
2nd	100	75	40
3rd & 4th	75	50	_

All the above awards are based upon full field participation.

## Tournament Program

5:00 p.m.	Registration if space is still av able. *	ail-
7:30	Public Draw	
8:00	Play Commences	15
	Championship Intermediate	15 11
	Novice	7
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9:30 a.m.	Tennis Tournament
12 noon	Lunch and seminar with Gaby
	Horowitz
3:00 p.m.	Play continues

#### Sunday, December 23rd

11 a.m.	Youth Competition
12 noon	Play continues
5:00 p.m.	Awards Ceremony

\* Once again, participation is limited and pre-registration is strongly recommended. If space is still available, registration at the door must be paid fully with money order or cash.

The Christmas Classic is limited in participation to 32 Championship, 64 Intermediate and 64 Novice players. *Pre-Registration is Strongly Recommended*. Send a \$25 advancement for each player to:

Southern California Backgammon P.O. Box 18 Cardiff by the Sea, CA 92007

Please include entry(s) name, address and tournament division. (714) 753-5940

#### **Hotel Accommodations**

Contact the Rancho Bernardo Inn, Attn.: Reservations, or mail first night's deposit to 17550 Bernardo Oaks Drive, Rancho Bernardo, CA 92128.

#### (714) 487-1611

Be sure to request the Backgammon group rate of \$45 per night (single/twin). Transportation is available from the San Diego Airport to the Rancho Bernardo Inn.



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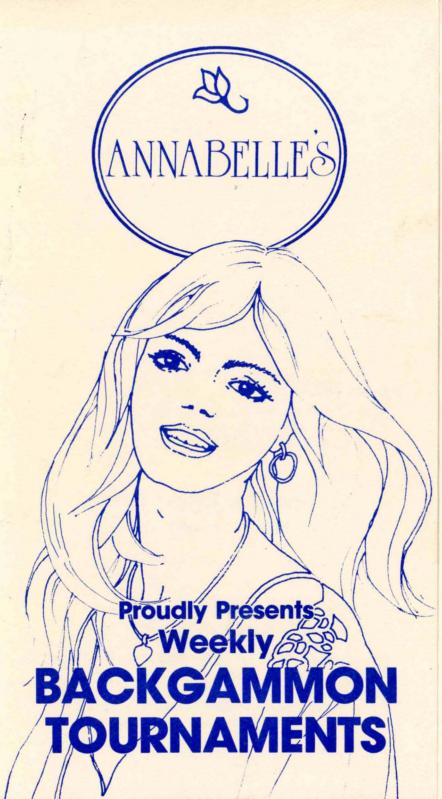


## The Lucille Ball 56 Backgammon Tournament for the CocoRibe Trophies at pips

#### PROGRAM

Friday, NOVEMBER 17	Pre-Tournament Cocktail Party at Pips 5:30 pm - 8:00 pm (Tournament entrants may bring one guest to the Cocktail Party) At the conclusion of Tournament play on Sunday, there will be a drawing for this year's sensational array of prizes. Winners need not be present to win		
Saturday, NOVEMBER 18	Tournament at Pips Brunch at 11:00 Tournament play starts promptly at 12:00 Noon		
Sunday, NOVEMBER 19	Tournament at Pips Brunch at 11:00 Tournament finals and Consolation Flites start promptly at 12:00 Noon 24 Trophies will be awarded Raffle Prize Drawing after completion of tournament play		

All net proceeds will go to benefit Children's Orthopedic Hospital



 100% RETURN OF ENTRY FEES
 NO REGISTRATION FEES
 PLUS SPECIAL ADDED MONEY TOURNAMENTS

## SHESH-BESH

(MIDDLE EASTERN STYLE) \$10.00 entry fee – 100% return 70% to winner 30% to finalist All matches will be to 5 points.

SHESH-BESH RULES

(DOES NOT APPLY TO ADVANCED OR INTERMEDIATE)

- No doubling cube (gammons count, no backgammons).
- 2. Touch move. If you touch a checker, you MUST move it.
- 3. Player with high dice on opening roll has option of playing whole number or re-rolling and playing whatever is re-rolled.
- 4. One pair of dice. Each player uses the same dice.
- 5. No cups. Dice are thrown with hand.

Unless otherwise stated above, the National ABC Tournament Backgammon Rules apply.

### WHERE:

ANNABELLE'S, INC. 1700 S. Pacific Coast Highway Redondo Beach, CA 90277 Phone: (213) 316-1434

### DATES:

Tournaments will be held every Sunday unless otherwise posted at tournament desk.

### TIME:

Registration opens at 7:00 p.m. Play starts at 7:30 p.m. in all divisions. Buybacks will be as time and space permit.

### **PRIZE MONIES:**

All prize monies will be paid in cash. Checks will not be accepted unless approved by Annabelle's management.

### TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR:

Todd Vander Pluym Phone: 376-8843 ASST. DIRECTOR: Avi Hallem Phone: 316-0535

## TOURNAMENT CONDITIONS:

- 1. All divisions are single elimination.
- 2. Buy backs will be taken as space and time permit.
- 3. Any byes will be awarded according to order of registration sign-up.
- 4. Minimum age: 21
- 5. The tournaments will be played according to the National ABC Tournament Backgammon Rules.
- 6. In case of any disputes, the decision of the Tournament Director is final.

## ADVANCED:

\$25.00 entry fee - 100% return
50% to winner
30% to finalist
10% to semi-finalist
10% to semi-finalist

Matches will be 7 points for first, second, and third rounds, 9 points for fourth round, 11 points for fifth round, 13 points for sixth round if necessary.

## **INTERMEDIATE:**

\$15.00 entry fee - 100% return
50% to winner
30% to finalist
10% to semi-finalist
10% to semi-finalist

Matches will be 9 points for first, second, and third rounds, 11 points for fourth round, 13 points for fifth round, and 15 points for sixth round if necessary. 100% RETURN OF ENTRY FEES

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Until the quarter-finals, all matches will be 9 points for open, 7 points for amateur and 5 points for beginner.

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ANNABELLE'S, INC. 1700 S. Pacific Coast Highway Redondo Beach, CA 90277 Phone: (213) 316-1434 (Corner of PCH & Palos Verdes Blvd.)

## DATE:

Tournament will be held on June 20, 1982.

### TIME:

Registration opens at 5:30 p.m. Play starts at 6:30 p.m. in all divisions.

### PRIZE MONIES:

All prize monies will be paid in cash. Except for deposit checks all entries are to be paid in cash at time of registration.

### **REGISTRATION:**

There will be no registration fee for those signing on or before June 18, 1982. After that date there will be a \$5.00 fee charged.

### TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR:

Todd Vander Pluym Phone: 376-8843

## TOURNAMENT CONDITIONS:

- 1. All divisions are single elimination with a second chance buy back option.
- 2. Reentries will be allowed as time permits.
- 3. Any byes will be awarded in the 4th round according to the order of deposits received on or before June 18, 1982.
- 4. Minimum age 21.
- 5. The tournament will be played according to the American Backgammon Championship Inc. rules.
- 6. In case of any disputes the decision of the **Tournament Director is final**

## **OPEN:**

\$100.00 entry fee -100% return \$400.00 added money 45% to winner

25% to finalist 15% to semi-finalist 15% to semi-finalist

\$200.00 to 3rd round winners in main draw. Matches will be 11 points for first, second and third rounds. 13 points for fourth and fifth rounds. 15 points for sixth round.

## **AMATEUR:**

\$35.00 entry fee -100% return \$200.00 added money

45% to winner 25% to finalist 15% to semi-finalist 15% to semi-finalist

\$70,00 to 3rd round winners in main draw. Matches will be 9 points for first, second and third rounds. 11 points for fourth and fifth rounds. 13 points for sixth round.

## **BEGINNER:**

\$15.00 entry fee -100% return

> 45% to winner 25% to finalist 15% to semi-finalist 15% > semi-finalist

> > fourth and fifth

round.

Matches will be 7 pc is for first, second and third rounds. 9 poin rounds. 11 points f

## ENTRY FORM

Name	
Address	
City	State
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Mail your entry form with deposit to Annabelles Backgammon Office 1726 Manhattan Beach Blvd. "C" Manhattan Beach, California 90266.

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#### **TOURNAMENT PROGRAM**

Friday,	4 p.m.	<ul> <li>Hospitality Suite, Refreshments</li> <li>Registration – All Divisions</li> <li>Knock-Out Matches &amp; Chouette Play</li> </ul>
Saturday,	12 noon	<ul> <li>Registration – All Divisions</li> <li>Play Begins for All Divisions Consolation Events follow</li> <li>Knock-Out Matches</li> </ul>
Sunday,		<ul> <li>Play Resumes for All Main &amp; Consolation Events</li> <li>Knock-Out Matches Trophy and Prize Awards follow</li> </ul>
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Checks will NOT be accepted at the event registration desk. Entry is limited in all Divisions. All participants are eligible for Door Prizes.



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#### **PRE-REGISTRATION:**

\$50.00 deposit must be postmarked by May 31, 1984. Due to the limited size of the tournament (96 players only), all pre-registrations will receive a note of confirmation by mail.

#### **BALANCE OF ENTRY FEE:**

At tournament location, June 15, 1984, 5:30 - 8:00 p.m. (cash only).

#### SECOND CHANCE:

All players have the option to enter the 2nd chance tournament one time only at the round lost (\$100.00 fee), except for those players who have reached the money prizes. Any player in 2nd chance can compete for any of the top prize of the main tournament.

#### BYES:

All entries by May 31, 1984, will be equal as to byes.

\*STANDARD AMERICAN BACKGAMMON PLAYERS ASSOCIATION RULES WILL APPLY.

The Board reserves the right to refuse entry, without explanation, to anyone it deems detrimental to the best interests of the tournament.

## EARLY BIRD

As an Incentive for Early Registration (Postmarked by May 10, 1984).

#### THE EARLY BIRD PRIZE:

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## **TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE**

8:15 p.m. FRIDAY, JUNE 15, 1984
9:00 p.m. FRIDAY, JUNE 15, 1984
10:00 a.m. SATURDAY, JUNE 16, 1984
10:00 a.m. SUNDAY, JUNE 17, 1984

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Hotel Accommodations Available by Contacting: (800) 228-9000 or (213) 656-4101 for room reservation. All rooms will be at the special rate of \$65.00 per night plus tax. Room reservation should be made prior to June 1st, and are at the discretion of the Hyatt on Sunset Hotel.

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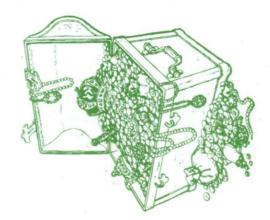
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CRUISE		PARTY CRUISE	
NUMBER OF DAY	5:	3	STRAND CRUISES INCLUDE:
DEPARTURE DAT (From Vancouver) ARRIVAL DATE (Los Angeles) Tued DECK	aturday	October 1 at 2:00 P.M. October 4 at 10:00 A.M.	*Cruise Accommodations As Booked. *All Meals On Board Ship. *Entertainment Program. *Optional Shore Excursions At Moderate Prices.
23 Fiesta, Everg	ades Inside 2 Berth	\$ 199	*Strand Cruise Director and Staff
22 Fiesta	Inside 2 Bed, Aft	\$ 199	*Use Of All Onboard Facilities.
21 Fiesta	Inside 2 Bed, Forwar		
20 Everglades	Inside 2 Bed, Aft	\$ 229	
19 Everglades	Inside 2 Bed, Forwar	d \$ 239	
18 Delta	Inside 2 Berth	\$ 249	
17 Delta	Inside 2 Bed, Aft	\$ 259	
16 Delta	Inside 2 Bed, Forwar	d \$ 269	
15 Calypso	Inside 2 Berth	\$ 279	
14 Calypso	Inside 2 Bed	\$ 289	
13 Aztec	Inside 2 Berth	\$ 299	
12 Aztec	Inside 2 Bed	\$ 319	
11 Fiesta	Outside 2 Bed, Aft	\$ 289	THE LANDS OF
10 Fiesta	Outside 2 Bed, Forward	d \$ 299	CTDAND SIN
9 Everglades	Outside 2 Berth	\$ 309	
8 Everglades	Outside 2 Bed, Aft	\$ 329	
7 Everglades	Outside 2 Bed, Forward	d \$339	
6 Delta	Outside 2 Bed, Aft	\$ 349	
5 Delta	Outside 2 Bed, Forward	d \$359	
4 Calypso	Outside 2 Berth	\$ 369	
3 Calypso	Outside 2 Berth	\$ 379	영양 이 집에 가지 않는 것 같은 것이 있는 것이 같이 했다.
2 Aztec	Outside 2 Bed	\$ 399	
1 Aztec	Outside 2 Room Suite	\$ 479	AND TRADE AND A COMPANY AND A STREET AND A STREET
PORT AND PASSEN	GER TAXES: ADD PER PERSON	\$ 9	

**3rd and 4th Person Rates:** Some cabins have foldaway Upper 3rd and 4th berths. Adult rate for these berths is 25% off normal category double price.

Single Cabins: Double cabins occupied singly are charged category double rate as listed above plus 50%.

Share Bookings: Reservations accepted on a "share" basis in most categories at the normal category double rates listed above. Strand will assign share bookings two per cabin.

**Children's Rates:** A limited number of children between the ages of 6 and 12 will be granted a reduction of 30% off applicable category double rates listed above. Child must occupy 3rd or 4th berth in cabin.

**Double Beds:** A limited number of cabins have double beds. These may be requested at time of booking but cannot be guaranteed.

**Cabin Types:** Outside cabins have windows or porthole; Inside cabins do not. Two bed cabins have two lower beds. Two berth cabins have an upper and lower berth.

Suites: The two suites each consist of bedroom, separate sitting room and bathroom with tub and shower.

Prices quoted are based on double occupancy. Port and Passenger Taxes (as shown above) are extra, including children.

Deposit will be \$106 which includes the cancellation waiver. Single Supplement: Above price plus 50%. All prices are per person based on cabins being occupied by two persons.

## D and E ASSOCIATES 1st Orange County Championship BACKGAMMON TOURNAMENT

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Saturday play starts at 10 A.M. Sunday play starts at 1 P.M.

17th & PLACENTIA COSTA MESA June 16, 17

### HOUSE RULES AND INFORMATION

GAMES PLAYED ON POINT BASIS AS FOLLOWS: 1ST ROUND 7 POINTS 2ND & 3RD ROUND 11 POINTS 4TH & 5TH ROUNDS 15 POINTS 6TH ROUND 17 POINTS 7TH ROUND 21 POINTS

SINGLE ELIMINATION

- TOURNAMENT LIMITED TO 100 PLAYERS AND MUST BE REGISTERED BY JUNE 12, 1978.
- ALL PLAYERS MUST USE HOUSE DICE AND BOARDS.
- PLAYING ORDER, INCLUDING BYES WILL BE BASED ON THE DRAW.
- ANYONE NOT FOLLOWING RULES WILL BE SUBJECT TO IMMEDIATE DISQUALIFICATION.
- ENTRY FEE \$100.00 MAKES CHECKS PAYABLE TO CRYSTAL SALOON AND SEND TO 1700 PLACENTIA COSTA MESA, CA. 92626
- NO ENTRANCE CHARGE FOR SPECTATORS
- FREE BUFFET TO ALL ENTRANTS

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WILL BE INCLUDED IN THE PRIZES.

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