

## TOURNAMENT NEWS

Congratulations to the winners of our Summer Classic. The partnership tournament was won by Ben Agajinian and Ray Imel. John and I matched these players as well as the second place finishers, Mike Stuebben and Bubba Bailey. The singles winner was Guy Floyd from Texas. Once again the Free Roll tournament was won by a first time player, Frank Luke.

The results are now in and the top eight players for 2007 are as follows:

### PLAYER OF THE YEAR PHIL WONG

Phil Wong- Martin Kreimerman- George Boldt Greg Anderson- Don Chooljian- Enrique Ritz-Bob Parker-Frank Sullwold. The 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> alternates are Steve Cloud and David Shrem. They will be competing in an 8 man satellite 10 A.M. for a seat in the World Series of Gin Rummy.

There will be only 2 tournaments in Las Vegas in 2008.

Please try to stay at the hotel where the gin tournament will be played. If you get a player card you may be eligible for discounts.

20 per cent is taken out of the registration fee for administration fees. The charges for convention space as well as running tournaments has greatly increased over the years. We try to get the best rates for hotel rooms.

By popular vote, the first day of play is determined by a random draw. Players 1-8 play in a group, 9-18, etc. The 8<sup>th</sup> game is played outside the group with the first available. Second day of play begins with players being matched by the number of games they won the first day.

Keep your record sheet so you know if you have played an entrant. Avoiding a player, in any way, can result in a penalty.

IF YOU WISH TO HOST AN 8 MAN SATELLITE FOR THE WORLD SERIES OF GIN IN YOUR HOME TOWN PLEASE LET US KNOW AND WE WILL HELP YOU WITH THIS EVENT.

## Schedule of Events:

### SUNDAY MAY 18, 2008

9:00 A.M. – REGISTRATION (Cash Only)  
6:00 P.M.  
8:00 A.M. – Satellites

1:00 P.M. PARTNERSHIP TOURNAMENT BEGINS  
5 (250 POINT GAMES)  
4 and 5 game winners are in the money.

### MONDAY MAY 19, 2008

8:00 A.M. REGISTRATION (CASH ONLY)

10:00 A.M. SINGLES TOURNAMENT BEGINS  
(8) 200 Point Games

Must stop if you lose 7 games.

### TUESDAY MAY 20, 2008

10:00 A.M. SINGLES TOURNAMENT CONTINUES

Must stop if you lose a total of 7 games out of the 16 qualifying games.  
If you win 10 games you will be in the money.

### WEDNESDAY MAY 21

10:00 A.M. FINALS FOR SINGLES TOURNAMENT

10:00 A.M. Free Roll Consolation Tournament

## HOW TO ENTER THE GIN RUMMY TOURNAMENT

If you want to send your entry in please make check payable to:

Lily Ann Hainline  
78204 Brookhaven Ln.  
Palm Desert, CA 92211.

You can also pay cash at registration.

The Gin Rummy Association reserves the right to modify this promotion at its own discretion.

PARTNERSHIP \$300.00 PER PERSON

SINGLES TOURNAMENT \$1,200.00

FREE ROLL CONSOLATION TOURNAMENT

## 2008 TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

FEBRUARY 25-26 PALM SPRINGS, CA

MAY 18-19-20-21 LAS VEGAS, NV

AUGUST 23,24,25 ST. LOUIS, MO

NOVEMBER 16-17-18-19 LAS VEGAS, NV

Remember, that if you bring a new player that has never played in a Las Vegas tournament, and is not on our list, you will receive \$100 credit on your entry.

## TO MAKE ROOM RESERVATIONS:

You must call 1-800-675-3267 when the Room Reservations Department is open (Monday - Friday between the hours of 7:00 AM and 11:00 PM - Pacific Time / Saturday & Sunday between the hours of 9:00 AM and 5 PM - Pacific Time).

Identify yourself as an attendee of the Gin Rummy Tournament in order to obtain a room reservation under the above-mentioned block. Without this identification, you will not be quoted your special group rate and may be told that the hotel is sold out.

All reservations must be reserved under the terms and conditions of the housing procedure. All reservations must be booked before the cut-off date. To receive the 50 dollar rate Sunday-Wednesday. If you call after the cut-off date you will have to pay the prevailing room rate.

**APRIL 26, 2008**

**Friday-Saturday \$105  
Sunday-Thursday \$50.**

At the time of the reservation, you will be asked to provide a major credit card or send a deposit for the first night's room and tax. If a credit card is utilized, it will automatically be charged the first night's room and tax.

Cancellations on individual room reservations will be accepted up to 72 hours prior to the check in time of 4 P.M. on the scheduled date of arrival with no penalty fee.

**THE TOURNAMENT WILL BE PLAYED ON  
THE SECOND FLOOR OF THE CASINO BY THE  
GRAND BALLROOM.**

**OUR CASINO HOST IS PAUL MEAD. HE CAN  
BE REACHED BY CALLING THE MAIN  
ORLEANS NUMBER, 888-365-7111.**

## **WINNERS HOLIDAY CLASSIC 07 SINGLES TOURNAMENT**

- 1<sup>ST</sup> Place – Guy Floyd
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Place – Danny Robison
- 3<sup>rd</sup> -4<sup>th</sup> – Barry Sack  
Allan Rose
- 5<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> Place – Gene McGregor-Don Bartos  
Martin Kreimerman  
Bob Parker
- 9<sup>th</sup>- 16<sup>th</sup> Place - Robert McDonald  
Gil Montano-Terry Masline-  
Joel Krug-Mark Freidson-  
Robert Levine-Steve Brink  
Ray Babcock  
Dave Herman

## PARTNERSHIP TOURNAMENT

- 1<sup>st</sup> Place – Ben Agajinian, Ray Imel
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Place – Mike Stuebben, Bubba Bailey
- 3<sup>rd</sup> – 4<sup>th</sup> Barry Sack, Mark Rocco  
Bob Burnstein, Marty Burnstein

## CONSOLATION

- 1<sup>ST</sup> Place Frank Luke
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Howard Markowitz
- 3<sup>rd</sup> – 4<sup>th</sup> Place Joe Pointer  
Frank Sullwold
- 5<sup>TH</sup> –7<sup>TH</sup> Place Warren Stein –Jerry Gorr  
Steve Mc Farland  
Gino Aielli

## THE GIN RUMMY ASSOCIATION PRESENTS **THE WORLD SERIES OF GIN RUMMY™**

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### **CIRCUIT-ORLEANS**

To be held at the

The Orleans Hotel and Casino

## **A NON SMOKING EVENT**

Las Vegas, Nevada

**MAY 18, 19, 20, 21, 2008**  
SUNDAY, MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY

PARTNERSHIP  
SINGLES

### **FREE ROLL CONSOLATION**

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