

The Annual Meeting of the Louisville Bridge Assn. was held Jan. 24, 1973 at the Seelbach Hotel. The President, Mr. Carl Herne called the meeting to order at 7.45.

The minutes of the previous meeting were approved as read.

Mrs. Seymour Weiss, Treas. reported that the Assn. showed a net profit for 1972 of \$2910.64. Interest income was \$797.36, giving a total net of \$3237.93 for 1973. The Midwest Regional headed by Avery Hafner and Ruth Campbell was very successful, producing a net profit of over \$3000.00, which of course was responsible for our net profit of \$2910.64, excluding interest. Our special thanks to them for the effort they and their committee put into this.

Mrs. Geo. Broadus, Historian, reported that the Assn. had 657 tables in our 3 sectionals. This was 11 1/2 less tables than in 1971. The LBA monthly games had 99 1/2 tables, 15 1/2 less than 1971.

The Player of the Year Trophy given for winning most points in Louisville held tournaments was won by Jerry Velpe. The trophy given by local clubs to the player winning most points at Club games was also won by Jerry Velpe.

The Clave Her trophy for courtesty, ethics and sportsmanship was awarded to Paul Godfrey.

The Unit sponsored 2 Charity Tournaments, 1 for ACEL, and the other for _____

The free entry to all games during the Southern in Feb. was won by Don Mc Mullin.

13 of our members became Life Masters in 1972.

All Officers, Directors, Committee Members were thanked by the President, Mr. Herne, for their help, ideas and time.

The report of the tellers follows in alphabetical order, elected as directors for 2 years.

Dorsey Brown, Jan Pearce, Ouida Rowland, Mary Rush

A motion was made by Sandy Panielle, 2nd by Bill Bell, that the results of the survey attached to the ballot be published in the Kibitzer. Unanimously carried.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 8.30, and the tournament was then held.

Francis Phelan Sec

Louisville Bridge Association

LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY

PRESIDENT'S ANNUAL REPORT 1973

Once again we have had a very successful year. I contribute this to the hard-working people of the Association.

As you may know, the Midwest Regional Tournaments are managed by a Special Committee, and was headed this year by Avery Hafner and Ruth Campbell. I would like to give a special thanks to them and their committee on the very successful tournament; over \$3000 profit.

This year we tried a new thing by adding to more days, at the last minute, to the "On to the Nationals Tournament." I commend the organization on a job well done on such a short notice.

Despite the bad weather warnings, the Butler State Park Tournament held on January 6, and 7, 1973, was an enjoyable game for all. Paul Godfrey, the Chairman of this event, arranged a delicious buffet dinner for both days. Paul reported that even tho the attendance was about 25% off, we still broke even.

Another first this year was the addition of our newspaper, The LBA Kibitizer." The Board feels that this paper has been successful in giving more information and a better understanding of the LBA to its members, so it will be continued for another year.

I am pleased to report that we gained 12 new life masters this year; Mrs. Billie Allan, Mrs. D. Allen, Mrs. E. D. Duncan, Andy Epperson, Mrs. S. Hicks, Karl Krekel, Mrs. John Lewis, Bob McCoy, Miss Marilyn Meredith, Bruce Neikirk, John Sparrow, and Lawrence Strasberg. Congratulations to all of you!

Again, I would like to thank everyone for their fine cooperation which has made my job a very pleasant one. Thank you.

Carl J. Horne
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LOUISVILLE BRIDGE ASSOCIATION

PROFIT AND LOSS STATEMENT FOR 1972

RECEIPTS:

Dues Received	\$ 2,644.60
Unit Tournaments	209.20
Kentucky State Tournament	3,209.50
On to National Tournament	4,998.00
Southern Tournament	3,716.25
Charity Games	191.00
Butler State Park	535.87
1972 Midwest Regional	3,104.26
Reimbursement for Liquor used for Midwest	40.95
Reimbursement for Jiggers used for Regional	90.00
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Total Receipts

\$18,739.63

DISBURSEMENTS:

Dues Paid	\$ 1,760.85
Engraving	141.05
Office Supplies	169.33
Miscellaneous Expense	106.25
Frances Phelan Gratuity	600.00
Sanction Fees	60.40
Trophies	1,006.63
Insurance	62.00
Telephone	16.79
Travel Expenses	22.21
Midwest Dues	60.00
Monitor Dues	3 22.00
Verification Report	5.00
Life Master Gifts	99.14
Safety Deposit Box	5.00
Kibitzer Expense	1,165.19
Donation Arthritis Foundation	122.50
Advertising	225.00
Kentucky State Tournament	2,285.89
On to National Tournament	3,761.69
Donation to A.C.B.L Charity Fund	260.00
Southern Tournament	3,072.07
On to National Prize Money 1971 & 1972	500.00
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Total Expenses for 1972

15,828.99

NET PROFIT FOR 1972

\$ 2,910.64

LOUISVILLE BRIDGE ASSOCIATION

December 31, 1972

Portland Federal Savings & Loan Acct. 9293	1-1-72	\$2,440.57
Interest for Year 1972		<u>797.36</u>
		\$3,237.93
Time Deposit Certificate Portland	In Bank of Louisville	
	Deposit Box 195	<u>11,000.00</u>
		<u>\$ 14,237.93</u>