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THE MONTHLY NEWSLETTER OF ACBL UNIT 549

## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

There are all kinds of luck. There is no luck, good luck, just dumb luck, in luck and potluck to name a few. But on November 18th, you're in luck or maybe it is just dumb luck, because it is the Unit 549 annual potluck unit game. It is guaranteed to be the best lunch of the year because you bring the food. The Unit is kicking in to provide the main dish and you get to fill in the rest of the details for a great lunch. So call your partner who brings you the best luck and make arrangements to join us for our annual good luck, dumb luck, potluck. Food should be ready by 11:45 a.m.

The November Unit Game is also our annual Holiday Toy Drive, so you need to start that holiday shopping before the Unit game. We ask that everyone playing that day bring an unwrapped toy. All of the toys collected will be passed on to Interfaith Community Services so they can make this Holiday Season just a little brighter for needy families right here in North County. If you don't bring a toy, we ask that you make a cash donation that will go to Interfaith. If you would like that donation to be tax deductible, please make your donation by check payable to Interfaith Community Services. The Unit will be donating all of the card fees collected that day to be included with your donations. And just in case you can't make the Unit game, there is a box at the club where you can leave your toy donation.

This is actually a big day for the Unit, because it is also our annual business meeting and election of Board members. We are looking for one more board member and will be taking nominations from the floor.

When we held our Unit game at Seven Oaks, the custodial staff helped with our set up and take down. When we moved to Oasis, we lost that help because Oasis isn't open on the weekends. The Board would like to thank all of you who have stepped up to fill that void. Our Club and our Unit provide one of the best duplicate bridge venues in San Diego County in my very biased opinion. Our members and their willingness to volunteer is a huge part of that.

Mark your calendars, because it is happening sooner than you think. Our annual member appreciation game will be Saturday, December 16th. The Unit would like to thank all of you for making this the best game in town. The game is free along with a great holiday meal.

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