

## NOVEMBER NEWSLETTER

I am not going to report much about our Regional that is still going on. But it looks like attendance has been good so far. BUT I do want to say a HUGE thank you to Greg LeBlanc and Gainor Eisenlohr for the tremendous job they are doing – both the organizing and the *entire* week they are keeping *everything* running!! Also, Ella Rice for handling the partnership table (before) and thru the entire week. (A very busy and demanding job). Len & Janet Case for operating the prize desk twice every day. Jim Hendry and Marilyn Goodrich for transporting the tables (and other needed items) both from our club to the Hilton and back. Susan Lohr for co-ordinating many of our volunteers. Jerry Helms for recruiting the daily Novice/Intermediate speakers. AND so many – many members who contributed in so many ways with so many other jobs. I am sure Greg will be listing this at a later time. Very proud of so many of our club members and also who came to play!!

AND while I am on being so proud of our club and members – Another HUGE thank you to our members for The Longest Day – Alzheimer's. As you probably have read Charlotte Bridge Assn collected \$37,525 and were on the Top TLD fundraiser clubs with ACBL as Number 7. We especially thank our two chairpersons for their tremendous work – Kathy Miller & Lisa Pharr and so many of our members who gave them assistance! Also, a congratulations for the Lake Norman Bridge club who collected over \$13,000 and were #19. Thank you everyone who helped in this MOST worry cause – Yea Charlotte!!

### CONGRATULATIONS – *New Plateaus*

Junior Masters – Sally Greene, Kim Hanson, James Leary, Celia Sinclair, Dee Dee Warren

Club Masters – Katie Garvey, Phyllis Letart, Laura Miralia, Colton Weber

Sectional Masters – Pam Novasad, Anne Teeling

Regional Masters – Catherine Cotsakis, Joan Fesko, Tricia Harrison

Advanced NABC Master – Meredith Shorkey

Life Master – Molly McGill

Bronze Life Masters – Denise Chessler, Molly McGill, Murali Rao

**PIZZA PARTY!** - Pizza Party to celebrate Anniversary of the Saturday Newcomer Game. We will have a 0-49er, 0-99er and a Newcomer section that day in addition to the Open Section. Serving Pizza.

### **SAVE THE DATES** –

Dec 7, 2024 – Unit 153 Annual Meeting followed by regular bridge games. Election for new Board members begin.

Dec 9-14, 2024 – StaC week. Earn special colored points.

