



# Meet Your NEW Board Members

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## **Katherine Ewing—Incumbent**

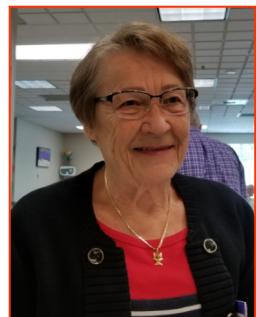
I joined the WBC in 1977 in Doncaster, England and the ACBL in 1979, becoming a Life Master in 1983 and currently a Gold Life Master. Then moved to CA in 1984 and became a Unit Representative to the District 21 Board in the late 1980's, becoming President of District 21 and continue as a member of the District Executive Committee for 10 years. SF NABC 2007 Registration Chair. SF NABC 2016 Reno NABC Co-Chair. 2012 Volunteer Hospitality Chair.

I am currently honored to be your Unit Board President for the last 2 years and in prior years I have been a secretary and treasurer. I look forward to continuing with an excellent board as we move forward.



## **Marc Grunseth**

My regular tournament bridge partner, Miriam, suggested that I run for the Unit Board. She sets high standards for service and writing which I strive to attain. My family played cards of all kinds, but my mom's enthusiasm for "party" bridge was electric and influential. My first unplanned competitive play was at an Army Officers' Club. After a one club, 5 clubs, six clubs bidding sequence, my opponent said mine was a stupid bid. When I, a 2nd Lieutenant, made the contract, it struck me as advisable to avoid gloating since my very rude opponent was a Colonel. I will bring good humor, discretion and a sound work ethic to whatever position is most beneficial to the board and the membership.



## **Margaretha Logos—Incumbent**

I look forward to serving once again on the board. With my CFO experience I have provided audit services to Unit 505 and served as Treasurer. Serving in this capacity at the Unit level, as well at the Folsom Bridge Center, allows me to give back to the game of bridge I so enjoy.



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## **Sharon Neff**

Most of my working life was very fast-paced. Add a host of volunteer activities like organizing soccer leagues as an AYSO commissioner, managing softball teams and serving on the advisory Commission for the Los Angeles Olympics – there just wasn't much time for bridge. I played two or three social games a year. When I retired and moved to Lincoln Hills, I heard about duplicate bridge. Sounded interesting! I quickly signed up for bridge lessons and was off to a new challenge. There's always more to learn and you never get everything right so you have to keep trying. I served as President of the Lincoln Hills Duplicate Bridge Club for two years. After a year off, I am running for the Board for the 2018 year. In 2016, I was Registration Chair for the Reno Spring NABC which proved to be loads of fun. My life is still fast-paced but now bridge is a major factor in my schedule. I enjoy working with our local Club and attending the District meetings but I would like to learn more about Unit 505.



## **Craig Stalker** *Jody Blubaugh's endorsement of Craig Stalker . . .*

Four years ago, a friend asked me if I would play bridge with someone who hadn't played in 45 years. Reluctantly, I said I would. Well, it didn't take long for this retired attorney to catch up. Craig read every bridge book I had and bought more. He started playing bridge every Monday with a long time friend, Ed Estberg. They did well and bridge became the challenge he was looking for. He approached bridge the way he plays golf -- with all his heart and soul. Craig does everything well and is very devoted to the game. He is friendly, intelligent, and very accomplished. He will make a great Board Member.



## **Harry Struthers**

Berkeley was my home town and also where, because my parents needed bridge opponents on Sunday nights when their "regulars" were not available, I learned and began playing Bridge. It wasn't until Linda and I moved back to Sacramento 15 years ago that I ventured in the intimidating world of "Duplicate". Now I combine 2 days of bridge with 2 days of golf and 2 days working to provide a fulfilling schedule. It appears the challenge for bridge is to attract new players and tournament participants. Maybe my experience in marketing could be helpful in that endeavor.