



Eastern Massachusetts Bridge Association  
**EMBA Spring Sectional**  
**March 31 – April 2, 2017**  
Armenian Cultural and Educational Center  
47 Nichols Avenue, Watertown, MA

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**Friday March 31**

**7:30 PM**

**DUAL PAIRS! Two Chances to win!**

**Chance 1: Open Stratified Pairs**

Stratified by partnership avg: A: open / B: < 2000 / C: < 750

**Chance 2: Stratified Board-A-Match Teams**

Pairs are assigned teammates by draw.

(Pair-ups designed to team up low MP pairs with high MP teammates)

Board-A-Match strats to be determined at game time

Game is scored TWO TIMES, once as a regular Pairs game, once as BAM Teams.

Players receive Silver Points based on **max** masterpoint award from the two games!

**Saturday April 1**

**10:30 AM & 3:00 PM**

**Two Single-Session OPEN STRATIFIED PAIRS**

Strats – By partnership average: A: open / B: < 2000 / C: < 750

Short break between sessions: Buy a sandwich/salad or BYO

**Two Single-Session 0-299er PAIRS** (play separately, strats TBD)

**Sunday April 2**

**10:30 AM**

**STRATIFLIGHTED SWISS TEAMS**

Flights play separately. Stratification by team average masterpoints.

A/X Flight: (strats: A: open / X: 0-3000)

B/C/D Flight: No player > 2500 (strats: B: <2500, C: <1000 ; D: < 500)

Playthrough with short lunch break: Pizza included in entry fee.

**Single Session 299er SWISS TEAMS (4 matches)**

**PARTNERSHIP HELP:** available at playing site

or select “Partnership Request” at [www.ablemba.org](http://www.ablemba.org)

Thanks to our tournament hosts! Please volunteer to help at a future tournament.

**Tournament Chair:** Luke Gillespie ([vicepresident@ablemba.org](mailto:vicepresident@ablemba.org))

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