

Life Masters in Rhode Island

The following is a historical list of all Rhode Island Bridge Association members who have become Life Masters in the ACBL. This list was created thanks to some special sleuthing by a former Rhode Island bridge player, Mike Marcucci, and several RIBA members including Marshall Williams, Barry Gilbert, Phyllis Chase and Sylvia Zalkind. Every effort has been made to create a complete and accurate list. If you know of any errors, corrections or additions, or if you became a Life Master while a member of a different unit, please send the information to Secretary@RIBridge.Org and we'll update the list accordingly. Many thanks to everyone for coming up with this nice history of bridge in Rhode Island.

LM date	LM #	Full Name	City
1951	323	H Dean Baker Jr	Providence
	330	Robert Starr	Providence
	348	Robert Fox	Providence
Feb-54	654	Paul Kerwick	Cranston
1955	828	Walter Ortner	Providence
1956	1143	Dr Francis Sargent	Cranston
	1152	Helen Baker	Providence
	1297	Helen Walcott	Providence
1957	1428	Laura Sargent	Cranston
	1442	Kitty Creedon	Cranston
1959	2321	Harry Bernstrom	Barrington
1962	3356	Milton Calder	Providence
	3390	Ashund Shaghalian	Cranston
Nov-63	4619	Robert McVay	Rumford
	4656	Florence Johnson	Providence
Jun-65	5857	Dr David Kitzes	Providence
	6209	Ray Friedman	Pawtucket

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	6336	Benjamin Albert	Providence
	6351	Lois Blish	Racine WI
Mar-66	6981	Charlie Tupper	Bristol
	7063	Joseph Aquilino	Cranston
	7590	Richard Baum	Providence
1967	8232	Edna Cohen	Providence
	8233	Harvey Cohen	Providence
	8305	Nancy Starr	Providence
	8365	Anthony Masi	Cranston
	8813	Gloria Masi	Cranston
	9000	George Caldwell	Providence
1968	9255	Madeleine Arnold	Providence
	9619	Donald Lash	Pawtucket
	9885	Dr Ed Doherty	N Providence
	10342	Jane Friedman	Pawtucket
	10343	Marion Holdsworth	Cranston
	10339	Paul Lavallee	Providence
1969	11465	Barbara Lavallee	Providence
	11714	Etta Stone	Pawtucket
	11849	Lewis Finkel	Livingston NJ
	11949	Alice Eckart	Westerly
	11955	Arlene Slack	Carthage NY
1970	12978	Jack Plager	Providence
	13193	Earl Becker Jr	Pawtucket
	13195	Rick Bojar	Providence
	13226	Marvin Grabel	Providence
	13245	James Lewis	Saunderstown

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	13280	Linda Stack	Providence
	13646	Ruth Finkle	Providence
Apr-71	13981	Allan Cokin	Providence
	14332	Rose Slosberg	Westerly
	14361	Richard Borod	Providence
	14705	Gail Borod	Providence
Feb-72	15067	Robert Stone	Providence
	15160	Hilda Epstein	Providence
Jul-72	15791	Brina Orchoff	Providence
	16125	Ross Grabel	Providence
	16614	Joe Giard Jr	Pascoag
	16759	Fredric Suzman	Providence
Nov-72	16932	John Malley	Pascoag
	16986	Capt Vahan Chapian	Warwick
	16998	Inez Dunne	Cranston
	17058	Nancy Rosenbaum	Cranston
	17128	Donald Loomis	Westerly
10 Dec 72	17338	Ms Caroline Caswell	Peacedale
	17344	Albert Conn	Warwick
	17361	Eleanor Gadrow	Peacedale
10 Feb 73	17674	Irene Lauria	Westerly
10 Apr 73	17979	W Davis "Dee" Dechert	Ithaca NY
25 Jul 73	18470	Hoda Baron	Pawtucket
10 Aug 73	18691	Hollice Stevens	Westerly
	18694	Alvin Swonger	Saunderstown
25 Oct 73	19102	Steve Sun	Providence
10 Nov 73	19160	Lillian Stevens	Westerly

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25 Jan 74	19504	Arnold Green		Barrington
	19505	Alice Sutton		Providence
25 Apr 74	19977	Betty Selya		Providence
25 May 74	20106	Ramona Marrier		Warren
25 Jun 74	20283	William Post		Providence
25 Jul 74	20448	Alan Gertsacov		Cranston
	20449	Tom Riley		Providence
10 Aug 74	20561	Louisa Haigh		Cranston
1974	20562	Elizabeth Loomis		Westerly
	20563	Joseph Marrier Jr		Warren
10 Sep 74	20696	Ida Rose Breslow		Providence
	20697	Saul Breslow		Providence
	20698	David Garrigan		Coventry
25 Dec 74	21171	Walter Fontaine	1	Cranston
10 Feb 75	21418	Harry Lieberman		Providence
10 Mar 75	21521	Bob Wake		Providence
	21921	Sheila Ekeblad		Pawtucket
10 Aug 75	23359	Florence Soloveitzik		Westerly
10 Oct 75	22670	Helen Bomes		Providence
10 Feb 76	23193	Phyllis Chase		Providence
	23194	Gloria Golden		Cranston
10 Mar 76	23326	Marian Conn		Warwick
10 Aug 76	24082	Wilmont Howard Jr		Kingston
10 Dec 76	24649	Sylvia Zalkind		Waquoit
	24717	Ronald Boruch		Tiverton
	24718	Lola Jaffe		Providence
	24719	Cathleen Speer		Portsmouth

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10 Feb 77	24962	Marion Best	Middletown
10 Mar 77	25138	Lucille Chapien	Warwick
10 Jun 77	25582	Albert Stone	Pawtucket
10 Feb 78	26709	Anthony Petronella	Providence
10 Jul 78	27426	Jean Mullaney-Lieberman	Cranston
10 Aug 78	27592	Alice Arnold	Pawtucket
10 Sep 78	27773	John Maselli	Pawtucket
10 Dec 78	28253	Walter Fontaine 2	Pawtucket
10 Jan 79	28337	Gloria Leviss	Portsmouth
	28338	Barbara Greene	Cranston
10 Mar 79	28630	Walter Morgan	Warwick
	28631	Emmy Stegeman	Cumberland
1979	xxx	Roland Guillet	Cumberland
10 Jun 80	30723	Peter Lieberman	Cranston
10 Sep 80	31201	Phillip Schonrog	Richmond
10 Dec 80	31683	Philip Lam	Newton MA
10 Jan 81	31949	Mariann Farrelly	Cumberland
10 Sep 81	33096	Michael DiCenso	Warwick
	33097	Joan Sherman	Providence
10 Nov 81	33389	Lucy Schuster	Wickford
10 Oct 82	34672	Steven Buchthal	Kingstown
1982	34673	Sheldon Green	Providence
10 Dec 82	35015	Rhoda Feldman	Cranston
10 Feb 83	35196	Tina Jameson	Providence
	35197	Doris Salvadore	Lincoln
10 Jul 83	35854	Joan O'Connell	Providence
10 Oct 83	36305	Marian Howarth	E Greenwich

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1 Feb 84	36768	Noah Temkin	Providence
1 Mar 84	36871	Adelaide Stout	Middletown
1 Apr 85	38424	Linda Blessing	Providence
	38425	Michael Kauffman	Providence
	38426	Robert Stout	Middletown
1 Aug 85	39051	Dr Alexander Levitsky	Providence
	39052	Anne Steingold	Pawtucket
1 Sep 85	39289	Stuart Treworgy	Cumberland
1 Mar 86	39931	Elaine Grabel	Providence
	39932	Charles Halbfinger	Portsmouth
	39933	Vi Hall	Providence
1 Sep 86	40799	Betty Finkelstein	Cranston
1 Dec 86	41292	Sylvia Thompson	E Greenwich
1 Feb 87	41471	Eileen English	San Jose CA
	41560	Joan Additon	N Kingstown
	41561	Sheila Halperin	Cranston
1 Apr 87	41760	Dolores Sagnella	Cranston
1 Aug 87	42405	Katharina Howard	Cranston
	42404	Amos Foster	Bradford
1 Oct 87	42811	John Lahoud	Newport
1 Nov 87	42956	Sue McConaughey	Bristol
1 Jan 88	43286	Ernest English	San Jose CA
1 Feb 88	43522	Dorothy Wilmot	Warwick
1 Mar 88	43605	Carolyn Hammond	E Greenwich
1 May 88	43881	Bart Buffington	N Kingstown
1 Jul 88	44195	Barbara Salvadore	E Greenwich
1 Oct 88	44699	Mary McCaughey	Middletown

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1 Dec 88	45060	Alice Lahoud	Newport
1 Mar 89	45366	William McNally	Newport
	45367	Jean Merrill	Little Compton
1 Aug 89	45994	Marilyn Ardente	Providence
	45995	Lynn Finley	N Providence
1 Oct 89	46286	Ray Boyko	E Providence
	46287	Clint Kornegay	Warwick
1 Dec 89	46581	Gregory Merrill	Little Compton
1 Apr 90	47155	Mildred Kaye	Cranston
	47156	Jack Tidball	Cranston
	47157	Carolyn Vallante	Cranston
1 Jul 90	47598	Joan Ceglarski	Middletown
	47599	Tom Donahue	Warwick
	47600	Everett Halsall	Warwick
1 Oct 90	48164	Gregory Klinker	Tiverton
	48165	Steven Musen	Warwick
	48166	George Robbio	Providence
1 Dec 90	48355	Timothy Yentsch	Jamestown
1 Apr 91	48761	John Baringer	Warwick
	48762	Elinor Westbury	Providence
1 May 91	48852	Yvonne Fahey	Gales Ferry CT
1 Jun 91	49103	David Dicola	Providence
1 Jul 91	49283	Barbara Harty	Pawtucket
	49284	Ms Pauline Mullins	Providence
1 Aug 91	49458	Steven Myerson	Tiverton
1 Oct 91	49911	Ralph Mastrangelo	Cranston
1 Dec 91	50191	Albert Allen	Barrington

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1 Apr 92	50839	Melvin Bloom	Cranston
1 Jun 92	51178	Frank Eklof	Warwick
1 Jul 92	51383	Kazimierz Lamparski	Warwick
1 Aug 92	51605	Anne Rudasill	Portsmouth
1 Sep 92	51765	Paul Markowitz	Providence
	51766	Violet Eklof	Warwick
1 Oct 92	52002	Helmut Augenstein	Warwick
	52003	Albert Feinstein	Cranston
	52004	Susan Miguel	Tiverton
1 Jan 93	52631	Albert Votolato	Cranston
1 Mar 93	52886	Rita Zamil	Newport
1 Jul 93	53642	Bruce Saunders	Seekonk MA
1 Aug 93	53888	David Regenstein	Warwick
1 Nov 93	54492	Yannis Yannakis	Providence
1 Dec 93	54676	Judy Biegner	N Kingstown
	54677	Beatrice Miller	Providence
	54761	Mrs Lee Rodman	Fall River MA
1 Mar 94	55233	Ms Gloria Manna	Johnston
	55234	Anne Musen	Warwick
1 Jun 94	55820	Robert Fish	Warwick
1994	55914	Helen Modelane	Providence
	55915	Fred Randall	Warwick
1 Jul 94	56122	Mary Iannucci	N Providence
1 Aug 94	56269	Joycelyn Bentfield	Warwick
	56313	Grace Goldberg	Providence
	56314	Scott Lewis	Wakefield
	56315	Mildred Mahoney	Peacedale

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1 Sep 94	56534	Bob Greene	Cranston
1 Oct 94	56763	Ann Michael	Providence
1 Nov 94	56964	Rosalind Kornegay	Providence
	56965	Sonja Mauran	N Kingstown
	56966	Joyce Regan	E Greenwich
1 Dec 94	57217	Marilyn Mora	Wakefield
1 Feb 95	57551	Joyce Schreiber	Cranston
1 Mar 95	57799	Terry Byrne	Jamestown
1 Jul 95	58707	June Lapp	Charlestown
1 Aug 95	58931	Robert Potvin	Providence
1 Nov 95	59701	Edward Lariviere	Kingston
	59702	Emelio Modelane	Providence
1 Dec 95	59939	Anthony Caputi	Newport
	59940	John Cole	Bristol
	59941	Dr Donna Cone	Providence
	59942	George Cundy	N Kingstown
1 Apr 96	60650	Adele Zuckerman	Providence
1 Oct 96	62102	Rachel Kaufman	Cranston
1 May 97	63623	Mary Kreger	Watch Hill
1 Jun 97	63887	Donna Otrando	E Greenwich
1 Jul 97	64075	Ann Capuano	N Providence
	64076	Elizabeth Crowther	Chepachet
1 Sep 97	64532	Ann Basilico	Cranston
	64533	Josephine Murray	Greenville
1 Feb 98	65549	William Niemi	Wakefield
1 Jul 98	66519	David Prentiss	Sharon MA
	66598	Martin Felder	Providence

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	66599	Velma Felder	Providence
	66600	Ms Arlene Roberti	N Kingstown
1 Aug 98	66876	Eva Landy	Bristol
	66877	Ms Evelyn Recchia	Cranston
1 Sep 98	67033	Sylvia Lewiss	Westerly
1 Dec 98	67854	Helen Lehrer	Cranston
1 May 99	68659	Carol Finkelman	Providence
1 Jul 99	69013	John Berry	Coventry
1 Sep 99	69474	Barbara Huntwork	E Greenwich
1 Oct 99	69730	Carole Sammartino	Providence
1 Nov 99	69854	Jean Shufelt	W Bloomfield MI
	69855	John Shufelt	W Bloomfield MI
1 Dec 99	70157	Evelyn Powers	Coventry
1 Mar 00	70659	Vincent Fournier	Warwick
	70660	Donald Rankin	E Greenwich
1 Oct 00	72059	Lilian Holmsen	Kingston
1 Nov 00	72291	Eric Hendrickson	Providence
	72292	Elaine Rakatansky	Providence
1 May 01	73183	Roberta Boyajian	Warwick
	73184	Ms Sandra Scoliard	Providence
1 Jul 01	73627	Charles Shartenberg	E Providence
1 Oct 01	74196	Justine Greenwell	S Kingstown
1 Nov 01	74375	David Warren	Providence
1 Feb 02	74973	Miriam O'Neill	Peacedale
1 Mar 02	75107	Ruth K Berkowitz	Providence
1 Jul 02	75838	Elizabeth Fiske	Greenville
1 Aug 02	76003	Juan Castillo	Providence

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	76004	Gordon Fairchild	Riverside
1 Jan 03	76871	David Sobel	Providence
1 Feb 03	77053	Barbara Levine	Providence
xx	77645	James Devine	Tiverton
xx	77649	Ms Christy Hofmann	Bristol
1 Jul 03	77911	George Levine	Providence
1 Oct 03	78377	Jill Hankinson	Cumberland
	78378	Mary Niedzwicki	Warwick
1 May 04	xxx	Suzanne Erwin	Portsmouth
	xxx	Robert Erwin	Portsmouth
xx	xxx	Esther Murphy	Westerly
1 Feb 05	xxx	Honey Silverstein	Providence
1 May 05	xxx	Rita Callahan	Bristol
xx	xxx	Carolyn Worrall	Wakefield
1 Oct 05	xxx	Russ Mowery	Portsmouth
2006	xxx	Linda Finkelstein	Narragansett
1 Nov 06	xxx	Gladys Greenberg	Cranston
1 Feb 07	xxx	Rosalyn Sinclair	Providence
xxx	xxx	Ms Catherine Sallar	Fall River
2007	xxx	Edith Blish	Rumford
	xxx	Grace Charron	Fall River
1 Jun 07	xxx	Naylon Leapley	Wyoming RI
1 Jul 07	xxx	Ms Brenda Iemma	Warwick
	xxx	Maureen Johnson	W Warwick
2008	xxx	Judith Dobbrow	Ashaway
	xxx	Joseph Brouillard	Lincoln
	xxx	John Urciuoli	Wakefield

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	xxx	Walter Yllo	Providence
2009	xxx	Barbara Fontaine	Wakefield
	xxx	Michael Baker	Adamsville
2010	xxx	<i>Ida L Farnworth</i>	Lincoln
	xxx	Dorothy Horowitz	Providence
1 May 10	xxx	William Cowdell	Cumberland
1 Jul 10	xxx	Graeme Bell	Little Compton
	xxx	Kathy Thornton	N Scituate
2011	xxx	William Shockley	Westerly
	xxx	James Worrall	Wakefield
1 Mar 11	xxx	Raymond Cieslak	Warwick
1 Apr 11	xxx	Barbara Bauchspies	Portsmouth
	xxx	Beverly Nill	Tiverton
	xxx	Ann Parker	Tiverton
1 Jul 11	xxx	Walter Magee	Wakefield
1 Nov 11	xxx	Kyle Barrett	Middletown
	xxx	Lois DeBlois	Warwick
2012	xxx	Megan DiOrio	Providence
	xxx	Louis DiOrio	Providence
	xxx	Marcia West	Charlestown
	xxx	Dorothy Lamson	Smithfield
	xxx	Paula Najarian	E Greenwich
	xxx	Nora Cushing	Newport
	xxx	Linda Ahrens	Lincoln
2013	xxx	Bruce Fischer	Rumford
	xxx	Liz Brian	Jamestown
	xxx	John Lombardo	Cranston

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	xxx	Clinton Wright	Slatersville
	xxx	Barry Sullivan	Cumberland
	xxx	David Crossley	E Greenwich
2014	xxx	Carole Goldman	Cranston
	xxx	Marshall Williams	Woonsocket
2014	xxx	Arlene Seguin	Cranston
	xxx	Albert Seguin Jr	Cranston
	xxx	Norbert Fessel	Riverside
2015	xxx	Joe Fisler	Providence
	xxx	June Wood	Cumberland
	xxx	Ms Marguerite Gousie	Woonsocket
	xxx	Mary Gagnon	N Kingstown
	xxx	Filomena Walsh	Cranston
	xxx	Barbara Barrette	Plainfield CT
2016	xxx	Frederick Rogler	Glendale
	xxx	Alice Forry	Portsmouth
	xxx	Nicholas Blazensky	Westerly
	xxx	Sandra Blazensky	Westerly
	xxx	Matthew Byrne	Jamestown
	xxx	Diane Lambert	Seekonk MA
2017	xxx	Fredda Sharfstein	Pawtucket
	xxx	Maurice Chesney	Saunderstown
	xxx	Nancy Mayer	Bristol
	xxx	Vivian Wine	Providence
	xxx	Peter Buonfiglio	Cranston
	xxx	Robert Garfinkel	Pawtucket
	xxx	Eugene Weinberg	Providence

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	xxx	Ann Broomfield	Pawtucket
2018	xxx	Barry Gilbert	Lincoln
	xxx	Lillian Richards	Warwick
	xxx	Barbara Roy	Newport
	xxx	Stephen Grimes	Portsmouth
	xxx	William Everett	Providence
2019	xxx	Linda Travers	Cumberland
	xxx	Lydia Joyce Haley	Tiverton
1 Nov 19	xxx	Lydia Capobianco	Jamestown
	xxx	Richard Tropper	Pascoag
2021	xxx	Roxanne Maloney	Cranston
	xxx	Rex Tien	Warwick
2022	xxx	Marie Strumolo	Greenville
1 Aug 23	xxx	Jo-Anne Krikorian	Warwick
	xxx	Laura Yentsch	Jamestown