23rd Madeira International Bridge Open
2nd-8th November 2020
Wednesday 4th November
Bulletin 2

The Open Pairs Spring To Life

50 pairs across 25 tables joined together to contest the three session Open Pairs. At the end of the first session Tim van den Bos and Berend van den Bos from The Netherlands headed the championships with 64.06%, behind are Peter Jokisch and Udo Kasimir from Germany with a score of 62.15%. In third position with a score of 60.76% are the Portuguese pair Inês Cunha and Miguel Ramos

New Safety Regulations

It is compulsory to wear a mask in all public spaces and circulation areas, both inside and in the open air, except at the beach, or while eating or drinking at a restaurant or bar.

In the playing area, masks may be removed while seated at the table, but must be put on when leaving the table (even to move between tables). Whenever a cleaning break is called, everyone must leave the playing area.

National regulations may change at any moment; if they do, we will post the changes in the bulletins.

Today is the Traditional Madeiran Dinner at O Lagar. The coach will leave the VidaMar hotel at 20:15. You will need your badge to get on the bus.

If you have not yet bought your ticket you can do so at the Welcome Desk.

Keeping You Safe

We are instigating protocols to ensure your safety whilst playing bridge. There are the six main areas.

1.There will be NO board sharing. Each table will have a complete set of boards for the whole session.

2 Competitors will be issued with a Bidding Box, It will be labelled with the player's Bridgemate number and they will only use that box for the whole tournament.

3. The table and its equipment will be completely cleaned every eight to ten deals. This includes the table itself, the screen, the Bridgemate and the chairs.

4. Every table will have a transparent perspex screen separating each player from the others.

5. Every table is at least two metres from any other table.

6. Every eight to ten boards competitors will be asked to leave the room and take fresh air for a minimum of five minutes.

All Events take place in the Congress Centre - it will open one hour before play commences.

MAIN PROGRAMME 4th – 8th NOV 2020

Location - Congress Room

WEDNESDAY 4th November	16:00	Open Pairs Tournament (2nd Session)
THURSDAY 5th November	16:00	Open Pairs Tournament (3rd Session)
	20:00	Final Results
FRIDAY 6th November	18:00	Deadline for Teams Tournament Entries
	20:00	Team Assignments
	20.30	Open Teams Tournament (1st Session)
SATURDAY 7th November	11:00	Open Teams Tournament (2nd Session)
	13:15	Lunch Break (light lunch included)
	14:30	Open Teams Tournament (3rd Session)
SUNDAY 8th November	14:30	Open Teams Tournament (4th Session)
	19:00	Final Results

NOTE: Please arrive 30 minutes before the start to guarantee your place

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The TAPAS Y COPAS restaurant (on the opposite side of the road to the hotel) is giving a 10% discount to all participants in the Madeira bridge Festival, To claim this just show your badge before you order.

And as a second generous guesture they are offering the winners of the Open Pairs a €50 voucher.

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José Curado explains how to verify the deals using Hans van Staveren's procedure.

In short, if someone wants to check that there is no hanky-panky going on with the procedure they should:

1. Download the "present key" before 19:30 on Friday evening 30th October 2020
2. Check the winning Euromillions numbers for Friday 30th October 2020 (the "future key").
3. Download the "past key" which will be published after the event (in Bulletin 7 and here)
4. Run the program (download from http://www.xs4all.nl/~sater/SquareDeal.zip) using the 3-part key according to the instructions: the "present" and "past" files and the 5 numbers and 2 stars from the lottery results, comma separated (the program will prompt you).
5. Compare the hands generated this way with the hands actually played.

This is fully explained on the website at:
https://www.bridge-madeira.com/hand-generator-security-keys/

Diary Note

One of my reliable and discreet sources tells me that in one of the pre-events there was the following auction.

Immediately to the right of the dealer an out of turn Pass Card appeared. In the spirit of the friendly pre-games it was waved aside and no penalty was demanded nor was a director unnecesarily disturbed. The bidding now resumed correctly and went: Pass - Pass - Pass - 1♥ !!!.

Apparently a few days ago a member of the organising team was in the casino and whilst collecting a container of bidding boxes from the bridge club situated there, accidentally put them down whilst passing a roulette table. Unfortunately he put them down on Red but the ball landed in Black and so consequently they were forfeit.

NOT ENOUGH ♦♦♦ AND ♥♥♥ IN YOUR LIFE?

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Special rate for our friends at the Madeira International Bridge Open
Saturday 31st October & Saturday 7th November at 7.30pm

3 Course Dinner (including wine) €40* (€45 usual price)
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Ring (+351) 291281405 or email reservations@theritzmadeira.com
– quote "Bridge + your badge number

Alternatively you can call 291 648 155,
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The **Welcome Desk** in the lobby of VidaMar Tower 2 will be open at the following times:

If you need help or information outside these times, please ask at the hotel's Reception Desk or speak to one of the Directors.

Wednesday 4th November	15:00 – 16:00
Thursday 5th November	15:00 – 16:00
Friday 6th November	18:00 – 21:00
Saturday 7th November	13:00 – 16:00
Sunday 8th November	14:30 – 16:00

SOCIAL PROGRAMME

WEDNESDAY 4th November	20:45 - Traditional Dinner. Traditional Madeiran dinner of espetada with folk dancing and music COACH LEAVES THE HOTEL VIDAMAR, OUTSIDE THE LOBBY TOWER 2 AT 20:15 (it takes 15 minutes). Return to the hotel at 23:30.
FRIDAY 6th November	Coach leaves the Hotel VidaMar for your chosen excursion option. Details of excursions can be found later in this bulletin. Further information is available at the Welcome Desk.
SUNDAY 8th November	20:30 - Closing Dinner and trophy presentation in the Ocean Room–VidaMar Resort Madeira, 2nd floor.

Any of the Social Programme events may be purchased at the Welcome Desk

Can You Help?

The archive of the Madeira Bridge Association was destroyed in 2007 in a fire at the historic Club Sports da Madeira. As a result, we no longer have results and bulletins from the Madeira International from 1998 to 2004 (and access to the 2005 bulletins only courtesy of bridgedailybulletins.nl).

If any collector happens to have any of this material, and is willing either to copy it or to lend it to us, we should be eternally grateful. Or if anyone has saved .pdf versions on a computer, please email them to us at open@bridge-madeira.com.

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ENTRY FEES

Pairs	€ 140.00
Teams	€ 155.00
Pairs + Team	€ 260.00
Pairs + Teams + Traditional Dinner	€ 275.00
Pairs + Teams + Closing Dinner	€ 285.00
Pairs + Teams + Traditional + Closing Dinner	€ 295.00
Typical Dinner	€ 25.00
Friday Excursion	€ 25.00
Saturday Lunch (non-players)	€ 20.00
Closing Dinner	€ 40.00

The VidaMar Hotel is pleased to offer participants of the Madeira Open 2020 discounts as above. Just show them your badge.

For the duration of the Madeira festival you will be able to play through some of the more interesting hands on the 'bridgebee' app. The link on your PC is:

https://bridgebee.app/sets/289/madeira-bridge-festival

This will be available free until the end of the festival.

bridgebee

Optional Excursions Friday 6th November

Option A: **The East** (full day, lunch included)
coach leaves hotel 09:30

The coach leaves the hotel at 9:30 for the drive up to Pico do Areeiro, Madeira's third-highest peak (1818m), from which you may enjoy the breathtaking views. From the mountain head down to Ribeiro Frio to admire the famous laurisilva forest (UNESCO World Heritage site), with an optional short levada walk to the Balcões viewpoint (level, easy, ≈ 30 minutes).

The next stop is Santana, with its traditional thatched houses and its vineyards. After lunch at the Quinta do Furão, drive to Ponta de São Lourenço, the far eastern headland, which boasts a wonderful combination of volcanic rocks, blue sea and nature. You will have time to take photographs before heading back to the hotel.

Option B: **Levada Walk** (½ day, lunch included)
coach leaves hotel 09:45

The coach leaves the hotel at 9:45 for a relaxing, easy 7km half-day walk along one of Madeira's famed levadas.

The walk starts at Referta, on the north-eastern side of the island, and leads walkers on an exploration of some of the native fauna and flora of Madeira and its abundant and varied fruit trees. In the first part of the walk, you will be able to admire the imposing volcanic outcrop of Penha de Águia and enjoy the agricultural terraces cultivated by local residents.

Lunch at the Quinta do Furão before returning to the hotel.

Please bring good walking shoes or boots, a warm coat (in case of low temperatures in the mountains) and a bottle of water. Grade: easy; Distance: 7 km; Duration: approximately 2¾ hours.

Option C: **Catamaran** (limited availability)
coach leaves hotel 10:00

A relaxing trip along the south coast of Madeira, with a good chance of spotting whales and dolphins in all their magnificence and in their natural habitat. (3 hours)

Open Pairs Session One

Ceri Pierce

After arriving in Madeira a week ago to work on the Bulletin for the 2nd year (I was invited back – so clearly, I did not embarrass myself or my co-workers too much last year), I found myself in the very fortunate position of being asked to play with a German who had travelled here alone, undeterred, after her partner cancelled. Indeed, there are many players who have overcome the most extraordinary hurdles this year to get here. I have yet to meet someone who did not have their flight cancelled at least once. My personal best was four flights cancelled, and I met another German pair who had their flights rearranged five time. Any advances? Let me know for the Epic Journeys section of the bulletin later this week.

Having found my new partner, Marie Eggeling, lurking apprehensively outside the conference centre we quickly threw a system together, crossed our fingers, donned our masks and hoped for the best. Despite the lack of the aforementioned system, my partner showed good judgment and touching faith in the bidding on this hand for a joint top.

Board 8. Dealer West. None Vul.

	♠ 10976 ♥ J10 ♦ 6432 ♣ 872	
♠ 5 ♥ AQ643 ♦ J9 ♣ Q10963	N W E S	♠ AKQ8 ♥ 85 ♦ A75 ♣ AKJ4
	♠ J432 ♥ K972 ♦ KQ108 ♣ 5	

West	North	East	South
Ceri		*Marie*	
Pass	Pass	2NT*	Pass
3♦*	Pass	3♥	Pass
4♣*	Pass	4♦*	Double
Pass*	Pass	4♠*	Pass
5♣	Pass	6♣*	

2NT	20-21
3♦	Transfer to Hearts
4♣	Natural I hope
4♦	Undiscussed but new suit at the 4 level must be forcing I hope
Pass	Not sure what to do here so I will pass
4♠	New suit at the 4 level (as above)
6♣	Well bid partner - touching faith

7♣ actually makes on a heart finesse. The play requires care but the contract cannot be defeated.

This is a classic case of counting your tricks - on first glance you can count five club tricks, three spades, one heart (two if the finesse works) and one diamond – the heart finesse works, so you have 11 tricks in the bag. It is now a relatively simple matter to arrange two heart ruffs in the dummy before crossing to your hand with a high ruff of a diamond or spade to draw the last trump and claim 13 tricks. Indeed, only two other pairs matched the top score, most people playing in a languid 3NT and one other pair doing well to bid 6♣ but perhaps not counting their tricks as above, and making just 12.

Standings in the Open Pairs after the First Round

	%	Name
1	64.06	Tim van den Bos - Berend van den Bos
2	62.15	Peter Jokisch - Udo Kasimir
3	60.76	Inês Cunha - Miguel Ramos
4	60.59	Guido Hopfenheit - Sebastian Reim
5	57.47	Fredrik Nystrom - Sanna Clementsson
6	57.12	Bruno Macedo - Luís M Silva
7	56.51	Carlos Luiz - Nuno Paz
8	55.73	Diego Brenner - Miguel Teixeira
9	55.03	Leo Huvers - David Kok
10	54.95	Sveinn R Eiriksson - Magnus Eidur Magnusson
10	54.95	Jorge Cruzeiro - João Paes de Carvalho
12	54.34	Shahzaad Natt - India Leeming
13	53.82	Frederic Boldt - Paul Grünke
14	53.13	Frederico Teixeira - Ricardo Fernandes
15	52.95	Bruna Vicente - Miguel Moreno
16	52.86	Nikolas Bausback - Michael Pauly
17	52.6	Marie Eggeling - Ceri Pierce
18	52.34	René Stienen - Elly Schippers
19	51.91	Nick Sandqvist - Nathalie Shashou
20	51.82	Gerwin Middelkoop - Pim Vermeulen
21	51.56	João Campos Ferreira - Miguel Lima
22	51.48	Bengt Emanuelsson - Haakan Tjärnemo
23	51.39	Paulo Courteilles Sarmento - João Vide Barbosa
24	50.95	Hans Metselaar - Gerard Limmen
24	50.95	Frederik Wrang - David Wrang

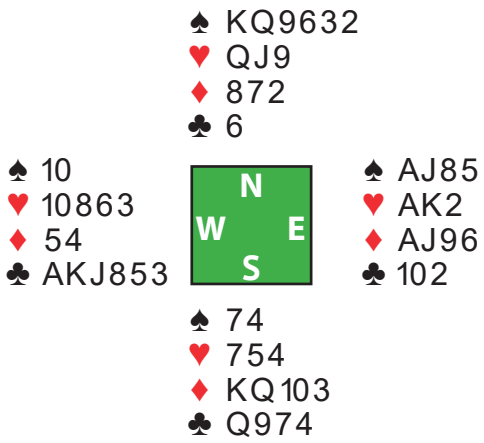
	%	Name
26	50.26	Robbie de Koster - Eva Poppe
27	50.17	Laura Woodruff - Pedro Nunes
28	50.09	António Peixoto - Margarida Machado
29	49.83	Julius Sigurjonsson - Kauko Koistinen
30	49.65	Andrei Kavalenka - Francisco P Coutinho
31	49.31	Mark Thiele - Renée Verdegaal
32	49.05	Rita Arraiano - José Nuno Moraes
33	48.78	Jutta Bartley - Gareth Bartley
34	48.18	João Fanha - Maria J Calamaro
35	47.22	Harry Burmania - John Linse
36	47.05	António Campos Palma - Carolina Pimenta
37	46.96	Han Begas - Lucia Grosmann
38	45.57	Sally Brock - Barry Myers
39	44.88	Adam Blachnio - Leszek Kawski
40	44.79	Paul van den Bos - Johann Bouman
41	44.7	Niels Steenstrup Zeeberg - Christian Lahrmann
42	44.01	Pedro Morgado - Eduardo Fernandes
43	42.97	Renate Adelsberger - Heimo Adelsberger
44	42.88	Bruno Neves - Robert Snapper
45	41.15	Miguel Sousa Guedes - Ricardo Teixeira
46	40.97	Koen Poppe - Cisca Vorselman
47	38.63	Arjen Salari - Marie-José de Bruine
48	37.76	João Machado - José Macedo
49	37.33	Rosemarie Roderburg - Sybil Müller-Maubach
50	36.37	João Amaral - Álvaro C Machado

Mystic Mark - Edition II

Mark Horton

Mark Horton cannot provide you with the winning numbers for the next EuroMillions draw, but he is prepared to predict what might happen on some of the deals from the first session of the Pairs Championship.

Board 2. Dealer East. N/S Vul.



West	North	East	South
–	–	1NT	Pass
2♣*	Pass	2♠	Pass
3NT	All Pass		

If North is unwise enough to come in with 2♠ East's penalty double should be worth at least 500, which is likely to be close to a top.

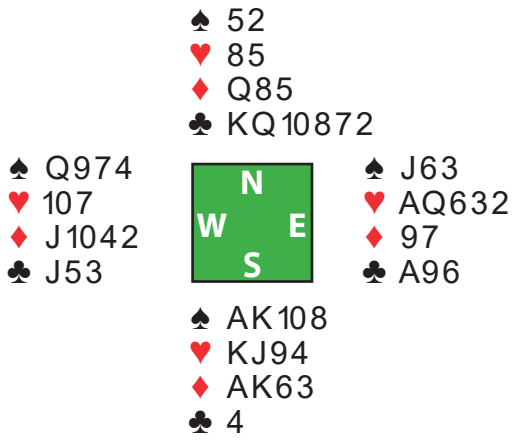
The fate of 3NT will probably depend on how declarer tackles the club suit. When the ten is covered by the queen the normal line is to continue with a top honour.

However, under certain circumstances declarer might get home with only three club tricks. If South leads a passive heart declarer wins and plays the ♣10 covered by the queen and ace. Looking for overtricks, declarer then takes two rounds of hearts and North wins and switches to a diamond for the nine, ten and four. Declarer wins the next diamond, crosses to dummy with a club, cashes the ♥10 and the ♣J and then plays a spade to the ace and exits with the ♦J, scoring the last trick with the ♦6.

If North returns the ♠K rather than a diamond in one line declarer might make the contract while scoring only two club tricks! I'll let you work that one out.

With most of the field reaching game I predict just under 50% will make it.

Board 13. Dealer North. All Vul.



West	North	East	South
–	Pass	1♥	Double
Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
All Pass			

Not everyone will reach 3NT via this exact sequence.

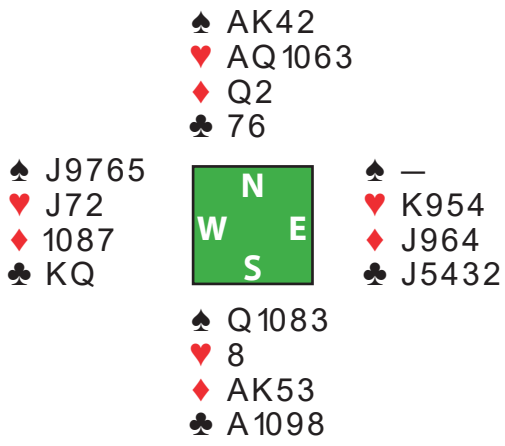
As on the previous deal the club suit has an important role to play.

If West leads the ♥10 let's say East allows declarer to win with the jack. Now declarer needs to play a club to the ten, when the 19% chance that this will deliver 5 tricks in the suit pays off.

If declarer happens to play the king or queen, then East should duck. Winning and switching to a spade allows declarer to win and play a heart to the eight. East wins and plays a second spade and declarer ducks, wins the next spade and exits with a heart. East wins, but that will be the last trick for the defence as West cannot cope with the pressure in spades, diamonds and clubs.

Most of the field should reach game. at least half will make it.

Board 14. Dealer East. None Vul.



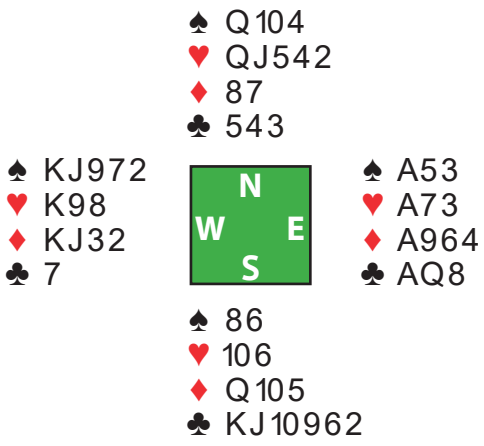
West	North	East	South
–	–	Pass	1♣
Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	4♠	All Pass	

Let's imagine West leads a diamond. Declarer wins in dummy, and in the manner of the Rueful Rabbit sets out to do as much ruffing as possible. The ♥A is followed by a heart ruff, two diamonds to pitch a club from dummy, the ♣A and a club ruff, another heart ruff and a club, ruffed by West with the ♠5 and overruffed in dummy. In the four-card ending declarer plays a heart and discards a minor suit card from hand. West has to ruff and lead a spade and declarer wins in hand and cross-ruffs the last two tricks.

If you reach 6♠ and make it let me (and the Bulletin) know!

I predict a handful of pairs will reach 6♠. Maybe one will find the way home?

Board 26. Dealer East. All Vul.



West	North	East	South
–	–	1♣	Pass
1♠	Pass	2NT	Pass
3♦	Pass	4♦	Pass
4♥*	Pass	4♠*	Pass
5♣*	Pass	6♦	All Pass

Once the diamond fit comes to light a series of cue-bids leads to the reasonable slam.

With the trump suit behaving there is nothing to the play.

Well done if you reached 6♦ - I estimate you will be in a significant minority - let's say 10%.

You can mail your questions to me at: markhorton007@hotmail.com.

When the results become available tomorrow morning we shall examine the actual results versus Mark's prognostics.

The Mystic's Marks

Ron Tacchi & Mark Horton

Yesterday Mark Horton gave us his prognostications on boards 5, 8, 20 and 24. How did he do?

Board 5. Dealer North. N/S Vul.

	♠ KQ9853 ♥ J95 ♦ AQ8 ♣ 8	
♠ J42 ♥ Q74 ♦ 962 ♣ QJ74	N W E S	♠ A ♥ AK1062 ♦ J10753 ♣ 65
	♠ 1076 ♥ 83 ♦ K4 ♣ AK10932	

Mark's prophecy: 'More than half the field will make 4♠. A few heroes will find the good save in 5♥.'

The actual statistics: From 12 pairs eight made 4♠, one failed, one stayed short of game and two had to defend 5♥. So I think we can award Mark five stars.

Board 8. Dealer West. None Vul.

	♠ AJ4 ♥ 54 ♦ Q10542 ♣ Q43	
♠ K10652 ♥ 9872 ♦ J9 ♣ J8	N W E S	♠ 3 ♥ AQJ106 ♦ A763 ♣ 976
	♠ Q987 ♥ K3 ♦ K8 ♣ AK1052	

Mark's prophecy: 'I predict 25% of the field will make 3NT.'

The actual results did not bear this out as there were nine different contracts attempted, of which only one was 3NT and that failed. I am afraid this does not merit any stars but perhaps the fault dear Brutus....

Board 20. Dealer West. All Vul.

	♠ AKJ1082 ♥ 2 ♦ A743 ♣ K9	
♠ Q964 ♥ 7653 ♦ 9 ♣ AQ74	N W E S	♠ 75 ♥ AKJ1098 ♦ 102 ♣ 652
	♠ 3 ♥ Q4 ♦ KQJ865 ♣ J1083	

Mark prophesied that nearly 50% would defend against 4♠ by bidding 5♥. Three pairs were allowed to defend with 4♥ for 50% of the matchpoints as three pairs stayed in 3♠. One N/S pair overreached themselves by climbing to the dizzy heights of 6♦, never a good result to bid a slam missing two aces. Another surprising result was 3NT+1 from the South hand – was it East who never showed the heart suit or did West fail to believe partner's bid?

I think we can award a couple of stars as E/W did defend 25% of the time.

Board 24. Dealer West. None Vul.

	♠ A10532 ♥ 54 ♦ – ♣ AK10952	
♠ Q76 ♥ K9732 ♦ 8652 ♣ 7	N W E S	♠ K84 ♥ Q86 ♦ J10973 ♣ J8
	♠ J9 ♥ AJ10 ♦ AKQ4 ♣ Q643	

Here Mark suggested that there would be many in 6♣ but a small percentage would try for the matchpoint bonus of 6NT. Half the field managed to get to the club slam with one pair going a level too high by trying for the grand slam, which unsurprisingly failed. 25% played in no-trumps but no one got to slam and the other two pairs

played in different black suit games. This time I shall be generous with three stars as over 50% reached a slam.

So in summary about half the time the outcome was as predicted, which I think is fairly good as no matter what you suggest there will always be a small but substantial minority that will veer off from the chosen path.

Let us see how Mark performs tomorrow with a larger field and a more serious event – The Open Pairs.

The final results table for the Warm Up Pairs - East/West

Position	Percentage	Name
1	64.05	Kauko Koistinen - Julius Sigurjonsson
2	63.22	Leo Huvers - David Kok
3	59.09	Berend van den Bos - Tim Van den Bos
4	53.51	Bruno Macedo - Pedro Macedo
5	53.31	Francisco P Coutinho - Andrei Kavalenka
6	51.86	Michael Pauly - Nikolas Bausback
7	50	Paulus Van den Bos - Johann Bouman
8	49.59	Paul Grünke - Marie Eggeling
9	46.59	Haakan Tjarnemo - Bengt Emanuelsson
10	45.25	Rosemarie Roderburg - Sybil Müller-Maubach
11	43.18	Gerard Limmen - Hans Metselaar
12	37.81	Niels Steenstrup Zeeberg - Christian Lahrmann
13	32.85	António Peixoto - Margarida Machado

The final results table for the Warm Up Pairs - North/South

Position	IMPs	Name
1	59.28	Leszek Kawski - Adam Blachnio
2	58.52	Harry Burmania - John Linse
3	54.55	João Machado - José Macedo
4	53.79	Frederik Wrang - David Wrang
5	53.03	Sebastian Reim - Guido Hopfenheit
6	52.46	Mark Thiele - Renee Verdegaal
7	52.08	René Stienen - Elly Schippers
8	47.16	Koen Poppe - Cisca Vorselman
9	43.94	Han Begas - Lucia Grosmann
10	43.18	Eva Poppe - Robbie de Koster
11	41.29	Heimo Adelsberger - Renate Adelsberger
12	40.72	Gareth Bartley - Jutta Bartley

NEW FOR 2020:
VIRTUAL MADEIRA INTERNATIONAL BRIDGE OPEN

Online sessions are available to all on BBO – unless you're in Madeira, of course, in which case we're expecting to see you at the table.

ONLINE OPEN PAIRS (BBO $8 per session)

Tuesday 3rd, Wednesday 4th, Thursday 5th November at 17:00

Three sessions of Matchpoint Pairs on BBO. Players may enter any or all of the three sessions. The online tournament qualifier will take place over two sessions. The third session will be a final for the top of the field, for those who have played in both of the qualifying sessions, plus an open final.

ONLINE OPEN SWISS TEAMS (BBO $5 per session)

Friday 6th, Saturday 7th, Sunday 8th November

For each day the start time will be approximately one hour after the live session commences.

You may register as a pair and be assigned team mates by the system, or register as a foursome if you are familiar with how to do this on BBO. Instructions will be available later in the week for how to join as a team, rather than as a pair.

To register for all events on BBO, go to COMPETITIVE – ALL TOURNAMENTS and search for host iBEX_12 (Madeira Festival), then click to invite your partner, who must also be online on BBO.

Registration will be open two hours prior to the start of play each day.

Starting Postions for Group A

Round 1	Pair	Name	M-ID
A 1 N-S	1	Diego Brenner - Miguel Teixeira	8920 1993
A 1 E-W	53	Laura Woodruff - Pedro Nunes	3890 2118
A 2 N-S	2	Han Begas - Lucia Grosmann	9565 8680
A 2 E-W	62	Renate Adelsberger - Heimo Adelsberger	9597 9598
A 3 N-S	3	João Fanha - Maria J Calamaro	982 9614
A 3 E-W	63	Rita Arraiano - José Nuno Moraes	3889 3114
A 4 N-S	4	Jutta Bartley - Gareth Bartley	8794 8795
A 4 E-W	64	Peter Jokisch - Udo Kasimir	9736 9735
A 5 N-S	5	Carlos Luiz - Nuno Paz	700 816
A 5 E-W	65	Robbie de Koster - Eva Poppe	8417 9619
A 6 N-S	6	Mark Thiele - Renée Verdegaal	8890 8559
A 6 E-W	66	Harry Burmania - John Linse	8185 8134
A 7 N-S	7	Gerwin Middelkoop - Pim Vermeulen	8899 9237
A 7 E-W	67	António Peixoto - Margarida Machado	2910 3236
A 8 N-S	8	Hans Metselaar - Gerard Limmen	8738 8671
A 8 E-W	68	Sveinn R Eiriksson - Magnus Eidur Magnusson	8710 7990
A 9 N-S	9	Guido Hopfenheit - Sebastian Reim	9733 8869
A 9 E-W	69	Shahzaad Natt - India Leeming	9726 9727
A 10 N-S	10	João Campos Ferreira - Miguel Lima	1754 901
A 10 E-W	70	João Machado - José Macedo	2060 1998
A 11 N-S	11	Pedro Morgado - Eduardo Fernandes	2062 2829
A 11 E-W	71	Bruno Macedo - Luís M Silva	2709 2704
A 12 N-S	12	Bruna Vicente - Miguel Moreno	3101 3810
A 12 E-W	72	Jorge Cruzeiro - João Paes de Carvalho	703 1969
A 13 N-S	73	Bengt Emanuelsson - Haakan Tjärnemo	9252 8342
A 13 E-W	61	Leo Huvers - David Kok	8561 9723

Starting Postions for Group B

Round 1	Pair	Name	M-ID
B 1 N-S	21	Bruno Neves - Robert Snapper	2685 775
B 1 E-W	41	João Amaral - Álvaro C Machado	3102 3614
B 2 N-S	22	Paul van den Bos - Johann Bouman	9729 9731
B 2 E-W	42	Sally Brock - Barry Myers	9740 9741
B 3 N-S	23	António Campos Palma - Carolina Pimenta	2156 3198
B 3 E-W	43	Frederik Wrang - David Wrang	9636 8183
B 4 N-S	24	Nick Sandqvist - Nathalie Shashou	9724 9725
B 4 E-W	44	Frederic Boldt - Paul Grünke	9032 9033
B 5 N-S	25	Marie Eggeling - Ceri Pierce	9589 9631
B 5 E-W	45	Arjen Salari - Marie-José de Bruine	8450 9306
B 6 N-S	26	Rosemarie Roderburg - Sybil Müller-Maubach	8741 8740
B 6 E-W	46	Tim van den Bos - Berend van den Bos	9730 8964
B 7 N-S	27	Julius Sigurjonsson - Kauko Koistinen	8414 8777
B 7 E-W	47	Andrei Kavalenka - Francisco P Coutinho	8871 3172
B 8 N-S	28	René Stienen - Elly Schippers	9092 9093
B 8 E-W	48	Nikolas Bausback - Michael Pauly	8950 8161
B 9 N-S	29	Inês Cunha - Miguel Ramos	1402 2306
B 9 E-W	49	Miguel Sousa Guedes - Ricardo Teixeira	1269 3051
B 10 N-S	30	Koen Poppe - Cisca Vorselman	9716 9717
B 10 E-W	50	Paulo Courteilles Sarmento - João Vide Barbosa	1640 2327
B 11 N-S	31	Fredrik Nystrom - Sanna Clementsson	9743 9744
B 11 E-W	51	Adam Blachnio - Leszek Kawski	9746 9747
B 12 N-S	32	Niels Steenstrup Zeeberg - Christian Lahrmann	8571 9692
B 12 E-W	52	Frederico Teixeira - Ricardo Fernandes	2394 696

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