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Schedule Today

OCBL OPEN LEAGUE

Swiss R3. 21.30 CET / 15.30 EST

SWISS A

Moss	VS	Palma
Lebowitz	VS	Black
De Michelis	VS	Ireland
Fredin	VS	Denmark
Alexander	VS	Goded
De Botton	VS	Lupoveloce

SWISS B

VUGRAPH	Salvo	VS	Orca
	Aus 1	VS	BridgeScanner
	Mikadinho	VS	Amateurs
	Goodman	VS	France Sud
	Norwegian Amazones	VS	Bridge42
	Amalgamated	VS	Skalman
	EFC Holding	VS	Turkish Delight
	Seligman	VS	McIceberg
	Koeppel	VS	Skeidar
	Bishel	VS	Ferguson
	Sugi	VS	Leslie
	English Juniors	VS	Harris

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WBT Challengers Cup

8 - 12 February 2021

The WBT Challengers Cup is underway!
22 teams are playing in the World Bridge Tour event.
After 4 Rounds, this is the ranking:

1	Kinds	82.9
2	Marupe	82.53
3	Zaza's Boys	77.1
4	Dreamland	75.87
5	Cole	74.83
6	Arma	74.78
7	Silla	70.02
8	Norwegian Trolls	66.49
9	Flekkefjord	65.36
10	Dutch Juniors	64.55
11	ECF Holding	62.98
12	Harris	62.03
13	Munlein	60.29
14	Norway Juniors	56.02
15	Dubrovnik Smart	50.21
16	Challings	49.16
17	Henderson	47.18
18	Rolling Bones	46.47
19	ARG U21	45.73
20	Denmark U26	40.18
21	Jacaranda	33.67
22	Team X	31.65

See details on page 5

Read Boye Brogeland's article on page 3!

OCBL OPEN LEAGUE: THE FINAL SPRINT TO QUALIFY

Stay tuned!!!
The third and last round of the second stage of the OCBL Open League qualification will be played today!
The top 7 teams of the Swiss A ranking and the top team of the Swiss B ranking will advance to the quarterfinals.

Today's match will be broadcast on Twitch.
You can enjoy the show at:
https://www.twitch.tv/worldbridgetour/

INTERVIEW WITH JAMES HOLZHAUER

The TV kindest superstar in the world answered some questions for OCBL Journal!
Read the interview with JeopardyJames **on page 4**.

FEBRUARY OPEN TEAMS: LAST SPOTS AVAILABLE!

There are still few spots available
for the February Open Teams.
The event will be run on 15 - 19 February.
25 teams have already registered.
You can book your seat at:
https://ocbl.org/preregistration/

Format:

Qualification: 7 rounds x 16 boards
played on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday

Final (Swiss): 8 teams, 3 rounds x 16 boards
played on Thursday and Friday

Check the detailed time schedule on page 7

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OCBL UPCOMING EVENTS

SUPER CUP

2 March - 9 March, 2021

		CET	EST
Qualification:	Tuesday 2 March	16.30 - 19.00 - 21.30	10.30 - 13.00 - 15.30
	Wednesday 3 March	16.30 - 19.00 - 21.30	10.30 - 13.00 - 15.30
	Thursday 4 March	16.30 - 19.00 - 21.30	10.30 - 13.00 - 15.30
	Friday 5 March	16.30 - 19.00 - 21.30	10.30 - 13.00 - 15.30
KO:	Monday 8 March	16.30 - 19.00 - 21.30	10.30 - 13.00 - 15.30
	Tuesday 9 March	16.30 - 19.00 - 21.30	10.30 - 13.00 - 15.30

OPEN LEAGUE

29 March - 25 April, 2021

Play every Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Sunday at 21.30 CEST - 15.30 EDT

APRIL CUP

5 - 9 April, 2021

		CEST	EDT
Qualification:	Monday 5 April	16.30 - 19.00	10.30 - 13.00
	Tuesday 6 April	16.30 - 19.00 - 21.30	10.30 - 13.00 - 15.30
	Wednesday 7 April	16.30 - 19.00	10.30 - 13.00
	Thursday 8 April	16.30 - 19.00	10.30 - 13.00
KO:	Friday 9 April	16.30 - 19.00 - 21.30	10.30 - 13.00 - 15.30

MAY CUP

3 - 7 May, 2021

		CEST	EDT
Qualification:	Monday 3 May	16.30 - 19.00	10.30 - 13.00
	Tuesday 4 May	16.30 - 19.00 - 21.30	10.30 - 13.00 - 15.30
	Wednesday 5 May	16.30 - 19.00	10.30 - 13.00
	Thursday 6 May	16.30 - 19.00	10.30 - 13.00
KO:	Friday 7 May	16.30 - 19.00 - 21.30	10.30 - 13.00 - 15.30

OPEN LEAGUE

10 May - 6 June, 2021

Play every Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Sunday at 21.30 CEST - 15.30 EDT

JUNE CUP

31 May - 4 June, 2021

		CEST	EDT
Qualification:	Monday 31 May	16.30 - 19.00	10.30 - 13.00
	Tuesday 1 June	16.30 - 19.00 - 21.30	10.30 - 13.00 - 15.30
	Wednesday 2 June	16.30 - 19.00	10.30 - 13.00
	Thursday 3 June	16.30 - 19.00	10.30 - 13.00
KO:	Friday 4 June	16.30 - 19.00 - 21.30	10.30 - 13.00 - 15.30

Swing of the day

by Boye Brogeland

In the fifth round of the ongoing Challengers Cup tournament, Flekkefjord from Norway met Marupe from Latvia. The Latvians defeated the Norwegians 54–30 in IMPs (15,74 – 4,26 in VPs) and moved into a top 4 position which would give them a place in the semifinals.

On one hand no less than 24 IMPs were at stake on the opening lead. Would you have found it? You are North and the bidding goes with only you vulnerable:

♠ Q 9 4 2
♡ Q 4
♢ Q J 8 3
♣ J 7 6

West	North	East	South
Khyuppenen	*You*	*Antonovs*	*Partner*
	Pass	Pass	Pass
2♣*	Pass	2♢*	Pass
2NT*	Pass	3♣*	Pass
3NT*	Pass	Pass	Dbl
Rdbl	All Pass		

2♣	5+♣, 11-15 (Precision style)
2♢	Relay
2NT	6+♣, max
3♣	Asking for singleton
3NT	No singleton

Which suit does partner want for his double?

Sure, it comes down to agreements (and logic). Some like to have doubles of 3NT to ask for a spade lead (or a heart lead). Some prefer to ask for dummy's first suit.

Others would hope that partner each time could work out from the bidding what the double is based on.

Here one could argue that partner could have doubled 2♢ if he wanted a diamond lead. He also had the chance to open (light) third in hand with a good major (or diamond) suit.

Have you made up your mind?

North followed "lead dummy's suit" with the queen of diamonds.

That was not a lucky choice:

Board 5. Dealer North. N-S Vul.

	♠ Q 9 4 2 ♡ Q 4 ♢ Q J 8 3 ♣ J 7 6	
♠ A ♡ 7 5 2 ♢ A 6 4 ♣ A Q 10 8 5 2		♠ K J 8 3 ♡ 10 9 6 ♢ K 9 7 5 2 ♣ K
	♠ 10 7 6 5 ♡ A K J 8 3 ♢ 10 ♣ 9 4 3	

Yury Khyuppenen won with the ace of diamonds and noted the 10 of diamonds appearing from South. He continued with the 6 of diamonds to the 8 and 9, cashed the king of clubs, played a spade to the ace and clubs from the top. When the jack of clubs dropped, he had six club tricks, five diamond tricks (via another finesse) and two spade tricks.

3NTxx with 13 tricks secured 1600 for the Marupe team.

At the other table Juris Balasovs and Uldis Bethers bought the contract in 2♡ after a thin third hand opening, 2♣ overcall, negative double, pass, 2♡ and all pass. Balasovs got out for one down to make it a 17 IMP gain for Marupe.

If you found the heart lead, you set the contract for plus 200.

Added to plus 100 from the other table you win 7 IMPs on the board to tie the match and put yourself in a fine position to fight for a place in the semifinals.

The last two qualifying rounds in the Challengers Cup are played on BBO today, and the semifinals and final will be played tomorrow with Twitch coverage.

Send us your up-to-date pic, please!

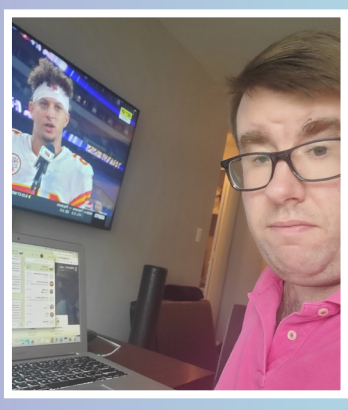
It has been a long time since many of us last met and we are doing our best to make your online Bridge experience as valuable as we can.

Obviously when producing Bridge articles it is necessary
to use photos from the archives, as the last international face-to-face Bridge event was held several months ago (the 2020 Winter Games in Monaco).

Since online play is at the moment our new 'present', we would like to represent it as it is!

So if you can please send us a picture (can be a selfie)
of yourself playing online Bridge.
Let your Bridge friends see you in the present!

You can send the pic to:
info@ocbl.org



Interview with James Holzhauer

The super star answers some questions for OCBL Bulletins

As a sport expert, do you think Bridge is a sport?
In the US, we say that if you can drink a beer while playing, it's not a sport. But by that definition, bridge is at least as much a sport as golf.

How do you think Bridge could increase its popularity among young people?
If enough young people try bridge, plenty of them will find that they like it. I think the decision to stream games on Twitch is a step in the right direction.

Do you think that betting on Bridge (e.g. on the results of Bridge events, even on a single hand) could make it more interesting for media / young people?
I'm not sure the media would take a big interest in gambling on bridge - they don't seem to cover the Cavendish, for example - but I believe knockout matches lend themselves well to point spread bets common in basketball or American football: will the favored team win by 15 or more IMPs?

Do you think that gambling at Bridge (e.g. playing high stakes) could make it more interesting for young people?
I often played for money in my twenties, though I'm not sure it qualified as high stakes; we risked anywhere from 1 to 25 cents per point. It certainly has an appeal for a certain type of person.

Can you describe your typical day?
Can anything from the past year count as "typical"? I'm playing a lot of online bridge and helping my child with her virtual school.

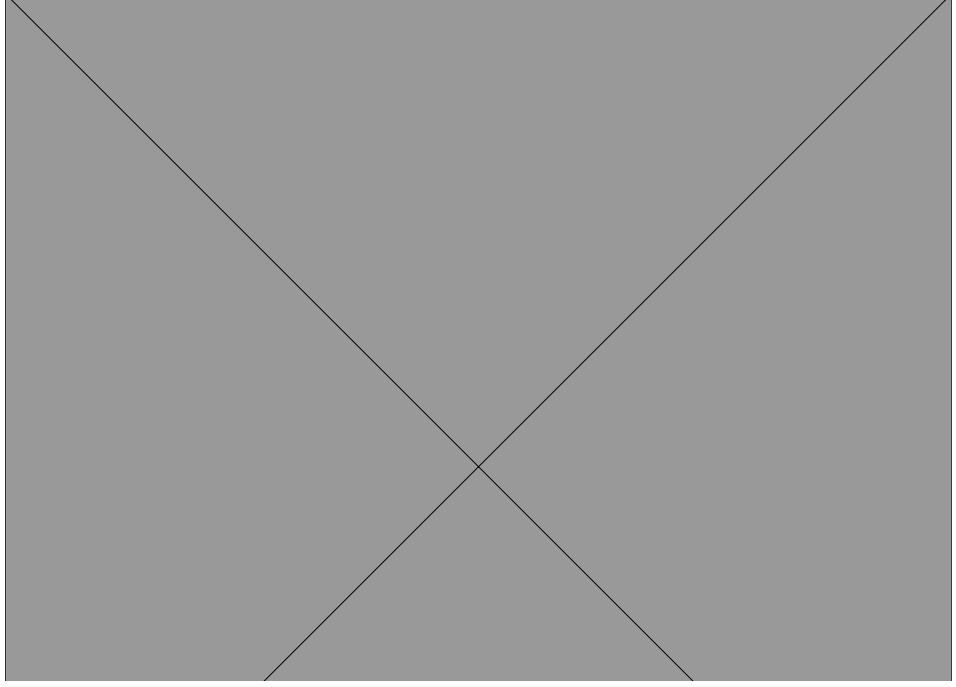
How do you see yourself in 20 years?
Absolutely no idea. Is this a job interview?

Do you have any special project for your future?
I've long dreamed about working for a professional sports team to help with player evaluation.

You have an impressive IQ.
How would you define 'intelligence'?
I think real intelligence lies in applying your knowledge to lead a fulfilling life.

In which areas do you find to be different from other people? Is there something you regret about your intelligence?
I have a drive to do the best I possibly can at everything I undertake, which is a blessing and a curse. I have achieved much, but I also won't accept mistakes and move on from them.

If you could choose to improve in any area, which one would you choose?
In bridge, I could use help focusing and staying on track. In life, convincing my kid to go to sleep at bedtime.



From the
ACBL Educational Foundation website
www.acbleducationalfoundation.org/page/james-holzhauer-40.html

Fans of Jeopardy will not be surprised to learn that James Holzhauer likes matchpoint-scored duplicate a little more than he does the IMP-scored team games.

"I get the argument that it's not 'real' bridge," he said, but the winner-takes-all format was bound to appeal to a player whose high-risk, high-reward style made him the quiz show's second-highest money winner. "The part scores become more interesting."

Bridge does not offer the $2.5-million reward that Holzhauer's 32-game "Jeopardy" winning streak did, but money may not be the big issue. Among his many ambitions is the desire to become a world-class bridge player.

And it would not be wise to bet against his doing that.

Less than a year ago, he was still looking for the last few gold and silver points he needed to become a Lifemaster. Now, despite the coronavirus and its effects on competitive play, he is a Silver Lifemaster, comfortably above the 2,000-point mark.

In a Zoom interview earlier this year, he talked about growing up with card games in Naperville, a Chicago suburb. He played hearts and spades and had established himself in school as a math whiz. In 2000, when he was 15, he got interested in bridge. Lacking immediate family members to teach him, he found an online avenue, Yahoo Bridge.

A year later – having worked his way through Charles Goren's "Contract Bridge Complete" – he tried to organize a bridge club at his high school. But after a few weeks of inadequate play and argumentative partners, his effort was halted when a classmate suggested they have a poker night instead.

"I got into gambling and took some time off from bridge," he recalled.

When he moved to Las Vegas a few years later, he picked it up again, playing rubber bridge at anywhere from a penny to 25 or 30 cents a point. "We never had any good partnership agreements," he said, but that didn't discourage him or his partners.

And he got a taste of the big time playing in the 2007 National in Vegas. It wasn't a great success because he was playing with rubber-bridge partners, with no developed bidding or defensive systems. "We didn't even know what bidding boxes were," he joked.

A costly revoke and some bidding and defensive misunderstandings made for poor results, but did not diminish his enthusiasm. "It was a good learning experience."

By then, a day job as an active and successful gambler along with competing on the first version of the TV quiz show The Chase and preparing to be a Jeopardy contestant meant having to put bridge aside again. Now, although The Chase is coming back in January with Holzhauer as one of the beastly Chasers meant to subdue contestants, he is a regular online player, usually paired with a highly ranked professional such as Jeff Meckstroth.

"They are better than me," he said, "and they are willing to impart wisdom."

He is constantly figuring the odds, and he says defensive play is a current priority. He plays aggressively to establish defensive tricks quickly.

The master of the quick buzz-in when he was demolishing Jeopardy opponents, he no longer rushes to make a bid or play a card. A math major at the University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign, he understands the importance of odds; "It's good to have math at the back of your mind" when you are deciding on a line of play.

Even when he loses the finesses that the odds dictated he take, he has learned to keep his temper and keep apprising what the bids have meant and how the play of the cards might give him the extra edge. He is confident that he will know "when do I take a 10 percent risk or a 50 percent risk."

The Labours of Hercules
Mares of Diomedes

by Mark Horton

There is more than one version of the eighth Labour of Hercules, but they all agree that the four horses that he was sent to capture were fond of human flesh, which calmed them down. I'm not sure how to relate that to a bridge deal, but the number four might have something to do with it.

Dealer North. All Vul.

	♠ A 6 5 ♡ Q J 5 ♢ A K Q 10 8 ♣ 8 3	
♠ K 9 8 4 2 ♡ 9 2 ♢ 7 2 ♣ A K J 10		

West	North	East	South
—	—	1♢	1♡
1♠	Pass	2♡*	Dble
3♣	Pass	3♠	Pass
4♠	All Pass		

North leads the ♡3 and South cashes the king and ace and switches to the ♣7. You win with the ace, North following with the five and play a spade to the ace on which South follows with the queen. If you are of a suspicious nature, you might consider the possibility that the spades are 4-1. You might try something like coming back to hand with a club and then playing a diamond to the ace, when your opponents might be kind enough to give you an indication of how the minor suits are breaking.

If you conclude that North is 3-3 in the minors you can cash the ♡Q and two diamonds, ruff a diamond and ruff a club to reach this position:

		♠ 5 ♡ — ♢ 10 8 ♣ —
♠ K 9 8 ♡ — ♢ — ♣ —		

Now you can lead anything from dummy and play the ♠8, endplaying North.

This is the layout you are hoping for:

	♠ J 10 7 3 ♡ 10 7 3 ♢ 9 4 3 ♣ Q 6 5	
♠ K 9 8 4 2 ♡ 9 2 ♢ 7 2 ♣ A K J 10		♠ A 6 5 ♡ Q J 5 ♢ A K Q 10 8 ♣ 8 3
	♠ Q ♡ A K 8 6 5 ♢ J 6 5 ♣ 9 7 4 2	

Heracles and the Mares of Diomedes
origin unsure - pic taken from the web

From Wikipedia:

The *Mares of Diomedes*, also called the *Mares of Thrace*, were a herd of man-eating horses in Greek mythology. Magnificent, wild, and uncontrollable, they belonged to Diomedes (not to be confused with Diomedes, son of Tydeus), king of Thrace, son of Ares and Cyrene who lived on the shores of the Black Sea. Bucephalus, Alexander the Great's horse, was said to be descended from these mares.

As the eighth of his Twelve Labours, also categorised as the second of the Non-Peloponnesian labours, Heracles was sent by King Eurystheus to steal the Mares from Diomedes. The mares' madness was attributed to their unnatural diet which consisted of the flesh of unsuspecting guests or strangers to the island. Some versions of the myth say that the mares also expelled fire when they breathed.

The Mares, which were the terror of Thrace, were kept tethered by iron chains to a bronze manger in the now vanished city of Tirida and were named Podargos (the swift), Lampon (the shining), Xanthos (the yellow) and Deinos (or Deinus, the terrible). Although very similar, there are slight variances in the exact details regarding the mares' capture.

In one version, Heracles brought a number of volunteers to help him capture the giant horses. After overpowering Diomedes' men, Heracles broke the chains that tethered the horses and drove the mares down to sea. Unaware that the mares were man-eating and uncontrollable, Heracles left them in the charge of his favored companion, Abderus, while he left to fight Diomedes. Upon his return, Heracles found that the boy was eaten. As revenge, Heracles fed Diomedes to his own horses and then founded Abdera next to the boy's tomb.

In another version, Heracles, who was visiting the island, stayed awake so that he didn't have his throat cut by Diomedes in the night, and cut the chains binding the horses once everyone was asleep.

Having scared the horses onto the high ground of a knoll, Heracles quickly dug a trench through the peninsula, filling it with water and thus flooding the low lying plain. When Diomedes and his men turned to flee, Heracles killed them with an axe (or a club), and fed Diomedes' body to the horses to calm them.

In yet another version, Heracles first captured Diomedes and fed him to the mares before releasing them. Only after realizing that their King was dead did his men, the Bistonians, attack Heracles. Upon seeing the mares charging at them, led in a chariot by Abderus, the Bistonians turned and fled.

All versions have eating human flesh make the horses calmer, giving Heracles the opportunity to bind their mouths shut, and easily take them back to King Eurystheus, who dedicated the horses to Hera. In some versions, they were allowed to roam freely around Argos, having become permanently calm, but in others, Eurystheus ordered the horses taken to Olympus to be sacrificed to Zeus, but Zeus refused them, and sent wolves, lions, and bears to kill them. Roger Lancelyn Green states in his Tales of the Greek Heroes that the mares' descendants were used in the Trojan War, and survived even to the time of Alexander the Great. After the incident, Eurystheus sent Heracles to bring back Hippolyta's Girdle.

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ROUND 5

Cole	18.55 VPs / 59 IMPs	1.45 VPs / 15 IMPs	Norwegian Trolls
Kinds	18.44 VPs / 57 IMPs	1.56 VPs / 14 IMPs	Silla
Zaza's Boys	11.2 VPs / 31 IMPs	8.8 VPs / 27 IMPs	ECF Holding
Marupe	15.74 VPs / 54 IMPs	4.26 VPs / 30 IMPs	Flekkefjord
ARG U21	3.91 VPs / 28 IMPs	16.09 VPs / 54 IMPs	Arma
Dreamland	16.26 VPs / 43 IMPs	3.74 VPs / 16 IMPs	Dubrovnik Smart
Norway Juniors	13.28 VPs / 38 IMPs	6.72 VPs / 26 IMPs	Munlein
Denmark U26	2.28 VPs / 27 IMPs	17.72 VPs / 64 IMPs	Dutch Juniors
Harris	16.58 VPs / 60 IMPs	3.42 VPs / 31 IMPs	Challings
Henderson	19.52 VPs / 67 IMPs	0.48 VPs / 13 IMPs	Jacaranda
Rolling Bones	13.04 VPs / 36 IMPs	6.96 VPs / 25 IMPs	Team X

ROUND 6

Silla	9.69 VPs / 23 IMPs	10.31 VPs / 24 IMPs	Flekkefjord
Norwegian Trolls	10.31 VPs / 25 IMPs	9.69 VPs / 24 IMPs	Arma
Cole	2.69 VPs / 8 IMPs	17.31 VPs / 42 IMPs	Marupe
Kinds	17.17 VPs / 50 IMPs	2.83 VPs / 17 IMPs	Dubrovnik Smart
Zaza's Boys	19.85 VPs / 78 IMPs	0.15 VPs / 20 IMPs	ARG U21
Norway Juniors	1.34 VPs / 13 IMPs	18.66 VPs / 58 IMPs	Dreamland
ECF Holding	13.75 VPs / 37 IMPs	6.25 VPs / 23 IMPs	Challings
Munlein	17.31 VPs / 52 IMPs	2.69 VPs / 18 IMPs	Denmark U26
Rolling Bones	1.67 VPs / 20 IMPs	18.33 VPs / 62 IMPs	Dutch Juniors
Harris	16.73 VPs / 53 IMPs	3.27 VPs / 23 IMPs	Henderson
Jacaranda	9.69 VPs / 29 IMPs	10.31 VPs / 30 IMPs	Team X

BUTLER RANKING

	Name	Team	Result	B.
1	Tim Van Den BOS, (TimvdB)	Dutch Juniors	2.98	16
	Adriaan LUCAASSEN, (Adriaantje)	Dutch Juniors	2.98	16
3	Andre ØBERG, (andobe)	Flekkefjord	1.79	32
4	Gjermund REKSTAD, (gjerk)	Kinds	1.73	64
	Ole Marius MYRVOLD, (zorro15)	Kinds	1.73	64
6	Espen KVAM, (hubi_)	ECF Holding	1.33	16
	Hallgeir HARTVIGSEN, (kofshall)	ECF Holding	1.33	16
8	Yusuf SOHTORIK, (yusufb)	Henderson	1.32	16
9	Sam Inge HØYLAAND, (sioslo)	ECF Holding	1.08	48
10	Liv Marit GRUDE, (kompis)	Silla	1.06	48
11	Yan WANG, (wy7199)	Dreamland	1.06	48
12	Lars Arthur JOHANSEN, (larsarthur)	Cole	1.03	72
	Tor Eivind GRUDE, (teg91)	Cole	1.03	72
14	Baltazar ETCHEPAREBORDA, (Baltaetche)	ARG U21	0.93	64
15	Ernesto MUZZIO, (oyzzum)	Cole	0.91	16
16	Jurijs BALASOVS, (Perkons)	Marupe	0.9	80
	Uldis BETHERS, (uldis)	Marupe	0.9	80
18	Hakan PEYRET, (peyret)	Arma	0.89	80
	Erdinc ERBIL, (erlusty)	Arma	0.89	80
20	Jean-Marie BACKES, (baks)	Zaza's Boys	0.72	48
	Isabelle DEWASME, (Totilas001)	Zaza's Boys	0.72	48
22	Ole BERSET, (oleab)	Silla	0.71	48
23	Torkild HAGEN, (thagen)	Kinds	0.71	64
	Stig VESTVEIT, (stig73)	Kinds	0.71	64
25	Clovis DEHAYE, (aqwis17)	Zaza's Boys	0.68	64
	Bernard DEHAYE, (alienor2)	Zaza's Boys	0.68	64
27	Ole FUGLESTAD, (fuglen)	Silla	0.62	48
28	Jim DOYLE, (culbaire)	Munlein	0.53	64
29	Alex HONG, (fhong)	Dreamland	0.53	96
30	Tonje BROGELAND, (toxbo)	Flekkefjord	0.51	48
31	Adolfo MADALA, (Adolfod)	ARG U21	0.5	64
32	Erik SÆLENSMINDE, (skaal1)	Silla	0.48	64
33	Ida Marie ØBERG, (Ida marie)	Flekkefjord	0.45	64
34	Geir AUSTAD, (kbur)	Flekkefjord	0.43	48
35	Øyvind SAUR, (saurdino)	Silla	0.4	48
36	Richard CHAN, (honestgolf)	Dreamland	0.37	96
	Ming SHENG, (kainsheng)	Dreamland	0.37	96
38	Sedat ALUF, (monk99)	Arma	0.37	16
39	Alejandro BIANCHEDI, (alecuque)	Cole	0.37	72
40	Janis BETHERS, (Janis-b)	Marupe	0.36	48
	Janis BENDIKS, (doks)	Marupe	0.36	48
42	Omer EKINCI, (ekinci)	Henderson	0.35	88
43	Jo-Arne OVESEN, (jo-arne)	ECF Holding	0.35	80
44	Jevgenij ANTONOV, (Mafuzz)	Marupe	0.34	64
	Yury KHYUPPENEN, (Hupp)	Marupe	0.34	64
46	Agnethe KJENSLI, (mixmaster)	Norway Juniors	0.32	32
	Thea INDREBØ, (theali)	Norway Juniors	0.32	32
48	Stine HOLMØY, (stineh)	Norwegian Trolls	0.27	48
	Maja Rom ANJER, (majara)	Norwegian Trolls	0.27	48
50	Margie COLE, (mtc146)	Cole	0.21	56
51	Markus LUND, (M Lund)	Norway Juniors	0.18	64
52	Jim SEXTON, (slaney)	Munlein	0.17	48
53	Lisbeth GLÆRUM, (kvikksolv)	Norwegian Trolls	0.16	64
	David UELAND, (helten10)	Norwegian Trolls	0.16	64
55	Patrick BOCKEN, (Bocken)	Zaza's Boys	0.13	80
	Olivier NEVE, (OlivierN)	Zaza's Boys	0.13	80
57	Jonathan HARRIS, (Jdache)	Harris	0.13	48
	Eddie MALHASYAN, (master DJ)	Harris	0.13	48
59	Craig HENDERSON, (cwh)	Henderson	0.08	80
60	Mert BILGEN, (mbilgen)	Arma	0.07	64
61	Roar VOLL, (hedmark99)	Kinds	0.06	64
	Asbjørn KINDSBEKKEN, (kind)	Kinds	0.06	64
63	Vladi ISPORSKI, (smileyv)	Harris	0.06	64
	Rumen TRENDAFILOV, (rumen)	Harris	0.06	64
65	Boye BROGELAND, (boye)	Flekkefjord	0.04	64
66	Sibrand Van OOSTEN, (sibrand)	Dutch Juniors	0.01	80
	Stefan THORPE, (steffff)	Dutch Juniors	0.01	80
68	Jeff LUO, (mossby3)	Dreamland	0	48
69	Ken BOWLBY, (Ken_ca)	Challings	-0.01	48
	Brad BOYLE, (brabo)	Challings	-0.01	48
71	Clara Brun PEDERSEN, (clara27)	Denmark U26	-0.03	64
	Leah THRANE, (ledu12)	Denmark U26	-0.03	64
73	Finn BRANDSNES, (brandy68)	ECF Holding	-0.04	32
74	Steve ROOT, (AsNuttyAs)	Harris	-0.05	80
	Niall IGOE, (ibraves)	Harris	-0.05	80
76	Sean CONNOR, (sconnor)	Munlein	-0.05	64
77	Tom GILLIGAN, (shakervilz)	Munlein	-0.06	80
78	Tezcan SEN, (Tez)	Arma	-0.07	96
79	Morten OLSEN, (Halles2)	Silla	-0.09	48
80	Turid BONES, (Tbeinet)	Rolling Bones	-0.11	64
	Bjørn Henning GRANDAL, (ghgutt)	Rolling Bones	-0.11	64
82	Josko DILOVIC, (joke_du)	Dubrovnik Smart	-0.11	80
83	Erdogan KAYA, (erdogan54)	Arma	-0.11	48
84	Geir BREKKA, (kaninen)	Silla	-0.13	48
85	Arne Osnes DEVIK, (kejila)	Norway Juniors	-0.14	64
86	Marcus SCHEIE, (Scheie96)	Norway Juniors	-0.15	32
87	Youp CARIS, (Youpmaster)	Dutch Juniors	-0.16	96
	Niels Van BIJSTERVELDT, (NielsvBij)	Dutch Juniors	-0.16	96
89	Santiago SEMBEROIZ, (santisembe)	Jacaranda	-0.18	80
	Ramiro NUÑEZ, (ramita)	Jacaranda	-0.18	80
91	Roar B. SLETNER, (roar)	Challings	-0.18	80
	Thorvald AAGAARD, (thorvald)	Challings	-0.18	80
93	David TERRY, (lamata25)	Munlein	-0.18	64
94	Ranja SIVERTSVIK, (ranja)	Norwegian Trolls	-0.19	80
	Ida WENNEVOLD, (liten ida)	Norwegian Trolls	-0.19	80
96	Sinan TATLICIOGLU, (sinantos)	Henderson	-0.21	16
97	Kenan OZKURT, (kojiroo)	Henderson	-0.22	64
98	Ole MIKKELSEN, (jaolhvmi)	Challings	-0.22	48
99	Ivana CVJETANOVIC, (tt253)	Dubrovnik Smart	-0.27	16
100	Anne Birgitte FOSSUM, (skvisi)	Challings	-0.28	64
101	Divo TIKVICA, (Khazaddoom)	Dubrovnik Smart	-0.29	96
102	Andreas ROLF-LARSEN, (arolfdk)	Denmark U26	-0.33	96
	Daniel Ravn TYLVAD, (DaniTylvad)	Denmark U26	-0.33	96
104	Leif Erik Hoel STABELL, (Pepperen)	Rolling Bones	-0.35	64
	Torkel VIKEN, (tonys7)	Rolling Bones	-0.35	64
106	David O'BRIEN, (irl)	Munlein	-0.35	64
107	Ante MIJIC, (White Shad)	Dubrovnik Smart	-0.36	96
108	Joakim SÆTER, (joakimss)	Norway Juniors	-0.38	64
109	Serkan SOFU, (Serkansofu)	Henderson	-0.39	64
110	Jostein AUSTAD, (vinny123)	Flekkefjord	-0.42	64
111	Terje LIE, (terjel)	ECF Holding	-0.45	80
112	Siv THORESEN, (sivt)	ECF Holding	-0.47	48
113	Lars EIDE, (gullfader)	Challings	-0.47	16
114	Christian Fredrik JOHNSEN, (chris_f)	Norway Juniors	-0.47	32
	Magnus SÆTRE, (elektro200)	Norway Juniors	-0.47	32
116	Dana BIANCHEDI, (danu2702)	Jacaranda	-0.49	32
117	Espen FASTING, (mehe)	ECF Holding	-0.5	48
118	Velibor PUZOVIC, (bibo_tnt)	Dubrovnik Smart	-0.5	96
119	Ignacio MIQUELEZ, (Ignaciomiq)	ARG U21	-0.52	80
120	Halvor DAHL, (halvordahl)	Rolling Bones	-0.56	64
	Bjørn MYHR, (agatonsax)	Rolling Bones	-0.56	64
122	Fransisco GUERRA, (Guerrita)	ARG U21	-0.56	64
123	Kåre BOGØ, (osvaill83)	ECF Holding	-0.58	16
124	Ekrem SERDAR, (Exerdar)	Henderson	-0.65	32
125	Ovunc YILMAZ, (ovncylmz)	Cole	-0.7	48
	Doga SEKER, (possessed)	Cole	-0.7	48
127	Marius AUSTAD, (marius03)	Flekkefjord	-0.71	64
128	Thomas KVIST, (tmkvist78)	Team X	-0.77	80
	Andreas ABRAGI, (AAbragi)	Team X	-0.77	80
130	Mona LINDSTRØM, (Kathinka)	Silla	-0.88	32
131	Clara FEINTUCH, (clarafe)	Jacaranda	-0.99	80
132	Alan SCOTT, (Alan283)	Team X	-1.03	48
	Robert PLUMLEY, (Rob789)	Team X	-1.03	48
134	Tomas POPOWSKY, (Tpopowsky)	ARG U21	-1.09	64
135	Sofie SJØDAL, (sgs3)	Norway Juniors	-1.25	32
136	Camila NUÑEZ, (camiix)	Jacaranda	-1.32	48
137	Svein Erik DAHL, (SveinE)	Team X	-1.33	64
	Geir Olav FUGLEM, (selbyggen)	Team X	-1.33	64
139	Karl Gustav LASTHEIN, (Karl09)	Denmark U26	-1.51	32
	Viktor KOLDING, (kolding2k)	Denmark U26	-1.51	32
141	Haldun CIVGINER, (Civginer)	Henderson	-1.79	16
142	Tomas CAMPDEPADROS, (Tomasc)	ARG U21	-1.93	48
143	Maria ZAMORA, (firulais)	Jacaranda	-2.06	32
	Micaela Santos MUÑOZ, (micasanto)	Jacaranda	-2.06	32
145	Baris CENGIZ, (carlito)	Henderson	-3.25	8

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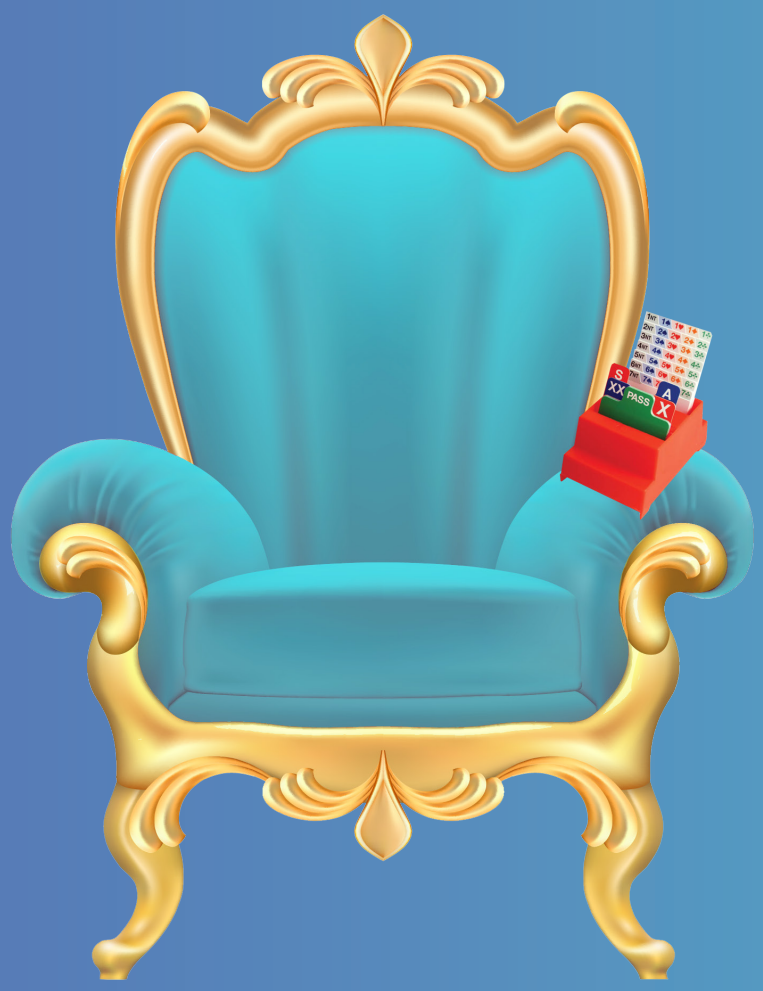

Qualification + Swiss A

15 - 19 February 2021

QUALIFICATION:

7 rounds x 16 boards

		CET	EST
Monday 15 February	Round 1	16.00	10.00
	Round 2	18.45	12.45
Tuesday 16 February	Round 3	16.00	10.00
	Round 4	18.45	12.45
Wednesday 17 February	Round 5	16.00	10.00
	Round 6	18.45	12.45
Thursday 18 February	Round 7	16.00	10.00

FINAL (8 Teams):

3 rounds x 16 boards

		CET	EST
Thursday 18 February	Swiss R1	18.45	12.45
Friday 19 February	Swiss R2	16.00	10.00
	Swiss R3	18.45	12.45

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