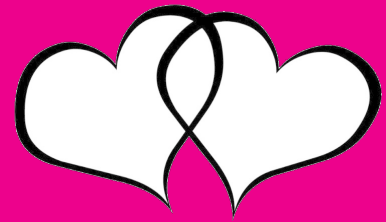


# MONTHLY MIXED TEAMS



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## Between two Worlds

Right now the bridge world is divided in two, cyberspace and the real world. Most of us have longed for live bridge, yet we cannot trust the events to take place and wait till last minute booking our flights. At the same time many of us have resumed our pre-Covid lives and go to work and restaurants and travel and see family.

This transition period has been unpredictable for us as online event-organisers. We try our best to adjust to the demand of our participants, but it is hard to predict how many go travelling in September or are busy with work or sit at home with rain drumming on the windows hoping to play some good bridge.

We have so far planned three more events this year; Halloween, November and our Christmas Mixed Teams. In 2022 the frequency of our events will likely drop to less than once/month. This is all up to you. Let us know what you desire. Good luck to all our eight teams this week.



**All players should enter BBO 5 minutes before the beginning of a match. TD Denis Dobrin will instruct you where to sit. All players must have their name in their BBO-profile. Private isn't allowed for the sake of opponents and kibitzers.**

### Today's Schedule

September 27

**10:00 EDT / 16:00 CET – RR 1 (16 boards)**

**12:15 EDT / 18:15 CET – RR 2 (16 boards)**

**Same schedule throughout the week**

## Today's Schedule

### Round 1

Tbl	Home Team	Visiting Team
<u>1</u>	 <u>COCKTAILS &amp; BRIDGE</u>	 <u>BAMSA</u>
<u>2</u>	 <u>NESHEALE</u>	 <u>TURNIPS</u>
<u>3</u>	 <u>PATIENTS</u>	 <u>MIXING IT UP</u>
<u>4</u>	 <u>PULA REUNION</u>	 <u>MEDIUM RARE</u>

### Round 2

Tbl	Home Team	Visiting Team
<u>1</u>	 <u>COCKTAILS &amp; BRIDGE</u>	 <u>TURNIPS</u>
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<u>4</u>	 <u>MEDIUM RARE</u>	 <u>PATIENTS</u>

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## Teams / Players / Nicknames

### BAMSA

Sally Brock (saralindaj)  
Fredrik Jarlvik (freddy6)  
Barry Myers (bazzam)  
Stephen Peterkin (spil)  
Samantha Punch (puncher)  
Tatyana Trendafilova (tuti)

### COCKTAILS & BRIDGE

Michael Barel (mich-b)  
Tommy Berdahl (lingonback)  
Jan van Cleef (imp\_jan)  
Hester Gast (hester02)  
Paz Katz (paz\_k)  
Emma Ovelius (emma sj)  
Jan Pedersen (gobochamp)  
Helle Rasmussen (helle\_r)  
Bas van Roosmalen (basvanr)  
Marina Witvliet (donkeym)

### MEDIUM RARE

Nina Benzaquen (ninabenz)  
Diego Brenner (dbrenner)  
Shelley Fehrenbach (bignana1)  
Jo-Arne Ovesen (jo-arne)  
Riva Salhon (limini)  
Siv Thoresen (sivt)  
Cenk Tuncok (ctuncok)  
Ingunn Uran (ingunn)

### MIXING IT UP

Tracey Bauer (marintlc)  
Debbie Benner (dlbfsa)  
Peter Boyd-Bowman (pjbb)  
Ish Delmonte (ishd)  
George Jacobs (georgej)  
Alix Taylor (alixtay)

### NETTEALE

David Gold (dagold)  
Marusa Gold (marusab)  
Diana Nettleton (etttleton)  
Thomas Paske (thomas1000)  
Catherine Seale (dedom)



### PATIENTS

Tom Hunt (hhunt)  
Christian Lahrmann (christianl)  
Christina Lund Madsen (christinas)  
Lia Petelko (lia1212)  
Koren Retter (koren12345)  
Gerald Sokol (enikou)  
Gergana Teneva (gerry1010)  
Katherine Todd (kmtnyc)  
Nikolay Yaninski (nik98)

### PULA REUNION

Bart Bussink (bart3)  
Sarah Combescure (ptitblonde)  
Adam Grossack (nevereast)  
Mathilde Thuillez (thildou)  
Pascale Thuillez (pascale78)

### TURNIPS

Huberschwiller Anne Laure (loudy)  
Lorenzini Cédric (pierced)  
Setton Hilda (ldase)  
Franceschetti Pierre (gewd)  
Jennifer Mourgues (nini40)

## Conditions of Contest • September Mixed Teams

1. The 2021 September Mixed Teams will be hosted in Bridge Base Online from 27th to 30th of September 2021.

2. All participants are bound by the regulations within this document.

All players are welcome to register, yet some can be refused at the discretion of the organizer.

Teams can consist of 4 – 10 players. If necessary, more players can be added during the event.

At the moment teams and/or players are registered, they automatically agree to play according to the conditions in this document.

Should a team be disqualified and/or withdraw by their own choice (before or during the event), there will be no refund of entry fees.

### 3. Schedule of play

Monday 27 September 2021

10:00 EDT / 16:00 CET – RR 1 (16 boards)

12:15 EDT / 18:15 CET – RR 2 (16 boards)

Tuesday 28 September 2021

10:00 EDT / 16:00 CET – RR 3 (16 boards)

12:15 EDT / 18:15 CET – RR 4 (16 boards)

Wednesday 29 September 2021

10:00 EDT / 16:00 CET – RR 5 (16 boards)

12:15 EDT / 18:15 CET – RR 6 (16 boards)

Thursday 30 September 2021

10:00 EDT / 16:00 CET – RR 7 (16 boards)

12:15 EDT / 18:15 CET – Danish (16 boards)

### 4. Format

There will be a single stage event which will be played in the form of a Round Robin (7 rounds) + 1 round of Danish (1st vs 2nd, 3rd vs 4th, 5th vs 6th, 7th vs 8th); 128 boards in total.

The results of each match (including the last Danish round) shall be converted into Victory Points in accordance with the appropriate WBF IMP/VP scales (see p. 10 below).

In order to determine the grouping for a tie between two teams will be broken by the result of the match(es) between those two teams. If there should still be a tie, then the IMP quotient of all matches will be taken into consideration to break the tie.

### 5. Line-Up and Seating Rights

All matches will be played without change of the line-up; unless there is a valid reason for a change, to be decided by the TD.

Captains submit their line up without knowing the line-up of their opponents (“blind line-up”).

Teams are expected to submit their line-up as soon as practical and no later than 30 minutes before the start of the round.

Teams who infringe this regulation will be subject to VP penalties according to this scale: 1st occasion – warning; 2nd and any subsequent occasion – 0.5 VP penalty.

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The line-up must be submitted through the line-up web utility. All captains will be provided with the respective link and the password.

### 6. Running the matches

All players involved must be online and logged in to Bridge Base Online 5 minutes before the start of the round at the latest.

Players must have their official name on their BBO profile. Private isn't allowed. Teams who infringe this regulation will be subject to VP penalties according to this scale:

1st occasion – warning;

2nd and any subsequent occasion – 0.5 VP penalty for each match for each player without official name on BBO profile.

The Tournament Director will create the tables and send invitations to the players in accordance with the submitted line-ups. Players are requested to accept the invitation immediately upon receipt.

All tables will play duplicated boards.

Barometer scoring will be OFF. The scores are only visible (for the players) after the last board has been played. Kibitzers can see the scores during the match.

The table settings will allow kibitzers but forbid communication between players and kibitzers.

Undo and claiming:

MMT encourages players to accept an opponent's request for undo in obvious misclick situations during the bidding as well as play.

In case such undo is refused a player gets one "challenge" whereby the TD can be summoned to the table. Play must be shut down till the TD arrives. The TD will assess the situation, and if he believes the undo is justified by an obvious misclick that no reasonable player should refuse, the undo has to be accepted by the opponents.

Players alert their own bids. Bids must be alerted before entering the bids. If you don't alert before making your bid, your opponent may think that your bid is natural, make his/her bid, then see the Alert and legitimately ask for an undo in case the information changes his/her perspectives.

If players explain bids via chat they should set the recipients to Opponents, not Table, so only opponents see the explanation and not partner. The best way is to explain the bids via the BBO alert mechanism.

Players may not consult their own system card or use any aids to their memory or calculation or technique between the commencement of the auction and the end of play.

The gravest possible offence is for a partnership to exchange information through non-public communication or (individual) players self-kibitzing.

If players experience highly suspicious plays, we encourage you to send a report to the organizers at [mmt@bridgeresults.org](mailto:mmt@bridgeresults.org). We will not reveal your name as source.

Players are expected to finish 16 boards within 2 hours. The TD may remove unplayed boards if in his opinion a delay in the match would interfere with the smooth running of the competition.



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### 8. Request of a TD ruling

The Mixed Team strongly encourages participants to play in the most respectful way. Any player can summon the Director to the table in case of irregularities.

The time for a request for a TD ruling expires 30 minutes after the end of the match. All requests will be decided by a qualified Director (if appropriate - in consultation with other directors and/or world class players); no further appeal will be possible after the TD's decision. To submit protests, you should send email to: [mmt@bridgeresults.org](mailto:mmt@bridgeresults.org)

IMP	VP	
0	10.00	10.00
1	10.31	9.69
2	10.61	9.39
3	10.91	9.09
4	11.20	8.80
5	11.48	8.52
6	11.76	8.24
7	12.03	7.97
8	12.29	7.71
9	12.55	7.45
10	12.80	7.20
11	13.04	6.96
12	13.28	6.72
13	13.52	6.48
14	13.75	6.25
15	13.97	6.03
16	14.18	5.82
17	14.39	5.61
18	14.60	5.40
19	14.80	5.20
20	15.00	5.00
21	15.19	4.81
22	15.38	4.62
23	15.56	4.44
24	15.74	4.26
25	15.92	4.08
26	16.09	3.91
27	16.26	3.74
28	16.42	3.58
29	16.58	3.42
30	16.73	3.27
31	16.88	3.12
32	17.03	2.97

9. These Regulations may be amended and augmented at the discretion of the organizing committee if circumstances so warrant so as to ensure the smooth, efficient and enjoyable execution of the events.

Although the MMT are not aligned with any bridge organization, we take ethical violations seriously and report to Eric Laurant from the WBF Investigation committee if our experts and statisticians find ground to suspect a pair/player is violating the rules of bridge through self-kibitzing or illegal communication with partner or teammates.

### 10. 16-board VP-Scale

IMP	VP	
29	16.58	3.42
30	16.73	3.27
31	16.88	3.12
32	17.03	2.97
33	17.17	2.83
34	17.31	2.69
35	17.45	2.55
36	17.59	2.41
37	17.72	2.28
38	17.85	2.15
39	17.97	2.03
40	18.09	1.91
41	18.21	1.79
42	18.33	1.67
43	18.44	1.56
44	18.55	1.45
45	18.66	1.34
46	18.77	1.23
47	18.87	1.13
48	18.97	1.03
49	19.07	0.93
50	19.16	0.84
51	19.25	0.75
52	19.34	0.66
53	19.43	0.57
54	19.52	0.48
55	19.61	0.39
56	19.69	0.31
57	19.77	0.23
58	19.85	0.15
59	19.93	0.07
60	20.00	0.00



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