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2009 CLUB DIRECTOR EXAM PAPER 1 – MOVEMENTS AND SCORING

INSTRUCTIONS

- ◆ Please write in black or blue pen.
- ◆ Answer all questions on the exam paper. If space is insufficient either add pages at the end or write on the back of the previous page.
- ◆ You may use any reference material you wish but the paper must be your own unaided work.
- ◆ Complete Paper 1 in your own time and hand the completed paper to the Exam Supervisor before you sit for Paper 2.
- ◆ For Paper 2 you should also bring:
 - your Law Book
 - QBA Regulations
 - one other piece of reference material - optional.(Prepared answers and answers to old exam papers not permitted.)

QUESTION ONE

Your club likes as many boards as possible to be played to a maximum of 33. What movement would you use for the following number of tables **and** how many boards will be played? (Give separate number of boards played for NS and EW should they be different.)

Name **one only** movement for each number of tables.

(a) 9½ tables

(b) 9 tables

(c) 12½ tables

(d) 6 tables

(e) 16 tables (one set of boards available)

QUESTION TWO

The first round of a session has started when another pair arrives. Club policy is to make them welcome. What changes would you make had you started with each of the following movements? The maximum number of boards to be played in the new movement is 36.

(a) 9 tables set up as a Mitchell; 4 boards per round

(b) 11½ tables set up as a 2½ Appendix Mitchell; 4 boards per round

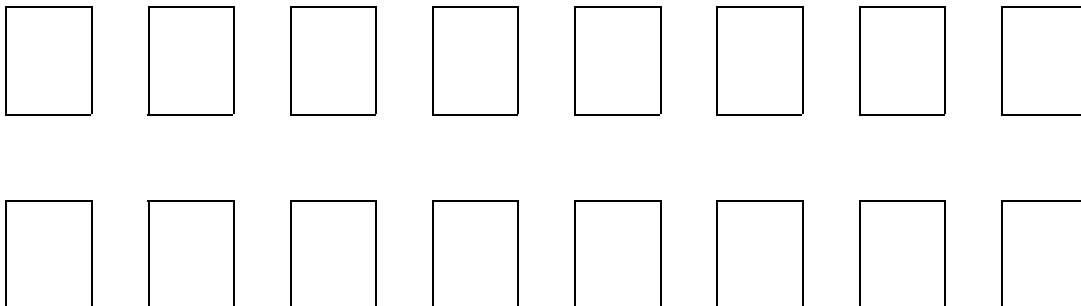
(c) $6\frac{1}{2}$ tables set up as a $\frac{3}{4}$ Howell to play 9 rounds; 4 boards per round

QUESTION THREE

(a) Suppose a director chose to use a Skip Mitchell with only 9 rounds for $10\frac{1}{2}$ tables. Comment on the balance of this session.

QUESTION FOUR

Put table numbers on the diagram below for a 16 table Twin Skip Mitchell movement playing 4 board rounds. Show starting positions for boards and indicate how boards and EW pairs will move.



QUESTION FIVE

(a) Six teams are to play 6 boards per round using the New England Relay Movement in the first session of your Club Teams Championship. Show the positions of teams and boards for the first match. Draw arrows to show how each will be moved at the end of the first match.

(b) The six teams repeat the above movement in the second session so that 12 board matches are completed. Teams A and B are tied on 106 VPs and club policy is to split ties as per the QBA Regulations for the title.

Team	Total Imp Difference	VPs
A	112	106
B	116	106

Team A beat Team B in their head to head match.
Who are the Club Teams Champions? Team A or Team B? _____

QUESTION SIX

(a) List the table order for a NS Rover added to a 12 Table Skip Mitchell.

(b) What movement allows 7 sets of boards to be played whether 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 or 13 tables are involved?

(c) For the movement selected in part (b), draw a diagram to show starting positions of players and boards for 10 tables. Number each table and use arrows to show the direction that NS, EW and the boards will move at the end of the first round.

QUESTION SEVEN

Provide a round robin draw for 9 teams.

Round			
1			
2			
3			
4			
5			
6			
7			
8			

QUESTION EIGHT

You are directing a single section, two session matchpointed pairs event to find a single winner.

With 9 tables for the first session you use a Mitchell movement playing 4 board rounds, but 1 pair does not turn up for the second session, so an 8½ table Mitchell movement is used with a NS sit-out, also with 4 board rounds. Some pairs are interchanged for the second session to improve the balance. How will the final scores be computed?

QUESTION NINE

You are directing a two section two session matchpointed pairs event to find a single winning pair from 27 contestants. (Across the Field Scoring is not being used.)

Session 1:

Section A: 8 table Skip Mitchell, 28 boards, 4 boards per round

Section B: 7½ table Skip Mitchell, 28 boards, 4 boards per round, EW sitout

What factoring is necessary before scores from the two sections may be compared fairly?

QUESTION ELEVEN

Enter the pair numbers and boards for the first round a 6 table Howell movement. 3 board rounds are to be played. Show how pairs will move after each round and draw arrows to indicate how boards will be moved.

TABLE ONE		
NS	EW	Boards
NS moves to		
EW moves to		

TABLE SIX		
NS	EW	Boards
NS moves to		
EW moves to		

TABLE TWO		
NS	EW	Boards
NS moves to		
EW moves to		

TABLE FIVE		
NS	EW	Boards
NS moves to		
EW moves to		

TABLE THREE		
NS	EW	Boards
NS moves to		
EW moves to		

TABLE FOUR		
NS	EW	Boards
NS moves to		
EW moves to		

QUESTION TWELVE

Double Matchpoint the following 3 boards by hand. Make any corrections you feel entitled to make as the director, given that you cannot contact players about apparently wrong scores.

BOARD 7 DEALER S - ALL VUL

At Table 4 the board was placed the wrong way so that North held the West cards etc. The player sitting North played in 2S with the West cards and made 9 tricks.

	CONTRACT & TRICKS WON	NS	EW	NS	EW	NS	EW
1	4C E 9	50		1	8		
2	3C E 9		110	2	1		
3	2D N 8	90		3	3		
4			140	4	5		
5	1NT E 8		120	5	8		
6	4C E 9	100		6	9		
7	3NT E 9		400	7	2		
8	5CX E 9	500		8	4		
9	3D N 9	110		9	6		
CHECK TOTALS							

BOARD 10 DEALER E - ALL VUL

This board was played in a fouled condition at Tables 4, 5, 6 & 7. The North cards are in the South pocket and vice versa. You are satisfied that NS at Table 8 are responsible because they agree that they were looking at each other's hand after playing the board. NS 8 are an experienced pair and you have warned them previously about fouling boards.

Tbl	CONTRACT & TRICKS WON	NS	EW	NS	EW	NS	EW
1	6D N 12	1370		1	7		
2	5D N 12	620		2	9		
3	6D N 13	1390		3	2		
4	4D S 11	150		4	4		
5	3NT S 11	660		5	6		
6	6D S 11		100	6	8		
7	6DX S 11		200	7	1		
8	4D N 12	170		8	3		
9	6D N 12	1370		9	5		
CHECK TOTALS							

BOARD 19 DEALER S - EW VUL

When this board was being played at Table 3 it was discovered at Trick 12 that East had 12 cards and that North had 14 cards – make any adjustments that you think are applicable.

Tbl	CONTRACT & TRICKS WON	NS	EW	NS	EW	NS	EW
1	3NT N 9	400		1	4		
2	2NT N 9	150		2	6		
3				3	8		
4	3NT N 8		50	4	1		
5	4S N 9		100	5	3		
6	3NT N 9	400		6	5		
7	3NT S 10	430		7	7		
8	4S N 10	420		8	9		
9	2NT S 10	180		9	2		
CHECK TOTALS							