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## The Numbers Game

	Pairs					Year on Year Change	Teams				Year on Year Change
	Open	Seniors	Intermediate Novice Restricted	Swiss Pairs	Total		Open	Seniors	Intermediate Novice Restricted	Total	
<b>2006</b>	324	98	156		<b>578</b>		244	56	86	<b>386</b>	
<b>2007</b>	297	91	180		<b>568</b>	<b>-1.7%</b>	243	45	103	<b>397</b>	<b>2.8%</b>
<b>2008</b>	332	104	162		<b>598</b>	<b>5.3%</b>	274	48	96	<b>418</b>	<b>5.3%</b>
<b>2009</b>	284	106	180		<b>570</b>	<b>-4.7%</b>	246	46	96	<b>388</b>	<b>-7.2%</b>
<b>2010</b>	314	102	204		<b>620</b>	<b>8.8%</b>	214	44	138	<b>396</b>	<b>2.1%</b>
<b>2011*</b>	304	98	292		<b>694</b>	<b>11.9%</b>	240	46	150	<b>436</b>	<b>10.1%</b>
<b>2012</b>	264	94	282		<b>640</b>	<b>-7.8%</b>	220	46	138	<b>402</b>	<b>-7.8%</b>
<b>2013</b>	194	88	308	242	<b>832</b>	<b>30.0%</b>	200	52	174	<b>426</b>	<b>6.0%</b>
<b>2014</b>	198	70	312	296	<b>876</b>	<b>5.3%</b>	196	46	184	<b>426</b>	<b>0.0%</b>

\* 50th Anniversary



Our Trivia Winners: Will Adler, Brian Cleaver, Peter Gill (NPC), Kathy Buchen (front), Debbie McLeod, Mark Siegrist (back), Peter Buchen Terry Brown and Sue Ingham

## WINNERS WEDNESDAY UNDER 50MP PAIRS



**N/S Winners Under 50 MP Pairs**  
Daria Williams - Ian Cameron

**E/W Winners Under 50 Pairs**  
John Harrison - Charlotte Harrison

Joan Butts and Annette Maluish Presenting the Winners

### APPEAL NUMBER 1

To ensure complete transparency of the Appeals Process, the Australian Bridge Federation ensures that the full details of Appeals at National Events are published in the Daily Bulletins wherever possible. Here is the first such Appeal for this Tournament.

Gold Coast Seniors Pairs Final 3

Chief Tournament Director: L. Kelso  
 Appeals Committee: B. Neill (c), T. Brown, M. Wilkinson  
 Scribe: S. Yuen

Dealer: West      ♠ Q J 10 3  
 Vul: E-W         ♥ K J 10 8 7 3  
 Brd 16            ♦ 6 2  
                      ♣ 3

♠ 9 8  
 ♥ 6 4  
 ♦ A K J 7  
 ♣ Q J 10 7 5

♠ K 6 4  
 ♥ Q 5  
 ♦ 10 8 5 3  
 ♣ A K 4 2

♠ A 7 5 2  
 ♥ A 9 2  
 ♦ Q 9 4  
 ♣ 9 8 6

West	North	East	South	
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♠	
2NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3♣	Pass	
Pass	3♥	Pass	3♠	
Pass	Pass	4♣	4♠	
Pass	Pass	Double	All Pass	
Makeable Contracts				
-	-	-	-	NT
-	4	-	4	♠
-	4	-	4	♥
3	-	3	-	♦
3	-	3	-	♣

- <sup>1</sup> Weak, both majors  
<sup>2</sup> Agreed as showing both minors; not alerted

Trick <sup>1</sup>	West	North	East	South
1	♦A	X	X	X
2	♦K	X	X	X
3	♣Q	X	X	X
4	♦10	♥3	X	Q
5	♠8	♠Q	♠K	♠2

<sup>1</sup> Some uncertainty as to the order of play for the first four tricks; see respondents' case (*Ed: It was the Seniors Pairs Finals*)

<b>Table result</b>	4♠x-1 by South, NS -100
<b>Director's ruling</b>	NS: 4♠x-1 by South, NS -100 EW: 4♠x= by South, NS +590
<b>Committee's ruling</b>	NS: 4♠x-1 by South, NS -100 EW: 4♠x= by South, NS +590

**The Director:** Was called to the table at the end of play. The players agreed that the 2NT bid had not been alerted, but East-West had the systemic agreement that it showed both minors. As South believed the 2NT bid to be natural, she placed the spade king with West, and consequently chose not to take the spade finesse.

The Director considered that general bridge knowledge for a player of South's standard would include the fact that 2NT was very likely to be unnatural in this position from a passed hand. Further, the play of the first tricks

had established substantial values in the West hand, and it was naive to expect West as a passed hand to also hold cover in the majors.

The Director ruled that the failure to alert 2NT constituted misinformation. However, the Director also ruled that subsequent to the infraction, South contributed to their own damage through a serious error (Law 12C1b); namely, not being aware of West's original pass. The table result was therefore allowed to stand for North-South, 4♠x-1 by South, NS -100.

In accordance with Law 12C1b, East-West was awarded the score that it would receive as the consequence of its infraction only; namely (Law 47E2b, Law 12B1), 4♠x by South, NS +590.

**The Appellants:** Argued that, while South had simply not been aware that West was a passed hand, declarer was entitled to assume that the bid was natural after it had not been alerted, and should not be required to ask or to "work it out". South stated that she never asks if a bid is not alerted, as she believes it is not necessary.

At the hearing, South also noted that West had, by trick 5, shown only the diamond ace and king and the club queen. Adding the spade king to that would only bring the hand to a total of 12 points, on which South believed some players may have chosen to pass.

**The Respondents:** Believed that South should have been aware of West's original pass. West also queried the reported order of play, believing that the first tricks had been ♦K (count), ♣Q (overtaken with the ♣A), a diamond return and a third diamond. However, little turned on this, and all players agreed that declarer led a small spade from hand at trick 5.

**The Appeals Committee:** Confirmed that East-West did have an agreement about the nature of the 2NT bid; this was strengthened by their agreement that 2NT by an unpassed West hand in this auction would also show a two-suited hand. The committee also confirmed that no questions were asked about either the 2NT or the 3♣ bid prior to play.

The committee agreed that, on the assumption that West had the spade king, declarer's play at trick 5 was reasonable — crossing to dummy in hearts to take the spade finesse might have exposed declarer to a ruff, and ruffing the third diamond in dummy to take the spade finesse may have been problematic if spades had broken 4-1.

The committee's discussion therefore focused on the question of whether being unaware of West's original pass was a serious error. The committee noted that the non-alerted, non-forcing 3♣ bid and the final double of 4♠ were both consistent with the layout South had in mind — for example, playing 3♣ as natural and non-forcing over a strong balanced 2NT bid would be reasonable as North had shown both majors. It was observed, however, that both actions were sufficiently unusual that they might have prompted South to reconsider the auction and realise that West had passed originally.

South was an experienced player who had, for example, previously qualified for Stage II of the Australian National Championship Open Butler Pairs. Ultimately, the committee decided that it was a serious error for a player of South's standard to have been unaware of the entire auction, including West's original pass, particularly when reinforced by other elements such as the unusual non-forcing 3♣ bid in response to what South believed to be a strong balanced hand.

The committee therefore allowed the Director's ruling to stand: for North-South, 4♠x-1 by South, NS -100; for East-West, 4♠x= by South, NS +590. The appeal was also found to have merit.

## TEAMS QUALIFYING ROUND FOUR

Barry Rigal

The final match of day one saw two of the top domestic teams colliding, each including some out of towners. I would be watching Bill Hirst and Phil Gue take on Ron Klinger and Matt Mullamphy. Two natural systems but Klinger/Mullamphy play transfer responses to 1♣. In the other room David Weston and Julian Foster were playing Nick Jacob and Ishmael Del'Monte. Two single imps gave Gue the lead; then something more substantial:





We are all familiar with the trump promotion. Do you know about the anti-trump promotion? Phil Gue carefully avoided one on the next board:

Dealer: North	♠ 9 7 2	Teams Qual R4	West	North	East	South
Vul: N-S	♥ 9 4			3♦	3♥	4♣
Brd 21	♦ K Q 9 8 7 5 2		4♥	Pass	Pass	Pass
	♣ Q					
♠ A J 6 5 4 3		♠ K Q 8				
♥ K 6		♥ Q J 8 7 3				
♦ J 4		♦ A 10 3				
♣ 9 5 3		♣ J 6				
	♠ 10					
	♥ A 10 5 2					
	♦ 6					
	♣ A K 10 8 7 4 2					
			Makeable Contracts			
			-	-	-	- NT
			2	-	2	- ♠
			1	-	1	- ♥
			-	2	-	2 ♦
			-	2	-	2 ♣

When Hirst opened 3♦ Mullamphy insouciantly overcalled 3♥. Gue bid 4♣ and Klinger tried 4♥. Gue cashed two clubs and then avoided playing a third club for the trump promotion - you can see what might happen if partner ruffed with his 'high' trump of the eight or lower? Declarer might overruff and lead a heart to the six. Now THAT would be embarrassing. Instead Gue exited in diamonds at trick three and eventually obtained trump control for down two, when he cut declarer off from dummy's spades. In the other room 5♦ was undoubled and down 200, so Gue led 24-0 now.

The next deal saw the tide begin to turn:

Dealer: East	♠ 9 3 2	Teams Qual R4				
Vul: E-W	♥ A K 10 4					
Brd 22	♦ Q 8					
	♣ Q 9 6 3					
♠ J 7 5 4		♠ A 10 8				
♥ 2		♥ Q J 7 6				
♦ A K J 9 5		♦ 10 4				
♣ K 4 2		♣ A 10 8 7				
	♠ K Q 6					
	♥ 9 8 5 3					
	♦ 7 6 3 2					
	♣ J 5					
			Makeable Contracts			
			3	-	3	- NT
			4	-	4	- ♠
			1	-	1	- ♥
			4	-	4	- ♦
			3	-	3	- ♣

Mullamphy has never seen an 11 count that he didn't like. He opened 1♣ as East and Klinger now drove to 3NT, showing his spades but not his diamonds, while dummy had shown four hearts. Hirst led clubs (essentially an unbid suit) and now Klinger simply ran the clubs and gave up a diamond, losing just three red suit tricks. In the other room East for some reason did not dignify his cards with an opening bid and did not get beyond 2NT.

That made it 24-10 and after both tables had gone down in an unlucky 3NT (Klinger holding the loss to -100 for a 3imp gain) Hirst and Gue overreached to a minor-suit game off three aces to make it 24-18.

Dealer: East	♠ 4		West	North	East	South
Vul: Both	♥ 8 6 5				1♥	Pass
Brd 26	♦ K J 9 4 3		1♠	Pass	2♥	Pass
	♣ J 9 7 6		2NT	Pass	4♥	All Pass
♠ A Q 7 5 3		♠ J 6 2				
♥ 9		♥ K Q J 10 7 3				
♦ Q 7 6		♦ A 10 8				
♣ K 10 8 3		♣ Q				
	♠ K 10 9 8					
	♥ A 4 2					
	♦ 5 2					
	♣ A 5 4 2					
			Makeable Contracts			
			3	-	3	- NT
			2	-	2	- ♠
			3	-	2	- ♥
			2	-	1	- ♦
			-	-	-	- ♣

The last swing of any significance came when Mullamphy and Klinger bid unopposed to 4♥. After a low diamond lead Mullamphy must have hoped he would need little more than a good diamond guess. Alas for him, the cards lay in extremely hostile fashion. He played low from dummy and won the ♦J with the ace then led a heart to the nine and drove out the club ace. Gue took his diamond ruff then engineered a spade ruff for his partner for down two. Since Weston-Foster had been able to stop in 2♥ they gained 7 imps to win the match 31-19.

## TEAMS QUALIFYING ROUND FIVE - BRIDGE AT THE TOP

Barry Rigal

Dealer: South	♠ A 5 3
Vul: Both	♥ Q J 2
Brd 7	♦ Q 9 5 3
Teams Qual R5	♣ 9 6 4
	♠ K J 2
	♥ 8 7 4
	♦ K J 4
	♣ A Q 5 3

When top experts meet one another, it is reasonable to expect a certain amount of mutual respect. Board 7 demonstrated this nicely.

Phil Gue played 1NT as South after Sartaj Hans had overcalled 1♠ over 1♦, and David Beauchamp led the spade ten to the discouraging eight and jack. Gue tried the diamond king: ace, three and seven.

Beauchamp played a low heart to the jack and ace, and back came the club seven, to the queen and king. Beauchamp reverted to spades, so Gue won in hand and led a heart to the jack. Hans sneakily produced the king, then cashed his side's heart trick. Gue pitched a club from hand and from dummy, and Beauchamp exited with the club jack. Gue won and cashed the diamond jack, and had reached this position:

When declarer cashed the spade jack Beauchamp threw the club ten, and Hans the spade six. When declarer led the diamond towards dummy was it right to finesse or play for the drop? Was Hans' last card other than his spade the club eight or diamond ten?

Gue got it right, by finessing; this was the full deal:

	♠ 3	
	♥ ---	
	♦ Q 9	
	♣ ---	
♠ ---		♠ 7 6
♥ ---		♥ ---
♦ ? 8		♦ ?
♣ 10 ?		♣ ?
	♠ J	
	♥ ---	
	♦ 4	
	♣ 5	

Trying to determine who has the ♦10 and the ♣8

Dealer: South	♠ A 5 3
Vul: Both	♥ Q J 2
Brd 7	♦ Q 9 5 3
	♣ 9 6 4

♠ 10 9
♥ 10 9 6 3
♦ A 10 8 2
♣ K J 10

♠ Q 8 7 6 4
♥ A K 5
♦ 7 6
♣ 8 7 2

♠ K J 2
♥ 8 7 4
♦ K J 4
♣ A Q 5 3

### Makeable Contracts

-	2	-	2	NT
1	-	1	-	♠
1	-	1	-	♥
-	2	-	2	♦
-	1	-	1	♣

Incidentally Gue could have made life a lot easier by pitching dummy's low spade on the fourth heart. now the spade jack legitimately squeezes West in the minors.

## EXTRACTING ONE'S POUND OF FLESH.

Barry Rigal

Dealer: South	♠ K J 9
Vul: E-W	♥ A K 4 3 2
Brd 3	♦ 10 8 6
	♣ A Q

♠ 7 5
♥ Q J 8
♦ J 7 5 3 2
♣ 8 7 6

Pairs Fin S2

♠ A 10 8 4
♥ 9 5
♦ A Q 4
♣ K J 10 9

♠ Q 6 3 2
♥ 10 7 6
♦ K 9
♣ 5 4 3 2

West	North	East	South
Pass	1♥	Double	2♥
Pass	4♥	All Pass	Pass

### Makeable Contracts

-	-	-	-	NT
-	2	-	1	♠
-	3	-	3	♥
2	-	2	-	♦
-	-	1	-	♣

Michael Whibley and Ashley Bach extracted their pound of flesh here from Kim Morrison. Kim had overreached to play 4♥ as North. Whibley led a trump, the ♥9 to the ♥8 and king. Declarer tried the ♠K;

Whibley won and pressed on with trumps, and now declarer ducked in dummy and won the king, then led a diamond up in this position.

	♠ J 9	
	♥ 4 3 2	
	♦ 10 8 6	
	♣ A Q	
♠ 7		♠ 10 8 4
♥ J		♥ ---
♦ J 7 5 3 2		♦ A Q 4
♣ 8 7 6		♣ K J 10 9
	♠ Q 6 3	
	♥ 10	
	♦ K 9	
	♣ 5 4 3 2	

Normal defence sees East win the diamond ace and exit in diamonds, and declarer wins the king, crosses to the spade jack, ruffs a diamond, and can now exit in hearts. Whatever suit West returns, declarer can arrange to run his trumps and squeeze East in the black suits to make his game. But Whibley crossed him up by inserting the ♦Q on the first round of the suit! When Morrison took the king and played a second diamond Bach hopped up with the jack and drew the last trump then exited in diamonds. When declarer misguessed the ending he was two down, and the defenders has 25/26 MP.

### MCGANN VERSUS DE LIVERA – TEAMS QUALIFYING ROUND 6

Barry Rigal



David Lilley and Zolly Nagy

For Round six two of the teams at the top tables met head to head, in a generally well-played match. After three deals it was 2-1 to McGann on overtricks, both E/W pairs having bid a laydown slam on very few high-cards (the datum was +570 non-vulnerable, meaning it was missed at 80% of tables).







Dealer: North      ♠ A 6 4      Teams Qual R6  
 Vul: E-W          ♥ 2  
 Brd 25            ♦ Q 6 5 4 2  
                      ♣ K 10 8 6

♠ K 9 8 3      ♠ Q J 10 5  
 ♥ K Q 7 5 3    ♥ A 9 8  
 ♦ 9 7 3        ♦ K  
 ♣ A             ♣ J 9 7 3 2

♠ 7 2  
 ♥ J 10 6 4  
 ♦ A J 10 8  
 ♣ Q 5 4

Makeable Contracts				
-	-	-	-	NT
4	-	4	-	♠
3	-	3	-	♥
-	3	-	3	♦
-	1	-	1	♣

On our next exhibit I thought Zolly Nagy made a nice decision. Holding the West cards he opened 1♥ in fourth chair and the auction proceeded (Double) - Redouble - back to him. He passed, GeO raised to 3♦, and Lilley bid 3♥. Despite his dead minimum in high-cards Nagy bid 3♠ now, and was raised to four. The defenders took their heart ruff, but that simply held declarer to ten tricks. Since the other room had played partscore here this was 10 imps to De Livera, leading 28-11 with three boards to go. (Overall many bid and made game here, but accurate defence - basically any lead but a diamond(!) - will beat the game.)

Dealer: East      ♠ Q 10      Teams Qual R6  
 Vul: Both        ♥ K Q 6 2  
 Brd 26            ♦ Q 9 6 3  
                      ♣ A 8 3

♠ A K 8 7 5      ♠ 6 4 2  
 ♥ 3                ♥ 9 8 7 5 4  
 ♦ A K J 7        ♦ 4  
 ♣ Q J 9           ♣ K 10 7 6

♠ J 9 3  
 ♥ A J 10  
 ♦ 10 8 5 2  
 ♣ 5 4 2

Makeable Contracts				
1	-	1	-	NT
4	-	4	-	♠
2	-	2	-	♥
1	-	1	-	♦
3	-	3	-	♣

Time for a late charge. Would you raise 1♠ doubled to 2♠ as East? Neither would I, but Matthew Thompson put the pedal to the metal and raised to 2♠ and McGann bid game. In the other room Lilley passed initially then balanced over 2♦ into 2♠ and his partner did not advance. With all the side-suits breaking perfectly, declarer wrapped up ten tricks in both rooms and McGann had 10 imps to trail 28-21.

On the next deal both Norths opened 4♠. This was passed out in one room, but doubled by Lilley in the other room (on a 2-3-5-3 16-count). He got to score his doubleton queen of spades, but that still only held declarer to 590, and McGann had four more imps, down 28-25.

On to the last hurrah.

Dealer: West      ♠ 8 6      Teams Qual R6      West    North    East    South  
 Vul: N-S        ♥ 10 4 2  
 Brd 28            ♦ K Q J 4  
                      ♣ 10 9 8 5

♠ Q 10 9 5 4      ♠ K 3  
 ♥ A J 7            ♥ 8 6 5  
 ♦ A 3              ♦ 8 7 6 2  
 ♣ A K 3            ♣ Q 7 6 4

♠ A J 7 2  
 ♥ K Q 9 3  
 ♦ 10 9 5  
 ♣ J 2

Makeable Contracts				
1	-	1	-	NT
3	-	3	-	♠
1	-	1	-	♥
1	-	1	-	♦
2	-	2	-	♣

Both Wests opened 1♠ and East passed. In one room were let 1♠ play in peace and quiet, and Nagy collected +110. Bruce Neill balanced with 1NT and McGann informed him of the error of his ways by doubling. No one had anything further to say, and on a low spade lead the defenders collected eight ricks (three spades three clubs and two aces) while declarer just had five.

That was +500 and 9 imps to give McGann a 34-28 win.

## HAVE YOU DISCUSSED

Brent Manley

*Back in the days when tournament entries were typed in by volunteers, one of them experienced a break in the monotony. Where the player number was supposed to be, the player had written, "Forgot. Can't remember what trump is either!"*

It's tough to remember something you never knew, and that's one big reason why it's important to discuss bidding agreements with your partner – and not just the names of the conventions you're playing. Here's an auction for you:

West	North	East	South
1♣	Dbl	Redbl	3♠

What are your thoughts on the meaning of South's bid? It looks strong, right? Well, logic says otherwise.

Think about it. West has an opener, at least 12 high-card points. North's double indicates approximately opening values – another 12 HCP. East's redouble is based on at least 10 HCP. That's 34 of the 40 HCP, leaving only about 6 HCP for South.

It's highly likely that South is the owner of a six-card spade suit and is aiming to make life difficult for East-West. South's hand might be something like this:

♠ Q 10 7 5 4 3  
♥ J 2  
♦ Q 5  
♣ 8 7 6

Because North's double promised at least three-card support for the unbid suits, South knows that he and North have at least nine spades between them. That means a spade contract is likely to play really well if there is shortness in either hand (or, ideally, both). Suppose North's takeout double is based on

♠ A J 9 2  
♥ A Q 4 3  
♦ 10 9 8 7  
♣ 2.

This is a normal takeout double – only 11 HCP but perfect shape. It would not be surprising to find that South can make 4♠, and 3♠ would be down only if both major-suit finesses failed. That's possible, but you would be justified in feeling very unlucky in such a case. Even if 3♠ was doubled, the opponents certainly would be able to do better than plus 100 (you will, of course, be cautious with your pre-emptive actions when you are vulnerable) – and they will certainly find their best spot if South doesn't take up a big chunk of their bidding space.

South's bid is aggressive, but having a big fit in trumps can make up for a lack of HCP. That's part of the reason players like to cite the famous – thanks to Larry Cohen – Law of Total Tricks. Simplified – okay, oversimplified – "The Law" tells players they are safe to bid up to the level of their best trump fit, so nine trumps equals nine tricks. If you want to know more, get Larry's book, "To Bid or Not to Bid: The Law of Total Tricks."

Well, that takes care of the occasions when South is lucky enough to hold a long suit. More often, North-South will have to scramble. So, you may ask, what is South's main goal when East redoubles? Safety is the primary concern, so South should strive to make the call that is most likely to keep the level of the auction as low as possible. Once the opponents have established, via third hand's redouble, that they have the majority of the high-card strength, they will be quick to double for penalty if the opponents land in a bad spot.

Both partners should try to keep the bidding low. For example, say South holds

♠ Q 6  
♥ 10 7 5 4  
♦ 3 2  
♣ Q 7 6 4 3

And this is the auction

West	North	East	South
1♥	Dbl	Redbl	?

South must bid 2♣, showing a clear preference for that suit. If South passes and North bids 2♦, the doubling will start and South would have to run to the three level in clubs. Disaster! If South's hand is

♠ Q 6 4  
♥ 10 7 5 4  
♦ 10 3  
♣ J 7 6 4,

it's best to just pass. South would not mind if North bids 1♠.

Tomorrow: Bidding after they double for takeout.

### IMPROVING YOUR GAME

Barry Rigal

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

♠ A Q 9  
♥ 10 9 8 6  
♦ 7 5 3  
♣ J 7 2

♠ 6 4  
♥ A K J 2  
♦ J 10 6  
♣ K Q 6 5

♠ K J 10 8 7 2  
♥ Q  
♦ A K 4  
♣ A 8 3

♠ 5 3  
♥ 7 5 4 3  
♦ Q 9 8 2  
♣ 10 9 4

West	North	East	South
1♣	Pass	Pass	Double
Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♠	Pass	4♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

The auction poses an awkward problem for South. When he gets his first chance to speak, in the protective seat, he is clearly much too good to bid just 1♠, which is consistent with a much weaker hand. Similarly, a jump to 2♠ shows a good suit but not much more than an opening bid - also not really doing justice to the hand. South's actual choice of doubling and then bidding a suit shows a pretty good hand, and when North invites to game, South still has a fair bit in reserve, enough to bid game directly. It is not easy to get to 3NT, though there are nine winners.

Against 4♠, West leads the ♥K and, seeing the ♥Q, shifts to the ♦J, which is as good a shot as any. South wins in hand, and should see that he must build a heart trick for his contract from the rather unpromising material at his disposal. He crosses to the ♠A, leads the ♥10, and throws a club loser away. West can win this trick and play another diamond, but South wins this trick, goes to dummy with a trump, and plays the ♥9, throwing his immediate diamond loser away. West scores his ♥A, the third trick for the defence, but South's remaining slow club loser can be thrown on the ♥8, using the final spade entry to dummy. All three trump entries to dummy are essential, so you cannot afford to draw trump before setting up the hearts.

## GOLD COAST CONGRESS 2014 - CALENDAR OF CELEBRITY SPEAKERS Mezzanine Level - up the Stairway Opposite the Bridge Administration Office

Thursday  
27th February

Trendy Transfers  
(Responses to Minor  
openings in Competition)

with Pablo Lambardi



Pablo Lambardi lives and works as a bridge teacher in Buenos Aires, Argentina. He has won national and South American Championships, and represented Argentina in seven Bermuda Bowls & six Olympiads. He has won the NEC tournament in Japan and played in many international tournaments. His hobbies include reading good literature, eating good food, watching tennis, and everything esoteric and paranormal (he is a non-practising astrologer).

9:00am

Thursday

**MINIMUM \$5 Contribution to the ABF Friends of Youth Bridge Fund**

**SESSION TABLES AS AT END OF WEDNESDAY  
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## THE FULL STORY

Barry Rigal

Yesterday the bulletin got its facts wrong when discussing a couple of deals from set three. Time to set the record straight.

We mistakenly identified the E/W pair who bid the two grand slams in this set; in fact it was Nick Jacobs of Auckland and Glenn Coutts of Dunedin. Nick and Glenn are both part of bridge playing families, the four bridge playing members of the Jacobs family are here on different teams, while Glenn's brother James reached the final of the pairs with Fraser Rew.

Glenn and Nick are in especially good form: they topped the datum in the NOT where their team, seeded 43 finished third in the qualifying and reached the quarter-finals. Both have played representative bridge for New Zealand, Nick in Beijing, and Glenn in Malaysia...and as an aside with funding for New Zealand Juniors at the lowest possible levels, please feel free to toss a penny into their caps any time you see them.

Here are the deals again with the auctions to the successful contracts.

Dealer: West	♠ Q 10 7 4	Teams Qual R3	West	North	East	South
Vul: Both	♥ Q 6		1♣	Pass	1♥	Pass
Brd 4	♦ Q 7 6 5 4		1♥	Pass	4♦	.....
	♣ 7 4		Makeable Contracts			
♠ K 8		♠ A 9 3 2	6	-	6	- NT
♥ 2		♥ A 10 9 5 4	3	-	3	- ♠
♦ A K 3		♦ 9	2	-	2	- ♥
♣ K Q 10 8 6 5 3		♣ A J 2	1	-	1	- ♦
	♠ J 6 5		7	-	7	- ♣
	♥ K J 8 7 3					
	♦ J 10 8 2					
	♣ 9					

Here 7♣ can only be reached with complete confidence if West takes control. In an auction such as the one shown above West can then ask for aces and bid the grand slam - and maybe offer a choice of grand slams with a call of six spades over the response to Blackwood?

Glenn and Nick actually bid: 1♣-1♥-3♣-4NT-5♠-5NT-6♥-7♣. The 6♥ call showed either the heart king or the other two kings, and here East could be relatively confident that hearts would set up in 7♣ if partner had that king, or that there would at least be play for the grand slam facing the other two kings.

Dealer: East	♠ 10 8 2		West	North	East	South
Vul: None	♥ K Q 10 8				1♦	Pass
Brd 14	♦ Q 5 4		2♣	Pass	2♥	Pass
	♣ 7 6 2		3♣	Pass	3♠	Pass
♠ Q 5		♠ A K 9	4♦	Pass	4♠	Pass
♥ A 6 2		♥ 9 5	4NT	Pass	5♥	Pass
♦ A J		♦ K 9 8 6 3	5♠	Pass	7♣	All Pass
♣ A Q J 10 8 5		♣ K 9 3	Makeable Contracts			
	♠ J 7 6 4 3		6	-	6	- NT
	♥ J 7 4 3		3	-	3	- ♠
	♦ 10 7 2		2	-	2	- ♥
	♣ 4		5	-	5	- ♦
			7	-	7	- ♣

- 2♥ = 12-14/18-19 balanced
- 3♠ = probe for no-trump initially
- 5♠ = Grand slam try

When West set clubs, East's two efforts did not show the stronger hand but simply announced the spade controls.

After the keycard ask and East's response, East accepted the grand-slam try at his final turn because the diamond length suggested that even if partner had three diamonds he might have the spade queen. If so he would be able to pitch a third diamond on the spades, then ruff out diamonds and come back to the East hand in trumps. More important, within the constraints of showing 12-14 his partner could not expect more than an ace and three kings.



Garrick led the ♠A and continued with the king, ruffed by Dawson. He played a club to dummy's ace and ruffed a spade, then cashed the ♣K and exited with a club, Garrick winning the queen. Another spade came back, and when Dawson ruffed he was down to three trumps. He played the ♥A and the 13th club, planning to pitch a heart, but Garrick ruffed in with the ♦6, forcing the jack. Rowlatt overruffed, cashed the ♥Q and exited with a trump. Dawson could cash the two trump honors but still had a losing heart for minus 50.

At the other table, Frank Campbell, North, playing with Grant, took the push to 3♠ but could muster only eight tricks for minus 100 and 4 IMPs to Garrick.

Another swing went to Garrick when Rowlatt and Garrick took advantage of a minor slip by Dawson to defeat a 2♠ contract made in the other room.

Dealer: North	♠ J 10 6	Teams Qual R5	West	North	East	South
Vul: Both	♥ K 8 7 5		Dawson	Garrick	Suther'd	Rowlatt
Brd 13	♦ Q 8 6			Pass	Pass	1♦
	♣ K 8 2		1♠	Double	Rdbl	2♥
♠ A K 9 8 7 2		♠ 4 3	2♠	Pass	Pass	Pass
♥ 2		♥ Q J 6 3	Makeable Contracts			
♦ 4 3		♦ K 10 9 2	-	1	-	1
♣ J 9 7 4		♣ A 6 3	1	-	2	-
	♠ Q 5		-	2	-	2
	♥ A 10 9 4		-	1	-	1
	♦ A J 7 5		1	-	1	-
	♣ Q 10 5					NT
						♠
						♥
						♦
						♣

After the redouble, obviously showing high-card values rather than spade support, Dawson was willing to give it one more try in his long suit. Garrick started with a low heart and Dawson made a play that would take in some defenders – he played low from dummy's queen-jack, hoping to make Rowlatt think he held the singleton ♥K. Rowlatt did not bite, however, inserting the ♥9, which held the trick.

Rowlatt continued with a low heart, on which Dawson discarded a diamond. Garrick won the ♥K and exited with a low diamond. Dawson played the 10 and Rowlatt erred by playing the ace instead of the jack. She exited with a low spade from her doubleton queen, and Dawson inserted the 7, losing to the 10.

Garrick shifted to a club, taken in dummy with the ace. Dawson pitched a club on dummy's ♦K then played the ♥Q, covered by Rowlatt with the ace. Dawson ruffed and pulled trumps, but he still had to lose two club tricks for minus 100. That was a 5-IMP swing to Garrick when 2♠ was made at the other table for plus 110.

On board 14, Rowlatt and Garrick bid too much and lost 4 IMPs, but there was an interesting end position engineered by Rowlatt.

Dealer: East	♠ J 8 4 2	Teams Qual R5	West	North	East	South
Vul: None	♥ 7 5 4		Dawson	Garrick	Suther'd	Rowlatt
Brd 14	♦ Q 7 2				1NT	2♥
	♣ A 5 2		2NT	3♥	All Pass	
♠ 10 7 3		♠ A K Q 5	Makeable Contracts			
♥ 9		♥ K 10 8 6	-	1	-	1
♦ K J 10 6 3		♦ 8 4	1	-	1	-
♣ 10 7 6 3		♣ K 9 4	1	-	1	-
	♠ 9 6					NT
	♥ A Q J 3 2					♠
	♦ A 9 5					♥
	♣ Q J 8					♦
						♣

At the other table, East opened 1NT and played it there but could manage only six tricks (a misguess in diamonds means declarer never gets to dummy).

Dawson's 2NT was a relay to 3♣, after which he was planning to bid 3♦ to play.

Against 3♥, Dawson led the ♠7, taken by Sutherland with the queen. She knew that her partner held a minor suit, so she switched to the suit in which she held some help. Rowlatt put up her queen and when it held, she exited with her spade. Sutherland won the king and, aware that her partner's suit was diamonds, played the ♦8.



Rowlatt ducked to Dawson's king and won the diamond return with dummy's queen. Rowlatt took the successful heart finesse and might have returned to dummy to repeat it, but the only way to dummy was with the ♣A, which would have resulted in the loss of a club and one down anyway.

So Rowlatt cashed the ♥A and, learning of the bad break, played the ♦A. Sutherland could ruff and cash the ♥K, but then she was stuck. If she played a high spade, Rowlatt could ruff and pitch her losing club on dummy's now-good ♠J. So she continued with a low club, on which Rowlatt played the jack, which held.

The big swing in the match came on the following deal, where East-West can make 6♠ if they do everything just right, which is easy for Deep Finesse (the analysing program) because it can see all the cards.

Dealer: East	♠ 10 9	Teams Qual R5	West	North	East	South
Vul: Both	♥ 10 9 6		Dawson	Garrick	Suther'd	Rowlatt
Brd 10	♦ K 6 5 4				1♠	Pass
	♣ 10 5 3 2		2♥	Pass	2♥	Pass
♠ A Q 8 5		♠ K J 6 4 2	2♠	Pass	3♣	Pass
♥ 5		♥ Q J 8 7 3	3♦	Pass	4NT	Pass
♦ A J 10 9 3		♦	5♠	All Pass		
♣ Q J 9		♣ A 7 6	<hr/> Makeable Contracts			
	♠ 7 3		2	-	3	- NT
	♥ A K 4 2		5	-	6	- ♠
	♦ Q 8 7 2		3	-	3	- ♥
	♣ K 8 4		2	-	3	- ♦
			2	-	2	- ♣

It is worth noting that the deal was played 84 times (Intermediate) and only 13 declarers managed 12 tricks, and only four of them were in slam – it's a tough deal.

Dawson and Sutherland tried for slam but decided against it. Rowlatt started with a trump, taken in hand by Sutherland. She played a second trump to the ace, pitched a club on the ♦A, then played a club to her ace and a low club from hand. Rowlatt won and cashed a high heart, but that was it for the defense.

At the other table, Marsh and Daghish got to slam played by East. South led the ♥A and switched to a trump. The slam failed when Marsh took an unsuccessful club finesse.

The slam can be made against any lead if East declares and takes the right view, certainly easier on a double-dummy basis. The spade slam by West has no chance on a club lead.

Say South leads a trump. Declarer must win in dummy, cash the ♦A to pitch a club, then ruff a diamond. Next, declarer must play the ♥Q or ♥J. South wins and plays another trump. Again, declarer must win in dummy and ruff a diamond, followed by a low heart, ruffed in dummy. A third diamond ruff establishes dummy's jack, and now declarer – having seen the ♥9 from North – must play the ♥J, covered and ruffed in dummy. When North's ♥10 appears, declarer can claim, discarding his other low club on the ♦J. He plays a club to his hand, which now contains two good hearts.

Of course, it's a lot easier to arrive at 12 tricks when you can see all the cards.

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	Thursday 27th February	Friday 28th February	Saturday 1st March								
<b>OPEN EVENTS</b>											
Open Teams Weekend Matchpoint Swiss Pairs Monday Butler Swiss Pairs Ivy Dahler Open Butler Swiss Pairs Friday Teams	10:00am Start 4 x 14 Brds R9-R12	<table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <th style="width: 50%;">O/F Teams</th> <th style="width: 50%;">S/F Teams</th> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">9:00am 2x12 Brds</td> <td style="text-align: center;">2:00pm 4x10 Brds</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">09:30am 1/3</td> <td style="text-align: center;">2:00pm 2/3</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">09:30am 1/3</td> <td style="text-align: center;">2:00pm 2/3</td> </tr> </table>	O/F Teams	S/F Teams	9:00am 2x12 Brds	2:00pm 4x10 Brds	09:30am 1/3	2:00pm 2/3	09:30am 1/3	2:00pm 2/3	9:00am Start 4x12 Brds Final  10:30am 3/3
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<b>SENIORS EVENTS</b>											
Seniors Teams	10:00am Start 4 x 14 Brds R9-R12	10:00am Start 4x12 Brds Final	All Are Invited  Dinner Dance  7:30pm for 8:00pm  Bookings are Essential								
<b>INTERMEDIATE EVENTS</b>											
Intermediate Teams	10:00am Start 4 x 14 Brds R9-R12	10:00am Start 4x12 Brds Final									
<b>RESTRICTED EVENTS</b>											
Restricted Teams  Ivy Dahler Restricted Butler Swiss Pairs	10:00am Start 4 x 14 Brds R9-R12	10:00am Start 4x12 Brds Final  09:30am 1/3 2:00pm 2/3	10:30am 3/3								
<b>NOVICE EVENTS</b>											
Novice Teams Friday Novice Pairs	10:00am Start 4 x 14 Brds R9-R12	10:00am Start 4x12 Brds Final  9:30am 1/2 2:00pm 2/2									
<b>ROOKIE PAIRS</b>											
Rookie Pairs - Single Session Events	10:00am 1/1										
<b>MIXED TEAMS</b>											
Seres/McMahon Mixed Teams		09:30am 1/2 2:00pm 2/2									
<b>WALK-IN PAIRS</b>											
Holiday Walk-In Pairs - Play 1, 2 or 3 Sessions	3:00pm 3/3	09:30am 1/3 2:00pm 2/3	10:30am 3/3								
	<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Friday</b>	<b>Saturday</b>								

## Under 50MP Pairs - Wednesday

North-South				East-West				
Place	Score	%	Place	Score	%	Place	Score	%
1	Daria WILLIAMS - Ian CAMERON	559.8	61.0	1	John HARRISON - Charlotte HARRISON	582.6	63.5	
2	Sally MORTON - Derek PONSFORD	553.7	60.3	2	Anita BOYLE - Kristine ROSSITER	522.4	56.9	
3	Pat WHITE - Helen CUNYNGHAME	545.4	59.4	3	Arjen DRAAISMA - Margot HARRIS	521.0	56.8	
4	Leanne NUGENT - Jenny ILIESCU	528.0	57.5	4	Alan ANDERSON - Greg KERSWELL	515.4	56.2	
5	Amanda ADAMS - Patrick EATHER	522.0	56.9	5	Anne RUSSELL - Diane MCCLINTOCK	508.4	55.4	
6	Gail PERRY - Tom LYONS	515.5	56.2	5	Fiona LAW - Norma HALE	508.4	55.4	
7	Brett MIDDELBERG - Ming Shu YANG	499.8	54.5	7	Margaret MUNRO - Gloria FRENCH	493.3	53.7	
8	Jennifer SAWYER - Diana BERGMARK	486.6	53.0	8	Jayne LANSDOWN - Lori SEXTON	479.7	52.3	
9	Michelle BEHRENS - Jim SKEEN	472.1	51.4	9	Rena INDERMAUR - Annie SINCLAIR	478.8	52.2	
10	Diane ARNOLD - Warren MOORE	467.3	50.9	10	Kenneth GRIGGS - Fay JEPPESEN	475.2	51.8	
11	Helen BLAIR - Anthony MARSLAND	462.3	50.4	11	Daina GEISE - Kay PEACHEY	472.3	51.5	
12	John WILSON - Geoff WILLSON	443.3	48.3	12	Kay SNOWDEN - Jeanette MARVELL	468.9	51.1	
13	Hazel PARKINS - Bill SZUMIDLO	433.6	47.2	13	Jane HILLS - Jennifer MONTAGUE	463.8	50.5	
14	Marguerite BETTINGTON - Jan DEAVILLE	424.1	46.2	14	Geoff RYDON - Gloria RYDON	443.9	48.4	
15	Ella LUPUL - George LUPUL	423.2	46.1	15	Cherylene STIMPSON - John STIMPSON	434.0	47.3	
16	Carol COWLEY - Janette YOUENS	411.6	44.8	16	Margaret MARSHALL - Margaret GAGEN	426.2	46.4	
17	Denise COLLISTER - Robyn HENWOOD	405.3	44.2	17	Renuka MAHADEVAN - Lyn TRACEY	419.7	45.7	
18	Robyn SEET - Ivy MONTEIRO	404.1	44.0	18	Drew CAMPI - Joan CADE	405.4	44.2	
19	John BURT - Janice LITTLE	398.6	43.4	19	Leonie ELPHINSTONE - Gordon PLANT	402.4	43.8	
20	Beverley NORTHEY - Dianne THATCHER	389.6	42.4	20	Clare GLEESON - Barbara BARLOW	354.3	38.6	
21	Janet LOWE - Narelle MCIVER	296.6	32.3	21	Irma PAAL - Jillian Ma MCPHERSON	266.2	29.0	



**Open Teams After Round 8**

Place	No.	Team Members	Score
1	9	Zhang Bankxiang - Shen Jiaying - Gan Xinli - Wang Ru - Li Jianwei - Li Xin	122.26
2	3	Liam Milne - Nye Griffiths - Michael Whibley - Ashley Bach - Andy Hung - Adam Edgton	119.69
3	4	Anthony Burke - Peter Gill - Sartaj Hans - David Beauchamp	114.00
4	28	Ralph Parker - Arran Hodgkinson - Peter Hainsworth - Sanmugaras Kamalarasa	113.00
5	13	John Skipper - Jane Skipper - Bob Scott - John Wignall - Herve Cheval - Gilles Josnin	112.60
6	30	Barry Jones - Jenny Millington - Steve Boughy - Carol Richardson	112.10
7	14	Phil Gue - Bill Hirst - David Weston - Julian Foster	108.10
8	8	Chen Shenghong - Shi Xuao - Wang Xiaojing - He Zhenyi - He Liqiang - Gui Shenyue	107.74
10	10	Margaret Bourke - Neil Ewart - Felicity Beale - Robbie Van Riel	107.32
9	32	Marjorie Askew - William Powell - Eric Hurley - Janet Brown	107.38
11	12	Terry Brown - Paul Wyer - Sue Ingham - Michael Courtney	106.97
12	48	Andre Korenhof - Carola Hoogervorst - Niels Van Der Gaast - Agnes Wesseling	106.49
13	2	Hugh Mcgann - Matthew Thomson - Fiona Brown - Tony Nunn - Michael Ware - Geo Tislevoll	106.28
14	6	Arjuna De Livera - Bruce Neill - Zolly Nagy - David Lilley	105.93
15	25	Henry Sawicki - Rachel Frenkel - Eva Caplan - Rena Kaplan	105.12
16	46	Maurice Brumer - Leigh Gold - Jeff Fust - Eva Samuel	104.45
17	49	Susan Sykes - Gerard Palmer - Brian Fitzsimons - Mairi Fitzsimons	104.36
18	16	Joachim Haffer - Laura Ginnan - Mike Doecke - William Jenner-O'Shea - Pieter Vanderpoel	103.98
19	23	Hugh Grosvenor - Annette Maluish - Roy Nixon - Bernard Waters	102.87
20	1	Ishmael Del'Monte - Ron Klinger - Matthew Mullanphy - Tom Jacob - Justin Howard	101.87

Place	No.	Team	Score	Place	No.	Team	Score
21	80	Weaver	101.14	109	186	Anagnostou	77.68
22	22	Giura	100.97	110	139	Taylor	77.56
23	20	Wilkinson	100.80	111	57	Curry	77.49
24	26	Harley	100.38	112	149	Marker	77.06
25	37	Newman	99.91	113	17	Moren	77.00
26	102	Williams	98.29	114	191	Diamond	76.35
27	39	Kiss	98.25	115	136	Foster	75.37
28	11	Brayshaw	98.21	116	122	Flanders	75.22
29	74	Schokman	97.25	117	181	Leach	75.18
30	68	Sheridan	97.04	118	71	Steinwedel	74.64
31	89	Fleischer	97.00	119	97	Maltz	74.60
32	96	Martin	96.82	120	130	Tunks	74.52
33	55	Mundell	96.78	121	118	Meldrum	74.40
35	21	Fischer	96.42	122	70	Porter	74.30
34	75	Ashwell	96.42	123	82	Rhodes	74.28
36	43	Badley	96.25	124	158	Fraser	74.10
37	41	Chadwick	96.20	125	140	Blackham	74.03
38	120	Grahame	95.69	126	128	Trend	74.01
39	67	Grenside	94.99	127	164	Carroll	73.90
40	60	Smith	94.63	128	189	Brown	73.63
41	7	Krochmalik	93.85	129	109	Allgood	72.56
42	132	Osmund	93.75	130	115	Banks	72.52
43	36	Butts	93.55	131	106	Mcdonald	72.51
44	84	Green	93.40	132	169	Andrews	72.50
45	27	Arber	93.36	133	95	Kefford	72.36
46	64	Mckinnon	92.96	134	113	Jewell	72.02
47	77	Frazer	92.48	135	194	Healy	71.82
48	65	Gray	92.39	136	86	Treloar	71.55
49	47	Scott	91.77	137	187	Orsborn	71.30
50	38	Faranda	91.54	138	100	Norden	70.96
51	78	Lindsay	90.66	139	79	Doddridge	70.60
52	142	Goodwin	90.34	140	108	Kahn	70.37
53	24	Li	90.04	141	172	Ashman	69.83
54	119	Moffat	90.00	142	161	Sharp	69.56
55	59	Woodhall	89.68	143	167	Brandt	69.37
56	195	Spencer	89.46	144	123	Andrew	69.03
57	19	Gosney	89.22	145	152	Scerri	68.90
58	51	Ferguson	89.19	146	190	Christian	68.50
59	15	Carter	88.92	147	150	Whiddon	68.09
60	170	Fraser	88.50	148	133	Rusher	67.84
61	44	Clarke	87.66	149	137	White	67.59
62	50	Mayo	87.42	150	35	Boughy	67.37
63	52	Moritz	87.30	151	81	Daly	67.27
64	76	Lowry	87.03	152	162	Hill	67.05

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65	5	Travis	87.01	153	88	Walters	67.01
66	53	Mcleod	86.20	154	156	Eastman	66.68
67	143	Rutter	85.88	155	116	Darley	66.44
68	31	Livesey	85.77	156	129	Rooney	66.20
69	135	Andersson	85.47	157	105	Jeffery	66.18
70	56	Hall	85.06	158	196	Inglis	66.01
71	184	Mcalister	84.43	159	98	Bourke	65.81
72	69	Morgan-King	84.31	160	183	Herbert	65.11
73	111	Valentine	83.94	161	72	Spiro	65.06
74	159	Krosch	83.90	162	114	Motteram	64.65
75	104	Howard	83.84	163	193	Muller	64.60
76	18	Konig	83.77	164	165	Rose	64.43
78	138	Jeffery	83.63	165	163	Leach	64.41
77	177	Smith	83.64	166	178	Littler	64.05
80	54	Finikiotis	83.55	167	94	Kudelka	63.89
79	73	Bedi	83.57	169	166	Barrett	63.21
81	173	Irvine	83.26	168	134	Mickevics	63.22
82	42	Alexander	83.23	170	110	Halford	63.11
83	127	Gilfoyle	82.95	171	87	Morris	63.09
84	34	Jacob	82.60	172	171	Gold	62.05
85	103	Hadfield	82.47	173	155	Roughley	61.45
86	66	Simes	81.49	174	185	Mcmahon	61.38
87	131	Bugeia	81.27	175	146	Watson	59.84
88	33	Kalmin	81.07	176	126	Lewis	59.80
89	107	Swanson	81.06	177	148	Redlich	57.76
90	85	Lachman	81.03	178	192	Matskows	57.50
91	58	Palmer	81.01	179	92	Schoen	57.37
92	144	Crisp	80.91	180	174	Perl	57.36
93	182	Lawson	80.82	181	147	Waterhouse	56.95
94	29	Hoffman	80.66	182	61	Tant	56.61
96	63	Afflick	80.29	183	117	Priestley	56.41
95	83	Waldvogel	80.31	184	121	Anlezark	55.84
97	93	Luck	80.25	185	168	Kelly	55.08
98	40	Mott	79.71	186	179	Hutton	54.31
99	62	Van Vucht	79.43	187	157	Clift	54.25
100	153	Kenyon	79.37	188	112	Nash	54.20
101	151	Shaw	79.32	189	124	Eastment	53.64
102	180	Bennett	79.28	190	145	Neels	53.42
103	99	Mangos	78.90	191	125	Reid	51.43
104	101	Allen	78.83	192	160	Dawson	47.59
105	154	Senior	78.77	193	141	Johnson	46.55
106	176	Allan	78.38	194	188	Barda	44.91
107	91	Obenchain	78.18	195	90	Fitzgerald	43.43
108	175	Mills	77.78	196	45	Randhawa	32.54

#### Senior Teams After Round 8

Place	No.	Team Members	Score
1	1	Richard Brightling - David Hoffman - Peter Chan - Roger Januszke	111.18
2	6	Stephen Mendick - Andrew Creet - Peter Grant - Tony Marinos	109.05
3	3	Elizabeth Havas - Gordon Schmidt - Alan Walsh - Barbara Mcdonald	107.99
4	5	Martin Bloom - Nigel Rosendorff - Steven Bock - Les Grewcock	104.82
5	8	Wally Malaczynski - Andrzej Adamczewski - Andrzej Gorzynski - Miroslaw Milaszewski - Kendall Early	102.74
7	22	Derek Evennett - Lynne Geursen - Trevor Robb - Andrew Janisz	100.47
6	16	Nicky Strasser - Peter Strasser - Eva Shand - George Bilski - Les Varadi	100.48
8	2	Arthur Robbins - Gary Ridgway - David Happell - Douglas Newlands	96.42
9	11	Ely Urbach - John Scudder - Marcia Scudder - Inez Glander	95.93
10	18	Mike Robson - Betty Lee - Alan Smith - Robyn Clayton	91.74

Place	No.	Team	Score	Place	No.	Team	Score
11	31	Currie	91.71	29	28	Reid	72.93
12	4	Klofa	90.32	30	20	Braithwaite	72.70
13	14	Goodman	89.93	31	27	Mottram	71.43
14	40	Young	88.52	32	46	Lee	71.30
15	10	Kahler	88.22	33	30	Nightingale	71.22
16	7	Manley	87.08	34	29	Lawrence	70.98
17	9	Freeman-Greene	86.55	35	32	Coats	70.74
18	45	Long	85.36	36	36	Biro	70.65
19	13	Marr	85.07	37	39	Mill	70.54

Place	No.	Team	Score	Place	No.	Team	Score
20	42	Schoutrop	84.99	38	26	Harman	67.49
21	41	Glasson	84.95	39	25	Lynn	63.82
22	12	De Luca	83.62	40	19	Brockwell	62.73
23	43	Knaggs	81.06	41	35	Kovacs	59.43
24	34	Hurwitz	79.48	42	23	Ascione	59.28
25	21	Lyons	76.78	43	44	Lockwood	53.73
26	15	Milward	75.92	44	37	Boyd	50.99
27	38	Thompson	74.30	45	33	Anderson	50.92
28	17	Smee	73.78	46	24	Knight	40.42

#### Intermediate Teams After Round 8

Place	No.	Team Members	Score
1	48	Sue Edwards - Ann Deaker - Lyn Mould - Erica Tie	111.15
2	84	- - -	107.75
3	8	John Kelly - Mike Fox - Alison Dawson - Elizabeth Zeller	107.33
4	22	Paul Roberts - Bruce Carroll - David Lehmann - John Nibbs	105.37
5	13	Bastian Bolt - Geoffrey Roberts - Kevin Dean - Bob Hunt	103.05
6	2	Craig Francis - Nikolas Moore - Tim Runting - Murray Perrin	102.74
7	23	Larry Attwood - Kathryn Attwood - Bert Romeijn - Chris Fernando	102.53
8	77	Chris Stead - Eric Baker - Terrence Sheedy - Keith Blinco	100.33
9	30	Jack Rohde - Lex Ranke - David O'Gorman - Julie Jeffries	100.06
10	54	Robert Hurst - Rowan Corbett - Rhonda Thorpe - Robin Erskine	99.73

Place	No.	Team	Score	Place	No.	Team	Score
11	6	Lisle	99.50	48	10	Thatcher	78.15
12	81	Starr-Nolan	97.63	49	65	Mcnee	77.66
13	79	Armstrong	96.81	50	33	Sear	77.55
14	11	Knox	96.32	51	46	Hughes	77.15
15	5	Webb	95.98	52	53	Tuckey	77.08
16	36	Cockbill	95.73	53	67	Bayliss	76.88
17	68	Barnes	95.22	54	80	Black	74.70
18	18	Grant	95.03	55	74	O'Neill	74.62
19	35	Pincus	94.83	56	69	Coroneo	74.23
20	39	Sharp	94.06	57	7	Allen	73.49
21	63	Hoole	93.70	58	72	Look	72.43
22	16	Thompson	93.43	59	24	Hollingworth	72.34
23	61	Eldridge	89.24	60	15	Francis	71.88
24	75	Jones	88.74	61	44	Peak	70.33
25	4	Sykes	87.73	62	82	White	70.15
26	9	Wylie	87.45	63	71	Wilson	70.12
27	20	Nilsson	87.38	64	19	Collins	70.02
28	70	Farrall	87.07	65	76	Gardiner	69.69
29	41	De Palo	86.42	66	12	Gray	68.91
30	55	Heywood	85.91	67	47	Jury	67.71
31	62	Mander	84.81	68	57	Quigley	66.22
32	50	Schmalkuche	84.36	69	73	Whittle	65.45
33	56	Dellaca	84.10	70	37	Britten	65.26
34	17	Brown	83.24	71	38	Rozier	63.62
35	31	Chesser	83.07	72	59	Reilly	62.31
36	40	Mitchell	82.74	73	32	Beckett	62.15
37	26	Potts	82.52	74	60	Argent	61.18
38	34	Collier	82.27	75	64	Land	60.89
39	1	Stoneman	82.05	76	66	Scott	60.56
40	43	Brewer	81.40	77	45	Lloyd	59.73
40	3	Garrick	81.40	78	49	Binsted	59.65
42	14	Keating	80.15	79	52	Bright	56.35
43	21	Isle	80.02	80	25	De Mestre	56.29
44	83	Slutzkin	79.73	81	29	Boyce	55.45
45	28	Bailey	79.36	82	51	Eastman	48.85
46	58	Kite	78.86	83	27	Moschner	40.21
47	42	Leckie	78.27	84	78	Warner	39.82

#### Restricted Teams After Round 8

Place	No.	Team Members	Score
1	58	Julia England - Pam Hancox - Jennette Rosetta - Margaret Carr	117.67
2	2	Margaret Rogers - John Rogers - Bill Forbes - Lydia Adams	109.95
3	5	Genevieve Page - Sally Luke - Diana Mckenzie - Heather Reynolds	105.49
4	42	Paul Brake - Jessica Brake - Malcolm Moore - Fran Martin	105.21
5	26	Barbara Wippell - Kim Nicoll - Brian Wippell - Michael Doherty	101.55

Place	No.	Team Members	Score				
6	4	Denis Ward - Laurie Skeate - Denis Moody - Monty Dale	101.21				
7	8	Neil Strutton - Helen Chamberlin - Robyn Clark - Brigid Marland	99.10				
8	15	Sally Cullen - Chris Cullen - John Dunlop - Jill Dunlop - John Ham - Janet Ham	97.22				
9	32	Helen Tyler - Terry Nadebaum - Sheryl Haslam - Marcey Spilsbury	95.84				
10	44	Cherry Trengove - Margaret Rex - Susan Hunt - Janet Grieve	95.74				
Place	No.	Team	Score	Place	No.	Team	Score
11	13	Mcnaughton	95.45	40	29	Anderson	77.12
12	34	Earnshaw	94.52	41	52	Nice	76.20
13	1	Tomlinson	92.96	42	66	Ryan	75.69
14	14	Rosengren	90.81	43	59	Lenton	74.53
15	12	Bristow	90.38	44	19	Clifford	74.44
16	40	Paul	89.42	45	10	Duggin	73.23
17	54	Howard	88.60	46	67	Crommelin	72.57
18	23	Treloar	88.46	47	50	Meakin	71.93
19	62	Macintosh	88.37	48	7	Morgan	71.15
20	65	Mabin	87.39	49	56	Kommeren	70.75
21	28	Williams	87.27	50	51	Devlin	70.03
22	16	Pike	87.23	51	64	Finger	69.83
23	20	Ward	87.21	52	61	Crowe	69.82
24	43	Hooper	86.98	53	49	Chapman	68.84
25	31	Boyd	86.66	54	57	Gault	68.64
26	9	Clift	85.84	55	39	Howe	67.95
27	17	Rossiter-Nuttall	85.30	56	33	Erlandson	67.92
28	63	Jacobs	84.36	57	18	Balkin	64.72
29	6	Webber	83.98	58	35	Gladders	64.68
30	45	Jenkins	83.88	59	48	Simmons	63.72
31	25	Graham	83.67	60	27	Cook	62.22
32	22	Mcmaster	83.16	61	38	Steward	62.14
33	41	Mcconvill	82.84	62	55	Corney	61.17
34	11	Griffith	82.63	63	37	Fraser	58.92
35	36	Perry	81.33	64	21	Benes	58.09
36	3	Fulton	81.10	65	53	Knight	56.95
37	30	Sinclair	78.47	66	24	Crothers	54.51
38	47	Jones	78.23	67	46	Pearce	46.88
39	60	Morris	77.40	68	68	Frost	42.48
Novice Teams After Round 8							
Place	No.	Team Members	Score				
1	16	Maureen Gibney - Susan Lipton - Godfrey Baillon-Bending - Michael Mcauliffe	109.42				
2	2	Linda Norman - Kay Roberts - Joan Jenkins - Carmel Wikman	106.28				
3	11	Jo Neary - Dennis Sullivan - Val Courtis - Louise Tucker	104.36				
4	14	Gabrielle Elich - John Elich - Christophe Wlodarczyk - Justine Wlodarczyk	99.61				
5	5	George Gibson - Lynne Layton - Neil Casey - James Williamson	94.25				
6	1	Roxane Brayshaw - Gaynor Rogers - Dianne Carlton-Smith - Pamela Brown	93.64				
7	6	Raymond Powley - Susan Powley - Walter Hugentobler - Annemarie Hugentobler	92.97				
8	17	Ian Hoschke - Sylvia Billingham - Sue Falkingham - Dot Saxon-Williams	90.51				
9	19	Sonia Brodman - Jackie Yung - John Fox - Jenny Fox	89.48				
10	31	Val Kempe - Julie Clark - -	88.08				
Place	No.	Team	Score	Place	No.	Team	Score
11	9	Shardlow	87.52	22	12	Trevisanello	72.91
12	20	Howitt	86.42	23	23	Bryant	72.77
13	8	Wilson	86.36	24	10	Egan	72.37
14	4	Jones	85.68	25	30	Hughes	69.70
15	32	Wang	84.78	26	18	Webb	69.43
16	3	Lane	80.16	27	25	Newman	69.19
17	29	Young	78.94	28	28	Gilfillan	68.53
18	7	Adams	78.86	29	13	Du Temple	67.99
19	15	Parker	77.86	30	22	Clark	62.62
20	21	Ledger	77.23	31	26	Bowen	38.17
21	27	Yap-Giles	76.43	32	24	Mathews	27.48



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4 :	19+		6-		84×	12+		14+
	2		8	12+				
3	32+		2 :			18+		3-
		18×		19+	9			
	1				72×		2 :	
14+	2-		360×	1-		3 :	112×	
	11+				10+			
9		7		48×				3
2 :			7		27×		30×	

DIFFICULT SUDOKU

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0-	1	60×	5	10+	3	6	0-	2
4	6	1	12+	3	5	5		2
3	2	6	5	4	1	1		

YESTERDAY'S DIFFICULT SUDOKU

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7	8	9	2	4	3	5	1	6
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4	2	5	6	1	9	7	8	3
8	1	4	3	9	5	6	2	7
6	5	2	1	7	4	3	9	8
9	7	3	8	6	2	4	5	1



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