



The First Round Robin Completed

The first Round Robin has been completed, two more await completion before the semi-finals and finals take place.

Two teams managed three victories today: South Africa in the Open Championship and Tunisia in the Women Championship.

In the Open Championship **South Africa** are now the leaders less than two points ahead of **Egypt**. These two teams have opened up a good lead of sixteen points over third-placed **Tunisia**. **Morocco** and **Reunion** are currently fighting for the fourth spot so as to be in the semi-finals and so have a chance of winning a berth to the World Championships in Marrakesh.

In the Women Championship **Egypt** still lead but **Tunisia** has moved into second position with **South Africa** third. A mere four points cover these three teams and **Morocco** occupy fourth place some nine points behind them.

	R.R (02)		Match (02), 09H00			Match (03), 12H30			Match (04), 15H15		
	Date	Table No.	Home Team	X	Visiting Team	Home Team	X	Visiting Team	Home Team	X	Visiting Team
Open	TUE 30	1	1 EGY	x	5 REU	4 TUN	x	1 EGY	1 EGY	x	3 MOR
		2	4 TUN	x	6 KEN	3 MOR	x	5 REU	2 RSA	x	4 TUN
		3	3 MOR	x	2 RSA	2 RSA	x	6 KEN	6 KEN	x	5 REU
	Date	Table No.	Home Team	X	Visiting Team	Home Team	X	Visiting Team	Home Team	X	Visiting Team
	TUE 30										
Women	TUE 30	1	1 EGY	x	5 KEN	4 TUN	x	1 EGY	1 EGY	x	3 MOR
		2	4 TUN	x	6 BYE	3 MOR	x	5 KEN	2 RSA	x	4 TUN
		3	3 MOR	x	2 RSA	2 RSA	x	6 BYE	6 BYE	x	5 KEN
	R.R (03)		Match (05), 09H00			RR(03), Match (01), 12H30			Match (02), 15H15		





Current Standings

African Bridge Federation

ABF Trials 2021 - Open Teams

Click the session score to see match details

RR 2	Team		Previous RRs		S. 01		S. 02		S. 03		S. 04		S. 05		Total		PEN.	R
			IMP	V/P	IMP	V/P	IMP	V/P	IMP	V/P	IMP	V/P	IMP	V/P	IMP	V/P		
	South Africa	RSA	118	74.17	13	13.52		0		0		0		0	131	87.69		1
	Egypt	EGY	103	67.78	43	18.44		0		0		0		0	146	86.22		2
	Tunisia	TUN	13	57.15	13	13.52		0		0		0		0	26	70.67		3
	Morocco	MOR	3	48.97	-13	6.48		0		0		0		0	-10	55.45		4
	Reunion	REU	-2	45.76	-13	6.48		0		0		0		0	-15	52.24		5
	Kenya	KEN	-235	6.17	-43	1.56		0		0		0		0	-278	7.73		6

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ABF Trials 2023 - Women Teams

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RR 2	Team		Previous RRs		S. 01		S. 02		S. 03		S. 04		S. 05		Total		PEN.	R
			IMP	V/P	IMP	V/P	IMP	V/P	IMP	V/P	IMP	V/P	IMP	V/P	IMP	V/P		
	Egypt	EGY	35	62.40	0	12.00		0.00		0.00		0.00		0.00	35	74.40		1
	Tunisia	TUN	6	60.47	7	12.03		0.00		0.00		0.00		0.00	13	72.50		2
	South Africa	RSA	37	51.37	47	18.87		0.00		0.00		0.00		0.00	84	70.24		
	Morocco	MOR	-21	53.47	-7	7.97		0.00		0.00		0.00		0.00	-28	61.44		3
	Kenya	KEN	-57	32.29	-47	1.13		0.00		0.00		0.00		0.00	-104	33.42		4

All information can be found on the website:

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Closed Room

West	North	East	South
Hussein	Ali	Fouda	Anis
–	1♣	1♥	1♠
2♦	4♠	All Pass	

The first three tricks were the same but on the third declarer ruffed with the queen and was overruffed by the ace and now East's jack came into its own and scored the decisive trick to take the contract down. 10 IMPs to Egypt.

Board 46. Dealer East. None Vul.

♠ A9	♠ J7653	♠ KQ4
♥ J765	♥ A10842	♥ 3
♦ AK654	♦ –	♦ J8732
♣ 93	♣ J107	♣ AK84
	♠ 1082	
	♥ KQ9	
	♦ Q109	
	♣ Q652	

Open Room

West	North	East	South
Meddeb	Elsayyad	Skander	Adel
–	–	1♦	Pass
1♥	Pass	2♣	Pass
3♦	Pass	3NT	All Pass

South chose the ♠8 as his opening lead, won in dummy with the ace while North threw the ♠J. The ace of diamonds revealed the bad news. Declarer established his diamond suit whilst North threw spades from his highest to his lowest. In with the ♦Q South was not hard pressed to understand North's discards and promptly led his top hearts and another to take the contract two off.

Closed Room

West	North	East	South
Hussein	Ali	Fouda	Anis
–	–	1♦	Pass
1♥	1♠	2♣	2♠
3♠	Pass	3NT	Pass
4♦	Pass	5♦	All Pass

East must have been wondering if a slam had been missed but when the trump suit broke 3-0 he must have been pleased he was not playing in no-trumps. He lost a trump and a heart so eleven tricks and the same number of IMPs to Egypt.

Board 48. Dealer West. E/W Vul.

♠ 982	♠ AJ764	♠ –
♥ AJ98	♥ Q654	♥ K32
♦ KQ10	♦ AJ5	♦ 98642
♣ 964	♣ 7	♣ AK853
		♠ KQ1053
		♥ 107
		♦ 73
		♣ QJ102

Open Room

West	North	East	South
Meddeb	Elsayyad	Skander	Adel
Pass	1♠	2♣	4♠
Double	All Pass		

The defence started with the ace of clubs and switched to a diamond declarer smoothly ducking West's queen. The jack of hearts went to the queen and king and East now led another diamond which meant that in the fullness of time the heart loser was going to be discarded on a winning diamond.

Closed Room

West	North	East	South
Hussein	Ali	Fouda	Anis
Pass	1♠	2♣	4♠
Double	All Pass		

The ace of clubs was led and West played the ♣9. Reading this as a signal East switched to a small heart to West's ace. West played the king of diamonds and again declarer ducked smoothly but to no avail as West continued with the ♥J to take the contract one off. 12 IMPs to Egypt.

Egypt had much the better of Tunisia and finished up with a whitewash. I am sure Tunisia will up its game against Egypt in the two further confrontations to come.





Open Championship Day 2 Session 1 Egypt v Morocco

The first match on the second day of the Open Championship saw undefeated Egypt take on fourth-place Morocco.

Board 2. Dealer East. N/S Vul.

♠ 842	♠ AK6	♠ 53
♥ AK8	♥ 109762	♥ QJ43
♦ Q83	♦ 6	♦ AK1095
♣ K832	♣ AQ76	♣ J10
		♠ QJ1097
		♥ 5
		♦ J742
		♣ 954

Open Room

West	North	East	South
<i>Fatim</i>	<i>Hussein</i>	<i>Dahan</i>	<i>Fouda</i>
–	–	1♦	Pass
2♣	Pass	2NT	Pass
3NT	Double	All Pass	

A double of a freely bid 3NT frequently calls for the lead of dummy's first-bid suit but it is obviously up to partnership agreements. Apparently here it was the case as South led a small club to the queen and jack. North needed to switch to a spade but he made life easy for declarer when he decided upon a diamond as that now meant declarer had five diamond tricks and four heart tricks and so his doubled game.

Closed Room

West	North	East	South
<i>Adel</i>	<i>Ammor</i>	<i>Elsayyad</i>	<i>Chamar</i>
–	–	1♦	Pass
2NT	All Pass		

With his minimum opening East did not accept partner's invite to game. Declarer won the opening heart lead and played four rounds of diamonds, South winning the fourth. The queen of spades followed but North did not over take and so the suit

was blocked. Instead of three off the contract made on the nose but it was still 10 IMPs to Morocco

Board 7. Dealer South. All Vul.

♠ AKQ873	♠ 106	♠ J4
♥ 87	♥ 52	♥ KQJ94
♦ A74	♦ KJ832	♦ Q65
♣ 53	♣ 10872	♣ K64
		♠ 952
		♥ A1083
		♦ 109
		♣ AQJ9

Open Room

West	North	East	South
<i>Fatim</i>	<i>Hussein</i>	<i>Dahan</i>	<i>Fouda</i>
–	–	–	1♣
1♠	Pass	2♥	Pass
2♠	All Pass		

Two opening hands did not manage to make it to game but looks as though it might have been a good thing as both 4♦ and 3NT can fail and indeed declarer lost the four tricks that would have been duplicated if he was playing at the four-level.

Closed Room

West	North	East	South
<i>Adel</i>	<i>Ammor</i>	<i>Elsayyad</i>	<i>Chamar</i>
–	–	–	1♣
1♠	Pass	2♥	Pass
2♠	Pass	2NT	Pass
3NT	All Pass		

East made an effort and West pushed on to game. To beat the contract South should lead a diamond (a spade would also work – (I'll leave you to work out why) and the North must switch to the ♣10. Unsurprisingly this was beyond the defence and initial lead of the ♣Q saw declarer win with king and rattle off six spade winners before playing a heart to set up the ninth trick. 10 IMP to Egypt.





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Board 8. Dealer West. None Vul.

♠ 42		♠ A6
♥ AQ954		♥ J1087
♦		♦ 543
♣ AQ8732		♣ J954
♠ J109875	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> N W E S </div>	♠ KQ3
♥ 632		♥ K
♦ KQ10		♦ AJ98762
♣ K		♣ 106

Open Room

West	North	East	South
<i>Fatim</i>	<i>Hussein</i>	<i>Dahan</i>	<i>Fouda</i>
Pass	1♣	Pass	1♦
2♠	Pass	Pass	3NT3NT
Pass	4♥	Pass	5♦
All Pass			

An horrendous misfit, points will be available to those who can brake hardest. West lead a spade which East took and returned the suit. Declarer cashed the ace of trumps and played another, taken by West who gave her partner a spade ruff. Declarer still had a master trump to lose and so finished two light.

Closed Room

West	North	East	South
<i>Adel</i>	<i>Ammor</i>	<i>Elsayyad</i>	<i>Chamar</i>
2♠*	4♣*	Pass	4NT
Pass	5♥	Pass	5♠*
Pass	5NT	All Pass	
2♠	6♠ 8-11		
4♣	♣ & ♥		
5♠	To play 5NT		

I am not convinced South meant 4NT as Blackwood but eventually got the point over that he wanted to play in no-trumps. With diamonds never having been mentioned West elected to lead the ♦K and when it held the trick he continued the suit much to the pleasure of declarer who was even more delighted when he played a third round. He then unblocked the king of hearts and played a top spade and claimed the rest when East took the ace. A remarkable result that gave 11 IMPs to Morocco.

At the end of the match Egypt managed a small victory of 10.91- 9.09 BPs,

Local Time

All times quoted within the Bulletins are GMT:

Morocco and Tunisia are one hour ahead.

South Africa is two hours ahead.

Egypt and Kenya are three hours ahead and

Reunion is four hours ahead.

So at 2.00 p.m. it is 3.00 p.m. in Morocco and Tunisia, 4.00 p.m. in South Africa and Egypt, 5.00 p.m. in Kenya and 6.00 p.m. in Reunion.





Women Championship Day 2 Session 2 Egypt v South Africa

In the final round of the Women Championship first Round Robin Egypt were up against South Africa.

Board 20. Dealer West. All Vul.

♠ —		
♥ KJ		
♦ AKQ1074		
♣ J7432		
♠ AKJ1063		♠ Q9752
♥ AQ9765		♥ 1083
♦ —		♦ 9
♣ Q		♣ 10985
		♠ 84
		♥ 42
		♦ J86532
		♣ AK6

Open Room

West	North	East	South
Armstrong	Dina	Stanton	Soliman
2♠*	2♦	4♦	5♦
5♥	6♦	Pass	Pass
6♥	Pass	6♠	Double
All Pass			
2♣	Strong		

I suspect West was bidding expecting to make a slam not sacrificing against a making one. Declarer lost the two obvious tricks for one off.

Closed Room

West	North	East	South
Pascal	Bernstein	Wattar	Lang
2♦*	3♦	Pass	Pass
3♠	Pass	4♦	5♦
5♥	Pass	5♠	All Pass
2♦	Game forcing		

You know West is going to game so bidding 3♦ is not going to overly inconvenience him. There must be a case for bidding 4NT over the opening bid and if I had bid 3♦ at my first attempt then I would certainly have bid 4NT at the second attempt showing extreme distribution in the minors with diamonds longer than my clubs – then South would have had

good cause to bid Six Diamonds. Five Spades made the same eleven tricks a gave Egypt 13 IMPs.

Board 22. Dealer East. E/W Vul.

♠ 83		
♥ J4		
♦ K10987		
♣ Q1082		
♠ AJ954		♠ 762
♥ AQ103		♥ K87
♦ —		♦ A32
♣ J954		♣ A763
		♠ KQ10
		♥ 9652
		♦ Qj654
		♣ K

Open Room

West	North	East	South
Armstrong	Dina	Stanton	Soliman
—	—	1♣	1♦
1♥*	2♦	Double*	3♦
4♠	5♦	Double	Pass
1♥	4+♠		
Dble	3♠		
5♥	Pass	5♠	All Pass

There is an oft quoted saying 'The five-level belongs to the opponents'. Why is it oft quoted? because it has a lot of truth in it. Writing -100 instead of +500 is always a painful exercise. In fact you are lucky to be only one off – the fortunate lie of the trump suit restricting losers in that suit to one.

Closed Room

West	North	East	South
Pascal	Bernstein	Wattar	Lang
—	—	Pass	Pass
1♠	Pass	2♣*	Pass
2♥	Pass	4♠	All Pass
2♣	Drury		

The diamond lead was won in dummy and a trump played. South split her honours and declarer won with the ace and reentered dummy with a heart.





Another trump and South rose with the king and played another diamond ruffed by declarer who made the good play of cashing the ace of hearts and when the jack fell could draw the last trump and claim. Had the jack not fallen then declarer will cash another high heart and hope they are either 3-3 or the hand with the short hearts does not hold the outstanding trump. 12 IMPs to Egypt.

Board 29. Dealer North. All Vul.

	♠ J 10 5 4 2	
	♥ 10 7 6 5	
	♦ K 3	
	♣ K 6	
♠ 7 3	<div>W N E S</div>	♠ A 6
♥ AKQ943		♥ J 8 2
♦ A 6 4		♦ J 10 9 7 2
♣ 8 4		♣ A Q 3
	♠ K Q 9 8	
	♥ —	
	♦ Q 8 5	
	♣ J 10 9 7 5 2	

Open Room

West	North	East	South
<i>Armstrong</i>	<i>Dina</i>	<i>Stanton</i>	<i>Soliman</i>
—	Pass	1♣	Pass
1♦*	Pass	1♥*	Pass
4♥	All Pass		
1♦	4+♥		
1♥	3♥		

The lead of the ♠K was taken in hand and two rounds of trumps finishing in hand saw the ♦J led. This was covered by the queen and ace. Two more rounds of trumps followed and a diamond from dummy brought the king from North who tried a last desperate gamble with the king of clubs which point declarer claimed the rest of the tricks.

Closed Room

West	North	East	South
<i>Pascal</i>	<i>Bernstein</i>	<i>Wattar</i>	<i>Lang</i>
—	Pass	1♦	Pass
1♥	Pass	1♥	Pass
2♣*	Pass	2♥	Pass
4♥	All Pass		

The lead of a small spade was taken by the ace and the jack of diamonds ran round to the king. The jack of spades held the next trick and when North switched to a club declarer rose with dummy's ace. The ♦10 was covered by the queen and ace. Now declarer blocked the trump suit by cashing the ace and king and so had to win the third round in dummy and when she tried to cash a winning diamond North ruffed in and cashed a winning club for one down. 13 IMPs to South Africa.

At the end of a tight hard fought match South Africa edged out Egypt by 11.76-8.24 VPs

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Your Chief Tournament Director Waleed El Menyawi explains the important procedures to be observed during the Championships:



Play Links

Each category will have its own playing link (Open teams link – Women teams link .. etc.
Play links will be posted to the captains' WhatsApp group and will be also posted to the ABF website at the following link

https://www.bridgewebs.com/cgi-bin/bwop/bw.cgi?club=abf&pid=display_page24

Click the Match number, official start time or Session open time of your category to join the game. The game will be open to players 30 min before the official start time.

1. Open, Women & Mixed Categories.

For the Semi-final, Final and play-off sessions, It has been decided that:

- The team ranked higher after the RR stage will be the Home team in sessions 2 and 4 in the Semi-final match.
- The team ranked lower after the RR stage will be the Home team in sessions 1 and 3 in the Semi-Final match.
- The team ranked higher after the RR stage will be the Home team in session 2 in the Final or Play-off match.
- If Morocco team qualify to the final match in any category, there will be a 4 Segments play-off match between the semi-final losers to determine the team to qualify to Marrakesh.

2. All Africa Pairs tie-break procedure

If two pairs or more have the same cumulative score after the end of the 2nd session or 4th Session, the tie shall be broken as follows:

- A. The pair with the higher score in the 2nd / 4th session shall determine the final ranking.
- B. Mutual boards between the tied pairs - if applicable -

3. Teams Events ... Last RR

The last Round Robin for all categories shall be done according to the final ranking of the teams in the previous played rounds.

4. Click the link below for instructions

[Alert Procedures - Undo Procedures - General Instructions](#)

5. Play instructions and Schedule of play ...

- A. When you log on to the RealBridge game (using the game link), you will find your team name written in one of the Tables.
- B. All team members are required **to sit at their table (all together)** in Pairs NS and EW, later on, when we start the session, the software will automatically move the EW pairs between the tables according to the schedule of play.





that the process had not been followed properly in some material way, the Reviewer will ask the Head TD to correct the failings and issue a new ruling.

8. Time delay and hesitation

- It is very important to know that the TDs have the tools to produce a board report which includes the time for each bid / play by each player, so please be bare that in mind when calling the TD for a possible hesitation or before denying it.
- It is also very important to know that the TDs also have the tools to produce a session time report which includes the exact time taken by each player in a session, in case of time delay, the penalty will be given according to this report.

9. Home & Visiting teams

- When you log in to the RealBridge game (using the game link), you will find your team name written on one of the Tables.
- All team members are required to sit at their table (all together) in Pairs NS and EW, later on, when we start the session, the software will automatically move the EW pairs between the tables according to the schedule of play.
- In the schedule of play you will find Home team (the team mentioned first) and Visiting team (the team mentioned second)
- NO LINE-UP will be needed from the teams, the visiting team has to sit first at their table (in Pairs NS and EW), minimum 10 min before the official start time, and the Home team has the right to have a look at the visiting team and sit its pairs accordingly.

10. Headphones / Earphones

In order to minimize the noise in the venue as much as possible...

- It is mandatory for each player to have his own headphone / earphone which is connected to his device during play
- Use the table chat / private chat as much as possible and don't use vocal chat.
- Any vocal explanation will not be taken into the TD consideration in any case.
- You need to be very careful when using the table chat as you might give an unauthorized information to your partner which could results in adjusted score by the TD.

11. Kibitzers

- Kibitzers are not allowed by any means at 1) the playing venue, 2) RealBridge online playing room.
- All players are required to immediately leave the playing area when they finish their session, players are also kindly asked to keep their seats and not roam around the playing area.
- All the matches will be broadcasted via RealBridge kibitzer website...

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determined a slightly different ruling would not be good reason for the ruling to be varied. In the event that the process had not been followed properly in some material way, the Reviewer will ask the Head TD to correct the failings and issue a new ruling.

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- At the RealBridge kibitzer website, you can find the live broadcasted matches and also all the other matches scheduled for broadcast.
- For security reasons, all broadcasted matches will be delayed by 30-45 min.

12. Smoking, Eating and Alcohol, Mobile and electronic devices

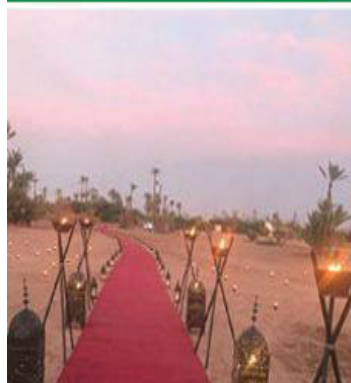
We must act as if we were playing these championships "live", therefore, the following is strictly forbidden during play:

- Mobile phones and any other electronic devices, Mobile phones will be collected and there will be a regular check each session by the monitor.
- Eating (even if only biscuits)
- Drinking Alcohol
- Smoking
- Going to the WC without permission
- Talking loudly during or at the end of any board if the player is unhappy about his/her partner's bid, hand play or defense.

46th WORLD BRIDGE TEAMS CHAMPIONSHIPS 13th WORLD TRANSNATIONAL OPEN TEAMS

Marrakech, Morocco • 20 August - 2 September 2023*

**Registration and Opening Ceremony on 19 August*





Roster - Open Teams

Egypt

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Saleem Ud Deen

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Morocco

Captain

Fatim Lahlou

Mohammed Adnane Ammor

Ismail Chamar

Stephane Dahan

Fatim Lahlou

Pierre Sibony

Reunion

Captain

Patrick Hamel

Patrick Hamel

Christian Giraud

Gabriel Melin

Jean-Luc Neulat

Catherine Aouate

Régine Wan Hoi

South Africa

Captain

Hennie Fick

Neville Eber

Hennie Fick

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Hassouna Ben Abdelmalek

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Mohamed Ali Lakhdhar

Omar Meddeb

Lassad Jedidi





12th African Bridge Championships



GMT TIME

Open Teams Schedule of play

Each Match = 16 Boards in 2H 15min

R.R (01)		Match (01), 09H00			Match (02), 12H30			Match (03), 15H15		
Date	Table No.	Home Team	X	Visiting Team	Home Team	X	Visiting Team	Home Team	X	Visiting Team
SUN 28	1	1 EGY	x	6 KEN	5 REU	x	1 EGY	1 EGY	x	4 TUN
	2	2 RSA	x	5 REU	6 KEN	x	4 TUN	5 REU	x	3 MOR
	3	3 MOR	x	4 TUN	2 RSA	x	3 MOR	6 KEN	x	2 RSA
R.R (01)		Match (04), 09H00			Match (05), 12H30			RR(02) Match (01), 15H15		
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MON 29	1	3 MOR	x	1 EGY	1 EGY	x	2 RSA	6 KEN	x	1 EGY
	2	4 TUN	x	2 RSA	3 MOR	x	6 KEN	5 REU	x	2 RSA
	3	5 REU	x	6 KEN	4 TUN	x	5 REU	4 TUN	x	3 MOR
R.R (02)		Match (02), 09H00			Match (03), 12H30			Match (04), 15H15		
Date	Table No.	Home Team	X	Visiting Team	Home Team	X	Visiting Team	Home Team	X	Visiting Team
TUE 30	1	1 EGY	x	5 REU	4 TUN	x	1 EGY	1 EGY	x	3 MOR
	2	4 TUN	x	6 KEN	3 MOR	x	5 REU	2 RSA	x	4 TUN
	3	3 MOR	x	2 RSA	2 RSA	x	6 KEN	6 KEN	x	5 REU
R.R (03)		Match (05), 09H00			RR(03), Match (01), 12H30			Match (02), 15H15		
Date	Table No.	Home Team	X	Visiting Team	Home Team	X	Visiting Team	Home Team	X	Visiting Team
WED 31	1	2 RSA	x	1 EGY	1 Team R 01	x	6 Team R 06	5 Team R 05	x	1 Team R 01
	2	6 KEN	x	3 MOR	2 Team R 02	x	5 Team R 05	6 Team R 06	x	4 Team R 04
	3	5 REU	x	4 TUN	3 Team R 03	x	4 Team R 04	2 Team R 02	x	3 Team R 03
R.R (03)		Match (03), 09H00			Match (04), 12H30			Match (05), 15H15		
Date	Table No.	Home Team	X	Visiting Team	Home Team	X	Visiting Team	Home Team	X	Visiting Team
THU 01	1	1 Team R 01	x	4 Team R 04	3 Team R 03	x	1 Team R 01	1 Team R 01	x	2 Team R 02
	2	5 Team R 05	x	3 Team R 03	4 Team R 04	x	2 Team R 02	3 Team R 03	x	6 Team R 06
	3	6 Team R 06	x	2 Team R 02	5 Team R 05	x	6 Team R 06	4 Team R 04	x	5 Team R 05

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Roster - Women Teams

Egypt

Captain

Dina El Awady

Nada Wattar

Catherine Pascal

Hoda Soliman

Hoda Soliman

Marguerite Homsy

Nada Moussa

Kenya

Captain

Bijal Shah

Bijal Shah

Punam Shah

Samira Dedhia Soni

Rupal shah

Sejal Shah

Vimla Virjee

Morocco

Captain

Hayat Hachimi

Hayat Hachimi

Leila Kabbaj

Samira Teber

Grazellia Nabil

Leila Benmlih

Khadija Marrakchi

South Africa

Captain

Roz Bernstein

Roz Bernstein

Sharon Lang

Vanessa Armstrong

Carol Stanton

Nicky Bateman

Tas Nestoridis

Tunisia

Captain

Mohamed Rebai

Ferdaous Trabelsi

Maissa Farhani

Hedia Sellami

Jalila Ghodhbane

Meriem Daldoul

Aicha Daldoul





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Women Teams Schedule of play



Each Match = 16 Boards in 2H 15min

R.R (01)		Match (01), 09H00			Match (02), 12H30			Match (03), 15H15		
Date	Table No.	Home Team	X	Visiting Team	Home Team	X	Visiting Team	Home Team	X	Visiting Team
SUN 28	1	1 EGY	x	6 BYE	5 KEN	x	1 EGY	1 EGY	x	4 TUN
	2	2 RSA	x	5 KEN	6 BYE	x	4 TUN	5 KEN	x	3 MOR
	3	3 MOR	x	4 TUN	2 RSA	x	3 MOR	6 BYE	x	2 RSA
R.R (01)		Match (04), 09H00			Match (05), 12H30			RR(02) Match (01), 15H15		
Date	Table No.	Home Team	X	Visiting Team	Home Team	X	Visiting Team	Home Team	X	Visiting Team
MON 29	1	3 MOR	x	1 EGY	1 EGY	x	2 RSA	6 BYE	x	1 EGY
	2	4 TUN	x	2 RSA	3 MOR	x	6 BYE	5 KEN	x	2 RSA
	3	5 KEN	x	6 BYE	4 TUN	x	5 KEN	4 TUN	x	3 MOR
R.R (02)		Match (02), 09H00			Match (03), 12H30			Match (04), 15H15		
Date	Table No.	Home Team	X	Visiting Team	Home Team	X	Visiting Team	Home Team	X	Visiting Team
TUE 30	1	1 EGY	x	5 KEN	4 TUN	x	1 EGY	1 EGY	x	3 MOR
	2	4 TUN	x	6 BYE	3 MOR	x	5 KEN	2 RSA	x	4 TUN
	3	3 MOR	x	2 RSA	2 RSA	x	6 BYE	6 BYE	x	5 KEN
R.R (03)		Match (05), 09H00			RR(03), Match (01), 12H30			Match (02), 15H15		
Date	Table No.	Home Team	X	Visiting Team	Home Team	X	Visiting Team	Home Team	X	Visiting Team
WED 31	1	2 RSA	x	1 EGY	1 Team R 01	x	6 Team R 06	5 Team R 05	x	1 Team R 01
	2	6 BYE	x	3 MOR	2 Team R 02	x	5 Team R 05	6 Team R 06	x	4 Team R 04
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RealBridge Playing Instructions

First : Log in , Lobby, at the table and Settings

1. To join any RealBridge game you will need a **LINK**

2. All the play links will be available on ABF website

https://www.bridgewebs.com/cgi-bin/bwop/bw.cgi?club=abf&pid=display_page24

AND you might also receive it by mail.

3. Click the link and you will be redirected to the log on page of our game which looks like the next figure ...

Notice that your video should appear in the right bottom corner of the page and mic volume showing that it works.

4. If you can't see your video then you need to allow your browser to use your cam and mic, do as follows to allow it

5. From Goggle Chrome and just before the address bar, press the lock icon

6. Allow cam and allow mic.

7. Write your name in the required field and press login – nothing else is to be done- **NO ID number will be used, (leave it blank)**

8. When you logged in you will see the lobby which almost looks like the following figure (**but this figure includes extra buttons for TDs**)

Notice the lobby chat window to the right.

Keep an eye to the Lobby chat

- For important announcements





9. Each table labeled with a team name, find your table and chose where to sit (Sit N, Sit S, Sit E or Sit W)
10. Get familiar with the buttons at your table and call the TD using the button for help.

Volume control for your partner.

Volume control for left-hand opponent. You have a separate volume control for each player. This only affects what you hear.

Private chat with left-hand opponent. You can chat privately only with the opponents, not partner

Volume control for right-hand opponent.

Private chat with right-hand opponent.

Disable/enable your video.

Disable / enable your microphone. Use this when you're on the phone!

Hide / unhide the other players' videos. Use this if you have a poor connection.

Redial. Restarts audio and video connections. Use it if the connection fails, or if your video or audio gets out of sync.

Settings

"Detailed cards" shows pictures of cards; "Simplified cards" are schematic and have larger symbols

The orientation of dummy's cards when you are defending.

The orientation of dummy's cards when you are declaring.

Choose the way you make bids and plays. With "Two taps", the first tap selects the card, then the second tap confirms. "Double click" means that you make two fast clicks.

Display style

- ☒ Detailed cards
- ☐ Simplified cards

As defender, see dummy

- ☐ Facing declarer
- ☒ Facing me

As declarer, see dummy as

- ☐ Vertical suits (facing declarer)
- ☒ Horizontal hand

Input style

- ☒ One click or tap
- ☐ Two taps (tablet)
- ☐ Double click (mouse)

Deal animation

Slide

Animation duration

This controls how a new hand arrives at the beginning of each deal. Choose an effect, or set to "None" to have the hand simply appear.

If you have an animation enabled, use the slider to control how long the animation lasts.

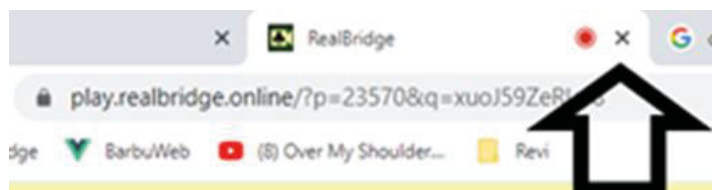
OK Cancel





11. After we play all boards



Leave RealBridge, close the tab. See the small X? just click it.



12. Can Use and Can't use

Can Use	Can't use
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Windows laptop Windows desktop MacBook or another Apple laptop iMac or another Apple desktop Chromebook 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Smartphone Old iPads, older than 2018.

You must use one of these web browsers (you probably are using one of them!):

Can Use ü	Can't use û
<p>Edge, Chrome, Firefox, Safari. The logo must look like one of these – <u>exactly</u> as below. If it looks different, you are using an out-of-date version. <i><u>If you are choosing amongst your browsers, we advise that you chose something other than Firefox.</u></i></p>	<p>Internet Explorer (notice the gold band) The old EDGE (see shape of the e)</p>
	

Second : Bidding, Play, Alert and System

13. **At the start** of any session, All the team members are required to be seated at the same table (Table with the **team name label**), the system will automatically move the EW pairs to the opponents table when we start the session **and will send them back to their home table when both tables finish playing the boards.**

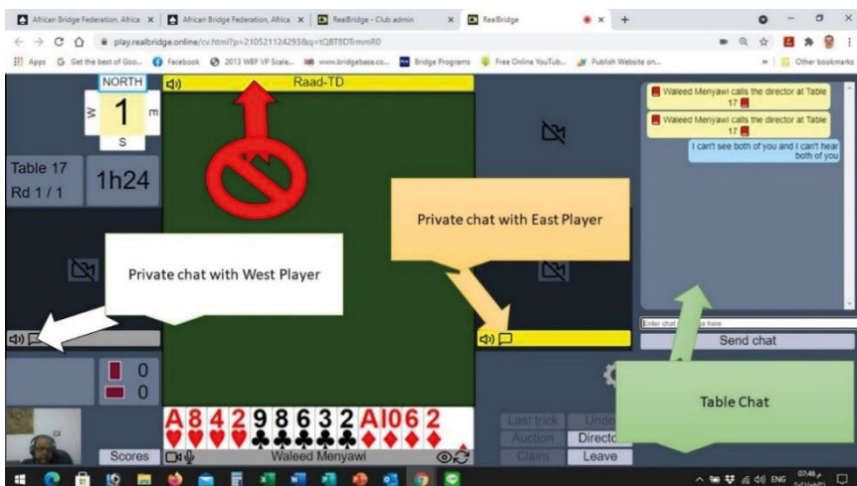
14. **Private chat and Table chat**

- It is strongly recommended to use the chat rather than the vocal chat; the TDs will not take into consideration any vocal explanation if you have any case.
- I will show you now, 2 figures and will appoint to you where to find the table chat (where the 4 players can see your chat) and where to find the private chat where you can chat privately with one of your opponents (not your partner of-course 😊).





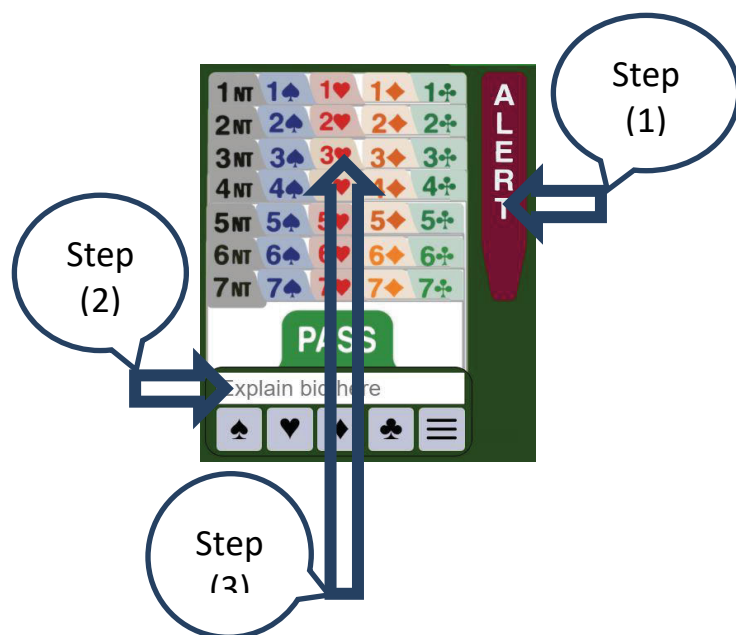
When you are at Full Screen mode



When you are at normal view (NOT Full Screen mode

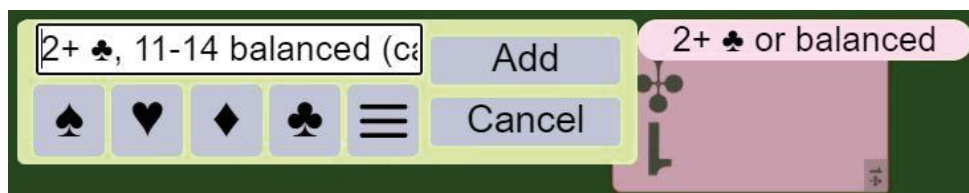
15. Self-alert and self-explanation proper procedure:

1. Click alert (if required)
2. Write / Put in explanation
3. Make bid

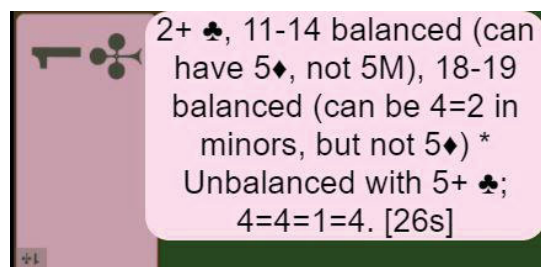




If you make a **mistake** or need to **explain your bid further** after you have bid, you can click on the bid and add more text.



The added text will appear after an asterisk *. The time in seconds between when the bid was **made** and the added explanation was **submitted** is presented after the added text in the square brackets, for this example, 26 seconds. The character limit on explanations is 200 characters.



16. System

All teams are required to write a brief about their system at the table chat box before the start of first board in each match.

