

Dorin Salver - Surrey Charity Sim Pairs

Please ensure the following people in your club have this document:

- the person organising the event for your club
- the person responsible for dealing the boards, if different
- the club Treasurer so that payment can be made promptly, please see
- below for payment details.

Thank you for entering your club for this charitable event. Please run a normal club session using the hands provided. For clubs using the BBO Virtual Club facility we ask that you request an additional \$3 'table money' per person and for all other clubs an additional £2 per person.

The total profit from this event will be donated to the Queen Elizabeth Foundation for Disabled People (<u>http://qef.org.uk</u>) previously known as the Banstead Rehabilitation Centre.

Master points will be awarded as for a normal club session, plus additional master points will be awarded based on the ranking in the consolidated results.

Key points

Key points for the organisation of the event:

- The EBU will be doing the consolidation of all the results. For this to happen your club must have registered with the EBU for the specific day(s) when you plan to hold the event.
- A different set of boards have been created for each day completely at random. Please remind your members that the hands are not 'fixed' in any way.
- Please also remind your members that they may enter this event on any one, all, or any combination of the days of the event, but that they must not enter more than once on the same day.
- The hands are different for each day of the week so if your club has entered for multiple days please take care to use the correct boards for the correct day.
- If you are running more than one session on the same day then please ensure that no person attends more than one of these sessions.
- If one of your sessions takes place during the day then please do not provide handouts or publish the results until the late evening of that day (see Submission of results below).
- The pair with the highest overall percentage on each day will receive a cash prize.
- The Dorin Salver this will be awarded to the pair from a Surrey affiliated club with the highest overall percentage in the week obtained in a session of at least 5 tables where at least 20 boards were played.

How to enter

You should enter via your club's MyEBU page on the EBU website.

Files provided

The following files for each session your club has entered will be available from the EBU website:

- deal files in the following formats: .pbn; .dup; .dlm
- hand records in .pdf format

To access these files the person nominated as dealer for your club should log on to their MyEBU webpage, then click on Utilities from where they will get access to the files they need. Note that the pdf file of the hand records can be obtained by clicking on the Commentary links.

If you require anything in addition to these please contact the Sim Pairs organiser at the address below immediately. Please note that no booklets are available. Do not worry if you have ordered any, you will not be charged.

Movement

Any one or two winner movement may be used. The deal files provided contain hands for 36 boards. Please do not use more than these 36 boards.

Submission of results

Submit your session results to the EBU for Pay-2-Play purposes just as you do for your normal club sessions. That is all you need to do. Provided you have previously registered for the session with the EBU your results will be consolidated with the results from other clubs for that day and will be displayed on the EBU website under Sim Pairs. You may do this immediately after the session is completed even if it is early in the day as the EBU will not display any consolidated results until 22:30.

You of course will want to load your club results to your website if you have one. If your session is during the day please ensure that the hand records, travellers and scorecards are not displayed until late that evening. If you use Bridgewebs you can make this happen automatically by changing a setting in the Calendar entry for that event as shown:

? Hands	EBU Session No.:	
BridgeWebs will automatically find ECATS Hands if you enter the session number. Otherwise, you can attach the Pre-Dealt hand file to	Ecats Session No.:	
the event BEFORE or AFTER the results have been uploaded	Pre-Dealt Hands:	Choose File no file selected
	Show/Delay Travellers/Hands:	at 23:00 🗘

If you do this you can upload the results as soon as they are finished. The ranking of all the pairs will be visible on your website but the Travellers and Hands will not be displayed until 23:00. If you have more than one event in your calendar for that day please ensure the results are loaded to the correct one so that this delay is effective.

Master points

The EBU will award master points at club level based on your Pay-2-Play submission as normal. In addition the EBU will calculate and award enhanced master points for the consolidated results. Please ensure that any visitors or new members supply their EBU number to you to ensure they receive the correct master points.

Display of results

The consolidated results will be shown on the EBU website under Sim Pairs and will be updated as the submissions from individual clubs come in.

Payment

Payment for this event is **not** taken by the EBU and invoiced to you at the end of the month as is the case with EBU Sims.

Please note, that late payment generates a significant amount of unnecessary work at our end in chasing up clubs, so as soon as possible after you have submitted your results please arrange for an electronic payment to:

> Sort code: 40-16-05 Account: 11589776 Payee: SCBA Reference: *your club name* - SimPairs

Queries

For any queries, or if your club does not use internet banking, please contact the Competitions Secretary at <u>competitionsecretary.scba@bridgewebs.com</u> Or the Sim Pairs Organiser at <u>simpairsorganiser.scba@bridgewebs.com</u>