

6th International Bridge Festival Madeira

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THE ICELANDERS KEEP THEIR COOL!

The last session of the pairs event brought a real revolution to the ranking. The Icelanders B. Einarsson and R. Magnusson managed to win first place with a rather shy 58.10% on the last session.

Their performance was very solid throughout the whole tournament (60.57%, 63.43% and 58.10%).

Almost as solid as the Icelanders, the Swedish J-O Andersson & G. Petersson got the second place (56.82%, 60.68% and 62.63%).

Joao Paes Carvalho and Jose Moraes, who were leaders after the second session, fell to third place with 50.67 yesterday. They were the first Portuguese pair.

Christo Drumev and Ivan Tanev, who had won the N-S line in the "play for fun" session on Monday, got fourth place.

The winners of the third session, Manuel Oliveira and Jorge Cruzeiro "jumped" up to 21st place (they were 37th).

The first Maderian pair was Joao Machado and Jose Macedo, who had a very good third session.

The full ranking is in the next pages.

Let's see now how thing go on the teams tournament. There are players coming in today.



The winners - Magnusson and Einarsson



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Final Results

R	nr	name		mp(3)	3 %	2 %	1%	Média%
1	5	Einarsson-Magnusson	I	1148.1	58.10	63.43	60.57	60.70
2	6	J.O.Andersson-G.Petersson	W	1237.5	62.63	60.68	56.82	60.04
3	113	Jose Moraes-Paes Carvalho		1001.2	50.67	63.67	64.05	59.46
4	106	Christo Drumev-Ivan Tanev	S	1145.8	57.99	66.63	51.92	58.85
5	60	Gudnadottir-K.Snorrason	XI	1228	62.15	61.50	51.40	58.35
6	263	Nuno Paz-Paulo G.Pereira		951.2	48.14	61.84	64.68	58.22
7	111	E.Jonsson-S.R.Eiriksson	I	1121.2	56.74	64.63	52.67	58.02
8	114	M.J.Lara-Manuel Capucho	X	1097.4	55.54	65.29	50.32	57.05
9	207	Lasocki-Wielemans	S	1170.2	59.22	48.04	63.69	56.99
10	160	Arvo Vennola-Jaan Saks	E	934	47.27	61.68	61.32	56.75
11	11	Hans Johannesson-G.Andersson	W	1099.1	55.62	63.19	50.83	56.55
12	261	Dessy Popova-Rosen Gunev	X	1067.2	54.01	51.77	63.85	56.54
13	158	Win Hink-Jan de Winter	D	1075.1	54.41	58.65	55.68	56.25
14	206	AndersPalmgren-CarlRagnarsson	W	1188.1	60.13	60.56	47.97	56.22
15	1	Kirchhoff-Langemeyer	D	1070.1	54.15	58.62	55.56	56.11
16	257	Jaan Linnamagi-Mart Maastik	E	1035.1	52.38	49.30	66.18	55.96
17	201	GeoffreyBreskal-BrianJackson	S	1068.8	54.09	52.60	60.33	55.68
18	156	Nuno Matos-Tiago Canelas		1159.1	58.66	51.27	56.51	55.48
19	161	Jaanus Maripw-Maksim Karpov	E	993.8	50.29	54.36	61.54	55.40
20	14	Gerard Limmen-Jan Tulp	DS	1036.5	52.45	49.27	63.74	55.16
21	251	Manuel Oliveira-Jorge Cruzeiro		1246.5	63.08	41.59	60.52	55.06
22	163	De Miguel-Knap		1098.8	55.61	47.97	61.19	54.92
23	205	Joao Machado-Jose Macedo	SM2	1175.2	59.47	50.93	53.79	54.73
24	62	Beyer-Hoogland	D	1159.7	58.69	50.74	54.55	54.66
25	53	Durmus-Gross	X	1077.5	54.53	60.98	47.95	54.49
26	61	Rietveld-Zurel		1039.4	52.60	56.91	53.80	54.44
27	101	MiguelTeixeira-RodrigoSoares	M	1066	53.95	50.70	56.88	53.84
28	212	Paula Lima-J.P.R.Pinto	X	1165.2	58.97	52.40	48.99	53.45
29	56	Rolf Olsson-Rune Hilding	SW	1183.7	59.90	51.17	48.98	53.35
30	58	Olavi Oja-Ant Olev	E	970.5	49.11	58.33	51.59	53.01
31	153	Gudlaugur Sveinsson-Bergsson	I	1003.1	50.76	55.97	51.23	52.66
32	202	Paulette Schutz-RienVerhoef	SDX	1161.3	58.77	45.91	52.59	52.42
33	204	Carole Sear-Dave Franklin		1180.2	59.73	45.30	52.09	52.37
34	208	Elly Ducheyne-Kay Agterof	L	1200	60.73	44.19	51.06	51.99
35	57	Ric Dearing-Julia Dearing	SX	983.5	49.77	51.13	54.65	51.85
36	51	Mattias Weiler-LennartWeiler	W	1034.8	52.37	56.98	44.88	51.41
37	256	Rui Pinto-Juliano Barbosa		1071.7	54.24	49.73	50.22	51.40
38	213	Fern.Ribeiro-ArmandORibeiro	M3	797.7	40.37	58.99	53.88	51.08
39	154	A.Ostapenko-Kalev Kalma	E	1000.9	50.65	40.59	61.16	50.80
40	252	Alfredo Conterno-Mig.Ascencao		934.1	47.27	56.51	47.55	50.45
41	164	Robert Snapper-RicFernandes	M2	993	50.25	53.59	46.75	50.20
42	253	Anki Malmgren-Mats Bud	WX	912	46.15	50.63	53.62	50.14
43	203	Rascha Thomas-J.Kelderman	LD	967.7	48.97	52.13	49.15	50.08
44	112	Carlota Mello-Miguel Ramos	X2	1043.6	52.81	42.55	53.02	49.46
45	110	Jerzy Russyan-M.Wielemans	X	905.9	45.85	47.53	54.59	49.32
46	54	Helge Larsen-Frank Solheim		1004.6	50.84	52.26	44.54	49.21
47	210	Antonio M.Soares-JMGouveia	MS3	875.7	44.32	49.48	52.97	48.92
48	157	Bouscher-Dornedden	X	825.3	41.77	48.14	56.65	48.85
49	159	Reet Relvik-Toomas Kork	E	924.9	46.81	50.59	48.66	48.69
50	103	C.S.Coggrave-P.A.Coggrave	XS	1010.5	51.14	56.22	38.62	48.66
51	52	Trudy Honhoop-M.v.Kooy	LD	915.9	46.35	49.94	48.69	48.33
52	211	Eva-Liss Gothe-Hans Gothe	SWX	1107.7	56.06	46.31	42.46	48.27
53	209	Agneta Berglund-Martin Arle	X	838.3	42.42	50.14	52.13	48.23
54	255	Marian de Haan-Jose Pastor	X	925.9	46.86	43.67	53.20	47.91
55	107	Frans Put-Wout van Kooij	D	1054.2	53.35	53.48	36.82	47.88
56	151	Maurice Bonne-Walter Kockx		855.2	43.28	48.56	51.48	47.77

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57	59	B.Bjarnason-B.Bjartmarsson	I	1110.2	56.18	40.91	45.77	47.62
58	2	Hannes Linnamagi-O.Antonkov	E	1037.9	52.53	47.47	42.72	47.57
59	262	Isilda Pinto-MadalenaTeles	LS2	926.2	46.87	43.74	51.78	47.47
60	152	Orn Ragnarsson-T.Sigjonsson	IS	1057.7	53.53	37.48	50.52	47.17
61	102	Bjoern Valen-Joerstowl		1074.1	54.36	45.53	41.18	47.02
62	8	Tuula Keso-M.Pesonen	FL	773.2	39.13	50.79	49.89	46.60
63	260	Schouten-van Teylingen	D	788.1	39.88	49.20	50.40	46.49
64	3	Carla M.Soaes-Nuno Mata	XM3	924.8	46.80	43.19	48.82	46.27
65	7	FatimaAlegre-CiprianoAlegre	X2	872.5	44.15	55.88	38.28	46.10
66	105	Will Hoop-H.Sprekeling	SD	996.4	50.43	41.13	45.60	45.72
67	258	E.Sigurjonsdottir-Thordason	XIS	825.7	41.79	49.89	44.96	45.55
68	155	Ricardo Luiz-Pedro Nunes	M3	873.7	44.22	45.65	46.61	45.49
69	108	Helmi vd Helm-Jenny Quijs	LD	799.9	40.48	47.35	48.55	45.46
70	63	Jose P.Sousa-Irene P.Sousa	SX	1074.2	54.36	51.18	30.07	45.20
71	214	Filipe Goncalves-SilvioCosta	M3	813.1	41.15	49.99	43.40	44.85
72	109	Zut Truus-Lof Titiana	LD	942.1	47.68	48.61	37.51	44.60
73	64	Maria Corte Real-JaimeSousa	X2	1019.3	51.58	43.30	38.05	44.31
74	4	Simone Kockx-Denise Cordier	L	795.9	40.28	47.35	44.14	43.92
75	104	Martin Kok-J.van Schaik	XD	847.9	42.91	48.44	39.87	43.74
76	162	Virgilio Mota-J.A.Fernandes		793.6	40.16	38.56	45.93	41.55
77	12	Acacio Matias-Angela Matias		788.8	39.92	45.87	38.35	41.38
78	259	HenriqRibeiro-JohnFreitas	M3S	802.1	40.59	34.66	46.99	40.75
79	5	Wigman-Zwetsloot	SD	982.7	49.73	28.65	41.74	40.04
80	9	Margo Paro-Huub vd Heuvel	XD	750.9	38.00	39.97	38.40	38.79
81	254	DienekeBalder-HennyvanBeek	LSD	595.5	30.14	38.40	46.75	38.43
82	10	Luis Correia-JoaquimTrindade		832.7	42.14	33.62	38.16	37.98
83	264	M.Fernandes-MargotBrestral	X	900.1	45.55	31.14	33.11	36.60
84	13	Alda Fernandes-J. Fernandes		493.5	24.97	33.68	38.09	32.25

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TEAMS

200 €/Team (up to 6 players)

THINKING BEFORE PLAYING TO THE FIRST TRICK

Board 4 on yesterday's session was a difficult one for most E-W pairs. Playing between two and three hearts, results varied from 200 to 800 to N-S. Paulo Gonçalves Pereira managed to be pessimistic enough (helped by the auction) to get away with just one down.

♠ A Q 9 6	VUL. All Dealer W.	♠ 10 8 5
♥ Q 9 5		♥ K 10 7 4 3
♦ 9 5		♦ K J 6 4
♣ J 6 5 2		♣ A
	♠ 3	
	♥ A 8 6	
	♦ A Q 10 8	
	♣ Q 9 8 7 4	

The lead was, as in most other tables, the ♠3. Most declarers could read this card as a singleton and therefore went up with the ace. Next they tried leading diamonds, but having to give away the lead twice in that suit they could not rough any diamonds in dummy. One way or another they ended up two or three down. Paulo could also read the spade as a singleton, but still he managed to find another way to play. At the first trick he played a small spade from dummy(!). After taking the ♠J North played a diamond, that went to Jack and Queen, South returning a small trump. In with the ♥K, E played a small spade towards dummy. South could not rough this without allowing declarer to make both the spade and the diamond rough, so he discarded a club. The Ace of spades was followed by the Queen, and now the defence had to choose –either they took a spade rough or they prevented a diamond rough in dummy, but they could not prevent both! A nice piece of foresight by declarer, playing for one down and a nice pairs result – 38 out of 76 Matchpoints – absolute average.



Paulo Gonçalves Pereira

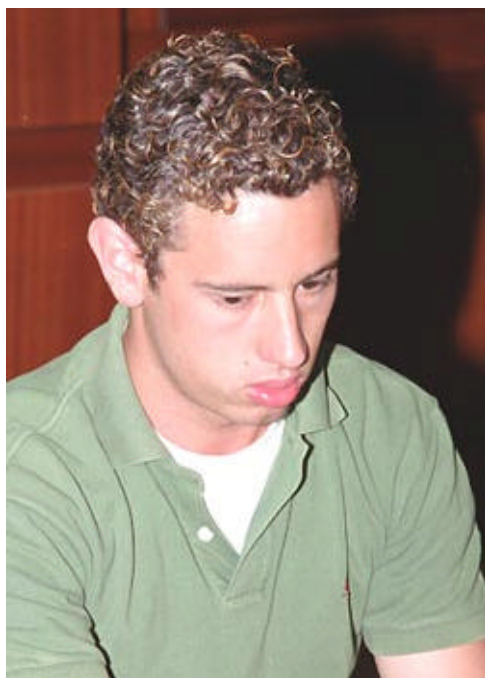
WINNING THE PART – SCORE BATTLE

♠ J 7 3 ♥ Q 9 ♦ A K J 8 ♣ 5 4 3 2	♠ K 9 6 ♥ J 10 6 4 ♦ 10 3 ♣ Q 8 7 6	VUL. E W Dealer S.	♠ A 10 ♥ K 7 5 2 ♦ Q 9 6 4 ♣ J 10 9
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♠ Q 8 5 4 2 ♥ A 8 3 ♦ 7 5 2 ♣ A K
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West	North	East	South
			1 ♠
Pass	2 ♠	X	Pass
2 NT (1)	Pass	3 ♦	Pass
Pass	Pass		
(1) Scrambling – looking for 4 cards suits			

Board 19 of last night's session saw most pairs playing 2♠ by South. Aggressive



bidding by the young Portuguese player Tiago Canelas took him to the contract of 3♦ by East. The lead was the King of clubs, followed by the Ace (on partnership agreement this showed Ace and King doubleton) and a small spade. When the King of spades appeared on the North hand Tiago now had a pretty good picture of the whole hand. He immediately played the ten of spades setting up a discard for the losing club. South now played a small heart that went to 9, 10 and King. Now Tiago cashed the Ace of trumps and the ♠J discarding the ♣J and led the ♥Q, won by the ace. Winning the trump return, he noticed the ♦10 falling and claimed the remainder of the

tricks on a cross-ruff. The way the hand was played made difficult for N –S to realize that the best defence was to play on trumps preventing the heart ruffs in dummy.

This play (and specially the aggressive bidding) won a whopper 73 out of 76 Matchpoints.

Program for the Teams Tournament

Friday	20.45	Closing time for Teams Tournament Entries	Welcome Desk (Centro Congressos)
	21.15	SWISS OPEN TEAMS TOURNAMENT	1st Session (Centro Congressos Madeira)
Saturday	9.00	Golf at Santo da Serra Golf Club	Shuttle leaves from the Carlton Park Hotel
	15.30	SWISS OPEN TEAMS TOURNAMENT	2nd Session (Centro Congressos Madeira)
	21.30	SWISS OPEN TEAMS TOURNAMENT	3rd Session (Centro Congressos Madeira)
Sunday	15.00	SWISS OPEN TEAMS TOURNAMENT	4th Session (Centro Congressos Madeira)
	20.00	Final Results	Centro Congressos da Madeira
	20.30	Closing Dinner and Prize giving	Restaurant “Bahía” at the Casino - dining room

IMPORTANT NOTICE:

The Closing Dinner and Prize giving will be at the Restaurant “Bahía” at the “Casino da Madeira”'s 4th floor and not at the Carlton Park Hotel as you may have found on previous announcements.