

Swiss Pairs with BridgeTab

Updated for V20

- Open BOS and import the Dup files as usual.
- Go to “Start Scoring”.
- Scorer /Scoring and Calendar / Score/Ladder .
- Select the event you want and click Next

Setting up the Event

Swiss Pairs

ID: 900 Date: 24/06/2021 Time: Evening Title: Wednesday Swiss Pairs Delete section

Event details

No of Pairs: 12
No of Rounds: 6
Boards per match: 8
VP Scale: 5
Recommended scale inserted for Swiss Pairs

Enter

Round No: 1

Round	Drawn	Scored
1		
2	.	.
3	.	.
4	.	.
5	.	.
6	.	.

Players Add extra pairs: 0

Draw Live 1 Prior

Enter Scores Upload from Server

Calc Results Web Personal

Don't send C Points

View Pair 1 0 for nil

Results in Browser

Carry Over Adjustments

Back

- It is usual to run 3 x 8-board rounds each evening with a tea break after the first round.
- You must have an even number of pairs.
- Enter Event details Like 12/6/8
- Click Enter
- NB the dots will appear in the grid.

- Click on Draw

Event ID: 900
Round Number: 1

Automatic Draw
Manual / Edit draw
Custom Draw

Table order
Team/Pair order

View Print
View Draw In Browser
Return

Remote Scoring

Use common database

Section: A

Starting Board Number: 1

Main

Create Remote Database
Upload Names
Start Remote Server
Remove Section From Database

Start new session
 Resume session

Start Timer

Table	Home	Away
1	1	7
2	2	8
3	3	9
4	4	10
5	5	11
6	6	12

Dealing File:

Clear All

- The Round number should be 1.
- Click Manual / Edit draw and enter the draw as shown or similar.
- **NB for rounds other than Round 1, you will usually click Automatic Draw.**
- To print the draw (other than round 1) make certain Team/Pair order is selected and then click View Print and then Print.
- Click the folder icon on the right of the Dealing File window to attach the pbn file as usual
- **NB You will need to attach this for each round.**
- Enter starting board number as 1 for the first round
- **NB Be Careful to change this for each subsequent round.**
- Start Timer if you are using it. Reset any parameters and minimize for now.
- Click Create Remote Database.
- Now click Start Remote Server to start BridgeTab.
- Check the Game Settings and Save
- Click the BOS **GREEN START** button.
- Move the players around at the beginning. All E/W move 2 tables up or similar.
- NS have a pair number equal to their table number. E/W have a pair number equal to their table number plus the number of tables.
- Tablets and Boards can be now given out

After the round is finished

- At the end of the round check in the BSC window that all results have been recorded.
- Click the **red button** to stop BSC and close BSC.
- On the Draw screen click on Update Names.
- **NB This is done on the first round only**
- Go back to the first screen and Click on Players and make any changes.
- Click Upload from Server to bring in the results.
- Click Calc Results.
- Click Web to post to Web.
- Click Personal for Personal Score Sheets and print.

Start a New Round

- Check that BSC has been closed from previous round.
- Go to the setup screen, make sure you are showing the correct round. Click on the round line if it's not showing correct round.
- Do the **Automatic** Draw
- Display the new Draw
- Click the folder icon on the right to enter the Dealing File
- **Enter the correct starting board number.**
- Create the Remote Database and Start the remote server.
- In the game settings **UNTICK** Player ID save and start BSC
- Hand out boards.
- Hand out tablets. These must be set for a new game.
- After the round is finished follow as previously.

End of the night

- Don't send the results to X club. Just do the Backup only (Option 5).

NOTE ON PLAYERS AND MASTERPOINTS IF YOU ALLOW SUBS.

Names for Swiss Pairs are only entered at the first round. After that, it is assumed the same players will be playing.

This assumption is relevant to the way master points are generated for NZ Bridge. If different players will be playing (e.g. if substitutes are allowed), then the following process should be followed:

The substitute player is entered in the “Players” screen before commencement of play for the round(s) in which the substitute is playing. The user must NOT calculate Results for any prior round whilst the substitute name is in the players list – (to do so would modify the master-points for that prior round, allocating them to the substitute.)

If the substitute is playing in the final round, in order to show a result with the original player in the final ranking, do the following: After the results are calculated with the substitute in place (so the master-points are sent) the player list may be changed to remove the substitute, the “Don’t send C-points” check box can be ticked, and the results calculated for the final round.

This produces a final ranking without the substitute. NOTE: The “Upload Names” button in the Draw screen ONLY appears in the first round for Swiss Pairs. Names should be manually adjusted after that if different players are present.