



# 4<sup>th</sup> TRANSATLANTIC SENIORS CUP

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## QUALIFICATION SWISS - FINAL RANKING

1. USA SELIGMAN	119.24	17. Scotland White	75.82
2. POLAND 1	103.70	18. NL Hok	74.94
3. FRANCE BESSIS	100.05	19. Canada-Kokish	73.79
4. SWEDEN	95.69	20. Scotland Blue	68.87
5. AUSTRIA	93.01	21. Germany	66.67
6. LITHUANIA	92.79	22. USA Reynolds	66.50
7. DENMARK	86.58	23. Poland Wisła CCSOft	62.74
8. POLAND OLIMPIA	86.07	24. England Pryor	60.17
9. BELGIUM	84.44	25. Swiss Cheese	51.74
10. ARGENTINA	81.47	26. Poland Bocheński	51.49
11. FRANCE VINCIGUERRA	81.19		
12. USA SIMSON	80.62		
13. NL SENIORS	79.35		
14. POLAND ANDRZEJKI	78.77		
15. THE DUTCH MASTERS	78.49		
16. ROMANIA BUCHAREST	77.51		

## PLAY OFF

### ROUND OF 16 (2x14)

Monday, Feb. 5th, 7&9 pm CET

**USA Seligman - Dutch Masters**

**Poland 1 - Argentina**

**France Bessis - Poland Olimpia**

**Sweden - Romania Bucharest**

**Austria - Belgium**

**Lithuania - Poland Andrzejki**

**Denmark - NL Seniors**

**France Vinciguerra - USA Simson**

### 3RD PLACE SWISS

#### Round 1. 7 pm CET

Scotland White - NL Hok

Canada-Kokish - Scotland Blue

Germany - USA Reynolds

Poland Wisła - England Pryor

Swiss Cheese - Poland Bocheński

#### Round 2. 9 pm CET

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**Results of Round 7.**

USA Seligman - Poland 1	7.84-12.16
France Vinciguerra - Austria	3.12-16.88
Sweden - France Bessis	7.56-12.44
Belgium - Romania Bucharest	12.44-7.56
Lithuania - Poland Olimpia	10.00-10.00
Argentina - Denmark	14.64-5.36
Canada-Kokish - USA Simson	7.84-12.16
NL Seniors - USA Reynolds	9.34-10.66
Poland Wisła - NL Hok	5.15-14.85
Poland Andrzej - Scotland White	10.66-9.34
England Pryor - Scotland Blue	9.34-10.66
The Dutch Mast. - Swiss Cheese	18.65-1.35
Poland Bocheński - Germany	3.12-16.88

**Results of Round 8.**

USA Seligman - Belgium	18.65-1.35
Poland 1 - Austria	15.06-4.94
France Bessis - Argentin	16.55-3.45
Sweden - Romania Bucharest	17.19-2.81
Lithuania - Canada-Kokish	15.46-4.54
France Vincig. - Poland Olimpia	6.52-13.48
USA Simson - NL Seniors	8.72-11.28
NL Hok - Dutch Masters	8.13-11.87
Denmark - USA Reynolds	20.00-0.00
Poland Andrzej - Poland Wisła	17.34-2.66
Scotland White - England Pryor	17.19-2.81
Scotland Blue - Poland Boch.	11.58-8.42
Germany - Swiss Cheese	13.96-6.04

**TOP OF THE BUTLER OF QUALIFICATION SWISS.**

2.43/28 D.Jacob	CANADA-KOKISH	0.86/28 G.McOrmond	CANADA-KOKISH
2.04/28 R.Chamberlain	ENGLAND PRYOR	0.82/56 P.Saporta	FRANCE VINCIG.
2.04/28 P.Shields	ENGLAND PRYOR	0.82/56 J.-M. Voldoire	FRANCE VINCIG.
1.82/28 P.-Y.Guillamin	FRANCE BESSIS	0.80/70 A.Fronczak	POLAND ANDRZ.
1.82/28 G.Iontzeff	FRANCE BESSIS	0.79/56 W.van Eijck	NL SENIORS
1.71/14 J.Jones	USA REYNOLDS	0.79/56 W.Gosschalk	NL SENIORS
1.71/14 R.Roeder	USA REYNOLDS	0.79/28 L.Majdański	POLAND OLIMPIA
1.64/14 K.Jordan	POLAND OLIMPIA	0.75/56 D.Schaltz	DENMARK
1.64/14 M.Kudła	POLAND OLIMPIA	0.75/56 P.Schaltz	DENMARK
1.36/42 P.Klimowicz	CANADA-KOKISH	0.73/56 K.Wenning	GERMANY
1.32/56 A.Kaplan	BELGIUM	0.73/56 U.Wenning	GERMANY
1.32/56 G.Polet	BELGIUM	0.71/56 J.Krekorian	USA SIMSON
1.22/98 M.Seligman	USA SELIGMAN	0.71/56 P.Weichsel	USA SIMSON
1.19/112 M.Lair	USA SELIGMAN	0.70/98 S.Henclik	POLAND ANDRZ.
1.18/28 W.Melman	POLAND BOCH.	0.70/56 D.Diamond	SCOTLAND BLUE
1.00/56 S.-A.Bjerregard	SWEDEN	0.70/56 M.Diamond	SCOTLAND BLUE
1.00/56 M.Nilslund	SWEDEN	0.70/56 P.Tuszyński	LITHUANIA
0.96/28 I.Baqai	USA REYNOLDS	0.69/70 R.Ramer	NL Hok
0.96/28 M.Dunitz	USA REYNOLDS	0.69/70 B.de Bruijn	NL Hok
0.93/14 H.Lall	USA SELIGMAN	0.64/84 R.Franzel	AUSTRIA
0.88/56 L.McGowan	SCOTLAND WH.	0.64/84 S.Terraneo	AUSTRIA
0.88/56 T.McKay	SCOTLAND WH.	0.64/42 S.Zakrzewski	POLAND OLIMPIA
0.86/56 W.Olański	LITHUANIA	0.62/42 P.Weymann	POLAND OLIMPIA
0.86/56 V.Vainikonis	LITHUANIA	0.61/84 M.Kwiecień	POLAND 1
0.86/28 M.Hargreaves	CANADA-KOKISH	0.61/84 W.Starkowski	POLAND 1

## A MATCHED PAIR

Mark Horton

In Round 5 we'll look at encounters between teams from North America and Europe.

<b>Board 6/V</b> <b>East/EW</b>	♠ QJ75 ♥ Q1065 ♦ 753 ♣ J10										
♠ 9 ♥ K9843 ♦ 84 ♣ KQ853	<table border="1"> <tr><td></td><td>N</td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>W</td><td></td><td>E</td></tr> <tr><td></td><td>S</td><td></td></tr> </table>		N		W		E		S		♠ A108643 ♥ AJ2 ♦ J ♣ 942
	N										
W		E									
	S										
	♠ K2 ♥ 7 ♦ AKQ10962 ♣ A76										

France Vinciguerra v Canada-Kokish

Open Room

W	N	E	S
Soulet	Carruthers Vinciguerra		Lebi
		1♠	2♦
dbl* all pass	3♦	pass	5♦

Given that North did not bid 2♠, the raise to 3♦ clearly suggested a modest hand (some pairs play that a redouble in this situation promises a high honour in partner's suit) so hoping for 11 tricks was possibly a little optimistic.

West led the ♠9 and East took the ace and returned the ♠10, West ruffing and playing the ♥3. East won with the ♥A and played the ♠6 and declarer discarded a club, West's ruff putting the contract two down, -100.

Closed Room

W	N	E	S
Silver	Bompis	Mittelman	Abecassis
		1♠	3NT
all pass			

West reasoned there was little point in leading a spade. He went with a club, but somewhat unluckily selected the ♣5. Declarer won with dummy's ♣10, cashed four diamonds and having seen West pitch two hearts played the ♠K. East won and returned a club so declarer had 11 tricks, +460 and 13 IMPs.

Austria v USA Seligman

Open Room

W	N	E	S
Zelnik	Lair	Berger	Seligman
		1♠	3NT
all pass			

West led the ♣3 and declarer claimed nine tricks, +400.

Closed Room

W	N	E	S
Goodman	Feichtinger	Passell	F.Terraneo
		2♠	3NT
all pass			

West led the ♣5 and declarer cashed all his diamonds before playing the ♠2 to dummy's by now singleton queen. East won, cashed the ♥A and played a club, so declarer took 10 tricks, +430 and an IMP.

Ulrich Kratz and Loek Fresen were the only pair to defeat 3NT after Loek started with a Multi and saw partner bid 2♠ over Eric Rodwell's double. When Doug Simson bid 3NT over Eric's 3♦, Loek led the ♥A and continued with the ♥J, West taking the ♥K and switching to the ♣K when declarer had only eight tricks.

<b>Board 8/V</b> <b>West/None</b>	♠ KQJ875 ♥ 87 ♦ 1097 ♣ A10										
♠ 10 ♥ A94 ♦ AQ643 ♣ 6532	<table border="1"> <tr><td></td><td>N</td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>W</td><td></td><td>E</td></tr> <tr><td></td><td>S</td><td></td></tr> </table>		N		W		E		S		♠ A2 ♥ KQ10652 ♦ 52 ♣ Q84
	N										
W		E									
	S										
	♠ 9643 ♥ J3 ♦ KJ8 ♣ KJ97										

France Vinciguerra v Canada-Kokish

Open Room

W	N	E	S
Soulet	Carruthers Vinciguerra		Lebi
pass	1♠	2♥	3♥*
4♦	4♠	pass	pass
dbl	all pass		

4♦ Diamonds and hearts

East led the ♦5 and West won with the ♦Q and switched to the ♥4, East winning and returning the ♦2, the defenders quickly taking the first six tricks for -500.

Closed Room

W	N	E	S
Silver	Bompis	Mittelman	Abecassis
pass	1♠	2♥	2NT*
4♦*	pass	4♥	pass
pass	4♠	pass	pass
dbl	all pass		

2NT Invitational with spades

4♦ Diamonds and hearts

Here too the defenders were not hard pressed to take the first six tricks, no swing.

Austria v USA Seligman

Open Room

W	N	E	S
Zelnik	Lair	Berger	Seligman
pass	2♠	pass	3♠
all pass			

East led the ♥K and when West followed with the ♥9 he switched to the ♦5, West winning with the ♦Q and returning the ♥4. East won and went back to diamonds, ruffing the third round of the suit and cashing the ♠A for two down, -100.

Closed Room

W	N	E	S
Goodman	Feichtinger	Passell	F.Terraneo
pass	1♠	2♥	2♠
dbl	3♠	pass	pass
4♥	pass	pass	dbl
all pass			

Dble Responsive

Another approach with West's cards is to bid 3♦ as a fit non jump. Here that would have meant there was less chance of South doubling 4♥.

Declarer won the spade lead, played a diamond to the queen, followed by two more rounds of the suit, ruffing. Declarer cashed the ♥KQ and when the suit divided he claimed the rest, +790 and 12 IMPs.

Board 10/V East/All	♠ K43 ♥ J1092 ♦ 1073 ♣ AK8	
♠ 102 ♥ K6543 ♦ 942 ♣ 932	N W            E S	♠ J986 ♥ 87 ♦ A85 ♣ 10754
	♠ AQ75 ♥ AQ ♦ KQJ6 ♣ QJ6	

France Vinciguerra v Canada-Kokish

Open Room

W	N	E	S
Soulet	Carruthers	Vinciguerra	Lebi
		pass	2NT
pass	4NT	pass	6NT
all pass			

West led the ♦2 to East's ace and when the heart finesse lost declarer knew his fate, -100.

Closed Room

W	N	E	S
Silver	Bompis	Mittelman	Abecassis
		pass	2NT*
pass	3♣*	pass	3♠
pass	3NT	all pass	

2NT 20-21

3♣ Stayman

The same 11 tricks, but +660 was worth 13 IMPs.

Austria v USA Seligman

Open Room

W	N	E	S
Zelnik	Lair	Berger	Seligman
		pass	2NT
pass	3NT	all pass	

West led the ♠10, declarer taking 11 tricks, +660.

Closed Room

W	N	E	S
Goodman	Feichtinger	Passell	F.Terraneo
		pass	1♣*
pass	1NT*	pass	2NT
pass	3NT	all pass	

1♣ Strong

1NT 4 controls

East led the ♠6, no swing.

<b>Board 12/V</b> <b>West/NS</b>	♠ 10962 ♥ QJ872 ♦ 953 ♣ 9										
♠ A874 ♥ 3 ♦ K72 ♣ AJ1064	<table border="1"> <tr><td></td><td>N</td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>W</td><td></td><td>E</td></tr> <tr><td></td><td>S</td><td></td></tr> </table>		N		W		E		S		♠ KJ3 ♥ A10654 ♦ A104 ♣ Q7
	N										
W		E									
	S										
	♠ Q5 ♥ K9 ♦ QJ86 ♣ K8532										

France Vinciguerra v Canada-Kokish

Open Room

W	N	E	S
Soulet	Carruthers	Vinciguerra	Lebi
1♣	pass	1♦*	pass
1♠	pass	3NT	all pass

1♦ Hearts

South led the ♦J and declarer won with dummy's king and played the ♣4 for the nine, queen and two. When a club to the jack held, North pitching the ♥2, declarer played a spade to the jack and South won and exited with the ♠5, declarer winning with the king and playing a third spade. South discarded the ♣5 and declarer won in dummy, cashed the ♠A and tried a diamond to the ten. When that lost he finished one down, -50.

Closed Room

W	N	E	S
Silver	Bompis	Mittelman	Abecassis
1♣	pass	1♥	pass
1♠	pass	2♦*	pass
2NT	pass	3NT	all pass

2♦ Fourth suit forcing

North led the ♦5 for the ten, jack and king and declarer continued with the ♣4 for the nine, queen and king. Declarer took the diamond return with dummy's ace and played a club to the jack, North discarding the ♥2. When declarer tried a spade to the jack South won, cashed two diamonds and exited with a club to declarer's ♣A10, the defenders being sure to score another trick for one down.

Austria v USA Seligman

Open Room

W	N	E	S
Zelnik	Lair	Berger	Seligman
1♠	pass	2♥	pass
3♣*	pass	3♦*	pass
3NT	all pass		

3♣ 4/5♣

3♦ Fourth suit forcing

North led the ♦9 for the ten, jack and king and South won the standard club continuation with the king and returned the ♦Q, followed by the ♦6 to dummy's ace. A club to the ace revealed the 5-1 split and declarer cashed the ♣J and took the spade finesse, South winning, cashing a diamond and exiting with the ♥K for one down, -50.

Closed Room

W	N	E	S
Goodman	Feichtinger	Passell	F.Terraneo
1♣	pass	1♥	pass
1♠	pass	2♦*	pass
2NT	pass	3NT	all pass

1♣ 2+♣

2♦ Game forcing

North led the ♥2 and South won with the ♥9 and returned the ♥K, declarer taking dummy's ace (pitching a diamond) running the ♣Q and then playing a club to the jack as North parted with the ♥7. A spade to the jack lost to the queen and South exited with a spade. Declarer won with dummy's king, played a spade to the ace and two rounds of diamonds ending in hand and exited with the ♣6. South could win and cash a diamond, but had to surrender the last two tricks to the ♣A10, +400 and 10 IMPs.

3NT is not an easy contract on this layout. It failed 12 times – and made 12 times.

Without attempting an exhaustive analysis, one thing that struck me was that if North discards a heart on the second round of clubs, declarer could consider ducking a heart. If South wins and plays back the ♥K declarer can win with the ♥A and play a third heart, which would be unpleasant for South. North would win and play a diamond, but declarer ducks, wins the next diamond and plays a heart, establishing a ninth trick.

However, a stronger defence is for South to exit with a diamond, when, although the contract can still be made, declarer is likely to rely on the spade finesse and go down.

## TIME TROUBLE

Mark Horton

Going into Round 6, the teams in the middle of the table would be hoping to consolidate their positions in the race to qualify for the knock out phase. Meanwhile those at the wrong end of the table were running out of chances to qualify. I decided to check out the form of the teams currently 11th and 14th.

<b>Board 6/VI</b> EW/East	♠ 10987 ♥ K8 ♦ K10642 ♣ 43										
♠ A63 ♥ J765 ♦ AJ8 ♣ Q102	<table border="1"> <tr><td></td><td>N</td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>W</td><td></td><td>E</td></tr> <tr><td></td><td>S</td><td></td></tr> </table>		N		W		E		S		♠ J52 ♥ Q92 ♦ 53 ♣ J9865
	N										
W		E									
	S										
	♠ KQ4 ♥ A1043 ♦ Q97 ♣ AK7										

### Scotland White v Belgium Open Room

W	N	E	S
Ferguson	Coenraets	McKinnon	Bigdeli
		pass	1♣
dbl	1♦	pass	2NT
pass	3NT	all pass	

I leave you to judge the merits of doubling with a balanced hand opposite a passed partner at unfavourable vulnerability. As Eric Crowhurst might have written, 'Include me out'.

West led the ♥6 for the eight, queen and ace and declarer played the ♦Q, West winning and returning the ♥6 to dummy's king, East unblocking the ♥9. A spade to the queen saw West win and cash the ♥J, but declarer took the rest via the diamond finesse, +430.

### Closed Room

W	N	E	S
Kaplan	Hamilton	Polet	Dick
		pass	1♣*
pass	1♠	pass	2NT
pass	3NT	all pass	

West led the ♥6 and declarer ducked East's queen, took the ♥9 with dummy's king and played a diamond

to the nine. West won with the jack and exited with the ♦8, killing dummy. Declarer won with the queen and played the ♠K, followed by the ♠Q. West won, cashed the ♦A and exited with the ♠6, East winning and returning the ♥2 which meant three down, -150 and an 11 IMP swing.

<b>Board 8/VI</b> None/West	♠ J1072 ♥ A10732 ♦ 93 ♣ 53										
♠ 643 ♥ QJ64 ♦ Q6 ♣ QJ87	<table border="1"> <tr><td></td><td>N</td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>W</td><td></td><td>E</td></tr> <tr><td></td><td>S</td><td></td></tr> </table>		N		W		E		S		♠ 98 ♥ K5 ♦ J10872 ♣ A972
	N										
W		E									
	S										
	♠ AKQ5 ♥ 98 ♦ AK54 ♣ K104										

### Scotland White v Belgium Open Room

W	N	E	S
Ferguson	Coenraets	McKinnon	Bigdeli
pass	pass	pass	1♦
pass	1♥	pass	2NT
pass	3♣	pass	3♠
pass	4♠	all pass	

West led the ♠4 and declarer won with the ♠A and ran the ♥8 to East's king. He took the spade return with the king, played a heart for the jack and ace and pitched a club on the ♥7 as East discarded the ♦2. West won and switched to the ♣Q, East winning and returning the ♦J. Declarer won, played a spade to dummy's ten and claimed his contract, +420.

### Closed Room

W	N	E	S
Kaplan	Hamilton	Polet	Dick
pass	pass	pass	1♣*
pass	1♥	pass	2NT
pass	3♣*	pass	3♠
pass	4♠	all pass	

1♣ 2+♣  
3♣ Checkback

West led the ♠3 and declarer took the ♠A and ran the ♥9, East winning and switching to the ♦J. Declarer won with the ♦A, played a heart to the ace and ruffed a heart, East pitching the ♦2. Declarer cashed the ♦K and ♠K, ruffed a diamond and played the ♥7, East discarding the ♦8. If declarer ruffs this he can then ruff a diamond and play the ♥10 pitching a club, scoring a club at the end. However, he pitched the ♣4 allowing West to win with the ♥Q.

If West exits with the ♠6 the defenders will get two more tricks, but according to the BBO record he played the ♣Q, East winning with the ♣A and returning the ♦10. Declarer ruffed in dummy, and placing the missing trump with East, played the ♥10.

That was one down and a 10 IMP loss.

One can sympathise with declarer, but which was more likely, a misdefence or that East would have falsely discarded in spades with the ♠986?

<b>Board 9/VI</b> EW/North	♠ 974 ♥ A984 ♦ KJ75 ♣ J5										
♠ AK83 ♥ KQJ2 ♦ Q1083 ♣ 7	<table border="1"> <tr><td></td><td>N</td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>W</td><td></td><td>E</td></tr> <tr><td></td><td>S</td><td></td></tr> </table>		N		W		E		S		♠ QJ10 ♥ 5 ♦ A42 ♣ Q109843
	N										
W		E									
	S										
	♠ 652 ♥ 10763 ♦ 96 ♣ AK62										

**Scotland White v Belgium**  
**Open Room**

W	N	E	S
Ferguson	Coenraets	McKinnon	Bigdeli
1♦	pass	pass	pass
2NT	pass	1NT	pass
	pass	3NT	all pass

South led the ♥3 and when dummy's ♥K held declarer ran the ♣7 which held. Now declarer played a diamond to the ace and a diamond for the nine, ten and jack, North exiting with the ♥8 to dummy's jack. Declarer cashed four spades and exited with the ♦8,

but there was no endplay, one down, -100.

Given the entry position, declarer might have overtaken the ♣7. If the ♣8 holds then playing the ♣Q gives you four tricks in the suit (an 8.07% chance) Once the ♣7 holds crossing to dummy with a spade and playing the ♣Q is the way to go.

**Closed Room**

W	N	E	S
Kaplan	Hamilton	Polet	Dick
	pass	pass	pass
1♦	pass	1NT	pass
2NT	pass	3NT	all pass

South led the ♥10 for the king and ace and North switched to the ♣J which unluckily simplified declarer's task. South took the queen with the king and return the ♣2, declarer winning and continuing with the ♣9, declarer taking the rest for +630 and another 12 IMPs.

This was one of the three occasions that 3NT was made, the contract failing 13 times.

<b>Board 10/VI</b> All/East	♠ A ♥ J9654 ♦ 1054 ♣ A432										
♠ QJ983 ♥ AQ10 ♦ Q8763 ♣ -	<table border="1"> <tr><td></td><td>N</td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>W</td><td></td><td>E</td></tr> <tr><td></td><td>S</td><td></td></tr> </table>		N		W		E		S		♠ K10752 ♥ K8 ♦ AJ ♣ K876
	N										
W		E									
	S										
	♠ 64 ♥ 732 ♦ K92 ♣ QJ1095										

**Scotland White v Belgium**  
**Open Room**

W	N	E	S
Ferguson	Coenraets	McKinnon	Bigdeli
		1♠	pass
2NT*	pass	3NT*	pass
4♣*	pass	4♦*	pass
4♥*	pass	4NT*	pass
6♣	dblr	6♠	all pass

2NT Invitational+ in ♠

3NT Better than minimum no singleton or void

- 4♣ Cue
- 4♦ Cue
- 4♥ Cue
- 4NT RKCB

6♣ Void + odd number of keycards

South led the ♠4 and North won and switched to the ♦4, declarer taking the ace, crossing to the ♠Q and playing three rounds of hearts to dispose of the losing diamond. When the ♦K ruffed out declarer could claim, +1430.

**Closed Room**

W Kaplan	N Hamilton	E Polet	S Dick
		1♠	pass
2NT*	pass	4♠	pass
5♣*	pass	5♦*	pass
5♥*	pass	6♣*	pass
6♠	dble	all pass	

2NT At least limit, 4+♠

- 5♣ Cue
- 5♦ Cue
- 5♥ Cue
- 6♣ Cue

When the opponents don't use Blackwood one can hope for an accident, but if they are overboard you already have a great result in the offing.

South led the ♣Q, and declarer ruffed in dummy, played a heart to the king, ruffed a club, cashed two hearts pitching a diamond, came to hand with the ♦A, ruffed a club, ruffed a diamond, ruffed a club and played the ♠Q, +1660 and 6 IMPs.

17 pairs stopped short of slam, while three were doubled.

Anyone for a blue card?

It was a big win for Belgium, 47-3, 18.87-1.13 VP, taking them up to seventh while Scotland White dropped to twentieth place.



**BE CAREFUL WHEN CLAIMING**

BBO gives players a special way of treating contested claims. If the claim is denied the play continues. I will treat such decision accordingly to the Law 68D2b - and "the score subsequently obtained will stand".

Alternatively players can call the director who will start a procedure you know very well from "live" matches.

CHIEF TD Tomasz Radko



## TOURNAMENT CALENDAR

### QUALIFICATION (all times are p.m.)

Mon. 29 Jan,	7.00 CET Qual. Swiss Rd. #1 (14 bds.) 9.00 CET Qual. Swiss Rd. #2 (14 bds.)
Tue. 30 Jan.	7.00 CET Qual. Swiss Rd. #3 (14 bds.) 9.00 CET Qual. Swiss Rd. #4 (14 bds.)
Wed, 31 Jan.	7.00 CET Qual. Swiss Rd. #5 (14 bds.) 9.00 CET Qual. Swiss Rd. #6 (14 bds.)
Thu. 1 Feb.	7.00 CET Qual. Swiss Rd. #7 (14 bds.) 9.00 CET Qual. Swiss Rd. #8 (14 bds.)

### PLAY OFF AND 3RD PLACE SWISS

(all times are p.m.)

Mon. 5 Feb.	Round of 16 - 2 segments (14 bds each) 7.00 CET, 9.00 CET
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Mon. 5 Feb.	7.00 CET 3rd Place Swiss Rd. #1 (14 bds.) 9.00 CET 3rd Place Swiss Rd. #1 (14 bds.)
Tue. 6 Feb,	Quarterfinals - 2 segments (14 bds each) 7.00 CET, 9.00 CET 7.00 CET 3rd Place Swiss Rd. #3 (14 bds.) 9.00 CET 3rd Place Swiss Rd. #4 (14 bds.)
Wed. 7 Feb,	Semifinals- 2 segments (14 bds each) 7.00 CET, 9.00 CET 7.00 CET 3rd Place Swiss Rd. #5 (14 bds.) 9.00 CET 3rd Place Swiss Rd. #6 (14 bds.)
Thu. 8 Feb,	Final - 2 segments (14 bds each) 7.00 CET, 9.00 CET 7.00 CET 3rd Place Swiss Rd. #7 (14 bds.) 9.00 CET 3rd Place Swiss Rd. #8 (14 bds.)

### RANKING OF THE TEAMS

ACCORDING TO THE AVERAGE OF THE WBF SENIOR CLASSIFICATION POINTS

Denmark	868,5	France Bessis	80,0
USA Seligman	807,4	USA Reynolds	46,4
Poland 1	802,8	Germany	36,8
NL Seniors	431,0	NL HOK	19,7
USA Simson	284,5	Scotland Blue	18,6
Lithuania	283,6	Poland Olimpia	13
Sweden	217,7	Poland Wisła	9
France Vinciguerra	214,9	Poland Andrzejki	8,8
Canada Kokish	190,4	Austria	3,0
England Pryor	166,4	Poland Bochenski	1,5
Argentina	137	Swiss Cheese	0,0
Belgium	110,7	Romania	0,0
Dutch Masters	88,5	Scotland White	0,0

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