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“Dhampur Sugar Mills” Team Tops the Swiss League in T-4

Dhampur Sugar Mills Team (Ashok Kumar Goel, Suhas Vaidya, Pritish Kushari, Debrata Majumder, Sumit Mukherjee & Bhabesh saha) with **195 VPs**, topped the 10 round Swiss league, to finalize the quarter-finalists. **KHANDELWAL** (Rajeev Khandelwal, Himani Khandelwal, N.K. Gupta & Maneesh Bahuguna) were 2nd with 187 VPs. There were 3 teams tied on 176 VPs and the score turned out to be lucky for all of them as they all qualified.

The quarter finalists are:

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| 1. | DHAMPUR SUGAR MILLS | - | 195 VPs |
| 2. | KHANDELWAL | - | 187 VPs |
| 3. | AZURE | - | 182 VPs |
| 4. | HANDS & HEARTS | - | 180 VPs |
| 5. | TEAM ANDREY | - | 179 VPs |
| 6. | FORMIDABLES | - | 176 VPs (VP Product – 28299) |
| 7. | MANYAVAR | - | 176 VPs (VP Product – 26835) |
| 8. | PROMILA SARAF | - | 176 VPs (VP Product – 25775) |

The day-1 leaders **SURBHI team** had a bad day as they could get only 35 VPs in the last 4 rounds, to finish at 27th position.

Hemant Jalan, Maya Meera Sneha, Arun Jain, Poddar Developers, Bimal Sicka, Texan Aces and Shree Cement, were some of the top teams who could not make it to the quarterfinals. Hemant Jalan finishing on 175 VPs were the unlucky team to lose the post by 1 VP.

The qualified teams had the right to choose their opponents as per the priority of their ranking in the round robin stage. **The Quarterfinal line up is:**

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| 1. | DHAMPUR SUGAR MILLS | Vs. | TEAM ANDREY |
| 2. | KHANDELWAL | Vs. | PROMILA SARAF |
| 3. | AZURE | Vs. | MANYAVAR |
| 4. | HANDS & HEARTS | Vs. | FORMIDABLES |

2 Rounds of the 3*12 boards quarterfinal were played yesterday and the scores are:

T#	Team Name	Vs	Team Name	Boards					TOTAL
				C/O	1-12	13-24	25-36	Pen	
1	DHAMPUR SUGAR MILLS (#1)	Vs	TEAM ANDREY (#5)	0-0	32-02	36-09		0-0	68-11
2	KHANDELWAL (#2)	Vs	PROMILA SARAF (#8)	0-0	31-24	48-03		0-0	79-27
3	AZURE (#3)	Vs	MANYAVAR (#7)	0-0	18-21	16-18		0-0	37-36
4	HANDS & HEARTS (#4)	Vs	FORMIDABLES (#7)	0-0	16-45	38-30		0-0	83-46

The last round of 12 boards will be played today morning.

The Pairs Tournament also started yesterday evening. There will be 2 elimination rounds of 2 sessions each. Each session will be of 22 boards.

In the first elimination, 173 pairs are playing in 6 sections. There are 14 tables each in Sections "A", "B" & "C"; whereas "D", "F" has 15 Tables and "E" has fourteen & half tables. 17 TOP NS & 17 TOP EW pairs from combined sections "A", "B" & "C" and 18 TOP NS & 18 TOP EW from combined sections "D", "E" & "F" would qualify for the 2nd elimination round. These 70 pairs will be joined by the losing quarter-finalists in the 2nd elimination.

The first session of the Elimination – 1 is already over yesterday evening and the second session will continue today morning. We look forward to some more scintillating play from the participants in Quarter Final as well as Pair event.

FINAL RANKING – TEAM OF FOUR EVENT

RANK	TEAM #	TEAM NAME	SCORE	RANK	TEAM #	TEAM NAME	SCORE
1	1	DHAMPUR SUGAR MILLS (Q1)	195		77	SPARTANS	150
2	61	KHANDELWAL (Q2)	187	41	38	CENTRAL SECRETARIAT	148
3	41	AZURE (Q3)	182	42	55	NORIKO	147
4	49	HANDS & HEARTS (Q4)	180	43	43	DOCTOR'S FOUR	146
5	69	TEAM ANDREY (Q5)	179		39	TOAD'S	146
6	5	FORMIDABLES (Q6 - 28299)	176		63	KUME	146
7	25	MANYAVAR (Q7 - 26835)	176		72	ALPHA	146
8	45	PROMILA SARAF (Q8 - 25775)	176	47	14	BJOY	145
9	57	HEMANT JALAN	175		54	USHA KIRAN	145
10	70	SECURE	173		23	A. R DAS'S IV	145
11	59	MAHARAJA (27254)	172	50	73	YOUNG GUNS	144
12	11	LADIES (6) (25046)	172	51	35	NAVNEET	143
13	27	SANJIB'S IV	167	52	51	A.C.L.A	142
14	53	ARISTOS	166		30	RAJPUTANA	142
15	21	MAYA MEERA SNEHA	165		67	GLORY	142
	47	SHAH	165	55	50	AMITABH VERMA	141
	6	GO GREEN	165	56	46	GUPTA, KARNATAKA	140
	13	ARUN JAIN	165		18	SOUMITRA BASU'S IV	140
19	17	PODDAR DEVELOPERS	162	58	40	SHAM SHARMA	134
	65	AGARWALA, ALLAHABAD	162		12	ALIGARH BLUE	134
21	19	ELUSIVE 52	161	60	56	JIJAJI CLUB GWALIOR	133
	31	PRITHIS - ASANSOL	161	61	74	PAL ALIG	131
	28	EXPLORER	161		76	MOHIT MEHTA	131
24	62	FORCE	160	63	3	THE STAR BRIDGE TEAM	130
25	29	BIMAL SICKA	159	64	10	NAGBAGAN CARD CLUB	129
26	9	TEXAN ACES	158	65	8	DELHI DIAMONDS	128
27	26	SURBHI	155		16	SPSBA, KANPUR	128
	71	JUNIORS	155	67	22	INFINITY	125
29	33	SHREE CEMENT	154		36	SHASHI'S TEAM	125
	68	DR. SANGHI	154		75	SUSHMA	125
31	37	MANGO	153	70	44	TULSI	124
32	42	CBA	152	71	58	MOHAMMED MERCHANT	121
	34	DYNAMOS	152		48	ROHIT WRAPPERS	121
	52	FORCES-1	152	73	60	DULAL IV	118
35	7	INDIAN MAVERICKS	151	74	4	FRIENDS	117
	64	AMETURE	151	75	20	F-5	113
	32	PUNJAB BRIDGE ASSOC	151	76	2	DESERT WARRIORS	109
	66	HINGORANI	151		24	GREATER KAILASH	109
39	15	PANKAJ MEHTA	150				

PAIRS Elimination I (Session 1)

Leaders

Combined Section A, B & C

North-South (42 Pairs)

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| 1. S.C. Bhandari – Sunil Kumar | 64.35% |
| 2. S.K. Iyengar – S. Bhattacharya | 61.88% |
| 3. G. Sinha – S. Datt | 61.53% |

East West (42 Pairs)

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| 1. P.R. Das – Sajal Ain | 63.71% |
| 2. B. Ganguli – S. Bhuiya | 62.81% |
| 3. Ajay Vaish – Deepak Kothiwal | 61.64% |

Combined Section D, E & F

North-South (45 Pairs)

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| 1. Dipak Poddar – Jitendra Solani | 65.60% |
| 2. J.M. Shah – R. Krishnan | 60.83% |
| 3. M.A. Quddus–B.N. Mahmood Hassan | 60.27% |

East West (44 Pairs)

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| 1. J. Biswas – J.N. Roy | 64.01% |
| 2. S.R. Bhattacharya – S. Some | 62.37% |
| 3. Ajit Chakradeo – Nitin Shah | 61.51% |

Information for Scoring

You are requested to enter the scores correctly in the pick up slips. It is responsibility of North to fill the score, and E-W pair is requested to check the entry. This will help us in processing the scores faster.

FORTHCOMING TOURNAMENTS

ALL INDIA SHREE CEMENT BRIDGE Tournament Rajasthan 2011 from 14th to 16th Oct 2011 @ Jaipur Club, Jaipur. Contact Sh. Ashwin Chopra (Mob: 099833 44258) for Hotel Bookings on nominal rates.

4th ALL INDIA Chandigarh Open Bridge Championship 2011 from 11th to 13th Nov 2011 at Sports Complex, Sector – 4, Chandigarh

ALL INDIA SHREE CEMENT KOLKATA BRIDGE CHAMPIONSHIP 2011 from 11th to 13th Nov 2011 @ Bengal Rowing Club, Kolkata.

DELHI GYMKHANA CLUB Tournament at New Delhi from 25th to 27th Nov 2011.

ALL INDIA MOHANLAL BHARTIA BRIDGE CHAMPIONSHIP 2012 from 9th to 12th Feb 2012 at Hotel Surya Palace, New Friends Colony, New Delhi.

Transport Arrangements

Pick & Drop Bus facility is available to participants from HOTEL ROYALE PARK (G-43, Sector – 6), NOIDA.

For further information please contact Mr. TC Pant (in the Scoring room) or the registration desk at the venue.

Our Best Wishes to

The Indian Teams (Open, Ladies & Seniors)

Who are representing India

In the

World Championships

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Tournament Schedule

Sep 10	0915 – 1100 Hrs.	Quarter-Final (Boards 25-36) – Session-3
	0945 – 1230 Hrs.	Pair Elimination – I, Session II
	1130 – 1340 Hrs.	Semi-Final (Boards 1-15) - Session-1
	1300 – 1415 Hrs.	Lunch Break
	1430 – 1640 Hrs.	Semi-Final (Boards 16-30) - Session-2
	1400 – 1645 Hrs.	Pair Elimination – II, Session I
	1645 – 1715 Hrs.	Tea Break
	1715 – 1925 Hrs.	Semi-Final (Boards 31-45) - Session-3
	1715 – 2000 Hrs.	Pair Elimination – II, Session II
Sep 11	0900 – 1110 Hrs.	T-4 Finals (Boards 1-15) – Session-1
	0900 – 1330 Hrs.	Pair Finals (Boards 1-32) - Session-I
	1130 – 1340 Hrs.	T-4 Finals (Boards 16-30) - Session-2
	1330 – 1430 Hrs.	Lunch Break
	1430 – 1640 Hrs.	T-4 Finals (Boards 31-45) - Session-3
	1430 – 1900 Hrs.	Pair Finals (Boards 33-62) - Session-II
	1700 – 1910 Hrs.	T-4 Finals (Boards 46-60) - Session-4
1945	Hrs.	Prize Distribution & Closing Ceremony

No Mobile Phones

Use of Mobile telephones is prohibited in the playing area, while the play session is on.



No Liquor & No Smoking



Consumption of Liquor and Smoking is strictly prohibited within the Playing Area & Scoring & Bulletin Room. Offenders may attract strict penalties.

IMPORTANT – PLEASE NOTE

The Tournament Directors would award penalties as prescribed by the Laws and Conditions of the contest for Use of Mobiles, Slow play or Late Arrival.

Vu-Graph on BBO

Live Vu-graph of the Tournament will be available on BBO as per the following Schedule:

10th September 2011: QF: 0915 Hrs. (S3), SF: 1130 Hrs. (S1), 1430 Hrs. (S2), 1715 Hrs. (S3)
 11th September 2011: Finals: 0900 Hrs (S1), 1130 Hrs. (S2), 1430 Hrs. (S3), 1700 Hrs (S4)