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Bandung Leading The Way



After two of the six qualifying rounds, there is only 1 team left with the maximum number of V.P. (50): Bandung's Geologi Timah A. Their IMP score stands at 81-5 which is very good, of course, but not the highest IMP score of the day. The 8th ranked team, Singapore, reached no less than 99 IMPs on their 20 deals of the day. Their V.P. score, however, is only 39 as they got 74 of those IMPs in their first match.

Ahead of them, we have another Gabriel team in 2nd spot on 48 V.P. but I am sure they will rise as their name MGDH simply means: Make Great Things Happen. What can possibly go wrong when you have the privilege of playing under such a name?

In 3rd spot, we find a team from Semarang's Djarum family, this time the LA Lights, who also did pretty well yesterday in reaching 46.

Next, we get a cluster of teams between 4th and 7th. Three teams are on 41: Gabriel mixed, Belitung and Sumsel (Palembang) and the 7th ranked team, Sarunta Waya, is on 40.

With only four rounds of qualification left today, the outcome will be a little unpredictable, as any respectable statistician would predict at this stage.

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QUALIFICATIONS AFTER ROUND 2

RANK	NO	TEAMS	VP	MOYEN	DIFF	IMP
1	13	Geo Timah A	50	16.2000	76	81-5
2	33	Gab-UI MGTH	48	13.6000	63	68-5
3	37	LA Light	46	5.3846	57	70-13
4	24	Gab-UI Mixed	41	3.4231	63	89-26
5	18	Belitung	41	2.3548	42	73-31
6	32	SumSel	41	2.2188	39	71-32
7	42	Sarunta Waya	40	2.1290	35	66-31
8	3	Singapore	39	3.6667	72	99-27
9	15	Senayan	39	1.6818	30	74-44
10	25	Putri Bandung	38	1.7647	26	60-34
11	21	Geo Timah B	38	1.7111	32	77-45
12	22	Gab-UI BBO	36	1.6571	23	58-35
13	1	Syabas Gabriel	35	1.5313	17	49-32
14	11	Murid Angob	35	1.3750	15	55-40
15	39	Indo Power I	33	1.2895	11	49-38
16	7	Sidola	32	1.4194	13	44-31
17	44	X-Men	32	1.2308	6	32-26
18	41	Indo Power 2	32	1.2258	7	38-31
19	43	Djarum Ladies	32	1.2000	7	42-35
20	19	Geo Timah Ladies	31	1.0339	2	61-59
21	5	Mitra Buana	30	1.6591	29	73-44
22	16	Kepri	30	1.1111	7	70-63
23	35	Bhineka Grand	30	0.9630	-1	26-27
24	10	FK 5660	30	0.9574	-2	45-47
25	14	Kutai Bara Abadi	28	1.8333	35	77-42
26	34	Metro Lampung 2	28	0.9219	-5	59-64
27	29	Aklindo SumSel	28	0.8000	-10	40-50
28	27	Gab-UI Stav	27	0.8200	-9	41-50
29	12	Dolphin Sentana	26	0.7500	-13	39-52
30	40	Djarum Super	26	0.7292	-13	35-48
31	36	BTC	26	0.7143	-12	30-42
32	31	Chantique	26	0.7143	-14	35-49
33	30	IBWI 1	25	0.7581	-15	47-62
34	2	SKR	24	0.6935	-19	43-62
35	9	PT. Bumi Siak Pusako	23	0.6071	-22	34-56
36	26	Alunand	23	0.4894	-24	23-47
37	23	OISO Maesa	21	0.4459	-41	33-74
38	38	West Borneo	21	0.4211	-33	24-57
39	28	Metro Lampung	18	0.4458	-46	37-83
40	20	Andritz Hydro Mixed	17	0.3529	-44	24-68
41	8	EBC	10	0.2755	-71	27-98
42	4	IBWI 2	9	0.1132	-94	12-106
43	17	Gab-UI Bangkit	8	0.2020	-79	20-99
44	6	Gunadarma Ladies	0	0.0345	-140	5-145

Qualifications Round 1

TABLE	MATCH			HOME TEAM	Vs	VISITOR TEAM	V P		I M P	
1	1	Vs	2	Syabas Gabriela	Vs	SKR	14	16	23	27
2	3	Vs	4	Singapore	Vs	IBWI 2	25	0	74	0
3	5	Vs	6	Mitra Buana	Vs	Gunadarma Ladies	25	0	68	5
4	7	Vs	8	Sidola	Vs	EBC	25	3	44	2
5	9	Vs	10	PT. Bumi Siak Pusako	Vs	FK 5660	8	22	12	34
6	11	Vs	12	Murid Angob	Vs	Dolphin Sentana	19	11	29	16
7	13	Vs	14	Geo Timah A	Vs	Kutai Bara Abadi	25	3	42	0
8	15	Vs	16	Senayan	Vs	Kepri	25	5	52	17
9	17	Vs	18	Gab-UI Bangkit	Vs	Belitung	5	25	9	46
10	19	Vs	20	Geo Timah Ladies	Vs	Andritz Hydro Mixed	20	10	36	20
11	21	Vs	22	Geo Timah B	Vs	Gab-UI BBO	13	17	24	32
12	23	Vs	24	OISO Maesa	Vs	Gab-UI Mixed	0	25	1	62
13	25	Vs	26	Putri Bandung	Vs	Alunand	16	14	21	18
14	27	Vs	28	Gab-UI Stav	Vs	Metro Lampung	16	14	30	24
15	29	Vs	30	Aklindo SumSel	Vs	IBWI 1	12	18	30	42
16	31	Vs	32	Chantique	Vs	SumSel	12	18	27	39
17	33	Vs	34	Gab-UI MGTTH	Vs	Metro Lampung 2	25	5	39	5
18	35	Vs	36	Bhineka Grand	Vs	BTC	16	14	21	19
19	37	Vs	38	LA Light	Vs	West Borneo	24	6	35	2
20	39	Vs	40	Indo Power 1	Vs	Djarum Super	19	11	25	12
21	41	Vs	42	Indo Power 2	Vs	Sarunta Waya	9	21	6	27
22	43	Vs	44	Djarum Ladies	Vs	X-Men	14	16	21	24

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Qualifications Round 2

TABLE	MATCH			HOME TEAM	Vs	VISITOR TEAM	V P		I M P	
1	3	Vs	24	Singapore	Vs	Gab-UI Mixed	14	16	25	27
2	5	Vs	13	Mitra Buana	Vs	Geo Timah A	5	25	5	39
3	7	Vs	33	Sidola	Vs	Gab-UI MGTH	7	23	0	29
4	18	Vs	15	Belitung	Vs	Senayan	16	14	27	22
5	37	Vs	10	LA Light	Vs	FK 5660	22	8	35	11
6	42	Vs	19	Sarunta Waya	Vs	Geo Timah Ladies	19	11	39	25
7	39	Vs	11	Indo Power I	Vs	Murid Angob	14	16	24	26
8	32	Vs	30	SumSel	Vs	IBWI I	23	7	32	5
9	22	Vs	27	Gab-UI BBO	Vs	Gab-UI Stav	19	11	26	11
10	2	Vs	25	SKR	Vs	Putri Bandung	8	22	16	39
11	44	Vs	35	X-Men	Vs	Bhineka Grand	16	14	8	5
12	36	Vs	43	BTC	Vs	Djarum Ladies	12	18	11	21
13	26	Vs	1	Alunand	Vs	Syabas Gabriel	9	21	5	26
14	28	Vs	21	Metro Lampung	Vs	Geo Timah B	4	25	13	53
15	29	Vs	31	Aklindo SumSel	Vs	Chantique	16	14	10	8
16	12	Vs	40	Dolphin Sentana	Vs	Djarum Super	15	15	23	23
17	20	Vs	41	Andritz Hydro Mixed	Vs	Indo Power 2	7	23	4	32
18	9	Vs	38	PT. Bumi Siak Pusako	Vs	West Borneo	15	15	22	22
19	16	Vs	17	Kepri	Vs	Gab-UI Bangkit	25	3	53	11
20	34	Vs	8	Metro Lampung 2	Vs	EBC	23	7	54	25
21	14	Vs	6	Kutai Bara Abadi	Vs	Gunadarma Ladies	25	0	77	0
22	23	Vs	4	OISO Maesa	Vs	IBWI 2	21	9	32	12

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NO	Team	9	1	4	12	2	13	3	10	7	5	14	8	6	11	TOTAL	Rank
9	ITS Achmad Muams Taufan Kurniawati Firman Zaini Oktaviandita S Kuku Indrayan Nur Ainia													23	25	48	1
1	UAB ITB A Yena Zifyon Edo Dendra											18		25		43	2
4	UKM BRIDGE UI Ahadiat Rudy Hilberto Yohanes Ivan							17							24	41	3
12	GUNADARMA PUTRA Renal Kandijoh Arthur Polly Dave Kinda Eliya Mogot Gerald Lasut Hendro R							10					25			35	4
2	UGM II Annisa Syahputri Revika Alifa Syamantha Cilvia						17				18					35	5
13	UGM I Sulistyo Wijanark Fiera Wardhani Surya Dharma H Rachmi Yunita					13				22						35	6
3	STIS JUNIOR Heri Sigit Mustafa Metri Winda Purba Very Bagus			13	20											33	7
10	MTI ITB Urpi Hakim M Rendi Ditid R Christopher										19	11				30	8
7	MAPALUS KOYA Josep Makalew Rafael Lumban Angelia Ron Christy Geraldi T M Reza K						8						21			29	9
5	UNIKA Handriantono M Mahelda F Ulfa Wawit Efi					12			11							23	10
14	UAB ITB C		0						19							19	11
8	UAB ITB B Rona Kosim Anson Joe Bobby Reza				3					9						12	12
6	UNAIR Angga Fuad Ajeng Borna Mia	7	3													10	13
11	GABRIAL E08	2		6												8	14
		8-58		13-43												21 - 101	0.2079

Today's Schedule

Saturday, 21 November 2009

- 09.00 – 10.20 Qualification Open Teams session 3/6
- 10.30 – 11.50 Qualification Open Teams session 4/6
- 11.50 – 13.00 Break**
- 13.00 – 14.20 Qualification Open Teams session 5/6
- 14.30 – 15.50 Qualification Open Teams session 6/6
- 15.50 – 16.30 Preparation Final Open and Swiss Teams**
- 16.30 – 17.50 Final Open and Swiss Teams session 1/7
- 17.50 – 19.00 Break**
- 19.00 – 20.20 Final Open and Swiss Teams session 2/7

Tomorrow's Schedule

Sunday, 22 November 2009

- 09.00 – 10.20 Final Open and Swiss Teams session 4/7
- 10.30 – 11.50 Final Open and Swiss Teams session 5/7
- 11.50 – 13.30 Break**
- 13.30 – 14.50 Final Open and Swiss Teams session 6/7
- 15.00 – 16.20 Final Open and Swiss Teams session 7/7
- 17.00 *Closing Ceremony and
Winners Recognition*

Qualifications Round 1

This weekend is scheduled to see the 3rd Gabriel UI Cup being contested by teams from all over the country and some from abroad as well. The team event is played in the well-known Indonesian format: a Swiss over a certain number of rounds (six, this time), followed by a final Round Robin between the eight top teams after the qualifying Swiss. The other teams will continue for 9th place and lower.

As Gabriel UI is the bridge club of the graduated from Universitas Indonesia, a pleasantly high number of young players is participating. The graduated, obviously, do not only play bridge, but they also act as (bridge) mentors for the UI students. Furthermore, GABSI's efforts to promote bridge at school is also an important factor in the increasing popularity of bridge among Indonesian youngsters from other universities as well. Good to see and good for the game.

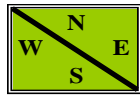
Reporting about the first round of any event always leaves you guessing. However, thanks to modern technology the guess is taken out of your reporter's hands as it is the organisers who will decide which match to bring on BBO for Round I.

Understandably, they chose a match featuring a strong team from the Universitas Indonesia, Syabas Gabriel UI, playing against a team called Shivarama Kasturi Rangan (SKR). The latter team is named after an Indian bridge player who is not playing here. The actual players are from Greater Jakarta, most of them from Bekasi.

This proved to be a quite lively match if you take into account that the Open Room started with the last two boards, which both looked like big swings. We will turn to them later.

On board 3, Syabas Gabriel got a slightly lucky swing when their opponents took a save, vulnerable v. not (!), for one down against a non-vul. game that to me, looked very much on:

Board: 3. Dir: South/EW

♠ 10 8 4 3 2 ♥ 5 ♦ 8 6 ♣ K Q J 6 4	♠ J ♥ K 10 9 4 ♦ K J 9 5 3 2 ♣ A 7		♠ A K Q 7 ♥ Q 7 6 ♦ Q 10 7 4 ♣ 10 8
♠ 9 6 5 ♥ A J 8 3 2 ♦ A ♣ 9 5 3 2			

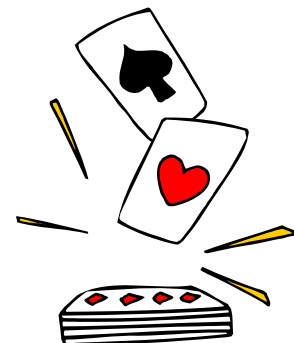
Open Room

West	North	East	South
<i>Laseduw</i>	<i>Sacul</i>	<i>Sitompoe</i>	<i>Karwur</i>
Pass	1♦	1♠	Dble
3♠	4♥	Pass	Pass
4♠	Pass	Pass	Dble
All Pass			

Two diamonds, a heart and a club was all the defence could get on this layout: Syabas +200.

In the Closed Room, the save was not taken but declarer followed a less effective line in 4♥ to turn a possible 6-IMP gain into a 7-IMP loss by going down two.

Halfway the match, the boards got into a little quiet dip which should have lasted till this board but actually did not when the Precision garbage diamond struck again;



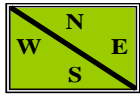
Board: 7. Dir: South/All

♠ J 9 8 6 5 3
 ♥ K 9 7
 ♦ 7 2
 ♣ 7 2

♠ 10 7
 ♥ J 10 6 5 3
 ♦ K J 4 3
 ♣ J 5

♠ A K 4 2
 ♥ Q 8 2
 ♦ 10 6
 ♣ A 10 9 8

♠ Q
 ♥ A 4
 ♦ A Q 9 8 5
 ♣ K Q 6 4 3



After Salvina's 1♦ opening bid, East did not find a way to bring his diamonds into the picture so the partnership came nowhere near discovering their best fit and finally sold out to 3♠. This proved a lucky make when the ♥A was doubleton but SKR thus chalked up another +140 and 7 IMPs.

Over now to the two last boards which in the Open Room in fact were the first two:

Open Room

West	North	East	South
Laseduw	Sacul	Sitompoel	Karwur
Pass	2♥	Dble	2♠
Pass	Pass	2NT	Pass
3♦	All Pass		

This time, the NS 12-14 NT paved the way for East to show her strong minor twosuit by first doubling and then simply bidding 2NT. West had little to add to this but the proper fit was reached and I have no doubt that EW would have bid one more if given the chance. EW +130.

Closed Room

West	North	East	South
Bastaman	Prananta	Budi	Salvina
Pass	1♠	2♣	2♠
Pass	Pass	3♣	Pass
Pass	3♠	All Pass	



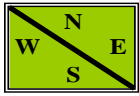
SALVINA

Board: 9. Dir: North/EW

♠ Q J 6
 ♥ K Q 8 6
 ♦ K 9 8 3
 ♣ 5 3

♠ K 9 8 3
 ♥ A 7
 ♦ A 7 6 4
 ♣ Q J 2

♠ A 10 2
 ♥ 4 3
 ♦ 10 5
 ♣ A K 10 9 7 4



♠ 7 5 4
 ♥ J 10 9 5 2
 ♦ Q J 2
 ♣ 8 6

Open Room

West	North	East	South
Laseduw	Sacul	Sitompoel	Karwur
Pass	2♥	Pass	2♦
Dble	3♥	All Pass	

A subprime 12-14 NT by Denny Sacul, his first action in this tournament, proved a very good shot indeed when Linda Sitompoel, as so many others, could not overcall a natural 2♣. From then on, reaching game was practically impossible for EW who let their opponents play 3♥ in peace and collected a meagre +100 when they defeated it by two tricks.



SACUL

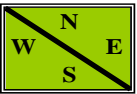
Qualifications Round 2

This time, another of the host teams was the organisers' choice and an interesting one it was, too, as Gabriel UI's mixed team was to play the team from Singapore.

The first two boards were big swings, one either way, but rather given away than deserved so I will skip them and go straight to board 15, a lesson about the virtue of ethics.

In the Closed Room, West hit the jackpot by intervening one level higher:

Board: 15. Dlr: South/NS

♠ -- ♥ A Q 10 8 6 4 2 ♦ J 8 7 2 ♣ 7 3		♠ J 9 4 2 ♥ K 9 7 3 ♦ 4 3 ♣ K Q 5	♠ Q 8 7 6 5 ♥ 5 ♦ K 9 5 ♣ A 10 8 6
		♠ A K 10 3 ♥ J ♦ A Q 10 6 ♣ J 9 4 2	

Closed Room

West	North	East	South
Jens	S. Nina	Choo Wai	Fachreza
4♥	Dble	Pass	4♠
Pass	Pass	Dble	All Pass

North's action looks very aggressive, even more so when declarer refrained from the diamond finesse and thus went down two: +500 to Singapore.

Open Room

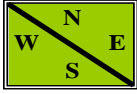
West	North	East	South
Satridanda	Derek MaggYeni		Alan Sia
3♥	All Pass		1♦



After this rather quiet 3♥-overcall, North was in deep trouble. Apparently, it took the tray a long time to come back to the other side of the screen. We will never know if this influenced South's decision to quietly pass out 3♥ but right he was! 3♥ went down two as well for another +100 and 12 IMPs to Singapore.

They seemed to be cruising to an 18-12 victory when the last board came up in the Open Room:

Board: 18. Dlr: East/NS

♠ 10 8 6 ♥ 8 7 4 ♦ K 4 ♣ J 9 7 5 2		♠ A ♥ A Q J 5 2 ♦ J 9 8 7 3 ♣ A 3	♠ K 5 4 3 ♥ 10 6 ♦ Q 6 5 ♣ K 8 6 4
		♠ Q J 9 7 2 ♥ K 9 3 ♦ A 10 2 ♣ Q 10	

Open Room

West	North	East	South
Satridanda	Derek MaggYeni		Alan Sia
Pass	2♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	5♣	Pass	5♦
Pass	6♥	All Pass	

It all depends on what the raise to 4♥ shows. If it's fast arrival, than any further move is dubious, if it's extra values, than a further move is obvious.

6♥ was not without its chances as the spotlight again turned on Yeni who had to select the right minor suit to lead. When she produced a diamond, she had done the trick. On a club lead, declarer might guess right and then lose a diamond, but a diamond lead denied him the necessary quick extra trick in clubs. So 13 IMPs back to Gabriel UI Mixed who thus won the match 27-25 or 16-14 V.P.

