

Programme

Please note that timings are approximate, for guidance only and may be subject to change.

Saturday 30th September – Pairs 13.00 start

13.00	Championship Pairs - Qualifying
16.00	Break of approximately 1 hour
17.00	Pairs Finals
21.00	Projected finish

The Qualifying Round for the Championship Pairs will be scored overall, with approximately the top quarter qualifying for the Championship Final (Committee Cup), the second quarter for the Consolation Final (Markwell Trophy) and the remainder for the Open Pairs (Suffolk Coastal Council Shield).

Sunday 1st October – Swiss Teams 11.00 start

11.00	3 x 7 board matches
14.00	Break of approximately 1 hour
15.00	4 x 7 board matches
15.00	Really Easy Pairs (finish around 18.00)
19.00	Presentation of Pairs & Swiss Teams prizes
19.30	Projected finish

The winning team will be awarded the David Price Trophy. The highest-placed team that does not include a player of National Master rank or above will be awarded the Jack Barnard Trophy.

Cash prizes will be awarded to the section winners (Pairs qualifying), top three or four in each of the Finals, best-placed Pair and Team not including a player of National Master rank or above, and Ascenders (Teams). The total prize fund will be at least £1500.

There is a separate 'Really Easy Pairs' section on the Sunday with cash prizes and reduced entry fee for inexperienced players with 1000 Masterpoints or fewer.

See overleaf for details.



Presents The

37th Felixstowe Bridge Congress

Pier Leisure Centre, Seafront, Felixstowe, IP11 2AE

Pairs Saturday 30th Sept 2017
Swiss Teams Sunday 1st Oct 2017
Really Easy Pairs Sunday 1st Oct 2017

Green Points according to EBU scale

Prize Fund of at least £1500

Numerous prize categories

Licensed by the EBU

Entry fees (per player)

Pairs only £24
 Teams only £24
 Pairs and Teams £48
 Really Easy Pairs £5

Closing date for entries

Friday 22nd September, or earlier if full

Entry Form

Please enter information in the shaded areas, including the code (as below) and the associated entry fee for each player	Fee £	24	24	48	5
	Code	P	T	F	R
	Entry	Pairs only	Teams only	Pairs & Teams	Really Easy Pairs

Please include all members of the team/group even if their entry fee is not include here.

Entry fee £						
Code						
EBU No.						
Player name						Total fee for this entry

Contact details for main player	Name			
	Address			
	eMail			
	Phone			

Local Facilities

The Pier Leisure Centre has a cafeteria which serves tea, coffee, soft drinks and light refreshments.

It also has good disabled access.

Ample car parking is available adjacent to the Leisure Centre and on the promenade (both Pay-and-Display) and in local streets (mostly free).

Restaurants and accommodation are widely available locally.

Tea and coffee may be purchased at the cafeteria.

Soft drinks are provided free of charge throughout the Congress.

2016 Congress Winners

Committee Cup – Pairs Championship
Konrad Mau & Mike Bull

Markwell Trophy – Pairs Consolation
Val & Paul Mollison

Suffolk Coastal Council Shield – Open Pairs
Bogdan Drobny & Maureen Kimbley

David Price Trophy – Teams Championship
Fiona & Paul Littlewood
Julie & Steve Abley

Jack Barnard Trophy – Teams, below National Master
David Willson & John Heath
Gary Waller & Ashley Sawyer

Really Easy Pairs
Andrew Lewis & Peter Watson

Congress Officials

Chief Tournament Director

Ian Mitchell

Congress Secretaries

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Need a partner for Pairs, or another pair for Teams? The Congress Secretary may be able to help. Contact felixstowe@suffolkbridge.co.uk

SCBA website

<http://www.suffolkbridge.co.uk/Felixstowe/>

Really Easy Pairs Section

Exclusively for inexperienced players with 1000 Masterpoints or fewer.

18 to 21 boards, played at a relaxed pace.

Bridgemate scoring (help provided if required), hand records and hand commentary.

Cash prizes.

Sunday 1st October, Start 15:00, Finish 18:00

Entry fee £5.00 per player

Entry Form

Enter online at <http://www.suffolkbridge.co.uk/Felixstowe/> and pay by direct electronic transfer

Bank details for direct electronic transfer: Sort Code 30-98-31, Account No. 25467768

Please include your surname and "Felix" as a reference

OR

By post using this entry form with enclosed cheque to:-

Felixstowe Congress Secretary, Olivers Barn, Olivers Lane, Colchester, CO2 0HH

Cheques made payable to Suffolk Contract Bridge Association