



# Daily Bulletin

*31<sup>st</sup> Asean Bridge Club  
Championships*

**Kuala Lumpur Malaysia**

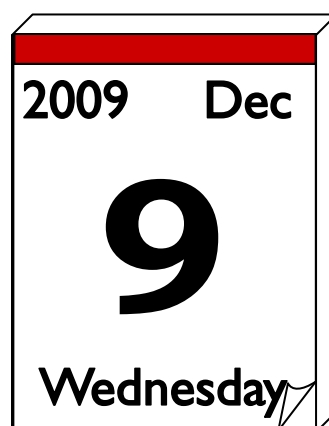
5-9 December 2009



# Congratulations!

Congratulations to the winners: Syabas Energy in the Open Team championship, Geo Timah A in the Ladies and Saniva in the Youths. Syabas has 3 clear wins to clinch the title. In the Ladies play-off, Geo Timah A won by 25 IMPs, while in the Youths they had a tie and Saniva won by the carry-over.

We wish also to congratulate Geo Timah A in topping the Swiss Teams with 6 straight wins.



**Final Bulletin**



*Asean Open Team Champion*

*From Left:: Budi Gunawan, Deny Jacob Sacul, Franky Steven Karwur, Memed Hendrawan, Widi Panconu, Syarif Bastaman (Team Manager)*

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# Farewell Messages

## THANK YOU!

We have come to the end of another Asean Bridge Club Championships and on behalf of the Organising Committee we would like to thank so many people without whom this event would not have been possible. Firstly Director Anthony and his assistant Flora who showed us that it is possible to multitask the tournament direction, produce a Daily Bulletin and supervise vu-graph matches on BBO – you just have to be superhuman! Lilio and her staff duplicated a few thousand hands and the caddying staff walked miles to bring them to you. Vu-graph operators Veena and Yoko coped with a sometimes reluctant internet connection but always maintaining their cool.

And finally thank you to all the players, especially the visitors, for participating in this event. Sometimes the playing conditions have been less than ideal. The space is limited and the temperature was cold but this was offset by the warm and friendly atmosphere which pervaded throughout the tournament. We hope you have enjoyed yourselves and have a safe journey home!

On behalf of the participating players from the Singapore Contract Bridge Association (SCBA), I would like to thank the Malaysian Contract Bridge Association for organizing this 31st Asean Bridge Club Championships.

In this competition, I have learnt 2 new conventions in which to show no kings, and no points by passing. In the first case, the bidding sequence was:

1 ♣	Pass	2 ♠(1)	Pass	(1) 16+with a ♠ suit
2NT	Pass	4NT	Pass	(2) Because I have no kings!
5 ♦	Pass	5NT	Pass	
Pass(2)				

The is was a very accurate pass as only 5NT was possible.

The next scenario was a pass after a take out double because “I don’t have points, so the double must be for penalty”. 3 ♠ X was 1 down.

Opener: 3 ♠-X-Pass-Pass

The reason was “Since I do not have any points, the double must be for penalty.” What an accurate convention!

A big “thank you” once more and we all wish you a Merry Christmas and a healthy, happy bridging New Year.

Greta Chai

## Open Team Final Results

Section F		Vs				+/-	VP	Rank
Team		1	2	3	4			
Syabas Energy	1		19	22	18		59	1
Pattaya Bridge Club 2	2	11		8	15		34	4
CBLT Thai	3	8	22		17		47	2
FOS	4	12	15	13			40	3

Section F		Vs				IMP	IMP Quotient
Team		1	2	3	4	+	
Syabas Energy	1		31	62	34	127	1.8955
Pattaya Bridge Club 2	2	15		18	47	80	0.6202
CBLT Thai	3	33	49		36	118	1.0926
FOS	4	19	49	28		96	0.8205
IMP -		67	129	108	117		

## Ladies Team Final Results



*Asean Ladies Team Champion: Geo Timah A  
From left: Joice Tueje, Riantini, Fera Damayamt, Lusje Bojoh*

Ladies Team		C/O	IMPs	Total	Win/Lose
Djarum	1	3.5	16	19.5	
Geo Timah A	2		41	41	Win

## Youth Team Final Results



*Asean Youth Team Champion: Saniva*

*From left: Desmond Oh, Ivan Mok, Ann De Guzman, Mylene Encontro, Romulus Tham, Kelvin Ong*

Youth Team		C/O	IMPs	Total	Win/Lose
Saniva	1	4	35	39	Win
Xming	2		35	35	

## Ladies/Youth Team Qualifying Round Results

Section L		Vs														+/-	VP	Rank
Team		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14			
MCBA KUCHING	1		12	9	7	4	0	4	20	0	6	3	6	19	5		95	14
INTERNATIONAL	2	18		21	5	21	9	14	15	15	10	11	24	21	3		187	9
ANGELS	3	21	9		16	12	2	10	18	16	8	6	23	20	11		172	10
XMING(Y)	4	23	25	14		21	5	20	18	16	21	15	16	25	14		233	3
GEO TIMAH A	5	25	9	18	9		22	14	25	20	15	14	25	24	13		233	3
SANIVA(Y)	6	25	21	25	25	8		20	24	25	25	11	25	11	18		263	1
EMMALINE (Y)	7	25	16	20	10	16	10		25	18	16	17	16	10	18		217	6
MCBA 2	8	10	15	12	12	1	6	0		9	6	17	13	8	9		118	13
SINGAPORE	9	25	15	14	14	10	4	12	21		25	19	25	25	16		225	5
MCBA 1	10	24	20	22	9	15	4	14	24	1		16	19	9	18		195	8
DJARUM	11	25	19	24	15	16	19	13	13	11	14		22	25	23		239	2
MCBA 3	12	24	6	7	14	4	4	14	17	3	11	8		1	8		121	12
RBSC POLO CLUB	13	11	9	10	4	6	19	20	22	4	21	0	25		15		166	11
GEO TIMAH B	14	25	25	19	16	17	12	12	21	14	12	7	22	15			217	6

Section L		Vs														IMP +	IMP Quotient
Team		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14		
MCBA KUCHING	1		25	31	21	1	10	15	33	25	15	6	5	42	9	238	0.3606
INTERNATIONAL	2	37		25	21	50	12	31	32	26	4	26	56	36	6	362	0.9165
ANGELS	3	55	1		41	22	11	7	27	25	11	11	56	33	20	320	0.7729
XMING	4	55	61	38		59	8	51	48	26	57	20	52	51	23	549	1.3969
GEO TIMAH A	5	46	24	34	36		36	19	79	41	29	24	65	64	18	515	1.5749
SANIVA	6	78	37	68	48	8		28	47	51	64	15	75	35	27	581	2.3618
EMMALINE	7	62	35	27	30	22	7		98	29	35	25	38	29	33	470	1.4551
MCBA 2	8	13	32	15	37	13	12	10		14	10	21	23	17	8	225	0.3961
SINGAPORE	9	92	25	18	21	19	4	17	37		74	44	59	48	53	511	1.5299
MCBA 1	10	50	24	38	32	28	19	30	45	12		51	52	18	37	436	0.9732
DJARUM	11	56	41	49	22	31	32	15	12	29	44		63	90	49	533	1.7533
MCBA 3	12	41	21	25	47	21	31	33	32	9	36	34		5	19	354	0.5396
RBSC POLO CLUB	13	24	13	11	7	26	50	48	44	0	43	12	66		38	382	0.7579
GEO TIMAH B	14	51	56	35	30	27	14	19	34	47	26	15	46	36		436	1.2824
IMP -		660	395	414	393	327	246	323	568	334	448	304	656	504	340		

## SwissTeam Final Results



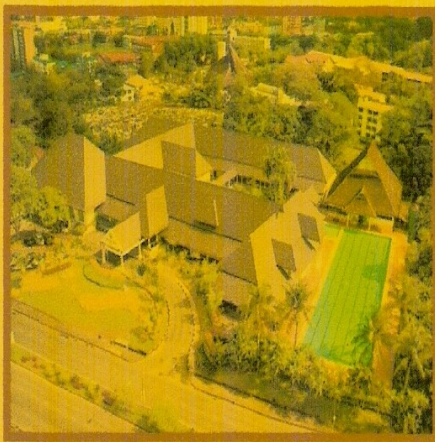
*Asean Swiss Team Champion: Geo Timah A*

*From left: Adjat Abdurodjak, Syahril Ali, Maruf Yusuf, David Hutahaeen, M Apin Nurhalim, Wimpy S. Tjetjep (NPC not in picture)*

1	Geo Timah A	123	11	Pattaya Bridge Club I	88
2	Gabrial MGTH	119	12	Forbes	86
3	Geo Timah B	113	13	MCBA KL	85
4	X-Men	97	14	MCBA 2	81
5	Tuason	95	15	Indo/Mal	80
6	Rylai	94	16	Boomz	74
7	Ambassador	94	17	Emmaline	72
8	RBSC	92	18	MCBA Kuching Ladies	48
9	Singapore	90	19	MCBA Kuching	40
10	Katipunan	89			



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The Bridge Club Kuching

## Let's Play Our Tune

We're Playing our game!

Who would have known 30 years ago  
Amran Zamzami was so wise to know  
ASEAN bridge would be competitive hit  
We know it now as big international meet.

Who would have known  
way back when in jakarta Amran asked  
Won't ASEAN be fun  
Who would have known  
All bridgeplayers around  
Would be friends playing bridge in this town?

Did you think KL was too far  
A few hours by car  
Few air miles by plane  
Now we're all here playing our game

Oh ho we're playing our game  
the tables are all set up  
For five days without let up  
We'll keep coming back for more of the same.

The game has us all in a magical spell  
Please don't stay  
If You'll be disturbing those who are entranced in  
Just the perfect way  
The cards have to lie so well

Right now we're bidding a slam  
Our sequence so good it's a poem  
For sure we'll be all alone  
To find in slam zone thirteen tricks  
A convention for long we have known,  
On keycards specific  
For grand slam terrific  
It's so great to be playing our game!

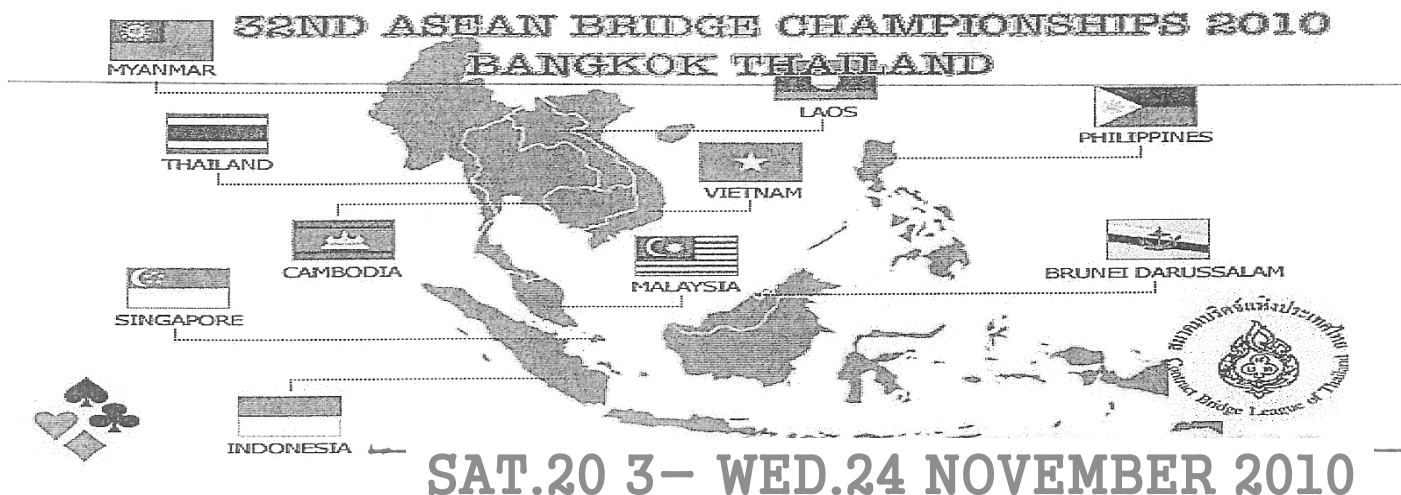
We love our team up  
Playing our best to be on top  
At the ASEAN meet  
Where good friends we greet,  
And experts we play and the competition's sweet

We played well 200 hands  
to make top three in the end,  
But oh to do it again we'll be glad to spend  
to keep on playing  
I'd love to be playing  
If I could keep playing my game.

Oh ho we've played and had fun  
Had we played well we'd have won  
but next year we'll be trying  
It's To Bangkok we'll be going  
At the Monthien we'll be staying  
For the ASEAN we'll be playing  
We'll all be there playing our game  
See you there when we're playing  
We'll all be there playing our game.

See you next year! Gemma Tan





### *Types of Contest & Entry Fees*

Open Team US\$ 400 / Team

Ladies Team US\$ 300 / Team

Mixed Team US\$ 200 / Team

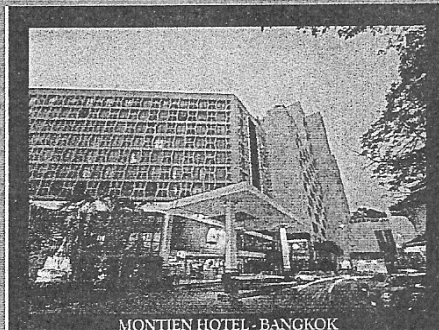
Youth Team US\$ 150 / Team

*( Free of Charge, for the first two Youth Teams of each Country )*

Swiss Team US\$ 100 / Team

Pairs US\$ 100 / Pair

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Inclusive :

Type of contest

Team's Name

Team's Manager

Team's Captain

Players and Photo

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