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2006 CLUB DIRECTOR EXAM PAPER 1 – MOVEMENTS AND SCORING

INSTRUCTIONS

- ◆ Write in black or blue pen.
- ◆ Answer all questions on the exam paper. If space is insufficient either add pages at the end or write on the back of the previous page.
- ◆ You may use any reference material you wish but the paper must be your own unaided work.
- ◆ Hand completed paper to Exam Supervisor at Paper 2. You should also bring
 - your Law Book
 - QBA Tournament Regulations
 - one other piece of reference material - optional. (Prepared answers and answers to old exam papers not permitted.)

QUESTION ONE

Players in an evening session like to play as many boards as possible up to a maximum of 32. What movement would you use for the following number of tables **and** how many boards will be played? (Give separate numbers for NS and EW should they be different.)

Name **one only** movement for each number of tables.

(a) 9 tables

(b) 8 tables

(c) 11½ tables

(d) 5½ tables

(e) 12 tables

QUESTION TWO

The first round of a session has started when another pair arrives. Club policy is to make them welcome. What changes would you make had you started with each of the following movements? The maximum number of boards to be played in each situation is given in brackets.

(a) 9½ table Rover Mitchell; 3 boards per round (Max 27 Boards)

(b) 11 tables set up as a Mitchell movement; 3 boards per round (Max.36)

(c) 8 tables set up as a Share & Relay Mitchell; 4 boards per round (32)

(d) 13½ tables set up as a 1½ Appendix Mitchell; 3 boards per round (36)

QUESTION THREE

(a) Provide a round robin draw for 9 teams over 8 rounds.

Round				
1				
2				
3				
4				
5				
6				
7				
8				

(b) Show the positions of teams and boards for the first match of a 6 team New England Movement. Draw arrows to show how each will be moved at the end of the first round.

QUESTION FOUR

In your Club's Teams Championship 8 teams played a full Round Robin sharing the same boards. Two teams tie for first on Victory Points. Club policy is to split the tie for the title according to the QBA Regulations. How will you do this?

QUESTION FIVE

You are using a 12 table Skip Mitchell with 36 boards in play.

- (a) By which round must players skip? _____
- (b) May the skip be called sooner? _____
- (c) If so, what is the earliest time to skip? _____
- (d) Using this Skip Mitchell, how can all players play all 36 boards?

QUESTION SIX

(a) What is the Mitchell movement that allows you to use and play exactly 28 boards for any number of tables between 8 and 13?

(b) Detail the starting positions of players and boards using this movement for 10 tables. Number each table and use arrows to show the direction that NS, EW and boards will move at the end of the first round.

QUESTION SEVEN

(a) Why is curtailing a Howell movement to be avoided?

(b) Show the starting positions of players and boards for a 7 table $\frac{3}{4}$ Howell movement. Eleven 3 board rounds are to be played. Show how players will move after each round and draw arrows to show how boards will be moved.

TABLE ONE		
NS	EW	Boards
NS moves to		
EW moves to		

TABLE TWO		
NS	EW	Boards
NS moves to		
EW moves to		

TABLE SEVEN		
NS	EW	Boards
NS moves to		
EW moves to		

TABLE THREE		
NS	EW	Boards
NS moves to		
EW moves to		

TABLE SIX		
NS	EW	Boards
NS moves to		
EW moves to		

TABLE FOUR		
NS	EW	Boards
NS moves to		
EW moves to		

TABLE FIVE		
NS	EW	Boards
NS moves to		
EW moves to		

QUESTION EIGHT

(a) You are running a two session pairs event for 6 tables. A Howell movement playing 33 boards is to be played each session however one pair does not turn up for the second session so there is a sit out. Explain how scores from session two will be factored before adding to session one scores.

(b) A single winning pair is to be found in a two session competition for 12 tables. 33 boards are played in a Skip Mitchell in the first session. Positions are changed for the second session but one pair withdraws. An 11 table Mitchell Movement with a NS Rover playing 33 boards is used. What factoring is necessary before adding the scores from the two sessions?

QUESTION NINE

Matchpoint these boards. Make corrections you feel entitled to make as the director given that you cannot contact players about apparently wrong scores.

BOARD 2 DEALER EAST - NS VUL

At Table 7 it was discovered at Trick 10 that North had started with 14 cards and East with 12 cards. Enter your ruling.

Tbl	CONTRACT & TRICKS WON	NS	EW	NS	EW	NS	EW
1	4SN 11	650		1	1		
2	4SN 10	620		2	3		
3	4SN 9		50	3	5		
4	3SN 11	200		4	7		
5	3SNX 11	1130		5	9		
6	4SN 10	620		6	2		
7				7	4		
8	4SN 8		200	8	6		
9	3SN 10	170		9	8		
CHECK TOTALS							

BOARD 8 DEALER WEST - NIL VUL

At Table 7 the board was placed on the table the wrong way so that North held the West cards etc.

The player sitting North played in 2H making 8 tricks.

Tbl	CONTRACT & TRICKS WON	NS	EW	NS	EW	NS	EW
1	4NTE 12		490	1	9		
2	6NTE 11	50		2	2		
3	3NTE 12		490	3	4		
4	2SE 8		110	4	6		
5	2HN 9	140		5	8		
6	1NTE 7		90	6	1		
7							
8	3DW 12		170	8	5		
9	6NTE 12		990	9	7		
CHECK TOTALS							

BOARD 17 DEALER NORTH - NIL VUL

This board was played in a fouled condition at tables 7, 6, 5 and 4.
You were unable to determine who was responsible.

Tbl	CONTRACT & TRICKS WON	NS	EW	NS	EW	NS	EW
1	1NTW 8		120	1	6		
2	3NTW 6	150		2	8		
3	2NTW 7	100		3	1		
4	1NTE 7		90	4	3		
5	1SW 8		110	5	5		
6	1DXS 5		300	6	7		
7	2HE 8		110	7	9		
8	2NTW 8		120	8	2		
9	1SW 7		80	9	4		
CHECK TOTALS							