

## Press Release about the WBF FunBridge Robot Tournaments

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## The WBF FunBridge Robot Tournaments

*Please publish this information on your own websites and as widely as possible to encourage participating in these tournaments, which are suitable for all ranks of players and are really fun and enjoyable – and of course, if a player is a member of your NBO you will receive a share of the entry fee as detailed here:*

*<http://www.worldbridge.org/competitions/wbf-online-tournaments/wbf-robot-tournaments/>*

As these Robot tournaments gather momentum, with more and more players participating, not only is it possible to display new ranking lists – month by month, year by year, even all time, but we are also able to announce some really exciting prizes !

**At the end of 2019 the leading three players in the 2019 overall ranking, determined on their best results achieved over a minimum of 100 tournaments will be invited to participate in the 2020 World Championships with a partner of their choice**

These three players will receive free entry to whichever of the four National Pairs Championships\*\* they wish to participate in – the National Open, Women's, Seniors or Mixed Pairs plus bed and breakfast accommodation in a twin/double room for themselves and their partner for the duration of the Pairs Championship.

And as if that isn't enough, there will be competitions with prizes for the best play, bidding and defence presented to the player concerned and also to the Journalist reporting the hand and publishing it in the IPBA Bulletin or other publication – the player should send the details about the bidding, play and defence to the journalist of his choice, noting the hand number, the day of the tournament and whether it was MPs or IMPs.

To play in these fun, enjoyable Robot Tournaments,

just go to <https://www.funbridge.com/> and download their application.

The ranking lists can be found at : <http://robot.wbfmasterpoints.com/> and these give details of the titles achieved and the master point awards.

\*\* The 2020 Championship is an event for National Pairs, so both members of the partnership must be players in good standing, belonging to and eligible to play for the same NBO



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