



You can use Magic Contest to score club matches between two or more clubs. In the orange book *Movements* such an event is referred to as *Inter-club contest*. Do like this:

Start the contest. Select *Contest menu-Properties-Scoring* and the *Club match* tab. Then select one of the following options:

- *Use the pairs' average for the respective club.* This is probably the most fair approach since it does not matter how many pairs participate from each club – all results will be included and averaged.
- *Let the smallest club decide how many results should be included.* It is the smallest common denominator that decides how many results to be included. This variant is a little bit unfair since larger clubs will omit their worst results.
- *Enter how many results to be included.* Only the best n results are included.

When you enter a name from the member file the players may belong to a club (depending on how your member file is set up). This club is used to decide what players and pairs belong to the same club in the club match. You can change this if you want. Click the *Player* button and then enter the wanted club in the *Club* column.

If you prefer you can enter the “club” in the *Team* column – it does not matter where you enter the club. This way the event will be referred to as a *Team match* on all printouts.

Once you have selected the scoring method for the club match and made sure the players' clubs or teams are correct everything from now and on is completely automatic. On every score recap or final result the club match standing will be printed at the top. This also applies to the website report.

Available movements

You can use any movement you like, but there are some movements that are tailor-made for club matches:

- Zigzag Mitchell
- Inter-club Scrambled Mitchell
- Ring Dance Mitchell

These are all described in *Movements* on page 445-449.

On page 447 there is a comment about Zig-Zag Mitchell regarding a choice between Relay Mitchell and Skip Mitchell. In Magic Contest this is not a choice. Relay Mitchell and nothing else is used.