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Gitelman-Moss Win 2003 Cavendish Pairs

Fred Gitelman and Brad Moss entered the fifth and final session of the 2003 Cavendish Pairs 114 cross-imps behind the leaders, Egyptians Walid Al Ahmedy and Tarek Sadek. Gitelman-Moss scored a modest 158 (a session 20th for a total of 2665) but the leaders fared even worse (-278, for a total of 2343). A similar fate befell Fantoni-Nunes, who led the event for the first three sessions, entered the final session in third place, but scored only 70 for a total of 2057 and finished in fourth place. So Gitelman-Moss emerged winners while the Egyptians finished second (for the second consecutive year—no mean feat). Ross Grabel and Jon Wittes entered the final session in ninth place, but with a modest showing (+503 for a session 10th) and the higher pairs doing rather more poorly they vaulted into third place with 2062. Rounding out the top five were Bob Hamman and Zia Mahmood, who scored 709 in the final session for a total of 1856. The complete final standing can be found on page 2.



Cavendish Pairs winners:
Brad Moss and Fred Gitelman



Runners Up: Walid El Ahmady and Tarek Sadek (flanking two unknowns)

Samuel-Samuel Take 2003 WBP Pairs

Russell and Shawn Samuel blasted their way through every session, racking up section tops in the first two sessions and a section second in the third and final session to win the 2003 WBP pairs going away. Their total: 1571 cross-imps. Finishing second, largely on the strength of a big third session (449 for a section top), were Leslie Amoils and Darren Wolpert with 434. (Note: this was less than one-third the Samuels's total.) In third place were Lynn Baker and Debbie Rosenberg with 406. The complete final standings can be found on page 3.



WBP Pair winners: Shawn and
Russell Samuel

2003 Cavendish Pairs: Final Standings

| Rank | Score | Pair | Auction Price (in \$K) | Rank | Score | Pair | Auction Price (in \$K) |
|------|-------|-------------------------------------|------------------------|-------|-------|-------------------------------------|------------------------|
| 1 | 2665 | Fred Gitelman – Brad Moss | \$25 | 26 | -137 | Chris Compton – Gaylor Kasle | \$12.5 |
| 2 | 2343 | Walid El Ahmady – Tarek Sadek | \$18 | 27 | -193 | Bobby Levin – Steve Weinstein | \$40 |
| 3 | 2062 | Ross Grabel – Jon Wittes | \$14 | 28 | -511 | Seymour Deutsch – Paul Soloway | \$12.5 |
| 4 | 2057 | Fulvio Fantoni – Claudio Nunes | \$30 | 29 | -515 | Drew Casen – Richard Schwartz | \$12.5 |
| 5 | 1856 | Bob Hamman – Zia Mahmood | \$33 | 30 | -547 | Curtis Cheek – Billy Miller | \$20 |
| 6 | 1815 | Bjorn Fallenius – Roy Welland | \$17 | 31 | -552 | Nicola Del Buono – Benito Garozzo | \$12.5 |
| 7 | 1398 | Peter Bertheau – Fredrik Nystrom | \$20 | 32 | -761 | Michael Kwiecien – Jacek Pszczola | \$36 |
| 8 | 1388 | Boye Brogeland – Espen Erichsen | \$18 | 33 | -791 | Marc Jacobus – Sam Lev | \$19 |
| 9 | 1383 | Glenn Milgrim – Chris Willenken | \$12.5 | 34/35 | -801 | Jimmy Cayne – Geir Helgemo | \$15 |
| 10 | 1364 | Andrea Buratti – Massimo Lanzarotti | \$34 | 34/35 | -801 | Alain Levy – Herve Mouiel | \$20 |
| 11 | 1297 | David Berkowitz – Larry Cohen | \$31 | 36 | -855 | George Jacobs – Ralph Katz | \$12.5 |
| 12 | 1263 | Valerio Giubilo – Alfredo Versace | \$16 | 37 | -923 | Sabine Auken – Daniela Von Arnim | \$12.5 |
| 13 | 1157 | Gary Cohler – Harry Tudor | \$12.5 | 38 | -924 | Luis Lantaron – Juan Ventin | \$12.5 |
| 14 | 969 | Fred Stewart – Kit Woolsey | \$14 | 39 | -925 | Alan Sontag – Lew Stansby | \$28 |
| 15 | 770 | Russ Ekeblad – Ron Rubin | \$12.5 | 40 | -1078 | Pierre Saporta – Pierre Zimmermann | \$12.5 |
| 16 | 758 | Cezary Balicki – Adam Zmudzinski | \$34 | 41 | -1141 | Giorgio Duboin – Guido Ferraro | \$22 |
| 17 | 741 | Piotr Gawrys – Krzysztof Jassem | \$25 | 42 | -1239 | Nels Erickson – Gene Freed | \$12.5 |
| 18 | 558 | Perry Johnson – Jeff Meckstroth | \$21 | 43 | -1360 | Bill Passell – Aubrey Strul | \$12.5 |
| 19 | 494 | Bart Bramley – Sidney Lazard | \$19 | 44 | -1377 | Grant Baze – Michael Whitman | \$12.5 |
| 20 | 484 | Eric Greco – Geoff Hampson | \$37 | 45 | -1641 | Jan Jansma – Louk Verhees | \$17 |
| 21 | 462 | Dennis Dawson – Eric Rodwell | \$12.5 | 46 | -1667 | Andrei Gromov – Aleksander Petrunin | \$22 |
| 22 | 271 | Mike Passell – Eddie Wold | \$26 | 47 | -1963 | Rose Meltzer – Peter Weichsel | \$12.5 |
| 23 | 72 | Peter Fredin – Magnus Lindkvist | \$21 | 48 | -2017 | Joe Grue – Mike Moss | \$13 |
| 24 | -93 | Doug Doub – Adam Wildavsky | \$12.5 | 49 | -2255 | Billy Cohen – Ron Smith | \$21 |
| 25 | -131 | Paul Chemla – Christian Mari | \$22 | 50 | -2529 | Andy Robson – Rita Shugart | \$12.5 |

Auction Total: \$973K



Overall and Session Awards Cavendish Pairs



| Place | Session | | | | | (From Players' Pool) | Overalls | |
|------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|----------------------------|-----------|----------|
| | 1 st | 2 nd | 3 rd | 4 th | 5 th | | Auction | Players |
| 1 st | | | \$5,000 | \$5,000 | \$15,000 | (\$5,000) | \$231,350 | \$26,810 |
| 2 nd | | | \$2,500 | \$2,500 | \$10,000 | (\$3,000) | \$148,724 | \$17,236 |
| 3 rd | | | \$1,000 | \$1,000 | \$ 5,000 | (\$2,500) | \$ 99,150 | \$11,490 |
| 4 th | | | | | \$ 3,000 | | \$ 74,362 | \$ 8,618 |
| 5 th | | | | | | | \$ 66,100 | \$ 7,660 |
| 6 th | | | | | | | \$ 57,838 | \$ 6,702 |
| 7 th | | | | | | | \$ 49,576 | \$ 5,744 |
| 8 th | | | | | | | \$ 41,312 | \$ 4,788 |
| 9 th | | | | | | | \$ 33,050 | \$ 3,830 |
| 10 th | | | | | | | \$ 24,788 | \$ 2,872 |

2003 WBP Pairs: Final Standings (Dedicated to the Memory of Joe Jabon)

| Rank | Score | Pair | Auction Price (in \$K) | Rank | Score | Pair | Auction Price (in \$K) |
|------|-------|--------------------------------|------------------------|-------|-------|---|------------------------|
| 1 | 1571 | Russ Samuel – Shawn Samuel | \$1.1 | 13 | 51 | Frank Cymerman – Ken Kranyak | \$1.4 |
| 2 | 434 | Les Amoils – Darren Wolpert | \$1.2 | 14 | -90 | Sheila Ekeblad – Michael Seamon | \$1.6 |
| 3 | 406 | Lynn Baker – Debbie Rosenberg | \$1.2 | 15 | -92 | Steve Cox – Marshal Lewis | \$1.0 |
| 4 | 384 | Garey Hayden – Barbara Kasle | \$1.2 | 16 | -123 | Lars Froeland – Aksel Hornslien | \$1.3 |
| 5 | 310 | Simon Kantor – Jim Robison | \$2.3 | 17 | -151 | Rob Crawford – Dan Jacob | \$2.0 |
| 6 | 290 | Kyle Larsen – Jo Morse | \$1.7 | 18 | -182 | Dan Klein – George Mittelman | \$1.4 |
| 7 | 278 | Vincent Demuy – Gavin Wolpert | \$2.5 | 19 | -310 | Mike Cappelletti Jr. – Lou Ann O'Rourke | \$1.3 |
| 8 | 200 | Harold Feldheim – Jim Murphy | \$1.4 | 20 | -516 | Marjorie Michelin – Bob Morris | \$1.1 |
| 9 | 192 | Mark Lair – Jim Mahaffey | \$1.7 | 21/22 | -573 | Leonard Ernst – Richard Halperin | \$1.0 |
| 10 | 164 | Leonard Holtz – Renee Mancuso | \$1.7 | 21/22 | -573 | Roger Lord – Jaqueline Sincoff | \$1.0 |
| 11 | 132 | Kent Mignocchi – Beverly Perry | \$1.0 | 23 | -659 | Barry Schaffer – Colby Vernay | \$2.0 |
| 12 | 119 | Alan Cokin – Harold Lilie | \$2.6 | 24 | -1387 | Teri Casen – Larry Cohen | \$1.0 |

Auction Total: \$35,700



Overall and Session Awards WBP Pairs



| Place | Session | | | Overalls | |
|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|----------|---------|
| | 1 st | 2 nd | 3 rd | Auction | Players |
| 1 st | | | \$1,500 | \$9,860 | \$3,960 |
| 2 nd | | | \$750 | \$6,574 | \$2,640 |
| 3 rd | | | | \$4,780 | \$1,920 |
| 4 th | | | | \$3,586 | \$1,440 |
| 5 th | | | | \$2,988 | \$1,200 |
| 6 th | | | | \$2,092 | \$ 840 |