



## General

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The World Puzzle Championship (WPC) and World Sudoku Championship (WSC) are held annually.

The first WPC was held in 1992 in New York, USA, organised by Will Shortz and Games magazine, with 52 puzzle enthusiasts from 13 countries competing for the title of 1st World Puzzle Champion.

In 1999 the World Puzzle Federation (WPF) was founded by a group of previous WPC organizers to oversee the annual championship, as well as to further innovation and quality in puzzles worldwide.

Although sudoku was, and still is, just one type of puzzle within the WPC, its significant global popularity led to the first separate WSC being held in 2006 in Lucca, Italy

Together, the WPC and WSC have naturally grown in popularity, with nearly 200 competitors from over 25 countries now regularly attending each year. In some countries, there are hundreds of serious puzzlers contending for the four main team places, with mainstream media providing extensive exposure to these events.

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## The Netherlands

In 1992, when the first WPC were held, The Netherlands was represented by a team from Puzzelsport. Later on, Puzzelsport hosted the 5th WPC in 1996 in Utrecht and the 12th WPC in 2003 in Arnhem.

The best results we booked: Niels Roest was World Puzzle Champion twice, in 2002 and 2004. As a team we reached the 2nd place in 1999 and 2000. More recent, Bram de Laat ended the last three years in the top-ten at the WPC.

On the next pages you'll find a complete overview of the Dutch presence at all WPC's and WSC's. And some personal comments.

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|--------------|--------------|------------|
| Year         | 1 Individual | 1 Team     |
| Name         | 2 Individual | 2 Team     |
| Location     | 3 Individual | 3 Team     |
|              |              |            |
| Participants | 19 Rank      | Rank/teams |
|              | 26 Rank      |            |
|              | 30 Rank      | Captain    |
|              | 43 Rank      |            |

|                |                          |             |
|----------------|--------------------------|-------------|
| 1992           | 1 David Samuel (Can)     | 1 USA       |
| WPC 1          | 2 Darren Rigby (Can)     | 2 Argentina |
| New York (USA) | 3 Daniel Johnson (USA)   | 3 Poland    |
|                |                          |             |
| 52             | 19 Peter Ritmeester      | 9/13        |
|                | 26 Jan Lam               |             |
|                | 30 Martin Overdiek       | Rob Geensen |
|                | 43 Tineke van Wijnbergen |             |

|           |                       |                  |
|-----------|-----------------------|------------------|
| 1993      | 1 Robert Babilon (CZ) | 1 Czech Republic |
| WPC 2     | 2 Wei-Hwa Huang (USA) | 2 USA            |
| Brno (CZ) | 3 Pavel Kalhous (CZ)  | 3 Poland         |
|           |                       |                  |
| 52        | 25 Jan Lam            | 11/13            |
|           | 36 Peter Ritmeester   |                  |
|           | 41 Martin Overdiek    | Rob Geensen      |
|           | 50 Patricia Glasbeek  |                  |

In 1994 I (Hns) started working at Puzzelsport. In that year all Puzzelsport employees were invited for the WPC, organized by Andreas Franz (Bastei). One of the puzzles, while drifting on the Rhine, was: how many fireworks-explosions were there while we passed the Lorelei?

|            |                          |                  |
|------------|--------------------------|------------------|
| 1994       | 1 Ron Osher (USA)        | 1 Czech Republic |
| WPC 3      | 2 Pavel Kalhous (CZ)     | 2 USA            |
| Köln (Ger) | 3 Pero Galogaza (CRO)    | 3 Croatia        |
|            |                          |                  |
| 52         | 44 Tineke van Wijnbergen | 13/13            |
|            | 47 Patricia Glasbeek     |                  |
|            | 50 Robert van den Ham    | Rob Geensen      |
|            | 51 Dirk de Rover         |                  |

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|---------------------|-----------------------|------------------|
| 1995                | 1 Wei-Hwa Huang (USA) | 1 USA            |
| WPC 4               | 2 Gyorgy Istvan (HUN) | 2 Czech Republic |
| Poiana Brasov (ROE) | 3 Pavel Kalhous (CZ)  | 3 Hungary        |
|                     |                       |                  |
| 52                  | 27 Peter Ritmeester   | 10/10            |
|                     | 39 Martin Overdiek    |                  |
|                     | 41 Hns Eendebak       | Rob Geensen      |
|                     | 48 Patricia Glasbeek  |                  |

In 1996 The Netherlands organized their first WPC. So we had to organize a national championship, to select the best Dutch puzzlers. Paul Jacobs was the first official Dutch Puzzle Champion. He was the best Dutch puzzler as well at the 5th WPC: 6th place. Jeroen Meewisse. who ended 5th at the Dutch championships, ended unofficially at the 23rd place during that WPC.

|               |                       |                  |
|---------------|-----------------------|------------------|
| 1996          | 1 Robert Babilon (CZ) | 1 USA            |
| WPC 5         | 2 Zack Butler (USA)   | 2 Czech Republic |
| Utrecht (Nld) | 3 Wei-Hwa Huang (USA) | 3 Turkey         |
|               |                       |                  |
| 57            | 6 Paul Jacobs         | 4/14             |
|               | 11 Jan Beelen         |                  |
|               | (23 Jeroen Meewisse)  | Ton Peek         |
|               | 34 Erik van den Doel  |                  |
|               | 43 Rien Verbeek       |                  |

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|------------------|-----------------------|------------------|
| 1997             | 1 Wei-Hwa Huang (USA) | 1 Czech Republic |
| WPC 6            | 2 Ron Osher (USA)     | 2 USA            |
| Koprivnica (KRO) | 3 Robert Babilon (CZ) | 3 Hungary        |
|                  |                       |                  |
| 64               | 25 Jan Beelen         | 9/16             |
|                  | 34 Jeroen Meewisse    |                  |
|                  | 39 Hns Eendebak       | Rob Geensen      |
|                  | 42 Peter Ritmeester   |                  |

1998 was a special year in the WPC-history. Turkey was the host, but the puzzles were made by Japan. My little brother Pieter was the youngest contestant. And it was my first captain-appearance.

|                |                       |           |
|----------------|-----------------------|-----------|
| 1998           | 1 Wei-Hwa Huang (USA) | 1 USA     |
| WPC 7          | 2 Akira Nakai (Jap)   | 2 Japan   |
| Istanbul (Tur) | 3 Michael Ley (Ger)   | 3 Hungary |
|                |                       |           |
| 56             | 5 Niels Roest         | 4/14      |
|                | 13 Delia Keetman      |           |
|                | 19 Jeroen Meewisse    | Hns       |
|                | 26 Pieter Eendebak    |           |

1999: How could we ever not win this one with four players in the top-12?

|                |                       |                  |
|----------------|-----------------------|------------------|
| 1999           | 1 Wei-Hwa Huang (USA) | 1 USA            |
| WPC 8          | 2 Zack Butler (USA)   | 2 Netherlands    |
| Budapest (Hun) | 3 Niels Roest         | 3 Czech Republic |
|                |                       |                  |
| 71             | 3 Niels Roest         | 2/18             |
|                | 9 Jeroen Meewisse     |                  |
|                | 10 Tim Peeters        | Hns              |
|                | 12 Paul Jacobs        |                  |

2000: the first WPC with a final on stage. Also the first victory of Ulrich Voigt - one of the best puzzlers in the world. Actually - the best.

|                |                      |               |
|----------------|----------------------|---------------|
| 2000           | 1 Ulrich Voigt       | 1 USA         |
| WPC 9          | 2 Wei-Hwa Huang      | 2 Netherlands |
| Stamford (USA) | 3 Niels Roest        | 3 Germany     |
|                |                      |               |
| 77             | 3 Niels Roest        | 2/20          |
|                | 16 Rick Uppelschoten |               |
|                | 21 Jan Beelen        | Hns           |
|                | 26 Delia Keetman     |               |

2001: Vita said to me: the paper medal. I'll never forget that expression.

|           |                       |                  |
|-----------|-----------------------|------------------|
| 2001      | 1 Ulrich Voigt (Ger)  | 1 USA            |
| WPC 10    | 2 Robert Babilon (CZ) | 2 Czech Republic |
| Brno (CZ) | 3 Zack Butler (USA)   | 3 Belgium        |
|           |                       |                  |
| 105       | 5 Niels Roest         | 4/27             |
|           | 6 Tim Peeters         |                  |
|           | 18 Delia Keetman      | Hns              |
|           | 43 Jan Beelen         |                  |

2002: Niels defeats the Voigt-family. And another paper medal - but who cares if you are World Champion?

|            |                      |           |
|------------|----------------------|-----------|
| 2002       | 1 Niels Roest        | 1 Japan   |
| WPC 11     | 2 Ulrich Voigt (GER) | 2 Germany |
| Oulu (FIN) | 3 Roland Voigt (GER) | 3 USA     |
|            |                      |           |
| 73         | 1 Niels Roest        | 4/18      |
|            | 17 Annick Weyzig     |           |
|            | 19 Rick Uppelschoten | Hns       |
|            | 34 Johan Haasakker   |           |

2003: Arnhem, sportscentre Papendal. Quite a job to host a WPC. Lots of things to take care of. Also the time that I introduced Star Battle and The Weakest Link.

|              |                       |               |
|--------------|-----------------------|---------------|
| 2003         | 1 Ulrich Voigt (GER)  | 1 Germany     |
| WPC 12       | 2 Wei-Hwa Huang (USA) | 2 USA         |
| Arnhem (NED) | 3 Roger Barkan (USA)  | 3 Netherlands |
|              |                       |               |
| 84           | 5 Niels Roest         | 3/21          |
|              | 21 Bram de Laat       |               |
|              | 28 Maarten Löffler    | Paul Jacobs   |
|              | 33 Alex Samsom        |               |

2004: Niels Roest wins his second WPC. Fourth place again for the Dutch team.

|               |                      |           |
|---------------|----------------------|-----------|
| 2004          | 1 Niels Roest        | 1 USA     |
| WPC 13        | 2 Ulrich Voigt (GER) | 2 Germany |
| Opatija (KRO) | 3 Roger Barkan (USA) | 3 Hungary |
|               |                      |           |
| 90            | 1 Niels Roest        | 4/22      |
|               | 13 Rick Uppelschoten |           |
|               | 14 Tim Peeters       | Hns       |
|               | 50 Jan Beelen        |           |

2005: Eger, Hungary. It gets boring: another fourth place for the Dutch team.

|            |                       |           |
|------------|-----------------------|-----------|
| 2005       | 1 Ulrich Voigt (GER)  | 1 Germany |
| WPC 14     | 2 Wei-Hwa Huang (USA) | 2 USA     |
| Eger (HUN) | 3 Niels Roest         | 3 Japan   |
|            |                       |           |
| 102        | 3 Niels Roest         | 4/26      |
|            | 24 Bram de Laat       |           |
|            | 34 Tim Peeters        | Hns       |
|            | 44 Annick Weyzig      |           |

In 2006 Riccardo Albini organized the first World Sudoku Championships. He decided that teams would have three members. The Dutch team had only two that year: Delia Keetman and Rick Uppelschoten. There were no team rankings.

|             |                       |     |
|-------------|-----------------------|-----|
| 2006        | 1 Jana Tylova (CZ)    |     |
| WSC 1       | 2 Thomas Snyder (USA) |     |
| Lucca (ITA) | 3 Wei-Hwa Huang (USA) |     |
|             |                       |     |
| 86          | 22 Delia Keetman      |     |
|             | 35 Rick Uppelschoten  | Hns |

WPC 15 - 2006. Borovets, Bulgaria. Something went wrong with one final-puzzle and Bram had to catch a plane, so he couldn't play the finals. Michael Ley was so grateful to give up his 9th place.

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|----------------|-----------------------|-----------|
| 2006           | 1 Ulrich Voigt (GER)  | 1 USA     |
| WPC 15         | 2 Wei-Hwa Huang (USA) | 2 Germany |
| Borovets (BUL) | 3 Maho Yokota (JAP)   | 3 Japan   |
|                |                       |           |
| 92             | 6 Niels Roest         | 5/23      |
|                | 9 Bram de Laat        |           |
|                | 37 Maarten Löffler    | Hns       |
|                | 59 Jaco Breukels      |           |

WSC 2- 2007. Prague, Czech Republic. I decided to play as a B-unofficial contestant and the result was a 110th place. Nice.

|             |                       |                  |
|-------------|-----------------------|------------------|
| 2007        | 1 Thomas Snyder (USA) | 1 Japan          |
| WSC 2       | 2 Yuhei Kusui (JAP)   | 2 USA            |
| Prague (CZ) | 3 Peter Hudák (SVK)   | 3 Czech Republic |
|             |                       |                  |
| 141         | 22 Delia Keetman      | 12/24            |
|             | 43 Niels Roest        |                  |
|             | 64 Rick Uppelschoten  | Jan Lam          |
|             | 93 Robert Bearda      |                  |
|             | (110 Hns)             |                  |

WPC 16 - 2007. Rio de Janeiro, Brazil. What a beautiful location! I remember all the fresh fruits - and the beach.

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|----------------------|-----------------------|-----------|
| 2007                 | 1 Pal Madarassy (HUN) | 1 USA     |
| WPC 16               | 2 Thomas Snyder (USA) | 2 Japan   |
| Rio de Janeiro (BRA) | 3 Ulrich Voigt (GER)  | 3 Belgium |
|                      |                       |           |
| 95                   | 6 Niels Roest         | 4/23      |
|                      | 20 Rick Uppelschoten  |           |
|                      | 29 Bram de Laat       | Hns       |
|                      | 46 Tim Peeters        |           |
|                      |                       |           |

WSC 3 - 2008. Goa, India. The first WPC/WSC I missed since 1994 - my son is born in that month.

|           |                       |                  |
|-----------|-----------------------|------------------|
| 2008      | 1 Thomas Snyder (USA) | 1 Czech Republic |
| WSC 3     | 2 Yuhei Kusui (JAP)   | 2 Japan          |
| Goa (IND) | 3 Jakub Ondrušek (CZ) | 3 Germany        |
|           |                       |                  |
| ?         | 26 Karin Griffioen    | 10/20            |
|           | 34 Rick Uppelschoten  |                  |
|           | 42 Wilbert Zwart      | Jan Lam          |

WPC 17 - 2008. Minsk, Belarus. I remember myself solving puzzles in a small corner in some sort of basement. Vladimir Portugalov did a great job organizing a WPC in a very short time.

|             |                            |                  |
|-------------|----------------------------|------------------|
| 2008        | 1 Ulrich Voigt (GER)       | 1 USA            |
| WPC16       | 2 Mehmet Murat Sevim (TUR) | 2 Japan          |
| Minsk (BEL) | 3 Roger Barkan (USA)       | 3 Czech Republic |
|             |                            |                  |
| 94          | 17 Rick Uppelschoten       | 11/22            |
|             | 19 Niels Roest             |                  |
|             | 53 Marcel van Asperen      | Hns              |
|             | 76 Hns                     |                  |

WSC 4 - 2009. Zilina, Slovakia. Probably Thomas Snyder was the best, but the rules decided something else.

|              |                        |                  |
|--------------|------------------------|------------------|
| 2009         | 1 Jan Mrozowski (POL)  | 1 Slovakia       |
| WSC 4        | 2 Branko Ceranic (SER) | 2 Czech Republic |
| Zilina (SLO) | 3 Robert Babilon (CZ)  | 3 Serbia         |
|              |                        |                  |
| 128          | 37 Karin Griffioen     | 19/28            |
|              | 67 Rick Uppelschoten   |                  |
|              | 78 Delia Keetman       | Hns              |



WPC 18 - 2009. Antalya, Turkey. One of the best hosts ever. Every day all Dutch contestants had a complete different meal from the same buffet. And the puzzles were very good as well.

|               |                            |           |
|---------------|----------------------------|-----------|
| 2009          | 1 Ulrich Voigt (GER)       | 1 Germany |
| WPC 18        | 3 Peter Hudák (SVK)        | 2 USA     |
| Antalya (TUR) | 3 Mehmet Murat Sevim (TUR) | 3 Japan   |
|               |                            |           |
| 97            | 25 Annick Weyzig           | 12/23     |
|               | 34 Rick Uppelschoten       |           |
|               | 49 Jaco Breukels           | Hns       |
|               | 66 Marcel van Asperen      |           |

WSC 5 - 2010. Philadelphia, USA. Fantastic hotel in the town centre, and a spectacular final, commented by Thomas and Wei-Hua.

|                    |                        |                  |
|--------------------|------------------------|------------------|
| 2010               | 1 Jan Mrozowski (POL)  | 1 Germany        |
| WSC 5              | 2 Jakub Ondroušek (CZ) | 2 Czech Republic |
| Philadelphia (USA) | 3 Hideaki Jo (JAP)     | 3 Japan          |
|                    |                        |                  |
| 121                | 28 Bram de Laat        | 8/23             |
|                    | 53 Rick Uppelschoten   |                  |
|                    | 66 Niels Roest         | Hns              |
|                    |                        |                  |

WPC 19 - 2010. Propotnia, Poland.

|                 |                       |           |
|-----------------|-----------------------|-----------|
| 2010            | 1 Taro Arimatsu (JAP) | 1 Japan   |
| WPC 16          | 2 Ulrich Voigt (GER)  | 2 USA     |
| Propotnia (POL) | 3 Hideaki Jo (JAP)    | 3 Germany |
|                 |                       |           |
| 105             | 25 Niels Roest        | 8/26      |
|                 | 31 Rick Uppelschoten  |           |
|                 | 47 Tim Peeters        | Hns       |
|                 | 61 Marcel van Asperen |           |

2011. WSC 6 / WPC 20. Eger, Hungary. The first combined WSC/WPC.

|            |                        |           |
|------------|------------------------|-----------|
| 2011       | 1 Thomas Snyder (USA)  | 1 USA     |
| WSC 6      | 2 Kota Morinishi (JAP) | 2 Germany |
| Eger (HUN) | 3 Tiit Vunk (EST)      | 3 Japan   |
|            |                        |           |
| 136        | 32 Bram de Laat        | 5/24      |
|            | 41 Karin Griffioen     |           |
|            | 45 Wilbert Zwart       | Hns       |
|            | 46 Rick Uppelschoten   |           |
|            |                        |           |
| 2011       | 1 Palmer Mebane (USA)  | 1 USA     |
| WPC 20     | 2 Ulrich Voigt (GER)   | 2 Germany |
| Eger (HUN) | 3 Thomas Snyder (USA)  | 3 Japan   |
|            |                        |           |
|            | 5 Bram de Laat         |           |
| 102        | 25 Rick Uppelschoten   |           |
|            | 37 Annick Weyzig       | Hns       |
|            | 71 Delia Keetman       |           |
|            | (110 Wilbert Zwart)    |           |

2012. WSC 7 / WPC 21. Kraljevica , Croatia.

|                  |                        |                  |
|------------------|------------------------|------------------|
| 2012             | 1 Jan Mrozowski (POL)  | 1 Japan          |
| WSC 7            | 2 Kota Morinishi (JAP) | 2 Czech Republic |
| Kraljevica (CRO) | 3 Hideaki Jo (JAP)     | 3 China          |
|                  |                        |                  |
| 93               | 30 Bram de Laat        | 16/21            |
|                  | 48 Annick Weyzig       |                  |
|                  | 79 Richard Stolk       | Hns              |
|                  | 90 Paul Jacobs         |                  |
|                  |                        |                  |
| 2012             | 1 Ulrich Voigt (GER)   | 1 Germany        |
| WPC 21           | 2 Thomas Snyder (USA)  | 2 Japan          |
| Kraljevica (CRO) | 3 Palmer Mebane (USA)  | 3 USA            |
|                  |                        |                  |
|                  | 7 Bram de Laat         | 13/19            |
| 89               | 39 Annick Weyzig       |                  |
|                  | 62 Paul Jacobs         | Hns              |
|                  | 85 Richard Stolk       |                  |

2013. WSC 8 / WPC 22 Beijing, China. Hungary made the puzzles for the WPC. I think it was the best WPC, puzzle-wise.

|               |                        |                  |
|---------------|------------------------|------------------|
| 2013          | 1 Jin Ce (CHN)         | 1 China          |
| WSC 8         | 2 Kota Morinishi (JAP) | 2 Czech Republic |
| Beijing (CHN) | 3 Jacub Ondrušek (CZ)  | 3 Japan          |
|               |                        |                  |
| 107           | 38 Bram de Laat        | 18/23            |
|               | 80 Richard Stolk       |                  |
|               | 83 Yuk Yee Au          | Hns              |
|               | 98 René Gilhuijs       |                  |
|               |                        |                  |
| 2013          | 1 Ulrich Voigt (GER)   | 1 USA            |
| WPC 22        | 2 Palmer Mebane (USA)  | 2 Germany        |
| Beijing (CHN) | 3 Thomas Snyder (USA)  | 3 Japan          |
|               |                        |                  |
|               | 4 Bram de Laat         | 15/20            |
| 93            | 74 Richard Stolk       |                  |
|               | 85 René Gilhuijs       | Hns              |
|               | 87 Yuk Yee Au          |                  |

2014. WSC 9 / WPC 23 London, UK. The first time WCPN was the official member of the WPF. We also send some (half) B-teams!

|             |                            |           |
|-------------|----------------------------|-----------|
| 2014        | 1 Kota Morinishi (JAP)     | 1 Japan   |
| WSC 9       | 2 Tiit Vunk (EST)          | 2 Germany |
| London (UK) | 3 Bastien Vial-Jaime (FRA) | 3 China   |
|             | 3 Jacub Ondrušek (CZ)      |           |
|             |                            |           |
| 109         | 35 Bram de Laat            | 18/23     |
|             | 42 Karin Griffioen         |           |
|             | 62 Annick Weyzig           | Hns       |
|             | 67 Rick Uppelschoten       |           |
|             | (96) Yuk Yee Lee-Au        |           |
|             | (98) René Gilhuijs         |           |
|             |                            |           |
| 2014        | 1 Ulrich Voigt (GER)       | 1 USA     |
| WPC 23      | 2 Palmer Mebane (USA)      | 2 Germany |
| London (UK) | 3 Florian Kirch (GER)      | 3 Japan   |
|             |                            |           |
|             | 7 Bram de Laat             | 7/25      |
| 102         | 38 Niels Roest             |           |
|             | 43 Rick Uppelschoten       | Hns       |
|             | 58 Annick Weyzig           |           |
|             | (67) Marcel van Asperen    |           |
|             | (95) René Gilhuijs         |           |

2015. WSC 10 / WPC 24 Sofia, Bulgaria. The first time WCPN sended two teams to both competitions. I was not able to travel, so Richard Stolk did most of the captains "work". Bram just missed the bronze medal!

|             |  |           |
|-------------|--|-----------|
| 2015        | <b>1</b> Kota Morinishi (Japan)                                | 1 Japan   |
| WSC 10      | <b>2</b> Tiit Vunk (Estonia)                                   | 2 China   |
| Sofia (BUL) | <b>3</b> Jakub Ondroušek (CZ)                                  | 3 CZ      |
|             |  |           |
| 186         | <b>21</b> Bram de Laat   | 10/47     |
|             | <b>35</b> Annick Weyzig  | 41/47 (B) |
|             | <b>45</b> Karin Griffioen                                      | Richard   |
|             | <b>74</b> Rick Uppelschoten                                    |           |
|             | <b>125</b> Lars Slofstra                                       |           |
|             | <b>128</b> René Gilhuijs                                       |           |
|             | <b>140</b> Yuk Yee Lee-Au                                      |           |
|             | <b>170</b> Hugo van Rooijen                                    |           |
|             |  |           |
| 2015        | <b>1</b> Ken Endo (Japan)                                      | 1 Germany |
| WPC 24      | <b>2</b> Ulrich Voigt (GER)                                    | 2 Japan   |
| Sofia (BUL) | <b>3</b> Palmer Mebane (USA)                                   | 3 USA     |
|             |  |           |
|             | <b>4</b> Bram de Laat  | 12/46     |
| 102         | <b>37</b> Rick Uppelschoten                                    | 38/46 (B) |
|             | <b>53</b> Annick Weyzig  | Richard   |
|             | <b>75</b> Marcel van Asperen                                   |           |
|             | <b>133</b> Richard Stolk (85)                                  |           |
|             | <b>144</b> Lars Slofstra (88)                                  |           |
|             | <b>152</b> René Gilhuijs (91)                                  |           |
|             | <b>172</b> Hugo van Rooijen (103)                              |           |
|             |  |           |
|             | (The numbers between brackets give the position in the A-list) |           |
|             |  |           |

2016. WSC 11 / WPC 25 Senec, Slovakia. Two complete teams to both championships, plus an extra WSC-puzzler who performed very well.

|              |   |            |              |
|--------------|---|------------|--------------|
| 2016         | <b>1</b> Tiit Vunk (Estonia)                            |            | 1 CZ         |
| WSC 11       | <b>2</b> Jakub Ondroušek (CZ)                           |            | 2 China      |
| Senec (SLO)  | <b>3</b> Kota Morinishi (JAP)                           |            | 3 Japan      |
|              |   |            |              |
| Official 101 | Official  | Unofficial |              |
| Total 213    | <b>44</b> Annick Weyzig                                 | 64         | 24 official  |
|              | <b>45</b> Karin Griffioen                               | 65         | 54 in total  |
|              | Niels Roest   | 103        | NLD A:       |
|              | Delia Keetman   | 109        | 14 official  |
|              | <b>66</b> Tom Groot Kormelink                           | 116        | NLD B: 35    |
|              | Yuk Yee Lee-Au  | 149        | UN 06: 37    |
|              | <b>86</b> Richard Stolk                                 | 166        |              |
|              | René Gilhuijs   | 174        | Captain: Hns |
|              | Eline Werkman (UN06)                                    | 183        |              |
|              |   |            |              |
| 2016         | <b>1</b> Ulrich Voigt (GER)                             |            | 1 Germany    |
| WPC 25       | <b>2</b> Palmer Mebane (USA)                            |            | 2 Japan      |
| Senec (SLO)  | <b>3</b> Ken Endo (JAP)                                 |            | 3 USA        |
|              |   |            |              |
| Official 104 | <b>32</b> Annick Weyzig                                 | 40         | 25 official  |
| Total 197    | Niels Roest   | 45         | 50 in total  |
|              | <b>68</b> Tom Groot Kormelink                           | 98         | NLD A:       |
|              | Delia Keetman   | 110        | 17 official  |
|              | <b>79</b> Marcel van Asperen                            | 118        | NLD B: 31    |
|              | <b>83</b> Karin Griffioen                               | 125        |              |
|              | Richard Stolk   | 156        |              |
|              | René Gilhuijs   | 182        | Captain: Hns |
|              |   |            |              |
|              | (Only the A-teams and members are in the official list) |            |              |
|              |   |            |              |

2017. WSC 12 / WPC 26 Bangalore (Bengaluru), India.

Two complete teams in both championships, plus an extra WSC-puzzler. Both A-teams in the top-10!

For both competitions there are two lists: the official list (only A-teams and A-competitors) and the complete list (with all teams and all competitors).

| WSC          | Individual             |            | Team          |
|--------------|------------------------|------------|---------------|
| Official 105 | 1 Kota Morinishi (JAP) |            | 1 China       |
| Total 206    | 2 Tiit Vunk (EST)      |            | 2 Japan       |
|              | 3 Qiu Yanzhe (CHN)     |            | 3 France      |
|              |                        |            | 7 Netherlands |
|              | Official               | Unofficial |               |
|              | 22 Bram de Laat        | 26         | Official 23   |
|              | 37 Karin Griffioen     | 48         | Total 52      |
|              | 39 Annick Weyzig       | 52         |               |
|              | 51 Tom Groot Kormelink | 67         | 35 NLD-B      |
|              | Rick Uppelschoten      | 89         |               |
|              | Richard Stolk          | 124        |               |
|              | René Gilhuijs          | 138        |               |
|              | Alex Samsom            | 161        |               |
|              | Arvid Baars            | 167        | Captain: Hns  |
| WPC          |                        |            |               |
| Official 88  | 1 Ken Endo (JAP)       |            | 1 Japan       |
| Total 169    | 2 Ulrich Voigt (GER)   |            | 2 USA         |
|              | 3 Kota Morinishi (JAP) |            | 3 Germany     |
|              |                        |            | 6 Netherlands |
|              | Official               | Unofficial |               |
|              | 6 Bram de Laat         | 7          | Official 19   |
|              | 29 Annick Weyzig       | 39         | Total 44      |
|              | 39 Rick Uppelschoten   | 53         |               |
|              | 58 Tom Groot Kormelink | 78         | 35 NLD-B      |
|              | Alex Samsom            | 106        |               |
|              | Richard Stolk          | 108        |               |
|              | Arvid Baars            | 134        |               |
|              | René Gilhuijs          | 137        | Captain: Hns  |
|              |                        |            |               |