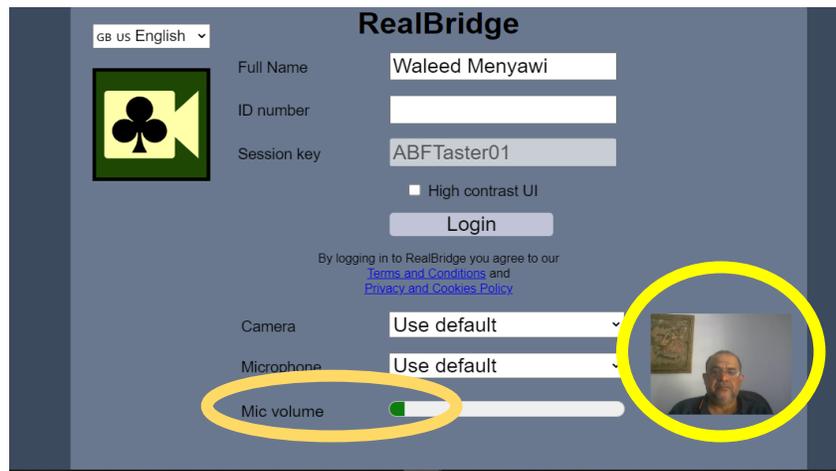


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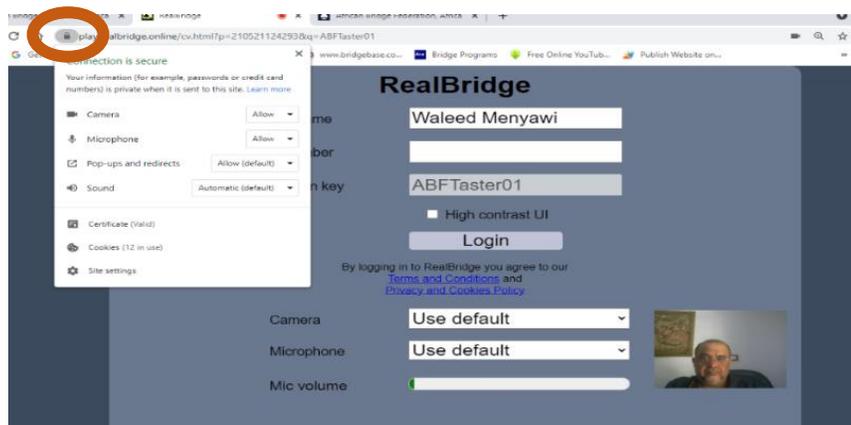
Log in , Lobby, at the table and Settings

1. To join any RealBridge game you will need a **LINK**
2. The play LINK will be available either on SABF website <https://www.sabf.co.za/all-african-national-congress> OR you will receive it by mail.
3. Click the link and you will be redirected to the log on page of our game which looks like the next figure ...

Notice that your video should appear in the right bottom corner of the page and mic volume showing that it works.



4. If you can't see your video then you need to allow your browser to use your cam and mic, do as follows to allow it
5. From Goggle Chrome and just before the address bar, press the lock icon
6. **No worries, you can disable the video at any time from the table.**
7. Allow cam and allow mic.
8. Write your name in the required field and press login – nothing else is to be done- **NO ID number will be used, (leave it blank)**
9. When you logged in you will see the lobby which almost looks like the following figure (**but this figure includes extra buttons for TDs**)
10. In case you want to test your mic and video earlier, please visit <https://play.realbridge.online/camera.html>



Notice the lobby chat window to the right.

Keep an eye to the Lobby chat

- For important announcements
- At the end of each Swiss round to see the new round draw.

11. Each table labeled with a team name, find your table and chose where to sit (Sit N, Sit S, Sit E or Sit W)

12. Get familiar with the buttons at your table and call the TD using the button for help.



Volume control for your partner.

Volume control for left-hand opponent. You have a separate volume control for each player. This only affects what you hear.

Private chat with left-hand opponent. You can chat privately only with the opponents, not partner

Disable/enable your video.

Disable / enable your microphone. Use this when you're on the phone!

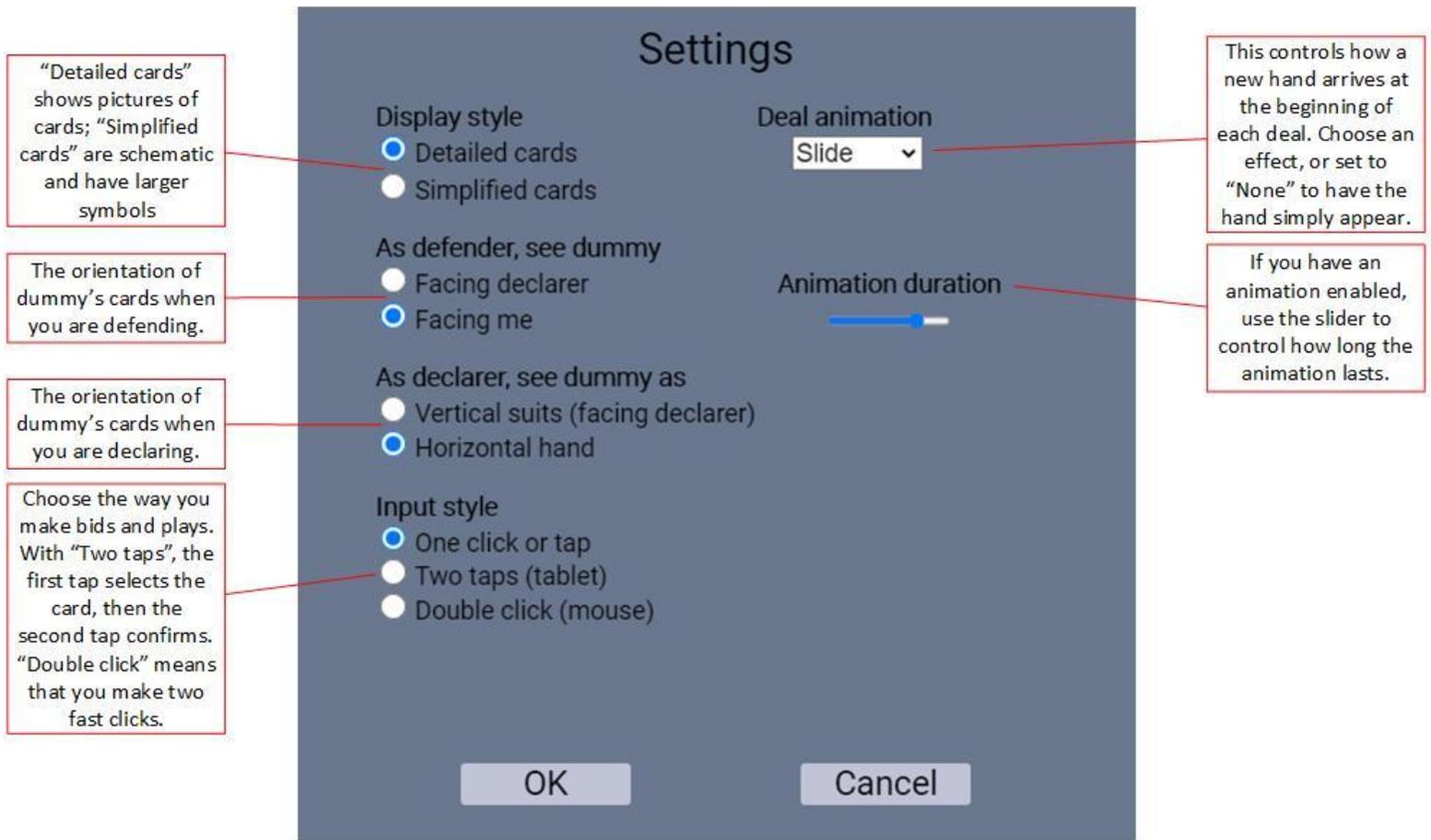
Hide / unhide the other players' videos. Use this if you have a poor connection.

Redial. Restarts audio and video connections. Use it if the connection fails, or if your video or audio gets out of sync.



Volume control for right-hand opponent.

Private chat with right-hand opponent.



13. Can Use and Can't use

Can Use ü	Can't use û
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Windows laptop • Windows desktop • MacBook or another Apple laptop • iMac or another Apple desktop • Chromebook 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Smartphone • Old iPads, older than 2015.

You must use one of these web browsers (you probably are using one of them!):

Can Use ü	Can't use û
<p>Edge, Chrome, Firefox, Safari.</p> <p>The logo must look like one of these – exactly as below. If it looks different, you are using an out-of-date version.</p> <p><u><i>If you are choosing amongst your browsers, we advise that you chose something other than Firefox.</i></u></p>	<p>Internet Explorer (notice the gold band)</p> <p>The old EDGE (see shape of the e)</p>



Bidding, Play, Alert and System

14. At the start of any session, All the team members are required to be seated at the same table (Table with the team name label), the system will automatically move the EW pairs to the opponents table when we start the session **and will send them back to their home table when both tables finish playing the boards.**

15. Private chat and Table chat

- It is strongly recommended to use the chat rather than the vocal chat; the TDs will not take into consideration any vocal explanation if you have any case.
- I will show you now, 2 figures and will appoint to you where to find the table chat where the 4 players can see your chat and where to find the private chat where you can chat privately with one of your opponents (not your partner of-course 😊).



When you are at
Full Screen



When you are
at normal view
(NOT Full

16. Self-alert and self-explanation proper procedure:

1. Click alert (if required)
2. Write / Put in explanation
3. Make bid

17. If you make a **mistake** or need to **explain your bid further** after you have bid, you can click on the bid and add more text ...

The added text will appear after an asterisk *. The time in seconds between when the bid was **made** and the added explanation was **submitted** is presented after the added text in the square brackets, for this example, 26 seconds. The character limit on explanations is 200 characters

18.System : All teams are required to write a brief about their system at the table chat box before the start of first board in each match.

Please remember to greet your opponents and announce your bidding system at the start of each round. Don't wait to be asked.

Waleed El Menyawi, Sid Ismail and Raad Otoom will be your friendly Tournament Directors throughout.

Best of luck