**5.2 PRESS RELEASE DURING COURSE  
  
  
Club Name**  
Contact person  
E-mail  
Phone number

[Date and place]

**PRESS RELEASE**

During [X] months, [club name] has been running bridge in the schedule at [school name]. A group of [X] students have participates in the activities, which will end at [last date].

You are very welcome to visit any of the event that still remain. If you want to do this, please contact us for more information.

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IF a second course has been decided, add the following:

The students can now choose their activities in the student’s own choice for the spring. Those who wish can continue with bridge and will then have the knowledge and skill to participate in bridge competitions and to develop further on their own.

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Bridge at school leads to better results in general, since it helps the ability to learn in other subjects too.

Best regards

[Name]  
[Club name]

Appendix: Photos from one of the classes.  
Appendix: Bridge facts, page two of this document.

**BRIDGE FACTS**

Bridge is a mind sport with no risk of physical damage, and it is fun to play and it can be played everywhere in the world, at any age.

Bridge helps children and youth to develop their skills in competition and proactive work. It helps to build their confidence, and to handle the successes and failures, and to take decisions and be responsible for the decision, individually as well as in cooperation with others.

Concrete Advantages of Bridge

* Develops strategical thinking, discovery, analysis, conclusions, planning, and acting.
* Develops logical shirt-term and long-term memory
* Introduces students to practical reasoning abut statistics
* Trains arithmetic
* Develops the ability to concentrate
* Improves the skill of self-control
* Develops the ability to create plans and strategies
* Increases productivity

Advantages of Bridge in School

* Take responsibility for the team
* Develops logical thinking
* Learns to follow ethical rules
* Develop skills in communication and working in groups
* Learn to handle success and failure
* Care for other people, not just yourself

**Junior Bridge in the World**  
Show the achievements of your National Youth Teams. Example below:

**Year Event Class Medal**  
2017 Teams U21 Gold

**2**016 Teams U16 Bronze

2015 Teams U26W Silver

2014 Teams U21 Gold

* For more information: ***Your Website***