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Finally, after the heroics of the Olympics and the Paralympics, news of another gold and silver medal in Beijing tonight - this time in the Mind Sports Olympics. The sport or perhaps I should say the game is bridge.

England's Ladies held off a late rally by their Chinese hosts to clinch the gold medal by just a single point.

The men in the Open event were narrowly beaten by Italy in a final that lasted two full days. They come home with silver.

Well done to them and something else that hasn't changed since the Olympics, China topped the Olympic table again.