

The Bridge Workshop 5

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28. West Dealer North South Vulnerable **18-19 Notrump**

♠A9		W	N	E	S
♥98		1♣	P	1♠	P
♦Q109543		2NT	P	3♦	P
♣983		3♥	P	3♠	P
♠K84	♠QJ652	4♠	P	4NT	P
♥A1032	♥KQJ54	5♣	P	6♥	All Pass
♦KJ8	♦A	<i>Notes: Never 1NT with 18</i>			
♣AQJ	♣K6	<i>- keep to your system!</i>			
♠1073		<i>5♣ is 0 or 3 keycards in spades</i>			
♥76		Opening Lead: 10♥			
♦762		6♥W= +980			
♣107542					

29. North Dealer Both Vulnerable **6-4 in the majors**

♠10654		W	N	E	S
♥AKJ2			1NT	P	4♥
♦73		P	4♠	All Pass	
♣AK2		<i>Notes: Assuming North does not have a five card</i>			
♠2	♠KQ	<i>major, hearts are at best 4-4</i>			
♥543	♥Q6	<i>Spades are at worst 6-2 and at best 6-4</i>			
♦AK54	♦J10986	<i>Forget the four card major and concentrate on</i>			
♣109874	♣J653	<i>♠'s.</i>			
♠AJ9873		<i>Pitch 2 hearts on clubs</i>			
♥10987		4♠N= +620			
♦Q2					
♣Q					

30. East Dealer None Vulnerable **Competition**

♠986		W	N	E	S
♥KJ32				1NT	2♣
♦1098		3♦	P	3NT	All pass
♣764		Opening Lead: 10♣			
♠K32	♠A754	<i>Notes: 3♦ is game forcing with 5+ diamonds</i>			
♥1098	♥AQ6	<i>The Jack ♣ will win the opening lead</i>			
♦AQ7632	♦K54	<i>To protect the King ♣, finesse the 10♥ into South</i>			
♣J	♣K32				
♠QJ10		3NTE+3 +490			
♥754					
♦J					
♣AQ10985					

31.	South Dealer	North South Vulnerable	<u>Invitational</u>			
	♠2		W	N	E	S
	♥98					1NT
	♦AQ10987		P	3♦	P	P
	♣J1098		P			
	♠AQJ7	♠10983				
	♥KJ7	♥6432				
	♦K6	♦J54		3♦N+2		+150
	♣5432	♣K6				
	♠K654					
	♥AQ105					
	♦32					
	♣AQ7					
						<i>Notes: Diamonds: Finesse to the Queen</i>
						<i>If it loses, finesse the ten</i>
						<i>If it wins, cash the ace</i>
32.	West Dealer	East West Vulnerable	<u>Passing With 6 Spades</u>			
	♠Q6		W	N	E	S
	♥KQ76		P	P	P	1NT
	♦9862		2♠	All Pass		
	♣1064					
	♠AK8732	♠1095	1NTS-2	-100	or	2♠W+2 +170
	♥10982	♥A5				
	♦3	♦QJ1074				
	♣K5	♣987				
	♠J4					
	♥J43					
	♦AK5					
	♣AQJ32					
						<i>Notes: Pre-empts must pre-empt opponents not yourself</i>
						<i>West is too strong to open 2♠ and has not enough</i>
						<i>high cards to open 1♠ so Pass and see</i>
						<i>what happens at the table. If partner opens,</i>
						<i>you very likely have game.</i>
33.	North Dealer	None Vulnerable	<u>Transfers</u>			
	♠A107		W	N	E	S
	♥KQ2			1NT	P	2♥
	♦A5432		P	2♠	P	3NT
	♣K6		P	4♠	All Pass	Opening Lead: A♥
	♠432	♠Q8				
	♥6543	♥A1087				
	♦K108	♦76				
	♣432	♣J10987				
	♠KJ965					<i>Notes:</i>
	♥J9					<i>South shows: 10-15 points</i>
	♦QJ9					<i>5 spades not 6</i>
	♣AQ5					<i>K♦ must cover Q♦</i>
						<i>♠: Do you finesse to the Jack or ten? Your guess.</i>
						4♠N+1 +450

34.	East Dealer	North South	Vulnerable	<u>Transfers</u>				
	♠K76			W	N	E	S	
	♥A543					P	P	
	♦9865			1NT	P	2♥	P	
	♣K8			2♠	P	P	P	2♠= +110
	♠AQ	♠J5432			or			
	♥QJ2	♥K76		W	N	E	S	
	♦QJ2	♦K7				P	P	
	♣A5432	♣J76		1NT	P	2♥	P	
	♠1098			2♠	P	2NT	P	
	♥1098			3NT	All pass			3NT = +400
	♦A1043							
	♣Q109							

*Notes: 2♠ is the better auction
getting 4 tricks out of the spade suit is lucky.
What if you give unsupported jacks 0 points?*

35.	South Dealer	East West	Vulnerable	<u>Inverted Minor</u>				
	♠654			W	N	E	S	
	♥A43						1♣	
	♦K3			P	3♣	P	3NT	All Pass
	♣75432							Opening Lead: 10♠
	♠ A10972	♠ Q8						
	♥765	♥QJ1098		3NTS +2				+460
	♦J1098	♦Q7654						<i>Note: Similar to board 35 of Workshop 4, but South has</i>
	♣6	♣Q						<i>a club suit that runs.</i>
	♠KJ3							
	♥K2							
	♦A2							
	♣AKJ1098							

36.	West Dealer	Both	Vulnerable	<u>3NT is Not the Rebid by East</u>				
	♠A9			W	N	E	S	
	♥Q10843			1NT	P	2♥	P	
	♦1098			2♠	P	3♦	P	
	♣1098			4♠	All Pass			
	♠K84	♠QJ652						Opening Lead: 4♥
	♥KJ95	♥2						
	♦A32	♦KQJ54						
	♣A43	♣J6						
	♠1073							
	♥A76							
	♦76			4♠W+1	+650			+620 (club led)
	♣KQ752							