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**Board 1**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 3		♠ J 10 6 4									
♥ Q 10 6		♥ 9 3									
♦ A 7 6 3		♦ 10 8 5 4 2									
♣ 7 5 3 2		♣ K 6									
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W		E									
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		♠ 8 2									
		♥ A K J 8 7 5									
		♦ K Q 9									
		♣ A 9									
		♠ A K Q 7 5									
		♥ 4 2									
		♦ J									
		♣ Q J 10 8 4									

Shape 4252 2632 5215 2344 HCP 4 17 13 6 Losers 9 5 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	3 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass
4 ♥	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. strength cue bid

4 ♥ by East

Made 4 — NS -420

1 boards f

065D69E84329361961432DD98946

**Board 2**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 4		♠ 10 9 8 5
♥ 9		♥ J 6 3 2
♦ A 5		♦ J 7 6
♣ A K 10 8 7 5 4 3		♣ 9 2

♠ 3

♥ K Q 10 7 5

♦ K Q 10 8 4 3

♣ Q

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♠ A K J 7 6 2

♥ A 8 4

♦ 9 2

♣ J 6

Shape 4432 6322 1561 2128 HCP 2 13 12 13 Losers 11 7 4 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♣	Pass	3 ♠	Pass
4 ♣	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass
5 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6 ♣	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♣ by West

Made 7 — NS -940

2 boards f

059FB9FF5E9A9696E14F3236CFE8

**Board 3**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 5 4

♥ 6 3

♦ 9 8 4

♣ J 10 9 8 5 4

♠ Q 7 3 2

♥ K Q 5 4

♦ K 10 2

♣ K 7

♠ J 6

♥ A J 10 9 8

♦ 7 5

♣ A Q 6 3

♠ A K 10 9 8

♥ 7 2

♦ A Q J 6 3

♣ 2

W N E S

Shape 2236 2524 5251 4432 HCP 1 12 14 13 Losers 10 7 5 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♥	Pass
4 ♥	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !H

4 ♥ by East

Made 4 — NS -620

3 boards f

0724445F2C2B6BF170D446CD3AA6

**Board 4**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 6 4  
♥ 8 7 3  
♦ A K 6 5 2  
♣ 8 4

♠ A J 10 3  
♥ K 5 4  
♦ 10 9 3  
♣ 5 3 2

♠ K Q 9 7 5  
♥ Q 6  
♦ Q J 4  
♣ Q 10 9

♠ 2  
♥ A J 10 9 2  
♦ 8 7  
♣ A K J 7 6

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Shape 4333 5233 1525 3352 HCP 8 12 13 7 Losers 10 7 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	3 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
3 ♥ by North  
Made 4 — NS +170

5 boards f

058A90D1D08CD60215F9F6B45F9C

**Board 5**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q J 9 6 5	<div style="display: inline-block; width: 40px; height: 40px; background-color: green; color: white; text-align: center; line-height: 40px;">             N W E S           </div>	♠ 3
♥ 6 5 4		♥ K Q J 9 7 3 2
♦ A 6		♦ K Q J 8
♣ Q 7 6		♣ 3

♠ A K 10 4 2	♠ 8 7
♥ —	♥ A 10 8
♦ 10 3 2	♦ 9 7 5 4
♣ K J 10 4 2	♣ A 9 8 5

Shape 2344 1741 5035 5323 HCP 8 12 11 9 Losers 9 4 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	4 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

4 ♥ by East

Made 4 — NS -620

7 boards f

0448831094BEB541FD0B980050DE

**Board 6**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 7 2

♥ 10 9 7

♦ K Q 8 4 3

♣ 9 8 7

♠ Q 6 4

♥ A K 8 6 4

♦ 10 7 2

♣ 10 2

♠ A 8 3

♥ Q J 5 3 2

♦ A 6 5

♣ K 6

♠ K J 10 9 5

♥ —

♦ J 9

♣ A Q J 5 4 3

W N E S

Shape 3532 3532 5026 2353 HCP 9 14 12 5 Losers 8 7 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
2 ♠ by North  
Made 4 — NS +170

8 boards f

056897D88084804DD5DE51CA3982

**Board 7**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 7 6 4

♥ 3

♦ A Q 4 3

♣ 8 7 5 3

♠ 3

♥ J 10 9 8 4 2

♦ K 10 7

♣ 6 4 2

♠ A 8 5

♥ K Q 7 6 5

♦ J 9 5 2

♣ K

♠ K J 10 9 2

♥ A

♦ 8 6

♣ A Q J 10 9

W N E S

Shape 1633 3541 5125 4144 HCP 4 13 15 8 Losers 9 7 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣
Dbl	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

3 ♣× by South

Down 1 — NS -100

9 boards f

071DA6AFA52BE2BA721D0D758B7C

**Board 8**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9

♥ 8 7 4 2

♦ K J 4

♣ A J 6 5 4

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♠ 7 4 2

♥ A 6

♦ A Q 6 5 2

♣ Q 10 3

♠ A 10 6 5

♥ 5 3

♦ 10 8 3

♣ K 9 8 7

♠ K Q J 8 3

♥ K Q J 10 9

♦ 9 7

♣ 2

Shape 4234 3253 5521 1435 HCP 7 12 12 9 Losers 9 7 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
4 ♠ by North  
Down 1 — NS -100



10 boards f

0451B796877312BDDC019403558E

**Board 9**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 7		♠ 9 6 4
♥ K 10 8		♥ J 6 4 2
♦ A 10 9 6 4		♦ 8 7 2
♣ A 8 6 3		♣ Q 9 2

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♠ A 10 3
♥ A Q 9 7 5 3
♦ —
♣ K J 10 4

♠ K Q J 8 5 2
♥ —
♦ K Q J 5 3
♣ 7 5

Shape 3433 3604 6052 1354 HCP 3 14 12 11 Losers 11 5 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	4 ♠
Dbl	Pass	4 NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass
5 ♣ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5 ♥	Pass
6 ♥	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. limit raise or better in !H
3. Splinter
4. Blackwood 0314, for !H
5. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by East

Made 7 — NS -1010

11 boards f

06D86B42E96DF94D1E9B42D26EA3

**Board 10**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A J 9 4

♥ 9

♦ 10 8 7 3

♣ J 10 9 8

♠ 7

♥ Q 8 5

♦ Q 5 4 2

♣ Q 7 5 4 3

♠ K Q 10 8 5 3

♥ A 7 6 4

♦ —

♣ K 6 2

♠ 6 2

♥ K J 10 3 2

♦ A K J 9 6

♣ A

W N E S

Shape 1345 6403 2551 4144 HCP 6 12 16 6 Losers 7 5 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	3 ♥	3 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♠ by East

Made 5 — NS -200

12 boards f

0743EBE2B3E141576C7E223EFAC9

**Board 11**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ K Q 10 3 2

♥ J 6 4 3

♦ 8

♣ 10 9 2

♠ 5 4

♥ A 9 2

♦ K 3 2

♣ Q 6 5 4 3

♠ A 9 8 7 6

♥ 8

♦ 7 6 4

♣ A K J 8

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♠ J

♥ K Q 10 7 5

♦ A Q J 10 9 5

♣ 7

Shape 2335 5134 1561 5413 HCP 9 12 13 6 Losers 8 7 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	3 ♥	Pass	Pass
4 ♠	Pass	Pass	5 ♦
Pass	Pass	Dbl	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

5 ♦ × by South

Made 5 — NS +750

13 boards f

049AA372A1AB49F96EBC0AD66C3D

**Board 12**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 4

♥ Q 8 6 2

♦ K Q J

♣ J 9 8 2

♠ 5 2

♥ 9 5

♦ 7 6 3 2

♣ A Q 7 5 4

♠ Q 9 7 3

♥ A 4

♦ A 10 9 8 5

♣ K 10

♠ A K J 10 6

♥ K J 10 7 3

♦ 4

♣ 6 3

W N E S

Shape 2245 4252 5512 2434 HCP 6 13 12 9 Losers 8 6 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

2 ♥ by North

Down 1 — NS -50

14 boards f

06B6F7A7A3E36FD2E5B2A3218FC1

**Board 13**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 4

♥ 3 2

♦ J 10 8 6 5 4 2

♣ A 8 6

♠ K 10 8 7 2

♥ A K 6

♦ 9 3

♣ 7 4 2

♠ 9

♥ 8

♦ A K Q 7

♣ K Q J 10 9 5 3

♠ A Q J 6 5 3

♥ Q J 10 9 7 5 4

♦ —

♣ —

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Shape 1273 1147 6700 5323 HCP 5 15 10 10 Losers 8 3 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	4 ♣	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♥ by North

Made 4 — NS +620

15 boards f

055F3E869FBA26912929FFDF55B2

**Board 14**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 5 4

♥ K 10 5 2

♦ 10 7 6

♣ 8 7 6 3

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♠ K 9 7 6

♥ Q

♦ Q 9 3

♣ K Q 10 9 2

♠ A 3

♥ A J 8 4 3

♦ 8 2

♣ A J 5 4

♠ Q J 10 8 2

♥ 9 7 6

♦ A K J 5 4

♣ —

Shape 4135 2524 5350 2434 HCP 12 14 11 3 Losers 6 7 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
4 ♠ by North  
Made 5 — NS +450

16 boards f

146559E42D756C123E3D1287E957

**Board 15**

East Deals

None Vul


♠ Q 3		♠ J 8 7 6 5
♥ 10 7 6		♥ 4
♦ 8 5		♦ J 9 7 6
♣ A K J 10 6 3		♣ 8 7 5

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		♠ A K 10 9 2
		♥ K 8 5 2
		♦ K 3
		♣ 4 2

♠ 4	
♥ A Q J 9 3	
♦ A Q 10 4 2	
♣ Q 9	

Shape 5143 5422 1552 2326 HCP 2 13 15 10 Losers 10 6 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid
  2. to the partner's longer
- 3 ♦ by South  
Made 3 — NS +110

17 boards f

162F249610ACC2FE7C4F6A144D6D

**Board 16**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A K J 4  
♥ 9 6 3  
♦ J 9  
♣ Q 9 8 5

♠ 9 8  
♥ 8 7  
♦ A 10 8 7 6 3 2  
♣ 3 2

♠ 7 6 5 3 2  
♥ Q J 4  
♦ K Q 4  
♣ A 6

♠ Q 10  
♥ A K 10 5 2  
♦ 5  
♣ K J 10 7 4

W N E S

Shape 4324 5332 2515 2272 HCP 11 12 13 4 Losers 8 7 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♥ by North

Made 3 — NS +140



18 boards f

15919D8F7E5935CAC44F8858DE96

**Board 17**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8 7 3		♠ 9
♥ J 9		♥ Q 8 7 6 5
♦ 10 8 5 4		♦ 9 7 2
♣ A K 10 9		♣ J 8 3 2

♠ J 10 6 4

♥ A K 10 4 3 2

♦ A

♣ Q 6

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		♠ A K Q 5 2
		♥ —
		♦ K Q J 6 3
		♣ 7 5 4

Shape 1534 4612 5053 3244 HCP 3 14 15 8 Losers 9 6 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid
  2. to the partner's longer
  - 3 ♦ by South
- Made 3 — NS +110

21 boards f

15E399AA8BE011696158BE06870A

**Board 18**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 10		♠ 9 4 2
♥ 5		♥ J 4 3 2
♦ K Q J 8 6 2		♦ 4 3
♣ K 9 8 7		♣ Q 5 4 2

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		♠ 8 7 6
		♥ K 9 6
		♦ A 10 9 7
		♣ A J 3

♠ K Q J 5 3
♥ A Q 10 8 7
♦ 5
♣ 10 6

Shape 3424 3343 5512 2164 HCP 3 12 12 13 Losers 10 9 5 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
5 ♦	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. Splinter

5 ♦ by East

Made 5 — NS -600

22 boards f

172FA9BF35AAB64F6AC8EEA7FD1C

**Board 19**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 6 5 3  
♥ Q J 9 3  
♦ J 9 4  
♣ K J 3

♠ A J 2  
♥ 8 6  
♦ K 10 7 6  
♣ 10 9 7 5

♠ 8 7  
♥ 2  
♦ A Q 8 5 3 2  
♣ A Q 8 4

♠ K Q 10 9 4  
♥ A K 10 7 5 4  
♦ —  
♣ 6 2

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Shape 3244 2164 5602 3433 HCP 8 12 12 8 Losers 9 5 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
4 ♠ by North  
Made 5 — NS +650

23 boards f

1493805C9B701EF10710A0BF1EF6

**Board 20**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 2

♥ 10 8 4 2

♦ A K 10 8 6 5

♣ 8

♠ 9 7 6 3

♥ K 7

♦ Q 9 4 3

♣ 9 3 2

♠ Q 10

♥ A Q J 9 6 3

♦ J

♣ A J 7 4

♠ A K J 5 4

♥ 5

♦ 7 2

♣ K Q 10 6 5

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Shape 4243 2614 5125 2461 HCP 5 15 13 7 Losers 9 6 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
4 ♥	Pass	1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
		Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♥ by East

Made 4 — NS -420

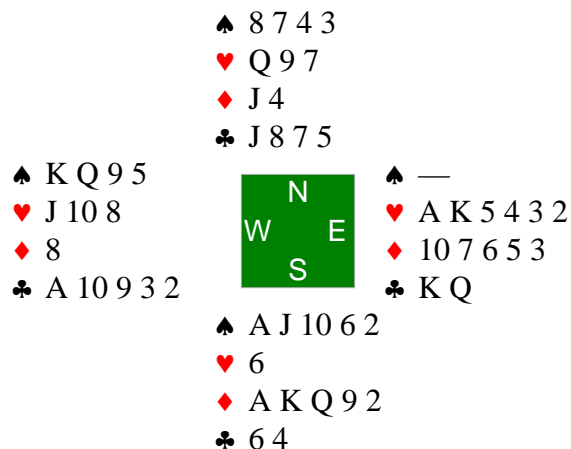
24 boards f

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**Board 21**

East Deals

E-W Vul



Shape 4324 0652 5152 4315 HCP 4 12 14 10 Losers 10 5 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	3 ♠	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass
5 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !H

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♥ by East

Made 6 — NS -1430

25 boards f

176EDBA9A5B9BE857E6E611E1684

**Board 22**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ K		♠ 4 3
♥ 10 9 7		♥ 8 2
♦ J 8 3 2		♦ K Q 10
♣ Q J 10 8 5		♣ A 9 7 6 4 3

N

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♠ Q J 10 9 8 2	♠ A 7 6 5
♥ A Q J 6 5	♥ K 4 3
♦ 5	♦ A 9 7 6 4
♣ 2	♣ K

Shape 2236 4351 6511 1345 HCP 9 14 10 7 Losers 7 7 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 ♥	3 ♦	Pass
Pass	Dbl	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♦ × by East

Made 3 — NS -670

26 boards f

14518696970D349394F843D10D3F

**Board 23**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 6 4

♥ 9 6 2

♦ A 8 5 4

♣ A 10 4 3

♠ 10 9 3 2

♥ K 10 5 3

♦ 10 3 2

♣ K Q

♠ A 5

♥ A Q J 8 7 4

♦ 6

♣ J 8 5 2

♠ K Q J 8 7

♥ —

♦ K Q J 9 7

♣ 9 7 6

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Shape 4432 2614 5053 2344 HCP 8 12 12 8 Losers 9 6 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	3 ♠	4 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♥ by East

Made 4 — NS -420

28 boards f

179D2D8FA42EFB88CFF9BF3E6126

**Board 24**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9 7 6

♥ 9 6 5 4

♦ J 2

♣ A K 6 3

♠ K 10 4 2

♥ Q 8 7

♦ 9 8 6

♣ 10 4 2

♠ 3

♥ A

♦ A K Q 10 7 5 4

♣ Q 9 7 5

♠ A Q J 8 5

♥ K J 10 3 2

♦ 3

♣ J 8

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Shape 4333 1174 5512 3424 HCP 5 15 12 8 Losers 10 3 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♠	4 ♦	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♦ by East

Made 6 — NS −170



29 boards f

149A6981EEA719454F9AFE5C16D

**Board 25**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ J 5 3		♠ 9
♥ 5		♥ Q 8 7 3
♦ Q 3		♦ J 7 5 2
♣ K Q 9 8 4 3 2		♣ A J 6 5

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		♠ K 8 7 2
		♥ A 9 6
		♦ A K 9 6
		♣ 10 7

		♠ A Q 10 6 4
		♥ K J 10 4 2
		♦ 10 8 4
		♣ —

Shape 1444 4342 5530 3127 HCP 8 14 10 8 Losers 8 7 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
 3 ♥ by North  
 Made 3 — NS +140

30 boards f

16A7878EABA0D5FFEF45EB1E02CE

**Board 26**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 8 7 5 2

♥ 8

♦ Q 8 7 4 2

♣ 9 6

♠ 4 3

♥ K Q 6 3 2

♦ 10 3

♣ Q 4 3 2

♠ 6

♥ 9 4

♦ A K 9 6

♣ A K J 8 7 5

W

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♠ A K Q J 10

♥ A J 10 7 5

♦ J 5

♣ 10

Shape 2524 1246 5521 5152 HCP 7 15 16 2 Losers 7 5 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♥ by North

Made 4 — NS +620

31 boards f

1561DF6F8D29C10C4776CD2348EA

**Board 27**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 9 5 2

♥ 6

♦ 10 3 2

♣ A J 10 9 5

N

W E

S

♠ A Q 7 6 3

♥ K

♦ A 9 4

♣ K Q 7 4

♠ J

♥ A Q 10 4 2

♦ K Q J 8 5

♣ 8 3

Shape 3622 5134 1552 4135 HCP 1 18 13 8 Losers 10 5 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
4 ♠	Pass	Pass	Pass
1. Michaels Cuebid			
4 ♠ by East			
Made 5 — NS −650			

32 boards f

24B840971CB2D492103DE31D9A4D

**Board 28**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 5

♥ A 10 6

♦ K 10 8 7 5

♣ 6 4 2

♠ J 7 6 4

♥ K 2

♦ J 6 4 2

♣ 10 8 3

♠ K 2

♥ Q J 9 8 7 4 3

♦ A 3

♣ Q 5

♠ A Q 10 8 3

♥ 5

♦ Q 9

♣ A K J 9 7

W

N

E

S

Shape 4243 2722 5125 2353 HCP 5 12 16 7 Losers 10 6 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 ♠	3 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♥ by East

Made 3 — NS −140

33 boards f

262B456B6D594AE30B3C2C93F1CE

**Board 29**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 8 3 2  
♥ 6 3  
♦ J 6 5 2  
♣ K J 10 3

♠ A 7 6 5  
♥ K 9 7 2  
♦ 8 4 3  
♣ 9 2

♠ K Q J 10 9  
♥ 10 4  
♦ K  
♣ A Q 8 7 4

♠ 4  
♥ A Q J 8 5  
♦ A Q 10 9 7  
♣ 6 5

W N E S

Shape 4432 5215 1552 3244 HCP 7 15 13 5 Losers 9 5 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♥	5 ♣	Pass
Pass	Dbl	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

5 ♣× by East

Down 2 — NS +300

34 boards f

25C3A7B2A12FB5E24965C5166FB1

**Board 30**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 8 5		♠ 10 4
♥ Q 9 2		♥ A 7 5
♦ 7		♦ K 9 6 5 4
♣ J 9 7 6 5 2		♣ Q 8 4

N

W

E

S

		♠ 7 6 3
		♥ 4
		♦ A Q J 8 2
		♣ A K 10 3

♠ K Q J 9 2
♥ K J 10 8 6 3
♦ 10 3
♣ —

Shape 2353 3154 5620 3316 HCP 9 14 10 7 Losers 8 6 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	Dbl	Pass
3 ♣	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♥ by North

Made 5 — NS +450

35 boards f

27D393FABF920696175102FAD4B0

**Board 31**

East Deals

Both Vul


♠ A Q 4 3		♠ 9 7 5
♥ Q J 4 2		♥ 9 5
♦ 9 8 7 3		♦ Q 4
♣ 6		♣ Q 10 9 8 5 4

N

W

S

E



	♠ 6
	♥ A K 10 8 7 6 3
	♦ J
	♣ A K J 7

♠ K J 10 8 2
♥ —
♦ A K 10 6 5 2
♣ 3 2

Shape 3226 1714 5062 4441 HCP 4 16 11 9 Losers 9 4 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 ♠	4 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass
4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	5 ♦
6 ♥	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. Splinter
3. Blackwood 0314, for !H
4. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by East

Made 6 — NS -1430

37 boards f

25DBB45F9FBEEC09C7311E851992

**Board 32**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 9 7  
♥ K 10 6  
♦ A 8 3  
♣ 8 6 4 3

♠ 8 6 5 3  
♥ 8 7 4  
♦ K 7 4  
♣ 10 5 2

♠ Q  
♥ A Q J 5 3 2  
♦ 6 2  
♣ A Q J 7

♠ K J 10 4 2  
♥ 9  
♦ Q J 10 9 5  
♣ K 9

N  
WSE

Shape 4333 1624 5152 3334 HCP 3 16 10 11 Losers 11 5 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	3 ♠	4 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !H

4 ♥ by East

Made 6 — NS -680



38 boards f

27A4DF1DA5A5CA6B09AF815ECBB9

**Board 33**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 9 3

♥ 2

♦ A J 10

♣ Q J 10 7 5 2

♠ Q 7

♥ 9 7 5 3

♦ 9 8 7 3 2

♣ 9 4

♠ 8 4

♥ K Q 4

♦ K Q 6 4

♣ K 8 6 3

♠ A J 10 6 5 2

♥ A J 10 8 6

♦ 5

♣ A

W

N

E

S

Shape 2452 2344 6511 3136 HCP 2 13 14 11 Losers 10 6 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	4 ♥	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Dbl	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. strength cue bid

6 ♥× by North

Down 3 — NS -800

39 boards f

2469267B05656CE35986F53C7A0D

**Board 34**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 5  
♥ Q 5 4 3  
♦ 8  
♣ A J 10 7 5 2

N  
W  
E  
S

♠ A Q 10 9 7 3  
♥ 7  
♦ A Q 7 3  
♣ Q 8

♠ 6  
♥ A K 10 9 8  
♦ K J 10 6 5  
♣ 9 4

Shape 4333 6142 1552 2416 HCP 8 14 11 7 Losers 10 5 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥	3 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid  
3 ♠ by East  
Made 4 — NS -170

40 boards f

2510939A88F8CFB6AA79D4027794

**Board 35**

East Deals

E-W Vul


♠ 10 9 5		♠ A 4
♥ 10 8 6 3		♥ J 9 4
♦ Q J 10 7 6		♦ 8 5 3 2
♣ 6		♣ Q 8 7 4

W

N

E

S



♠ K Q J 8 7 2	♠ 6 3
♥ 7	♥ A K Q 5 2
♦ 9	♦ A K 4
♣ A J 10 5 2	♣ K 9 3

Shape 2344 2533 6115 3451 HCP 7 19 11 3 Losers 9 5 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	3 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid
  2. to the partner's longer
  3. strength cue bid
- 4 ♠ by South  
 Made 4 — NS +420

41 boards f

276877686B64F52668194B90D6C6

**Board 36**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9 3 2		♠ 8 6
♥ K 9		♥ 5 2
♦ K 10 9 8 3 2		♦ A Q J 7 6 5
♣ 9 6		♣ 8 3 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A K Q J 10 7 5
♥ 6 4 3
♦ —
♣ K J 5

♠ 4	
♥ A Q J 10 8 7	
♦ 4	
♣ A Q 10 7 4	

Shape 2263 7303 1615 3262 HCP 7 14 13 6 Losers 8 5 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	4 ♠	Pass
Pass	Dbl	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid
  2. to the partner's longer
- 4 ♠× by East  
 Made 4 — NS -790

42 boards f

241C6F106027632862FFF24A30BD

**Board 37**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 6 5		♠ A Q 10 8 3
♥ 6 5 3 2		♥ 4
♦ Q J 9 7 5 3		♦ A K 6 2
♣ 2		♣ 7 5 4

♠ 2

♥ K J 10 9 8 7

♦ 10

♣ A Q J 8 3

W
N
E

S

♠ K J 9 7 4

♥ A Q

♦ 8 4

♣ K 10 9 6

Shape 5143 5224 1615 2461 HCP 13 13 11 3 Losers 6 7 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♣
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid
  2. to the partner's longer
- 4 ♣ by South  
Made 5 — NS +150

43 boards f

26626F9AAE8187750FDBFE2D5AA1

**Board 38**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 6 5

♥ 8 5

♦ K J 7 5 4

♣ 10 8 4 2

N

W E

S

♠ 7 4

♥ 10 9 7

♦ A 10 2

♣ A Q J 5 3

♠ A K 8 3

♥ Q 6 3

♦ 9 8

♣ K 9 7 6

♠ Q J 10 9 2

♥ A K J 4 2

♦ Q 6 3

♣ —

Shape 2335 4324 5530 2254 HCP 11 12 13 4 Losers 8 7 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
4 ♥ by North  
Made 4 — NS +620

44 boards f

275CA56464ED2D7A401575180A42

**Board 39**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10  
♥ 8 5  
♦ K Q J 6 5  
♣ K 10 9 6 5

♠ 9 6 4 3  
♥ 7 3 2  
♦ 8 4 3  
♣ 8 3 2

♠ A Q J 8 7 5 2  
♥ A 6 4  
♦ A 10 9  
♣ —

♠ K  
♥ K Q J 10 9  
♦ 7 2  
♣ A Q J 7 4

Shape 4333 7330 1525 1255 HCP 0 15 16 9 Losers 12 5 5 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥	4 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid  
4 ♠ by East  
Made 6 — NS -680

45 boards f

245C89E98C94D241825F7D19ECBC

**Board 40**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 4		
♥ K J 8 7		
♦ A J 6 5 3 2		
♣ 9 7		
♠ Q 9 3		♠ A 8 6 5
♥ 5 2		♥ A 10 9 6 4
♦ 9 8 7		♦ K Q 4
♣ K Q 8 5 4		♣ 6

♠ K J 10 7 2		
♥ Q 3		
♦ 10		
♣ A J 10 3 2		

Shape 1462 4531 5215 3235 HCP 9 13 11 7 Losers 7 6 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid
  2. to the partner's longer
  - 3 ♣ by South
- Down 1 — NS -50



46 boards f

262F985C61206D6601F43D8F5234

**Board 41**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 6		♠ A 10 7 5 2
♥ 6 5 2		♥ 7 4
♦ A Q 9 5 4		♦ J 10 7 3
♣ J 9 7 5		♣ 8 3
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		♥ K Q 3
		♦ 8 6 2
		♣ A 4
		♠ K 4
		♥ A J 10 9 8
		♦ K
		♣ K Q 10 6 2

Shape 5242 5332 2515 1354 HCP 5 12 16 7 Losers 9 7 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

3 ♣ by South

Down 1 — NS -100

47 boards f

25DD929D819C70097E0F15B73699

**Board 42**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A		♠ 8 6 5 3
♥ 9 7 4 3		♥ J 8 6
♦ 8 2		♦ 5 4 3
♣ A Q J 8 5 2		♣ K 7 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 9 7	
♥ A K Q 10 5 2	
♦ K J 9	
♣ 6 4	

♠ K Q J 10 4 2
♥ —
♦ A Q 10 7 6
♣ 10 9

Shape 4333 2632 6052 1426 HCP 4 13 12 11 Losers 11 6 4 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	3 ♠	4 ♥	4 ♠
5 ♥	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !H

5 ♥ by East

Made 6 — NS -680

48 boards f

340868422C6D13E861117CC47292

**Board 43**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 4

♥ 5 3

♦ Q 9 7 6 3 2

♣ 10 7 6

♠ A J 9 6

♥ A Q 4

♦ J 10 5

♣ Q 3 2

♠ K Q 10 7 5 3

♥ 9 6 2

♦ A K 8

♣ 9

♠ 2

♥ K J 10 8 7

♦ 4

♣ A K J 8 5 4

W N E S

Shape 4333 6331 1516 2263 HCP 14 12 12 2 Losers 8 6 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
3 ♥ by North  
Made 6 — NS +230

49 boards f

36AF95EAC7A4036E828ED50FADF7

**Board 44**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 4

♥ J 9 7 6 4

♦ 9 7

♣ Q 8 7 6

♠ Q J 5 2

♥ 2

♦ A 8 6 4 3

♣ K 5 3

♠ 8

♥ K 5

♦ K J 10 5 2

♣ A J 9 4 2

♠ A K 10 7 6 3

♥ A Q 10 8 3

♦ Q

♣ 10

W

N

E

S

Shape 2524 1255 6511 4153 HCP 3 12 15 10 Losers 9 6 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
4 ♥ by North  
Made 4 — NS +620

50 boards f

355D6FDCA16F542A0576CED9E7C5

**Board 45**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8 7

♥ 7 5 2

♦ 9 7 6 3 2

♣ 8 6 5

♠ Q 5 4 3 2

♥ 6

♦ 8 4

♣ A J 7 4 2

♠ J

♥ K J 10 8 3

♦ A K Q 10 5

♣ Q 9

♠ A K 10 9 6

♥ A Q 9 4

♦ J

♣ K 10 3

N

W E

S

Shape 2353 5413 1552 5125 HCP 0 17 16 7 Losers 11 5 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
4 ♠	Pass	1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
		Pass	Pass
1. Michaels Cuebid			
4 ♠ by East			
Made 6 — NS −680			

52 boards f

3665ADA742ADCB922E76CA9FC7EE

**Board 46**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 5 3 2

♥ 6

♦ K 10 7 4 2

♣ A K 10

♠ 7

♥ J 9 5 3

♦ J 8

♣ J 8 7 6 5 2

♠ A J 6

♥ 8 4

♦ A Q 6 3

♣ Q 9 4 3

♠ K Q 10 8 4

♥ A K Q 10 7 2

♦ 9 5

♣ —

W

N

E

S

Shape 1426 3244 5620 4153 HCP 3 13 14 10 Losers 9 7 3 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid  
4 ♥ by North  
Made 4 — NS +620

53 boards f

3558686405A0070D31E954DA5B2D

**Board 47**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 6 4		♠ J 9 8 7 2
♥ 7		♥ J 9 8
♦ A K 6 4 3		♦ Q J 9 5
♣ J 8 7 6 2		♣ 4
	<div> <div>W</div> <div>N</div> <div>E</div> <div>S</div> </div>	♠ A K Q 5 3
		♥ A 5 4 3
		♦ 10 7
		♣ 9 3
		♠ 10
		♥ K Q 10 6 2
		♦ 8 2
		♣ A K Q 10 5

Shape 5341 5422 1525 2155 HCP 5 13 14 8 Losers 9 6 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♥ by North

Made 3 — NS +140

54 boards f

379DA7E7ECA99E5ECC0985DA48E6

**Board 48**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 6

♥ 7 6 5 3

♦ 10 6 4 3

♣ 9 8 4 2

♠ Q J 7 4 2

♥ —

♦ K Q 5 2

♣ A 10 6 5

♠ 8 3

♥ A 9 8 4

♦ A J 9 8 7

♣ K Q

♠ A K 10 9 5

♥ K Q J 10 2

♦ —

♣ J 7 3

N

W E

S

Shape 1444 2452 5503 5044 HCP 0 14 14 12 Losers 10 7 5 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♦	Pass
4 ♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass
6 ♦	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. strength cue bid

3. Splinter

4. surplus

6 ♦ by East

Down 1 — NS +100



55 boards f

34E9E993BFABC223477D6C8E90CE

**Board 49**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ A K 9 2		♠ 8
♥ J 6		♥ 9 7 4 2
♦ Q 9 8 3		♦ J 6 5 4 2
♣ A K 6		♣ 9 4 2

♠ Q J 10 4 3

♥ A K 10 8 5

♦ 7

♣ 5 3

N
E

W
S

♠ 7 6 5

♥ Q 3

♦ A K 10

♣ Q J 10 8 7

Shape 1453 3235 5512 4243 HCP 1 12 10 17 Losers 10 8 6 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣	Pass
3 ♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 ♣	Pass
4 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♣	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. strength cue bid
3. limit raise or better in !C
4. Cue bid, a !S stopper

5 ♣ by East

Made 5 — NS -400


56 boards f

35587A6824EFF4FC66E2D6773F47

**Board 50**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 10 9 8 6 5		♠ A K Q 7 4 2
♥ K 9 8 4 3		♥ A 5
♦ A K Q		♦ 6
♣ —		♣ 10 4 3 2

♠ —	
♥ Q J 10 7 6	
♦ 10 8 3	
♣ A Q J 9 8	

Shape 2164 6214 0535 5530 HCP 5 13 10 12 Losers 8 5 6 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass
5 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. limit raise or better in !S
3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
4. A=1/5 or 4/5

5 ♠ by East

Made 7 — NS -710

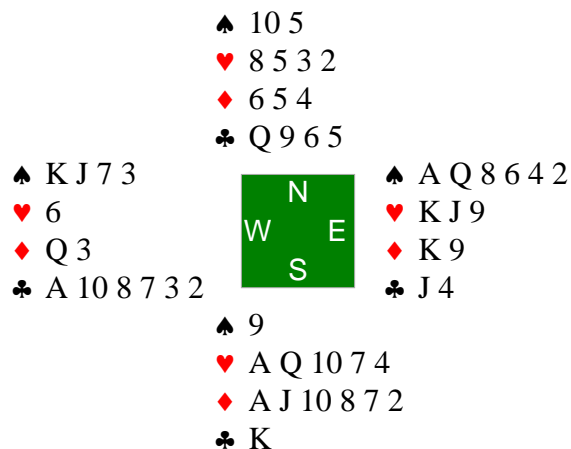
57 boards f

3761DC66D3219E41E17A0A6BC541

**Board 51**

East Deals

Both Vul



Shape 2434 6322 1561 4126 HCP 2 14 14 10 Losers 10 6 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♠	5 ♦
Dbl	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !S

5 ♦ × by South

Down 2 — NS -500

58 boards f

346BA23189ABBEA2E71C597FC00D

**Board 52**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 7 3

♥ Q 9 4

♦ K Q 8 3

♣ Q J 5 2

♠ Q 6 2

♥ J 3 2

♦ 9 6 4 2

♣ K 9 8

♠ A 5 4

♥ 6 5

♦ A J 10 5

♣ A 10 7 4

♠ K J 10 9 8

♥ A K 10 8 7

♦ 7

♣ 6 3

W N E S

Shape 3343 3244 5512 2344 HCP 6 13 11 10 Losers 10 8 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

2 ♥ by North

Made 3 — NS +140

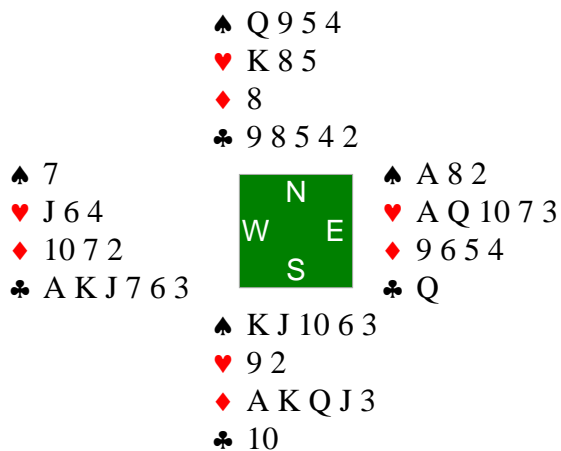
59 boards f

3659891BB99C2642DDB50636996E

**Board 53**

East Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 4315 3541 5251 1336 HCP 5 12 14 9 Losers 8 7 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	3 ♠	4 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♥ by East

Made 4 — NS -420

60 boards f

37AFD76AA7BD07C88767EEBBC8EA

**Board 54**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9

♥ 9 8 7 3

♦ Q 8 4 3 2

♣ Q 5 2

♠ K 8 5 3 2

♥ 10 4

♦ K J 9 7 6

♣ 10

♠ Q 6

♥ K

♦ A 10 5

♣ A K J 9 7 6 4

♠ A J 10 7 4

♥ A Q J 6 5 2

♦ —

♣ 8 3

W N E S

Shape 1453 2137 5602 5251 HCP 4 17 12 7 Losers 8 6 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
4 ♥ by North  
Made 4 — NS +620

61 boards f

345544E66A6B8B34E3FDED56C202

**Board 55**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 7 6 5 3

♥ 8 6

♦ 7 3 2

♣ A 6 5

♠ 8 2

♥ K 9 3 2

♦ 6 5

♣ Q J 4 3 2

♠ A K J 10 4

♥ A 4

♦ J 10 9

♣ 10 9 7

♠ 9

♥ Q J 10 7 5

♦ A K Q 8 4

♣ K 8

W N E S

Shape 2425 5233 1552 5233 HCP 6 13 15 6 Losers 8 8 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	3 ♥	3 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid  
3 ♠ by East  
Down 1 — NS +50

62 boards f

36995B909EDBFA0D468D3E2F98C6

**Board 56**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 10 9 2

♥ 9 5

♦ J 8 6 5 4

♣ A 8 6

♠ 8 5 4

♥ 8 7 6 2

♦ Q

♣ J 9 7 5 2

♠ K 7

♥ A K Q J 10 3

♦ 7 2

♣ K 10 4

♠ A Q J 6 3

♥ 4

♦ A K 10 9 3

♣ Q 3

W

N

E

S

Shape 3415 2623 5152 3253 HCP 3 16 16 5 Losers 10 5 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	3 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♥ by East

Made 3 — NS -140



63 boards f

35B397D49898F6F09201CC2477C5

**Board 57**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 6 4		♠ 3
♥ 6 5 2		♥ K Q J 10 7
♦ K Q 9 4 3 2		♦ A 8 7 6
♣ 9 7		♣ A K 3

♠ Q 9 8 5 2		♠ A K J 10 7
♥ A 9 8 3		♥ 4
♦ J 10		♦ 5
♣ 6 2		♣ Q J 10 8 5 4



Shape 2362 1543 5116 5422 HCP 5 17 11 7 Losers 8 5 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	4 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

4 ♥ by East

Made 5 — NS -650

64 boards f

442A93BFA1E049DA49E92DA29C0F

**Board 58**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 8 6	<div style="display: inline-block; background-color: green; color: white; padding: 10px; text-align: center;">             N W E S           </div>	♠ 9 7
♥ Q		♥ K 8 3
♦ K J 10 4		♦ A 9 8 7 6
♣ J 9 7 6 5		♣ K Q 2

♠ K Q J 4 3
♥ A J 10 6 5 4
♦ —
♣ 10 3

Shape 3343 2353 5602 3145 HCP 10 12 11 7 Losers 9 7 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 ♠	3 ♦	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

66 boards f

455D818D971DF6336B19B50E956C

**Board 59**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9		♠ 10 8 6 4
♥ 9 8 5		♥ K Q 4
♦ 7 6		♦ J 9 5 3
♣ A K Q 10 6 5 3		♣ 9 4
	<div> <div>N</div> <div>W E</div> <div>S</div> </div>	♠ A 7 2
		♥ A J 10 6 3
		♦ K 8
		♣ J 8 7
		♠ K Q J 5 3
		♥ 7 2
		♦ A Q 10 4 2
		♣ 2

Shape 4342 3523 5251 1327 HCP 6 13 12 9 Losers 9 8 5 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
4 ♥	4 ♠	1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass		Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid  
 4 ♠ by North  
 Made 4 — NS +420

67 boards f

47675848252CCC65321474D22D49

**Board 60**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9 4

♥ 7 5

♦ A J 8 6 5

♣ J 8 3 2

♠ J 10 7 6 3

♥ Q 9 2

♦ K Q 2

♣ 7 4

♠ —

♥ A J 10 8 3

♦ 7 4

♣ K Q 10 9 6 5

♠ A K Q 8 5 2

♥ K 6 4

♦ 10 9 3

♣ A

W

N

E

S

Shape 5332 6331 0526 2254 HCP 8 16 10 6 Losers 8 5 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥	3 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid  
3 ♠ by East  
Made 3 — NS -140

68 boards f

469F5C90B31CF2108140C9C79BF9

**Board 61**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 5 4 2

♥ J 9 2

♦ A K 10

♣ 7 5 2

W
E
S

N  
S  
E  
W

N
E
S

♠ 10 8

♥ 7 6 5 4

♦ Q J 9 8 7 6

♣ 9

♠ K 6

♥ A K Q 10 8 3

♦ 4

♣ A J 4 3

♠ A Q J 7 3

♥ —

♦ 5 3 2

♣ K Q 10 8 6

Shape 2461 2614 5035 4333 HCP 3 17 12 8 Losers 8 4 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 ♠	4 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass
4 ♥	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. Splinter

4 ♥ by East

Made 5 — NS -450

69 boards f

45EBBBA3A0272445BABA72430189

**Board 62**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A

♥ K 7 6 5

♦ A K 7 6 2

♣ 8 3 2

♠ 10 9 3

♥ 8 4 3 2

♦ 10 9 8

♣ 7 6 5

♠ 8 5 4

♥ —

♦ Q J 5 4 3

♣ A K Q 10 4

♠ K Q J 7 6 2

♥ A Q J 10 9

♦ —

♣ J 9

W

N

E

S

Shape 3433 3055 6502 1453 HCP 0 12 14 14 Losers 12 5 4 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
3 NT	Pass	Pass	4 ♠
5 ♦	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

5 ♦ by East

Made 7 — NS -640

70 boards f

476FD9606143E24017C508FB293D

**Board 63**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 9 6 4

♥ 4 2

♦ 7 6

♣ K J 6 3 2

N

W

E

S

♠ A Q J 10 8

♥ K 7

♦ A 2

♣ A 10 7 4

♠ —

♥ A Q J 9 3

♦ Q J 10 9 8

♣ Q 8 5

Shape 4441 5224 0553 4225 HCP 3 18 12 7 Losers 9 5 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	4 ♥	Dbl	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♥ × by North

Made 4 — NS +790

71 boards f

4447B3B69415FF108EB1E71A1AC9

**Board 64**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 5 2  
♥ K Q 9 6  
♦ K 8 6  
♣ 10 6 2

♠ 10 8 4 3  
♥ A 7 2  
♦ 9 7  
♣ Q 7 4 3

♠ A  
♥ J 10 8 4 3  
♦ 4 3 2  
♣ A K 9 5

♠ K Q J 7 6  
♥ 5  
♦ A Q J 10 5  
♣ J 8

W

N  
E  
S

Shape 4324 1534 5152 3433 HCP 6 12 14 8 Losers 9 7 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	3 ♠	Pass	Pass
4 ♥	Pass	Pass	Dbl
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♥× by East

Down 1 — NS +100



72 boards f

454B641DEC64E271B4F6C15426DB

**Board 65**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 9 6 5 2		♠ Q 3
♥ 8 7 6		♥ A 5
♦ A 2		♦ K 10 7 6 4 3
♣ Q 8 5		♣ 9 6 3

♠ 7		♠ A K 10 8 4
♥ K J 10 9 3		♥ Q 4 2
♦ Q J		♦ 9 8 5
♣ K J 10 7 4		♣ A 2

♠ 7		♠ 7
♥ K J 10 9 3		♥ K J 10 9 3
♦ Q J		♦ Q J
♣ K J 10 7 4		♣ K J 10 7 4



Shape 2263 5332 1525 5323 HCP 9 13 11 7 Losers 8 7 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣
3 ♠	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid
  2. to the partner's longer
- 3 ♠ by East  
Made 3 — NS -140

73 boards f

479BAF658EE46EBD1FFDA1050A32

**Board 66**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10 6		♠ 7 4 3 2
♥ 8 6 2		♥ J 4 3
♦ Q 10 4		♦ A 3
♣ Q 8 6 5 4		♣ J 9 3 2

♠	Q 9
♥	A 7
♦	K J 9 8 7 6
♣	A K 7

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W		E
	S	

♠	A K J 8 5
♥	K Q 10 9 5
♦	5 2
♣	10

Shape 4324 2263 5521 2335 HCP 6 17 13 4 Losers 10 6 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	3 ♦	Pass
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♠ by North

Made 4 — NS +170

75 boards f

46E2566C64944CEE340DCE1E66E9

**Board 67**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 8 5 2

♥ 7

♦ Q 9 8 6 5 4

♣ 6 2

W  
N  
E  
S

♠ 7 6 4

♥ 9 6 5

♦ A

♣ A K 8 5 4 3

♠ 10

♥ A Q J 8 3 2

♦ 2

♣ Q J 10 9 7

♠ K Q J 9 3

♥ K 10 4

♦ K J 10 7 3

♣ —

Shape 3316 5350 1615 4162 HCP 11 13 10 6 Losers 7 5 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	4 ♥	4 ♠	5 ♥
Pass	Pass	Dbl	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

5 ♥× by North

Made 5 — NS +850


76 boards f

473C637E21222F91C57AE8767E11

**Board 68**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 7 5		♠ K Q 6 4 3
♥ A Q 6 4 3		♥ 8 2
♦ 7 4		♦ A Q 9 3
♣ J 8 7 2		♣ K 9

♠ 8
♥ K J 10 9 5
♦ K J 10 8 2
♣ A 5

Shape 5125 5242 1552 2524 HCP 7 14 12 7 Losers 7 5 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid
  2. to the partner's longer
- 3 ♦ by South
- Down 2 — NS -200

77 boards f

447BA7AAF7AA196EBBB1016EEE3D

**Board 69**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ J 3

♥ A J 7 6 2

♦ 6 5

♣ 9 6 5 2

W

N

E

S

♠ 9 5 2

♥ 5

♦ 8 4 3 2

♣ Q 10 8 4 3

♠ A 8 4

♥ 9

♦ A Q 10 9 7

♣ A K J 7

♠ K Q 10 7 6

♥ K Q 10 8 4 3

♦ K J

♣ —

Shape 3145 3154 5620 2524 HCP 2 18 14 6 Losers 9 5 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	3 ♣	3 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♥ by South

Down 1 — NS -50

78 boards f

466BEFB31BE8614FC0FAFE52EA52

**Board 70**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J  
♥ 8 7  
♦ Q 9 7 4 2  
♣ 6 5 4 3 2

♠ K 10 7 6 5 3  
♥ Q 6 5  
♦ K 8 5  
♣ 9

♠ A 9 8 4 2  
♥ J 4 2  
♦ —  
♣ A K Q J 8

♠ Q  
♥ A K 10 9 3  
♦ A J 10 6 3  
♣ 10 7

W N E S

Shape 1255 5305 1552 6331 HCP 3 15 14 8 Losers 8 5 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass
4 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. limit raise or better in !S
3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
4. Cue bid, a !D stopper

4 ♠ by East

Made 5 — NS -450

79 boards f

4550EB296834C36A47166CCFE83A

**Board 71**

East Deals

E-W Vul


♠ K 9 4 3		♠ Q 10 6 2
♥ 10 2		♥ 9 7 4
♦ K Q J 8 3 2		♦ 10 7 6
♣ Q		♣ 8 6 2

W

N

E

S



		♠ A J 8 7 5
		♥ A 6
		♦ A 9
		♣ K 9 7 4

♠ —
♥ K Q J 8 5 3
♦ 5 4
♣ A J 10 5 3

Shape 4333 5224 0625 4261 HCP 2 16 11 11 Losers 11 6 5 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT <sup>3</sup>	4 ♥
4 ♠	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid
  2. limit raise or better in !S
  3. Cue bid, a !H stopper
- 4 ♠ by East
- Made 6 — NS -680

80 boards f

54706D5C6C6728CFC209E45DF98D

**Board 72**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 7 5 3  
♥ A 3  
♦ A 7  
♣ K 6 4 3 2

♠ 9 6  
♥ 8 7 6 2  
♦ K Q J 8 4 2  
♣ 7

♠ A K Q J 10 4  
♥ Q 4  
♦ 9 6 3  
♣ 10 8

♠ 2  
♥ K J 10 9 5  
♦ 10 5  
♣ A Q J 9 5

W

N  
E  
S

Shape 2461 6232 1525 4225 HCP 6 12 11 11 Losers 7 7 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !S

4 ♠ by East

Made 4 — NS -420



81 boards f

561FE074A02C537A62F55DF020C3

**Board 73**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 6 4 2

♥ Q 8 6 4

♦ A 10 5

♣ 6 5

N

W E

S

♠ A 10 3

♥ 2

♦ K J 9 7 4 3 2

♣ 8 7

♠ Q 9 8 7 5

♥ A 9 5

♦ Q 6

♣ A 9 2

♠ J

♥ K J 10 7 3

♦ 8

♣ K Q J 10 4 3

Shape 3172 5323 1516 4432 HCP 8 12 11 9 Losers 7 8 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♠	4 ♣
4 ♠	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !S

4 ♠ by East

Down 1 — NS +50

82 boards f

55D18410889FB407EA759E79D411

**Board 74**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 7 3  
♥ 9 6 4  
♦ J 7 4  
♣ A 6 4 2

♠ Q 8 2  
♥ K J 8  
♦ K 9 8 6 3  
♣ 7 5

♠ 6 4  
♥ A Q 10 5 3 2  
♦ A Q 2  
♣ 10 8

♠ K J 10 9 5  
♥ 7  
♦ 10 5  
♣ K Q J 9 3

W N E S

Shape 3352 2632 5125 3334 HCP 9 12 10 9 Losers 8 6 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 ♠	3 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♥ by East

Made 4 — NS -170

83 boards f

57AB4C8DE5AF3741E6CE4E7489AB

**Board 75**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 7 6

♥ 9 4

♦ J 9 7 4

♣ Q J 8 3

♠ 9

♥ K Q 8 6 5 3

♦ A 3 2

♣ 7 6 5

♠ K 8 5 4

♥ —

♦ K Q 10 6 5

♣ A 10 9 2

♠ A Q 10 3 2

♥ A J 10 7 2

♦ 8

♣ K 4

W N E S

Shape 1633 4054 5512 3244 HCP 9 12 14 5 Losers 7 5 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
4 ♥ by North  
Made 6 — NS +680

84 boards f

56972180A7A2DD7F64BE26DEE1C6

**Board 76**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 4 3 2

♥ 8 6

♦ 9 8 6 4

♣ K 9 3

♠ K 5

♥ Q 2

♦ K Q 10 3

♣ 10 6 5 4 2

♠ 8 7

♥ A 9 4

♦ A J 7 5 2

♣ A J 8

♠ A Q J 10 6

♥ K J 10 7 5 3

♦ —

♣ Q 7

W N E S

Shape 2245 2353 5602 4243 HCP 10 14 13 3 Losers 7 8 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	Dbl	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid  
2 ♠× by North  
Made 4 — NS +1070

85 boards f

55D490A288891BC1D00F655AF6B4

**Board 77**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 8 7 3

♥ 3 2

♦ J 10 9 4

♣ 10 8 5

W

N

E

S

♠ 9 6

♥ J 10 8 6

♦ A 5 3 2

♣ Q 4 3

♠ 5 4

♥ A K 9 7 4

♦ K Q 8 7

♣ 9 6

♠ K Q J 10 2

♥ Q 5

♦ 6

♣ A K J 7 2

Shape 2443 2542 5215 4243 HCP 7 12 16 5 Losers 9 6 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid
  2. to the partner's longer
- 3 ♣ by South
- Made 4 — NS +130

86 boards f

57673C68D6683ED4FE6C6A02F334

**Board 78**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 8 7 3

♥ K 9 7 3 2

♦ A J 8 2

♣ —

♠ K 9 4 2

♥ 4

♦ Q 10 5

♣ J 9 7 5 4

♠ A Q 10 6 5

♥ J 8

♦ K 9 7 6

♣ A 3

♠ —

♥ A Q 10 6 5

♦ 4 3

♣ K Q 10 8 6 2

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West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♠	5 ♣
5 ♠	6 ♣	Dbl	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !S

6 ♣× by South

Down 2 — NS -500

87 boards f

549712B5FAA731E71E95EBD21E8F

**Board 79**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ J 8 5 4

♥ Q J 9

♦ K 9 4

♣ Q 9 6

♠ —

♥ A K 7 6 4 3

♦ J 5

♣ A 10 8 5 2

♠ K 9 7 3

♥ 2

♦ 7 3 2

♣ K J 7 4 3

♠ A Q 10 6 2

♥ 10 8 5

♦ A Q 10 8 6

♣ —

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Shape 4135 0625 5350 4333 HCP 7 12 12 9 Losers 8 5 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	3 ♠	4 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♥ by East

Made 5 — NS -450

88 boards f

557066E0346900B6ABE6D2787691

**Board 80**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 9

♥ 9

♦ K J 8 6 3

♣ K 8 6 5 3

♠ Q 6 5

♥ A J 8 4 3

♦ 10 7 4

♣ 10 2

♠ A K 10 4 3

♥ 5 2

♦ A Q 9 5 2

♣ 7

♠ 8 7 2

♥ K Q 10 7 6

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♣ A Q J 9 4

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Shape 2155 5251 3505 3532 HCP 8 13 12 7 Losers 7 5 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	3 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

3 ♠ by East

Made 4 — NS -170



89 boards f

57AB1FA8B5ED26B124179DCE4F09

**Board 81**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10 4

♥ J 8

♦ J 9 7 6

♣ J 10 8 5 2

♠ K 9 7 6 2

♥ 4 3 2

♦ A Q 2

♣ 9 4

♠ 3

♥ K 6 5

♦ K 10 5 4 3

♣ A K 6 3

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♠ A Q J 8 5

♥ A Q 10 9 7

♦ 8

♣ Q 7

Shape 5332 1354 5512 2245 HCP 9 13 15 3 Losers 8 6 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
4 ♠ by North  
Made 5 — NS +650

90 boards f

547C684D2A6CC76B8EDC60F0C9F2

**Board 82**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 6 4 3 2

♥ A 4 2

♦ 5 4 2

♣ Q 3

♠ J

♥ Q 9 7 3

♦ A Q 10 7 6

♣ J 7 2

♠ A K Q 10 8 5

♥ 6

♦ K J 8 3

♣ 9 8

♠ 7

♥ K J 10 8 5

♦ 9

♣ A K 10 6 5 4

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Shape 1453 6142 1516 5332 HCP 10 13 11 6 Losers 7 5 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
4 ♠	Pass	Pass	5 ♣
5 ♠	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

5 ♠ by East

Down 2 — NS +100

91 boards f

56AF66FF9EA05249AF7EE3C4B2D2

**Board 83**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ —  
♥ 8 4  
♦ 10 9 5 3 2  
♣ K J 9 6 3 2

♠ Q 5 4 2  
♥ Q 6 3  
♦ A Q J 7 6  
♣ 8

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♠ K 9 8 6  
♥ J 9 2  
♦ K 4  
♣ A Q 7 5

♠ A J 10 7 3  
♥ A K 10 7 5  
♦ 8  
♣ 10 4

Shape 0256 4324 5512 4351 HCP 4 13 12 11 Losers 7 7 6 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid  
2. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing  
2 N by East  
Made 2 — NS -120

93 boards f

54557A96AE95C43EB9179ED67111

**Board 84**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 4

♥ K 8 7 3

♦ 3 2

♣ A 10 7 3 2

♠ 8 6 2

♥ 9

♦ J 8 5

♣ K Q J 8 5 4

♠ A K 3

♥ A Q 10 6 5 4 2

♦ K 7

♣ 6

♠ Q J 10 7 5

♥ J

♦ A Q 10 9 6 4

♣ 9

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Shape 3136 3721 5161 2425 HCP 7 16 10 7 Losers 8 4 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
4 ♥	Pass	1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
		Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♥ by East

Made 6 — NS -480

94 boards f

5659909B098FCBC09BAD771EF101

**Board 85**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 8 3		♠ J 4 2
♥ 5 3		♥ J 10 9 8 2
♦ 10 6 4		♦ K 8 3 2
♣ A J 6 3 2		♣ 4

♠ A 5

♥ A K Q 7 4

♦ 5

♣ Q 10 9 7 5

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♠ K Q 10 7 6

♥ 6

♦ A Q J 9 7

♣ K 8

Shape 3541 2515 5152 3235 HCP 5 15 15 5 Losers 9 4 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	3 ♣	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid  
 3 ♣ by East  
 Made 5 — NS −150

95 boards f

55EF7F7B6BEEFAC7DC26444C6A32

**Board 86**

East Deals

E-W Vul


♠ A 10 9 8 7		♠ 6 2
♥ K Q 9 2		♥ 8 5 4
♦ Q J 9 3		♦ 8 6 5
♣ —		♣ 10 9 6 3 2

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♠ —		♠ K Q J 5 4 3
♥ A J 10 6 3		♥ 7
♦ A K 10 7 4		♦ 2
♣ 7 5 4		♣ A K Q J 8

Shape 2335 6115 0553 5440 HCP 0 16 12 12 Losers 11 3 6 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass
5 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !S

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

5 ♠ by East

Made 5 — NS -650

96 boards f

64DD9458B083B7BF6E01DEC05E40

**Board 87**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 6  
♥ 10 6 4 2  
♦ A 8 7 5 3  
♣ 7 5 3

♠ A 5 4  
♥ J 9 8  
♦ J 10 6 4 2  
♣ A 6

♠ Q 7 3 2  
♥ A K Q 5 3  
♦ Q  
♣ 10 9 8

♠ K J 10 9 8  
♥ 7  
♦ K 9  
♣ K Q J 4 2

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Shape 1453 4513 5125 3352 HCP 4 13 13 10 Losers 9 6 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !H

4 ♥ by East

Made 5 — NS -450

97 boards f

6699D484BF4CB6335CD60DF2209A

**Board 88**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 6 4  
♥ J 9 8 4  
♦ J 10 7 5  
♣ A 5

♠ 8 5 3  
♥ Q 10 5  
♦ 8 4 3  
♣ 9 6 4 2

♠ 10 7  
♥ A K 7 6 2  
♦ K Q 9 6  
♣ J 8

♠ A Q J 9 2  
♥ 3  
♦ A 2  
♣ K Q 10 7 3

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Shape 3334 2542 5125 3442 HCP 2 13 16 9 Losers 11 6 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !H

4 ♥ by East

Down 1 — NS +50



98 boards f

65217BA7BFAAEA3E02EB855ED7B3

**Board 89**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9 6 3		♠ A 8 7
♥ K J 8 2		♥ 7 5
♦ K 10 9 6		♦ Q 5 3
♣ A 5		♣ 10 9 8 7 4

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♠ Q J 10 5 2	♠ K 4
♥ A Q 10 9 6	♥ 4 3
♦ J 8 4	♦ A 7 2
♣ —	♣ K Q J 6 3 2

Shape 3235 2236 5530 3442 HCP 6 13 10 11 Losers 9 6 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid
  2. strength cue bid
- 3 ♣ by East
- Made 4 — NS -130

99 boards f

67B799AF6FEBA691096948F60117

**Board 90**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10 4

♥ A 4

♦ A 9 4 2

♣ K 8 7 6 3

♠ 7 3 2

♥ 7 5 3

♦ K 10 7 6 5

♣ 9 4

♠ J 6 5

♥ K 8 2

♦ Q J

♣ A Q J 10 2

♠ A K Q 9 8

♥ Q J 10 9 6

♦ 8 3

♣ 5

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Shape 3352 3325 5521 2245 HCP 3 14 12 11 Losers 10 8 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	Pass
4 ♣	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid  
4 ♣ by East  
Made 5 — NS −150

100 boards f

669B9639398B737A1350BEB CD2EE

**Board 91**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 3 2

♥ Q J 9 8 5 4

♦ 5 4 2

♣ Q J

♠ Q J 7

♥ 10

♦ 9 7 6 3

♣ K 8 5 3 2

♠ 9 8 6

♥ A K 7 6 3

♦ K

♣ A 10 9 7

♠ A K 10 5 4

♥ 2

♦ A Q J 10 8

♣ 6 4

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Shape 3 1 4 5 3 5 1 4 5 1 5 2 2 6 3 2 HCP 6 14 14 6 Losers 8 7 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
4 ♥	Pass	Pass	Pass
1. Michaels Cuebid			
4 ♥ by East			
Made 4 — NS -420			

101 boards f

65619F2191A9A5350D857E472B41

**Board 92**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ —

♥ 8 5

♦ 10 3

♣ A Q J 10 9 8 7 6 2

♠ Q 8 7 3

♥ 7 6 4 2

♦ 9 8 6 4

♣ 5

♠ A 5 4 2

♥ K J

♦ A Q J 2

♣ K 4 3

♠ K J 10 9 6

♥ A Q 10 9 3

♦ K 7 5

♣ —

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Shape 4441 4243 5530 0229 HCP 2 18 13 7 Losers 9 6 5 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
5 ♣	Pass	6 ♣	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid  
6 ♣ by West  
Made 6 — NS -1370

102 boards f

676DAE82BDE9091BDFBFCD602685

**Board 93**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9 8 3

♥ Q 9 5 2

♦ 10 9 8

♣ K Q 3

♠ 10 7 5

♥ J 6

♦ 3 2

♣ A J 10 9 5 2

♠ A 4

♥ 8 7

♦ A K J 7 6 5

♣ 8 7 6

♠ K Q J 6 2

♥ A K 10 4 3

♦ Q 4

♣ 4

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Shape 3433 2263 5521 3226 HCP 7 12 15 6 Losers 9 7 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
4 ♥ by North  
Down 1 — NS -100

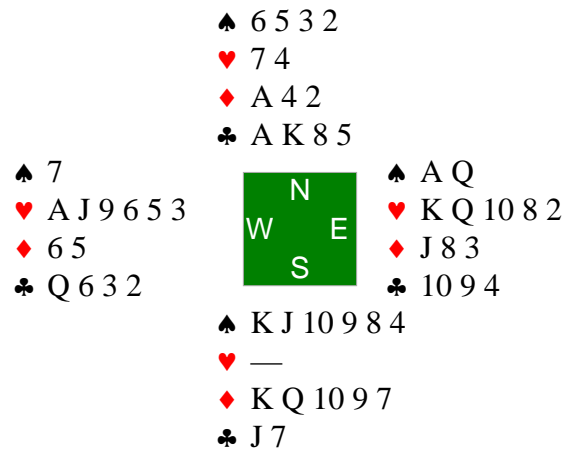
103 boards f

647E9655B897B79AC431328F391D

**Board 94**

East Deals

None Vul



Shape 4234 2533 6052 1624 HCP 11 12 10 7 Losers 8 8 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Dbl	Pass	4 ♠
5 ♥	Dbl	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !H

5 ♥× by East

Down 2 — NS +300

104 boards f

652D6361BF0E52ED9E2578C55AF6

**Board 95**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8 4 2		♠ A 10 6
♥ J 5 2		♥ 10 4
♦ 5 3		♦ 6 4 2
♣ A Q 8 6 4		♣ 10 9 7 3 2

	♠ K Q 9 5 3
	♥ 9 7 3
	♦ K Q 9
	♣ K J

	♠ J 7
	♥ A K Q 8 6
	♦ A J 10 8 7
	♣ 5



Shape 3235 5332 2551 3325 HCP 4 14 15 7 Losers 10 6 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	Pass	3 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid
  2. to the partner's longer
- 3 ♠ by East
- Down 1 — NS +100

105 boards f

6771AD53E0233DC64542AF2A3E45

**Board 96**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 8

♥ A 9 3

♦ 8 7 2

♣ A K 9 7 2

♠ 10 9 4 3

♥ 8 7 6 2

♦ 4

♣ 8 6 4 3

♠ K 5

♥ K J 10 5 4

♦ A Q J 10 6

♣ J

♠ A Q 7 6 2

♥ Q

♦ K 9 5 3

♣ Q 10 5

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Shape 4414 5143 2551 2335 HCP 0 13 15 12 Losers 10 6 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
2 NT	Pass	3 ♦	Pass
3 NT	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid  
3 N by West  
Made 3 — NS -600



106 boards f

64656F7848E8FDC645CF28EF12FC

**Board 97**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 9 8 6 4 2

♥ Q 9 2

♦ 3

♣ A 9 7

♠ 5 3

♥ J 8 7 6

♦ K 9 6 4 2

♣ 8 3

♠ —

♥ A K 10 5 4

♦ A 8 7

♣ Q J 10 5 2

♠ A K Q J 7

♥ 3

♦ Q J 10 5

♣ K 6 4

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Shape 2452 5143 0535 6313 HCP 4 16 14 6 Losers 9 5 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
4 ♠	Pass	1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
		Pass	Pass
1. Michaels Cuebid			
4 ♠ by East			
Made 5 — NS -450			

107 boards f

66D59B099A99950C83438E09EDD5

**Board 98**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 3 2		♠ Q 8 4
♥ —		♥ Q 8 7 6 5 4
♦ 8 5 3		♦ 7 6
♣ A Q 10 9 4 3 2		♣ J 5

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♠ 6
♥ A K J 10 9 2
♦ A 9 2
♣ K 7 6

♠ K J 10 9 7 5
♥ 3
♦ K Q J 10 4
♣ 8

Shape 3622 1633 6151 3037 HCP 5 15 10 10 Losers 8 6 5 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
4 ♣	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass
5 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	7 ♣	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !C
  3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=1
- 7 ♣ by West  
 Made 7 — NS -1440

108 boards f

67BC6FE79BAEF6B707228BE98BCD

**Board 99**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 9 4 2

♥ A 9 8

♦ Q 9 8 7

♣ 4 2

♠ 7 6

♥ 7 5 3 2

♦ J 5 4 3

♣ 10 9 6

♠ K

♥ J

♦ A K 10 2

♣ K Q J 8 7 5 3

♠ A J 10 8 5 3

♥ K Q 10 6 4

♦ 6

♣ A

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Shape 2443 1147 6511 4342 HCP 1 17 14 8 Losers 11 4 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
4 ♥ by North  
Down 1 — NS -100

109 boards f

64C77E6764A1FE6555EA3A0977CE

**Board 100**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ A 9 6 2

♥ K 9 5 3

♦ 10

♣ 10 8 7 4

♠ 5 4

♥ A 4 2

♦ K 9 2

♣ K 9 6 5 2

♠ 10

♥ Q J 10 8 6

♦ A Q J 8 7 3

♣ J

♠ K Q J 8 7 3

♥ 7

♦ 6 5 4

♣ A Q 3

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Shape 2335 6133 1561 4414 HCP 10 12 11 7 Losers 8 6 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
4 ♠	Pass	1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
		Pass	Pass
1. Michaels Cuebid			
4 ♠ by East			
Made 5 — NS -450			

110 boards f

66968C50BCD1703FCDCB0B999406

**Board 101**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 10 7 6  
♥ J 9 8  
♦ K J 8 7  
♣ 10 7 4

♠ 8 5 2  
♥ K 7 6 5 2  
♦ Q 10 9  
♣ A 2

♠ Q 9  
♥ A Q 10 4 3  
♦ A 3 2  
♣ 8 6 5

♠ A K J 4 3  
♥ —  
♦ 6 5 4  
♣ K Q J 9 3

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Shape 3532 2533 5035 3343 HCP 9 12 14 5 Losers 8 8 5 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
2 ♠ by North  
Made 4 — NS +170

111 boards f

6563BAA582A3C3454461C8C7B8EA

**Board 102**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ —

♥ J 9 8 7 5 4

♦ Q 8 7 4

♣ K J 2

♠ 9 5 4 2

♥ K 3

♦ K 5 3 2

♣ Q 8 6

♠ —

♥ —

♦ —

♣ 7 5 3

♠ A 8 7 6

♥ —

♦ A J 10 9 6

♣ A 10 9 4

♠ K Q J 10 3

♥ A Q 10 6 2

♦ —

♣ 7 5 3

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Shape 0643 4054 5503 4243 HCP 7 13 12 8 Losers 7 6 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
4 ♥ by North  
Made 6 — NS +480

112 boards f

741C9B81CC80E7DA9AA8C2711832

**Board 103**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ J 9 8 5

♥ 4 2

♦ Q 10 5 4 2

♣ Q 4

♠ A 3 2

♥ Q J 10 5

♦ A J

♣ 8 7 5 2

♠ 4

♥ A K 8 7 3

♦ K 8 7 6 3

♣ K 9

♠ K Q 10 7 6

♥ 9 6

♦ 9

♣ A J 10 6 3

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Shape 3424 1552 5215 4252 HCP 12 13 10 5 Losers 8 5 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
2 ♠ by North  
Made 4 — NS +170

113 boards f

7627E41CAD0C0D6E5C772D6340CA

**Board 104**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 2

♥ 6

♦ Q J 10 9 8 7 5

♣ J 9 5

♠ A Q 10 9 5

♥ 10 9 3 2

♦ 4 3

♣ 8 2

♠ J

♥ A K J 8 5 4

♦ 2

♣ K Q 10 7 3

♠ 8 7 6 4 3

♥ Q 7

♦ A K 6

♣ A 6 4

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Shape 5422 5233 1615 2173 HCP 6 13 14 7 Losers 8 8 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	3 ♥	1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass		Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid  
3 ♥ by North  
Made 5 — NS +200



114 boards f

758F5199BE0D4AACC391DAD2343E

**Board 105**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 7 5 4  
♥ J 3 2  
♦ Q 9 5  
♣ K Q 10 6

♠ 10 3 2  
♥ A 10 9 7  
♦ 3  
♣ J 9 5 4 2

♠ A Q J 8 6  
♥ 8  
♦ A J 10 8 2  
♣ 8 3

♠ K 9  
♥ K Q 6 5 4  
♦ K 7 6 4  
♣ A 7

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Shape 3415 2542 5152 3334 HCP 5 15 12 8 Losers 9 5 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 ♠	3 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♥ by East

Made 3 — NS -140

115 boards f

77677C50E4EB28CE56CB5AE0F409

**Board 106**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9 2		♠ A K Q 7 5
♥ 8 6 2		♥ Q 7 5
♦ 10 9 6 5 2		♦ K 8
♣ 8 7 5		♣ A 10 6

♠ J 10 8 6 4 3		♠ —
♥ K 3		♥ A J 10 9 4
♦ A J 7 3		♦ Q 4
♣ 2		♣ K Q J 9 4 3



Shape 2353 5323 0526 6241 HCP 0 18 13 9 Losers 11 5 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass
4 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♥ <sup>5</sup>	Pass
4 ♠	Pass	Pass	5 ♣
5 ♠	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid
  2. limit raise or better in !S
  3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
  4. Cue bid, a !D stopper
  5. surplus
- 5 ♠ by East  
 Made 6 — NS -680

764BD09A819895FBCD80F3153913

**Board 107**

East Deals

N-S Vul

116 boards f

♠ K 8 7 5		♠ 4 3 2
♥ 8 5 3		♥ A J 7 6
♦ 7		♦ K J 6 5 2
♣ J 9 7 4 3		♣ Q

	♠ A
	♥ K Q 10 9 4 2
	♦ 9 4
	♣ A 8 5 2

	♠ Q J 10 9 6
	♥ —
	♦ A Q 10 8 3
	♣ K 10 6



Shape 3451 1624 5053 4315 HCP 11 13 12 4 Losers 8 5 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
 4 ♠ by North  
 Made 4 — NS +620

117 boards f

7558642BE05B08A785C549C46910

**Board 108**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 6 4

♥ —

♦ A Q 10 9 5 3

♣ 7 6 5 3

♠ Q 9 2

♥ 9 7 6 5 4

♦ K 8 7 6 4

♣ —

♠ 8 7

♥ K Q J 8 3

♦ —

♣ A K J 9 4 2

♠ A K 10 5 3

♥ A 10 2

♦ J 2

♣ Q 10 8

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Shape 3550 5323 2506 3064 HCP 5 14 14 7 Losers 7 7 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	4 ♥	4 ♠	5 ♥
Pass	Pass	Dbl	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

5 ♥× by North

Down 1 — NS -100

118 boards f

77A98B5FEEA425758E1B42B7E2D6

**Board 109**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 3 2

♥ 8 4

♦ 10 9 8 4 2

♣ A 9 8

♠ 9 6

♥ K 7 5

♦ A K 6

♣ J 7 5 3 2

♠ Q 8 5

♥ Q 6 2

♦ Q J 7

♣ K Q 6 4

♠ A K 10 7 4

♥ A J 10 9 3

♦ 5 3

♣ 10

W

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Shape 2335 3334 5521 3253 HCP 11 12 12 5 Losers 8 7 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
4 ♥ by North  
Made 5 — NS +650

119 boards f

7462EBAD9BA63AE7C98EFABBF63F

**Board 110**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ K 8 7 5 3

♥ 9 5 4 3 2

♦ A

♣ Q 7

♠ 9 2

♥ 7 6

♦ Q 6 2

♣ A 10 9 6 5 3

♠ A

♥ J

♦ K J 9 7 5 4

♣ K J 8 4 2

♠ Q J 10 6 4

♥ A K Q 10 8

♦ 10 8 3

♣ —

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Shape 2236 1165 5530 5512 HCP 6 13 12 9 Losers 8 5 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	3 ♦	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♦ by East

Made 3 — NS -110

120 boards f

754B2F7EEEE952E2DFBE61480508

**Board 111**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 10 8 7

♥ Q 6

♦ A 10 4 2

♣ 10 5 3

♠ K 3 2

♥ A 4 3 2

♦ 3

♣ Q J 9 8 6

♠ A Q 9 5 4

♥ 9 7

♦ 9 8 5

♣ A K 7

♠ 6

♥ K J 10 8 5

♦ K Q J 7 6

♣ 4 2

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Shape 3415 5233 1552 4243 HCP 10 13 10 7 Losers 7 7 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	3 ♥	3 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid  
3 ♠ by East  
Made 3 — NS -140

121 boards f

774CEA647C6E9476EBE9B276081D

**Board 112**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 7 6		♠ 3 2
♥ J 8 5 4		♥ A 3
♦ Q 9 8 4		♦ K 7 6 3
♣ 6 2		♣ K 10 8 5 4

♠ A Q J 10 8 4

♥ 9 2

♦ A J 10 2

♣ 7

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	♠ 9 5	
	♥ K Q 10 7 6	
	♦ 5	
	♣ A Q J 9 3	

Shape 2245 6241 2515 3442 HCP 10 12 12 6 Losers 7 6 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	3 ♠	Pass
Pass	Dbl	Pass	4 ♣
Pass	5 ♣	5 ♠	Dbl
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

5 ♠× by East

Down 2 — NS +500



122 boards f

7449B4955DA5C5DD7CC9978E190A

**Board 113**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 8 6

♥ K 7

♦ —

♣ A Q J 10 9 8 6 3

♠ 3 2

♥ A 9 6 4 2

♦ J 8 7 4

♣ 4 2

♠ A J 7

♥ Q J 8 5 3

♦ A 6 3 2

♣ 5

♠ K Q 10 5 4

♥ 10

♦ K Q 10 9 5

♣ K 7

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Shape 2542 3541 5152 3208 HCP 5 12 13 10 Losers 9 7 4 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
4 ♣	Pass	5 ♣	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

5 ♣ by West

Down 2 — NS +100

123 boards f

765A687CED2A4549CFF592212A17

**Board 114**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 7 6  
♥ Q 6  
♦ Q J 7  
♣ J 9 8 6 4

W N E S

♠ A K Q 9 8  
♥ A 5 2  
♦ 9 6 2  
♣ 7 2

♠ 5  
♥ K J 10 4 3  
♦ A K 10 8 3  
♣ K Q

Shape 4324 5332 1552 3235 HCP 4 13 16 7 Losers 10 7 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
3 ♥ by North  
Made 3 — NS +140

124 boards f

779FA509ABA909E3663C45975941

**Board 115**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8

♥ 6

♦ K 7 5 4

♣ K Q 10 9 5 3 2

N

W

E

S

♠ 7 5 3 2

♥ A 4 3

♦ A 6

♣ A J 8 4

♠ Q 9 6

♥ Q 9 5 2

♦ Q J 10 9 3

♣ 7

♠ A K J 10 4

♥ K J 10 8 7

♦ 8 2

♣ 6

Shape 3451 4324 5521 1147 HCP 7 13 12 8 Losers 7 8 6 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
5 ♣	5 ♥	1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Pass	Dbl	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

5 ♥ × by North

Down 2 — NS −500

125 boards f

74953B158E853FC19F96522590D9

**Board 116**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 2

♥ K 9

♦ 8 5 3

♣ A Q 10 8 4 2

♠ K Q 9 4

♥ J 10 8

♦ J 9 7

♣ J 6 5

♠ 5

♥ A Q 7 6 5 3 2

♦ K 2

♣ K 9 7

♠ A J 10 7 6 3

♥ 4

♦ A Q 10 6 4

♣ 3

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Shape 4333 1723 6151 2236 HCP 8 12 11 9 Losers 10 5 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	3 ♥	Pass
4 ♥	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♥ by East

Made 5 — NS -450

126 boards f

76858565AFE768C6C78C8D42DE2E

**Board 117**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 10 8 7 3

♥ —

♦ J 6 5 3 2

♣ A K Q 5

♠ 2

♥ A K 8 7 6 5 4

♦ 4

♣ 8 4 3 2

♠ Q 9 4

♥ 3

♦ A K Q 10 8 7

♣ J 10 7

♠ A K J 6 5

♥ Q J 10 9 2

♦ 9

♣ 9 6

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Shape 1714 3163 5512 4054 HCP 7 12 11 10 Losers 6 6 6 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
5 ♦	Dbl	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

5 ♦ × by East

Made 5 — NS -550

127 boards f

752268DB502CFCC6603A3669D540

**Board 118**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 10 6 5

♥ 8 2

♦ 8 5 3

♣ A 8 6 5

♠ Q 9 8 3

♥ 9 6 5

♦ K Q 6 4

♣ 4 3

♠ —

♥ A K 10 7 4

♦ 10 9

♣ K J 10 9 7 2

♠ K J 7 4 2

♥ Q J 3

♦ A J 7 2

♣ Q

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Shape 4234 5341 0526 4342 HCP 8 14 11 7 Losers 9 7 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	3 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

3 ♠ by East

Made 3 — NS -140

128 boards f

84C3AFAB77AA75D20280A1233E5A

**Board 119**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ A 8

♥ J 9 3

♦ A 8 7 6 5 4

♣ 9 5

♠ 7 4 3

♥ A 7 6

♦ K 3

♣ 10 8 7 3 2

♠ J 9 2

♥ 8 2

♦ Q 10 2

♣ A K Q J 4

♠ K Q 10 6 5

♥ K Q 10 5 4

♦ J 9

♣ 6

W

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Shape 3325 3235 5521 2362 HCP 7 13 11 9 Losers 9 7 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	2 ♥	3 ♦	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid
  2. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing
- 3 ♦ by West  
Made 4 — NS −130

129 boards f

865B6A29B1601E3FDD6167C908C3

**Board 120**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 7 4 2		♠ Q 9 8 3
♥ J 8		♥ 4 3 2
♦ 9 8 7		♦ J 10 6 2
♣ Q J 7 6 4		♣ K 9

♠

♥

♦

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♦

♣

♠ J	♠ A K 10 6 5
♥ K Q 10 6 5	♥ A 9 7
♦ A K Q 4 3	♦ 5
♣ 10 3	♣ A 8 5 2

Shape 4342 5314 1552 3235 HCP 6 15 15 4 Losers 9 6 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
 3 ♥ by North  
 Made 4 — NS +170



130 boards f

851D9B1E85BD2A1D2FB6914B7B74

**Board 121**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ —

♥ 10 6 3 2

♦ K 9 4 3

♣ A J 10 8 5

♠ A Q 9 8 7

♥ J 4

♦ J 6 2

♣ Q 9 6

♠ 4 3 2

♥ A K Q 8 5

♦ 5

♣ K 7 4 3

♠ K J 10 6 5

♥ 9 7

♦ A Q 10 8 7

♣ 2

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Shape 5233 3514 5251 0445 HCP 10 12 10 8 Losers 8 6 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
4 ♥	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
5 ♥	Pass	Pass	Dbl
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid

5 ♥× by East

Made 6 — NS -1050

131 boards f

878EEF2DB7AF9A3BA54CF22A2577

**Board 122**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 5

♥ J 8 5 2

♦ J 7 3 2

♣ Q 7 3

♠ Q 8 4 3

♥ A 6

♦ 9 8 4

♣ A 9 5 4

♠ 6 2

♥ 9

♦ A K Q 10 6

♣ K J 10 8 2

♠ A J 10 9 7

♥ K Q 10 7 4 3

♦ 5

♣ 6

W N E S

Shape 4234 2155 5611 2443 HCP 10 13 10 7 Losers 8 5 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
4 ♠ by North  
Made 5 — NS +650

133 boards f

85307C626EE878203AEA4A871B1B

**Board 123**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 10 6

♥ A K 9 7

♦ 10 9 7 6 5 3 2

♣ —

♠ A 8 7 3 2

♥ 5 4

♦ 4

♣ Q J 7 6 5

♠ 4

♥ Q J 10 8 6

♦ K J

♣ A K 10 9 8

♠ K Q J 9 5

♥ 3 2

♦ A Q 8

♣ 4 3 2

W

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Shape 5215 5233 1525 2470 HCP 7 12 14 7 Losers 7 7 5 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♥ by North

Down 1 — NS -50

134 boards f

874B60E7C46C6CF58ADAEC4A2547

**Board 124**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q J 8 6 5

♥ 8

♦ Q J 8 3 2

♣ 8 3

♠ 3

♥ A J 7 4 2

♦ A 7 6 4

♣ 7 6 4

♠ A K 10 9 4 2

♥ 6

♦ 10 9 5

♣ A Q 2

♠ 7

♥ K Q 10 9 5 3

♦ K

♣ K J 10 9 5

W N E S

Shape 1543 6133 1615 5152 HCP 9 13 12 6 Losers 8 6 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	4 ♥	4 ♠	5 ♥
5 ♠	Dbl	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

5 ♠× by East

Down 2 — NS +500

135 boards f

842C6F501AEC4338A1ED586DC0CD

**Board 125**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 6 3 2

♥ 8

♦ Q 9 7 3

♣ 7 6 4 2

♠ A J 8

♥ 9 3 2

♦ A K 10 6 4 2

♣ J

♠ 7

♥ A K 10 7 6 4

♦ —

♣ A Q 10 8 5 3

♠ K Q 9 5 4

♥ Q J 5

♦ J 8 5

♣ K 9

W

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Shape 3361 5332 1606 4144 HCP 13 12 13 2 Losers 7 7 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♠	4 ♥	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

6 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

136 boards f

8523B2ABAA71EF84985106D6792A

**Board 126**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9 4

♥ K 10 3

♦ Q J 7 3 2

♣ 10 6 3

♠ A 5 2

♥ 8 5

♦ 8 5 4

♣ K J 5 4 2

♠ 10 6 3

♥ 7 6 4

♦ A K 10 6

♣ A Q 9

♠ K Q J 8 7

♥ A Q J 9 2

♦ 9

♣ 8 7

W N E S

Shape 3235 3343 5512 2353 HCP 8 13 13 6 Losers 9 8 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
2 ♠ by North  
Made 4 — NS +170

137 boards f

875221196364FAC32C479526317E

**Board 127**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9 8		♠ K Q 7 4 3
♥ 9 3 2		♥ 8 6
♦ 10 6 5 4		♦ Q 9
♣ K Q 5 3		♣ A 9 4 2

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♠ A J 10 6 2
♥ A Q 5
♦ 7 2
♣ J 8 6

♠ 5
♥ K J 10 7 4
♦ A K J 8 3
♣ 10 7

Shape 5224 5323 1552 2344 HCP 11 12 12 5 Losers 7 8 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid
  2. to the partner's longer
- 3 N by North
- Down 1 — NS -100

84416864572CEA3800BE2BF30172

**Board 128**

East Deals

None Vul

138 boards f

♠ 9 4  
♥ 8 6 4 2  
♦ A 7 4 3 2  
♣ A 3

♠ 10 8 7 5 3  
♥ A 7 3  
♦ 10 6  
♣ 9 6 2

♠ A K Q J 2  
♥ J  
♦ K 9 8 5  
♣ J 5 4

♠ 6  
♥ K Q 10 9 5  
♦ Q J  
♣ K Q 10 8 7

W N E S

Shape 5323 5143 1525 2452 HCP 4 15 13 8 Losers 10 6 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥	Dbl	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♥ × by North

Made 3 — NS +530



139 boards f

86A7A3F53EA97792A6C3F336EC26

**Board 129**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 6 5 3  
♥ Q J 9 5 4  
♦ J 3  
♣ Q 10

♠ J 4 2  
♥ 6  
♦ K 8 6 5  
♣ J 8 7 4 2

♠ 9  
♥ 8  
♦ A Q 9 7 4 2  
♣ A K 9 6 5

♠ A K 10 8 7  
♥ A K 10 7 3 2  
♦ 10  
♣ 3

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Shape 3145 1165 5611 4522 HCP 5 13 14 8 Losers 9 4 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	3 ♦	3 ♥
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♠ by North

Made 4 — NS +620

140 boards f

879DAD226BBEB73BDC2E258AF543

**Board 130**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 7 3

♥ 10 9 8 3

♦ 9 5 3

♣ A K 5 3

♠ Q 8 6 5

♥ 4 2

♦ J 8 4

♣ Q 10 6 4

♠ J 2

♥ A 7

♦ A K 10 7 6

♣ J 9 8 2

♠ A K 10 9 4

♥ K Q J 6 5

♦ Q 2

♣ 7

W N E S

Shape 4234 2254 5521 2434 HCP 5 13 15 7 Losers 9 7 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
3 ♠ by North  
Made 3 — NS +140

141 boards f

84951F9397D4728A812136761382

**Board 131**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 10  
♥ 9 5 4  
♦ Q 9 7 6 3 2  
♣ A 7 6

♠ K 6 5 3  
♥ 8 7 2  
♦ K  
♣ 9 8 5 4 2

♠ 9 4  
♥ A K Q J 10 3  
♦ 8  
♣ K Q J 3

♠ A Q J 8 7 2  
♥ 6  
♦ A J 10 5 4  
♣ 10

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Shape 4315 2614 6151 1363 HCP 6 16 12 6 Losers 9 4 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 ♠	4 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass
4 ♥	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. Splinter

4 ♥ by East

Made 5 — NS -450

143 boards f

856174E41CE19B38F1466C420BE6

**Board 132**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 10 7 2

♥ K 8 7

♦ 9 8 3

♣ A 10 7

♠ J 8 3

♥ 6 4 3

♦ K Q 6 2

♣ 6 4 2

♠ 9

♥ A Q 10 5 2

♦ J 5

♣ K Q J 8 5

♠ A K 6 5 4

♥ J 9

♦ A 10 7 4

♣ 9 3

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Shape 3343 5242 1525 4333 HCP 6 12 13 9 Losers 10 7 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !S

4 ♠ by East

Made 4 — NS -620

144 boards f

946810D9246072BCFE8B297EC26A

**Board 133**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 7 3		♠ K J 5
♥ 9 8 7 4		♥ 6 3
♦ K 10 9 3		♦ 8 7 4
♣ Q 5		♣ 9 7 4 3 2

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♠ A 10 9 4 2
♥ K Q
♦ A Q 6 5 2
♣ 6

♠ 8 6	
♥ A J 10 5 2	
♦ J	
♣ A K J 10 8	

Shape 3235 5251 2515 3442 HCP 4 15 14 7 Losers 10 5 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	3 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid
  2. to the partner's longer
- 3 ♠ by East  
 Made 4 — NS -170

145 boards f

9693CBC986995648CC81FD9441DA

**Board 134**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ —  
♥ K Q J 8 7 6 3  
♦ A 6 3  
♣ J 9 2

♠ K Q 7 5 2  
♥ 5  
♦ 7 5  
♣ Q 10 6 5 3

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♠ 9 8 3  
♥ A 10 9 4 2  
♦ J 9 4  
♣ A K

♠ A J 10 6 4  
♥ —  
♦ K Q 10 8 2  
♣ 8 7 4

Shape 0733 3532 5053 5125 HCP 11 12 10 7 Losers 6 8 6 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

3 ♦ by South

Made 4 — NS +130

146 boards f

95C0907E9F9814C258AAF17A06B5

**Board 135**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 8 5  
♥ Q 5 4 2  
♦ 10 7 6 4  
♣ 5 2

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♠ Q 7 4  
♥ K J 10 9 7  
♦ A K 8 5  
♣ J

♠ K J 10 6 2  
♥ 6  
♦ Q J  
♣ A K 10 9 7

Shape 2335 3541 5125 3442 HCP 6 14 14 6 Losers 9 6 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	3 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

3 ♥ by East

Made 3 — NS -140

148 boards f

965B27E9EE6A2E6ACA4543CC49FF

**Board 136**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 9

♥ 7 6 5 4 3

♦ 5

♣ J 10 9 8 7

♠ Q J 7 4 2

♥ 2

♦ J 9 4 2

♣ Q 6 3

♠ —

♥ K Q J 10 9 8

♦ A Q 10 8 7 3

♣ 4

♠ A 10 8 6 5 3

♥ A

♦ K 6

♣ A K 5 2

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Shape 2515 6124 0661 5143 HCP 4 18 12 6 Losers 8 4 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
4 ♠	Pass	Pass	5 ♥
5 ♠	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

5 ♠ by East

Made 6 — NS -480



149 boards f

9517A9A385EA81A23A6DDE1D5541

**Board 137**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 10 5

♥ 7

♦ K 10 7

♣ K J 9 6 4 3 2

♠ A 7 4

♥ J 9 2

♦ A J 3

♣ 10 8 7 5

♠ 6 3 2

♥ A 5 4 3

♦ Q 9 8 2

♣ A Q

♠ K Q J 9 8

♥ K Q 10 8 6

♦ 6 5 4

♣ —

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Shape 3334 3442 5530 2137 HCP 10 12 11 7 Losers 10 8 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	Pass
3 ♣	3 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♥ by North

Made 4 — NS +170

150 boards f

9754B49D849A1AD446DD147942A2

**Board 138**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 6

♥ K 4

♦ A K J 8 7 5

♣ Q 6 4

♠ 9 5

♥ J 7 3

♦ 10 9 4

♣ 10 9 7 3 2

♠ A 7 4 3

♥ A Q 10 9 8 6 5

♦ Q 6

♣ —

♠ K Q J 10 2

♥ 2

♦ 3 2

♣ A K J 8 5

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Shape 2335 4720 5125 2263 HCP 1 12 14 13 Losers 11 5 5 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♦	Pass	4 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♥ by East

Made 7 — NS -710

151 boards f

9460C863142832822B5A6245F2C0

**Board 139**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ K 3 2

♥ 9 3

♦ A Q 9 8 5 3 2

♣ 4

♠ J 10 9 7

♥ K 8 4 2

♦ —

♣ 9 8 6 5 3

♠ A Q 6 5 4

♥ J 6

♦ K 10 7 6

♣ Q 7

♠ 8

♥ A Q 10 7 5

♦ J 4

♣ A K J 10 2

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Shape 4405 5242 1525 3271 HCP 4 12 15 9 Losers 8 7 5 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
4 ♠	5 ♥	1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

5 ♥ × by North

Made 6 — NS +750

152 boards f

956B94F59484D9648200424D99D9

**Board 140**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 6

♥ 10 7 6 5 4

♦ K Q J 10 8

♣ 7 5

♠ Q 9 2

♥ Q

♦ A 9 3 2

♣ Q 9 4 3 2

♠ A 8 5 4

♥ K J 9 3 2

♦ 7 6 5

♣ A

♠ K J 10 7 3

♥ A 8

♦ 4

♣ K J 10 8 6

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Shape 1552 4531 5215 3145 HCP 6 12 12 10 Losers 7 7 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣
Dbl	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

3 ♣× by South

Down 3 — NS -500

153 boards f

977EAF85A62F0726DE959EC5A869

**Board 141**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 7 4

♥ A

♦ Q J 9 8 6 4

♣ Q 6 4 2

♠ 10 9 8

♥ Q 9 4

♦ 3 2

♣ A J 8 7 5

♠ A 2

♥ 7 6 5

♦ A K 10 7 5

♣ K 10 9

♠ K Q J 6 5 3

♥ K J 10 8 3 2

♦ —

♣ 3

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Shape 3325 2353 6601 2164 HCP 7 14 10 9 Losers 9 7 4 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 ♠	3 ♦	Pass
Pass	3 ♥	4 ♦	Pass
5 ♦	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

5 ♦ by East

Made 5 — NS -600

154 boards f

94AFA9CB90AFE8ECD30EF13D7FE

**Board 142**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 6 4

♥ Q 8 7

♦ A 10 8 7 5 2

♣ 8 2

♠ Q 9 7 5 3 2

♥ 6 2

♦ J 6 4

♣ K 7

♠ —

♥ J 4 3

♦ K Q 9

♣ A Q 10 9 5 4 3

♠ A K J 10 8

♥ A K 10 9 5

♦ 3

♣ J 6

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Shape 2362 0337 5512 6232 HCP 6 12 16 6 Losers 8 5 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	3 ♣	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid  
3 ♣ by East  
Made 4 — NS -130

155 boards f

9614AFE2A58F7223AC96DDE50F41

**Board 143**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 5 4  
♥ 9  
♦ K 10 7 5 3  
♣ J 5 4 2

♠ A 8 3  
♥ 10 3 2  
♦ Q 9 8 2  
♣ Q 9 6

♠ 9 2  
♥ A 6 5  
♦ A J 6 4  
♣ K 10 8 3

♠ K J 10 7 6  
♥ K Q J 8 7 4  
♦ —  
♣ A 7

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Shape 3343 2344 5602 3154 HCP 8 12 14 6 Losers 9 8 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
2 ♠ by North  
Made 5 — NS +200

156 boards f

9797A7A5D32ECB297EEE8ABDD92C

**Board 144**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 9 6 3		♠ 7
♥ 7 4		♥ A J 3
♦ A K Q		♦ 10 7 6 4 2
♣ Q 8 4 3		♣ A K J 9

♠ 10 8 2		♠ A K Q 5 4
♥ 9 5		♥ K Q 10 8 6 2
♦ 9 8 5 3		♦ J
♣ 10 7 6 5		♣ 2

Shape 3244 1354 5611 4234 HCP 0 13 15 12 Losers 11 7 3 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♦	3 ♥
4 ♦	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. strength cue bid

4 ♦ by East

Made 4 — NS -130



157 boards f

946A4083A3A9D10DAA22AF473152

**Board 145**

East Deals

None Vul

		♠ 8 6 3	
		♥ K Q 8 4	
		♦ 8 5	
		♣ A 7 6 2	
♠ 9			♠ A K 4 2
♥ 3			♥ 9 2
♦ K Q J 9 6 3 2			♦ A 10 7
♣ 10 9 8 3			♣ Q J 5 4
		♠ Q J 10 7 5	
		♥ A J 10 7 6 5	
		♦ 4	
		♣ K	

Shape 3424 4234 5611 1174 HCP 9 14 11 6 Losers 8 7 6 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♦	3 ♥	4 ♦	4 ♥
5 ♦	5 ♥	Dbl	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

5 ♥× by North

Down 1 — NS -100

158 boards f

964B91BBB986FE8AD873D6D11872

**Board 146**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 7 5 4  
♥ Q J 9 6 2  
♦ 9  
♣ K J 4

♠ 3  
♥ A 10 8  
♦ K 6 4 2  
♣ 10 9 8 5 2

♠ A 6 2  
♥ K 7 5 4 3  
♦ 10 5  
♣ A Q 6

♠ K Q J 10 8  
♥ —  
♦ A Q J 8 7 3  
♣ 7 3

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Shape 1345 3523 5062 4513 HCP 7 13 13 7 Losers 8 7 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
4 ♥		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Dbf	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♥ × by East

Down 1 — NS +100

159 boards f

9566A364C8C8DBBB3A5028367F66

**Board 147**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 10 9		♠ 7 5 4
♥ 8 7 4 3		♥ J 10
♦ J 10 9 8 7 5		♦ A Q 4 2
♣ —		♣ A 7 4 2

	♠ A Q 6 3 2
	♥ 9 6
	♦ K 6
	♣ K 9 8 3

	♠ K 8
	♥ A K Q 5 2
	♦ 3
	♣ Q J 10 6 5



Shape 3244 5224 2515 3460 HCP 11 12 15 2 Losers 8 6 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣
Pass	4 ♣	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5 ♣	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

3. Cue bid, a !D stopper

5 ♣ by South

Made 5 — NS +400

160 boards f

A46F6D6704D6CDCA3577E47BE10F

**Board 148**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 9 8 5 3

♥ 7 6 4

♦ 3

♣ K 9 7 3

♠ J 7 2

♥ J 9 8 2

♦ A K 9 2

♣ 10 8

♠ —

♥ A K Q 5 3

♦ Q J 10 7 6 5

♣ J 5

♠ A K Q 6 4

♥ 10

♦ 8 4

♣ A Q 6 4 2

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Shape 3442 5125 0562 5314 HCP 9 15 13 3 Losers 9 4 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
3 ♠	Pass	1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Pass	4 ♠	5 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid

5 ♦ by South

Made 5 — NS +400

161 boards f

A695EDA56B83337715D282E1AEB0

**Board 149**

East Deals

N-S Vul


♠ K 6 4		♠ 9 7
♥ 9 8 2		♥ 10 5
♦ K 3		♦ 10 9 6 5 4 2
♣ A K Q 7 4		♣ 6 5 3

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♠ A Q 10 5 3 2	♠ J 8
♥ K Q J 4 3	♥ A 7 6
♦ J	♦ A Q 8 7
♣ 2	♣ J 10 9 8

Shape 2263 2344 6511 3325 HCP 0 12 13 15 Losers 10 8 4 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣	3 ♠
4 ♣	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid  
 2. strength cue bid  
 4 ♣ by East  
 Made 5 — NS -150

162 boards f

A51FB19DB69F1435ED16F7219DD2

**Board 150**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 7 5 2		♠ A 9 8 6 4
♥ K J 8 5		♥ —
♦ —		♦ J 9 8 6 5
♣ K Q 8 7 4 3		♣ J 6 2

	♠ —
	♥ A Q 10 9 6 3 2
	♦ K 4 2
	♣ A 10 5

	♠ K Q J 10 3
	♥ 7 4
	♦ A Q 10 7 3
	♣ 9

Shape 5053 0733 5251 3406 HCP 6 13 12 9 Losers 8 5 5 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	4 ♠	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass
5 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !H

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♥ by East

Made 7 — NS -1460

163 boards f

A76DB6EFAF946AAA008AF53FFF7A

**Board 151**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 7 4

♥ 7 6

♦ 9 8 6 2

♣ K 9 8 6 2

♠ Q 5 3

♥ K 5 4 3 2

♦ K 10 5

♣ A 5

♠ A 9 2

♥ 10

♦ A Q J 4 3

♣ Q J 4 3

♠ K J 10 8 6

♥ A Q J 9 8

♦ 7

♣ 10 7

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Shape 2245 3154 5512 3532 HCP 3 14 11 12 Losers 9 6 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
2 NT	Pass	3 NT	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid  
3 N by West  
Made 4 — NS -630

164 boards f

A64F2BA979E24FEA536E1DCA51E0

**Board 152**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 10 8 4 2

♥ J

♦ A 9 6 5

♣ Q J 5 3

♠ K 5

♥ A 9 4

♦ 10 7 3 2

♣ 10 8 6 4

♠ A J 9 7 6 3

♥ 7 5 3

♦ —

♣ A K 9 7

♠ Q

♥ K Q 10 8 6 2

♦ K Q J 8 4

♣ 2

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Shape 2344 6304 1651 4144 HCP 7 12 13 8 Losers 9 6 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
4 ♠	Pass	1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
		Pass	Pass
1. Michaels Cuebid			
4 ♠ by East			
Made 5 — NS -450			



165 boards f

A5AB73A6ACA971CA2AD396492116

**Board 153**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8 6

♥ K 9

♦ A 10 8 7 4

♣ 10 9 4 3

♠ 7 3 2

♥ 8 4

♦ Q 5 2

♣ Q 8 7 5 2

♠ K 9 4

♥ 6 5 2

♦ K 9 6 3

♣ A K 6

♠ A Q J 10 5

♥ A Q J 10 7 3

♦ J

♣ J

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Shape 3235 3343 5611 2254 HCP 4 13 16 7 Losers 9 8 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

2 ♠ by North

Made 4 — NS +170

166 boards f

A7695C4C2CA634DA272449E6D558

**Board 154**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 4 3

♥ 9

♦ 10 9 7 6 4 3

♣ A 5 3

♠ J 9 7 6

♥ Q 5

♦ A 8 5 2

♣ 10 8 4

♠ A K Q 5 2

♥ K 8 3 2

♦ K Q J

♣ 7

♠ 10

♥ A J 10 7 6 4

♦ —

♣ K Q J 9 6 2

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Shape 4243 5431 1606 3163 HCP 7 18 11 4 Losers 10 4 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♣
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid
  2. to the partner's longer
- 4 ♥ by North  
Made 4 — NS +620

167 boards f

A4BB23E0A7A9429F0F8F32D110EA

**Board 155**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 4 2		♠ K 7 5 3
♥ A 5		♥ 9 7 6
♦ K Q 9 5 4 3		♦ 8 7 6
♣ 10 4		♣ 9 5 2

♠ 9

♥ 8 4 3

♦ A 10 2

♣ A K J 8 7 6

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♠ A J 10 8 6

♥ K Q J 10 2

♦ J

♣ Q 3

Shape 4333 1336 5512 3262 HCP 3 12 14 11 Losers 11 7 6 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	2 ♠	3 ♦	3 ♠
4 ♦	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid  
 2. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing  
 4 ♦ by West  
 Made 5 — NS -150

168 boards f

A56EC773EFEE26F2C84E516C1AB9

**Board 156**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K J 10 8 7

♥ Q 8 2

♦ 7 3 2

♣ 5 2

♠ 9 3

♥ K 7 6

♦ K 9

♣ A 10 9 8 6 3

♠ A Q 6 5 4

♥ 5 3

♦ Q 8 5

♣ K Q J

♠ 2

♥ A J 10 9 4

♦ A J 10 6 4

♣ 7 4

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Shape 2326 5233 1552 5332 HCP 10 14 10 6 Losers 7 6 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	3 ♥	3 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid  
3 ♠ by East  
Down 1 — NS +100

169 boards f

A7948FD48508D71691389D8A4C65

**Board 157**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 9

♥ 6

♦ A Q J 9 8 2

♣ J 7 5 2

♠ 10 8 6

♥ K J 10 4 3

♦ 10 6 4

♣ 8 4

♠ 3 2

♥ A Q 9 8 7 5

♦ K 5 3

♣ K 9

♠ A K J 7 5 4

♥ 2

♦ 7

♣ A Q 10 6 3

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Shape 3532 2632 6115 2164 HCP 4 12 14 10 Losers 10 6 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
Dbl	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♠× by North

Made 4 — NS +790

170 boards f

A49995C556BEF7898403152D4AD3

**Board 158**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 6 5 4  
♥ Q 8 7 6 3  
♦ 10 4  
♣ J 10 3

♠ Q 9 2  
♥ 10 9  
♦ 6 2  
♣ A K Q 8 5 4

♠ J 3  
♥ A K J 5 2  
♦ A 8 3  
♣ 9 6 2

♠ A K 10 8 7  
♥ 4  
♦ K Q J 9 7 5  
♣ 7

W N E S

Shape 3523 2533 5161 3226 HCP 3 13 13 11 Losers 10 8 4 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
2 NT	Pass	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	Pass	3 NT	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 N by West

Made 3 — NS -400

171 boards f

A6A58E57A5259ED90C257124B3C2

**Board 159**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 8 2

♥ 5 3

♦ K 9 7

♣ A J 10 8 6 5

♠ 10 7 6 4

♥ K 7 2

♦ 5 3 2

♣ K 9 2

♠ Q 5

♥ Q 9 8

♦ A Q J 10 6 4

♣ Q 3

♠ A K J 9 3

♥ A J 10 6 4

♦ 8

♣ 7 4

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Shape 4333 2362 5512 2236 HCP 6 13 13 8 Losers 10 7 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	Pass
3 ♣	3 ♠	4 ♦	Pass
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
5 ♦	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

5 ♦ by East

Down 3 — NS +150

172 boards f

A7A79BBE25AA1AB7FEAD49473463

**Board 160**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 7

♥ Q 8 7 3

♦ A J 8 4 3

♣ J 6 5

♠ J 9 3

♥ 5 4

♦ K 10 9 5

♣ Q 10 9 7

♠ 5 4 2

♥ K 9

♦ Q 7 6

♣ A K 8 4 2

♠ A K Q 10 8 6

♥ A J 10 6 2

♦ 2

♣ 3

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Shape 3244 3235 6511 1453 HCP 6 12 14 8 Losers 9 7 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	2 ♠	3 ♦	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid  
2. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing  
4 ♠ by North  
Made 4 — NS +620



173 boards f

A423675D87E5FFEE4546F16A8EEB

**Board 161**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 9 8 5 2

♥ 9 5

♦ A 5

♣ Q 10 7 5

N

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S

♠ A

♥ J 7 6 3

♦ Q 9 8 3

♣ 8 6 4 3

♠ K Q 7 6 4

♥ Q

♦ 4 2

♣ A K J 9 2

♠ J 3

♥ A K 10 8 4 2

♦ K J 10 7 6

♣ —

Shape 1444 5125 2650 5224 HCP 7 15 12 6 Losers 8 5 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
4 ♠	Pass	1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
		Pass	Pass
1. Michaels Cuebid			
4 ♠ by East			
Made 4 — NS -420			

174 boards f

A6E3746974E49C0163E2F340CA35

**Board 162**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 10 6 5 3		♠ 8 2
♥ K J 5 2		♥ 8 4 3
♦ 9		♦ A 8 7 6 5 4
♣ Q 8 2		♣ 6 3

♠ 9

♥ A Q 10 7 6

♦ Q 3

♣ K J 10 9 4

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♠ K Q J 7 4

♥ 9

♦ K J 10 2

♣ A 7 5

Shape 2362 5143 1525 5413 HCP 4 14 12 10 Losers 9 6 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid  
 2. limit raise or better in !S  
 4 ♠ by East  
 Made 4 — NS -420

175 boards f

A56D5FEB436E20FE7A317E2EC435

**Board 163**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 8 3		♠ 9 6 4 2
♥ 8 7 6 5 2		♥ J 3
♦ Q 7		♦ 3 2
♣ A 6 2		♣ 10 8 7 5 4

	♠ A K J 10 7 5
	♥ K
	♦ J 9 6
	♣ K Q J

	♠ —
	♥ A Q 10 9 4
	♦ A K 10 8 5 4
	♣ 9 3



Shape 4225 6133 0562 3523 HCP 1 18 13 8 Losers 10 6 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	3 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid
  2. to the partner's longer
- 3 ♠ by East  
 Made 4 — NS -170

176 boards f

B4ABFF8AA22DFD4BA1289945C71D

**Board 164**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ K 9 3

♥ K 9

♦ J 7

♣ 10 9 7 5 4 2

♠ 10 6 2

♥ Q 8 4 3

♦ K 10 9 2

♣ Q J

♠ 8 4

♥ 5 2

♦ A Q 8 6 5

♣ A K 8 3

♠ A Q J 7 5

♥ A J 10 7 6

♦ 4 3

♣ 6

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Shape 3442 2254 5521 3226 HCP 8 13 12 7 Losers 9 6 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♥ by North

Made 3 — NS +140

177 boards f

B699D9769D9AD8844912811F39C3

**Board 165**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 9 2

♥ Q 3

♦ J 4

♣ A K J 7 5 3

♠ 6 4 3

♥ 8 7 5 2

♦ 6 5 2

♣ Q 10 6

♠ A J 10 8 5

♥ —

♦ A K 10 9 7 3

♣ 9 8

♠ Q 7

♥ A K J 10 9 6 4

♦ Q 8

♣ 4 2

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Shape 3433 2722 5062 3226 HCP 2 12 12 14 Losers 11 7 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♣	Pass	4 ♥	5 ♦
Pass	Pass	Dbl	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

5 ♦ × by South

Down 3 — NS -800


178 boards f

B58A939460F4FA31C3149D32DC8A

**Board 166**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 10 9 7 3		♠ J
♥ 10 9 8 4		♥ K Q 6 5 3
♦ A 9 2		♦ K J 8 7 4
♣ 8 5		♣ K 7

♠ A K Q 5 2
♥ J
♦ 5 3
♣ Q J 10 6 3

Shape 3334 1552 5125 4432 HCP 10 13 13 4 Losers 9 5 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	Pass
3 ♥	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♥ by East

Made 3 — NS -140

179 boards f

B7AD56AB52A68BA53914E7EA1DCF

**Board 167**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 5 4 2

♥ 7

♦ K 10 8 6 5

♣ A 8 7 3

♠ 7 6 3

♥ 9 2

♦ Q 9 7 4

♣ K J 10 4

♠ K J

♥ K J 6 3

♦ A 3 2

♣ Q 9 5 2

♠ A Q 10 9 8

♥ A Q 10 8 5 4

♦ J

♣ 6

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Shape 3244 2434 5611 3154 HCP 6 14 13 7 Losers 9 7 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
2 ♠ by North  
Made 3 — NS +140

180 boards f

B674742DE86C59E68DC210737262

**Board 168**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 8 6  
♥ A K 4 3  
♦ Q 10 7  
♣ Q 9 7

♠ Q 5  
♥ 7 6  
♦ 6 5 4 3 2  
♣ 8 6 3 2

♠ A K 10 9 4 3 2  
♥ 9 5  
♦ A K 8  
♣ 4

♠ 7  
♥ Q J 10 8 2  
♦ J 9  
♣ A K J 10 5

Shape 2254 7231 1525 3433 HCP 2 14 12 12 Losers 10 5 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass
4 ♠	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !S

3. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4 ♠ by East

Made 6 — NS -480



181 boards f

B555BF63A1AE5235C98021EA01B6

**Board 169**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 7 4

♥ K 8 2

♦ 7 4

♣ A J 8 7 5 3

N

W

E

S

♠ A Q 9

♥ A 9

♦ Q J 9 6 5 3

♣ K Q

♠ 8 5 3

♥ 7 6 3

♦ A 8 2

♣ 10 9 4 2

♠ K J 10 6 2

♥ Q J 10 5 4

♦ K 10

♣ 6

Shape 3334 3262 5521 2326 HCP 4 18 10 8 Losers 11 5 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	3 ♦	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid  
3 ♦ by East  
Made 5 — NS −150

182 boards f

B7A7959C588CE4D706BAC40ECE51

**Board 170**

East Deals


Both Vul

♠ 9 8 5 3

♥ 6

♦ A K 9 8 7 5

♣ K 2



♠ 7 4

♥ 10 7 5 4 3

♦ J 6

♣ 7 6 4 3

♠ J 2

♥ K Q J 8 2

♦ Q 10 4 3

♣ A 8

♠ A K Q 10 6

♥ A 9

♦ 2

♣ Q J 10 9 5

Shape 2524 2542 5215 4162 HCP 1 13 16 10 Losers 10 6 4 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣
3 ♦	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid
  2. to the partner's longer
- 3 ♦ by West
- Made 4 — NS -130

183 boards f

B49B8CBFDC907055562E30317E9D

**Board 171**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ J

♥ Q 9 5 4 3

♦ 10 9 5 4

♣ 8 4 2

W

N

E

S

♠ 6 5 4

♥ K

♦ K Q J 6 3 2

♣ 7 6 3

♠ 9 8 7 3

♥ A J 10 8 7 2

♦ A

♣ A Q

♠ A K Q 10 2

♥ 6

♦ 8 7

♣ K J 10 9 5

Shape 3163 4612 5125 1543 HCP 9 15 13 3 Losers 8 6 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
4 ♥	Pass	Pass	Pass
1. Michaels Cuebid			
4 ♥ by East			
Made 6 — NS -480			

184 boards f

B59D77C79D8F803ED72AFD6A9B1A

**Board 172**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 7 5  
♥ K 8 5  
♦ 6 4 3 2  
♣ A J 5

W N E  
S

♠ 8 6 2  
♥ Q 10 9  
♦ K Q 7  
♣ 8 6 4 2

♠ K 4  
♥ A J 7 3 2  
♦ 9  
♣ K Q 10 7 3

♠ A J 10 9 3  
♥ 6 4  
♦ A J 10 8 5  
♣ 9

Shape 3334 2515 5251 3343 HCP 7 13 10 10 Losers 9 5 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
2 ♠ by North  
Made 2 — NS +110

186 boards f

B46BCC4164ECD902AE1C78FF6072

**Board 173**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ K 10 9 4

♥ 5 4 2

♦ Q 8 3 2

♣ Q 9

♠ 8 6

♥ K Q 8

♦ K 10 7 6 4

♣ 8 7 2

♠ 7

♥ A J 10 7 3

♦ J

♣ K J 10 6 5 3

♠ A Q J 5 3 2

♥ 9 6

♦ A 9 5

♣ A 4

N

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Shape 2353 6232 1516 4342 HCP 8 15 10 7 Losers 8 6 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
4 ♠	Pass	1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
		Pass	Pass
1. Michaels Cuebid			
4 ♠ by East			
Made 4 — NS -420			

187 boards f

B693AB3912BA99F3747D4F900119

**Board 174**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 8

♥ Q 10 8 7 6

♦ 6 5

♣ Q 9 6 3 2

♠ Q J 3 2

♥ 5 3

♦ A J 8 4 3

♣ J 10

♠ 7 6 5

♥ A J 9 4 2

♦ 7

♣ A K 8 5

♠ A K 10 9 4

♥ K

♦ K Q 10 9 2

♣ 7 4

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Shape 4252 3514 5152 1525 HCP 9 12 15 4 Losers 8 7 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
4 ♥	4 ♠	5 ♥	Dbl
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid

5 ♥× by East

Down 1 — NS +100

188 boards f

B74F2161A00715E94AEB1146E355

**Board 175**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 6 3

♥ —

♦ 10 9 4 2

♣ K Q 9 8 5 2

♠ K 10 9 5

♥ A 10 7 4

♦ 8 7 6

♣ 7 4

♠ A Q 7 4 2

♥ 9 5 2

♦ A

♣ A 10 6 3

♠ J

♥ K Q J 8 6 3

♦ K Q J 5 3

♣ J

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Shape 4432 5314 1651 3046 HCP 7 14 14 5 Losers 9 6 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
3 ♥ by North  
Made 4 — NS +170

189 boards f

B4AB6271BAAA8AFFED901601236A

**Board 176**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 7		♠ 5 4 3
♥ Q J 8		♥ 9 4
♦ K Q 6 4 3		♦ 8 7
♣ Q 7 4		♣ K J 10 9 5 2

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♠ K Q 2
♥ 6 5
♦ A J 10 9 2
♣ A 8 3

♠ A J 10 9 6
♥ A K 10 7 3 2
♦ 5
♣ 6

Shape 3226 3253 5611 2353 HCP 4 14 12 10 Losers 9 7 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	Pass
3 ♦	Pass	3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	4 ♥
5 ♦	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !D

5 ♦ by East

Down 2 — NS +100



191 boards f

B59BB492F0D08809EA7483162FDA

**Board 177**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 10 7 2

♥ K J 6

♦ A 9 8 7 2

♣ 8

♠ 8 4 3

♥ 9 8 5

♦ K 6 4

♣ Q 7 4 2

♠ 6

♥ A Q 10 4 2

♦ Q J 10 5

♣ A 5 3

♠ A K Q 9 5

♥ 7 3

♦ 3

♣ K J 10 9 6

W N E S

Shape 3334 1543 5215 4351 HCP 5 13 13 9 Losers 10 6 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
4 ♥	Pass	1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
		Pass	Pass
1. Michaels Cuebid			
4 ♥ by East			
Made 6 — NS −680			

192 boards f

C44F66E73A642E5D76F1A27F55BD

**Board 178**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 6		♠ J 9
♥ J 7 6 4 2		♥ A
♦ 6 5		♦ A 9 8 4 2
♣ 8 6 3 2		♣ K J 9 7 5

	♠ A K 10 8 7 4 3
	♥ 8 3
	♦ J
	♣ A Q 4

	♠ 5 2
	♥ K Q 10 9 5
	♦ K Q 10 7 3
	♣ 10



Shape 2155 7213 2551 2524 HCP 13 14 10 3 Losers 6 5 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	4 ♠	Pass
Pass	Dbl	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid
  2. to the partner's longer
- 4 ♠× by East
- Down 1 — NS +100

194 boards f

C5BBB7E3A16114859A36EE6B4ACF

**Board 179**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 5 2

♥ A K 6

♦ A 7 4 3

♣ J 10 8

♠ 9 6

♥ 8 3 2

♦ K 9 8 6

♣ 7 6 5 3

♠ 10 4 3

♥ 9 7

♦ Q J 10

♣ A K Q 4 2

♠ A K J 8 7

♥ Q J 10 5 4

♦ 5 2

♣ 9

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Shape 2344 3235 5521 3343 HCP 3 12 11 14 Losers 10 7 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
3 NT	Pass	Pass	Pass
1. Michaels Cuebid			
3 N by West			
Made 4 — NS −630			

195 boards f

C713A2DEB59109339A86D1637B76

**Board 180**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 5

♥ J 8 3 2

♦ J 6 2

♣ J 10 9 5

W

N

E

S

♠ A 9 8

♥ 9 6

♦ 9 7 3

♣ K Q 7 6 2

♠ 4 3 2

♥ A Q 10 7 5

♦ Q

♣ A 8 4 3

♠ K J 10 7 6

♥ K 4

♦ A K 10 8 5 4

♣ —

Shape 3235 3514 5260 2434 HCP 9 12 14 5 Losers 8 7 4 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
2 ♠ by North  
Made 4 — NS +170

196 boards f

C6E79267A5BFA2E0BD4F2F1BF20E

**Board 181**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 8 3  
♥ 10 7 3  
♦ 10 7 6 5 2  
♣ J 7

♠ 5 4 2  
♥ 6 2  
♦ K 9 8 3  
♣ K 9 3 2

♠ Q 6  
♥ K 4  
♦ A Q J  
♣ A Q 10 6 5 4

♠ K J 10 9 7  
♥ A Q J 9 8 5  
♦ 4  
♣ 8

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Shape 3244 2236 5611 3352 HCP 6 18 11 5 Losers 9 5 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	3 ♣	3 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♥ by South

Down 1 — NS -100

197 boards f

C58150B8C794BFCD1B7B08DA14A6

**Board 182**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 8 4

♥ Q 9 6

♦ Q 7 6 5 4

♣ A 8

♠ 7 5 3

♥ A J 8 5

♦ J 10 3 2

♣ 4 2

♠ K 6

♥ K 10 7 4 3

♦ A K

♣ J 9 7 6

♠ A Q 10 9 2

♥ 2

♦ 9 8

♣ K Q 10 5 3

W N

E S

Shape 3442 2524 5125 3352 HCP 6 14 11 9 Losers 10 6 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 ♠	3 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♥ by East

Made 3 — NS -140

198 boards f

C76EA96795962B12382EB55CCD85

**Board 183**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 3

♥ 7 5

♦ Q J 10 5 2

♣ K J 5 3 2

♠ 9 8 7 6

♥ 3 2

♦ K 9 7

♣ A 10 8 6

♠ A Q 4

♥ J 10 8 4

♦ A 6 4 3

♣ Q 9

♠ K J 10 5 2

♥ A K Q 9 6

♦ 8

♣ 7 4

W

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S

Shape 4234 3442 5512 1255 HCP 7 13 13 7 Losers 9 8 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
2 ♠ by North  
Made 4 — NS +170

199 boards f

C487EA674C2625E27F517DE90156

**Board 184**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ K 8 4

♥ 7 5

♦ 8 6 3

♣ 9 6 5 4 3

W

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♠ 10 9 3

♥ A J 3

♦ J 7 5

♣ K 10 8 2

♠ Q J 7 6 5 2

♥ 6 2

♦ K 4

♣ A Q 7

♠ A

♥ K Q 10 9 8 4

♦ A Q 10 9 2

♣ J

Shape 3334 6223 1651 3235 HCP 9 12 16 3 Losers 10 6 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid  
4 ♥ by North  
Made 6 — NS +480



200 boards f

C52054706B61345EF46205B9EAB6

**Board 185**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 9 5  
♥ 5  
♦ K 9 7 5 2  
♣ 8 6 3 2

♠ 7 3  
♥ Q 9 7 4 2  
♦ J 4 3  
♣ 10 5 4

♠ 4 2  
♥ A J 10 6 3  
♦ 8  
♣ A K Q 9 7

♠ K Q J 10 8 6  
♥ K 8  
♦ A Q 10 6  
♣ J

W N E S

Shape 3154 6241 2515 2533 HCP 7 16 14 3 Losers 8 4 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	3 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

3 ♠ by East

Made 3 — NS -140

201 boards f

C7119D8057A256CEC1178519B2D8

**Board 186**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 7 2

♥ 3

♦ J 9 6 5

♣ A K 7 5 4

♠ A 6 4

♥ Q 8 7 5

♦ 4 2

♣ 10 9 8 3

♠ J 9

♥ A K J 9 6 4 2

♦ K 8

♣ J 6

♠ K Q 10 5 3

♥ 10

♦ A Q 10 7 3

♣ Q 2

W N E S

Shape 3424 2722 5152 3145 HCP 6 13 13 8 Losers 9 6 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	3 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♥ by East

Made 3 — NS -140

202 boards f

C47BE59265E624490A110541E84A

**Board 187**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 7 6 5  
♥ 8 7 5 4 2  
♦ —  
♣ Q 10 7 2

♠ K 10 3  
♥ A  
♦ Q 6 4  
♣ K J 8 6 5 4

♠ A J 8 4 2  
♥ Q 6  
♦ A 8 7 3 2  
♣ A

♠ Q  
♥ K J 10 9 3  
♦ K J 10 9 5  
♣ 9 3

W N E S

Shape 4504 5251 1552 3136 HCP 2 15 10 13 Losers 8 6 7 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	4 ♥	4 ♠	5 ♥
Dbl	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !S

5 ♥× by North

Down 3 — NS -500

203 boards f

C6D48C9B9E14D1CDA31C1CAFF242

**Board 188**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 10 6 5  
♥ K 8 2  
♦ 9 7 3 2  
♣ J 3 2

♠ A 9 8 3  
♥ 3  
♦ K J 8 6 5 4  
♣ 9 8

♠ 2  
♥ A Q J 10 9 6 5  
♦ A 10  
♣ Q 7 4

♠ K Q J 7 4  
♥ 7 4  
♦ Q  
♣ A K 10 6 5

W N E S

Shape 3343 1723 5215 4162 HCP 4 13 15 8 Losers 11 5 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	4 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♥ by East

Made 4 — NS -420

204 boards f

C7A97FEB92AE27CBCEB4CDAFFA78

**Board 189**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9

♥ 8 7 5

♦ A Q 8 3 2

♣ J 10 7 3

♠ Q 8 7 5 3

♥ K 6 3 2

♦ 9 6

♣ A 5

♠ K 2

♥ J

♦ K 10 7 5 4

♣ K Q 9 8 4

♠ A J 10 6 4

♥ A Q 10 9 4

♦ J

♣ 6 2

W N E S

Shape 1354 2155 5512 5422 HCP 7 12 12 9 Losers 8 5 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

2 ♥ by North

Made 3 — NS +140

205 boards f

C4B96923ACA9651EBF3FF31C92CF

**Board 190**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 5 2

♥ A 7 6 5

♦ Q 5 3

♣ A K 10 9

♠ Q 8 6 4

♥ 2

♦ J 8 7 6 4 2

♣ 8 3

♠ K 9

♥ 8 4 3

♦ A K 10

♣ Q 7 6 5 2

♠ A J 10 7 3

♥ K Q J 10 9

♦ 9

♣ J 4

N

W E

S

Shape 4162 2335 5512 2434 HCP 3 12 12 13 Losers 8 7 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	3 ♠	4 ♣	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !C

4 ♣ by East

Made 5 — NS −150

207 boards f

C56065B2A9A5051B295110D285B4

**Board 191**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 4		♠ 9 8 7 5
♥ Q 2		♥ 9 3
♦ J 8 7		♦ K 10 9 3 2
♣ K J 10 9 7 6 3		♣ Q 4
	<div> <div>W</div> <div>N</div> <div>E</div> <div>S</div> </div>	
		♠ A K 6
		♥ 8 6 5 4
		♦ A Q 6 5 4
		♣ 8
		♠ Q J 10 3 2
		♥ A K J 10 7
		♦ —
		♣ A 5 2

Shape 4252 3451 5503 1237 HCP 5 13 15 7 Losers 9 6 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
 3 ♠ by North  
 Made 4 — NS +170

208 boards f

D467DD76ED64CD1045558EEF694D

**Board 192**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 8  
♥ 9 7 5 2  
♦ K J 9 5 4 2  
♣ Q 5

♠ K J 9 4  
♥ Q  
♦ 8  
♣ K J 9 7 6 3 2

♠ A Q 10 7 6 3 2  
♥ K 8 6  
♦ 3  
♣ A 4

♠ 5  
♥ A J 10 4 3  
♦ A Q 10 7 6  
♣ 10 8

W N E S

Shape 1462 7312 1552 4117 HCP 6 13 11 10 Losers 8 5 6 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !S

4 ♠ by East

Made 5 — NS -450



209 boards f

D6E45520EC00470A502935C97F6D

**Board 193**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A J 4  
♥ 5 3  
♦ J 3 2  
♣ K 6 5 4 2

♠ —  
♥ A Q J 6 2  
♦ 8 6 4  
♣ A Q J 10 7

♠ K 9 7 3 2  
♥ K 7  
♦ A K 9 5  
♣ 9 3

♠ Q 10 8 6 5  
♥ 10 9 8 4  
♦ Q 10 7  
♣ 8

W N E S

Shape 5431 5242 0535 3235 HCP 4 13 14 9 Losers 8 6 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	3 ♥	3 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♠ by East

Made 3 — NS -140

210 boards f

D595807FD08435D314B4FB56B588

**Board 194**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 8 5

♥ Q 9 6 5 3

♦ 5 2

♣ A 9 3

W

N

E

S

♠ Q 4

♥ A J 8 7 4

♦ K J 8

♣ Q 8 5

♠ A K 10 6 3 2

♥ —

♦ Q

♣ K J 10 7 6 2

Shape 2371 2533 6016 3523 HCP 7 13 13 7 Losers 7 8 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	3 ♦	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid  
3 ♠ by South  
Made 4 — NS +170

211 boards f

D7E1538F622A75F2C51BF066AA5E

**Board 195**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ A 8 7 5		♠ 10 6
♥ 9 8 5		♥ Q 7
♦ 9 7 4		♦ 10 6 3
♣ A 9 7		♣ J 10 8 4 3 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K J 9 4 2
♥ K 6 2
♦ Q 2
♣ K Q 6

♠ Q 3
♥ A J 10 4 3
♦ A K J 8 5
♣ 5

Shape 2236 5323 2551 4333 HCP 3 14 15 8 Losers 10 7 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	3 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid
  2. to the partner's longer
- 3 ♠ by East  
 Made 3 — NS -140

213 boards f

D59254BD1D8F36965D5B168DB9FD

**Board 196**

East Deals

E-W Vul


♠ 2		♠ J 9 5
♥ Q 9 3 2		♥ 10 4
♦ 6 3		♦ K 9 8 5
♣ Q J 7 4 3 2		♣ A 9 8 5

N

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		♠ K 7 6
		♥ A K J 8 7 6 5
		♦ A
		♣ 10 6

	♠ A Q 10 8 4 3
	♥ —
	♦ Q J 10 7 4 2
	♣ K

Shape 3244 3712 6061 1426 HCP 8 15 12 5 Losers 9 5 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid  
 4 ♠ by South  
 Made 4 — NS +420

214 boards f

D7A70F96AA24FD9A63DEC6E787EB

**Board 197**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9 6 5 4 2

♥ 9

♦ A Q 10 5 4 3

♣ 9

♠ K 10

♥ K 5 3

♦ J 8 2

♣ Q J 8 6 5

♠ 7

♥ Q 8 6

♦ K 9 6

♣ A K 7 4 3 2

♠ A Q J 8 3

♥ A J 10 7 4 2

♦ 7

♣ 10

W

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Shape 2335 1336 5611 5161 HCP 10 12 12 6 Losers 8 6 5 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
4 ♥ by North  
Made 5 — NS +650

215 boards f

D4606A5260D086B228E1CE4F5C39

**Board 198**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 7 2  
♥ 9 5 4  
♦ 5 4 3  
♣ K Q 9 8 5

♠ 10 6 5  
♥ 8 2  
♦ A Q J 10 8 6  
♣ 6 2

♠ A K Q J 4 3  
♥ Q 10 3  
♦ K 7 2  
♣ 4

♠ 9 8  
♥ A K J 7 6  
♦ 9  
♣ A J 10 7 3

W N E S

Shape 2335 6331 2515 3262 HCP 5 15 13 7 Losers 9 5 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	3 ♥	4 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♠ by East

Made 4 — NS -420

216 boards f

D593BFB2FC9F1856D6053E8EB1F1

**Board 199**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 7 2

♥ K Q J 5 3 2

♦ 9

♣ 6 3 2

♠ 9 6 5

♥ 6 4

♦ 8 7 6

♣ Q 8 7 5 4

♠ 8

♥ A 10 9 8 7

♦ A Q 3 2

♣ A K 10

♠ A K Q 10 4 3

♥ —

♦ K J 10 5 4

♣ J 9

W

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Shape 3235 1543 6052 3613 HCP 2 17 14 7 Losers 10 5 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 ♠	4 ♥	4 ♠
5 ♥	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

5 ♥ by East

Made 6 — NS -680

217 boards f

D79EA72AAE0133EDEECDDFB6259E

**Board 200**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 7 6 5

♥ 9 4

♦ K 4 3

♣ 10 8 6 3

W

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♠ —

♥ A 5 2

♦ A J 8 7 6 5 2

♣ K 9 5

♠ A K J 4 2

♥ K Q J 8 7 3

♦ 10 9

♣ —

Shape 4 2 1 6 0 3 7 3 5 6 2 0 4 2 3 4 HCP 11 12 14 3 Losers 6 6 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
4 ♠ by North  
Made 5 — NS +650



218 boards f

D4663F5C64EC373BF10D682841FF

**Board 201**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 7 2  
♥ K 9 8 7 2  
♦ 7 3  
♣ 7 6 3

♠ K 9 8 6 4  
♥ 6 3  
♦ K Q 10 6 2  
♣ A

♠ A Q J 5 3  
♥ Q  
♦ 8 5 4  
♣ K 9 8 2

♠ —  
♥ A J 10 5 4  
♦ A J 9  
♣ Q J 10 5 4

W N E S

Shape 5251 5134 0535 3523 HCP 12 12 13 3 Losers 5 7 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

3 ♣ by South

Made 3 — NS +110

219 boards f

D69FBB8963791ECE829A0D5CDC1B

**Board 202**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 8 3

♥ K 10

♦ A 9 8 5 4 3

♣ Q 10 5

♠ 9 5 2

♥ Q 8 7 5

♦ J 7

♣ 9 8 7 6

♠ J 10 4

♥ A 9 6 4 3 2

♦ —

♣ A K J 2

W

N

E

S

♠ A K Q 7 6

♥ J

♦ K Q 10 6 2

♣ 4 3

Shape 3424 3604 5152 2263 HCP 3 13 15 9 Losers 10 6 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	3 ♥	Pass
4 ♥	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♥ by East

Made 4 — NS -420

220 boards f

D79EA769A7261D5A6AE976B085DB

**Board 203**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 6 2

♥ 5 4

♦ K J 10 5 3

♣ Q 9 6 3

♠ 10 9

♥ 3

♦ Q 8 7 6 2

♣ A 10 8 7 5

♠ Q 8 7 5

♥ A 9 8 2

♦ A 9

♣ K J 2

♠ A K J 4 3

♥ K Q J 10 7 6

♦ 4

♣ 4

W

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Shape 2155 4423 5611 2254 HCP 6 14 14 6 Losers 7 7 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

2 ♠ by North

Made 4 — NS +170

221 boards f

D4B8D891800C9A75C312347F963A

**Board 204**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 6 5 2  
♥ J 10 7  
♦ 10 4  
♣ 9 6 3 2

♠ K 7  
♥ A 8 5 4 2  
♦ Q J 7 6  
♣ Q 8

♠ 8 4  
♥ K Q 9 6 3  
♦ A K 9 2  
♣ 7 4

♠ A Q J 9 3  
♥ —  
♦ 8 5 3  
♣ A K J 10 5

W N E S

Shape 4324 2542 5035 2542 HCP 1 12 15 12 Losers 11 6 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	3 ♠	4 ♥	4 ♠
5 ♥	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !H

5 ♥ by East

Down 1 — NS +50

222 boards f

D657A481AD2FB5A2D57DD1022390

**Board 205**

East Deals

N-S Vul

		♠ 10 4 3	
		♥ Q 4	
		♦ Q 8 5 4 3 2	
		♣ 8 4	
♠ 7 5			♠ A 6
♥ 9 6			♥ A 7 5 2
♦ J 10 6			♦ A K 9 7
♣ Q J 9 7 6 5			♣ A 10 3
		♠ K Q J 9 8 2	
		♥ K J 10 8 3	
		♦ —	
		♣ K 2	

Shape 3262 2443 6502 2236 HCP 4 19 13 4 Losers 9 6 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	2 NT	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid  
2 N by East  
Made 2 — NS -120

223 boards f

D5EF5E6F7AED144B6BE0CA0C363B

**Board 206**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 10 6 5

♥ J 3 2

♦ J 8 7 5 2

♣ 10

♠ 9 4 3 2

♥ 8 5 4

♦ 9 3

♣ K J 5 3

♠ —

♥ A Q 10 7 6

♦ A K Q 10 4

♣ 9 6 4

♠ K Q J 8 7

♥ K 9

♦ 6

♣ A Q 8 7 2

W

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Shape 4324 5215 0553 4351 HCP 4 15 15 6 Losers 10 4 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	3 ♥	3 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♠ by East

Made 5 — NS -200

224 boards f

E457B7019F96D6028197D49932CD

**Board 207**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 5 2

♥ K 3

♦ Q 8 7 3

♣ Q 7 4 2

♠ Q 8 3

♥ Q 8 7 2

♦ J 2

♣ 10 9 8 3

♠ A

♥ A J 10 9 6 5 4

♦ 4

♣ A K J 6

♠ K J 10 7 6 4

♥ —

♦ A K 10 9 6 5

♣ 5

W

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Shape 3424 1714 6061 3244 HCP 5 17 11 7 Losers 9 4 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	3 ♣	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid  
3 ♣ by East  
Made 6 — NS -170

225 boards f

E64FAB91598BE9345E8D1E017A91

**Board 208**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9

♥ 8 3

♦ A 7 6 5

♣ Q J 9 6 4 2

♠ 8 5 4

♥ A 10 6 4

♦ Q 4 2

♣ 7 5 3

♠ A J 7 3

♥ Q J 7 5 2

♦ 8

♣ A K 10

♠ K Q 10 6 2

♥ K 9

♦ K J 10 9 3

♣ 8

W

N

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Shape 3433 4513 5251 1246 HCP 6 15 12 7 Losers 10 6 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
2 ♠ by North  
Made 2 — NS +110



226 boards f

E59798566888DDBA769A3B147827

**Board 209**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 5 4 2  
♥ 10  
♦ A Q 7 4 2  
♣ Q 8 7 6

♠ 9  
♥ 8 7 5 3  
♦ K J 10 8 6 5 3  
♣ 9

♠ Q J 7 3  
♥ A K Q 9 6 4  
♦ —  
♣ A 5 2

♠ A K 10 8 6  
♥ J 2  
♦ 9  
♣ K J 10 4 3

W N E S

Shape 3154 4603 5215 1471 HCP 8 16 12 4 Losers 7 4 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♥ by East

Made 6 — NS -680

227 boards f

E712B8539D81A1B996FF49197EC2

**Board 210**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 6 2		♠ A 4
♥ K 8 6 3		♥ 10 5 2
♦ 7		♦ K 8 5 4
♣ J 10 9 8 5 4		♣ A 7 3 2

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	♠ Q 5 3
	♥ A Q J 7 4
	♦ J 6 3
	♣ Q 6

♠ K J 10 9 8 7
♥ 9
♦ A Q 10 9 2
♣ K

Shape 2344 3532 6151 2416 HCP 11 12 13 4 Losers 8 8 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♦
4 ♥	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
 2. to the partner's longer  
 4 ♠ by North  
 Made 6 — NS +680

228 boards f

E69EB417841C0DFBDCE2998703F0

**Board 211**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 8 7 6 2  
♥ K 8 2  
♦ A 10 9 7  
♣ 9 5

♠ Q 10 9 3  
♥ J 9 4 3  
♦ 6 3 2  
♣ A 6

♠ —  
♥ A Q 10 7 5  
♦ K Q J 4  
♣ Q 8 4 3

♠ A K J 5 4  
♥ 6  
♦ 8 5  
♣ K J 10 7 2

W N E S

Shape 4432 0544 5125 4342 HCP 7 14 12 7 Losers 9 4 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 ♠	3 ♥	Pass
Pass	3 ♠	4 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♥ by East

Made 4 — NS -420

229 boards f

E5A1638D2698B1581B09CB8765E6

**Board 212**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 5 2

♥ 9

♦ 10 8 7 6 5

♣ A Q 9 6 3

♠ J 7 6

♥ Q 6 5 4

♦ J 4 3 2

♣ J 2

♠ K 8 3

♥ 10 8 7

♦ A K 9

♣ K 7 5 4

♠ A Q 10 9 4

♥ A K J 3 2

♦ Q

♣ 10 8

W

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Shape 3442 3334 5512 2155 HCP 5 13 16 6 Losers 10 8 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	3 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♥ by North

Made 4 — NS +170

231 boards f

E4C8ABA36982EAB92E4B368303F0

**Board 213**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ A 9 2

♥ 8 5 2

♦ Q 10 4 3 2

♣ J 8

♠ 7 5 3

♥ A 10 6 4 3

♦ 7

♣ 10 9 7 5

♠ J 6

♥ —

♦ A K J 9 8 6

♣ K Q 6 4 3

♠ K Q 10 8 4

♥ K Q J 9 7

♦ 5

♣ A 2

W N E S

Shape 3514 2065 5512 3352 HCP 4 14 15 7 Losers 9 4 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	3 ♥	4 ♦	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♦ by East

Made 5 — NS −150

232 boards f

E59ED49E438E8F5DBEF149191AE5

**Board 214**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 4 3  
♥ J 10 9 5  
♦ K 2  
♣ A Q 10 7 3

♠ K 6 2  
♥ 7 6  
♦ 5 4 3  
♣ 8 6 5 4 2

♠ J 8 5  
♥ A K Q 8 4 3  
♦ J 6  
♣ J 9

♠ A Q 10 9 7  
♥ 2  
♦ A Q 10 9 8 7  
♣ K

W N E S

Shape 2425 3622 5161 3235 HCP 10 12 15 3 Losers 7 7 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

3 ♦ by South

Made 6 — NS +170

233 boards f


E7BE632EE073339276693BE97E36

**Board 215**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 4		♠ Q 9 5 2
♥ A 10 9 7 5 3 2		♥ —
♦ 7 2		♦ 6 5 4
♣ 6 4		♣ A Q 8 7 3 2



♠ K 10 7 6 3
♥ 8
♦ A Q 3
♣ K 10 9 5

♠ A 8
♥ K Q J 6 4
♦ K J 10 9 8
♣ J

Shape 4036 5134 2551 2722 HCP 8 12 15 5 Losers 6 6 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid
  2. to the partner's longer
  - 3 ♦ by South
- Made 4 — NS +130

234 boards f

E4787E9C809961400CE3911E9EE3

**Board 216**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 6 2		♠ 7 4
♥ A K		♥ J 8 7
♦ J 9 8 6 5 2		♦ K Q 7 4 3
♣ 10 9 5		♣ K 4 3

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W		E
	S	

♠ A K 9 8
♥ Q 10 5 4 3
♦ A 10
♣ 6 2

♠ Q J 10 5 3
♥ 9 6 2
♦ —
♣ A Q J 8 7

Shape 2353 4522 5305 2263 HCP 9 13 10 8 Losers 8 6 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid
  2. to the partner's longer
- 3 ♣ by South  
Down 1 — NS -50



236 boards f

E71C999193F2FA32F9D35E8CBE89

**Board 217**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10 9 7 6

♥ 10 9 8 7 3

♦ —

♣ K Q 7 2

W

N

E

S

♠ 5

♥ A K Q J 6 5

♦ A 5 4 3

♣ J 6

♠ K Q J 4 3 2

♥ —

♦ Q J 10 8 6

♣ A 4

Shape 2245 1642 6052 4504 HCP 7 15 13 5 Losers 8 5 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
4 ♥	Dbl	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♥ × by East

Made 5 — NS -990

237 boards f

E498D28B58940EC4B8FE3FF19D92

**Board 218**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ K 8 6 4

♥ 7 6 5 4

♦ K 4 2

♣ 4 3

♠ 9 5

♥ Q 9 8

♦ 9 6 5 3

♣ K 9 6 2

♠ J

♥ A K J 10 3 2

♦ A Q J 7

♣ Q 5

♠ A Q 10 7 3 2

♥ —

♦ 10 8

♣ A J 10 8 7

W

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Shape 2344 1642 6025 4432 HCP 5 18 11 6 Losers 9 5 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	4 ♥	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Dbl	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

4 ♠× by South

Made 4 — NS +590

238 boards f

E659DD9A88B5159C0AC2C8C395D6

**Board 219**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 7  
♥ J 7 6 5 4  
♦ 6 4  
♣ Q 7 6 2

♠ K 6 5 4 2  
♥ 10  
♦ K 8  
♣ A K 10 9 3

♠ A  
♥ A K Q 9 8 3 2  
♦ 10 9 3 2  
♣ 4

♠ Q J 10 8 3  
♥ —  
♦ A Q J 7 5  
♣ J 8 5

W N E S

Shape 2524 1741 5053 5125 HCP 3 13 11 13 Losers 9 4 6 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
2 NT	Pass	3 ♦	Pass
3 NT	Pass	4 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♥ by East

Made 6 — NS -480

239 boards f

E5A1D38127AF0BA785D7396B253D

**Board 220**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 6

♥ 5 2

♦ 9 5 4

♣ A Q 7 5 3 2

♠ J 9 5 3 2

♥ Q 9 7

♦ J 8 7 6 3

♣ —

♠ 4

♥ K 6

♦ A K Q

♣ K J 10 9 8 6 4

♠ A Q 10 8 7

♥ A J 10 8 4 3

♦ 10 2

♣ —

W

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Shape 5350 1237 5620 2236 HCP 4 16 11 9 Losers 8 4 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	4 ♠	5 ♣	5 ♠
Dbl	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

5 ♠× by North

Down 2 — NS -300

240 boards f

F4D390D6B080E81F8E5142287ABE

**Board 221**

East Deals

None Vul


♠ A Q 9		♠ 8 4
♥ J 3 2		♥ 10 7 5
♦ A K J 10 6 5		♦ 8 7 2
♣ 6		♣ Q 7 5 3 2

W

N

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S



	♠ K J 10 7 2	♠ 6 5 3
	♥ 9 4	♥ A K Q 8 6
	♦ Q	♦ 9 4 3
	♣ K J 10 9 4	♣ A 8

Shape 2335 3532 5215 3361 HCP 2 13 10 15 Losers 10 7 7 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♥	Pass
4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass
5 ♥	Pass	6 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid
  2. limit raise or better in !H
  3. Blackwood 0314, for !H
  4. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 6 ♥ by East  
Made 7 — NS -1010

241 boards f

F6D96F6D18EAF4025631ACE2946

**Board 222**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 10 9 4

♥ 9

♦ K Q 9 4

♣ A Q 7 3

♠ J 7 5 3

♥ 8 4 2

♦ 8 6

♣ 10 5 4 2

♠ —

♥ K Q 10 7 6 3

♦ A J 10 5 3

♣ J 8

♠ K Q 8 6 2

♥ A J 5

♦ 7 2

♣ K 9 6

W

N

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S

Shape 4324 5323 0652 4144 HCP 1 13 11 15 Losers 11 7 5 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
4 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. Splinter

4 ♠ by East

Made 6 — NS -480

242 boards f

F5BF2B90A2A9733A1DC96AC717A6

**Board 223**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 6 4

♥ A 9 8

♦ K 10 8 6 5

♣ 10 7 6

♠ K 8 7 3

♥ 6 4

♦ 4 3 2

♣ J 8 5 2

♠ 9 5

♥ Q 7 3

♦ Q J 9

♣ A K 9 4 3

♠ A Q J 10 2

♥ K J 10 5 2

♦ A 7

♣ Q

W

N

E

S

Shape 4234 2335 5521 2353 HCP 4 12 17 7 Losers 10 7 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid  
4 ♠ by North  
Made 4 — NS +420

243 boards f

F72D93AE0DA5DD4BAF05F923D48A

**Board 224**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ A J 6 4		
♥ J 8 6 2		
♦ 8 5 2		
♣ Q 2		
♠ 9 5 3		♠ 8
♥ 5		♥ K 9 3
♦ 10 6 3		♦ A Q J 9 7
♣ A J 10 9 6 5		♣ K 8 7 4
	♠ K Q 10 7 2	
	♥ A Q 10 7 4	
	♦ K 4	
	♣ 3	

Shape 4432 1354 5521 3136 HCP 8 13 14 5 Losers 10 6 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Dbl	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♠× by North

Made 5 — NS +990



244 boards f

F663E94329CBF23A4551956ECCAB

**Board 225**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 10 9 3

♥ 9 8

♦ 4 3

♣ K J 7 6 5

♠ J 8

♥ Q 10 7 3

♦ A Q 9 6

♣ 9 8 4

♠ A Q 7 6 4

♥ 6 5

♦ 7 5

♣ A Q 10 2

♠ 5 2

♥ A K J 4 2

♦ K J 10 8 2

♣ 3

W

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Shape 2443 5224 2551 4225 HCP 9 12 12 7 Losers 8 6 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
4 ♠	Pass	1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
		Pass	Pass
1. Michaels Cuebid			
4 ♠ by East			
Down 1 — NS +50			

245 boards f

F5B0557898A2972E91D51536F4D4

**Board 226**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 6 3 2		♠ 8 5 4
♥ A Q 4 3		♥ —
♦ Q J		♦ K 9 6 5 4 3 2
♣ K 7 6 5		♣ 10 8 4

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		♠ K Q
		♥ K J 9 7 6 5 2
		♦ A 10 7
		♣ 9

	♠ A J 10 9 7
	♥ 10 8
	♦ 8
	♣ A Q J 3 2

Shape 3073 2731 5215 3424 HCP 3 13 12 12 Losers 8 6 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass
4 ♥	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid
  2. limit raise or better in !H
  3. Splinter
- 4 ♥ by East
- Made 5 — NS -650

246 boards f

F78E9CD4A6F4C7185CCA78BE4295

**Board 227**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8		♠ 7 5 3
♥ A 9 6 3		♥ K Q 8 7 2
♦ 8 6 5		♦ A K 7 4
♣ A J 6 4 3		♣ 9

♠ Q 10 9 6		♠ A K J 4 2
♥ 10 5 4		♥ J
♦ Q J 10 9 2		♦ 3
♣ 2		♣ K Q 10 8 7 5



Shape 1435 3541 5116 4351 HCP 9 12 14 5 Losers 8 6 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣
Pass	4 ♣	Pass	5 ♣
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid
  2. to the partner's longer
- 5 ♣ by South  
Made 6 — NS +620

247 boards f

F4EAABAA1EADB7C8DDB53B0D637D

**Board 228**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ A 8 7

♥ 9 6 5 2

♦ 3

♣ 10 7 6 4 2

♠ J 5 4

♥ 8 4

♦ J 10 7 4 2

♣ A Q J

♠ 3 2

♥ J 7

♦ A K Q 8 5

♣ K 9 5 3

♠ K Q 10 9 6

♥ A K Q 10 3

♦ 9 6

♣ 8

W N E S

Shape 3253 2254 5521 3415 HCP 9 13 14 4 Losers 9 6 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
2 ♠ by North  
Made 4 — NS +170

248 boards f

F557B80C8E98141A48B9D18265D1

**Board 229**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 5 2

♥ K 6

♦ K 10 8 7 6

♣ 6 5 3 2

♠ Q 9 8

♥ Q J 7 4

♦ A 9 3

♣ J 8 4

♠ A 7 3

♥ A 10 9 8 5 2

♦ 5 4 2

♣ A

♠ K J 10 6 4

♥ 3

♦ Q J

♣ K Q 10 9 7

W N E S

Shape 3433 3631 5125 2254 HCP 10 12 12 6 Losers 9 7 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
2 ♠ by North  
Made 4 — NS +170

249 boards f

F78EA7936DA7A6CAF855874AFEED

**Board 230**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 7 3 2

♥ 7 3

♦ K 10 9 6 5

♣ J 6

♠ —

♥ A 8 5 4

♦ 8 7 4 2

♣ A 9 8 4 3

♠ J 6 4

♥ Q 6

♦ A J 3

♣ K Q 10 5 2

♠ A K Q 10 9 5

♥ K J 10 9 2

♦ Q

♣ 7

N

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Shape 0445 3235 6511 4252 HCP 8 13 15 4 Losers 7 8 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
4 ♥ by North  
Made 6 — NS +680

250 boards f

F46C69290C8C31EB4954ED7FC076

**Board 231**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 5 3

♥ 9 4 2

♦ 9 3

♣ K Q 9 7 5

♠ Q J 9

♥ J 10 7 3

♦ A J 10 5 4

♣ 2

♠ A K 7 6 4 2

♥ 6

♦ K Q 8 7

♣ 8 4

♠ 10

♥ A K Q 8 5

♦ 6 2

♣ A J 10 6 3

W

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Shape 3451 6142 1525 3325 HCP 9 12 14 5 Losers 8 5 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
3 ♥ by North  
Made 5 — NS +200

251 boards f

F64C676EEC4080D06D167EE16A4D

**Board 232**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 8 4

♥ 5

♦ A Q J 7 5 2

♣ 7 4 2

♠ 6

♥ A 10 9 2

♦ 10 9 8 4

♣ Q 6 5 3

♠ A K Q 10 7 5 3 2

♥ 8 6

♦ K 6

♣ K

♠ 9

♥ K Q J 7 4 3

♦ 3

♣ A J 10 9 8

W

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Shape 1444 8221 1615 3163 HCP 6 15 11 8 Losers 8 4 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
4 ♠	Pass	1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	Pass	Pass	5 ♥
		Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

5 ♥× by South

Down 1 — NS -200



252 boards f

F76153CDE3264576022A57A7DAE0

**Board 233**

East Deals

Both Vul


♠ Q J 3 2		♠ 10 7 6
♥ 8		♥ Q 9 7
♦ 10 9 8 5 4		♦ 6 3
♣ A Q 9		♣ 10 8 7 6 3

♠ 4

♥ A J 10 6 4 2

♦ A K J 7 2

♣ 2



♠ A K 9 8 5

♥ K 5 3

♦ Q

♣ K J 5 4

Shape 3325 5314 1651 4153 HCP 2 16 13 9 Losers 10 6 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT <sup>3</sup>	4 ♥
4 ♠	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid
  2. limit raise or better in !S
  3. Cue bid, a !H stopper
- 4 ♠ by East
- Made 5 — NS -650

253 boards f

F4D7AAB14696BCD21ECDEB459376

**Board 234**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ A 8 6 5		♠ 7
♥ Q 9 2		♥ J 6 4
♦ Q 8 3		♦ 9 7 6
♣ Q 6 4		♣ K J 10 8 7 2

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	S	

♠ J 4 2
♥ A 10 8 7 3
♦ K 5
♣ A 5 3

♠ K Q 10 9 3
♥ K 5
♦ A J 10 4 2
♣ 9

Shape 1336 3523 5251 4333 HCP 5 12 13 10 Losers 9 8 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♦
3 ♥	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid  
 2. to the partner's longer  
 3 ♥ by East  
 Made 3 — NS −140

254 boards f

F6A710EDB480C2DD8554304E9F91

**Board 235**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 9 8		♠ K 5
♥ J 5		♥ 10 9 7 4
♦ Q 8 4 3		♦ K 10 9 5 2
♣ Q 8 7 2		♣ 9 4

♠

♥

♦

♣

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W     E  
S

♠

♥

♦

♣

♠ A J 10 7 3 2	♠ 6 4
♥ A Q	♥ K 8 6 3 2
♦ —	♦ A J 7 6
♣ K J 10 6 5	♣ A 3

Shape 2452 2542 6205 3244 HCP 6 12 15 7 Losers 8 7 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♣
Dbl	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
 2. to the partner's longer  
 4 ♠ by North  
 Made 4 — NS +620

255 boards f

F5913D23A3A676DED59BEF66B5C5

**Board 236**

East Deals

E-W Vul


♠ 8 7 5 2		♠ K Q
♥ K 9 3		♥ 2
♦ 6		♦ 10 9 7 4 3 2
♣ A K 7 3 2		♣ 10 9 8 4

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♠ 9 4		♠ A J 10 6 3
♥ A 8 7 6		♥ Q J 10 5 4
♦ A Q J		♦ K 8 5
♣ Q J 6 5		♣ —

Shape 2164 2434 5530 4315 HCP 5 14 11 10 Losers 8 7 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	Dbl	Pass
3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♣	Pass
5 ♣	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !C

5 ♣ by East

Made 5 — NS -600

04605C60C2E91E94225FC149EFBC

**Board 237**

East Deals

None Vul

256 boards f

♠ J 10 5 3

♥ 2

♦ A Q J 7 5

♣ 10 5 4

♠ 9 7

♥ J 5 4

♦ K 9 6 3 2

♣ J 9 7

♠ 8 2

♥ A Q 10 7 3

♦ 8

♣ A K Q 8 2

♠ A K Q 6 4

♥ K 9 8 6

♦ 10 4

♣ 6 3

W

N

E

S

Shape 2353 5422 2515 4153 HCP 5 12 15 8 Losers 10 6 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
4 ♠	Pass	1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
		Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♠ by East

Made 4 — NS -420

257 boards f

06E7B7A3AF4EB162F08671872CF3

**Board 238**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 7 2

♥ K 9 7 5 2

♦ J 10 3

♣ 9 5

♠ 3

♥ 10 6 4

♦ Q 9 8 7 5 2

♣ 10 8 6

♠ 10 8 5

♥ —

♦ A K 6 4

♣ A K Q J 4 2

♠ K Q J 9 6 4

♥ A Q J 8 3

♦ —

♣ 7 3

W

N

E

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Shape 1363 3046 6502 3532 HCP 2 17 13 8 Losers 9 4 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	2 ♥	1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
3 NT	Pass	3 ♦	3 ♠
		Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid  
3 N by West  
Made 3 — NS -400

258 boards f

05B1E7A38BA73D8A566A44B92957

**Board 239**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K		♠ 9 3
♥ A 9 4		♥ J 8 5
♦ J 8 6 4 3		♦ K 10 7 5 2
♣ A 9 4 3		♣ 8 7 6

W

N

S

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♠ 7 6 5 2
♥ 7 2
♦ A Q
♣ K Q J 10 2

♠ A Q J 10 8 4
♥ K Q 10 6 3
♦ 9
♣ 5

Shape 2353 4225 6511 1354 HCP 4 12 12 12 Losers 10 7 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣	3 ♠
4 ♣	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. strength cue bid

4 ♣ by East

Made 5 — NS -150

259 boards f

07BF76A4AC2E96AD2E05592DC749

**Board 240**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 3		♠ 10 7 6 4
♥ A K		♥ 6 3 2
♦ K Q 9 6 3		♦ 5 2
♣ 8 6 5 4 2		♣ K 10 9 7

♠ K 5 2

♥ 9 5

♦ A J 10 8 7 4

♣ A 3

N

W     E

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♠ A Q J 9 8

♥ Q J 10 8 7 4

♦ —

♣ Q J

Shape 4324 3262 5602 1255 HCP 3 12 13 12 Losers 10 7 5 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Dbl	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !D

4 ♠× by North

Down 1 — NS -200



260 boards f

06BB42DB9A851639A171BDD67A18

**Board 241**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 4

♥ A 8 6 5 3

♦ 5

♣ 10 8 7 6 5

W

N

E

S

♠ K 6 3

♥ Q J 9 4 2

♦ 10 9 4

♣ A Q

♠ 9 8 2

♥ K 10

♦ K 7 6

♣ K J 9 4 3

♠ A J 10 7 5

♥ 7

♦ A Q J 8 3 2

♣ 2

Shape 3235 3532 5161 2515 HCP 10 12 12 6 Losers 8 8 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
4 ♥	Pass	Pass	5 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid

5 ♦ by South

Down 1 — NS -100

261 boards f

05AB55A79625FDB673156BA2BADE

**Board 242**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 10 6  
♥ —  
♦ K Q J 10 8 6  
♣ J 8 4 3 2

♠ 9 2  
♥ 9 8 7 3  
♦ A 5 3  
♣ K 10 9 6

♠ K 7 5  
♥ K J 6 2  
♦ 7 4  
♣ A Q 7 5

♠ A Q J 8 4 3  
♥ A Q 10 5 4  
♦ 9 2  
♣ —

W N E S

Shape 2065 3424 6520 2434 HCP 7 13 13 7 Losers 6 7 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
2 ♠ by North  
Made 5 — NS +200

262 boards f

07BFB81C68B50499DD9B3C0D9406

**Board 243**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 7

♥ A K 10 5

♦ 10 9 3 2

♣ 10 8 7 4

♠ Q 9 5 4 2

♥ 9 4 2

♦ K J 8 6

♣ 2

♠ J

♥ Q 8 7 6 3

♦ A Q 7 5 4

♣ A 6

♠ A K 10 8 6 3

♥ J

♦ —

♣ K Q J 9 5 3

W N E S

Shape 5341 1552 6106 1444 HCP 6 13 14 7 Losers 8 5 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
4 ♠ by North  
Made 5 — NS +650

263 boards f

04C8289399B496BE7C3D5A3CD2FF

**Board 244**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ K 6 4  
♥ A  
♦ 8 7 6 4 2  
♣ 9 8 5 3

♠ A 3 2  
♥ 10 8 7 6 4 2  
♦ Q 3  
♣ J 6

♠ 7 5  
♥ Q J 9 5 3  
♦ A K J 5  
♣ Q 2

♠ Q J 10 9 8  
♥ K  
♦ 10 9  
♣ A K 10 7 4

W N E S

Shape 3154 2542 5125 3622 HCP 7 13 13 7 Losers 8 7 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
4 ♥	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid  
4 ♥ by East  
Down 1 — NS +50

264 boards f

05A3D1218AA593CA6E1805DB21B4

**Board 245**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 8 4

♥ 2

♦ J 8 6 4

♣ K Q 10 5 3

♠ Q 6 5 3

♥ J 8 5

♦ 10 5 2

♣ J 8 7

♠ 7

♥ K 9 6 4

♦ A K Q 9 3

♣ A 9 4

♠ A J 10 9 2

♥ A Q 10 7 3

♦ 7

♣ 6 2

W N E S

Shape 4333 1453 5512 3145 HCP 4 16 11 9 Losers 11 5 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	3 ♠	4 ♦	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♦ by East

Made 5 — NS −150

265 boards f

07AF4FB5ABA12EBE4E91352BD6C9

**Board 246**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 3 2  
♥ Q 8 5  
♦ Q 5 3  
♣ Q 10 6 5 2

♠ 9 5 4  
♥ K 7 2  
♦ J 4 2  
♣ 9 8 7 3

♠ K 7  
♥ 6 3  
♦ A K 9 8 7  
♣ A K J 4

♠ A Q J 10 8 6  
♥ A J 10 9 4  
♦ 10 6  
♣ —

N  
W E  
S

Shape 3334 2254 6520 2335 HCP 4 18 12 6 Losers 11 5 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	3 ♣	3 ♠
4 ♣	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid  
4 ♣ by East  
Made 4 — NS -130

266 boards f

0465DA66476D41F42C67C1CF8912

**Board 247**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ K 8 5 4

♥ 8

♦ 9 5 2

♣ A 10 9 5 3

♠ 7 2

♥ J 9 5 4 3

♦ 10 7 4

♣ K Q 2

♠ 3

♥ A Q 10 7 6

♦ A Q J 8 6

♣ 8 7

♠ A Q J 10 9 6

♥ K 2

♦ K 3

♣ J 6 4

W

N

E

S

Shape 2533 6223 1552 4135 HCP 6 14 13 7 Losers 9 6 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
4 ♠	Pass	1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
		Pass	Pass
1. Michaels Cuebid			
4 ♠ by East			
Made 4 — NS -420			

268 boards f

07F363716F62F71C4929C226852E

**Board 248**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ A 9 5		♠ 8 6 4 2
♥ A Q 9		♥ 7 5 3
♦ 9 4 3		♦ 7 6
♣ Q 7 6 3		♣ 10 5 4 2
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		♥ 8
		♦ J 8 2
		♣ A K J 9
		♠ 3
		♥ K J 10 6 4 2
		♦ A K Q 10 5
		♣ 8

Shape 4324 5134 1651 3334 HCP 0 15 13 12 Losers 11 6 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT <sup>3</sup>	4 ♥
4 ♠	Pass	4 NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass
5 ♥ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	6 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. limit raise or better in !S
3. Cue bid, a !H stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for !S
5. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

6 ♠ by East

Down 2 — NS +200



269 boards f

04611473682076112F3D0FD0AE78

**Board 249**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 4

♥ Q 9 6 2

♦ A Q 10 8 4

♣ A 8 6

♠ K 10 8 7 6 5

♥ 5

♦ 7 6 5 3

♣ 9 3

♠ 3

♥ A J 10 7 3

♦ K 9

♣ K J 10 4 2

♠ A Q J 9 2

♥ K 8 4

♦ J 2

♣ Q 7 5

W

N

E

S

Shape 6142 5323 1525 1453 HCP 3 13 12 12 Losers 8 7 6 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
2 NT	Pass	3 NT	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid  
3 N by West  
Made 3 — NS -400

270 boards f

06E5A65EA5AE7935098E01A39773

**Board 250**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A		♠ 8 7 5
♥ 9 8 2		♥ 7 6 5
♦ Q 10 6		♦ 5 4 2
♣ A J 9 8 7 5		♣ K Q 10 6

♠ Q 9 2

♥ Q 3

♦ A K J 8 3

♣ 4 3 2

N
E

W
S

	♠ K J 10 6 4 3
	♥ A K J 10 4
	♦ 9 7
	♣ —

Shape 3334 3253 6520 1336 HCP 5 12 12 11 Losers 10 8 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♦	3 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid  
 2. strength cue bid  
 3 ♠ by South  
 Made 3 — NS +140

271 boards f

0570E06463108AEB7A26FC463981

**Board 251**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 8 5  
♥ A 7 5 3  
♦ 9 8 7 3  
♣ 3 2

♠ 10 6 3  
♥ 9 4 2  
♦ Q 6 4  
♣ 9 7 6 4

♠ A Q J 7 4  
♥ 10  
♦ A K J 10 2  
♣ J 8

♠ 9 2  
♥ K Q J 8 6  
♦ 5  
♣ A K Q 10 5

W

N

E

S

Shape 3334 5152 2515 3442 HCP 2 16 15 7 Losers 11 5 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	3 ♥	4 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♠ by East

Made 5 — NS -650

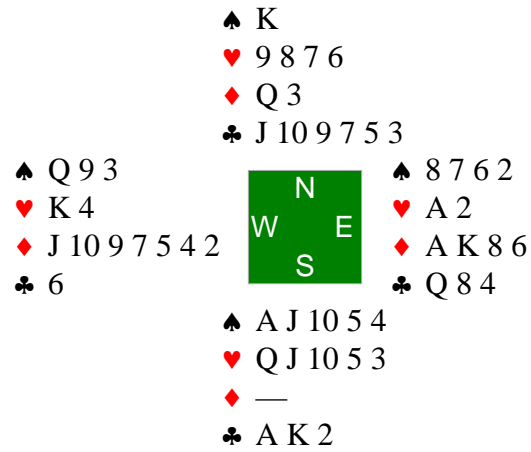
272 boards f

149838EFA2A2C24B4249A2B3EE50

**Board 252**

East Deals

None Vul



Shape 1426 4243 5503 3271 HCP 6 13 15 6 Losers 9 7 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
4 ♦	Pass	1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
		Pass	Pass
1. Michaels Cuebid			
4 ♦ by East			
Made 4 — NS -130			

273 boards f

16CC6F67287CE66E3E75D8064801

**Board 253**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 7 4 2  
♥ A 4 3 2  
♦ 2  
♣ 9 8 7 4

♠ A 9 5  
♥ 10 7 6  
♦ A K 10 8 7  
♣ 6 2

♠ K Q 10 8 6 3  
♥ 5  
♦ Q 9 6 4  
♣ K Q

♠ —  
♥ K Q J 9 8  
♦ J 5 3  
♣ A J 10 5 3

W N E S

Shape 4414 6142 0535 3352 HCP 5 12 12 11 Losers 9 5 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !S

4 ♠ by East

Made 5 — NS -450

274 boards f

152E73636E2D6857F608D5CFEEF5

**Board 254**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 10 6		♠ K Q J 9 8
♥ 6 4		♥ 8 5
♦ 8 7 5 2		♦ K Q
♣ A J 7 3		♣ K Q 8 4
♠ 7 5 4 3 2		
♥ K 7 2		
♦ 9 6		
♣ 10 5 2		
	<div>W N E S</div>	
♠ —		
♥ A Q J 10 9 3		
♦ A J 10 4 3		
♣ 9 6		

Shape 3244 5224 0652 5323 HCP 9 16 12 3 Losers 9 5 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

4 ♦ by South

Made 6 — NS +170

275 boards f

1771439DA2B472099AD94C9516D2

**Board 255**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 3  
♥ K 8 5  
♦ 8 7 6  
♣ J 9 7 3 2

♠ 6 2  
♥ A 10 9  
♦ 10 4 3  
♣ A Q 8 6 4

♠ A K 9 5  
♥ Q 7 6 4 3 2  
♦ Q 5  
♣ K

♠ Q J 10 7 4  
♥ J  
♦ A K J 9 2  
♣ 10 5

W N E S

Shape 2335 4621 5152 2335 HCP 4 14 12 10 Losers 10 6 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !H

4 ♥ by East

Made 4 — NS -620

276 boards f

16AE5FA4E7A2365DC3CA5E8DEE84

**Board 256**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9  
♥ 7 6 4 2  
♦ 10 7  
♣ A 10 9 6 5 3

♠ J 7 6 3  
♥ 9  
♦ A K 8 5 4 3  
♣ 8 4

♠ K 8 5  
♥ K 8 5  
♦ Q J 9 2  
♣ K J 7

♠ A Q 10 4 2  
♥ A Q J 10 3  
♦ 6  
♣ Q 2

W N E S

Shape 1426 3343 5512 4162 HCP 4 13 15 8 Losers 8 8 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
5 ♦	Pass	1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	Dbl

1. Michaels Cuebid

5 ♦ × by East

Down 2 — NS +300



277 boards f

1599A3C2A526924EC1DDA26D1BF5

**Board 257**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 7 6 2		♠ 10 3
♥ 2		♥ Q 8 7
♦ A 3		♦ J 10 2
♣ A J 7 6 4 2		♣ Q 10 9 8 5

W

N

E

S

♠ 8 4

♥ A 9 6 3

♦ K Q 9 7 5

♣ K 3

		♠ A K J 9 5
		♥ K J 10 5 4
		♦ 8 6 4
		♣ —

Shape 2335 2452 5530 4126 HCP 5 12 12 11 Losers 9 6 6 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♦	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid  
 2. strength cue bid  
 3 ♦ by East  
 Made 3 — NS -110

278 boards f

17549788C4BBF6A9DBD00A589B95

**Board 258**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 9 7 6

♥ 10 9

♦ A K J 9 2

♣ 8 2

♠ 5

♥ Q J 5

♦ Q 10 8 7 5 4 3

♣ 9 5

♠ A 4

♥ A K 7 6 4 3 2

♦ —

♣ K 10 7 3

♠ K Q 10 8 3 2

♥ 8

♦ 6

♣ A Q J 6 4

W N E S

Shape 1372 2704 6115 4252 HCP 5 14 12 9 Losers 7 4 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	4 ♥	4 ♠
5 ♥	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

5 ♥ by East

Made 5 — NS -650

279 boards f

1443656682E5654E4B107AEDD432

**Board 259**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 4 3

♥ 5 2

♦ A J 6 2

♣ K 10 9 4

♠ 6 2

♥ A J 8 7

♦ 8 4

♣ Q J 8 5 2

♠ J

♥ K Q 10 9 4

♦ K Q 10 9 3

♣ 6 3

♠ A K Q 9 8 7 5

♥ 6 3

♦ 7 5

♣ A 7

W

N

E

S

Shape 2425 7222 1552 3244 HCP 8 13 11 8 Losers 8 5 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	3 ♥	3 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♠ by East

Made 4 — NS −170

280 boards f

15816FA3F6A5A81111025E2949BA

**Board 260**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J

♥ J 2

♦ 9 4 3 2

♣ A 10 8 7 4 3

N

W

E

S

♠ K 5 3

♥ 8 7 5

♦ A Q 8 7 6

♣ K Q

♠ 8 7 6 4

♥ A 6 3

♦ J 10

♣ J 6 5 2

♠ A Q 10 9 2

♥ K Q 10 9 4

♦ K 5

♣ 9

Shape 4324 3352 5521 1246 HCP 6 14 14 6 Losers 10 7 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
4 ♠ by North  
Made 4 — NS +420

281 boards f

179EF1935AB26A910943D5C3D984

**Board 261**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 7  
♥ 7 6 4 2  
♦ J 9 7 3  
♣ A J 10 9

♠ K 5 4 3  
♥ K 10  
♦ 5 2  
♣ K 8 7 5 3

♠ J 9 6  
♥ A Q J 8 5 3  
♦ A  
♣ Q 6 4

♠ A Q 10 8 2  
♥ 9  
♦ K Q 10 8 6 4  
♣ 2

W N E S

Shape 1444 3613 5161 4225 HCP 6 14 11 9 Losers 9 6 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

3 ♦ by South

Made 5 — NS +150

282 boards f

146763062125327C3B37647D82DB

**Board 262**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 2		♠ Q J 10 9 7 6
♥ 9 8 7 6 4		♥ Q 3
♦ K J 9 3		♦ 8 4
♣ J 10 4		♣ Q 9 3

♠

♥

♦

♣

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♠

♥

♦

♣

♠ 3	♠ A K 8 5 4
♥ A K J 10 5	♥ 2
♦ A Q 10 6 5	♦ 7 2
♣ 8 5	♣ A K 7 6 2

Shape 6223 5125 1552 1543 HCP 7 14 14 5 Losers 8 5 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	3 ♣	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid
  2. to the partner's longer
- 3 ♣ by East  
Made 4 — NS -130

283 boards f

16DB2966666B33294EDFB93272E9

**Board 263**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 6 2		♠ K 9 8 4
♥ 9 5 4 3		♥ 7
♦ 7 6		♦ 9 4 3
♣ K 8 5 2		♣ Q J 7 4 3
	<div>♠ N ♥ W ♦ E ♣ S</div>	♠ Q J 10 7 3
		♥ A 6
		♦ Q J
		♣ A 10 9 6
		♠ 5
		♥ K Q J 10 8 2
		♦ A K 10 8 5 2
		♣ —

Shape 4135 5224 1660 3424 HCP 6 14 13 7 Losers 8 7 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	3 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

3 ♠ by East

Made 3 — NS -140

284 boards f

1751AF86A6A6DB3DAD7ADE8DE8CE

**Board 264**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8

♥ Q 4 2

♦ 9 6 3

♣ Q J 10 6 5 2

♠ 9 5 3 2

♥ 8 6

♦ Q J 10

♣ A 8 7 4

♠ A 6

♥ A 9 5

♦ K 8 7 5 4 2

♣ K 9

♠ K Q J 10 7 4

♥ K J 10 7 3

♦ A

♣ 3

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Shape 1336 2362 6511 4234 HCP 5 14 14 7 Losers 8 6 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	3 ♦	3 ♠
4 ♦	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♦ by East

Made 4 — NS −130



285 boards f

1452ABA5EDB16B1C5EBF3107ADCF

**Board 265**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ J 2

♥ 10 6 5

♦ A 10 5

♣ Q J 10 5 3

♠ 8 5 4

♥ 4 2

♦ J 8 7 6 3 2

♣ A 7

♠ A 9 7

♥ A 8 7

♦ K 9

♣ K 9 6 4 2

♠ K Q 10 6 3

♥ K Q J 9 3

♦ Q 4

♣ 8

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Shape 3262 3325 5521 2335 HCP 5 14 13 8 Losers 9 7 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 ♠	3 ♣	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♣ by East

Made 4 — NS −130

286 boards f

165C63DA2A6ACF7C3933B3257A2F

**Board 266**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 9		♠ J 7 6 4 2
♥ 8 7 6 5 3		♥ 9
♦ A 9 8 2		♦ K 6 5
♣ 7 4		♣ Q J 10 3

	<div style="display: inline-block; background-color: green; color: white; padding: 5px; text-align: center;">             N W     E S           </div>	
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	♠ 5	♠ A K 10 8 3
	♥ K J 10 4 2	♥ A Q
	♦ Q J 10 7 3	♦ 4
	♣ A 8	♣ K 9 6 5 2

Shape 5134 5215 1552 2542 HCP 7 16 11 6 Losers 8 5 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	3 ♣	Pass
3 ♠	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

3 ♠ by East

Down 1 — NS +50

287 boards f

15DE908F868D4A927D29D6DDD19A

**Board 267**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 6  
♥ Q J 10 9  
♦ J 5  
♣ A J 9 8 5 2

♠ A 5 4 3  
♥ 7  
♦ 9 6 2  
♣ 10 7 6 4 3

♠ 9 7  
♥ A K 8 5 4 3 2  
♦ K 8 3  
♣ Q

♠ K Q J 10 8 2  
♥ 6  
♦ A Q 10 7 4  
♣ K

W N E S

Shape 1426 2731 6151 4135 HCP 9 12 15 4 Losers 7 6 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	3 ♥	3 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

3 ♠ by South

Made 4 — NS +170

288 boards f

24697624A7471F305163CDCA26FD

**Board 268**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 5 4 2  
♥ K 8 2  
♦ 8 7 6  
♣ A 7 5 2

♠ Q 9 8 3  
♥ 10 5 4  
♦ 9 5 2  
♣ K 4 3

♠ A K 10 7 6  
♥ 9 7  
♦ A 4  
♣ J 10 9 6

♠ J  
♥ A Q J 6 3  
♦ K Q J 10 3  
♣ Q 8

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S

Shape 4333 5224 1552 3334 HCP 5 12 16 7 Losers 10 7 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	3 ♥	3 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♠ by East

Down 1 — NS +50

289 boards f

26C7A5A26CA5E255F70492118D2D

**Board 269**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 9 7

♥ 7

♦ J 3 2

♣ K 10 8 4 3 2

♠ 6 4 2

♥ A 6 3

♦ Q 9 5 4

♣ Q 9 5

♠ J 8

♥ 8 5 4

♦ A K 10 8 7 6

♣ A 7

♠ K Q 10 5 3

♥ K Q J 10 9 2

♦ —

♣ J 6

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Shape 3343 2362 5602 3136 HCP 8 12 12 8 Losers 9 7 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
3 ♥ by North  
Made 4 — NS +170

290 boards f

2570682338A56A291ED47DD41542

**Board 270**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 6 4  
♥ A J 5  
♦ K J 9 8  
♣ 10 8 5 3

♠ Q J 8 7 3  
♥ 2  
♦ 10 6 4 3  
♣ 9 7 2

♠ A K 9 5 2  
♥ 7 6 4 3  
♦ A Q 2  
♣ Q

♠ 10  
♥ K Q 10 9 8  
♦ 7 5  
♣ A K J 6 4

Shape 5143 5431 1525 2344 HCP 3 15 13 9 Losers 9 6 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣
Dbl	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

3 ♣× by South

Down 2 — NS -300

291 boards f

27CBAFAFA9A33946EFFF45EA8DC2

**Board 271**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ A 7 6 4 2

♥ 9 6

♦ 8 5

♣ J 9 5 3

♠ 9

♥ A 8 5 3 2

♦ A J 9 4

♣ 8 4 2

♠ 8 5

♥ —

♦ K Q 7 6 3

♣ A K Q 10 7 6

♠ K Q J 10 3

♥ K Q J 10 7 4

♦ 10 2

♣ —

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Shape 1543 2056 5620 5224 HCP 9 14 12 5 Losers 8 3 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
4 ♥ by North  
Made 5 — NS +650

292 boards f

26A7756AB2A35A768FEFE4C18E0D

**Board 272**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 6 5 4  
♥ K J 8  
♦ 7 6 3 2  
♣ K 4 2

♠ 2  
♥ 7 4 3 2  
♦ J 10 4  
♣ Q J 9 8 3

♠ K Q 9 8  
♥ 9  
♦ A K 8 5  
♣ A 10 7 6

♠ A J 10 7 3  
♥ A Q 10 6 5  
♦ Q 9  
♣ 5

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Shape 1435 4144 5521 3343 HCP 4 16 13 7 Losers 9 5 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	3 ♥	4 ♦	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♦ by East

Down 2 — NS +100



293 boards f

254FED9D9289807F94153ADE1AF7

**Board 273**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 4 2

♥ 8 5 2

♦ 10 5 3

♣ K Q 10 6

♠ 6 5 3

♥ A 10 9

♦ 7 6 2

♣ J 5 4 3

♠ A 8

♥ Q J 7 6 4 3

♦ J 9

♣ A 8 2

♠ Q J 10 9 7

♥ K

♦ A K Q 8 4

♣ 9 7

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Shape 3334 2623 5152 3334 HCP 5 12 15 8 Losers 11 7 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 ♠	3 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♥ by East

Made 3 — NS -140

294 boards f

27676F08C86434ED699EA53C7A3B

**Board 274**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 8  
♥ 9 4 3 2  
♦ A 10 9 5  
♣ 8 7 5

♠ Q 9 4 2  
♥ Q J  
♦ Q J 7 3 2  
♣ 6 3

♠ A K 10 7 3  
♥ 6  
♦ K 8 6 4  
♣ A K 2

♠ 6 5  
♥ A K 10 8 7 5  
♦ —  
♣ Q J 10 9 4

W N E S

Shape 4252 5143 2605 2443 HCP 8 17 10 5 Losers 8 5 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	3 ♦	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

3 ♦ by East

Made 4 — NS -130

295 boards f

2465D7DD6224E389457246396A06

**Board 275**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ K Q 9		♠ 10 4 2
♥ 6 4		♥ 8 7 5 2
♦ J 9 6		♦ Q
♣ A Q 8 7 4		♣ J 6 5 3 2

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♠ 8	♠ A J 7 6 5 3
♥ A J 10 9 3	♥ K Q
♦ A K 10 7 5 2	♦ 8 4 3
♣ 10	♣ K 9

Shape 3415 6232 1561 3235 HCP 3 13 12 12 Losers 10 7 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♠	5 ♦
Dbl	5 ♥	Pass	Pass
5 ♠	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !S

5 ♠ by East

Down 2 — NS +100

296 boards f

2598E79851884987F610386EB65A

**Board 276**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 7

♥ 7 5 3

♦ A Q 10 9 5 2

♣ J 9

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♠ J 9 4 2

♥ A Q J 6 2

♦ J 6

♣ K 8

♠ 6 5

♥ 10 9 8

♦ K 8 7 3

♣ 7 4 3 2

♠ A Q 10 8 3

♥ K 4

♦ 4

♣ A Q 10 6 5

Shape 2344 4522 5215 2362 HCP 3 12 15 10 Losers 10 7 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !H

3 ♥ by East

Made 3 — NS -140

297 boards f

27BFA6DEAD29F6AECE7E2A8D93E7

**Board 277**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10 5

♥ 7 4

♦ 10 5

♣ K Q 9 8 7 6 5

♠ 6

♥ Q 3

♦ A Q J 8 7 6 4

♣ A 3 2

♠ Q 9 7 2

♥ A 9 6

♦ K 9 2

♣ J 10 4

♠ A K J 8 4 3

♥ K J 10 8 5 2

♦ 3

♣ —

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Shape 2227 1273 6610 4333 HCP 5 13 12 10 Losers 7 6 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	3 ♦	Pass
3 NT	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid  
3 N by West  
Made 3 — NS -600

298 boards f

24AE6BD881AF51ADC6CF9AECCBF2

**Board 278**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ —

♥ J 7 6 3

♦ A 10 8 6 4

♣ A 7 5 2

♠ Q 7 6 4 3 2

♥ 2

♦ J 9 2

♣ J 9 8

♠ K 9

♥ Q 9 5

♦ K Q 5 3

♣ K 10 6 3

♠ A J 10 8 5

♥ A K 10 8 4

♦ 7

♣ Q 4

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Shape 0454 2344 5512 6133 HCP 9 13 14 4 Losers 7 6 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
3 ♥ by North  
Made 6 — NS +230

300 boards f

276733AD80ADB61F162A7E15BB25

**Board 279**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ —

♥ K 9 5 3

♦ A 9 7 4 2

♣ Q 10 4 2

♠ K 8 7 6 4 2

♥ J

♦ 6 3

♣ 9 7 6 5

♠ A 5

♥ 8 7 4

♦ Q 10 8 5

♣ A K 8 3

♠ Q J 10 9 3

♥ A Q 10 6 2

♦ K J

♣ J

W N

E S

Shape 6124 2344 5521 0454 HCP 4 13 14 9 Losers 8 7 5 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
4 ♠ by North  
Made 4 — NS +620

301 boards f

249E936DAF2DED110AE987B855FF

**Board 280**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 6 2

♥ 4 2

♦ K 8

♣ Q 10 9 8 6 3

♠ 10 8 7

♥ 7 5

♦ A Q J 10 9 2

♣ A 7

♠ Q 3

♥ A K 8 3

♦ 7 6 4

♣ K J 5 2

♠ A K J 5 4

♥ Q J 10 9 6

♦ 5 3

♣ 4

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Shape 3262 2434 5521 3226 HCP 11 13 11 5 Losers 7 8 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
4 ♣	Pass	Pass	Pass
1. Michaels Cuebid			
4 ♣ by East			
Down 1 — NS +50			



304 boards f

34A379A88A65EF391CAF1DCD9DC3

**Board 281**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 7 5  
♥ J 4 2  
♦ 9 7 6 5 4 3  
♣ J

♠ 9 4 2  
♥ K 8  
♦ A 2  
♣ K 10 8 5 4 3

♠ K 10  
♥ 7 5 3  
♦ K Q J 8  
♣ A 9 6 2

♠ A Q J 6 3  
♥ A Q 10 9 6  
♦ 10  
♣ Q 7

W N E S

Shape 3361 2344 5512 3226 HCP 2 13 15 10 Losers 10 7 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	Pass
3 ♣	Pass	3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass
5 ♣	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !C

5 ♣ by West

Made 5 — NS -400

305 boards f

369EA762BDEDA6219374BE4AC7C3

**Board 282**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 10 3 2

♥ J 6 5

♦ A J 10 5

♣ J 10 8

♠ 8

♥ 4 3 2

♦ Q 8 7 2

♣ A Q 9 5 4

♠ Q 6 4

♥ A 7

♦ K 9 6 3

♣ K 7 3 2

♠ A K J 9 7 5

♥ K Q 10 9 8

♦ 4

♣ 6

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Shape 1345 3244 6511 3343 HCP 8 12 13 7 Losers 7 7 4 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♥ by North

Made 5 — NS +650

306 boards f

3592FF8F358CE58E1B76791EDB9F

**Board 283**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 9 3

♥ K J 6 5

♦ 7 5 3

♣ J 9 5

♠ J 7 4

♥ Q 10 8

♦ J 9 6

♣ A 8 6 4

♠ 6 5

♥ A 7 4 3 2

♦ A

♣ K Q 7 3 2

♠ A Q 10 8 2

♥ 9

♦ K Q 10 8 4 2

♣ 10

W N E S

Shape 3334 2515 5161 3433 HCP 8 13 11 8 Losers 10 5 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 ♠	3 ♥	4 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid  
4 ♦ by South  
Made 5 — NS +150

307 boards f

376E6273A9604ECA4E356DF261F6

**Board 284**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 4 2

♥ Q 6 4 2

♦ 6 2

♣ J 6 5 3

♠ 6

♥ 9 8 7

♦ J 8

♣ A K 9 8 7 4 2

♠ A K Q 10 9 7 5 3

♥ —

♦ A 9 7 5

♣ Q

♠ J

♥ A K J 10 5 3

♦ K Q 10 4 3

♣ 10

W

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Shape 1327 8041 1651 3424 HCP 8 15 14 3 Losers 7 3 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♥	4 ♠	5 ♥
Pass	Pass	5 ♠	Pass
Pass	Dbl	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

5 ♠× by East

Made 5 — NS −850

308 boards f

36EC4F5063EC022C7AE6187D5C33

**Board 285**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 8 5 2  
♥ K 9  
♦ Q J 9 2  
♣ 9 7 6

♠ A 10 6  
♥ 7 4 2  
♦ A K 10 8 4 3  
♣ 4

♠ K Q J 7 4 3  
♥ Q 5 3  
♦ 6  
♣ K J 2

♠ —  
♥ A J 10 8 6  
♦ 7 5  
♣ A Q 10 8 5 3

W N E S

Shape 4243 6313 0526 3361 HCP 6 12 11 11 Losers 9 6 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♠	5 ♣
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !S

5 ♣ by South

Down 1 — NS -100

309 boards f

358F9BDD855CD2B512C1BDC4077C

**Board 286**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 7 3  
♥ A J 6 4 3  
♦ J 8 4 3  
♣ 9 7

♠ Q 9 6 4  
♥ 8 5 2  
♦ K  
♣ Q J 8 6 5

♠ 10 2  
♥ K Q 10 9 7  
♦ 9 7 6  
♣ A K 3

♠ A K J 8 5  
♥ —  
♦ A Q 10 5 2  
♣ 10 4 2

W N E S

Shape 2542 2533 5053 4315 HCP 6 12 14 8 Losers 9 7 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

3 ♦ by South

Made 4 — NS +130

311 boards f

3499B098000EA5153B4C991930C3

**Board 287**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 2  
♥ K 7 3  
♦ K J 3 2  
♣ A 9 8 5 4

♠ J 10 8 7 4 3  
♥ J 10 6 2  
♦ 10 6  
♣ 10

♠ 6  
♥ A Q 8 5 4  
♦ A Q 7 5 4  
♣ 7 2

♠ A K Q 9 5  
♥ 9  
♦ 9 8  
♣ K Q J 6 3

W N E S

Shape 6421 1552 5125 1345 HCP 2 12 15 11 Losers 9 5 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Dbl	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !H

4 ♠× by North

Down 1 — NS -100

312 boards f

355CB0FB8D84B4D70A985B2913C6

**Board 288**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 7 4 3  
♥ J 10 7 2  
♦ 10 9 8 2  
♣ 7 2

♠ Q 8 2  
♥ K Q 9  
♦ Q 7 6 5 4  
♣ J 4

♠ A 5  
♥ A 8 6 5 3  
♦ K 3  
♣ Q 8 5 3

♠ K J 10 9 6  
♥ 4  
♦ A J  
♣ A K 10 9 6

W N E S

Shape 3442 2524 5125 3352 HCP 1 13 16 10 Losers 11 6 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !H

4 ♥ by East

Down 1 — NS +100



314 boards f

3492A86387AA19EDDC8DF3DE09EF

**Board 289**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 7 5 4 2

♥ 5

♦ A Q 5

♣ 9 8 6 3

♠ 9 3

♥ J 6 3

♦ 8 7 6 4 2

♣ A 10 4

♠ Q

♥ A 9 7 4

♦ K 10 9 3

♣ Q J 5 2

♠ A K J 10 6

♥ K Q 10 8 2

♦ J

♣ K 7

W

N

E

S

Shape 2353 1444 5512 5134 HCP 5 12 17 6 Losers 10 7 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
2 ♥ by North  
Made 5 — NS +200

317 boards f

3447EA25DFE57254C7C92D624C23

**Board 290**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ K J 10 7 6

♥ 9

♦ 9 4 2

♣ Q 10 6 5

♠ —

♥ K Q 10 5 4 2

♦ A Q 10 8 7

♣ 8 3

♠ Q 5 2

♥ A 7 6 3

♦ J 5 3

♣ K 9 4

♠ A 9 8 4 3

♥ J 8

♦ K 6

♣ A J 7 2

W

N

E

S

Shape 3433 5224 0652 5134 HCP 10 13 11 6 Losers 9 7 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
4 ♠	Pass	Pass	5 ♥
5 ♠	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

5 ♠ by East

Down 1 — NS +50

318 boards f

36EF93A951A274F0AE7605C326BF

**Board 291**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 8 4  
♥ 9 8 6 2  
♦ A 7 2  
♣ Q J 5

♠ 5 3  
♥ 5 4  
♦ K J 10 8 4  
♣ 10 7 6 3

♠ J 9 6  
♥ K J  
♦ 9 6 5 3  
♣ A K 4 2

♠ K Q 10 7 2  
♥ A Q 10 7 3  
♦ Q  
♣ 9 8

W N E S

Shape 2254 3244 5512 3433 HCP 4 12 13 11 Losers 9 8 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid
  2. strength cue bid
- 3 ♣ by East  
Down 1 — NS +50

319 boards f

35839AA1EA69C83B855782EF4866

**Board 292**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8

♥ A 9 7 5 3

♦ 7 6 2

♣ K J 5 2

♠ J 9 4

♥ 8

♦ K J 10 9 8 3

♣ Q 10 7

♠ 10 6 3 2

♥ K 6

♦ A Q 5

♣ A 8 6 4

♠ A K Q 7 5

♥ Q J 10 4 2

♦ 4

♣ 9 3

N

W E

S

Shape 1534 4234 5512 3163 HCP 8 13 12 7 Losers 8 7 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♥ by North

Made 4 — NS +420

320 boards f

4469AA2A8BB1CED5EB8CF1EE981F

**Board 293**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 8 7 5 4

♥ 10 5

♦ 10 5

♣ A 10 8 5

♠ Q 2

♥ J 9 6

♦ 9 6 4 2

♣ K Q 9 4

♠ A

♥ 8 3 2

♦ A K Q J 7 3

♣ J 7 2

♠ K J 10 6 3

♥ A K Q 7 4

♦ 8

♣ 6 3

W

N

E

S

Shape 2344 1363 5512 5224 HCP 8 15 13 4 Losers 9 6 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	3 ♦	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♦ by East

Made 3 — NS -110

321 boards f

46BF1BA4A36EBC534EBEEF660E3E

**Board 294**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 5

♥ A 9 6 2

♦ A 10 9 7 6 5 3 2

♣ —

♠ K 3 2

♥ 7 3

♦ J 8

♣ 10 7 6 4 3 2

♠ 10 8 7 4

♥ K 8

♦ Q 4

♣ A K J 8 5

W

N

E

S

♠ A Q J 9 6

♥ Q J 10 5 4

♦ K

♣ Q 9

Shape 3226 4225 5512 1480 HCP 4 13 15 8 Losers 9 7 6 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
5 ♦	Pass	Pass	Pass
1. Michaels Cuebid			
5 ♦ by West			
Made 5 — NS -400			

322 boards f

456B9BA6AA5E7633E533E789ED82

**Board 295**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 7 5 3  
♥ 9 8 6  
♦ A K J 4  
♣ 7 4 3

W N E S

♠ 8 6  
♥ 4 2  
♦ Q 9 7 5  
♣ Q J 10 9 2

♠ A 10 9  
♥ K 10  
♦ 8 6 2  
♣ A K 8 6 5

♠ K Q J 4 2  
♥ A Q J 7 5 3  
♦ 10 3  
♣ —

Shape 2245 3235 5620 3343 HCP 5 14 13 8 Losers 8 7 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
2 ♥ by North  
Made 3 — NS +140

323 boards f

4751EE64D0234FE9563160F60B3A

**Board 296**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ K J 8 4

♥ 6 4 2

♦ Q 7 4

♣ A 8 6

♠ 10 6 3 2

♥ 9 3

♦ 8 3 2

♣ K 7 4 2

♠ —

♥ K Q 10 8 5

♦ A J 10 6 5

♣ Q J 5

♠ A Q 9 7 5

♥ A J 7

♦ K 9

♣ 10 9 3

W

N

E

S

Shape 4234 5323 0553 4333 HCP 3 14 13 10 Losers 10 7 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !S

4 ♠ by East

Made 4 — NS -620



324 boards f

469A5DCBA981BE9A09C69A15155D

**Board 297**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 6

♥ 9

♦ K 9 2

♣ K J 10 7 4 3 2

♠ 7 4 3

♥ Q 10 7 6

♦ 10

♣ A 9 8 6 5

♠ K 2

♥ A K 8 5 4 3 2

♦ 6 4 3

♣ Q

♠ A J 10 9 8 5

♥ J

♦ A Q J 8 7 5

♣ —

W

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Shape 3 4 1 5 2 7 3 1 6 1 6 0 2 1 3 7 HCP 6 12 13 9 Losers 8 6 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	3 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♥ by East

Down 1 — NS +50

325 boards f

459A6B6F2EEDF9214A0F9AFE6346

**Board 298**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 10 9 4

♥ 9 4

♦ A K 9 7 5

♣ 10 9 8

♠ J 8 6

♥ 7 6 2

♦ 2

♣ A J 7 5 4 2

♠ K Q 7 3 2

♥ A 5

♦ 8 3

♣ K Q 6 3

W

N

E

S

♠ A 5

♥ K Q J 10 8 3

♦ Q J 10 6 4

♣ —

Shape 3316 5224 2650 3253 HCP 6 14 13 7 Losers 9 5 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	3 ♥	3 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♠ by East

Made 3 — NS -140

327 boards f

442BB2659AA29AFE6F408EE041FB

**Board 299**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 4 2

♥ K 8 2

♦ K 10 6 4 3

♣ Q 3

♠ A

♥ 6 5 3

♦ 8 7 5

♣ K J 10 9 8 5

♠ Q 7 6 3

♥ J 9

♦ A J 9 2

♣ A 7 2

♠ K J 10 9 5

♥ A Q 10 7 4

♦ Q

♣ 6 4

W N E S

Shape 1336 4243 5512 3352 HCP 8 12 12 8 Losers 8 8 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

2 ♥ by North

Made 3 — NS +140

328 boards f

459F6BE4EE7C365F0A67F56A1BFE

**Board 300**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q J 5 2

♥ 10 9 5 2

♦ K 7 4 3

♣ 5

♠ 9 7 3

♥ 7

♦ Q 9 6 5

♣ J 9 7 4 2

♠ A

♥ K Q J 6 4

♦ A J 10 8 2

♣ Q 10

♠ K 10 8 6 4

♥ A 8 3

♦ —

♣ A K 8 6 3

W

N

E

S

Shape 3 1 4 5 5 3 0 5 1 5 5 2 4 4 4 1 HCP 3 14 17 6 Losers 9 5 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	3 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

3 ♠ by East

Made 5 — NS -200

329 boards f

479B8CF4948491FF141B3CEB050E

**Board 301**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 8 4

♥ Q 8 5

♦ Q J 10 7 3

♣ 9 3

♠ 7 6 5 3 2

♥ K 10 3 2

♦ A 6 4

♣ 2

♠ —

♥ A J 9 7 6

♦ K 8 5 2

♣ A 8 6 4

♠ A K J 10 9

♥ 4

♦ 9

♣ K Q J 10 7 5

W

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Shape 5431 0544 5116 3352 HCP 7 12 14 7 Losers 8 6 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
4 ♠ by North  
Made 5 — NS +650

330 boards f

44255A652B04D839604D2E76F7F2

**Board 302**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ A J 10 8 5  
♥ 10 6  
♦ 6 5  
♣ K 5 4 2

♠ 9 3 2  
♥ 8 4 3 2  
♦ 7 2  
♣ A Q 8 6

♠ —  
♥ A Q J 7 5  
♦ A Q 10 4 3  
♣ 10 9 7

♠ K Q 7 6 4  
♥ K 9  
♦ K J 9 8  
♣ J 3

W N E S

Shape 5224 5242 0553 3424 HCP 8 13 13 6 Losers 8 6 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

3 ♦ by South

Down 1 — NS -50

331 boards f

46606913D96916C16E7AFA9591E2

**Board 303**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 8 5 2

♥ 6 5

♦ 7

♣ K J 10 8 4 3

♠ Q 9

♥ 8

♦ A Q 8 3 2

♣ 9 7 6 5 2

♠ A K 10 7 6

♥ Q J 9 4 3

♦ 9 4

♣ Q

♠ 4 3

♥ A K 10 7 2

♦ K J 10 6 5

♣ A

W

N

E

S

Shape 2155 5521 2551 4216 HCP 8 12 15 5 Losers 7 6 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♠	Pass	Pass	Pass
1. Michaels Cuebid			
3 ♠ by East			
Down 1 — NS +50			

332 boards f

47AF15EEABBBBC537D6108FCEEAAC

**Board 304**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 8 6

♥ 9 5 4

♦ J 10 3

♣ Q 7 4 3

♠ Q 9 7 4 3

♥ 10 8

♦ K 9 8 7

♣ K 9

♠ —

♥ K 7 6

♦ A Q 5 4 2

♣ A J 10 8 5

W

N

E

S

♠ A J 10 5 2

♥ A Q J 3 2

♦ 6

♣ 6 2

Shape 3334 0355 5512 5242 HCP 6 14 12 8 Losers 10 5 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 ♠	5 ♦	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

5 ♦ by East

Made 5 — NS -600



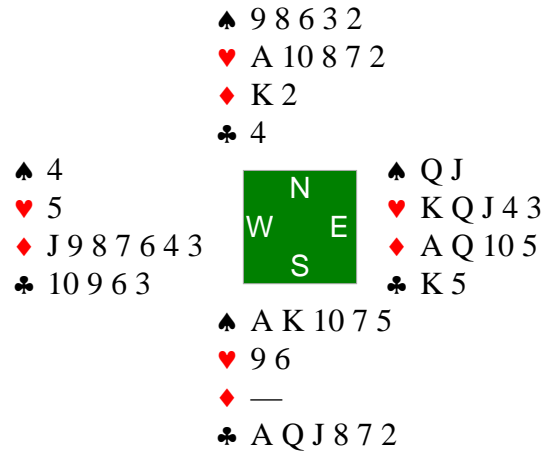
333 boards f

44889F58508921008021BBD2110C

**Board 305**

East Deals

None Vul



Shape 5521 2542 5206 1174 HCP 7 18 14 1 Losers 7 5 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
4 ♠ by North  
Made 6 — NS +480

334 boards f

4696ECA7922173AF9E2D0EBFD50B

**Board 306**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 3

♥ 9 4

♦ K 8 7 6 5 4

♣ 10 6 3

♠ 10 6 5 2

♥ 5 2

♦ J 10 9

♣ A J 7 5

♠ 9

♥ A J 7 3

♦ A Q 3

♣ Q 9 8 4 2

♠ A Q J 8 7 4

♥ K Q 10 8 6

♦ 2

♣ K

W

N

E

S

Shape 4234 1435 6511 2263 HCP 6 13 15 6 Losers 10 6 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♠	Dbl	Pass
4 ♦	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Dbl	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♠× by North

Made 5 — NS +990

335 boards f

45E3D4D06664257C794C19E50658

**Board 307**

East Deals

E-W Vul


♠ A K Q 4		♠ 9 5 3
♥ 8 7		♥ 6 3
♦ 7 5 2		♦ K J 10 9 4 3
♣ 9 7 5 4		♣ J 3

W

N

E

S



		♠ J 10 8 7 6 2
		♥ K Q 5 2
		♦ A Q
		♣ A

♠ —
♥ A J 10 9 4
♦ 8 6
♣ K Q 10 8 6 2

Shape 3262 6421 0526 4234 HCP 5 16 10 9 Losers 9 5 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass
4 ♠	Pass	4 NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass
5 ♠ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	6 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. limit raise or better in !S
3. Cue bid, a !H stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for !S
5. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1

6 ♠ by East

Made 6 — NS -1430

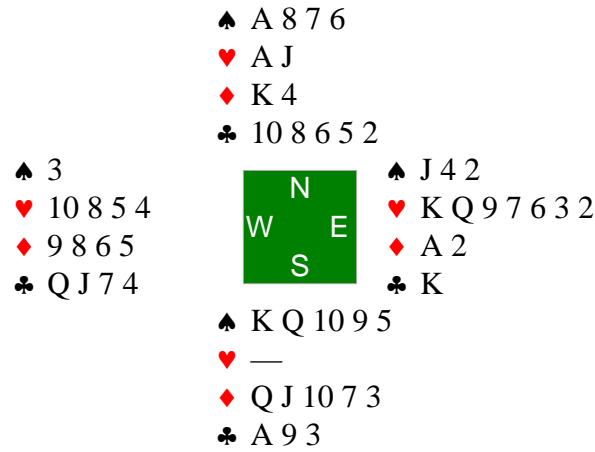
336 boards f

54089F9545B690321512B27DD45A

**Board 308**

East Deals

None Vul



Shape 4225 3721 5053 1444 HCP 12 13 12 3 Losers 7 6 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♥	4 ♠	5 ♥	Pass
Pass	Dbl	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

5 ♥× by East

Down 2 — NS +300

338 boards f

55DF9DBED58BB73E6275D67AA79E

**Board 309**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A J 5

♥ Q 9 8 6 4

♦ 10 4

♣ K J 6

♠ 8

♥ 10

♦ J 9 6 5 3

♣ Q 8 7 5 4 2

♠ 7 6 4

♥ A K J 5 2

♦ 7

♣ A 10 9 3

♠ K Q 10 9 3 2

♥ 7 3

♦ A K Q 8 2

♣ —

W

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S

Shape 1156 3514 6250 3523 HCP 3 12 14 11 Losers 7 7 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♥	4 ♠
Dbl	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !H

4 ♠× by South

Down 2 — NS -300



341 boards f

5583A16639AB8714BA31C92F57AB

**Board 311**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 5

♥ J 7 6

♦ J 10 7 5 2

♣ K J 6 5

♠ J 8 6 4

♥ A 9 5

♦ Q 9 8 3

♣ Q 7

♠ Q 3

♥ 8 3

♦ A K 6

♣ A 10 9 4 3 2

♠ A K 10 9 7 2

♥ K Q 10 4 2

♦ 4

♣ 8

W N E S

Shape 4342 2236 6511 1354 HCP 9 13 12 6 Losers 9 7 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	3 ♠	4 ♣	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid  
4 ♠ by North  
Made 5 — NS +450

342 boards f

57637E6AE142D320BAA9F6F97F5A

**Board 312**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 9 5 4

♥ K 7 5 4 3

♦ 5

♣ J 6 4

W

N

E

S

♠ 8

♥ 10

♦ Q 7 6 4 2

♣ K Q 10 7 5 2

♠ A K Q 10 3 2

♥ 9 2

♦ K 3

♣ A 9 3

♠ 7 6

♥ A Q J 8 6

♦ A J 10 9 8

♣ 8

Shape 1156 6223 2551 4513 HCP 7 16 12 5 Losers 5 5 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♠	Pass	Pass	Pass
1. Michaels Cuebid			
3 ♠ by East			
Made 3 — NS -140			



343 boards f

549840DE848A19DDEDEBC1839E39D

**Board 313**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 8 7 3

♥ 6 4

♦ K 3

♣ 9 8 7 4 2

W

N

E

S

♠ K

♥ A Q 9 8 5 2

♦ A 10 9 5 4

♣ 3

♠ 9 5 4

♥ K J 10

♦ Q 8 7 6 2

♣ Q 10

♠ A J 10 6 2

♥ 7 3

♦ J

♣ A K J 6 5

Shape 3352 1651 5215 4225 HCP 8 13 14 5 Losers 9 5 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	3 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♥ by East

Made 4 — NS −170

344 boards f

55385394B8971AF9C6D20EBC10AB

**Board 314**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8 7 6  
♥ A J 8 4  
♦ A J 9 8 2  
♣ 8

♠ A 9 5 3  
♥ 7 5  
♦ Q 10 7  
♣ 9 7 6 5

♠ K  
♥ K Q 10 9 6 3  
♦ K 6 3  
♣ K 10 2

♠ Q J 10 4 2  
♥ 2  
♦ 5 4  
♣ A Q J 4 3

W N E S

Shape 4234 1633 5125 3451 HCP 6 14 10 10 Losers 9 6 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	3 ♠	4 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !H

4 ♥ by East

Made 5 — NS -650

346 boards f

549A95962DE7019FC4FBD9159E3D

**Board 315**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 7 6 5  
♥ 6 2  
♦ 9  
♣ K J 9 5 4 2

♠ J 9 4 2  
♥ 9 7  
♦ J 8 3 2  
♣ A Q 3

♠ —  
♥ A K Q 8 5 4 3  
♦ A 6 5  
♣ 10 8 6

♠ A K Q 8 3  
♥ J 10  
♦ K Q 10 7 4  
♣ 7

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Shape 4243 0733 5251 4216 HCP 8 13 15 4 Losers 9 5 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	4 ♥	Pass
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
5 ♥	Pass	Pass	Dbl
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid

5 ♥× by East

Down 1 — NS +100

347 boards f

56978EEBC9B896421A0CDFDE3FBB

**Board 316**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q J 5 4

♥ 10 3 2

♦ K 6 5 4 3

♣ J

♠ 7 6 3

♥ K J 8 6

♦ 8

♣ K 9 8 7 4

♠ 8

♥ A 9 7 5 4

♦ A 9

♣ A Q 5 3 2

♠ A K 10 9 2

♥ Q

♦ Q J 10 7 2

♣ 10 6

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Shape 3415 1525 5152 4351 HCP 7 14 12 7 Losers 8 5 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 ♠	3 ♥	Pass
Pass	3 ♠	4 ♥	Pass
Pass	Dbl	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♥× by East

Made 4 — NS −590

348 boards f

579B27A583692BF5C9BC9E67C84E

**Board 317**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 7 3  
♥ 8 6  
♦ K Q 8 4  
♣ Q 10 8 7

♠ K 9  
♥ J 7 3 2  
♦ A 10 9 7 3  
♣ 5 2

♠ 10 4 2  
♥ A 5  
♦ 6 5 2  
♣ A K J 9 4

♠ A Q J 6 5  
♥ K Q 10 9 4  
♦ J  
♣ 6 3

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Shape 2452 3235 5512 3244 HCP 8 12 13 7 Losers 8 8 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
4 ♥ by North  
Made 4 — NS +620

349 boards f

549A98EAA2EA3F2BF1BB0B35A236

**Board 318**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 10 7

♥ 9 7 6 4 2

♦ J 7 3

♣ 7 4

♠ —

♥ A K

♦ A K Q 10 8 6 5

♣ 9 8 6 5

♠ A K J 6 3

♥ Q J 10 8 3

♦ 4 2

♣ K

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Shape 5116 0274 5521 3532 HCP 7 16 14 3 Losers 6 3 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♠	5 ♦	Pass
Pass	5 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

5 ♠ by North

Made 5 — NS +450

350 boards f

564669F9EB294176ED0358CE2067

**Board 319**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 10 6 3  
♥ A 9 6 4  
♦ 9 6 3  
♣ A 8 4

♠ Q J 7 4  
♥ Q 8  
♦ 7 4  
♣ K Q 10 9 7

♠ —  
♥ K J 10 7 3 2  
♦ K Q J 10 5  
♣ 5 3

♠ A K 9 8 5 2  
♥ 5  
♦ A 8 2  
♣ J 6 2

W N E S

Shape 3433 6133 0652 4225 HCP 8 12 10 10 Losers 10 7 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Dbl	3 ♠	4 ♥
4 ♠	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !S

4 ♠ by East

Made 4 — NS -420

351 boards f

554EE36FFFEB746E364536702D78

**Board 320**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 7 5 3  
♥ A 6  
♦ 9 7 6 5  
♣ A 8 7 5

♠ K J 10  
♥ J 9 7 5 4 2  
♦ 10 2  
♣ 6 3

♠ A Q 9 8 6 4 2  
♥ —  
♦ K 4  
♣ K Q J 10

♠ —  
♥ K Q 10 8 3  
♦ A Q J 8 3  
♣ 9 4 2

W N E S

Shape 3244 7024 0553 3622 HCP 8 15 12 5 Losers 9 3 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	4 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

4 ♠ by East

Made 5 — NS -650



352 boards f

64DC98DC8D8ACF1CBDE8B1BF5FF7

**Board 321**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 8

♥ J 10 9

♦ A Q J 9 8 7 4 3

♣ 10

♠ A Q 9 6 2

♥ 7 5 4 2

♦ 5

♣ J 7 5

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♠ 3

♥ A K Q 8 3

♦ K 10 6

♣ 9 4 3 2

♠ K J 10 7 5 4

♥ 6

♦ 2

♣ A K Q 8 6

Shape 1381 1534 6115 5413 HCP 8 12 13 7 Losers 6 6 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
4 ♥	Pass	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♠ by South

Made 4 — NS +420

354 boards f

6554B0D592805D48049A35B07EFA

**Board 322**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 2

♥ K 5 4 3 2

♦ 8 6 2

♣ Q 9 5

♠ 7 5

♥ 10 8 7

♦ A Q 7 5

♣ J 6 3 2

♠ A 9 8 3

♥ A Q J 9 6

♦ K J 10 4

♣ —

♠ K J 10 6 4

♥ —

♦ 9 3

♣ A K 10 8 7 4

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Shape 2344 4540 5026 2533 HCP 7 15 11 7 Losers 9 5 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	3 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

3 ♥ by East

Made 5 — NS -200

355 boards f

67A76F8D09AB95B6E8992C370717

**Board 323**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 7

♥ 8 4

♦ A 9 8 4 3 2

♣ Q J 9 6

♠ J 5 4 3 2

♥ Q J 3

♦ J 10 7 6

♣ 8

♠ K

♥ 9 6 2

♦ K Q 5

♣ A K 10 4 3 2

♠ A Q 10 9 8 6

♥ A K 10 7 5

♦ —

♣ 7 5

W N E S

Shape 5341 1336 6502 1264 HCP 5 15 13 7 Losers 9 6 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	4 ♠	5 ♣	5 ♠
Pass	Pass	Dbl	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

5 ♠× by North

Made 6 — NS +1050

356 boards f

668B6FE6A1827D46A1AB133D4F9D

**Board 324**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q

♥ 9 4

♦ K 9 4 3 2

♣ J 9 7 4 2

♠ 5 4

♥ A 10 8 3

♦ J 10 7 5

♣ Q 10 8

♠ K 9 8 3

♥ 5 2

♦ Q 8

♣ A K 6 5 3

♠ A J 10 7 6 2

♥ K Q J 7 6

♦ A 6

♣ —

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Shape 2443 4225 6520 1255 HCP 7 12 15 6 Losers 9 7 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 ♥	3 ♣	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♥	5 ♣	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

5 ♣ by East

Down 2 — NS +100

357 boards f

659F231D6E2D76E86671494BED05

**Board 325**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K Q 10 2  
♥ 5 4 2  
♦ 9 7 2  
♣ J 9 7

♠ 8 3  
♥ 9 6  
♦ 8 5 4  
♣ Q 10 6 5 3 2

♠ J 9 7 6 5 4  
♥ A Q  
♦ K 6  
♣ A K 4

♠ A  
♥ K J 10 8 7 3  
♦ A Q J 10 3  
♣ 8

W N E S

Shape 4333 6223 1651 2236 HCP 6 17 15 2 Losers 10 6 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥	3 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♠ by East

Down 1 — NS +100

358 boards f

67AE5FD5A2A68636EB8E43DFC6A5

**Board 326**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8

♥ 9 6 5 3

♦ 7

♣ A J 10 9 8 6 3

♠ Q 7 4 3

♥ 8

♦ Q 10 9 8 3 2

♣ Q 2

♠ K 5

♥ K Q 4

♦ A K 6 4

♣ K 7 5 4

♠ A J 10 9 6 2

♥ A J 10 7 2

♦ J 5

♣ —

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Shape 1417 2344 6520 4162 HCP 5 18 11 6 Losers 7 5 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	3 ♥	4 ♦	Pass
Pass	4 ♥	Dbl	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♥× by North

Made 5 — NS +990

359 boards f

64BB2DA9AB83E0CD5A1622727DAF

**Board 327**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 8		♠ K 6 5
♥ A 4 3		♥ 10 8
♦ 10 9 5 4		♦ K 8 3 2
♣ K Q 8 3		♣ 7 6 5 4
	<div>♠ N ♥ W ♦ E ♣ S</div>	♠ 7 4 3
		♥ 7 6
		♦ A Q J 7
		♣ A J 10 2
		♠ A Q J 10 2
		♥ K Q J 9 5 2
		♦ 6
		♣ 9

Shape 3244 3244 5611 2344 HCP 6 12 13 9 Losers 9 8 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 ♠	Pass	Pass
Dbl	Pass	3 ♣	3 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♥ by South

Made 4 — NS +170

360 boards f

6591919808E8D894FEB2B6164376

**Board 328**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 10 9 7	<div style="display: inline-block; text-align: center;"> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; background-color: green; color: white;"> N W     E S </div> </div>	♠ 3 2
♥ 7 6 5 2		♥ A K Q 9 8 4
♦ Q J 10 9		♦ A K 6 3
♣ A K		♣ 3
		♠ A K Q 8 6 5
		♥ 10
		♦ 7
		♣ Q J 10 9 8

Shape 2245 2641 6115 3442 HCP 2 16 12 10 Losers 10 4 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	4 ♠
Dbl	Pass	4 NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass
5 ♦ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. limit raise or better in !H
3. Splinter
4. Blackwood 0314, for !H
5. A=1/5 or 4/5

5 ♥ by East

Made 5 — NS -650



362 boards f

642B6655C5E7F402CF6811EC434D

**Board 329**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ J 10 9 7 4

♥ 9

♦ 8 5 3

♣ Q J 5 2

♠ A 8 5

♥ J 8 7 3 2

♦ 7 4 2

♣ K 8

♠ K Q 6 3 2

♥ Q 5

♦ A 6

♣ A 10 7 3

♠ —

♥ A K 10 6 4

♦ K Q J 10 9

♣ 9 6 4

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Shape 3532 5224 0553 5134 HCP 8 15 13 4 Losers 9 6 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
4 ♠	5 ♥	1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass		Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

5 ♥ by North

Made 5 — NS +450

363 boards f

66D37C6C2820415D6C2A717F0E44

**Board 330**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 10 6 3  
♥ 9 3 2  
♦ A 10 9 5  
♣ 6 3

♠ A  
♥ K 5 4  
♦ K Q 8 7 4 3  
♣ 9 8 5

♠ K Q 9 8 7 5 4 2  
♥ A 8  
♦ 2  
♣ A 4

♠ —  
♥ Q J 10 7 6  
♦ J 6  
♣ K Q J 10 7 2

W N E S

Shape 4342 8212 0526 1363 HCP 5 13 10 12 Losers 10 4 5 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♦	Pass	3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass
3 NT	Pass	6 ♠	Pass
Pass	Dbl	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. strength cue bid

6 ♠× by East

Down 1 — NS +100

364 boards f

67ECDC2725684977800115EB4E44

**Board 331**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ A K 4

♥ 8

♦ Q J 8 5 2

♣ J 9 6 5

♠ Q J 6 5

♥ 9 7 6 3 2

♦ 10 9 4

♣ 3

♠ 10 9 8 3 2

♥ K 5

♦ A K 3

♣ Q 8 4

♠ 7

♥ A Q J 10 4

♦ 7 6

♣ A K 10 7 2

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Shape 4531 5233 1525 3154 HCP 3 12 14 11 Losers 9 7 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	4 ♥	1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Pass	Dbl	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !S

4 ♥× by North

Down 1 — NS -200

365 boards f

64BF98F6508C1D1E9870D9F6338C

**Board 332**

## East Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 8 3

♥ 10 2

♦ A 10 9 8 2

♣ Q 8 4

♠ Q 5 4

♥ A Q 6 4 3

♦ J 6 3

♣ 9 5

♠ J 6

♥ K J 9 8 7 5

♦ K 7 5

♣ A 3

♠ A K 10 7 2

♥ \_\_\_\_\_

◆ Q 4

♣ K J 10 7 6 2

Shape 3253 2632 5026 3532 HCP 6 12 13 9 Losers 9 7 5 8

West

*EPBot*

North

*EPBot*

East

*EPBot*

South

*EPBot*

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Pass

4 ♥

5 ♣

5 ♥

Pass

Pass

Pass

## 1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !H

5 ♥ by East

Down 2 — NS +100

366 boards f

669BDA1D829959857DAE18623F05

**Board 333**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 5 3 2  
♥ J 8 2  
♦ J 4  
♣ K J 6 4

♠ K  
♥ 7 3  
♦ Q 7 6 3  
♣ Q 10 9 8 7 2

♠ 9 7 4  
♥ A K Q 10 9 5  
♦ 8 2  
♣ A 3

♠ A J 10 8 6  
♥ 6 4  
♦ A K 10 9 5  
♣ 5

W N E S

Shape 4324 3622 5251 1246 HCP 8 13 12 7 Losers 9 6 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	3 ♥	Pass
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	Pass
4 ♥	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♠ by North

Made 4 — NS +620

367 boards f

6500DBAAA3A7A7D394C59AF7F926

**Board 334**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 2

♥ A 6

♦ 10 9 7 6 4 2

♣ Q 5 2

♠ K 8 6 4 3

♥ 4 3

♦ K Q 5 3

♣ 6 3

♠ —

♥ K 8 7 5

♦ A J 8

♣ K J 10 9 8 4

♠ Q J 10 9 7 5

♥ Q J 10 9 2

♦ —

♣ A 7

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Shape 2263 0436 6502 5242 HCP 10 12 10 8 Losers 7 6 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♠ by South

Made 4 — NS +420

368 boards f

74AA3BD1ACAFCA6932486DB08B01

**Board 335**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 9

♥ K 7 4

♦ Q 7 4 2

♣ Q 8 5 2

♠ K 7 2

♥ 9 6 3 2

♦ J 10 5

♣ A 9 7

♠ 8 6 5

♥ Q

♦ A K 9 8 6 3

♣ K 10 3

♠ A J 10 4 3

♥ A J 10 8 5

♦ —

♣ J 6 4

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Shape 3433 3163 5503 2344 HCP 8 12 11 9 Losers 10 7 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	3 ♥	4 ♦	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♦ by East

Down 1 — NS +50

369 boards f

76D9939AAE5A0A8C4BC51DB37CF3

**Board 336**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 6 2

♥ 4 3 2

♦ J 8 5 3

♣ A 6 5

♠ 9 5

♥ 9 8 7 6

♦ K 4 2

♣ Q J 10 9

♠ 10 7 3

♥ A K Q 10 5

♦ 6

♣ K 7 4 2

♠ K Q J 8 4

♥ J

♦ A Q 10 9 7

♣ 8 3

W N E S

Shape 2434 3514 5152 3343 HCP 6 12 13 9 Losers 9 6 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
4 ♥	Dbl	1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass		Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♥× by East

Down 1 — NS +100



370 boards f

7561A3B9E68422B224C3831FF9F7

**Board 337**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 6 3 2

♥ Q 8 3 2

♦ Q 3

♣ A Q 3

♠ 9 7 4

♥ 10 6 5

♦ J 10 7 2

♣ J 9 8

♠ A

♥ 4

♦ A K 9 8 6 5

♣ K 6 5 4 2

♠ K Q 10 8 5

♥ A K J 9 7

♦ 4

♣ 10 7

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Shape 3343 1165 5512 4423 HCP 2 14 13 11 Losers 12 4 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	3 ♦	Pass
3 NT	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid  
3 N by West  
Made 4 — NS -630

371 boards f

7743E06D45E2FBEB410E932E6AF5

**Board 338**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 6 4

♥ A J 7 6

♦ 9 8 3

♣ 10 6 4 3

♠ K 10 9 8 2

♥ 9 2

♦ J 2

♣ Q J 7 2

♠ A Q J 7 3

♥ 5

♦ Q 6 4

♣ A 9 8 5

♠ 5

♥ K Q 10 8 4 3

♦ A K 10 7 5

♣ K

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Shape 2434 5134 1651 5224 HCP 5 13 15 7 Losers 10 6 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	3 ♥	3 ♠	4 ♥
4 ♠	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♠ by East

Down 1 — NS +100

373 boards f

75616F26BF2F6A0A6D4DF249D0CA

**Board 339**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 5 3 2

♥ J 5

♦ 9 8 4 2

♣ A 7 6 4

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W E

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♠ Q 10 8

♥ 8 6 4 2

♦ Q

♣ Q 9 8 5 2

♠ A K 9 7 6 4

♥ 3

♦ A 5 3

♣ K J 10

♠ J

♥ A K Q 10 9 7

♦ K J 10 7 6

♣ 3

Shape 3415 6133 1651 3244 HCP 6 15 14 5 Losers 8 6 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥	3 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid  
3 ♠ by East  
Made 3 — NS -140

374 boards f

7762736736613B52FB68FAE05AC4

**Board 340**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 7 5 4 2  
♥ K J 9 7 5  
♦ Q J 2  
♣ 10

♠ J 9  
♥ 2  
♦ 9 7 6 5 3  
♣ A J 8 5 3

♠ A K Q 10 8 6 3  
♥ 8 3  
♦ —  
♣ K Q 9 7

♠ —  
♥ A Q 10 6 4  
♦ A K 10 8 4  
♣ 6 4 2

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Shape 2155 7204 0553 4531 HCP 6 14 13 7 Losers 8 3 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	4 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass
4 ♠	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid
  2. to the partner's longer
  3. Splinter
- 4 ♠ by East  
Made 4 — NS -620

375 boards f

743997B78D1787D110E74219850D

**Board 341**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 6

♥ A Q

♦ 8 7 5

♣ A J 8 4 3 2

♠ A 10 7 4 2

♥ J 9 5 3 2

♦ J 2

♣ 5

♠ 5

♥ K 10 8 7 4

♦ A 4

♣ K Q 10 9 6

♠ K Q J 9 3

♥ 6

♦ K Q 10 9 6 3

♣ 7

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Shape 5521 1525 5161 2236 HCP 6 12 11 11 Losers 8 5 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Dbl	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♠× by North

Down 1 — NS -100

376 boards f

7550C89C9087DD3605995845E581

**Board 342**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 9 3

♥ 8

♦ K 6 5

♣ 9 7 6 4 3 2

♠ 8 7

♥ K 10 7 4 2

♦ 10 8 7 4 3

♣ 8

♠ A 5 4

♥ A Q J 9 6 5

♦ A J 2

♣ 10

♠ Q J 10 6 2

♥ 3

♦ Q 9

♣ A K Q J 5

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Shape 2551 3631 5125 3136 HCP 3 16 15 6 Losers 8 6 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	3 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♥ by East

Made 3 — NS −140

378 boards f

74A9AB3F57A5B28EEF7D1EBFF9EF

**Board 343**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 7 3 2

♥ Q 9 6 4 3

♦ 9

♣ A 10 6 3

♠ Q 5

♥ 8

♦ Q 8 7 6 5 4 2

♣ 9 8 5

♠ J 6

♥ J 5

♦ A K 3

♣ K Q J 7 4 2

♠ A K 10 9 8 4

♥ A K 10 7 2

♦ J 10

♣ —

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Shape 2173 2236 6520 3514 HCP 4 15 15 6 Losers 8 6 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 ♠	3 ♣	3 ♠
Pass	Pass	4 ♣	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	5 ♣	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

5 ♣ by East

Down 2 — NS +100

379 boards f

769EB7A4266EF9A20EB4D7617331

**Board 344**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 5

♥ K 9 6 3 2

♦ A 10 7

♣ 9 4 2

♠ J 7 2

♥ 7

♦ 8 4 3 2

♣ A J 10 8 7

♠ 10 4 3

♥ A 5

♦ K Q J 6 5

♣ K 5 3

♠ A K Q 8 6

♥ Q J 10 8 4

♦ 9

♣ Q 6

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Shape 3145 3253 5512 2533 HCP 6 13 14 7 Losers 9 7 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
2 ♠ by North  
Made 4 — NS +170



380 boards f

77EB9FB9AEA704C4966C665DFA09

**Board 345**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ A 8 3

♥ Q 3

♦ 10 9 8 7 5

♣ Q 4 2

♠ 9 2

♥ 9 8 2

♦ A Q 3 2

♣ J 7 5 3

♠ K Q J 10 7

♥ A J 10 6 5

♦ —

♣ 9 8 6

♠ 6 5 4

♥ K 7 4

♦ K J 6 4

♣ A K 10

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Shape 2344 3343 5503 3253 HCP 7 14 11 8 Losers 9 8 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

2 ♥ by North

Down 1 — NS -100

381 boards f

7485DA1B86B7B7D5DCDCD0BE5202

**Board 346**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ K 8 7 6 5  
♥ 10 9 4  
♦ 5 3 2  
♣ A 8

♠ Q 2  
♥ A J 2  
♦ 7 6 4  
♣ K J 4 3 2

♠ 3  
♥ K Q 8 7 6 5 3  
♦ K Q  
♣ Q 10 9

♠ A J 10 9 4  
♥ —  
♦ A J 10 9 8  
♣ 7 6 5

W

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Shape 2335 1723 5053 5332 HCP 11 12 10 7 Losers 9 5 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	3 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

3 ♥ by East

Made 3 — NS -140

382 boards f

76A7B6A30CABCF218C62735FF3F1

**Board 347**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 3 2  
♥ K 5 3 2  
♦ J 9 7 4  
♣ 8 2

♠ J 8  
♥ J 9 7  
♦ Q 8 6 5 3 2  
♣ K 6

♠ 6 5 4  
♥ 4  
♦ A K  
♣ A Q 10 9 5 4 3

♠ A K Q 10 7  
♥ A Q 10 8 6  
♦ 10  
♣ J 7

W

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Shape 2362 3127 5512 3442 HCP 7 13 16 4 Losers 8 5 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	3 ♣	Pass
Pass	3 ♥	4 ♣	Dbl
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♣× by East

Down 2 — NS +300

383 boards f

7592916F9E5EC9D5C28AD80AAFFE

**Board 348**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 4  
♥ 9 7 6 4  
♦ 8  
♣ A J 10 7 6 4 2

♠ 9 8 7 5 2  
♥ 2  
♦ 9 6 5 4  
♣ K 9 8

♠ Q 10  
♥ A K J 10 8 5  
♦ A K 7  
♣ Q 3

♠ A K J 6 3  
♥ Q 3  
♦ Q J 10 3 2  
♣ 5

W N E S

Shape 1417 2632 5251 5143 HCP 5 19 13 3 Losers 7 6 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♣	3 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass
4 ♥	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. strength cue bid

4 ♥ by East

Down 2 — NS +200

384 boards f

84D99596FAB45EB96906C1C8169E

**Board 349**

East Deals

None Vul


♠ A J 5 4		♠ 6 3
♥ J 10 8		♥ 6 5 4
♦ 5		♦ 9 2
♣ A K 8 7 5		♣ Q J 9 6 3 2

N

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	♠ K Q 10 8 2	♠ 9 7
	♥ 7	♥ A K Q 9 3 2
	♦ K Q 10 6 3	♦ A J 8 7 4
	♣ 10 4	♣ —

Shape 2326 2650 5152 4315 HCP 3 14 10 13 Losers 9 4 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass
4 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>	Pass
5 ♥ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	6 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid
  2. limit raise or better in !H
  3. Splinter
  4. surplus
  5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
  6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0
- 6 ♥ by East  
Made 7 — NS -1010

385 boards f

86AF56BCA6E22D918C4F730F2951

**Board 350**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 10  
♥ Q 5  
♦ A Q 9 7 6 4  
♣ 9 8 3 2

♠ 9 4 3  
♥ 7 6 4  
♦ 10 8 5 2  
♣ K J 10

♠ K 6 5 2  
♥ K 8 2  
♦ K J  
♣ A 6 5 4

♠ A Q J 8 7  
♥ A J 10 9 3  
♦ 3  
♣ Q 7

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S

Shape 3343 4324 5512 1264 HCP 4 14 14 8 Losers 11 7 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	2 ♥	Pass	Pass
3 ♦	Pass	3 ♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass
4 ♦	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing

3. limit raise or better in !D

4 ♦ by West

Made 4 — NS -130

386 boards f

85EF6A9F1D25B276E5E9547E7E17

**Board 351**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 7 6  
♥ 9 8 4 3  
♦ K 6  
♣ J 10 7 6

♠ J 10 2  
♥ —  
♦ 10 8 7 5 2  
♣ K 9 8 4 3

♠ K 8 5 4 3  
♥ Q J 5 2  
♦ 9  
♣ A Q 2

♠ Q 9  
♥ A K 10 7 6  
♦ A Q J 4 3  
♣ 5

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Shape 3055 5413 2551 3424 HCP 4 12 16 8 Losers 8 6 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

3 ♦ by South

Made 4 — NS +130

87199C519C8848059441BCFA7507

**Board 352**

East Deals

Both Vul

387 boards f

♠ 4

♥ 5 4 3

♦ 8 7 3 2

♣ A Q 8 6 3

♠ A 8 2

♥ 10 9 8 6 2

♦ A 10 9 4

♣ 4

♠ Q 9 6 3

♥ A K Q J 7

♦ K J 5

♣ 2

♠ K J 10 7 5

♥ —

♦ Q 6

♣ K J 10 9 7 5

W N E S

Shape 3541 4531 5026 1345 HCP 8 16 10 6 Losers 8 5 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 ♠	4 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♥ by East

Made 4 — NS -620



389 boards f

857F62643E6F099FFF492E757AE6

**Board 353**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 9 5  
♥ 9 6  
♦ Q 4 2  
♣ K J 5 3 2

♠ 7 2  
♥ A J 7 4 3  
♦ 9 6 3  
♣ 9 6 4

♠ A K Q 10 6 4 3  
♥ 8  
♦ K  
♣ A 10 8 7

♠ 8  
♥ K Q 10 5 2  
♦ A J 10 8 7 5  
♣ Q

W N E S

Shape 3235 7114 1561 2533 HCP 7 16 12 5 Losers 9 4 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	4 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

4 ♠ by East

Made 5 — NS -650

390 boards f

878C7C999B14D9177684ABD48502

**Board 354**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10 8 2  
♥ A 6 3 2  
♦ Q J 9 5  
♣ 7 2

♠ 9 4  
♥ K 7  
♦ 10 8 7 6 4 3  
♣ Q 9 3

♠ K 7  
♥ Q J 10 9 8 4  
♦ A K  
♣ J 8 5

♠ A Q J 6 5 3  
♥ 5  
♦ 2  
♣ A K 10 6 4

W N E S

Shape 3442 2623 6115 2263 HCP 7 14 14 5 Losers 9 6 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid  
4 ♠ by North  
Made 5 — NS +650

391 boards f

84615B34E06CCE2D5D4067C0077D

**Board 355**

East Deals

None Vul


♠ J 9 4		♠ Q 8 3
♥ Q 2		♥ 9 6 4 3
♦ A J 6 4		♦ 10 9 8 7 2
♣ A 8 7 2		♣ 9

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♠ —	♠ A K 10 7 6 5 2
♥ A J 10 8 5	♥ K 7
♦ Q 5 3	♦ K
♣ Q J 10 6 4	♣ K 5 3

Shape 3451 7213 0535 3244 HCP 2 16 10 12 Losers 9 5 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass
4 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>	Pass
5 ♥ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	6 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. limit raise or better in !S
3. Cue bid, a !H stopper
4. Cue bid, a !C stopper
5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

6 ♠ by East

Made 6 — NS -980

392 boards f

855C8181D8BC3134779A190C0791

**Board 356**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J

♥ 10 9 8 7

♦ J 6 5

♣ K Q 9 5 2

♠ 9 8 5 4 3

♥ K Q 4 3

♦ 8 7 3

♣ 6

♠ A 7

♥ A J 6 5 2

♦ K Q 9 2

♣ 7 3

♠ K Q 10 6 2

♥ —

♦ A 10 4

♣ A J 10 8 4

W N E S

Shape 5431 2542 5035 1435 HCP 5 14 14 7 Losers 8 6 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	4 ♠	Dbl	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♠× by North

Made 5 — NS +690

393 boards f

87FE676023E2D5FB504A3254392B

**Board 357**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ A 10 9 8

♥ A 8 5 3

♦ K 9 4

♣ 9 3

♠ J 5 3 2

♥ 6

♦ 8 6 3 2

♣ A 10 6 5

♠ —

♥ K Q J 10 2

♦ Q J 10 7 5

♣ Q 7 4

♠ K Q 7 6 4

♥ 9 7 4

♦ A

♣ K J 8 2

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Shape 4144 5314 0553 4432 HCP 5 13 11 11 Losers 9 6 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !S

4 ♠ by East

Made 5 — NS -650

394 boards f

84A999651DAF3EC9AA059FEC71DF

**Board 358**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 4 2

♥ 9 3

♦ 3

♣ A K Q J 8 6 3

♠ J 9 6

♥ 8 6

♦ J 10 9 5 4 2

♣ 9 7

♠ Q 3

♥ K J 5 2

♦ A K 8 7

♣ 10 5 2

♠ A K 10 7 5

♥ A Q 10 7 4

♦ Q 6

♣ 4

W

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Shape 3262 2443 5521 3217 HCP 2 13 15 10 Losers 10 8 5 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
4 ♣	Pass	5 ♣	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid  
5 ♣ by West  
Down 1 — NS +50

395 boards f

866F91A7BDA925427185F5A60B06

**Board 359**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 5		♠ 9 3 2									
♥ J 7 5		♥ 8 6 3 2									
♦ A J		♦ K 8 7									
♣ K J 10 9 7 6 5		♣ 8 4 2									
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	S										
		♠ A 8 7									
		♥ K									
		♦ Q 9 6 5 4 2									
		♣ A Q 3									
		♠ K Q J 10 6 4									
		♥ A Q 10 9 4									
		♦ 10 3									
		♣ —									

Shape 3433 3163 6520 1327 HCP 3 15 12 10 Losers 11 6 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid  
4 ♠ by North  
Down 1 — NS -100

396 boards f

87829753DA92F762F6BAB409516B

**Board 360**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 9 7		♠ 4
♥ 9 7 6 5		♥ A 4
♦ K 9 7 5		♦ J 6 4 2
♣ 4 3		♣ A J 10 8 7 6

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	♠ Q 8 3 2
	♥ K Q J 10 3
	♦ —
	♣ K Q 9 2

♠ A K 10 6 5
♥ 8 2
♦ A Q 10 8 3
♣ 5

Shape 1246 4504 5251 3442 HCP 10 13 13 4 Losers 7 4 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid
  2. to the partner's longer
- 5 ♦ by South  
Made 6 — NS +620



397 boards f

84896AAB80EAD192E3DEBD66067F

**Board 361**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 9 7 6

♥ 5 2

♦ J 9 8 7

♣ A 9 5

♠ 3

♥ A J 3

♦ 6 5 2

♣ K 10 8 6 4 3

♠ K 4 2

♥ 9 8 6

♦ A K Q 10

♣ Q 7 2

♠ A Q J 8 5

♥ K Q 10 7 4

♦ 4 3

♣ J

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Shape 1336 3343 5521 4243 HCP 8 14 13 5 Losers 8 7 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
2 ♥ by North  
Made 4 — NS +170

398 boards f

86E69596A2E7CE9E6E9FF0AEC472

**Board 362**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ —

♥ 9 3

♦ J 5 2

♣ A Q J 9 8 7 4 2

♠ 7 2

♥ K Q 8 6

♦ A K Q 10 3

♣ 10 6

♠ A 10 9 5 3

♥ 5 2

♦ 9 8 7 6 4

♣ K

♠ K Q J 8 6 4

♥ A J 10 7 4

♦ —

♣ 5 3

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Shape 0238 2452 6502 5251 HCP 8 14 11 7 Losers 6 5 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 ♥	3 ♦	3 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♠ by South

Down 1 — NS -100

399 boards f

856296A16A9B3BD52E8EBBB72B7A

**Board 363**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8

♥ 9 5 4 2

♦ J 10 9 5 3 2

♣ Q 8

♠ 9 7 3

♥ 6

♦ K 8 4

♣ A K J 7 6 2

♠ A J 2

♥ K 10 8

♦ A Q

♣ 10 9 5 4 3

♠ K Q 10 6 5 4

♥ A Q J 7 3

♦ 7 6

♣ —

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Shape 3136 3325 6520 1462 HCP 11 14 12 3 Losers 7 8 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

2 ♠ by North

Made 5 — NS +200

400 boards f

94E399BE6FA28351EA3D44364DAB

**Board 364**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ A 7

♥ Q 6 4

♦ A 10 9 8

♣ K 8 6 3

N

W E

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♠ J 8 5 3

♥ K 8

♦ K 7 2

♣ A J 9 2

♠ 6 4

♥ 9 5 3

♦ Q J 6 3

♣ Q 10 7 4

♠ K Q 10 9 2

♥ A J 10 7 2

♦ 5 4

♣ 5

Shape 2344 4234 5521 2344 HCP 5 12 10 13 Losers 9 8 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
3 NT	Pass	Pass	Pass
1. Michaels Cuebid			
3 N by West			
Made 3 — NS -400			

401 boards f

96856FA5A0D5EE0346B3B1C91461

**Board 365**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 10 9 4

♥ 6 5

♦ K 9

♣ A Q 10 5 4 2

♠ 8 3

♥ A 8 7 4

♦ J 8 6 5 2

♣ 9 7

♠ K 7 2

♥ 10 3

♦ A Q 10 7 3

♣ K 8 6

♠ A Q J 6 5

♥ K Q J 9 2

♦ 4

♣ J 3

W

N

E

S

Shape 2452 3253 5512 3226 HCP 5 12 14 9 Losers 9 7 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
3 ♥ by North  
Made 4 — NS +170

402 boards f

95A371B663A6E3713E85B5A8770A

**Board 366**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9

♥ K Q 8 7 5 3

♦ 4 2

♣ K 8 6 5

N

W E

S

♠ K J 8 3

♥ —

♦ A K J 9 8

♣ A J 9 3

♠ A Q 10 6 5 4

♥ A J 10 9 4

♦ 7

♣ 4

Shape 2254 4054 6511 1624 HCP 4 17 11 8 Losers 8 5 5 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	Dbl	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2 ♥ × by North

Down 3 — NS -500

403 boards f

976B6EBFABB2E9E4DB2BBED5CBBA

**Board 367**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9 8 7 4 3

♥ Q 10 5 2

♦ 8 4

♣ 9 4

♠ 6

♥ 3

♦ A J 9 7 6 3 2

♣ K 10 5 2

♠ A K

♥ 7 4

♦ K Q 5

♣ A Q J 7 6 3

♠ Q J 10 5 2

♥ A K J 9 8 6

♦ 10

♣ 8

W N E S

Shape 1174 2236 5611 5422 HCP 8 19 11 2 Losers 6 4 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦	3 ♣	Pass
Pass	Dbl	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♣× by East

Down 1 — NS +200

404 boards f

96B4D2509080EA45D936D4BE83FF

**Board 368**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 9 7 5 2

♥ A 6 4 2

♦ 4 2

♣ 8 7

W

N

E

S

♠ 6

♥ 10 8 3

♦ K Q J 10 3

♣ K 9 6 4

♠ Q 8

♥ K Q J 7 5

♦ A 8 6 5

♣ 3 2

♠ A J 10 4 3

♥ 9

♦ 9 7

♣ A Q J 10 5

Shape 1354 2542 5125 5422 HCP 9 12 12 7 Losers 7 7 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
4 ♥	Dbl	1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass		Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♥ × by East

Down 2 — NS +300



405 boards f

95933DAD9A1C0BCEBA4D5AB61B9B

**Board 369**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8

♥ K 7 4

♦ J 9 7 5 3 2

♣ K Q 6

♠ K 10 9 3

♥ 9 8 6

♦ 4

♣ J 8 7 5 4

♠ 6 5

♥ A J 10 5 3 2

♦ A

♣ A 9 3 2

♠ A Q J 7 4 2

♥ Q

♦ K Q 10 8 6

♣ 10

W N E S

Shape 4315 2614 6151 1363 HCP 4 13 14 9 Losers 9 6 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	3 ♠	4 ♥	4 ♠
Dbl	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♠× by North

Made 4 — NS +590

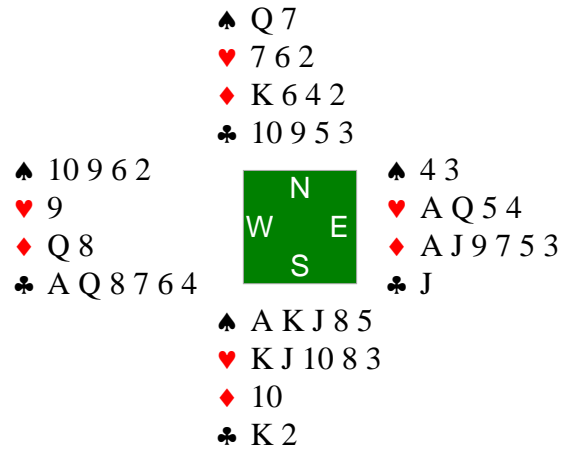
406 boards f

979DA815AFE2FEA50DC99E596EC8

**Board 370**

East Deals

Both Vul



Shape 2344 2461 5512 4126 HCP 5 12 15 8 Losers 10 6 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	Pass
3 ♣	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid  
3 ♣ by West  
Down 1 — NS +100

407 boards f

9479A8A32D9FA36AAAC243713EBE

**Board 371**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 6		♠ J 3
♥ A 4 3 2		♥ 6 5
♦ Q 9 6 5 4		♦ J 10 3 2
♣ A J 4		♣ 8 7 6 3 2

♠ A 8 5 4

♥ 10

♦ A K 8 7

♣ Q 10 9 5

N

W     E

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	♠ K Q 10 9 7 2
	♥ K Q J 9 8 7
	♦ —
	♣ K

Shape 2245 4144 6601 1453 HCP 2 13 14 11 Losers 10 6 3 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	Dbl	Pass
2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣	Pass
5 ♦	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !D

5 ♦ by East

Made 6 — NS -420

408 boards f

95186963A80436E021BA5A4D5108

**Board 372**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8

♥ 9 6

♦ A K J 6 5 2

♣ K 7 4 3

N

W

E

S

♠ K Q 5 4 3

♥ A 5 3

♦ Q 8 7 3

♣ Q

♠ J 6

♥ K Q J 8 7

♦ 4

♣ A J 10 8 2

Shape 5323 5341 2515 1264 HCP 4 13 12 11 Losers 10 6 6 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	Pass
Dbl	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♥ × by North

Down 1 — NS -100

409 boards f

979C12EC98B5BD4D99D7CA0CD2C8

**Board 373**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 4

♥ 8 5 4 2

♦ J 7 5 2

♣ K 5 3

♠ Q 6 5 3 2

♥ 10 9

♦ 10 6

♣ 10 9 8 7

♠ 8

♥ A K J 7 6 3

♦ A Q 9 8 4

♣ 6

♠ A J 10 9 7

♥ Q

♦ K 3

♣ A Q J 4 2

W N E S

Shape 2443 1651 5125 5224 HCP 7 14 17 2 Losers 9 4 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	3 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

3 ♥ by East

Made 3 — NS -140

410 boards f

94405CEB65E4CE724F0108E9E838

**Board 374**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 6 5 2

♥ A 9 7 6 5

♦ K 9 7

♣ 9 8

♠ Q 10 9 4 3

♥ 8 2

♦ A 8 6

♣ J 6 4

♠ —

♥ Q J 10 4 3

♦ J 10

♣ A K 10 5 3 2

♠ A K J 8 7

♥ K

♦ Q 5 4 3 2

♣ Q 7

W

N

E

S

Shape 3532 5152 0526 5233 HCP 7 15 11 7 Losers 9 6 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
4 ♠	Pass	Pass	5 ♥
Dbl	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

5 ♥× by North

Made 5 — NS +650

411 boards f

96A643A97FA34D3EB0D619A15F2E

**Board 375**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 6

♥ J 8 7

♦ J 9 8 3 2

♣ Q 9 5 4

W

N

E

S

♠ 8 5 2

♥ K 9

♦ K 10 7 4

♣ A 8 6 2

♠ K J 9 3

♥ 6 5 3

♦ A 6

♣ K J 10 3

♠ A Q 10 7 4

♥ A Q 10 4 2

♦ Q 5

♣ 7

Shape 3244 4324 5521 1354 HCP 10 12 14 4 Losers 8 8 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

2 ♠ by North

Made 5 — NS +200

413 boards f

94689D2C5C605449C6FA3AE1E2CA

**Board 376**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 7 6 4 3 2

♥ 6 5

♦ 10 4 3

♣ K 8 4

♠ Q 5

♥ 8 7 2

♦ K Q J

♣ 7 6 5 3 2

♠ A J 10 9 8

♥ K J 9

♦ A 8 6 5 2

♣ —

♠ K

♥ A Q 10 4 3

♦ 9 7

♣ A Q J 10 9

W

N

E

S

Shape 2335 5350 1525 5233 HCP 8 13 16 3 Losers 9 6 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	Pass
3 ♠	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♠ by East

Made 3 — NS -140



414 boards f

96A565B625B2A4A27E3B1E511CDE

**Board 377**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 2

♥ Q 10 7 6

♦ 7 5 3 2

♣ A K J 4

W

N

E

S

♠ J 6 5 3

♥ —

♦ 10 8 4

♣ Q 10 8 7 5 2

♠ K 7 4

♥ 5 4 3 2

♦ A K Q J 9

♣ 6

♠ A Q 10 9 8

♥ A K J 9 8

♦ 6

♣ 9 3

Shape 4036 3451 5512 1444 HCP 3 13 14 10 Losers 8 6 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
3 ♠ by North  
Made 4 — NS +170

415 boards f

95B361AB628685B93344CBE532A0

**Board 378**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 5 4  
♥ A 8 7 3  
♦ Q 8 5  
♣ K 9 8 4

♠ 7 3  
♥ 10 9 6 5  
♦ 10 9 6 4  
♣ J 10 3

♠ K J 6  
♥ —  
♦ A K J 7 3 2  
♣ A Q 7 5

♠ A Q 10 9 8 2  
♥ K Q J 4 2  
♦ —  
♣ 6 2

W

N  
E  
S

Shape 2443 3064 6502 2434 HCP 1 18 12 9 Losers 11 4 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥	3 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid  
2. strength cue bid  
3 ♠ by East  
Down 1 — NS +100

416 boards f

A498D0FD8F84C2360890E25E937B

**Board 379**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 7  
♥ J 10 9 7  
♦ Q J 4  
♣ 9 8 5 4

♠ K Q 9 5  
♥ Q 8 2  
♦ K 9 6 5 3  
♣ Q

♠ 4 2  
♥ A K 6 4 3  
♦ A 7 2  
♣ J 3 2

♠ A J 10 6 3  
♥ 5  
♦ 10 8  
♣ A K 10 7 6

W N E S

Shape 2434 2533 5125 4351 HCP 4 12 12 12 Losers 10 8 6 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !H

3 ♥ by East

Made 4 — NS -170

417 boards f

A66454CD61E8766B2A3CD5C003F2

**Board 380**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 7 6 3

♥ Q 4 3

♦ J 4 3 2

♣ 9 7 2

♠ Q 10 5 4 2

♥ 9 6 2

♦ Q 6

♣ Q J 5

W N E

S

♠ A K J 9 8

♥ K 5

♦ A K 9 5

♣ 8 3

♠ —

♥ A J 10 8 7

♦ 10 8 7

♣ A K 10 6 4

Shape 3343 5242 0535 5323 HCP 3 18 12 7 Losers 11 5 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	3 ♥	4 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♠ by East

Made 4 — NS -420

418 boards f

A551EE6E4CEE0B05CD757329A05A

**Board 381**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 10 7

♥ 6 5

♦ 9 4 2

♣ A 8 7 6 4

N

W E

S

♠ 9 8 4

♥ J 9 8 7

♦ 8 6

♣ K Q 10 2

♠ 3

♥ K Q 10 4 3

♦ K Q J 10 7

♣ J 3

Shape 3424 6232 1552 3235 HCP 6 15 12 7 Losers 9 6 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	3 ♥	4 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♠ by East

Made 4 — NS -620

420 boards f

A6BA558F798A9FF2582F81D0C319

**Board 382**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 6 2  
♥ Q 10 5 3  
♦ 8 5 4 3  
♣ A 10 8

♠ 8 4 3  
♥ A J 8  
♦ Q 9 6  
♣ K J 5 2

♠ K J 7  
♥ K 9 7 4 2  
♦ K  
♣ Q 9 6 3

♠ A Q 10 9 5  
♥ 6  
♦ A J 10 7 2  
♣ 7 4

W N E S

Shape 2443 3514 5152 3334 HCP 6 12 11 11 Losers 9 7 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !H

4 ♥ by East

Down 1 — NS +50

421 boards f

A5C320A86425D87F4166CC7749CA

**Board 383**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 9 5 2

♥ 8 4

♦ Q 9 3 2

♣ 10 7 3

♠ K 10

♥ A 7 5 3 2

♦ J 10 6 4

♣ 6 2

♠ J 8 7 6 4 3

♥ 9

♦ A K 7

♣ A 8 4

♠ Q

♥ K Q J 10 6

♦ 8 5

♣ K Q J 9 5

Shape 2542 6133 1525 4243 HCP 8 12 14 6 Losers 8 7 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	3 ♥	3 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid  
3 ♠ by East  
Made 3 — NS -140

422 boards f

A7406773E8687837E578BA3B2BDB

**Board 384**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 7 2

♥ Q 9 8 6 5 4

♦ K 8 7

♣ 7

♠ 8 4 3

♥ A

♦ J 10 9 6 5 4 3 2

♣ 5

♠ A K Q 10 9 6

♥ 2

♦ —

♣ K Q 8 4 3 2

♠ 5

♥ K J 10 7 3

♦ A Q

♣ A J 10 9 6

W N E S

Shape 3181 6106 1525 3631 HCP 5 14 15 6 Losers 7 2 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	3 ♦	4 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♠ by East

Made 4 — NS -620



423 boards f

A498BE6FAD2B635321B7BF01CEBD

**Board 385**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 3

♥ K 6 5 2

♦ 9 8 7 4

♣ J 7 4 2

N

W E

S

♠ 10 7 4

♥ 4 3

♦ K Q J 5 3 2

♣ K 3

♠ Q 9 8

♥ A 8

♦ A 10

♣ Q 10 9 8 6 5

♠ A K J 6 5 2

♥ Q J 10 9 7

♦ 6

♣ A

Shape 3262 3226 6511 1444 HCP 9 12 15 4 Losers 7 6 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
2 ♠ by North  
Made 4 — NS +170

424 boards f

A5A3CB8728A1F68BDFAA7755A51A

**Board 386**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 9 7

♥ 9 5

♦ K J 8 6 2

♣ 10 4 3

♠ J 2

♥ K Q 8

♦ Q 9 5 4 3

♣ 9 6 2

♠ 5 4

♥ 7 4 2

♦ A 10

♣ A K Q 8 7 5

♠ A Q 10 8 6 3

♥ A J 10 6 3

♦ 7

♣ J

W

N

E

S

Shape 2353 2326 6511 3253 HCP 8 13 12 7 Losers 8 6 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♠ by South

Made 4 — NS +420

425 boards f

A7626DC36543FA046E1011C5BE66

**Board 387**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 9 4  
♥ 9 3  
♦ J 8 4 2  
♣ K J 5 4

♠ 8 6 5  
♥ Q 10 8 4  
♦ 9  
♣ A 9 7 3 2

♠ A K J 10 7 2  
♥ 6 5  
♦ K 7 3  
♣ Q 10

♠ 3  
♥ A K J 7 2  
♦ A Q 10 6 5  
♣ 8 6

W N E S

Shape 3415 6232 1552 3244 HCP 6 13 14 7 Losers 8 7 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	3 ♥	3 ♠	Pass
Pass	4 ♥	4 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♠ by East

Down 1 — NS +100

A4782F386CEF463191436C2DE310

**Board 388**

East Deals

None Vul

426 boards f

♠ 10 3  
♥ A Q 8  
♦ 8 7 6 3 2  
♣ 8 7 4

♠ K Q 8 4 2  
♥ 9 6  
♦ K J 10 5 4  
♣ 9

♠ A J 9 6 5  
♥ 7 2  
♦ A Q  
♣ K 10 6 3

♠ 7  
♥ K J 10 5 4 3  
♦ 9  
♣ A Q J 5 2

W

N  
E  
S

Shape 5251 5224 1615 2353 HCP 9 14 11 6 Losers 6 7 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
3 ♥ by North  
Made 4 — NS +170

427 boards f

A69C93D0BE909404B14D0DC94E5B

**Board 389**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 8 5  
♥ 8 6 5 4 3  
♦ K Q 10 7  
♣ J 3

♠ Q 4  
♥ J 7  
♦ A J 6 5 3  
♣ 7 6 5 4

♠ 6 3 2  
♥ A K Q 10 9 2  
♦ 9 8  
♣ K 2

♠ A K J 10 9 7  
♥ —  
♦ 4 2  
♣ A Q 10 9 8

W N E S

Shape 2542 3622 6025 2254 HCP 6 12 14 8 Losers 8 6 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	3 ♥	3 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

3 ♠ by South

Made 3 — NS +140

429 boards f

A4509E918C809853F72FF14C3D46

**Board 390**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 7 5		♠ 6 3
♥ 7 5 3		♥ J 10 4 2
♦ A Q 10 8 5		♦ K J 6 4 3
♣ Q 5 3		♣ K 2

	♠ A 8 4 2
	♥ A K Q 9 8
	♦ 9
	♣ 8 7 6

	♠ K Q J 10 9
	♥ 6
	♦ 7 2
	♣ A J 10 9 4



Shape 2452 4513 5125 2353 HCP 8 13 11 8 Losers 8 6 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	3 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid
  2. to the partner's longer
- 3 ♥ by East  
 Made 3 — NS -140

430 boards f

A6606FFC6F443A24E28E567D204D

**Board 391**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 7

♥ Q 9 4

♦ K Q J 6 4 2

♣ 4 2

♠ 9 8 3

♥ 10 6 2

♦ A 7 3

♣ 9 7 6 5

♠ A K J 10 5 4 2

♥ 5

♦ 10 8 5

♣ K J

♠ 6

♥ A K J 8 7 3

♦ 9

♣ A Q 10 8 3

W

N

E

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Shape 3334 7132 1615 2362 HCP 4 12 14 10 Losers 11 6 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥	4 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♠ by East

Made 4 — NS -420

431 boards f

A5F0A3A3A636F1ABC76198C77A0E

**Board 392**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 9 7 4		♠ 10 2
♥ A 10 9 3		♥ 7 4 2
♦ 8 5 3		♦ J 10 7 4
♣ 9 6		♣ J 10 3 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 6 3
♥ 5
♦ A K Q 9 6
♣ K Q 8 7 4

♠ K Q J 8 5
♥ K Q J 8 6
♦ 2
♣ A 5

Shape 2344 2155 5512 4432 HCP 2 14 16 8 Losers 11 4 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	Dbl	Pass
2 NT	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid  
 2 N by West  
 Down 1 — NS +100



432 boards f

B4275ED5E5A68679416DCF2852C9

**Board 393**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ A 4

♥ 9 7 5 2

♦ K 6 5

♣ K 10 9 3

♠ Q J 5 2

♥ 8

♦ 7 3

♣ Q J 8 7 6 2

♠ 10 9

♥ A J 10 6 4

♦ A Q J 10 9

♣ 4

♠ K 8 7 6 3

♥ K Q 3

♦ 8 4 2

♣ A 5

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Shape 2434 5332 2551 4126 HCP 10 12 12 6 Losers 8 7 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	3 ♥	3 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid  
3 ♠ by East  
Down 1 — NS +50

433 boards f

B69E6591A3E69133ACBF2341F37A

**Board 394**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 10 3  
♥ 8 6 3 2  
♦ A 7 6  
♣ K Q 9 4

♠ 8 5  
♥ 4  
♦ Q J 9 8 5 4 3  
♣ A 10 2

♠ K 4 2  
♥ A Q 9  
♦ K 10  
♣ J 8 6 5 3

♠ A Q J 9 7 6  
♥ K J 10 7 5  
♦ 2  
♣ 7

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Shape 2173 3325 6511 2434 HCP 7 13 11 9 Losers 7 7 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 ♠	3 ♣	Pass
Pass	3 ♦	4 ♣	Pass
Pass	4 ♦	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♦ by North

Down 1 — NS -100

434 boards f

B5A16BD808607656E92466B1C144

**Board 395**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 7 3  
♥ 9 4  
♦ K Q J 7  
♣ A 7 4 3

♠ J 6  
♥ J 3 2  
♦ 9 8 6 5 2  
♣ 9 8 5

♠ K 10 9 8 5 2  
♥ Q 8  
♦ A 10 4 3  
♣ K

♠ A 4  
♥ A K 10 7 6 5  
♦ —  
♣ Q J 10 6 2

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Shape 2353 6241 2605 3244 HCP 2 12 14 12 Losers 11 7 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !S

4 ♠ by East

Made 4 — NS -620

437 boards f

B579A3A386E6CF64C38AF2B760C9

**Board 396**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ —  
♥ J 9 7 6 2  
♦ J 10 8 4  
♣ J 10 6 5

♠ 10 9 7 5 2  
♥ A 5 4  
♦ A 6 2  
♣ A 2

♠ K Q J 6 4  
♥ K Q 10 8 3  
♦ 9  
♣ 8 3

♠ A 8 3  
♥ —  
♦ K Q 7 5 3  
♣ K Q 9 7 4

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Shape 0544 3055 5512 5332 HCP 3 14 11 12 Losers 9 4 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	4 ♥	1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Pass	Dbl	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. strength cue bid

4 ♥× by North

Down 1 — NS -100

438 boards f

B77C8B5C989AD1C9154CFAB496E2

**Board 397**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9 8 5 2  
♥ A 5 4  
♦ 7 4 3  
♣ 9 8 7

♠ 7  
♥ K 8 6  
♦ K J 10 8 5  
♣ 10 5 3 2

♠ A Q 6  
♥ Q J 10 9 7 3  
♦ A Q 6  
♣ K

♠ K J 10 4 3  
♥ 2  
♦ 9 2  
♣ A Q J 6 4

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Shape 1354 3631 5125 4333 HCP 7 18 11 4 Losers 8 5 6 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	3 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass
4 ♥	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid
  2. to the partner's longer
  3. strength cue bid
- 4 ♥ by East  
Made 4 — NS -620

439 boards f

B46D684CE9406565C0D33E444EFF

**Board 398**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ J 7 6 2

♥ 5 2

♦ 10 7 6

♣ A J 9 8

♠ —

♥ A K J 9 8

♦ 9 8 4

♣ K Q 10 7 4

♠ 5

♥ Q 10 7 4 3

♦ A Q 5 3 2

♣ 5 3

♠ A K Q 10 9 8 4 3

♥ 6

♦ K J

♣ 6 2

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Shape 1552 8122 0535 4234 HCP 8 13 13 6 Losers 6 4 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	4 ♥	4 ♠	5 ♥
Dbl	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

5 ♥ × by North

Made 6 — NS +750

440 boards f

B5BF6332A2A5F6FB6B638886E532

**Board 399**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9 8 3

♥ A Q 9 8 2

♦ 8 7 5

♣ 10 3

♠ Q 2

♥ 5 4

♦ 10 9 4 3

♣ Q J 9 4 2

♠ K 7 6

♥ —

♦ K Q J 6 2

♣ A K 8 7 6

♠ A J 10 5 4

♥ K J 10 7 6 3

♦ A

♣ 5

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Shape 2245 3055 5611 3532 HCP 5 16 13 6 Losers 9 4 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	3 ♣	3 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid  
3 ♥ by North  
Made 3 — NS +140

441 boards f

B79593DBB211279BBBCCB1017D0A

**Board 400**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10 9 4 2  
♥ 6 4 2  
♦ Q 8 7 2  
♣ J 2

♠ Q 6  
♥ J 7 5 3  
♦ A 9  
♣ A 10 5 4 3

♠ 3  
♥ A K Q 10 8  
♦ 6 3  
♣ K Q 9 8 7

♠ A K J 8 7 5  
♥ 9  
♦ K J 10 5 4  
♣ 6

W N E S

Shape 4342 1525 6151 2425 HCP 3 14 12 11 Losers 10 4 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	3 ♠	4 ♥	4 ♠
Dbl	Pass	5 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !H

5 ♥ by East

Made 5 — NS -650



442 boards f

B419664526EAB56DC2F74163486E

**Board 401**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 7 6

♥ 9 6

♦ 7 5 4

♣ A Q 9 8 5

♠ A J

♥ Q 7 5 3

♦ 8 2

♣ K J 10 7 2

♠ 9

♥ K J 10 8 4 2

♦ K Q J 9 6

♣ 3

♠ K Q 8 5 4 3 2

♥ A

♦ A 10 3

♣ 6 4

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Shape 2425 7132 1651 3235 HCP 11 13 10 6 Losers 7 5 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥	4 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid  
4 ♠ by East  
Made 4 — NS -420

443 boards f

B67F980489993E96DE7A183D1F83

**Board 402**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 7		♠ Q 9 5 4 3
♥ A 9 6 4		♥ Q J 2
♦ A 9 7 4 3		♦ 2
♣ J 10 4		♣ 9 8 7 6

♠ A 6

♥ K 10 8 7 5 3

♦ Q 8

♣ A 3 2

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♠ K J 10 8 2
♥ —
♦ K J 10 6 5
♣ K Q 5

Shape 5314 2623 5053 1453 HCP 5 13 13 9 Losers 8 7 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Dbl	2 NT <sup>3</sup>	3 ♠
4 ♥	4 ♠	5 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. limit raise or better in !H
3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

5 ♥ by East

Made 6 — NS -480

445 boards f

B47C5C989A81F451946D0242DDBE

**Board 403**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 5  
♥ 10 5 4  
♦ A K 6 3 2  
♣ J 5 4 2

♠ 9 3  
♥ A 9 2  
♦ 10 8 5 4  
♣ 10 8 6 3

♠ A K 8 6 4  
♥ K Q J 8 7 3  
♦ Q J  
♣ —

♠ Q J 10 7 2  
♥ 6  
♦ 9 7  
♣ A K Q 9 7

W N E S

Shape 1354 5620 5125 2344 HCP 8 16 12 4 Losers 8 4 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	3 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

3 ♥ by East

Made 4 — NS -170

447 boards f

B5A1319BE2AB8A2E4A4E9A38E25B

**Board 404**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 3

♥ K 4

♦ Q 10 9 7 5 4 2

♣ A K

♠ K 8 4

♥ 9 7 6

♦ —

♣ J 9 8 7 6 5 3

♠ 7 6 2

♥ Q 5 2

♦ A K J 3

♣ Q 10 2

♠ A Q 10 9 5

♥ A J 10 8 3

♦ 8 6

♣ 4

W N E

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Shape 3307 3343 5521 2272 HCP 4 12 11 13 Losers 8 8 6 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♦	Pass
4 ♦	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !D

4 ♦ by East

Made 4 — NS -130

448 boards f

C46C8A4BE06CA1D9726248CEC8F6

**Board 405**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ —

♥ K Q 5 4 3

♦ A 10 4

♣ K 7 6 4 2

♠ J 8 4 3 2

♥ 7 2

♦ J 9 7 6

♣ 9 8

N

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♠ A Q 10 7 6 5

♥ 8

♦ K Q 8 5 3

♣ Q

♠ K 9

♥ A J 10 9 6

♦ 2

♣ A J 10 5 3

Shape 0535 6151 2515 5242 HCP 12 13 13 2 Losers 5 4 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♠	4 ♥	4 ♠	Dbl
Pass	5 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

5 ♥ by North

Made 7 — NS +510

449 boards f

C693B5AF262CF50F0739AD039F2B

**Board 406**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9

♥ K 9 6

♦ Q 10 8 5 3

♣ K 9 6 5

♠ J 10 8 7 6 4 2

♥ 8 7 4

♦ A 4

♣ J

♠ —

♥ A 3

♦ K J 9 7

♣ A Q 8 7 4 3 2

♠ A K Q 5 3

♥ Q J 10 5 2

♦ 6 2

♣ 10

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Shape 7321 0247 5521 1354 HCP 6 14 12 8 Losers 8 4 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	4 ♠	5 ♣	Pass
Pass	5 ♠	Pass	Pass
Dbl	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

5 ♠× by North

Down 2 — NS -500

450 boards f

C56E715E2E213FC8EB6576702D32

**Board 407**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8 7  
♥ K 9 5 4 2  
♦ 8 7  
♣ K 10 6 3

♠ J 10 9 3 2  
♥ 8  
♦ 6 5  
♣ A Q J 5 2

♠ A K Q 6 5 4  
♥ Q  
♦ K 10 4 2  
♣ 9 7

♠ —  
♥ A J 10 7 6 3  
♦ A Q J 9 3  
♣ 8 4

W N E S

Shape 5125 6142 0652 2524 HCP 8 14 12 6 Losers 7 5 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	Pass	3 ♠	4 ♥
		Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

4 ♥× by South

Down 1 — NS -100

451 boards f

C761631EE540E2FC6AF63E5A4BF0

**Board 408**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 9 8 6 2

♥ 8 6 5 2

♦ J 6

♣ A J

♠ Q 5

♥ 10 3

♦ 7 4 3

♣ Q 9 7 6 5 4

♠ —

♥ A K J 9 7

♦ A K 10 9 2

♣ 10 8 2

♠ A K 10 7 4 3

♥ Q 4

♦ Q 8 5

♣ K 3

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Shape 2236 6232 0553 5422 HCP 4 14 15 7 Losers 9 6 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	3 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid
  2. to the partner's longer
- 3 ♠ by East
- Made 3 — NS -140



453 boards f

C563AA68887455EC7609121BEBC4

**Board 409**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8 3 2

♥ 10 7

♦ K Q J 6 4 3

♣ 9 6

♠ 6 5 4

♥ J 6 2

♦ 10 9 7 2

♣ K 7 5

♠ A Q 10 9 7

♥ 9 5 4

♦ A 5

♣ A 4 3

♠ K J

♥ A K Q 8 3

♦ 8

♣ Q J 10 8 2

W N E S

Shape 3343 5323 2515 3262 HCP 4 14 16 6 Losers 11 7 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
3 ♥ by North  
Made 4 — NS +170

454 boards f

C763627ED6E20066173875255962

**Board 410**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 10		♠ 9 7 6 4
♥ Q 6 5		♥ 9
♦ J 8 7 5 4		♦ 6 3
♣ 5 4 3		♣ K Q J 10 8 2

♠ —

♥ A K 10 8 4 2

♦ A K 10 9 2

♣ 9 6

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♠ A K Q 8 5 3 2

♥ J 7 3

♦ Q

♣ A 7

Shape 4126 7312 0652 2353 HCP 6 16 14 4 Losers 7 5 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	4 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid  
 2. to the partner's longer  
 4 ♠ by East  
 Down 1 — NS +100

455 boards f

C49563AA619FAC0FD2B0ED4A4ED1

**Board 411**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 7 5 2		♠ 8									
♥ 6		♥ 8 4 3									
♦ K J 7 6 2		♦ 10 9 8 5 3									
♣ A J 5 2		♣ Q 7 4 3									
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W		E									
	S										
		♠ K J 4 3									
		♥ A 10 7 2									
		♦ Q 4									
		♣ K 10 8									
		♠ A Q 10 9 6									
		♥ K Q J 9 5									
		♦ A									
		♣ 9 6									

Shape 1354 4423 5512 3154 HCP 2 13 16 9 Losers 9 8 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 ♥	Pass	Pass
Dbl	Pass	2 NT	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2 N by East

Made 2 — NS -120

456 boards f

C563A69BC9AF1A8FEB668AFA4F49

**Board 412**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 7 4

♥ 4

♦ Q J 9 7 5 4 2

♣ J 2

N

W

S

E

♠ 9

♥ J 8 5 3 2

♦ K 6

♣ K 9 6 5 4

♠ A 6 3 2

♥ Q 9

♦ A

♣ A Q 10 8 7 3

♠ K Q 10 8 5

♥ A K 10 7 6

♦ 10 8 3

♣ —

Shape 1525 4216 5530 3172 HCP 7 16 12 5 Losers 7 5 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
4 ♥ by North  
Made 5 — NS +450

458 boards f

C4907F03B0BC005A1050809F9EC1

**Board 413**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 2

♥ K J 10

♦ A Q J 9 7 6 5 2

♣ 2

♠ Q 9 7

♥ Q 9 5 2

♦ K 10 4 3

♣ 8 3

♠ K 8 6

♥ A 8 7 6 4 3

♦ 8

♣ K Q 4

♠ A J 10 5 4 3

♥ —

♦ —

♣ A J 10 9 7 6 5

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Shape 3442 3613 6007 1381 HCP 7 12 10 11 Losers 8 6 4 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	5 ♣
6 ♥	Dbl	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !H

3. Splinter

6 ♥× by East

Down 1 — NS +100

459 boards f

C6125999B8BB4C94738EFAC23E55

**Board 414**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 3  
♥ 9 6 4  
♦ A 7 4  
♣ A 6 5 4 3

♠ 5 4  
♥ J 10 7 5 3  
♦ 9 6 3  
♣ K Q 2

♠ K 9 7 2  
♥ A K Q 8 2  
♦ 8 2  
♣ 10 7

♠ Q J 10 8 6  
♥ —  
♦ K Q J 10 5  
♣ J 9 8

W N E S

Shape 2335 4522 5053 2533 HCP 12 12 10 6 Losers 8 6 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	3 ♥	Pass
Pass	Dbl	Pass	4 ♦
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	Pass
5 ♥	Dbl	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

5 ♥× by East

Down 3 — NS +500

460 boards f

C76C65B7AE856A8EDE26B7DECB81

**Board 415**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 7 4 3

♥ Q 5

♦ K Q 10 6 5

♣ K 10 2

♠ 6

♥ 10 8 3 2

♦ 9 3

♣ J 9 8 7 6 4

♠ A K 9

♥ 7 4

♦ A J 8 7 4

♣ Q 5 3

♠ Q J 10 8 5 2

♥ A K J 9 6

♦ 2

♣ A

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Shape 1426 3253 6511 3253 HCP 1 14 15 10 Losers 9 7 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
4 ♥ by North  
Made 4 — NS +620

461 boards f

C457616516226A9DE2354C29C255

**Board 416**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ J 10 6 4  
♥ 5 3  
♦ 8 5  
♣ J 10 9 7 3

♠ 7 3  
♥ 6  
♦ K 10 7 3  
♣ K Q 8 6 4 2

♠ A K Q 9 5 2  
♥ A J 8 2  
♦ 9 4  
♣ A

♠ 8  
♥ K Q 10 9 7 4  
♦ A Q J 6 2  
♣ 5

W N E S

Shape 4225 6421 1651 2146 HCP 2 18 12 8 Losers 10 4 4 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	3 ♠	4 ♥
4 ♠	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

4 ♠ by East

Made 6 — NS -480



462 boards f

C66B7ECE2B6B4341FA2225F859EF

**Board 417**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 7 4 2		♠ J 6 5
♥ K 7 4		♥ Q 9 8
♦ K Q 2		♦ 9 8 6
♣ 8 5 3		♣ K Q 7 6

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	♠ —	♠ A K 10 9 8 3
	♥ A J 10 6 5 2	♥ 3
	♦ A J 10 7 4 3	♦ 5
	♣ 4	♣ A J 10 9 2

Shape 3334 6115 0661 4333 HCP 8 12 10 10 Losers 9 5 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass
5 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid
  2. limit raise or better in !S
  3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  4. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 5 ♠ by East
- Down 1 — NS +50

463 boards f

C5DC536D24EEB5EE4A3EC661591B

**Board 418**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 10 8 5		♠ J 6 2
♥ 9 6		♥ 7 5
♦ 7 3 2		♦ J 9 5
♣ Q 9 4 3		♣ 10 8 7 6 5

	♠ 9	
	♥ Q J 10 8 4	
	♦ A Q 10 8 6	
	♣ A J	

	♠ K Q 7 4 3	
	♥ A K 3 2	
	♦ K 4	
	♣ K 2	



Shape 3235 5422 1552 4234 HCP 2 18 14 6 Losers 11 4 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	4 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid
  2. to the partner's longer
- 4 ♠ by East  
 Made 5 — NS -650

464 boards f

D455EC6F5625E30E7D912914D245

**Board 419**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ K 9 3

♥ 7

♦ 9 6 3

♣ A 10 7 6 5 2

♠ 10 8 5 4

♥ 8 2

♦ K Q 8 7

♣ J 8 3

♠ 6

♥ K Q 10 9 5

♦ A J 10 4 2

♣ K 4

♠ A Q J 7 2

♥ A J 6 4 3

♦ 5

♣ Q 9

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Shape 4243 5512 1552 3136 HCP 6 14 13 7 Losers 9 6 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
4 ♠	Pass	1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
		Pass	Pass
1. Michaels Cuebid			
4 ♠ by East			
Made 5 — NS -450			

465 boards f

D64B919FCA9AEBE54E1E9E9F3909

**Board 420**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 9 8

♥ 3

♦ Q 7 6 5 4

♣ K 8 3 2

♠ 6 3 2

♥ A J 7 2

♦ K

♣ J 10 7 6 5

♠ A 7

♥ K Q 10 6 5 4

♦ 8

♣ A Q 9 4

♠ K Q 10 5 4

♥ 9 8

♦ A J 10 9 3 2

♣ —

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Shape 3415 2614 5260 3154 HCP 9 15 10 6 Losers 9 4 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	3 ♥	Pass
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♠ by North

Made 5 — NS +200

466 boards f

D56E5BCF6D284A3D6789CE4A2B91

**Board 421**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 10 8 3  
♥ Q 9 6 5 4  
♦ 7  
♣ A 9 5 4

♠ Q 5  
♥ 8  
♦ K 10 9 6 4 3  
♣ J 8 6 2

♠ A K J 9 7 4  
♥ K 2  
♦ 2  
♣ K Q 7 3

♠ 6 2  
♥ A J 10 7 3  
♦ A Q J 8 5  
♣ 10

W N E S

Shape 3514 6214 2551 2164 HCP 6 16 12 6 Losers 8 4 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♥	4 ♠	5 ♥
Pass	Pass	Dbl	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

5 ♥× by North

Made 5 — NS +650

467 boards f

D77E706E21222E0461FBFF5EFAE1

**Board 422**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 6 5 3 2

♥ A K 6 5 3

♦ 8

♣ J 7 2

♠ J 10 9 8

♥ 8

♦ 6 3

♣ A Q 10 9 4 3

♠ A K Q 7 4

♥ 4

♦ A Q 9 5 4

♣ 6 5

♠ —

♥ Q J 10 9 7 2

♦ K J 10 7 2

♣ K 8

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Shape 4126 5152 0652 4513 HCP 7 15 10 8 Losers 7 4 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
4 ♠	Dbl	1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass		Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♠× by East

Made 5 — NS -990

468 boards f

D627ADB72D828F34C987D32370E5

**Board 423**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 7 5 2		♠ A J 8 4
♥ Q 8 3		♥ 10 9 7 6
♦ K J 9		♦ 10 5 4 3
♣ K J 7 2		♣ 10
	<div>♠ 3</div> <div>♥ 5</div> <div>♦ A Q 8 6 2</div> <div>♣ A Q 9 6 5 4</div>	
	<div>♠ K Q 10 9 6</div> <div>♥ A K J 4 2</div> <div>♦ 7</div> <div>♣ 8 3</div>	

Shape 4441 1156 5512 3334 HCP 5 12 13 10 Losers 9 4 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♠	4 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass
5 ♣	Pass	Pass <sup>3</sup>	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. Unusual 4 NT

3. bidable suit

5 ♣ by East

Made 5 — NS −400

469 boards f

D5A123BBB9AB4A48E0B25E770A26

**Board 424**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 7  
♥ Q J 6 4  
♦ Q J 10 9 8 3  
♣ A J

♠ K 3 2  
♥ 9 8 3  
♦ 4 2  
♣ 9 6 5 3 2

♠ 9 8 5 4  
♥ 5  
♦ A K 7 6  
♣ K Q 10 4

♠ A Q J 10 6  
♥ A K 10 7 2  
♦ 5  
♣ 8 7

W N E S

Shape 3325 4144 5512 1462 HCP 3 12 14 11 Losers 10 6 5 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣	Pass
3 ♦	Pass	5 ♦	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !D

5 ♦ by East

Made 5 — NS -600



470 boards f

D7DD90F1B38C6636B255DB0A831E

**Board 425**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ A Q 5  
♥ Q J 8 7  
♦ 9 8 6  
♣ A Q 6

♠ 8 4 2  
♥ 10 4 3  
♦ 5 4  
♣ 9 8 7 4 2

♠ 9 6  
♥ A K 6 5 2  
♦ A 10 2  
♣ J 5 3

♠ K J 10 7 3  
♥ 9  
♦ K Q J 7 3  
♣ K 10

W

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Shape 3325 2533 5152 3433 HCP 0 12 13 15 Losers 11 8 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♥	Pass
4 ♥	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !H

4 ♥ by East

Made 6 — NS -680

471 boards f

D4E96840E8FE5A7E640D64ED337E

**Board 426**

East Deals

None Vul


♠ A J 10 4		♠ 6 3
♥ 10 8 3 2		♥ Q 6
♦ Q 3		♦ 10 8 6 4 2
♣ A 6 4		♣ 10 9 8 2

N

W

S

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♠ —	♠ K Q 9 8 7 5 2
♥ A K J 7 5 4	♥ 9
♦ 7 5	♦ A K J 9
♣ K Q J 7 5	♣ 3

Shape 2254 7141 0625 4423 HCP 2 13 14 11 Losers 10 4 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass
5 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. limit raise or better in !S
3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

6 ♠ by East

Made 6 — NS -980

472 boards f

D5D27C80BA90D655D481B505A954

**Board 427**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 9 7		♠ 4
♥ K J 5		♥ Q 6 4
♦ J 3		♦ 9 8 7 5 4 2
♣ 8 6 5 4 3		♣ A J 9

	♠ K 8 2
	♥ A 10 9 8 7 2
	♦ A Q 10 6
	♣ —

	♠ Q J 10 6 5 3
	♥ 3
	♦ K
	♣ K Q 10 7 2



Shape 1363 3640 6115 3325 HCP 7 13 11 9 Losers 8 5 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	4 ♥	4 ♠
Dbl	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

4 ♠× by South

Down 1 — NS -100

473 boards f

D7695C642876776DCB8B8CA605C4

**Board 428**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 7 2

♥ 10 9

♦ Q 10 9 4 3 2

♣ A 8 3

♠ J 3

♥ 7 6 5 3 2

♦ A J 7 6

♣ 10 4

♠ A K Q 10 9 8

♥ K

♦ K 8 5

♣ 9 7 6

♠ 6 5 4

♥ A Q J 8 4

♦ —

♣ K Q J 5 2

W

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Shape 2542 6133 3505 2263 HCP 6 15 13 6 Losers 9 6 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Dbl	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♥× by North

Made 4 — NS +790

474 boards f

D429ABB78DA900D1AA3B633C7F02

**Board 429**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 8

♥ Q 6 4 3

♦ 9 8 5 2

♣ A J 10 8

♠ A 9 6 4 2

♥ J 9 2

♦ J 4 3

♣ 7 2

♠ 5 3

♥ 8

♦ A K 10 7 6

♣ K Q 6 5 3

♠ K Q J 10 7

♥ A K 10 7 5

♦ Q

♣ 9 4

W

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Shape 5332 2155 5512 1444 HCP 6 12 15 7 Losers 10 5 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	4 ♠	5 ♦	Dbl
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid

5 ♦ × by East

Down 1 — NS +100

475 boards f

D683105C93B8C787B8F21FBCD13E

**Board 430**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 6 3

♥ 10 7 6 4 2

♦ Q 5 4 2

♣ 3

♠ K 5 2

♥ A 9 8

♦ A K J 6 3

♣ 6 2

♠ Q

♥ K Q J 5 3

♦ 9 8

♣ A J 9 8 5

♠ A J 10 8 7 4

♥ —

♦ 10 7

♣ K Q 10 7 4

W

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Shape 3352 1525 6025 3541 HCP 15 13 10 2 Losers 7 6 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
4 ♥	4 ♠	5 ♥	Pass
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +1430

477 boards f

D41966B663257C0B0569F67ED6E9

**Board 431**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ A 10 8 7  
♥ 8 7  
♦ 9 4  
♣ K Q 5 4 3

♠ 5 3 2  
♥ Q 9 5 4  
♦ J  
♣ A 10 7 6 2

♠ Q  
♥ K J 10 6 2  
♦ K Q 10 7 5 3  
♣ 9

♠ K J 9 6 4  
♥ A 3  
♦ A 8 6 2  
♣ J 8

W N E S

Shape 4225 5242 1561 3415 HCP 9 13 11 7 Losers 7 7 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	3 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

3 ♠ by East

Made 3 — NS -140

478 boards f

D6AF706442EC9A51FE57242231FC

**Board 432**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 10 7 2

♥ K 7 3 2

♦ A 10 7 2

♣ 8 3

♠ 5 4 3

♥ J

♦ K J 8 4 3

♣ J 9 7 4

♠ K Q J 8 6

♥ 9 8 6

♦ Q 6 5

♣ A 6

♠ A 9

♥ A Q 10 5 4

♦ 9

♣ K Q 10 5 2

N

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Shape 3154 5332 2515 3442 HCP 6 12 15 7 Losers 9 7 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	3 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

3 ♠ by East

Down 1 — NS +50



479 boards f

D5632824718444F5F3BDD6206B45

**Board 433**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8 7 5

♥ J 8 7 6

♦ K 3

♣ J 8 6 2

N

W E

S

♠ A J 9 3 2

♥ 5

♦ A J 7 4

♣ A 7 3

♠ 10 6

♥ A K Q 4 3

♦ 6

♣ K Q 10 9 4

Shape 3361 5143 2515 3424 HCP 7 14 14 5 Losers 7 7 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥	Dbl	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♥ × by North

Made 4 — NS +630

480 boards f

E4D6B356968F52893C557DFCB722

**Board 434**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ 7 2  
♥ 10 8  
♦ 10 7 5 4  
♣ A Q J 9 2

♠ A 4  
♥ K 7 5 4 3  
♦ K 9 2  
♣ 8 6 5

♠ Q 9 6 5  
♥ A Q J 9 6  
♦ 8  
♣ K 10 3

♠ K J 10 8 3  
♥ 2  
♦ A Q J 6 3  
♣ 7 4

W N E S

Shape 2245 4513 5152 2533 HCP 7 12 11 10 Losers 8 6 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !H

4 ♥ by East

Down 1 — NS +50

481 boards f

E6A7677E91ADA5E30C03C662BCF6

**Board 435**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 8 5 2

♥ Q 3 2

♦ Q 10 7 3

♣ J 10 9

W

N

E

S

♠ 7 6

♥ 7 6 5

♦ J 8 6 4

♣ Q 5 4 2

♠ K Q 4

♥ J

♦ A K 9 5 2

♣ A K 8 6

♠ A J 10 9 3

♥ A K 10 9 8 4

♦ —

♣ 7 3

Shape 2344 3154 5602 3343 HCP 3 20 12 5 Losers 10 4 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	2 ♥	1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♦	Pass	3 ♣	Pass
		Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♦ by East

Made 5 — NS -150

482 boards f

E5685474282A4569948B3551653F

**Board 436**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ —

♥ Q 5 2

♦ A J 10 8 6

♣ 9 8 5 4 3

♠ J 10 5 2

♥ 9 6

♦ K Q 9 7 5 3

♣ 10

♠ A K Q 9 8 4 3

♥ K 7 4

♦ 4

♣ 6 2

♠ 7 6

♥ A J 10 8 3

♦ 2

♣ A K Q J 7

W N E S

Shape 4261 7312 2515 0355 HCP 6 12 15 7 Losers 7 5 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥	3 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♠ by East

Made 3 — NS -140

483 boards f

E7AFFC3DACAA95285DDB3A853AEF

**Board 437**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 6 2

♥ K Q 5 3

♦ 9 4

♣ Q 9 7 4

♠ Q 8 5 3

♥ 4

♦ 10 8 6 5 3

♣ 10 5 3

♠ 7

♥ 9 7 6

♦ A K Q J 7 2

♣ A 6 2

♠ A J 10 9 4

♥ A J 10 8 2

♦ —

♣ K J 8

W

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Shape 4153 1363 5503 3424 HCP 2 14 14 10 Losers 9 6 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
4 ♠ by North  
Made 4 — NS +620

484 boards f

E66D4B2B5BE0D62174E97A700EC1

**Board 438**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 10 9 6 2

♥ 7 5 4

♦ A 3

♣ A 8 6 2

W

N

E

S

♠ Q 8 3

♥ K 3 2

♦ 10 8 4 2

♣ 9 5 3

♠ A K J 7 5 4

♥ J 9

♦ 9 7

♣ K Q J

♠ —

♥ A Q 10 8 6

♦ K Q J 6 5

♣ 10 7 4

Shape 3343 6223 0553 4324 HCP 5 15 12 8 Losers 10 6 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
4 ♠	Pass	1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
		Pass	Pass
1. Michaels Cuebid			
4 ♠ by East			
Made 5 — NS -450			

485 boards f

E59BABA6CFE673D8EBC7B3A6E205

**Board 439**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 2

♥ J 6 2

♦ Q 10 6 4 2

♣ Q 10 4 3

♠ J 10 8 7 6 3

♥ 9 5

♦ A K 8 7

♣ 2

♠ 9

♥ A 8

♦ 9 5 3

♣ A K J 9 7 6 5

♠ A K Q 5 4

♥ K Q 10 7 4 3

♦ J

♣ 8

N

W E

S

Shape 1354 1237 5611 6241 HCP 5 12 15 8 Losers 8 6 3 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	3 ♣	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♥ by North

Down 1 — NS -50

486 boards f

E79B9494BB84C556EAF24458D34A

**Board 440**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ —  
♥ 10 9 5 2  
♦ A J 7 4 2  
♣ 8 7 6 2

♠ 9 7 6 3  
♥ J 6  
♦ K Q 10 9 8 5  
♣ 9

♠ 8 5 4 2  
♥ A K Q 8 4 3  
♦ —  
♣ A J 3

♠ A K Q J 10  
♥ 7  
♦ 6 3  
♣ K Q 10 5 4

W N E S

Shape 0454 4603 5125 4261 HCP 5 14 15 6 Losers 8 5 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	3 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

3 ♥ by East

Made 4 — NS -170



487 boards f

E4E29BBBACE14EBD2C433DDDBA613

**Board 441**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ A 10 4  
♥ Q 8 5  
♦ A 10 6 2  
♣ 10 8 5

♠ 7 5 2  
♥ 9 6  
♦ J 9 8 7 5  
♣ A 9 3

♠ 9 6  
♥ K 4 2  
♦ K Q 4  
♣ K Q 6 4 2

♠ K Q J 8 3  
♥ A J 10 7 3  
♦ 3  
♣ J 7

W N E S

Shape 3253 2335 5512 3343 HCP 5 13 12 10 Losers 10 6 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	Pass
Dbl	Pass	3 ♣	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♣ by East

Made 3 — NS -110

488 boards f

E5B3299F2AA1522255859B39CC2A

**Board 442**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 3

♥ A 4

♦ K J 5 4 2

♣ K 10 7 6 4

♠ K J 8 4 2

♥ 6 3

♦ 7 6

♣ J 9 8 2

♠ 9 7

♥ Q 9 7 5

♦ A 10 9 8

♣ A Q 5

♠ A Q 10 6 5

♥ K J 10 8 2

♦ Q 3

♣ 3

W

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Shape 5224 2443 5521 1255 HCP 5 12 12 11 Losers 9 7 6 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
4 ♠ by North  
Down 1 — NS -50

489 boards f

E7F3DB682062D036375E2965DA41

**Board 443**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ A K 9 3

♥ A 8 7

♦ 8 7 4

♣ 5 4 2

♠ J 8 7 5

♥ 2

♦ K Q 5 3

♣ 10 8 6 3

♠ —

♥ Q J 10 5 4

♦ A J 10 9 2

♣ Q J 9

♠ Q 10 6 4 2

♥ K 9 6 3

♦ 6

♣ A K 7

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Shape 4144 5413 0553 4333 HCP 6 12 11 11 Losers 8 6 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !S

4 ♠ by East

Made 5 — NS -650

490 boards f

E497D7AD9D8654D239113A1689E2

**Board 444**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ K 8 2

♥ 7 5

♦ 8 6 2

♣ Q J 7 6 3

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♠ 9

♥ A K J 9 8 6 4

♦ 7 5 3

♣ A K

♠ 7 6 5 4

♥ 10 3

♦ Q J

♣ 10 8 5 4 2

♠ A Q J 10 3

♥ Q 2

♦ A K 10 9 4

♣ 9

Shape 4225 1732 5251 3235 HCP 3 15 16 6 Losers 10 5 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	4 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♥ by East

Down 1 — NS +50

491 boards f

E6B9578901B8847295C5DA1E59E2

**Board 445**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 6 5 2

♥ A 10 8

♦ 4

♣ A Q J 7 6 3

♠ J 4

♥ Q J 9 6

♦ J 8 2

♣ 8 5 4 2

♠ K 8 3

♥ K 7 5 4 3

♦ K 9 7 6

♣ K

♠ A Q 10 9 7

♥ 2

♦ A Q 10 5 3

♣ 10 9

W N E S

Shape 2434 3541 5152 3316 HCP 5 12 12 11 Losers 10 7 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !H

4 ♥ by East

Made 4 — NS -420

492 boards f

E7EEBFA547AAF63D4C72ACE78B4A

**Board 446**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ A 9 4

♥ K 9 8 6

♦ Q J 9 4

♣ Q 8

♠ 8

♥ J 7 3 2

♦ 10 3 2

♣ A 10 9 6 2

♠ J 7 6 2

♥ —

♦ A K 8 7 5

♣ K J 4 3

♠ K Q 10 5 3

♥ A Q 10 5 4

♦ 6

♣ 7 5

W

N

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Shape 1435 4054 5512 3442 HCP 5 12 11 12 Losers 9 6 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♦	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
2 NT	3 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♥ by North

Made 3 — NS +140

493 boards f

E4839AF8CC9C93623D3E09D4D598

**Board 447**

East Deals

None Vul

♠ Q J 4 3

♥ Q 7 6

♦ A 9 8

♣ 7 5 3

♠ 7 6 5

♥ A J 5

♦ J 10 7 6

♣ K 8 6

♠ 8

♥ K 10 9 4 3 2

♦ K Q 5 2

♣ A 9

♠ A K 10 9 2

♥ 8

♦ 4 3

♣ Q J 10 4 2

W N E S

Shape 3343 1642 5125 4333 HCP 9 12 10 9 Losers 10 5 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 ♠	4 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♥ by East

Made 4 — NS -420

494 boards f

E62F4F9AABA64E07AAF5AEDF1D3E

**Board 448**

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 6 4		♠ A 8 3 2
♥ 6 2		♥ K 9 8
♦ A K 9 5 4 3 2		♦ —
♣ 6 3		♣ Q 10 9 7 5 2

♠	K 9
♥	Q 4 3
♦	10 8 6
♣	A K J 8 4

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♠	Q J 10 7 5
♥	A J 10 7 5
♦	Q J 7
♣	—

Shape 4306 2335 5530 2272 HCP 9 13 11 7 Losers 6 7 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♦	4 ♠	5 ♦	Pass
Pass	5 ♠	Dbl	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

5 ♠× by North

Made 6 — NS +1050



495 boards f

E5DC5B888EA409148051F1C21599

**Board 449**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 5 4

♥ 5

♦ K Q 9 2

♣ 9 6 5 3 2

♠ 9 8 3

♥ Q J 9 7 4

♦ 10 8 3

♣ J 4

♠ K 6

♥ A K 8 6 3 2

♦ 7 6 5 4

♣ K

♠ Q J 10 7 2

♥ 10

♦ A J

♣ A Q 10 8 7

W

N

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S

Shape 3532 2641 5125 3145 HCP 4 13 14 9 Losers 10 6 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	Pass
3 ♣	Pass	3 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

3 ♥ by East

Made 3 — NS -140

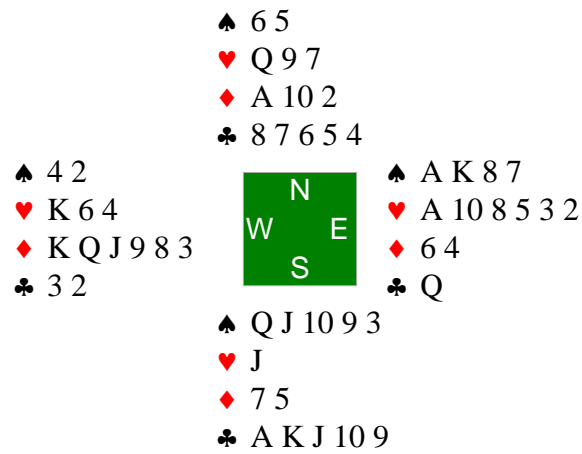
496 boards f

F45C7083A09C8052463A16FA91DD

**Board 450**

East Deals

None Vul



Shape 2335 4621 5125 2362 HCP 6 13 12 9 Losers 9 6 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
4 ♥	Pass	1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
		Pass	Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♥ by East

Made 4 — NS -420

498 boards f

F5819FBFDE9CCC863901D8D2D30A

**Board 451**

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 9 5 4 3

♥ Q 7

♦ 7 5 2

♣ A 7 6

♠ —

♥ K J 10 5 4 3

♦ A 6 4 3

♣ K Q 3

♠ 7 6 2

♥ A 9 8 6 2

♦ 8

♣ J 8 4 2

♠ A K Q 10 8

♥ —

♦ K Q J 10 9

♣ 10 9 5

W N E S

Shape 3514 0643 5053 5233 HCP 5 13 15 7 Losers 9 5 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♥	2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

2 ♠ by North

Made 3 — NS +140

499 boards f

F7AB699F84E82C0735B6AF1BD739

**Board 452**

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10 3

♥ 7 6 2

♦ J 8 7 6 3

♣ K 7 2

♠ 9 8 7 4 2

♥ J 8

♦ A K 10 4 2

♣ 6

♠ K

♥ Q 4 3

♦ Q 9 5

♣ A Q 8 5 4 3

♠ A Q J 6 5

♥ A K 10 9 5

♦ —

♣ J 10 9

W N E S

Shape 5251 1336 5503 2353 HCP 8 13 15 4 Losers 7 6 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
		1 ♣	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid  
4 ♠ by North  
Made 5 — NS +650