

# High Level Competitive Bidding

## NSWBA 27/8/2018

Nye Griffiths

What Features Of A Hand Make  
It Good/Bad For Bidding On Or  
Competing In High Level Bidding?

# Round 6 Coffs Harbour Pairs 2018

Board 28

♠ Q96542

*Dealer W*

♥ 95

*Vul N-S*

♦ 42

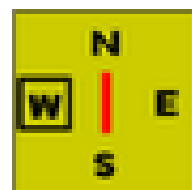
♣ J85

♠ A

♥ KJ642

♦ AKJ76

♣ A2



♠ JT87

♥ AQ

♦ Q93

♣ KT73

♠ K3

♥ T873

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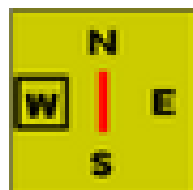
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OPPONENT'S BIDDING

1H – 1S

3D – 3NT

4D – 5D

THOUGHTS ON  
THIS AUCTION?  
GOOD OR BAD?

# Final Round Of Open Interstate 2018

EW vulnerable  
Dealer North

♠764  
♥J2  
♦JT762  
♣T62

♠AKQJ832  
♥  
♦A5  
♣QJ74

♠T95  
♥T754  
♦4  
♣A9853

♠  
♥AKQ9863  
♦KQ983  
♣K

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BIDDING

1S (4D)\* 4S (P)

5D (5H) ?

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♣K

4D = Forcing

5+H/5+D

# Final Round Of World Pairs Final 2014, Sanya China

**13**  
N/AI

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

	♣	♦	♥	♠	NT
N	-	1	-	1	-
S	-	1	-	1	-
E	6	-	4	-	2
W	6	-	4	-	2

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

N  
W E  
S

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

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

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BIDDING

(P) P (2S) 3C

(4S) 4NT\* (P) 5C

(5S) ?

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N/AII

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

N	E
W	S

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♥ 9 7 5 4
♦ K 10 5
♣ J

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S	-	1	-	1	-
E	6	-	4	-	2
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4NT = Good Club Raise



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♣ 9 5

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

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

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# Final Round Of Qualifying SNOT 2016

Board 3

Dealer S

Vul E-W

♠ QT96

♥ 87

♦ J8742

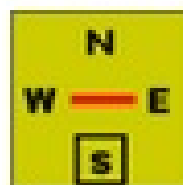
♣ A7

♠ A7

♥ 6

♦ AQT63

♣ K5432



♠ 2

♥ AQT932

♦

♣ QJT986

♠ KJ8543

♥ KJ54

♦ K95

♣

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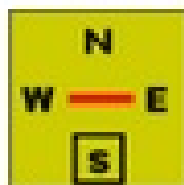
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♣ QJT986

BIDDING

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(5S) ?

2NT = Unusual 2NT

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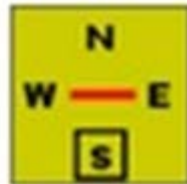
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