

Lindsay's Challenge - February 2020 Newsletter

Challenge 4

North

♠ 6 4 3

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♦ 10 6 5 4 3 2

♣ 8 4 3 2

West

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♥ K Q J 10 6 5 4 3 2

♦ Q J

♣ K Q

East

♠ Q 10 8 7

♥ A 9 8 7

♦ 9 8 7

♣ 10 9

South

♠ A K J 9 5 2

♥

♦ A K

♣ A J 7 6 5

How can South make Six Spades after West leads the King of Hearts?

North ruffs the heart king and South must under ruff! A spade is finessed with the nine, the diamonds played and then the ace and a small club led, won by West. West now leads another heart which is ruffed by north and again under ruffed by south! North now leads diamonds until east trumps. South over-trumps and wins the rest of the tricks