BASIC R	ESPONSES	AB
Jump raises - minors limit	g other Pre-emptive	
Jump raises - majors limit ☐ forcing	other Pre-emptive	
Jump shifts after minor opening	♣ = 6-9 raise ♥/ ♠ = weak	Names: Fiona
Jump shifts after major opening Be	rgen	Names: Fiona ABF Nos:
Responses to strong 2 suit opening 2	- waiting	
Responses to 2NT opening Puppet	stayman, transfers, 3♠-minor suit stayman	Basic System: A Classification: G
PLAY CO	NVENTIONS	Classification.
'NT' Versus Notrump 'S'	Versus Suit = Both	Describe strength,
Sequence leads: Overlead	all 🗹 All except AK x (x) 🔟	1♣ 11 3
Underleadother	Ace - Attitude King - Count	1 NT (11) 12-14
Four or more with an honour 4th hig	hest 🗹 attitude 🔲	2♣ Stayman: S
3rd/5th other		transfers 2♦ 2
From 4 small 2nd highest oth	ner	2 NT 3 suite
From 3 cards (no honour) top	middle bottom	2♠ Game Force
Signal on partner's lead: high encoura	ge low encourage	2♦ Weak (m
other		2♥ Weak (m
Signal on declarer's lead Reverse Co	ount	2 ♠ Weak (m
• — •	low encourage 🔽	2 NT 20-22
odd/even other		3 NT 1st/2nd - G
Count natural reverse		PRE-ALE
CONVI	ENTIONS	MEAN
4NT: Blackwood ☐ RKG	CB other 1430	Weak twos may no
4♣ Gerber ☑ when? 1nt		
Other Conv	ventions	
2 way checkback	1st and 2nd round cue bids	
Jacoby 2nt	Cue raises	Negative doubles t
Forth suit forcing	Long suit trial bids	Jump overcalls
Fit bids in competition		1NT overcall (imme
Support Xs and XXs		Immed cue of mino
©ABF Mark	etina	Immed cue of majo
PO Box 397	ŭ	Over opponent's 1f
Fyshwick A0 Tel: 02 6239		Over opponent's 11
TGI. 02 023	2200	Over weak twos



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STAND	ARD SYSTEM CARD
Names: Fiona Brown	Tony Nunn
ABF Nos:	
Basic System: Acol	
Classification: Green \Box B	lue 🗆 Red 🗀 Yellow 🗹
0	PENING BIDS
Describe strength, minimum lengt	h, or specific meaning Canape
1♠ 11 3 1♦ 11	4 1♥ 11 4 1♠ 11 4
1 NT (11) 12-14	may contain 5 card major
2♣ Stayman: simple □	extended Other
transfers 2♦ 2♥	2♥ 2♠ 2♠ MSS or ♦
2 NT 3 suiter or ♣	other
2♠ Game Force or 23+ Balanc	ed
2♦ Weak (may be five card)
2♥ Weak (may be five card)
2♠ Weak (may be five card)
2 NT 20-22	
3 NT 1st/2nd - Gambling 3rd/4	:h - To Play
	LS THAT MAY HAVE UNEXPECTED REQUIRE SPECIAL DEFENCE
Weak twos may not satisfy the ru	
weak twos may not satisfy the re	10 01 13
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	PETITIVE BIDDING
Negative doubles through 4♠	
Jump overcalls Weak	Unusual NT Lowest unbid suits
	i-18 (re-opening) 10-14
	weak or strong
Immed cue of major	Minor: weak or strong
Over opponent's 1NT (weak)	2C - majors, 2D - ♥ or ♠, 2h/s - M + m, X- Pen
Over opponent's 1NT (strong)	" X - ♣ or ♦
Over weak twos	Lebensohl
Over opening threes	X = Takeout

		RESF	PONSES TO	OPE	NING E	BIDS
		Describe	strength, minimum le	ngth or s	pecific me	aning
1 ♣	1♦	4+	4♦	2NT	12+	5♣+
	1 ♥ /♠	4+	4♥	3♣	0 - 6	5♣+
	1NT	5 - 9		3♦	Splinter	
	2♣	10 -12	5♣+	3♥	Splinter	
	2♦	6 - 9	5♣+	3♠	Splinter	
	2♥	0 - 5	6♥	3NT	To Play	
	2♠	0 - 5	6♠	4 bids	To Play	
1•	1 ♥ /♠	4+	4♥/♠+	3♠	6 - 9	5 ♦ +
	1NT	5 - 9		3♦	0 - 6	5♦+
	2♣	10+	4♣+	3♥	Splinter	
	2♦	10 -12	5♦+	3♠	Splinter	
	2♥	0 - 5	6♥	3NT	To Play	
	2♠	0 - 5	6♠	4♦	To Play	
	2NT	12+	5♦+	4 Othe	erTo Play	
1 ♥ /♠	1NT	5 - 9		3♣	6 - 9	4♥/♠+
	2♣	10+	4♣+	3♦	10 -12	4♥/ ♠+
	2♦	10+	4♦+	3♥/♠	0 - 5	4♥/♠+ / splinter
	2 ♥ /♠	10+	5 y / 0 - 5 6	≜ 3NT	To Play	
	2NT	12+	4 ♥ /♠+	4 ♣/ ♦	Splinter	
2♣	2•	Waiting		2♥/♠	2+ or top	3 honours 5♥/♠+
	other					
2•	2♥	Natural a	nd forcing	3♣/♦	To Play	
	2♠	Natural a	nd forcing	3 ♥/ ♠	Fit show	ing
	2NT	Shortage	ask	3NT	To Play	
2 ♥ /♠	2NT	Shortage	ask	3NT	To Play	
	3♣/♦	Natural n	on forcing	4♣/♦	Fit show	ing jump
	3 ♥ /♠	To Play		4 ♥ /♠	To play	
2NT	3♣	Puppet S	tayman	4♣	Natural	
	3♦	Transfer	to 🔻	4♦	Natural	
	3♥	Transfer	to ♠	4♥	To Play	
	3♠	Minor Su	it Stayman	4♠	To Play	
		To Play		other		

	CONVENTIONS							
Additional res	sponses to 1NT							
3♣/3♦	Good suit missing an honour							
3♥/3♠	Weak suit, bid 3nt if can withstand suit							
4♣	Gerber							
4♦	Transfer to ♥							
4♥	Transfer to ♠							
4♠								
Unusual NT:	minors \square other suits \square lower 2 unbid suits \square							
other								
Other slam bi	dding Cue Bids \square Asking Bids \square							
4th Suit Forci	ng One round \square Game force \square							
NT Checkbac	k 🗹 Priorities							
Defence to 3N	IT opening							
Defence to op	ening Two's: Multi 2♦ X - Takeout of spades, 2♥ Takeout of hearts,							
	2♠ - Natural, 2nt - 15-18 with both majors stopped							
RCO sty	rle 2-s							
Other 2-	S							
Defence to st	rong ♣							
	,							
Lebensohl	Over NT interference							
Other us								
Take out of 4	level pre-empts 4♣/4♦ X							
	4♥ X 4♠ X							
	OTHER NOTES							
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BASIC RESPONSES	A B AUSTRALIAN BRIDGE FEI
Jump raises - minors limit ☐ forcing ☐ other Preemptive	INCOR
Jump raises - majors limit □ forcing □ other Bergen	
Jump shifts after minor opening 6 card suit; 4-7 HCP	STANDARD SYSTEM CAR
Jump shifts after major opening Bergen	Names: Daniel Krochmalik Jeb Cole
Responses to strong 2 suit opening 2♦ = Neg or waiting; 2NT = 8-10 BAL	ABF Nos: 404144 N/A
Responses to 2NT opening 5 card Stayman and Transfers	Basic System: Standard American
PLAY CONVENTIONS	Classification: Green ☐ Blue ☐ Red ☐ Yellov OPENING BIDS
'NT' Versus Notrump 'S' Versus Suit = Both	Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning
Sequence leads: Overlead all All except AK x (x)	1♠ 3 1♦ 3 1♥ 5
Underleadother	1 NT 15-17 HCP may conta
Four or more with an honour 4th highest attitude	2♣ Stayman: simple ☐ extended ☐ other
3rd/5th other	transfers 2♦ to ♥ 2♥ to ♠
From 4 small 2nd highest other	2 NT to ♦ other
From 3 cards (no honour) top middle bottom	2♣ Game Force or 23-24 BAL
Signal on partner's lead: high encourage low encourage	2♦ (5) 6 card suit; weak
other Reverse Count	2♥ (5) 6 card suit; weak
Signal on declarer's lead Reverse Count	2♠ (5) 6 card suit; weak
Discards McKenney high encourage low encourage	2 NT 20-22 BAL
odd/even other Reverse Count	3 NT Gambling
Count natural reverse	PRE-ALERTS: CALLS THAT MAY HAVE
CONVENTIONS	MEANING/S OR REQUIRE SPECIAL I
4NT: Blackwood □ RKCB ☑ other 1430	
4♠ Gerber ☐ when? Hell Freezes Over	
Other Conventions	
Lebensohl Cue Bids (First Round)	COMPETITIVE BIDDING
Fit Showing Jumps in Competition	Negative doubles through 4 Responsive doubles t
Splinters	Jump overcalls Weak Unusual NT Lowest Unbi
4th Suit Forcing to Game	1NT overcall (immediate) 15-18 (re-opening)
Help Suit Trials	Immed cue of minor Michaels; 5+ ♠ & 5+ ♥ any strength
A D A SADEM LE	Immed cue of major Michaels; 5+ o/Major & 5+ minor any
©ABF Marketing PO Box 397	Over opponent's 1NT (weak) Modified Capaletti
Fyshwick ACT 2609	Over opponent's 1NT (strong) DONT
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Names:	Dan	iel Kroc	hmalik		Jeb	Cole	!				
ABF Nos:	404	144			N/A	١					
Basic Syste	m:	Standa	rd Ameri	can							
Classificatio	n:	Green	☐ Bli	ue 🗆	F	Red [] Y	ellow			
			O	PENI	NG	BI	DS				
Describe str	ength	ı, minim	um length	ı, or spe	cific	meani	ng			Canape	
1 ♠ 3		1.	• 3			1 ♥ 5			1 ♠	5	,
1 NT 15-	17 H	CP	,				may co	ontain	5 card	major	
2 ♣ Stayma	an:	simple		exte	nded		0	ther			
transfers	2♦	to 🔻		2♥	to •	Þ			2 ♠ to	•	
2 NT	to 🔷		0	ther							
2 ♣ Game	Forc	e or 23	-24 BAL								
2 \(\) (5) 6 c	ard s	uit; wea	ak								
2 ♥ (5) 6 c	ard s	uit ; we	ak								
2 ♠ (5) 6 c	ard s	uit ; we	ak								
2 NT 20-2	22 BA	L									
3 NT Gan	nbling										
PRE	-AL	ERTS	: CALL	S TH	AT	MAY	' HAV	E U	NEXI	PECTE	D
N	ΛΕΑ	NING	/S OR	REQL	JIRI	E SP	ECIA	L DE	EFEN	ICE	
		(COMP	ETIT	IVI	ΞВ	DDI	NG			
Negative do	ubles	through	h 4 ∀		Res	ponsiv	/e doubl	les thr	ough	4♥	
Jump overca		Weak		Unusua	al NT	L	owest U	Jnbid :	Suits		
1NT overcal	ll (imn	nediate)) 15-	-18		(re-o	pening)	11	-14		
Immed cue	of mir	nor	Michaels	; 5+ ♠ 8	ß 5+	♥ any	streng	th			
Immed cue	of ma	jor	Michaels				_		rength		
Over oppon		•		Modifie	-						
Over opponent's 1NT (strong) DONT											

		RESPONSES TO (DPEN	NING BIDS
		Describe strength, minimum len	gth or s	pecific meaning
1♣	1•	4+, 6+ HCP	2NT	10-12 HCP; Invitational
	1 ♥ /♠	4+, 6+ HCP	3♠	5+, 0-8 HCP
	1NT	7-10 HCP	3♦	Preemptive
	2♣	4+, 5-9 HCP	3♥	Preemptive
	2•	6+, 4-7 HCP	3♠	Preemptive
	2♥	6+, 4-7 HCP	3NT	13-15 HCP (no 4+ Major)
	2♠	6+, 4-7 HCP	4 bids	
1•	1 ♥ /♠	4+, 6+ HCP	3♠	6+, Preemptive
	1NT	6-9 HCP	3♦	5+, 0-8 HCP
	2♣	4+, 10+ HCP, F1	3♥	Preemptive
	2♦	4+, 5-9 HCP	3♠	Preemptive
	2♥	6+, 4-7 HCP	3NT	13-15 HCP (no 4+ Major)
	2♠	6+, 4-7 HCP	4♦	
	2NT	10-12 HCP; Invitational	4 Othe	er
1♥/♠	1NT	6-9 HCP	3♠	4, 6-9 HCP
	2♣	4+, 10+ HCP, F1	3♦	4, 10-12 HCP
	2♦	5+, 10+ HCP, F1	3 ♥/ ♠	4/5, 3-5 HCP
	2 ♥ /♠	3, 5-9 HCP	3NT	13-15 HCP
	2NT	4+, Jacoby Game Force 13+ H	C4 ₹ /♦	Splinters - 9-11 HCP
2♣	2•	Negative or Waiting	2 ♥ /♠	5+ and good suit, 8+ HCP
	other	2NT = 8-10 HCP Balanced; 3 r	minor =	5+ and good suit, 8+ HCP
2•	2♥	6, Natural Non-Forcing	3♣/♦	Natural Non-Forcing
	2♠	6, Natural Non-Forcing	3 ♥/ ♠	Natural & FORCING
	2NT	Ogust (3♣ = MIN; others MAX)	3NT	To Play
2♥/♠	2NT	Ogust	3NT	To Play
	3♣/♦	Natural Non-Forcing	4♣/♦	Natural & Preemptive
	3 ♥/ ♠	Natural Non-Forcing (NOT INV	() 4♥/♠	To Play
2NT	3♣	5 Card Stayman	4♣	Natural and FORCING (cues)
	3♦	Transfer to ♥	4♦	Natural and FORCING (cues)
	3♥	Transfer to ♠	4♥	To Play
	3♠	5 Spades & 4 Hearts	4♠	To Play
		To Play	other	

		CON	VENII	UNS				
Additional res	ponses	to 1NT						
3♣/3♦	Natural (good suit) and Forcing (start cueing)							
3♥/3♠	Natural	Natural (good suit) and Forcing (start cueing)						
4♣	N/A							
4♦	N/A							
4♥	To Play							
4♠	To Play							
Unusual NT:	mino	ors 🗌 (other suits		lower 2	unbid suits		
other								
Other slam bid	dding	Cue Bids		Asking B	ids \square			
4th Suit Forcin	ng	One round [Game force		
NT Checkback	、 □	Priorities	Lowest	Minor ov	er both 11	NT and 2NT		
Defence to 3N	T openir	ng						
Defence to op	ening Tv	vo's: Multi 2♦	X = 15+ U	nbalanced	d; 2NT = 1	15-18 BAL;		
		Others = Nat	ural Suits					
RCO sty	le 2-s	X = 15 + Unba	alanced; 21	NT = 15-1	8 BAL;			
		Others = Nat	ural Suits					
Other 2-	S	With Anchor	SuitX =	TK/O of tl	hat suit			
		2NT = 15-18						
Defence to str	ong 뢒	1 Level Bids	= Natural; 2	2 Level Bi	ds = that	suit and a high	ner s	
			—/	,				
Lebensohl		ver NT interfere						
Other us		er (2M) X (/) 2I						
Take out of 4	-	·		X = TK/O				
	4♥	X = TK/O	4 ♠ X =	Values	Use discr	etion; 4NT = 7	K/O	
		OTH	ER NO	TES				

BASIC RESPONSES	AUSTRALIAN BRIDGE FEDERATION
Jump raises - minors limit \square forcing \square other	INCORPORATED ©
Jump raises - majors limit \square forcing \square other	STANDARD SYSTEM CARD
Jump shifts after minor opening Weak	Names: Gideon Sawicki & Nick Rodw Nick Rodwell & Gideon Sawicki
Jump shifts after major opening Weak	ABF Nos: 305464 488178
Responses to strong 2 suit opening 2♠,2♠,2♠,2♠ bidding 2♥= 23+ 2♠=0-3 Other =4-	7
Responses to 2NT opening Pass or Correct except 3C = 16+	Basic System: 5-card Majors Standard American Classification: Green Blue Red Yellow
PLAY CONVENTIONS	OPENING BIDS
'NT' Versus Notrump 'S' Versus Suit = Both	Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning Canape
Sequence leads: Overlead all All except AK x (x)	1♠ 12-19, 3+♠ 1♦ 12-19, 3+♦ 1♥ 12-19, 5+♥ 1♠ 12-19, 5+♠
Underlead other	1 NT 15-17 Balanced may contain 5 card major
Four or more with an honour 4th highest attitude attitude	2♣ Stayman: simple □ extended □ other 5-card staymen
3rd/5th other	transfers 2 ♦ 0+, 5+ ♥ 2 ♥ 0+, 5+ ♠ 2 ♠ 0+, 5+ ♠
From 4 small 2nd highest other	2 NT other $3 = 0+, 5+ •$
From 3 cards (no honour) top middle bottom bottom	2♠ 20+
Signal on partner's lead: high encourage low encourage	2♦ Weak major
other	2♥ Rank
Signal on declarer's lead High Encourage	2♠ Colour
Discards McKenney high encourage low encourage	2 NT Odd
odd/even other	3 NT
Count natural reverse	PRE-ALERTS: CALLS THAT MAY HAVE UNEXPECTED
CONVENTIONS	MEANING/S OR REQUIRE SPECIAL DEFENCE
4NT: Blackwood RKCB other Responses 5C =0-3	2♦ = weak two in a major 2NT = weak, ♥ + ♣ or ♦ + ♠
4♣ Gerber □ when? after NT & no interference	2 ♥ = weak, ♥ + ♠ or ♦ + ♣
Other Conventions	2♠ = weak, ♥ + ♦ or ♠ + ♣
	COMPETITIVE BIDDING
	Negative doubles through 3♠ Responsive doubles through
	Jump overcalls Weak Unusual NT Lower unbid suits
	1NT overcall (immediate) 15-17 (re-opening) 12-14
	Immed cue of minor Michael's
	Immed cue of major Michael's
©ABF Marketing PO Box 397	Over opponent's 1NT (weak) Hamilton
Fyshwick ACT 2609	Over opponent's 1NT (strong) Hamilton
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Copyright © BCC 6.3.20	Over opening threes Natural



		RESPONSES TO	OPEN	NING BIDS
		Describe strength, minimum ler	ngth or s	pecific meaning
1♣	1•	6+, 4+ ♦	2NT	11-12
	1 ♥ /♠	6+, 4+ ♥/♠	3♣	10-12, 5+ ♣
	1NT	6-10	3♦	
	2♣	6-9, 5+ ♣	3♥	
	2♦	Weak	3♠	
	2♥	Weak	3NT	13-15
	2♠	Weak	4 bids	
1 🔷	1 ♥ /♠	6+, 4+ ♥/♠	3♣	Weak
	1NT	6-10	3♦	10-12, 5+ ♦
	2♣	10+, 4+ ♣	3♥	
	2♦	6-9, 5+ ♦	3♠	
	2♥	Weak	3NT	13-15
	2♠	Weak	4♦	
	2NT	11-12	4 Othe	ef
♥/♠	1NT	6-10	3♣	Weak
	2♣	10+, 4+ ♣	3♦	Weak
	2♦	10+, 4+ ◆	3 ♥/ ♠	10-12, 3+ ♥/♠
	2 ♥ /♠	6-9, 3+ ♥/♠	3NT	13-15
	2NT	11-12	4♣/♦	
2♣	2•	0-7	2 ♥ /♠	8+, 5+ ♥/♠
	other			
2	2♥	Pass or Correct	3♣/♦	
	2♠	Pass or Correct	3 ♥/ ♠	Pass or Correct
	2NT	16+	3NT	
2 ♥ /♠	2NT	16+	3NT	
	3♣/♦	Pass or Correct	4♣/♦	Pass or Correct
	3♥/♠	Pass or Correct	4 ♥ /♠	Pass or Correct
2NT	3♣	16+	4♣	Pass or Correct
	3♦	Pass or Correct	4♦	Pass or Correct
	3♥	Pass or Correct	4♥	Pass or Correct
	3♠	Pass or Correct	4♠	Pass or Correct
	3NT		other	

Additional response	es to 1NT							
3♣/3♦ 3♣ = -	3♣ = Transfer to ◆							
3♥/3♠								
4 ♣ Gerbe	er							
4◆								
4♥								
4♠								
Unusual NT: m	ninors \square other suits \square lower 2 unbid suits \square							
other								
Other slam bidding	Cue Bids \square Asking Bids \square							
4th Suit Forcing	One round \square Game force \square							
NT Checkback	Priorities							
Defence to 3NT oper	ning Natural							
Defence to opening	Two's: Multi 2♦ Natural							
RCO style 2-s	Natural							
Other 2-s	Natural							
Defence to strong ◆	Natural							
Lebensohl	Over NT interference							
Other uses	Over IVI interierence							
Take out of 4 level p	ore-empts 4♣/4♦ Natural							
	4♥ Natural 4♠ Natural							
4	Ivatural 12 Ivatural							
	OTHER NOTES							

CONVENTIONS