## **4. BASIC RESPONSES**

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		<u> </u>	T CONVEN		510	w priorities		
		Versus Suit	t (or both)	Versus	NoTrump	(if different)		
Leads	Sequences:	Overlead: A-	Attitude, K-Count					
Four or more with an honour		Attitude - low encourage		4th high	4th highest			
From 4 small		2nd highest						
From 3 cards (no honour)		Middle						
In partner's suit								
Discards		Odd=Enc, Ev	/en=McKenney					
Count		Low-High $=$ E	EVEN					
Signal	on partner's lead:	Low encourage	e					
Signal on declarer's lead:		Low encourage	е					
Notes								

Ghestem

6. SLAM CONVENTIONS Blackwood 44 Gerber X when? after 1NT RKCB 1430 4NT: Slam Notes Cue Bids X Asking Bids 7. OTHER CONVENTIONS 4th suit forcing No Trump raises Lebensohl over weak 2 and NT interference

Cue bids

Long suit trials

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ABF Nos. 146439 E\	/A Samuel					
& Names: 137782 FF						
Basic System: Standard						
Brown Sticker Classification	on: Green 🗙	Blue	Re	d 🗌	Yellow	
	1. OPENIN	IG BIDS	5			
Describe strength, minimum lengt	h, or specific mear	ning			Canape	
1♣ 11+, 3♣	1	<b>♥</b> 11+, 5 <b>♥</b>				
1♦ 11+, 3♦	1	<b>♠</b> 11+, 5 <b>♠</b>				
1NT 15-17			mayo	contain 5 car	d Major 📃	
1NT Responses 2♣ Simple Sta	yman	Other:				
2 Transfer 💙		2 Transfer	*			
2 💙 Transfer 🛧		2NT Transfer	•			
other	📌 and 🔶:	Burke variatio	n			
2 Game Force or 23 - 24 Balar	nced					
2♦ Weak in ♥/♠ (6 card) or 20 -	22 Balanced					
2♥ Weak 5/5 ♥ and other suit						
2♠ Weak 5/5 ♠ and minor						
2NT Weak 5/5 🙅 and 🔶	3	3NT Gambling				
other						
	2. PRE-A	LERTS				
Major super accept v	vith 4	Double or 2 voer our NT				
2NT MAX 4333; 3X MAX other 4	card suit	System on; Pass requires opener to redouble				
3M minimum 4 card support		redouble requires opener to bid 2 🙅				
3. CON	IPETITIVE BI	DS / OVEF	RCALLS			
Negative doubles through 4	Jump overcalls VU	VUL=Intermediate				
Responsive doubles through 3	Unusual NT Iow	est unbid suite	5			
1NT overcall - immediate 15-18	Immedia	ate cue of minor	Ghestem	weak or s	strong	
1NT overcall - re-opening 11-14	Immedia	ate cue of Major	Ghestem	weak or s	strong	
Over weak twos X T/O & Lebensohl	; 2NT 15-18 Over	opening threes	X takeout			
Over opponent's 1NT						
(Weak or strong): X per	nalty; 2 <b>♣= ♥+</b> ♠; 2	<b>:♦= ♥</b> or <b>♠</b> ; 2	NT <b>♣+</b> ♦;			
2♥/♠	= 4+ major and 5-	⊦ minor				

		8. RESPO	NS	ES TO OPENI	١G	BIDS
		Describe stre	ngth,	minimum length, or specifi	c mea	aning
1♣	1♦	5+, 4♦	2�	Splinter (5 🌩)	3�	Splinter (5 🙅)
	1♥	5+, 4♥	2 💙	Splinter (5 🛧)	3 🧡	Splinter (5 🌩)
	1♠	5+, 4🗙	2	Splinter (5 🛧)	3♠	Splinter (5 🌩)
	1NT	8-10	2NT	10-12, 4🙅	3NT	13-15 to play
	2	6-9, 5🜩	3	6-9, 6🜩	4	RKCB
	other					
1♦	1♥	5+, 4♥	2♥	Splinter (5♦)	3♥	Splinter (5♦)
	1♠	5+, 4🗙	2	Splinter (5♦)	3♠	Splinter (5♦)
	1NT	8-10	2NT	10-12 BAL	3NT	13-15, to play
	2	10+, 4+ 🜩	3	Splinter (5♦)	4	SPD
	2�	6-9, (4�)	3�	6-9, (5�)	4�	RKCB
	other					
1♥	1♠	5+, 4🗙	2♥	6-9, 3 <b>Y</b>	3�	SPL, FSJ if interference
	1NT	6-9	2	SPL, FSJ if interference	3♥	15+, 3+♥, FG
	2	10+, 4+ 🛧	2NT	10-12 BAL or 16+, 3 💙	3♠	SPL
	2�	10+, 4+�	34	SPL, FSJ if interference	3NT	13-14 BAL, 3+♥
	other	4♥/♠ to play				
1♠	1NT	6-9	2	6-9, 3🛧	3 💙	SPL, FSJ if interference
	2	10+, 4+ 🛧	2NT	10-12 BAL or 16+, 3ቋ	3♠	15+, 3+ <b>全</b> , FG
	2�	10+, 4+�	3	SPL, FSJ if interference	3NT	13-14 BAL, 3+🗙
	2 💙	10+, 5+♥	3�	SPL, FSJ if interference	4	SPL
	other					
1NT	34	6♣, slam try	3♠	6♠, slam try	4�	RKB
	3�	6♦, slam try	3NT	to play	4 🖤	to play
	3♥	6♥, slam try	4	Gerber	4	to play
	other					
2	2�	weak, < A+K	2NT	8-11	3♥	self supp. suit 5+♥
	2♥	positive, 5 💙	34	positive, 5 🙅	3♠	self supp. suit 5+
	2	positive, 5	3�	positive, 50	3NT	12+
	other	4♣/♦ self supp. suit 5+ca	rds			
2�	2♥	pass or correct	3♣	to play	3♠	to play
	2	pass or correct	3�	to play	3NT	4♥ & 4♠, 6-10 HCP
	2NT	STR ask, 3♣/♦ STR H/S	3♥	to play	4	to play
	other					

Notes

2♥ 2♠	pass or correct	3♦	pass or correct	3NT	to play
2NT	strong inquiry	3 💙	to play	4♣	pass or correct
34	pass or correct	3	pass or correct	4♥	to play
other					
2 <b>4</b> 2NT	strong inquiry	3 💙		4	pass or correct
3♣	pass or correct	3	to play	4 💙	
3♦	pass or correct	3NT	to play	4	to play
other	5 <b>∲</b> /♦ to play				
2NT 3♣	to play	3	1 round force	4�	RKCB
3♦	to play	3NT	to play	4 💙	to play
3 💙	1 round force	4	RKCB	4	to play
other					
	9	). C	ONVENTIONS	•	
Unusual	NT: lower 2 unbid suit	S	Ghestem wea	ik or st	rong
4th Suit	Forcing One round				Game force
NT Che					
	to 3NT opening				
	e to Opening Twos	2	2NT: 16-18		
Multi 2			X = values, 2nd X = T/O;	2rd V	- popalty
RCO styl			t X = values, $2 \ln X = 1/0$ , t X = values & T/O; 2nd X		
Other 2-s		n, 13		v – pei	laity
	e 1♣ : X= strong; 2				
to		/ <b>•</b> a	nd 5+ $\Phi$ or $\blacklozenge$ ; 2NT = 5+	+死 an	d 5+ 🕈
•	2 🛧 : natural				
*					
Over 1N	T Interference lebenso	hl			
Lebens	ohl - other uses weak 2	2's			
Take ou	t of 4 level pre-empts		4♣/4♦ X		
4	X		4 <b>•</b> 4NT		
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Multi La	ndy over opponents NT:				
	X penalty - top of oppone	nts ra	nae		
			-		
	- 2 📥 🔜 🤎 T 🍐 - 2 📥 🔜 🛀 🗛	. 📥 e	NT - 📥 and 📥		
	$2 \clubsuit = \blacktriangledown + \bigstar; 2 \bigstar = \blacktriangledown$ or $2 \blacktriangledown = 4 + \blacktriangledown$ and 5+ minor				