

BASIC RESPONSES

Jump raises - minors limit forcing Other: Weak, good support
 Jump raises - majors limit forcing Other: Weak, 4+support
 Jump shifts after minor opening _____
 Jump shifts after major opening _____
 Responses to strong 2 suit opening N/A
 Responses to 2NT opening Puppet Stayman and transfers

PLAY CONVENTIONS

'NT' Versus Notrump 'S' Versus Suit = Both
 Sequence leads: Overlead all All except AK x (x)
 Underlead Other: A=ATT, K=count, J=no higher hon; overlead
 Four or more with an honour 4th highest attitude NT
 3rd/5th S Other: _____
 From 4 small 2nd highest Other: _____
 From 3 cards (no honour) top middle bottom
 Signal on partner's lead: high encourage low encourage
 Other: _____
 Signal on declarer's lead Usually natural count
 Discards McKenney high encourage low encourage
 odd/even Other: 6= no preference
 Count natural reverse

CONVENTIONS

4NT: Blackwood RKCB Other: 0314
 4♣ Gerber when? Over natural NT bids and rebids

Other Conventions



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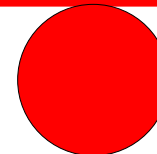


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STANDARD SYSTEM CARD

Names: Jay Steer Stella Steer
 ABF Nos: 121789 121797
 Basic System: Fantunes Brown Sticker
 Classification: Green Blue Red Yellow



OPENING BIDS

Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning Canape
 1♣ 2+♣, 14+ HCP 1♦ 4+, 14+ HCP 1♥ 5+, 11+ HCP 1♠ 5+, 11+ HCP
 1 NT 12-14 HCP, may be (4441) or (5422) may contain 5 card major
 2♣ Stayman: simple extended Other: _____
 Transfers 2♦ to 2♥ 2♥ to 2♠ 2♣ to 3♣
 2 NT to 3♦ Other: 3♣ asks for 5-card major, 4♣ Gerber
 2♣ 10-13 HCP, 6+♣ or 5+♣ and a 4 card suit with a singleton or void
 2♦ 10-13 HCP, 6+♦ or 5+♦ and a 4+ card suit with a singleton or void
 2♥ 10-13 HCP, 6+♥ or 5+♥ and a 4+ minor with a singleton or void
 2♠ 10-13 HCP, 6+♠ or 5+♠ and a 4+ minor with a singleton or void
 2 NT 21 - 22 HCP, may contain a 5-card major
 3 NT Ace asking (strong one suited hand without a void)

PRE-ALERTS: CALLS THAT MAY HAVE UNEXPECTED MEANING/S OR REQUIRE SPECIAL DEFENCE

1♣/♦/♥/♠ unlimited strength, F1 2♣/♦/♥/♠ may be weaker, 3rd, 4th NV
 1♦ and 1♥ responses to 1♣ are transfer 3NT opening is ace asking (see above)
 1NT incl (4441) and (5422) not both Maj

COMPETITIVE BIDDING

Negative doubles through 3♥ Responsive doubles through 3♥
 Jump overcalls 6+, weak/int Unusual NT 5/5 or better in the lower two suits
 1NT overcall (immediate) 15-18 HCP (re-opening) 15-18 HCP
 Immed cue of minor 5+♥ and 5+♠, 5-7 losers or better
 Immed cue of major 5/5 or better in ♦ and the other major, 5-7 losers or better
 Over opponent's 1NT (weak) X = PEN, 2♣ both majors, 2♦ = major single suiter
 Over opponent's 1NT (strong) 2♥/2♠ 5M and 4+ minor, 2NT minors (Multi Landy)
 Over weak twos X = T/O then Lebensohl
 Over opening threes X = T/O

RESPONSES TO OPENING BIDS

Describe strength, minimum length or specific meaning

1♣	1♦	0-11 HCP, 4+ hearts	2NT	10+ HCP, 5-card M, 5332, FG
	1♥/♠	0-11 HCP, 1♥ = 4+♠, 1♠ = no M	3♣	
	1NT	10+ HCP, balanced, FG	3♦	
	2♣	10+, 5+ ♣, FG, not (5332)	3♥	
	2♦	10+, 5+ ♣, FG, not (5332)	3♠	
	2♥	10+, 5+ ♥, FG, not (5332)	3NT	
	2♠	10+, 5+ ♠, FG, not (5332)	4 bids	
1♦	1♥/♠	0-9 HCP, natural 4+ suit	3♣	
	1NT	0-9 HCP, No 4 card major	3♦	0-5 HCP, 4+ ♦
	2♣	10+ HCP, 5+♣ or BAL or raise	3♥	
	2♦	6-9 HCP, 4+ ♦	3♠	
	2♥	10+, 5+ ♥, FG, not (5332)	3NT	
	2♠	10+, 5+ ♠, FG, not (5332)	4♦	
	2NT	10+ HCP, 5-card M, 5332, FG	4 Other	
1♥/♠	1NT	0-9 HCP, after 1♥ denies 4+♠	3♣	
	2♣	10+ HCP, 5+♣ or BAL or raise	3♦	
	2♦	10+, 5+ ♦, FG, not (5332)	3♥/♠	0-4 HCP, 4+ card raise
	2♥/♠	3-6 HCP, 3-card raise	3NT	
	2NT	5-11 HCP, 3 or 4 card raise	4♣/♦	
2♣	2♦	10+ HCP, Enquiry	2♥/♠	7-11 HCP, natural non-forcing
	other	2NT = INV, 5♠/4♥; 3♣ = WK raise; 3♥/3♠ = INV, natural		
2♦	2♥	10+ HCP, Enquiry	3♣/♦	3♣ = INV, 5+♠; 3♦ = WK raise
	2♠	Invitational, 5+ ♠	3♥/♠	FG, natural
	2NT	Invitational, 5+ ♥	3NT	
2♥/♠	2NT	see "Other Notes"	3NT	
	3♣/♦	Invitational, 5+ suit	4♣/♦	4♣ = RKCB
	3♥/♠	Weak raise	4♥/♠	
2NT	3♣	Puppet Stayman	4♣	Gerber
	3♦	Transfer to ♥, weak or strong	4♦	
	3♥	Transfer to ♠, weak or strong	4♥	
	3♠	FG, 5+/4+ in minors	4♠	
	3NT	To play	other	

CONVENTIONS

Additional responses to 1NT

3♣/3♦	3♣ asks for a 5-card major
3♥/3♠	
4♣	Gerber
4♦	
4♥	To play
4♠	To play

Unusual NT: minors other suits lower 2 unbid suits

other

Other slam bidding Cue Bids Asking Bids

4th Suit Forcing One round Game force

NT Checkback Priorities

Defence to 3NT opening X = PEN, 4♣ = both majors

Defence to opening Two's: Multi 2♦ X = 16+ HCP, 2NT = 15-18 HCP

RCO style 2-s X = PEN of bid suit, 2NT 15-18HCP, suits natural

Other 2-s Defence to strong 2♣ opening as for strong 1♣ opening

Defence to strong ♣ X = majors (4+/4+) 1NT and 2NT = minors

1♦, 1♥, 1♠ natural (may be weak) 2♣, 2♦, 2♥, 2♠ 6+ suit

Lebensohl Over NT interference

Other uses After T/O double of natural 2♥ or 2♠ openings

Take out of 4 level pre-empts 4♣/4♦ X = Take out

4♥ X OPT w/4♠ 4♠ X = PEN 4NT = 2 suiter

OTHER NOTES

After 2♣, 2♦, 2♥, 2♠ a bid of the next suit = 10+ HCP, enquiry

After 2♣, 2♦, 2♥, 2♠ a bid of 4♣ = RKCB

After 2♣ a response of 3♥/♠ = natural invitational

After 2♥ a response of 2 NT = 5+ ♠, invitational and NF

After 2♠ a response of 3♥ = 5+ ♥ and F1

Long suit trials Cue bids up the line