

BASIC RESPONSES

Jump raises - minors	limit <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	forcing <input type="checkbox"/>	Other: 9-11
Jump raises - majors	limit <input type="checkbox"/>	forcing <input type="checkbox"/>	Other: 7-9, 4+ card supp
Jump shifts after minor opening	GF with 6+ suit		
Jump shifts after major opening	GF with 6+ suit		
Responses to strong 2 suit opening	2D=neg, 2H=+ve with any gd suit, 2S=+ve no gd suit		
Responses to 2NT opening	3C= 5 card suit enquiry; transfers, 3S=5S + 4H		

PLAY CONVENTIONS

'NT' Versus Notrump	'S' Versus Suit	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> = Both
Sequence leads:	Overlead all <input type="checkbox"/>	All except AK x (x) <input type="checkbox"/>
	Underlead <input type="checkbox"/>	Other: A for attitude, K for count, Q/J for unblock
Four or more with an honour	4th highest <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	attitude <input type="checkbox"/>
	3rd/5th <input type="checkbox"/>	Other: 2nd of 4 in partner's suit
From 4 small	2nd highest <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Other: Lead low from 3 small in part's suit
From 3 cards (no honour)	top <input type="checkbox"/>	middle <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> bottom <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Signal on partner's lead:	high encourage <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	low encourage <input type="checkbox"/>
	Other: count to K or when Q or less wins in dummy	
Signal on declarer's lead	count	
Discards	McKenney <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	high encourage <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> low encourage <input type="checkbox"/>
	odd/even <input type="checkbox"/>	Other: count McKenney only used when obvious
Count	natural <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	reverse <input type="checkbox"/>

CONVENTIONS

4NT:	Blackwood <input type="checkbox"/>	RKCB <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Other: Quant over 1NT/2NT
4♣	Gerber <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	when?	Directly over 1NT opening

Other Conventions

4th suit GF (except 1C-1D-1H-1S or after rev)	Minor suit key card
Long suit trial bids	Leaping Michaels
Cue raises	
Splinters	
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STANDARD SYSTEM CARD

Names:	Leone Fuller	Alida Clark
ABF Nos:	194761	170224
Basic System:	ACOL	Brown Sticker <input type="checkbox"/>
Classification:	Green <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Blue <input type="checkbox"/> Red <input type="checkbox"/> Yellow <input type="checkbox"/>



OPENING BIDS

Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning				Canape <input type="checkbox"/>			
1♣	11+, 4+	1♦	11+, 4+	1♥	11+, 4+	1♠	11+, 4+
1 NT	12-14, flat				may contain 5 card major		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
2♣ Stayman:	simple <input type="checkbox"/>	extended <input type="checkbox"/>	Other: 5 card major enq				
Transfers	2♦ to H	2♥ to S	2♣ 5 card suit enq				
2 NT	5+H ,5+ S, invit +		Other: S/accepts: new suit=4 card fit,max;3 suit=4 card fit, min				
2♣	Any ACOL 2 or 19-20 HCPs, balanced						
2♦	EITHER 6 card major, less than opening hand OR Any Game Force OR 23+ HCPs,balanced						
2♥	5+/5+, H + another, less than opening hand						
2♠	5+/5+, S + minor, less than opening hand						
2 NT	21-23, may have 5 card major or 6 card minor						
3 NT	Good pre-empt in a major, except 4th seat = to play						

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

3NT opening	4C/D in 4th seat are good H/S openings
Leaping Michaels over all openings 1NT through to	3C
Occasional 4 card o'calls at 1 level	*3C overcall over major shows D + oth major

COMPETITIVE BIDDING

Negative doubles through	4H	Responsive doubles through	4H
Jump overcalls	weak ex 3C*	Unusual NT	minors over H/S; othr min+maj over C/D
1NT overcall (immediate)	15-18, flat	(re-opening)	15-18, flat
Immed cue of minor	2 suiter, both majors, 5+/5+		
Immed cue of major	2 suiter, C + other major, 5+/5+		
Over opponent's 1NT (weak)	X=pen, 2C=majs, 2D=H, 2H=S+?other, 2S=S, 2NT=mins		
Over opponent's 1NT (strong)	a/a Leaping Michaels over 1NT both wk and str		
Over weak twos	X=TO with Lebensohl, 2NT = 15-18 flat		
Over opening threes	X= TO, 4C/D = 5+C/D, 4+maj or 6+C/D (3C-4D = Leaping Michaels)		

RESPONSES TO OPENING BIDS

Describe strength, minimum length or specific meaning

1♣	1♦	4+ HCPs, 4+ suit	2NT	15+, 4 card support
	1♥/♠	4+ HCPs, 4+ suit	3♣	Limit raise, 9-11
	1NT	4-9, flat	3♦	Splinter
	2♣	4-8, 4+ clubs	3♥	Splinter
	2♦	GF, 6+	3♠	Splinter
	2♥	GF, 6+	3NT	12-14, flat, 4+ clubs
	2♠	GF, 6+	4 bids	4C= weak, 4D=RKCB in C

1♦	1♥/♠	4+ HCPs, 4+ suit	3♣	GF, 6+
	1NT	4-9, flat	3♦	Limit raise, 9-11
	2♣	8+, 4+ suit	3♥	Splinter
	2♦	Limit raise	3♠	Splinter
	2♥	GF, 6+	3NT	12-14, flat, 4+D, flat
	2♠	GF, 6+	4♦	Natural weak
	2NT	15+, 4 card support	4 Other	4C= RKCB

1♥/♠	1NT	5-9, flat	3♣	GF, 6+
	2♣	8+, 4+ suit,	3♦	GF, 6+
	2♦	8+, 4+ suit,	3♥/♠	7-9, 4+ card support
	2♥/♠	4-9, 3+ fit	3NT	12-14, flat, 4+ card support
	2NT	9+, 4 card fit	4♣/♦	Splinter

2♣	2♦	Negative	2♥/♠	2H=+ve, any good suit,
other		2NT-3H= transfer to suit above, very good suit		2S=+ve, no good suit

2♦	2♥	Pass or correct	3♣/♦	Constructive, natural, invite
	2♠	Pass or correct	3♥/♠	Pass or correct
	2NT	enquiry	3NT	To play

2♥/♠	2NT	enquiry	3NT	To play
	3♣/♦	Pass or correct	4♣/♦	Pass or correct
	3♥/♠	Pass or correct	4♥/♠	Pass or correct

2NT	3♣	5 card suit enquiry	4♣	Ans RKCB in C if supaccept
	3♦	transfer to H	4♦	Ans RKCB in D if supaccept
	3♥	transfer to S	4♥	To play
	3♠	5S, 4H	4♠	To play
	3NT	To play	other	4NT = quant

CONVENTIONS

Additional responses to 1NT

3♣/3♦	6+ suit, Slam try, invites cues
3♥/3♠	6+ suit, Slam try, invites cues
4♣	Gerber
4♦	Pick a minor
4♥	To play
4♠	To play

Unusual NT: minors ☐ other suits ☐ lower 2 unbid suits ☐

other Minors over 1H/S; other minor and a major over 1C/D

Other slam bidding

Cue Bids ☒ Asking Bids ☐

4th Suit Forcing

One round ☐ 1S= 1 round force Game force ☒

NT Checkback

Priorities range, up the line

Defence to 3NT opening

X = values, 4C/D = T/O with better H/S

Defence to opening Two's:

Multi 2♦ X = TO of spades, 2H is TO of H, 2NT= 15-18 flat,

Leaping michaels (see below), X of resp's relay is TO of that suit

RCO style 2-s

X = TO 15+, 2NT= 15-18 flat, X of relay suit = TO,

Leaping Michaels (see below)

Other 2-s

Optimals: X = TO of long suit, Leaping Michaels over all 2 openings

2C/D strong: X=2 suiter, S + another, 2NT= 2 suiter without S

Defence to strong ♣

1 level suits natural, X = good hand, 1NT= weak D, 2C= weak C,

2D/H/S as per opening bids,

Lebensohl

Over NT interference ☒

Other uses

after TO X of opponent's weak 2

Take out of 4 level pre-empts

4♣/4♦ X = TO

4♥ X or 4NT= TO. 4♠ 4NT = TO, X shows values

OTHER NOTES

2NT rebid after major suit response shows 3+ fit and 15+ points

After pre-empt, change of suit forces raise or 3NT

Leaping Michaels(applies over bids of 1NT - 3C inclusive):4 Level Minor shows that suit and undisclosed major 5+5+

TO of 3D/H/S: 4 Level minor shows 5+ card suit & 4 card major, OR 6+ card minor