## 4. BASIC RESPONSES

Jump raises - minors Inverted
Other: $4-9 \mathrm{HCP}$
Jump raises - Majors Preempt
Other:
Jump shifts after minor opening 2 level weak, 3 other m criss-cross, $3 \mathrm{M}=$ splinter
Jump shifts after Major opening
Responses to strong 2 suit open. Points Range/Transfers/Shape Shows
Responses to 2NT opening
Muppet Stayman/Transfers

|  | 5. PLAY CONVENTIONS |  | Show priorities |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Versus Suit (or both) | Versus | NoTrump | (if different) |
| Leads Sequences: | Overlead,A or Q-ATT, K-Count |  |  |  |
| Four or more with an honour | 4th highest |  |  |  |
| From 4 small | 2nd highest |  |  |  |
| From 3 cards (no honour) | Middle |  |  |  |
| In partner's suit | as above |  |  |  |
| Discards | Low Encourage |  |  |  |
| Count | Low-High = Even |  |  |  |
| Signal on partner's lead: | Low Encourage |  |  |  |
| Signal on declarer's lead: | Reverse count |  |  |  |
| Notes Tens treated as | honour for NT, small for suits |  |  |  |

## 6. SLAM CONVENTIONS

4NT: Blackwood $\qquad$ RKCB 1430 exc.C 4\% Gerberwhen?

## Slam Notes Minorwood

Cue Bids X First and second indiscriminately
Asking Bids $\qquad$

## 7. OTHER CONVENTIONS



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Yellow

Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning
Canape
1\& (10)11-20HCP 3+
(10)11-20HCP $5+$
1 (10)11-20HCP 3+
1A (10)11-20HCP $5+$

1NT 14-17HCP
may contain 5 card Major $X$

| 1NT Responses 24 | Other: 5 Card Range Ask |
| :---: | :---: |
| 2- TRF to ${ }^{-1}$ | 24 TRF to ${ }^{\text {a }}$ |
| $2{ }^{1}$ TRF to ${ }^{\text {c }}$ | 2NT TRF to |
| other 40 TRF to $\downarrow$, 4 TRF to |  |
| 2\% 20-21 HCP BAL, 24+ Bal or GF |  |
| 2 <12HCP 6+ $\downarrow$ or OR 22-23 Bal |  |
| 2. 6-11 HCP 5+-5+ \& minor |  |
| 24. 6-11 HCP 5+-5+ \& minor |  |
| 2NT (7) 8-11 5+-5+ ¢ \& | 3NT 4 Level Minor preempt | other

## 2. PRE-ALERTS

Support XIXX

NAMYATS
Mini Splinters

Negative doubles through 4 Jump overcalls WK
3. COMPETITIVE BIDS / OVERCALLS

Responsive doubles through 4 Unusual NT over M: ms; over 1m: lower $5+/ 5+<9 \mathrm{HCP}$ or GF
1NT overcall - immediate $15-18 \mathrm{HCP} \quad$ Immediate cue of minor Both Ms $5+/ 5+<9 \mathrm{HCP}$ or GF
1NT overcall - re-opening 11-14HCP (FOC) Immediate cue of Major $5+/ 5+\mathrm{OM}+1 \mathrm{~m}<9 \mathrm{HCP}$ or GF
Over weak twos X T/O + LEB; 2NT:15-18HCP Over opening threes X for T/O +non-leaping Michaels Over opponent's 1NT TOXIC
$A Q$ for att $K$ for count throughout
Bids over OPPT 1NT O/C of our 19 or1

## WK

Orand

## 8．RESPONSES TO OPENING BIDS

Describe strength，minimum length，or specific meaning

| 1ヶ 1 5＋HCP 4＋ | 2 | Less than limit，5＋e | 3 | SPL 10－14 HCP |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 － $5+$ HCP 4＋${ }^{\text {－}}$ | $2 \checkmark$ | $6+\sqrt{*}, 4-7 \mathrm{HCP}$ | 30 | SPL 10－14 HCP |
| 14 5＋HCP 4＋ | 24 | 6＋，4－7HCP | 34 | SPL 10－14 HCP |
| 1NT 5－9HCP | 2NT | 10－12HCP no 4 M | 3NT | 13－15HCP BAL no 4 M |
| 24．10＋HCP 5＋，no 4 M | $3 \%$ | Premptive 5＋e，no 4 M | 440\％ | Minorwood |
| other |  |  |  |  |
| 1－1v 5＋HCP 4＋ | 2 | 6＋『，4－7HCP | 30 | SPL10－14 HCP |
| 1． $5+$ HCP 4＋ | 24 | 6＋，4－7HCP | 34 | SPL10－14 HCP |
| 1NT 5－9HCP | 2NT | 10－12HCP no 4 M | 3NT | 13－15HCP no 4 M |
| 24 GF 5＋e | $3 \%$ | Less than limit $5+$ | 4\％ | Splinter |
| 2． $10+\mathrm{HCP} 5+\downarrow$ ，no 4 M | 3 | Premptive 5＋，no 4 M | 4 | Minorwood |
| other |  |  |  |  |
| 1－1爯 $5+\mathrm{HCP} 4+5$ | 2 | 5－10 HCP 3 ${ }^{\text {（ }}$（or 4333） | 3 | 6－9 HCP 4＋＊＊＊ |
| 1NT 5－11HCP | 24 | 6＋4－7 HCP＊＊＊ | 30 | PRE 4＋${ }^{+}$ |
| 24．5 way＊＊（see below） | 2NT | GF raise，4＋SUPP＊＊＊ | 34 | SPL |
| 2 GF 5＋ | $3 \%$ | （8）9－11 HCP 4＋${ }^{\text {＊＊＊}}$ | 3NT | 12－15HCP BAL3 ${ }^{\text { }}$ NF |
| other $4 \boldsymbol{e}$ and 4 SPL 10－14HCP |  |  |  |  |
| 14 1NT 5－11HCP | 24 | 5－10 HCP 34（or 4333） | 30 | Inv 6＋Good H＊＊＊ |
| 2\％ 5 Way＊＊（see below） | 2NT | GF raise，4＋SUPP＊＊＊ | 34 | PRE 4＋ |
| 2 GF 5＋ | $3 \%$ | （8）9－11 HCP 4＋＊＊＊ | 3NT | 12－15HCP BAL3 NF |
| 2V 5＋GF | 3 | 6－9 HCP 4＋＊＊＊ | 4\％ | SPL 10－14HCP |
| other 4 and $4 \checkmark$ SPL 10－14HCP |  |  |  |  |
| 1NT 3\％5＋／5＋ms INV | 34 | sing at least $5 / 4 \mathrm{~ms}$ | 4 | TRF to |
| 3 － $5+/ 5+\mathrm{ms} \mathrm{FG}$ | 3NT | to play | 4 | to play |
| 3 sing at least $5 / 4 \mathrm{~ms}$ | 40\％ | TRF to $\downarrow$ | 4 | to play |
| other |  |  |  |  |
| 2\％ 2 0－3HCP or 10＋HCP | 2NT | 7－9 5＋e | 30 | 7－9 5＋4 |
| 2 4－6HCP | $3 \%$ | 7－9 5＋ | 34 | 7－9 5／4退 |
| 24 7－9Bal／Semi Bal | 3 | 7－9 5＋ | 3NT | 7－9 5／4 |
| other |  |  |  |  |
| 2 －P／C | 34 | NAT，INV | 34 | P／C |
| 24 P／C（shows better $\downarrow$ ） | 3 | NAT，INV |  | 4 4 ＜slam opp big bal |
| 2NT STR enquiry | $3 \checkmark$ | P／C |  | asks part to TRF to their ${ }_{ \pm}$ |

other asks partner to bid their M， 4 P／C
Notes＊＊Natural GF， 3 Card Limit raise， 3 card GF Raise，Club Inv，GF Balanced
＊＊＊ 4 card Maj raise by PH 2M＋1 9－11 Shortage，2M＋2 6－8Shortage， $2 \mathrm{M}+3$ 9－11 No Shortage 2M＋4 6－8 No Shortage

| 2－2＾Natural F1 | 3 P／C | 3NT to play |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2NT STR enquiry | 34 Invite | 44\％P／C |
| 3\％P／C | 34 Splinter | 4 To Play |
| other 4 P／C，4¢ To Play |  |  |
| 2N 2NT STR enquiry | 3 Natural F1 | 4\％P／C |
| 3\％P／C | 34．Invite | 4 to play |
| 3 P／C | 3NT to play | 4＾To play |
| other 4 P／C |  |  |
| 2NT 3\％Enquiry | 34 to play | 4 RCKB in Spades |
| 3 to play | 3NT to play | 4 to play |
| 30 to play | 40\％RKCB in Hearts | 44 to play |
| other |  |  |

## 9．CONVENTIONS

Unusual NT：ms over 1M
after 1 m shows lower suits
4th Suit Forcing One round $\qquad$ Game force $X$
NT Checkback $X$ Priorities： 2 way checkback incl after $1 \mathrm{X}-1 \mathrm{Y}-1 Z$ ；features up the line
Defence to $3 N T$ opening DBL＝values， $4 \boldsymbol{*}$ T／O better $\boldsymbol{~}, 4$ T／O better $\mathbf{~}$ ，
Defence to Opening Twos $\quad \mathrm{X}=15+$ ，NAT overcalls， $2 \mathrm{NT}=15-18$ with MUPP STAY and TRF
Multi $2 \quad \mathrm{X}=15+$ with LEB，NAT 2 level overcalls $3 M=$ stopper ask

RCO style 2－s $\quad X=15+$ with LEB，NAT overcalls
Other 2－s X＝15＋， 2 anchor T／O，NAT overcalls


## Over 1NT Interference lebensohl

Lebensohl－other uses over weak 2 s
Take out of 4 level pre－empts 4ヶ／4 X
4 X
4A 4NT

## 10．OTHER NOTES

TOXIC（TWERB）over opponents＇s $1 \mathrm{NT} /$ Strong $12 / 2 \mathrm{C}$
1M 1NT 2NT GF 1 1NT 2N1 1NT 2NT GF 1NT 2NT Inv
（1x）－P－（1y）－1NT＝ 2 suited T／O（5＋／5＋）
1－2－3 style after pen DBL of 1NT，T／O DBL of weak twos or RDBL of opp＇s T／O DBL at 1 level Short Minor Major General Trials

