

4. BASIC RESPONSES

Jump raises - minors	Preempt
Jump raises - Majors	Preempt
Jump shifts after minor opening	WK 6+cd M or Criss Cross
Jump shifts after Major opening	WK 6+cd OM or Combined Bergen Raises
Responses to strong 2 suit open.	N/A
Responses to 2NT opening	Transfer, Puppet Stayman

5. PLAY CONVENTIONS Show priorities

	Versus Suit (or both)	Versus NoTrump (if different)
Leads Sequences:	Overlead except AKx(+)	Journalist
Four or more with an honour	4th highest	attitude
From 4 small	2nd highest	
From 3 cards (no honour)	Middle	
In partner's suit	Ssx, Xx, xXx, Hx, hxX	
Discards	Odd=Enc., Even=McKenney	
Count	Low-High = Even	
Signal on partner's lead:	Rev.count, Low Encourage	
Signal on declarer's lead:	Rev. count	
Notes	A - Rev. attitude, K - Rev. count. McKenny when obvious	

6. SLAM CONVENTIONS

4NT: Blackwood <input type="checkbox"/>	RKCB 1430	4♣ Gerber <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	when? 1NT
Slam Notes	Exclusion KC (3014), Minor suit KC (1430)		
Cue Bids <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1st or 2nd control		
Asking Bids <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			

7. OTHER CONVENTIONS

Kokish long & short suit trial	Support X & XX to 2♥, **Thrupp Double
Cue raises(fast arrival), Splinters	Maximal X
Transfer over 2NT rebid	Smolen Transfers 9+hcp, Texas Transfers
DOPI & ROPI, Unusual vs. unusual	Bromad (Bergen raises of M after X)
2 way Rev. Drury & 2 way Check back	Criss cross raises & Flip flop after X of m*

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Sandwich 1NT=5/5, 2NT=6/6, 6/5,5/6=high,low rank cue

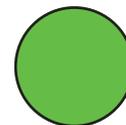
Leaping Michaels over WK 2/3 -4♣/♦bid shows 18+,5+/5+

Black out, 1♣-1♠, 2♦-2♥(artificial)=4cd♠ min

1♦-♠, 2♥-2NT(artificial)=4cd♠ min



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STANDARD SYSTEM CARD

ABF Nos.	353401	Shizue	Futaesaku
& Names:	170331	Wendy	Driscoll
Basic System:	2/1		
Brown Sticker <input type="checkbox"/>	Classification:	Green <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Blue <input type="checkbox"/> Red <input type="checkbox"/> Yellow <input type="checkbox"/>

1. OPENING BIDS

Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning				Canape <input type="checkbox"/>
1♣	11+ HCP, 3+♣	1♥	11+ HCP, 5+♥	
1♦	11+ HCP, 3+♦	1♠	11+ HCP, 5+♠	
1NT	15-17 Balanced	may contain 5 card Major <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
1NT Responses				
2♣	Simple Stayman, 2♣ then 3♣ asks 5cd M. / Smolen			
2♦	TRF to ♥, (3♥=min&4)	2♠	TRF to ♣, (super accept Hxx)	
2♥	TRF to ♠, (2NT=Max&4)-retransfer	2NT	TRF to ♦, (s/acc Hxx)	
other	Super accept: Maj max & 4 - bid doubleton(3♣shows any) - retransfer			
2♣	24+ BAL or any game force			
2♦	Multi : weak Major OR 22-23 BAL			
2♥	Multi : weak, 5+♥ & 5 any other suit			
2♠	Multi : weak, 5+♠ & 5 in either minor			
2NT	20-21 balanced	3NT	Kabel: Specific Ace asking	
other	4NT: minors			

2. PRE-ALERTS

Forcing 1NT/1M (1st & 2nd seat)	Leaping Michaels
Artificial limit raise in all suits include after X	Black out
Combined Bergen Raises	

3. COMPETITIVE BIDS / OVERCALLS

Negative doubles through	4♠+**	Jump overcalls	weak
Responsive doubles through	4♥	Unusual NT	Lower 2 unbid suits
1NT overcall - immediate	15-18 BAL	Immediate cue of minor	Michaels 5/5 Majors
1NT overcall - re-opening	10-14	Immediate cue of Major	5 other Major & 5 minor
Over weak twos	2NT 15-18, T/O X with leb.	Over opening threes	X=T/O, 3NT=to play
Over opponent's 1NT	Weak - Cappelletti 11-15, Strong - Multi Landy		
Cappelletti: X=PEN, 2♣=single suit, 2♦=both M, 2♥/♠=4cd♥/♠ & longer minor, 2NT=minors			
Multi Landy: X=4cd M & longer minor, 2♣=both M, 2♦=M, 2♥/♠=5M & m, 2NT=minors			

8. RESPONSES TO OPENING BIDS

Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning

1♣ 1♦ 6+, 4+♦	2♦ 10-12, 5+♣, Inv.	3♦ SPL	
1♥ 6+, 4+♥	2♥ 1-5, 6+♥	3♥ SPL	
1♠ 6+, 4+♠	2♠ 1-5, 6+♠	3♠ SPL	
1NT 6-9, No 4cd M	2NT 10-12, No 4cd M	3NT 13-15, No 4cd M	
2♣ 12+, 5+♣, FG	3♣ 1-5, 5+♣	4♣ PRE	
other			
1♦ 1♥ 6+, 4+♥	2♥ 1-5, 6+♥	3♥ SPL	
1♠ 6+, 4+♠	2♠ 1-5, 6+♠	3♠ SPL	
1NT 6-9, No 4cd M	2NT 10-12, No 4cd M	3NT 13-15, No 4cd M	
2♣ 12+, 4+♣, FG	3♣ 10-12, 4+♦, Inv.	4♣ SPL	
2♦ 12+, 4+♦, FG	3♦ 1-5, 5+♦	4♦ PRE	
other			
1♥ 1♠ 6+, 4+♠	2♥ 6-9, 3cd Supp.	3♦ 10-11, 3cd Supp.	
1NT 6-11, Semi Forcing	2♠ 1-5, 6+♠	3♥ 0-5, 4+♥	
2♣ 12+, 4+♣, FG	2NT 12+, 4+♥, Jacoby	3♠ SPL	
2♦ 12+, 4+♦, FG	3♣ 6-11, 4+♥, C.Bergen	3NT 13-15, 3cd Supp.	
other 4♣/♦ SPL, 2NT response by Passed hand =5/5m wk, 3♣ resp. by PH=4cd 6-9			
1♠ 1NT 6-11, Semi Forcing	2♠ 6-9, 3cd Supp.	3♥ 1-5, 6+♥	
2♣ 12+, 4+♣, FG	2NT 12+, 4+♠, Jacoby	3♠ 0-5, 4+♠	
2♦ 12+, 4+♦, FG	3♣ 6-11, 4+♠, C.Bergen	3NT 13-15, 3cd Supp.	
2♥ 12+, 5+♥, FG	3♦ 10-11, 3cd Supp.	4♣ SPL	
other 4♦/♥ SPL, 2NT response by passed hand =5/5m wk, 3♣ resp. by PH=4cd 6-9			
1NT 3♣ Weak 5/5minors	3♠ FG 5/5M	4♦ Texas Transfer	
3♦ FG 5/5minors	3NT to play	4♥ Texas Transfer	
3♥ Inv. 5/5M	4♣ Gerber(1430)	4♠	
other 5/4 M - Smolen Transfers			
2♣ 2♦ Positive/Waiting	2NT 5+♥, 2 of top 3 hon.	3♥	
2♥ Neg. no A/K/2Q	3♣	3♠	
2♠ 5+♠, 2 of top 3 hon.	3♦	3NT	
other After interference, Pass=positive, X,XX=deny Value			
2♦ 2♥ Pass or Correct	3♣ Const.	3♠ P/C, 3/3 in both M,Inv.	
2♠ P/C	3♦ Cons.	3NT to play	
2NT Forcing enquiry	3♥ P/C, 3/3 in both M	4♣	
other 2♦-2NT-3♣(any Max)-3♦-3♥(shows♠),3♠(shows♥). 2♦-2NT-3♦(min♥),3♥(mi♠)			

Notes 3♣-4♦=KCB in ♣ Step, 3♦-4♣=KCB in ♦ Step, 3♥/♠-4♣=KCB in ♥/♠ Step

1NT-3♠-4♣(count both suits Keycard Step), 4♦=O, 4♥=1, 4♠=1+Q, 4NT=2

2♥ 2♠ Pass or Correct	3♦ NF	3NT to play	
2NT Forcing enquiry	3♥ to play	4♣	
3♣ NF	3♠ to play	4♥ to play	
other			
2♠ 2NT Forcing enquiry	3♥ to play	4♣	
3♣ NF	3♠ to play	4♥ to play	
3♦ NF	3NT to play	4♠ to play	
other			
2NT 3♣ Puppet Stayman	3♠ 5/5 minor	4♦ KC in ♦	
3♦ TRF to ♥	3NT 5♠/4♥	4♥ to play	
3♥ TRF to ♠	4♣ KC in ♣	4♠ to play	
other 2NT-3♠-4♣/♦=shows 4+cd, 4♥=3244, 4♠=2344			

9. CONVENTIONS

Unusual NT: Lower 2 unbid suits

4th Suit Forcing One round Game force

NT Checkback Priorities: 2 way, 2♣=Inv., 2♦=FG

Defence to 3NT opening X=T/O for Majors, other natural

Defence to Opening Twos Weak 2: Leaping Michaels

Multi 2♦ X=12-15BAL or STR 1 suit or 19+BAL, 3♣♦♥♠=good 6cd, 4♣=5♥/5m,

RCO style 2-s X=T/O 4♦=5♠/5m, 4♥/♠=to play

Other 2-s X=T/O

Defence 1♣ : Multi Landy:

to 2♣=both M, 2♦=M, 2♥/♠=5♥/♠ & m, 2NT=minors, X=shows ♣,

strong 1NT=4M & longer m - 2♣=asks m, - 2♦=asks M

♣ 2♣: X=Majors, 2NT=minors

Over 1NT Interference lebensohl

Lebensohl - other uses Over partner's X of weak 2's

Take out of 4 level pre-empts 4♣/4♦ X=T/O, 4NT=2 suited hand

4♥ X=T/O, 4NT=2 suited hand 4♠ X=T/O optional, 4NT=2 suited hand

10. OTHER NOTES

1NT - 2♣ interference - All Transfer ON including Texas, X=Stayman

1NT - X interference- Systems ON, XX=(Rescue)Asks to bid 2♣ -then pass or convert 2♦

1NT - any other interference - Systems OFF, Lebensohl (slow shows)

Responses to Kabel 3NT- 4♣=none, 4♦/♥/♠=that Ace, 4NT=♣ Ace,

5♣/♦/♥/♠ = that Ace and suit above, 5NT= non touching Aces.

*1♣ - X - 2♠, 1♦ - 3♣= limit raises, 1♣/♦ - X - 2NT=weak, 3♣/3♦=FG, XX=10+

P- P- 1♥/♠ - P- 2NT= 5/5m