## 4. BASIC RESPONSES

Jump raises - minors Preempt Jump raises - Majors Preempt
Jump shifts after minor opening see inside
Jump shifts after Major opening see inside
Responses to strong 2 suit open. 2 : waiting
Responses to 2NT opening 3 : stayman, $3 / /$ : transfers, 3s: minor suit stayman

|  | 5. PLAY CONVENTIONS | ONS Show priorities |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Versus Suit (or both) | Versus NoTrump (if different) |
| Leads Sequences: | Overlead All | Overlead, A-Attitude K-Count |
| Four or more with an honour | 3rd/Low | 4th highest |
| From 4 small | 3rd highest | 2nd highest |
| From 3 cards (no honour) | Bottom | Top |
| In partner's suit | Various | Attitude |
| Discards | Low Encourage | Low Encourage |
| Count | Low-High = Even |  |
| Signal on partner's lead: | Count | Low $=$ Enc |
| Signal on declarer's lead: | Reverse count or suit preference or |  |
| Notes 10 is honour vs | NT, spot in suit |  |

## 6. SLAM CONVENTIONS

## 4NT: Blackwood

$\qquad$ RKCB 1430

4\% Gerber $\square$ when?

## Slam Notes Frequent Range Minorwood

Cue Bids X First and second indiscriminately
Asking Bids $\qquad$
7. OTHER CONVENTIONS


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Yellow

1. OPENING BIDS

Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning

| 1\% 11-20HCP $2+$ | 1V 11-20HCP $5+\cdots$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| 1 11-20HCP 4+ or (16-17 Balanced | 14 11-20HCP $5+$ |
| 1NT 15-17 or (9-12) | may contain 5 card Major $X$ |
| 1NT Responses 2\% Stayman | Other: |
| 2 TRF to $\downarrow$ or (pivot to $2 \boldsymbol{\square}$ ) | 24 trf to ${ }^{\text {e }}$ or (to play) |
| 2 TRF to or (to play) | 2NT TRF to or (transfer to ${ }_{\mathbf{N}}$ ) |
| other 3C: puppet stayman, 3D: $5 / 5$ minors, 3 / 4 : (13)(45) |  |

## 2\& Game Force

2 Weak
2 Weak
24 Weak
2NT 20-21 3NT To play
other 4- Namyats

|  | 2. PRE-ALERTS |
| :--- | :--- |
| Transfers after 1e | Transfers in low level competition |
| Mini NT in 1st/2nd seat fav | Bids over OPPT 1NT O/C of our 1e or1 |
| Transfers responses over 1C |  |

## 3. COMPETITIVE BIDS / OVERCALLS

| Negative doubles through | 4 | Jump overcalls | S Weak |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Responsive doubles through | 4. | Unusual NT | LUBS |  |
| 1NT overcall - immediate | 15-18HC |  | Immediate cue of minor | Majors |
| 1NT overcall - re-opening | 11-14HC |  | Immediate cue of Major | Major+ minor |
| Over weak twos x with L | Leb, Leapi | Michaels | Over opening threes | X= take out |
| Over opponent's 1NT $\mathrm{x}=$ penalty, 2 ce: majors |  |  |  |  |

## 8. RESPONSES TO OPENING BIDS

Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning

| 1** 1 - $4+$ |  | Natural INV | 3 | Void GF |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 - $4+$ |  | 8-11 5-4+ | 30 | Void GF |
| 14. No Major or D+M GF |  | 5+10-11 | 34 | Void GF |
| 1NT 11-12 |  | 0-5 6+2 | 3NT | to play |
| 24. GF 4+e |  | Premptive 5+2 | 49 | preempt |
| other 4 and 4 are to play |  |  |  |  |
| $1-1 / 4+\cdots$ |  | 8-11 5-4+ | 30 | Void GF |
| 14 4+ | 24 | 10-11 raise | 34 | Void GF |
| 1NT 5-11HCP |  | 11-12 flat Nat Inv | 3NT | to play |
| 24. GF $2+2$ | 3\% | Nat INV | $4 \%$ | Void GF |
| 2 GF 4+ | 3 | Premptive | 4 | preempt |
| other 4 and 4 are to play |  |  |  |  |
| 1-1血 $4+$ | 2 |  | 3 | $4+$ 10-12 |
| 1NT 5-11 | 24 | Nat INV | 30 | $4+\cup$ preemtive |
| 24. $2+$ GF | 2NT | $4+$ GF raise | 34 | any void |
| 2 4+ GF | 34 | $3 \sqrt{10-12 ~ H C P ~ o r ~}$ |  | spade splinter |
| other 4 and 4 SPL 9-12HCP ; See Note 2 re 4 card raises by PH |  |  |  |  |
| 14 1NT $5-11 \mathrm{HCP}$ | 24 |  | 30 | ${ }^{6}+$ invitational |
| 24.2+ GF |  | $4+$ GF raise | 31 | 4+ preemtive |
| 2 5+GF | $3 \%$ | as above | 3NT | ANY void |
| 2 5+ GF |  | as above | $4 \%$ | SPL 9-12HCP |
| other 4 SPL 9-12HCP , 4 SPL 9-12HCP |  |  |  |  |
| 1NT 34\% stayman |  | 13(45) | 4 | TRF to 9 |
| 3-5/5 minors GF |  | to play | 4 | to play |
| 31 31(45) |  | TRF to $\downarrow$ | 4 | to play |
| other |  |  |  |  |
| 2\% waiting |  | 7-9 5+20 | 30 | solid ${ }^{\text {/ }}$ |
| 2 6+H good suit |  | 6+ good suit | 34 | Solid S's |
| 24. $6+$ good suit | 3 | $6+$ good suit | 3NT | GF 5 / $/ 4$ 0-9 HCP |
| other 2 - 2 is articial either $\boldsymbol{\sim}$ 's or $25+$ |  |  |  |  |
| $2 \checkmark$ natual $F$ |  | natural F | 34 | Pass or Correct |
| 24 natural $F$ |  | preemptive | 3NT | to play |
| 2NT Asking | $3 \downarrow$ | Pass or Correct | $4 \%$ | Nat F |
| other 4 Pass or Correct 4 | play |  |  |  |

Notes Note 1: 1M2 = GF, OR Inv, OR 3 card Limit Raise + Major, OR GF Bal over $1 \mathrm{M} 2 \boldsymbol{2}$ is acceptance 3card limit raise then auction natural


## 9. CONVENTIONS

Unusual NT: Lower 2 unbid suits
after 1 m show good touching 2-suiter
4th Suit Forcing One round $\square$ Game force $\mathbf{X}$

NT Checkback $X$ Priorities: 2 way checkback incl after $1 \mathrm{X}-1 \mathrm{Y}-1 Z$; features up the line
Defence to 3NT opening $4 \%=$ majors
Defence to Opening Twos 123 X 's

| Multi 2 | $\mathrm{X}=13-15$ bal or 19+ |
| :--- | :--- |
| RCO style 2-s | as above |
| Other 2-s | X=15+, 2 anchor T/O, NAT overcalls |

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Defence \(\mathrm{X}=\) majors \(1 \mathrm{nt}=\) minors
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to & \(1 \mathrm{~N}=\boldsymbol{2}\) 's or \(+\boldsymbol{N}, 2 \boldsymbol{2}=\) 's or \(+\boldsymbol{N}\) and so on at all levels up to \(3 \boldsymbol{2}\) 's \\
strong & \(2 \boldsymbol{2}:\) TWERB \(=\) see above
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Over 1NT Interference rubinsohl and lebensohl

Lebensohl - other uses over weak 2's after a direct X


## 10. OTHER NOTES

 466-6, 4 66, 4 76
M+3 9-11 No shortage, $2 M+4=6-8$ no shortage
1-2-3 style after pen DBL of 1 NT, T/O DBL of weak twos or RDBL of opp's T/O DBL at 1 level Note 3 2NT 3s then $3 \backslash \min 5$ may have longer $\boldsymbol{V}, 3 \boldsymbol{m i n} 5 / 6$


