4. BASIC RESPONSES

 Jump raises - minors
 Weak

 Jump raises - Majors
 Weak

 Jump shifts after minor
 vening

 Jump shifts after Major
 pening

 Bergen

 Responses to strong 2 suit open.
 2H double not

 Responses to 2NT opening
 Simple Stayr

Weak Bergen 2H double negative

Simple Stayman and Transfers

	5. PLAY CONVENT	FIONS Show priorities				
	Versus Suit (or both)	Versus NoTrump (if different)				
Leads Sequences:	Overlead All (*)	Overlead All (*)				
Four or more with an honour	3rd/5th	2nd/4th				
From 4 small	3rd/5th	2nd/4th				
From 3 cards (no honour)	3rd	Top usually				
In partner's suit	3rd/5th	2nd/4th				
Discards	Low Encourage	Low Encourage				
Count	Reverse Count	Reverse Count				
Signal on partner's lead:	Low Encourage (**)					
Signal on declarer's lead:	Reverse Count / Suit Preference	9				
Notes (*) K for count/unblock in some specific situations						
(**) Count or S/P possible in some specific situations						

 6. SLAM CONVENTIONS

 Blackwood X
 RKCB
 1430
 4♣ Gerber when?

 Slam Notes
 Slam Notes
 Slam Notes

 Is X
 Slam Notes
 Slam Notes

 Bids _____
 7. OTHER CONVENTIONS

Supprt X and XX

4NT:

Cue Bids

Asking Bids

2 way checkback

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STANDARD SYSTEM CARD

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& N	lames:	33	0167	Tony Nu	unn				
Basic	System	: 2-	over - 1	game for	се				
Brow	n Sticke	r 🗌	<u>Classi</u>	fication:	Green [Χ	Blue	Red	Yellow
				1. C	PEN	ING	BIDS		
Desc	ribe stre	ngth, n	ninimum le	ngth, or sp	pecific me	aning			Canape
1♣	3+C, 10)-22				1♥	5+H, 10-22 ((4+H in 3rd)	
1♦	3+D, 10)-22				1♠	5+S, 10-22 ((4+S in 3rd)	
1NT	14-16	NV in	1/2; 15-1	7 all othe	er times			may contain 5 ca	ard Major 🛛 🗙
1NT	Response	es 24	stayma	n					
2	🔶 hea	rts				2	clubs		
2	💙 spad	es				2NT	diamonds		
ot	her								
2	18-19 k	al exc	ept NV1/	2 then 17	'-18 bal				
20	GF, ART	-							
2♥	Weak 2	2, can	be 5 NV						
2	Weak 2	2, can	be 5 NV						
2NT	20-22	ехсер	t NV 1/2	then 19-2	21	3NT	Does not ex	kist	
other									
				2.	PRE-	ALE	ERTS		
Light Open/Overcall/Preempt/3rd seat									

Light Open/Overcall/Preempt/3rd seat Dealer fav preempts 0-6

3. COMPETITIVE BIDS / OVERCALLS

Negative doubles through	4S	Jump overcall	s Specific 2 suite	ed or Intermediate
Responsive doubles through	4S	Unusual NT	Lower suits	
1NT overcall - immediate	15-18		Immediate cue of minor	Both Majors
1NT overcall - re-opening	14-16		Immediate cue of Major	OM + Diamonds
Over weak twos Leb			Over opening threes	Natural
Over opponent's 1NT Db	ol pen; 20	c = both ma	jors; 2D =1Major; 2	2M = 5M, 4+minor

8. RESPONSES TO OPENING BIDS							
	Describe stre	ngth,	minimum length, or specified	c me	aning		
1♣ 1♦	Nat, F1	2�	C raise, shapely limit	3�	SPL, GF		
1♥	Nat, F1	2♥	Weak, 3-6	3♥	SPL, GF		
1♠	Nat, F1	2	Weak, 3-6	3♠	SPL, GF		
1NT	Nat, 6-11	2NT	12 or so, INV	3NT	To play		
2♣	Nat, F1, INV +	34	Weak	4	Weak		
other							
1♦ 1♥	Nat F1	2♥	Weak, 3-6	3 💙	SPL, FG		
1♠	Nat F1	2	Weak, 3-6	3	SPL, FG		
1NT	Nat, 6-11	2NT	12 or so, INV	3NT	To play		
2♣	Nat, GF	34	D raise, shapely limit	4	SPL, GF		
2�	Nat, F1, INV+	3�	Weak	4�	Weak		
other							
1♥ 1♠	Nat F1	2♥	Nat	3�	9-11, 4H		
1NT	Nat 6-11	2	3H, 10-12	3♥	Weak		
24	Nat FG	2NT	GF H fit	3	SPL GF		
2�	Nat FG	34	6-9, 4H	3NT			
other	Drury						
1 🛧 1NT	Nat 6-11	2	Nat	3♥	3S, 10-12		
2♣	Nat FG	2NT	GF S fit	3	Weak		
2�	Nat FG	3♣	6-9, 4S	3NT			
2 💙	Nat FG	3�	9-11, 4S	4	SPL		
other	Drury						
1NT 3♣	both minors	3♠	1S 3H, 54m	4�	spades		
3♦	both minors, D longer	3NT		4 💙	nat		
3 🧡	1H, 3S, 54m	4	hearts	4	nat		
other							
24 2	4+H	2NT	nat	3♥	4S		
2 💙	4+S	3♣	5+/4+ in M	3	4H		
2	puppet to 2NT	3♦	44 in M	3NT	to play		
other							
2 2 2	waiting	3♣	positive, good suit	3	positive, good suit		
	0-4, any		postitive, good suit	3NT	to play		
2NT		3♥		4			
other							
L							

Notes

2♥ 2♠	NF NV, F Vul	3�	NF NV, F Vul	3NT	to play
2NT	asking	3♥	to play	4	
3♣	NF NV, F Vul	3		4 💙	
other					
2 4 2NT	asking	3♥	NF NV, F Vul	4♣	
3♣	NF NV, F Vul	3	to play	4 💙	
3	NF NV, F Vul	3NT	to play	4	
other					
2NT 3♣	stayman	3♠	minors	4�	spades
3 ♦ h	earts	3NT	to play	4♥	clubs
3♥ s	pades	4	hearts	4	diamonds
other					
	9	. C	ONVENTIONS		
nusual N	NT:				
th Suit F	orcing One round	٦			Game force X
NT Check	kback X Priorities:	2wa	ay c/b; up the line		
Defence t	o 3NT opening				
Defence t	o Opening Twos				
Multi 2		Nex	t X values; Third Pen (so	ome	exceptions to 3rd)
RCO style 2			ext X values; Third Pen (. ,
Other 2-s		-	ext X values; Third Pen (. ,
	1♣ :Natural		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		, ,
to					
strong	2♣ : Natural				
\$uong ♣					
	Noturol	iana			
		-	ore double; Lebensohl		
		their	weak 2s		
	of 4 level pre-empts		4♣/4♦ nat		
4 ♥ na			4 ♠ nat		
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•	kings. DOPE PISST				
Blackout	for reverses				
eaping N	Michaels				
Gazilli					
Transfer	s in 1NT interf				