

4. BASIC RESPONSES

Jump raises - minors	preempt, <MIXED
Jump raises - Majors	preempt, <MIXED
Jump shifts after minor opening	2♥ = 5/5M <INV, 2♠ = 5/5M INV, jump-O-m = mixed
Jump shifts after Major opening	Bergen, jump-O-M = 3cd INV
Responses to strong 2 suit open.	Kokish, 2M = KQxxx+, 3m = KQxxxx+
Responses to 2NT opening	Simple (Smolen), 3♠ = ♣+♦, 4x = 2-under slam try (4♠ RKC ♣)

5. PLAY CONVENTIONS Show priorities

	Versus Suit (or both)	Versus NoTrump (if different)
Leads Sequences:	overlead (king:cnt V PRE/5+ lvl)	King for unblock
Four or more with an honour	3rds from even / low from odd	4ths
From 4 small	3rd highest	xXxx or Xxxx
From 3 cards (no honour)	lowest	Xxx or xXx
In partner's suit	low from 3+ if unraised	As above
Discards	1st = low enc (usually)	
Count	low = even (if needed)	
Signal on partner's lead:	typically reverse count	typically low enc
Signal on declarer's lead:	typically reverse count, reverse smith V NT, some SP in trumps.	
Notes if a situation calls for a different signal, our signals are:	reverse count, low enc and standard suit preference.	

6. SLAM CONVENTIONS

4NT: Blackwood <input type="checkbox"/>	RKCB 1430	4♣ Gerber <input type="checkbox"/> when?
Slam Notes	Exclusion responses (but game @ first bid) : 0,1,1.5...	
Cue Bids <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1st / 2nd round controls	
Asking Bids <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Exclusion (1, 1.5, 2, 2.5, etc)	

7. OTHER CONVENTIONS

Non-serious 3NT (almost always)	
2-way checkback	

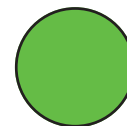
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STANDARD SYSTEM CARD

ABF Nos.	325041	Nye Griffiths
& Names:	759181	John Newman
Basic System:	2/1, transfers over 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♣ 2+ (can be BAL ♦)	1♥ 5+	
1♦ 4+ (usually good suit or UNBAL)	1♠ 5+	
1NT 15-17	may contain 5 card Major <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
1NT Responses 2♣ Simple (Smolen)		
2♦ ♥	2♠ INV or ♣	
2♥ ♠	2NT ♦	
other 3♣ = 5M ask, 3♦ = GF minors, 3M = 3cd fragment (shortage O-M)		
2♣	GF or 22-23 BAL (Kokish)	
2♦	Weak, style reflects vul	
2♥	Weak, style reflects vul	
2♠	Weak, style reflects vul	
2NT 20-21	3NT gambling in 1st/2nd	
other		

2. PRE-ALERTS

Preempts aggressive at 1st fav	
Transfers over 1♣ and 1-suit (X)	
Dubious actions allowed in 3rd	

3. COMPETITIVE BIDS / OVERCALLS

Negative doubles through	varies	Jump overcalls	Intermediate (ART over nebulous openings)
Responsive doubles through	varies	Unusual NT	lowest unbid
1NT overcall - immediate	15+-18	Immediate cue of minor	Michaels if 3+ opening
1NT overcall - re-opening	11-16 (varies)	Immediate cue of Major	5+ OM and a 5+minor
Over weak twos	Lebensohl, leaping Mich.		Over opening threes
Over opponent's 1NT	multi-landy (2♣ = majors, 2♦ = major, 2M = M+m, 2N = minors)		

