4. BASIC RESPONSES Inverted, 5 card support 0-6 HCP Jump raises - minors Jump raises - Majors 4 card support Bergen Jump shifts after minor opening Splinter 0/1 cards fit showing Splinter 0/1 cards fit showing Jump shifts after Major opening Responses to strong 2 suit open. controls in Steps Responses to 2NT opening Lavings & Transfers 5. PLAY CONVENTIONS **Show priorities** Versus Suit (or both) Versus **NoTrump** (if different) O/lead, A&Q attitude K count Sequences: Leads Four or more with an honour 4th highest **Journalist** 2nd highest From 4 small Top or Mud Mud From 3 cards (no honour) In partner's suit Count McKenny Discards **Natural** Count **Natural** High encourage or natural count **Signal** on partner's lead: Signal on declarer's lead: Natural count **Notes** 6. SLAM CONVENTIONS **RKCB 3041 4♣** Gerber **X** when? Over NT = ace ask Blackwood 4NT: **Slam Notes** Cue Bids X Asking Bids X 7. OTHER CONVENTIONS Lebensohl Baron Bergen Good-bad NT ROPI/DOPI Modified Cappelletti Blue Club overcalls Inverted minors Game try bids **Splinters** www.abf.com.au **Blackout** PDF Form Rev. 15F06 by RoL MyRev. Drury in 3rd & 4th seats Copyright © ABF 2015



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I	STANDARD S	SYSTEM CARD						
1	ABF Nos. 119121 Joan Prince (last mod 26/11/18)							
1	& Names: 542954 Pauline Collett							
1	Basic System: Standard 2/1							
1	Brown Sticker Classification: Green	X Blue Red Yellow						
1	1. OPEN	ING BIDS						
'	Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning Canape							
	1♣ 10+ HCP 3 cards	1♥ 10+ HCP 5 cards						
	1♦ 10+ HCP 3 cards	1♠ 10+ HCP 5 cards						
	1NT 15-17 HCP	may contain 5 card Major						
	1NT Responses 2♣ 5 card major enquiry							
	2♦ Transfer to hearts	2♠ Transfer to clubs						
	2♥ Transfer to spades	2NT Transfer to diamonds						
other Super acceps with 4 of the major or 3 to honour in the minor								
2♣ Game force 2♦ Either one suiter in Hearts or Spades with 6-10 HCP or balanced 20-22 HCP								
								2♥ 5-5 in Hearts & another 5-9 HCP 2♠ 5-5 in Spades & a minor 5-9 HCP
	2NT Both Minors min 5-5 weak or strong 3NT Specific Ace ask							
	other							
2. PRE-ALERTS								
1	Multi 2 Diamonds							
ı	Splinters	Support doubles						
ı	Modified Cappalletti Inverted minors							
ı	3. COMPETITIVE E	BIDS / OVERCALLS						
1	Negative doubles through 4H Jump overcalls V	/eak						
ı	Responsive doubles through 4H Unusual NT B	lue Club (ELU)						
I	1NT overcall - immediate 15-18 HCP` Imme	ediate cue of minor Blue Club 5-10 HCP or 16+ HC						
I	1NT overcall - re-opening 10-14 HCP Imme	diate cue of Major Blue Club 5-10 HCP or 16+ HC						
I	Over weak twos $X = Takeout 12 + HCP$	ver opening threes X = Takeout 12+ HCP						
I	Over opponent's 1NT Modified Cappelletti 2c=5/4 Majors, 2d=single suiter							
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1♣ 1♦ 5+ HCP 4 card suit	2 ♦ N/A	3♦ Splinter				
1♥ 5+ HCP 4 card suit	2 ♥ N/A	3♥ Splinter				
1♠ 5+ HCP 4 card suit	2♠ N/A	3♠ Splinter				
1NT 8-10 HCP Bal	2NT 11-12 HCP Bal	3NT 12-15 HCP 3334				
2♣ 9+ HCP no major	3♣ 0-8 HCP 5 clubs no n	naj 4 4 MSKC				
other 4D MSKC, 4H/4S to play						
1♦ 1♥ 5+ HCP 4 card suit	2 ♥ N/A	3♥ Splinter				
1♠ 5+ HCP 4 card suit	2♠ N/A	3♠ Splinter				
1NT 8-10 HCP Balanced	2NT 11-12 HCP balanced	3NT 12-15 HCP 3343				
2♣ 10+ HCP 4 +card suit	3♣ N/A	4♣ Splinter				
2♦ 9+ HCP 5d no major	3♦ 4-8 HCP 5d no major	4♦ MSKC				
other 4H/4S to play						
1♥ 1♠ 5+ HCP 4 card suit	2♥ 5-9 HCP 3 card supp	ort 3 10-11HCP 4 card supp				
1NT 5+ HCP unlimited forcin	2♠ N/A	3♥ 0-6 HCP 4 card support				
2♣ 12+ HCP	2NT 12+ HCP GF 4 card s	sur 3♠ Splinter				
2♦ 12+ HCP GF 5 card suit	3♣ 6-9 HCP4 card suppo	ort 3NT 13-15 HCP 3 card supp				
other 4C & 4D Splinter						
1♠ 1NT 5+ HCP unlimited forcin	2♠ 5-9 HCP 3 card supp	ort 3♥ N/A				
2♣ GF 5 card suit 12+ HCF	2NT 4 card supp 12+ HCF	P 3♠ 0-6 HCP 4 card supp				
2♦ GF 5 card suit 12+ HCF	3♣ 6-9HCP 4 card support	ort 3NT 13-15 HCP 3 cd supp				
2♥ GF 5 card suit 12+ HCF	3♦ 10-11HCP 4 card sup	pp 4♣ Splinter				
other 4D & 4h Splinter						
1NT 3♣ 6 card suit GF	3♠ 5/4 minors, w/- 3S, G	F 4 ♦ n/a				
3♦ 6 card suit GF	3NT To play	4 ♥ n/a				
3♥ 5/4 minors,w/- 3H, GF	4♣ Gerber	4 ♠ n/a				
other 4NT Quantative						
2♣ 2♦ 0-1 controls	2NT 4 controls	3 ♥ n/a				
2♥ 2 controls	3♣ 5 controls	3 ♠ n/a				
2♠ 3 controls	3♦ 6 controls	3NT n/a				
other King = 1 control A = 2 controls						
2♦ 2♥ Pass or correct	3 ♣ n/a	3♠ Pass or correct				
2♠ Pass or correct	3 ♦ n/a	3NT To play				
2NT Enquiry	3♥ Pass or correct	4 ♣ n/a				
other 4H Pass or correct						
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2♥ 2♠	Pass	or correct	3◆	Pass or correct	3NT	to play		
2N ⁻	T Enqu	ıiry	3♥	Barrage	4♣	n/a		
3♣	Pass	or correct	3♠	Pass or correct	4	Pass or correct		
othe	r 5C P	ass or correct						
2♠ 2N	T Enqu	ıiry	3♥	to play	4 ♣	Pass or correct		
3♣	Pass	or correct	3♠	Barrage	4	To play		
3	Pass	or correct	3NT	To Play	4	To play		
othe	er							
2NT 3♣	Pass	or correct	3♠	SemiForcing	4	n/a		
3	3♠ Pass or correct		3NT	To play	4	To play		
3	Semi	i Forcing	4♣	Pass or correct	4	to play		
othe	er							
9. CONVENTIONS								
Unusua	al NT:	ELU						
4th Sui	it Forci	ing One round				Game force X		
NT Checkback X Priorities: Support								
Defence to 3NT opening X = takeout								
Defence to Opening Twos X = takeout								
Multi 2	•	X = 16+ HCP						
RCO sty	yle 2-s	X = 16+ HCP						

Over 1NT Interference Lebensohl

Defence 1NT = 5/5 minors, X = 5/5 majors

X = 12 + HCP

Lebensohl - other uses Over partners takeot X of opponents weak 2 opening

Take out of 4 level pre-empts 4♣/4♦ X = takeout

4♥ X = takeout

strong 2C: X = 16+ HCP

Other 2-s

to

4♠ X = penalties 4NT = takeout

10. OTHER NOTES

Response to 1NT overcall, 2C = stayman, 2D,2H, 2S, 2NT = transfers

Good/bad NT - non forcing response = partners suit, other responses forcing

! 2 way checkback - 2C - 2D relay 11HCP or weak D

2D - GF bid suits up the line

Blue Club overcalls - immediate cue bid = the extreme suits around the bid suit

2NT = the two lower suits, 3C = the two higher suits

1C - 2D = both majors