

BASIC RESPONSES

Jump raises - minors limit forcing Other: _____

Jump raises - majors limit forcing Other: _____

Jump shifts after minor opening Strong, weak in competition

Jump shifts after major opening Strong, weak in competition

Responses to strong 2 suit opening Next suit negative

Responses to 2NT opening Baron + Transfers; 3S = 5S + 4H

PLAY CONVENTIONS

'NT' Versus Notrump 'S' Versus Suit = Both

Sequence leads: Overlead all **S** All except AK x (x) **NT**

Underlead Other: K from AK against NT. where attitude required.

Four or more with an honour 4th highest attitude

3rd/5th Other: _____

From 4 small 2nd highest Other: _____

From 3 cards (no honour) top **NT** middle **S** bottom

Signal on partner's lead: high encourage low encourage

Other: _____

Signal on declarer's lead Natural Count

Discards McKenney **S** high encourage low encourage

odd/even Other: On first discard only

Count natural reverse

CONVENTIONS

4NT: Blackwood RKCB Other: _____

4♣ Gerber when? where NT range = 3 pts

Other Conventions

4th Suit Forcing	Michaels
Dopi and Ropi	Ogust
Grand Slam force	Positive Slam X
Skewed Cue Bids	Lebensohl responses to T.O. X of wk 2s
Baron over 2NT and 2NT rebid after 2D/2D	



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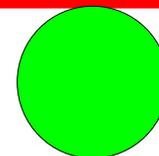
STANDARD SYSTEM CARD

Names: Jane Tyson Angela Little

ABF Nos: 162639 TAS OPEN 152536 TAS OPEN

Basic System: Standard

Classification: Green Blue Red Yellow



OPENING BIDS

Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning Canape

1♣ 3, 11+ 1♦ 4, 11+ 1♥ 4, 11+ 1♠ 4, 11+

1 NT 15-17 may contain 5 card major

2♣ Stayman: simple extended Other: _____

Transfers 2♦ Hearts 2♥ Spades 2♠ Either Minor

2 NT Other: _____

2♣ 8 Playing Tricks or 22-23 balanced

2♦ Game Forcing or 24+ balanced

2♥ 6-10 hcp 5-6 cards (Could be stronger or weaker in third seat)

2♠ 6-10 hcp 5-6 cards (Could be stronger or weaker in third seat)

2 NT 20-21 hcp balanced

3 NT 4 level Minor pre-empt.

PRE-ALERTS: CALLS THAT MAY HAVE UNEXPECTED MEANING/S OR REQUIRE SPECIAL DEFENCE

Jump raises over opp. X = very weak 3NT = 4 level minor pre-empt

Weak jump shifts in competition Namyats 4C/4D = Strong major pre-emps

COMPETITIVE BIDDING

Negative doubles through 3S Responsive doubles through 4H

Jump overcalls weak Unusual NT minors or 2 suited weak or strong

1NT overcall (immediate) 15-18 hcp (re-opening) 12-14

Immed cue of minor (if 3) Michaels: both majors min 5/4, less than 10 hcp or GF

Immed cue of major Michaels: other major + a minor 5/4, less than 10 hcp or GF

Over opponent's 1NT (weak) Cappelletti

Over opponent's 1NT (strong) Brozel

Over weak twos X= T.O. over E.M.2D: 2H=H T.O. X=Sp. T.O.

Over opening threes X for takeout

RESPONSES TO OPENING BIDS

Describe strength, minimum length or specific meaning				
1♣	1♦	4 cards, 6+hcp	2NT	16-18 balanced
	1♥/♠	4 cards, 6+hcp	3♣	Forcing
	1NT	6-9 hcp balanced	3♦	Splinter agreeing C
	2♣	6-9 hcp, 4+C	3♥	Splinter
	2♦	Strong with good Diamonds	3♠	Splinter
	2♥	Strong with good Hearts	3NT	13-15 bal.
	2♠	Strong with good Spades	4 bids	
1♦	1♥/♠	4 cards, 6+hcp	3♣	Strong with good Clubs
	1NT	6-9 hcp balanced	3♦	Forcing
	2♣	9+ hcp 3+C	3♥	Splinter agreeing D
	2♦	6-9 hcp, 3+D	3♠	Splinter agreeing D
	2♥	Strong with good Hearts	3NT	13-15 Bal.
	2♠	Strong with good Spades	4♦	pre-emptive
	2NT	13-15 bal.	4 Other	To play
1♥/♠	1NT	6-9 hcp balanced	3♣	Strong with good Clubs
	2♣	9+ hcp 3+C	3♦	Strong with good Diamonds
	2♦	9+ hcp 3+D	3♥/♠	Limit raise, 9-11 hcp or 8 losers
	2♥/♠	3+ cards, 6-9 hcp	3NT	Game Forcing raise in H/S
	2NT	16-18 Hcp Bal	4♣/♦	Splinter agreeing H/S
2♣	2♦	Negative/waiting	2♥/♠	Positive 5+H/S
	other	2NT=bal. 8-10. 3NT= bal 11-13 hcp		
2♦	2♥	Negative/waiting	3♣/♦	Positive 8+hcp, 5+C/D
	2♠	Positive 8+hcp, 5+S	3♥/♠	0-3 hcp 6 cards no features
	2NT	2NT=bal. 8-10.	3NT	11-13 hcp
2♥/♠	2NT	Ogust	3NT	To play
	3♣/♦	Natural and forcing	4♣/♦	N/A
	3♥/♠	To play	4♥/♠	To play
2NT	3♣	Baron	4♣	Natural and forcing
	3♦	Transfer to H	4♦	Natural and forcing
	3♥	Transfer to S	4♥	To play
	3♠	Shows 5S and 4H	4♠	To play
	3NT	To Play	other	4NT = Blackwood

CONVENTIONS

Additional responses to 1NT

3♣/3♦	Forcing, Slam invit.
3♥/3♠	Forcing, Slam invit.
4♣	Gerber
4♦	N/A
4♥	To Play
4♠	To Play

Unusual NT: minors other suits lower 2 unbid suits

other

Other slam bidding

Cue Bids Asking Bids

4th Suit Forcing

One round At 3 level= Game force

NT Checkback

 Priorities Bid NT with only 3 card support

Defence to 3NT opening

x for Penalties

Defence to opening Two's:

Multi 2♦ 2H = H takeout, X = Sp. takeout or strong own suit

Bid weak 2 option for takeout. X = 16+ hcp

RCO style 2-s

X= 16+hcp

Other 2-s

Cue = TO of T'fer style 2s, skewed cues apply.

Defence to strong ♣

x=C+H, D= D+H, S=S+ min., 1NT = Minors, 2 bids =weak

Lebensohl

Over NT interference

Other uses

If partner X weak 2, 2NT=Lebensohl (3C relay)

Take out of 4 level pre-empts

4♣/4♦ Opt X
4♥ Opt. X 4♠ X= penalty 4NT for minors

OTHER NOTES

Michaels Cue bidstyle bids up to the 4 level

Defense to 2NT minors skewed cue bids for TO, X= 16+

Defence to 2C= Majors, Skewed Cues for T.O., X = 16+

Weak jump shifts over interference after our openings

5 level cue bids in competitive auctions ask for partner to bid slam if losers in the suit can be kept to 1.

BASIC RESPONSES

Jump raises - minors limit forcing Other: _____

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Jump shifts after minor opening 16-18 _____

Jump shifts after major opening 16-18 _____

Responses to strong 2 suit opening 2D negative _____

Responses to 2NT opening Puppet Stayman, transfers _____

PLAY CONVENTIONS

'NT' Versus Notrump **'S'** Versus Suit = Both

Sequence leads: Overlead all All except AK x (x)

Underlead Other: _____

Four or more with an honour 4th highest attitude

3rd/5th Other: _____

From 4 small 2nd highest Other: _____

From 3 cards (no honour) top **NT** middle **S** bottom

Signal on partner's lead: high encourage low encourage

Other: _____

Signal on declarer's lead Natural count _____

Discards McKenney high encourage low encourage

odd/even Other: _____

Count natural reverse _____

CONVENTIONS

4NT: Blackwood RKCB Other: _____

4♣ Gerber when? over NT _____

Other Conventions _____

Jacoby 2NT	4th Suit Forcing
Lebensohl	
Ogust	
Splinters	
Minorwood	



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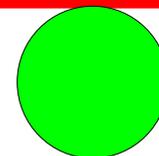
STANDARD SYSTEM CARD

Names: Robert Tyson Phil Beck

ABF Nos: 162647 TAS OPEN 154202 TAS OPEN

Basic System: Standard 4 card majors Brown Sticker

Classification: Green Blue Red Yellow



OPENING BIDS

Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning Canape

1♣ 3, 11+ 1♦ 4, 11+ 1♥ 4, 11+ 1♠ 4, 11+

1 NT 15-17 may contain 5 card major

2♣ Stayman: simple extended Other: _____

Transfers 2♦ Hearts 2♥ Spades 2♣ Clubs

2 NT Invit. Other: 3C to diamonds

2♣ Strong

2♦ Weak, 6 card suit

2♥ Weak, 6 card suit

2♠ Weak, 6 card suit

2 NT 20-21

3 NT Gambling

PRE-ALERTS: CALLS THAT MAY HAVE UNEXPECTED MEANING/S OR REQUIRE SPECIAL DEFENCE

COMPETITIVE BIDDING

Negative doubles through 2S Responsive doubles through 4H

Jump overcalls Weak Unusual NT Lower unbid suits

1NT overcall (immediate) 15-18 (re-opening) 12-15

Immed cue of minor Michaels (if minor is 3+)

Immed cue of major Michaels

Over opponent's 1NT (weak) Cappelletti

Over opponent's 1NT (strong) Brozel

Over weak twos X with Lebensohl

Over opening threes X

RESPONSES TO OPENING BIDS

Describe strength, minimum length or specific meaning

1♣	1♦	6+, 4+ cards	2NT	12-15
	1♥/♠	6+, 4+ cards	3♣	G.F.
	1NT	6-9	3♦	Splinter
	2♣	6-9	3♥	Splinter
	2♦	16-18, 5+ cards	3♠	Splinter
	2♥	16-18, 5+ cards	3NT	16-18 bal.
	2♠	16-18, 5+ cards	4 bids	To play

1♦	1♥/♠	6+, 4+ cards	3♣	16-18, 5+ cards
	1NT	6-9	3♦	GF
	2♣	10+, 4+ cards	3♥	Splinter
	2♦	6-9	3♠	Splinter
	2♥	16-18, 5+ cards	3NT	16-18 bal.
	2♠	16-18, 5+ cards	4♦	Pre-empt
	2NT	12-15	4 Other	4C Splinter

1♥/♠	1NT	6-9	3♣	16-18, 5+ cards
	2♣	10+, 4+ cards	3♦	16-18, 5+ cards
	2♦	10+, 4+ cards	3♥/♠	Limit
	2♥/♠	Weak	3NT	16-18 bal.
	2NT	12-15, 4 cd support	4♣/♦	Splinter

2♣	2♦	Negative	2♥/♠	8+, natural
other	2NT second Neg. after 2M by opener			

2♦	2♥	Natural, forcing	3♣/♦	3C forcing, 3D to play
	2♠	Natural, forcing	3♥/♠	N/A
	2NT	Ogust	3NT	To play

2♥/♠	2NT	Ogust	3NT	To play
	3♣/♦	Natural forcing	4♣/♦	N/A
	3♥/♠	To play	4♥/♠	To play

2NT	3♣	Puppet Stayman	4♣	Gerber
	3♦	Transfer	4♦	Natural
	3♥	Transfer	4♥	To play
	3♠	5S+4H	4♠	To play
	3NT	To play	other	4NT invit.

CONVENTIONS

Additional responses to 1NT

3♣/3♦	3C = transfer to D, 3D natural GF
3♥/3♠	Natural GF
4♣	Gerber
4♦	N/A
4♥	To play
4♠	To play

Unusual NT: minors other suits lower 2 unbid suits

other _____

Other slam bidding

Cue Bids Asking Bids

4th Suit Forcing

One round _____ Game force

NT Checkback

 Priorities _____

Defence to 3NT opening

Defence to opening Two's:

Multi 2♦ X=16+ with Lebensohl

RCO style 2-s

X= 16+ with Lebensohl

Other 2-s

X = Takeout with Lebensohl

Defence to strong ♣

1NT = Minors, others natural
X=16-18 bal. with NT continuations at 1 level, 2C = Stayman

Lebensohl

Over NT interference _____

Other uses

After X of weak 2 and Weak NT

Take out of 4 level pre-empts

4♣/4♦ X
4♥ X 4♠ 4NT

OTHER NOTES

BASIC RESPONSES

Jump raises - minors limit forcing Other: pre-emptive

Jump raises - majors limit forcing Other: weak 2-5 & 4 card support

Jump shifts after minor opening to major are weak; other minor is 6-9 raise

Jump shifts after major opening 1st2nd Bergen, 3rd4th Fit-Showing

Responses to strong 2 suit opening 2♣: 2♦ waiting with no strong suit to show

Responses to 2NT opening ♣Stay; ♦TRF; 3♠ Puppet; 3NT=5♠4♥; 4♠=♣&♦

PLAY CONVENTIONS

'NT' Versus Notrump 'S' Versus Suit = Both

Sequence leads: Overlead all All except AK x (x)

Underlead Other: AQ = Att, all else = count

Four or more with an honour 4th highest attitude NT

3rd/5th S Other:

From 4 small 2nd highest Other:

From 3 cards (no honour) top NT middle S bottom

Signal on partner's lead: high encourage low encourage

Other: Reverse Att to AQ, Mostly Reverse Count, Suit Pref if required

Signal on declarer's lead Hi/low if liked/disliked pd's NT lead else Rev Count

Discards McKenney high encourage low encourage

odd/even Other: Rev count after 1st discard

Count natural reverse sometimes Peter suit pref

CONVENTIONS

4NT: Blackwood RKCB Other: 1430 (if ♠0314)

4♣ Gerber when? CRO after NT, Mini RKC after 3♦♥♠ opening

Other Conventions

1st2nd Bergen Raises and Min/Max Splinters 4NT opening = Specific Ace, 5NT=♣6♣=2

3rd4th 2wayDrury and Fit-Showing Jumps Support X & XX, Low Trick X

Puppet Stayman 2NT, Baron 3NT & above OBAR BIDS - Scrambling 2NT

Exclusion Keycard 0, 1, 1+Q, 2, 2+Q Good-Bad & Super Unusual 2NT

DOPI, ROPI, DEPO Modified Blackout after Reverses



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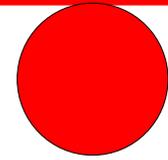
STANDARD SYSTEM CARD

Names: Sandra Richman Andrew Richman

ABF Nos: 377910 TAS OPEN 382655 TAS OPEN

Basic System: Strong NT, Transfer responses to 1C

Classification: Green Blue Red Yellow



OPENING BIDS

Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning Canape

1♣ 2+♣ 11-20 1♦ 4+♦ 11-20 1♥ 5+♥ 11-20 1♠ 5+♠ 11-20

1 NT 15 - 17 all 5332 shapes may contain 5 card major

2♣ Stayman: simple extended Other: 3♣=Pupp Stay

Transfers 2♦ Hearts 2♥ Spades 2♠ Bal Invite or Clubs

2 NT Minors or Diamonds Other: 3♦=22(4/5m); 3♥/♠=3 card suit & s'ton OMaj

2♣ 23+ balanced or 21+ any unbalanced hand

2♦ HEARTS 5 or 6 (less than opening hand) (4th seat Natural 10-14)

2♥ MAJORS 5/4+ (less than opening hand) (4th seat Natural 10-14)

2♠ Spades 5 or 6 and less than opening hand (4th seat Natural 10-14)

2 NT 21-22 hcp semi-bal

3 NT 4 level pre-empt in minor (4th seat to play)

PRE-ALERTS: CALLS THAT MAY HAVE UNEXPECTED MEANING/S OR REQUIRE SPECIAL DEFENCE

May open short 1♣ holding 4♦ if balanced Non&Leap Michaels after opp open 2s &

Many transfers in competitive auctions 3s or if they open then raise

doubles/cues may be support or transfer Namyats & Texas Transfers

COMPETITIVE BIDDING

Negative doubles through 4♥ Responsive doubles through 4♠

Jump overcalls weak Unusual NT 2 lowest unbid suits

1NT overcall (immediate) 15-18 (re-opening) 10-14M or 15-18m

Immed cue of minor Majors

Immed cue of major Other Major & a Minor

Over opponent's 1NT (weak) Multi-Landy: X=Penalty, 2♣=♥&♠, 2♦=♥ or ♠

Over opponent's 1NT (strong) DONT: X=single suit, bid=that suit & higher suit

Over weak twos X = takeout: Leaping Michaels

Over opening threes X = takeout: Non&Leaping Michaels

