

BASIC RESPONSES

Jump raises - minors limit forcing Other: Criss Cross inverted

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Jump shifts after minor opening Weak/ Splinters

Jump shifts after major opening Raises/ Splinters

Responses to strong 2 suit opening Kokish, 2D= waiting

Responses to 2NT opening Muppet, Xfers, 3S forces 3nt,

PLAY CONVENTIONS

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

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

Underlead Other: A = Att, K = Count

Four or more with an honour 4th highest attitude

3rd/5th Other:

From 4 small 2nd highest Other:

From 3 cards (no honour) top middle bottom

Signal on partner's lead: high encourage low encourage

Other: Rev Count

Signal on declarer's lead Rev Count

Discards McKenney high encourage low encourage

odd/even Other:

Count natural reverse

CONVENTIONS

4NT: Blackwood RKCB Other: 1430

4♣ Gerber when?

Other Conventions

Fit showing jumps

Lebensohl



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STANDARD SYSTEM CARD

Names: Peter Hollands Max Henbest

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Basic System: 2/1 Brown Sticker

Classification: Green Blue Red Yellow



OPENING BIDS

Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning Canape

1♣ 2+ (10) 11+ 1♦ 4+ (10) 11+ 1♥ 5+ (10) 11+ 1♠ 5+ (10) 11+

1 NT (14) 15-17 may contain 5 card major

2♣ Stayman: simple extended Other:

Transfers 2♦ H 2♥ S 2♠ Range Probe/ C

2 NT D Other:

2♣ Game Force

2♦ Weak two (may be five card suit)

2♥ Weak two (may be five card suit)

2♠ Weak two (may be five card suit)

2 NT 20-22

3 NT Gambling 1st/2nd To play 3rd/4th

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

Transfers over 1C

COMPETITIVE BIDDING

Negative doubles through 7S Responsive doubles through 7S

Jump overcalls Weak/Semi Unusual NT LUBS

1NT overcall (immediate) 15-18 (re-opening) 11-16

Immed cue of minor Both Majors

Immed cue of major OM + minor

Over opponent's 1NT (weak) 2C = H + another 2D = S+ another 2H/S = Nat

Over opponent's 1NT (strong) 2C = H + another 2D = S+ another 2H/S = Nat

Over weak twos X = T/O, Lebensohl

Over opening threes X = T/O

RESPONSES TO OPENING BIDS

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|----|------|-------------------------|--------|-----------------|
| 1♣ | 1♦ | 4+ H | 2NT | 7-10 Club raise |
| | 1♥/♠ | 4+S, No Major/ Diamonds | 3♣ | 0-7 Club raise |
| | 1NT | 10-12 may have 4M | 3♦ | Splinter |
| | 2♣ | 10+ club raise | 3♥ | Splinter |
| | 2♦ | 6+D 12+ | 3♠ | Splinter |
| | 2♥ | 3-7 6H | 3NT | to play |
| | 2♠ | 3-7 6S | 4 bids | |

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|----|------|---------------|---------|--------------------|
| 1♦ | 1♥/♠ | 4+M 5+ points | 3♣ | 7-10 Diamond raise |
| | 1NT | 6-10 | 3♦ | 0-7 Diamond raise |
| | 2♣ | 10+ 4+C | 3♥ | Splinter |
| | 2♦ | Inverted | 3♠ | Splinter |
| | 2♥ | 3-7 6H | 3NT | to play |
| | 2♠ | 3-7 6S | 4♦ | keycard |
| | 2NT | 11-12 nat | 4 Other | |

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|------|------|------------------------------|------|------------------------|
| 1♥/♠ | 1NT | (5)6-12 | 3♣ | 6-9 4H |
| | 2♣ | GF Nat | 3♦ | 10-12 3H |
| | 2♦ | GF Nat | 3♥/♠ | 0-6 4H, 10-13 splinter |
| | 2♥/♠ | (5)6-9, unspecified splinter | 3NT | to play |
| | 2NT | 10+ 4+H | 4♣/♦ | ALL SPADE RAISES +1 |

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|----|-------|---------|------|--------------------------------|
| 2♣ | 2♦ | Waiting | 2♥/♠ | 6+ with 2 of top three honours |
| | other | | | |

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|----|-----|---------|------|-----------------------------|
| 2♦ | 2♥ | Nat NF | 3♣/♦ | Nat and F, preemptive raise |
| | 2♠ | Nat NF | 3♥/♠ | Nat and Forcing |
| | 2NT | Inquiry | 3NT | to play |

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|------|------|------------------|------|-----------------|
| 2♥/♠ | 2NT | Inquiry | 3NT | To play |
| | 3♣/♦ | Nat and Forcing | 4♣/♦ | Asks for Cuebid |
| | 3♥/♠ | preemptive raise | 4♥/♠ | To play |

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|-----|-----|------------------|-------|---------------------|
| 2NT | 3♣ | Muppet Stayman | 4♣ | 5/5 Majors |
| | 3♦ | 5+H | 4♦ | xfer to Hearts |
| | 3♥ | 5+S | 4♥ | xfer to Spades |
| | 3♠ | forces 3NT | 4♠ | 5332 on clubs Quant |
| | 3NT | 10-11 5-4 minors | other | |

CONVENTIONS

Additional responses to 1NT

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| 3♣/3♦ | minors weak 5/5, minors g/f or 4441 on a major |
| 3♥/3♠ | 31(45), 13(45) |
| 4♣ | 5/5 Majors |
| 4♦ | xfer to hearts |
| 4♥ | xfer to spades |
| 4♠ | |

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 two way

Defence to 3NT opening _____

Defence to opening Two's: Multi 2♦ 1,2,3 doubles

RCO style 2-s _____

Other 2-s _____

Defence to strong ♣ X = Majors, 1NT = minors

Lebensohl Over NT interference _____

Other uses over weak twos _____

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

4♥ X= T/O 4♠ X= T/O

OTHER NOTES
