

## BASIC RESPONSES

Jump raises - minors	limit <input type="checkbox"/>	forcing <input type="checkbox"/>	Other: Weak PRE
Jump raises - majors	limit <input type="checkbox"/>	forcing <input type="checkbox"/>	Other: Weak ( Bergen )
Jump shifts after minor opening	Weak PRE		
Jump shifts after major opening	Bergen		
Responses to strong 2 suit opening	2♦ = Positive, 2♥ = Negative		
Responses to 2NT opening	2♦..2M..2NT = 5 Card Stayman & Transfers		

## PLAY CONVENTIONS

'NT' Versus Notrump	'S' Versus Suit	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> = Both
Sequence leads:	Overlead all <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	All except AK x (x) <input type="checkbox"/>
	Underlead <input type="checkbox"/>	Other: _____
Four or more with an honour	4th highest <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	attitude <input type="checkbox"/>
	3rd/5th <input type="checkbox"/>	Other: _____
From 4 small	2nd highest <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Other: _____
From 3 cards (no honour)	top <input type="checkbox"/>	middle <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	bottom <input type="checkbox"/>	
Signal on partner's lead:	high encourage <input type="checkbox"/>	low encourage <input type="checkbox"/>
	Other: Odd=Encourage, Even=Suit preference	
Signal on declarer's lead	Reverse Count sparingly	
Discards	McKenney <input type="checkbox"/>	high encourage <input type="checkbox"/>
	odd/even <input type="checkbox"/>	low encourage <input type="checkbox"/>
	Other: Odd=Encourage, Even=Suit preference	
Count	natural <input type="checkbox"/>	reverse <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

## CONVENTIONS

4NT:	Blackwood <input type="checkbox"/>	RKCB <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Other: 1430
4♣	Gerber <input type="checkbox"/>	when? _____	

### Other Conventions

4th suit forcing to game	RCO over Strong 1♣, Strong 2♣, Strong 2♦
Splinters (9-11 HCP)	2 way checkback and 3♣ checkback
Help Suit Trials; Cue raises	No negative free bids
Inverted minors except after interference	Lebensohl
Fit showing jumps in competition	Over RKCB interference DBL=1/4,P=0/3, etc



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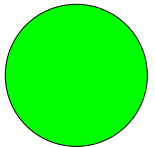


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## STANDARD SYSTEM CARD

Names:	Robert Krochmalik	Paul Lavings
ABF Nos:	186181	35092
Basic System:	Standard American	
Classification:	Green <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Blue <input type="checkbox"/>
	Red <input type="checkbox"/>	Yellow <input type="checkbox"/>



## OPENING BIDS

Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning		Canape <input type="checkbox"/>
1♣	3	1♦ 4(3)
		1♥ 5
		1♠ 5
1 NT	15-17	may contain 5 card major <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
2♣ Stayman:	simple <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	extended <input type="checkbox"/>
	Other: _____	
Transfers	2♦ Transfer to ♥	2♥ Transfer to ♠
	2♣ Transfer to ♣	
2 NT	Transfer to ♦	Other: 4♣= TRF to ♥ 4♦=TRF to ♠ 3♣♦♥♠= NAT FG
2♣	Game Force or 23-24 HCP BAL	
2♦	MULTI either Weak 6 card M or 20-22 HCP BAL	
2♥	Exactly 5♥ & 4+m 6-10HCP	
2♠	Exactly 5♠ & 4+m 6-10HCP	
2 NT	5+♣ & 5+♦ 6-10HCP	
3 NT	Gambling with no outside A or K	

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

2♦=MULTI Weak 6 card M or 20-22 BAL	2NT=5+♣ & 5+♦ 6-10HCP
3NT = Gambling with no outside A or K	1♥-(p)-2♠ = 3 card limit raise
1♠-(p)-3♥ = 3 card limit raise	

## COMPETITIVE BIDDING

Negative doubles through	4♥	Responsive doubles through	4♥
Jump overcalls	Weak	Unusual NT	Lowest unbid suits
1NT overcall (immediate)	15-18	(re-opening)	11-14
Immed cue of minor	Michaels (except for strong 1♣ opening)		
Immed cue of major	Michaels		
Over opponent's 1NT (weak)	ASPRO(2♣=♥+another 2♦=♠+m)		
Over opponent's 1NT (strong)	ASPRO(2♣=♥+another 2♦=♠+m)		
Over weak twos	DBL for takeout in all seats (with Lebensohl)		
Over opening threes	DBL for takeout in all seats		

## RESPONSES TO OPENING BIDS

Describe strength, minimum length or specific meaning				
1♣	1♦	4+ (6+ HCP)	2NT	11-12 HCP BAL NF
	1♥/♠	4+ (6+ HCP)	3♣	5+ PRE
	1NT	6-9 HCP NAT NF	3♦	PRE
	2♣	5+ (10+ HCP)	3♥	PRE
	2♦	6-9 HCP 5+♣	3♠	PRE
	2♥	6+ (weak)	3NT	13-15 HCP BAL
	2♠	6+ (weak)	4 bids	
1♦	1♥/♠	4+ (6+ HCP)	3♣	6-9 HCP 5+♦
	1NT	6-9 HCP NAT NF	3♦	5+ PRE
	2♣	4+ (10+ HCP) F1	3♥	PRE
	2♦	5+ (10+ HCP)	3♠	PRE
	2♥	6+ (weak)	3NT	13-15 HCP BAL
	2♠	6+ (weak)	4♦	
	2NT	11-12 HCP BAL NF	4 Other	
1♥/♠	1NT	6-10 HCP NAT NF	3♣	6-9 HCP 4 + raise ( Bergen )
	2♣	4+ (10+ HCP) F1	3♦	10-11 HCP 4 + raise ( Bergen )
	2♦	4+ (10+ HCP) F1	3♥/♠	3-6 HCP 4 + raise ( Bergen )
	2♥/♠	3 (6-10 HCP)	3NT	13-15 HCP BAL with 3/4 support
	2NT	13+ HCP Jacoby 4+ raise FG	4♣/♦	SPL(9-11 HCP)
2♣	2♦	Positive	2♥/♠	2♥=NEG
	other	2♠=BAL, 2NT=♣, 3♣,3♦,3♥ = NAT all Semi Pos 5-8 HCP		
2♦	2♥	P/C	3♣/♦	NAT NF
	2♠	P/C	3♥/♠	P/C
	2NT	STR INQ	3NT	To play
2♥/♠	2NT	m suit INQ weak or strong	3NT	To play
	3♣/♦	NNF	4♣/♦	P/C
	3♥/♠	NNF	4♥/♠	To Play
2NT	3♣	NAT NF	4♠	NAT PRE
	3♦	NAT NF	4♦	NAT PRE
	3♥	NAT F1	4♥	NAT
	3♠	NAT F1	4♠	NAT
	3NT	To play	other	

## CONVENTIONS

### Additional responses to 1NT

3♣/3♦	=6 + NAT STR FG
3♥/3♠	6 + NAT STR FG
4♣	6 + ♥ Texas TRF
4♦	6 + ♠ Texas TRF
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                      2 way checkback over 1NT; Lower M over 2NT

### Defence to 3NT opening

### Defence to opening Two's:

Multi 2♦                      DBL shows 16+ HCP not BAL ; 2NT = 16-18 BAL

RCO style 2-s

DBL shows 16+ HCP not BAL ; 2NT = 16-18 HCP BAL

Other 2-s

With anchor suit, DBL= Other M (with Lebensohl)  
2NT= 16-18 HCP

### Defence to strong ♣

RCO (DBL=Rank suits, 1♦=Colour suits , 1NT=Odd suits,  
1♥/1♠/2♣/2♦= NAT

### Lebensohl

Over NT interference

Other uses

Over opponents Weak 2 openings

### Take out of 4 level pre-empts

4♣/4♦                      DBL for T/O in all seats  
4♥                      DBL for T/O                      4♠                      DBL = 3 suiter T/O; 4NT= 2 suiter T/O

## OTHER NOTES