

4. BASIC RESPONSES

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| Jump raises - minors | Limit | 10-12 HCP, 4+ cards |
| Jump raises - Majors | Limit | 10-12 HCP, 4+ cards |
| Jump shifts after minor opening | | Natural, game forcing |
| Jump shifts after Major opening | | Natural, game forcing |
| Responses to strong 2 suit open. | | 2D neg or waiting; others 8+ nat |
| Responses to 2NT opening | | as for 1NT (3S minors) |

5. PLAY CONVENTIONS Show priorities

| | Versus Suit (or both) | Versus NoTrump (if different) |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------|
| Leads Sequences: | Overlead All | Overlead All |
| Four or more with an honour | 4th highest | 4th highest |
| From 4 small | 2nd highest | 2nd highest |
| From 3 cards (no honour) | Middle | Middle |
| In partner's suit | As above | As above |
| Discards | Low Encourage | Low Encourage |
| Count | Low-High = Even | Low-High = Even |
| Signal on partner's lead: | Low Encourage | Low Encourage |
| Signal on declarer's lead: | Count | |
| Notes | | |

6. SLAM CONVENTIONS

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| 4NT: Blackwood <input type="checkbox"/> | RKCB 1430 | 4♣ Gerber <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | when? | over NT |
| Slam Notes | | | | |
| Cue Bids <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | | | | |
| Asking Bids <input type="checkbox"/> | | | | |

7. OTHER CONVENTIONS

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| cue raises | splinters |
| Ogust | Lebensohl |
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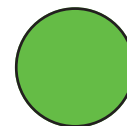
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STANDARD SYSTEM CARD

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| ABF Nos. | SA Youth all partnerships |
| & Names: | ^ |
| Basic System: | |
| 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

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| Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning | | Canape <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 1♣ 11-20 3+♣ | 1♥ 11-20 5+♥ | |
| 1♦ 11-20 3+♦ | 1♠ 11-20 5+♠ | |
| 1NT 15-17 | may contain 5 card Major | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| 1NT Responses 2♣ Simple Stayman | | |
| 2♦ Transfer ♥ | 2♠ TRF ♣ | |
| 2♥ TRF ♠ | 2NT TRF ♦ | |
| other | | |
| 2♣ 23+ BAL or any game force | | |
| 2♦ Weak, 6-9 HCP, 6+♦ | | |
| 2♥ Weak, 6-10 HCP, 6♥ | | |
| 2♠ Weak, 6-10 HCP, 6♠ | | |
| 2NT 20-22 balanced | 3NT Gambling, solid minor, no side A or K | |
| other | | |

2. PRE-ALERTS

3. COMPETITIVE BIDS / OVERCALLS

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| Negative doubles through | 3♠ | Jump overcalls | weak |
| Responsive doubles through | na | Unusual NT | Lower 2 unbid suits |
| 1NT overcall - immediate | 15-18 BAL | Immediate cue of minor | Michaels 5/5 Majors 6-10 |
| 1NT overcall - re-opening | 12-14 | Immediate cue of Major | 5 other Major & 5 minor 6-10 |
| Over weak twos | 2NT 16-18, T/O | Over opening threes | X TO |
| Over opponent's 1NT | X pen, 2C majors, 2NT minors, others nat | | |

8. RESPONSES TO OPENING BIDS

Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning

| | | | |
|------------------------|----------------|---------------------------|--|
| 1♣ 1♦ 6+ HCP, 4+♦ | 2♦ strong GF | 3♦ splinter | |
| 1♥ 6+ HCP, 4+♥ | 2♥ strong | 3♥ splinter | |
| 1♠ 6+ HCP, 4+♠ | 2♠ strong | 3♠ splinter | |
| 1NT 6-9 HCP, 4+♣ | 2NT 15+ 4+♣ | 3NT 12-14 4+♣ | |
| 2♣ 6-9 hcp 5+♣ | 3♣ 10-12 | 4♣ RKC | |
| other | | | |
| 1♦ 1♥ 6+ 4+♥ | 2♥ strong | 3♥ splinter | |
| 1♠ 6+ 4+♠ | 2♠ strong | 3♠ splinter | |
| 1NT 6-9 | 2NT 15+ 4+♦ | 3NT 12-14 4+♦ | |
| 2♣ 10+ NAT | 3♣ strong | 4♣ splinter slam interest | |
| 2♦ 6-9 4+♦ | 3♦ 10-12 4+♦ | 4♦ RKC | |
| other | | | |
| 1♥ 1♠ 6+ 4+♠ | 2♥ 6-9 3+♥ | 3♦ strong | |
| 1NT 6-9 | 2♠ strong | 3♥ 10-12 4+♥ | |
| 2♣ 10+ nat | 2NT 15+ 4+♥ | 3♠ splinter | |
| 2♦ 10+ nat | 3♣ strong | 3NT 12-14 4+♥ | |
| other | | | |
| 1♠ 1NT 6-9 | 2♠ 6-9 3+♠ | 3♥ strong | |
| 2♣ 10+ nat | 2NT 15+ 4+♠ | 3♠ 10-12 4+♠ | |
| 2♦ 10+ nat | 3♣ strong | 3NT 12-14 4+♠ | |
| 2♥ 10+ nat | 3♦ strong | 4♣ splinter | |
| other splinters etc | | | |
| 1NT 3♣ nat GF | 3♠ nat GF | 4♦ na | |
| 3♦ nat GF | 3NT to play | 4♥ to play | |
| 3♥ nat GF | 4♣ gerber | 4♠ to play | |
| other 4NT quantitative | | | |
| 2♣ 2♦ neg or waiting | 2NT 8-10 | 3♥ | |
| 2♥ 8+ nat | 3♣ 8+ nat | 3♠ | |
| 2♠ 8+ nat | 3♦ 8+ nat | 3NT 11/12 | |
| other | | | |
| 2♦ 2♥ nat 1RF | 3♣ nat 1RF | 3♠ | |
| 2♠ nat 1RF | 3♦ pre-emptive | 3NT to play | |
| 2NT Ogust | 3♥ | 4♣ | |
| other | | | |

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| 2♥ 2♠ nat 1RF | 3♦ nat 1RF | 3NT to play | |
| 2NT Ogust | 3♥ pre-emptive | 4♣ | |
| 3♣ nat 1RF | 3♠ | 4♥ | |
| other | | | |
| 2♠ 2NT Ogust | 3♥ nat 1RF | 4♣ | |
| 3♣ nat 1RF | 3♠ pre-emptive | 4♥ | |
| 3♦ nat 1RF | 3NT to play | 4♠ | |
| other | | | |
| 2NT 3♣ stayman | 3♠ minors | 4♦ | |
| 3♦ trf ♥ | 3NT to play | 4♥ to play | |
| 3♥ trf ♠ | 4♣ gerber | 4♠ to play | |
| other | | | |

9. CONVENTIONS

Unusual NT: lowest 2 suits

4th Suit Forcing One round Game force

NT Checkback Priorities:

Defence to 3NT opening X values, then X TO

Defence to Opening Twos X TO

Multi 2♦ X values then X TO, 2NT 16-18

RCO style 2-s as above

Other 2-s X TO

Defence X majors, 1NT minors, others nat

to

strong

1♣/2♣ as above

Over 1NT Interference X TO, bids nat NF at 2-level, lebensohl

Lebensohl - other uses

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

4♥ X TO 4♠ X TO

10. OTHER NOTES
