## 4. BASIC RESPONSES

Jump raises - minors 6/10 5 cards
Jump raises - Majors 8 losers
Jump shitts after minor opening gf 6cards 1 loser suit
Jump shifts after Major opening gf 6cards 1 loser suit
Responses to strong 2 suit open. 2ds neg maybe bal 7/9 no good 5 card suit
Responses to 2NT opening baron and transfers

## 5. PLAY CONVENTIONS

| Show priorities |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Versus | Suit | (or both) | Versus | NoTrump | (if different) |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Leads Sequences: | top | top |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Four or more with an honour | low | low |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| From 4 small | no2 | no2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| From 3 cards (no honour) | mud | nud |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| In partner's suit | no2 | no2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Discards | lowenc | low enc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Count | reverse | rev |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Signal on partner's lead: | low enc | low enc or count |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Signal on declarer's lead: | none in suit count nt |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Notes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

## 6. SLAM CONVENTIONS 4* Gerber

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Asking Bids $\mathbf{X}$ Cue Bids $\mathbf{X}$ cabs sabs
AUSTRALIAN BRIDGE FEDERATION LTD. STANDARD SYSTEM CARD
ABF Nos. 127248 Geoffery Johnson
\& Names: 1042777 Alan Race
Basic System: Standard American
Brown Sticker $\square$ Classification: Green $\bar{X}$ Blue $\square$ Red $\square$ Yellow $\square$

1. OPENING BIDS Describe strength, min.length, or specific meaning Canapé

1\% 11-20HCP, 2+C
$1 v$ 11-20HCP $5+\mathrm{H}$
1-11-20HCP, 4+D
1A 11-20HCP $5+S$
1NT 14/18 may contain 5 card Major
1NT Responses 2\% Stayman (range enquiry) - see Note 10 for detail
2) transfer to hearts

2A transfer to clubs
2 transfer to spades
2NT transfer to diamonds
(Dbl) other

2\% gf 4 losers
2. $6 / 115$ or 6 cards

2v 6/115 or 6 cards
24. $6 / 115$ or 6 cards

2NT 21/22
3NT long solid outside entry
other

## 2. PRE-ALERTS

## 3. COMPETITIVE BIDS / OVERCALLS

## 7. OTHER CONVENTIONS

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Doubles

Jump overcalls weak
1NT overcall: (immediate)
14/18
Immediate cue: (minor) michaels
Over: Weak Twos x for take out

Negative DBL thru 3 sp
Responsive DBL thru 3sp
Unusual NT Lower 2 Unbid Suits (re-opening) 9/14
(Major) maj/minor6/12 Opening Threes x take out

Opponent's transfers x lead directing or strong
Opponent's 1NT capilletti - $2 \mathrm{C}=$ single suit, $2 \mathrm{D}=$ majors, $2 \mathrm{H}=$ hearts + minor, $2 \mathrm{~S}=$ spades

+ minor, 2NT = minors


## 8. RESPONSES TO OPENING BIDS

Describe strength, minimum length, or specific meaning

| 1\% 1 6 4cards | 2 jump shift 14+ | 3 splinter gf |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1. 64 cards | 2V jump shift 14+ | 3) splinter gf |
| 14 64cards | 24. jump shift 14+ | 34. splinter gf |
| 1NT 6/9 | 2NT gf with clubs | 3NT 13/15 stops on other $\ddagger$ |
| 24 inv minor 11+ | 3\% limit 5/10 | 4** limit raise |
| other |  |  |
| 1-1/64cards | 2V jump shift 14+ | 3) splinter |
| 1^ 64 cards | 24. jump shift 14+ | 34 splinter |
| 1NT 6/9 | 2NT jacoby | 3NT 13/15 stops on other $\ddagger$ |
| 2\% 10+ | 3\% jump shift 14+ | 4\% splinter |
| 2 inv minor 11+ | 3 limit 5/10 | 4 limit raise |
| other |  |  |
| 1v 14 64 cards | 2v 6/9 | 3 jump shift 14+ |
| 1NT 6/9 | 24. jump shift 14+ | 348 losers |
| 2\% 10+ | 2NT jacoby | 34 splinter |
| 2 10+ | 3\% jump shift 14+ | 3NT 13/15 stops on other $\ddagger$ |
| other 4C/4D splinter |  |  |
| 14 1NT 6/9 | 24. 6/9 | 3 j jump shift 14+ |
| 2\% 10+ | 2NT jacoby | 34 8 losers |
| 2-10+ | 3\% jump shift 14+ | 3NT 13/15 stops on other $\ddagger$ |
| 2 -10+ | 3- jump shift 14+ | 4* splinter |
| other 4D splinter |  |  |
| 1NT 3\% jump shift 14+ | 34. jump shift 14+ | 4 7card 1 loser suit noou |
| 3 jump shift 14+ | 3NT 5/5 minors14+ | 4-7card 1 loser suit noou |
| 3 jump shift 14+ | 4* 7card 1 loser suit noo | 44 7card 1 loser suit noou |
| other |  |  |
| 2\% 2 neg or 6/9 balanced | 2NT 10/12 | 30 |
| $2 v$ 8plus good suit | 3\%. 8plus good suit | 3 N |
| 24. 8plus good suit | 3 8plus good suit | 3NT 13/14 |
| other |  |  |
| 2 2 non forcing | 3\% non forcing | 34 gf |
| 24 non forcing | 3 non forcing | 3NT play |
| 2NT asking | 34 gf | 4* splinter |
| other |  |  |

Notes

| 2V24 non forcing | 3 non forcing | 3NT play |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2NT asking | 3 non forcing | 4** splinter |
| 3\% non forcing | 34 gf | 4. play |
| other 4ds splinter |  |  |
| 24 2NT asking | 3 non forcing | 4** splinter |
| 3\% non forcing | 34 non forcing | 4V splinter |
| 3 non forcing | 3NT play | 4N play |
| other |  |  |
| 2NT 3\% baron | 3A tr clubs | 4 |
| 3 tr hrts | 3NT tr ds | 4 |
| $3)$ tr sp | 400 | 4* |
| other |  |  |

## 9. CONVENTIONS

Unusual NT: Lower 2 unbid suits
4th Suit Forcing One round $\mathbf{X}$ Game force
NT Checkback X Priorities: majors

## Defence to 3NT opening $x$

Defence to Opening Twos $x /$ Lebensohl
Multi $2 \checkmark$
RCO style 2-s
Other 2-s
Defence (1C) : intermediate jumps, $1 \mathrm{nt}=$ minors, $\mathrm{x}=$ majors, spades and minor, hearts $\mathfrak{Z}$ to
strong (2C) :
1\%/2\%
Over 1NT Interference $x=8$ plus and transfers, Lebensohl
Lebensohl - other uses
Take out of 4 level pre-empts $4 \boldsymbol{\phi} / 4\rangle \times$ for take out
4• x for take out
4A x for penalty

## 10. OTHER NOTES

1NT / 2C Opener responses
2D - 14 /16 No 4 card major
2H / 2S - 14 /16 4 card major
2NT - 17/18 - may have 4 card major
3C / 3D / 3H / 3S - 17/18 5 card suit

