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OTHER OPENING BIDS										
	HCP	see Note	Min length	CONVENTIONAL MEANING	SPECIAL No RESPONSES	otes				
1♣	12*-19		4	For choice of	4117					
1 ♦	12*-19		4	opening - note 2  * Light openings	1NT response = 6-9					
1♥	12*-19		4	possible – note 3	2NT response = 10-12					
1 🛦	12*-19		4	For opener's NT Limit raises rebids – note 4						
3 bids	6-10		7	Pre-emptive						
4 bids	6-10		8	Pre-emptive						
*(Please enter your normal HCP range in the HCP column. Please tick box if you have any special agreements involving different values in particular positions (e.g. light openings in third seat) and include further details under Supplementary Details).										
DEFENSIVE METHODS AFTER OPPONENTS OPEN										
OPPONENTS OPEN A NATURAL ONE OF A SUIT				CONVENTIONAL MEANING	SPECIAL No RESPONSES	otes				
	overcall			from 8+ at 1-level						
Jump o		We	eak 5-10	5-10, 6+-card suit						
Cue bid										
1NT	Direct: Protectiv		16-18 As for 1NT opening							
2NT	Direct: Protectiv	_	20-22 balanced As for 2NT opening							
OPPONENTS OPEN WITH				EFENSIVE IETHODS	SPECIAL RESPONSES No	otes				
Strong	1.	No	t playe	d						
Short 1	<b>.</b> ⊁/1 <b>♦</b>	No	t playe	d						
Weak 1	NT	Do	uble = p	e = penalties; suits natural						
Strong 1NT Not p			t playe	layed						
Weak 2 Double			uble = ta	e = take out						
Weak 3 Double			uble = ta	e = take out						
4 bids Double			uble = ta	e = take out						
Multi 2♦ Not pla				ayed						
			SLA	AM CONVENTION	S					
Name Meaning of Responses Action over interferen						nce				
4NT = Standard Blackwood				5♣ = 0 or 4 aces; 5♦ = 1						
(not Keycard or quantitative)			r <b>e)</b> 5♥	5♥ = 2 aces; 5♠ = 3 aces						
5NT = asking for number				<b>6</b> ♣ = 0; <b>6</b> ♦ = 1; <b>6</b> ♥ = 2;						
of Kings				6♠= 4 kings						

COMPETITIVE AUCTIONS								
Agreements after opening of one of a suit and overcall by opponents								
Level to which negative d	oubles appl	y	2.					
Special meaning of bids								
Exceptions / other agreer	nents							
Agreements after opponents double for takeout								
Redouble 9+ HCP	New suit	foi	Jump in new suit game forcing					
Jump raise pre-emptive	2NT	G	ood raise	Other				
Other agreements concer	ning double	es an	nd redouble	es				
	1111.9 4.2 2							
	OTHER	₹ CC	ONVENTI	ONS				
				cial, showing no particular				
				describe his/her hand further.				
After 1♣ - 1♦ - 1♥, 1♠ is natural and 2♠ is 'fourth suit forcing'.								
SUPPLEMENTARY DETAILS								
1 Pasnonses to 2NT en								
1 Responses to 2NT enquiry over weak 2s (Ogust), 3♣ / 3♦ = Minimum hand & (3♣) <2 top honours [AKQ] / (3♦) 2 top honours								
$3 \checkmark / 3 \checkmark = \text{Maximum hand & } (3 \checkmark) < 2 \text{ top honours } / (3 \checkmark) 2 \text{ top honours.}$ 3 \( \frac{3}{4} \) < 2 \( \text{top honours.} \) 3 \( \text{top honours.} \)								
2 Balanced hands not 12 to 14. With four hearts and four spades open 1♥,								
Otherwise open the longest suit or the higher ranking of 2 4-card suits.								
Unbalanced hands: always open the longest suit. With 2 5-card or longer suits								
always open the higher ranking. Consider Rule of 20 for light openings.								
4441 hands: singleton ♣ open 1♥; singleton ♦ open 1♣; singleton ♥ or ♠ open 1♦								
3 Rule of 20 : If HCP + length of 2 longest suits is 20+ consider opening with 10 HCP								
Rule of 19 may be used in 3rd and 4th seat.								
<b>4 NT rebids</b> : After 1 level response 1NT = 15-16; 2NT = 17-18; 3NT = 19								
5 Protective 1NT overcall: After an opening bid and 2 passes, 1NT shows 11-14.								
With more points, double first and rebid NT over partner's response.								

			OPENING L	EADS					
			pinations shown, clearly mark the ferent from the underlined card).			(Hatch over this box if using non-standard leads).			
v. suit contracts	А <u><b>К</b></u>	<u><b>A</b></u> K x	<u>K</u> Q 10 <u>K</u> Q x		K <u>J</u> 10	K <u><b>10</b></u> 9	<b>Q</b> J 10		
	<b>Q</b> J x	<u>J</u> 10 x	10 x <u>x</u>	0 x <u>x</u> <u>10</u> 9 x		10 x x <u>x</u>	Н х <u>ж</u>		
	H x x <u>x</u>	Нхх <u>х</u> х Нхх <u>х</u> хх		<u><b>x</b></u> x	х <u><b>х</b></u> х	x <u>x</u> x x			
. sts	<u><b>A</b></u> K x ( <u>x</u> )	A <u><b>J</b></u> 10 x	<u><b>K</b></u> Q 10	<u><b>K</b></u> Q x	K <u>J</u> 10	K <u><b>10</b></u> 9	<b>Q</b> J 10		
v. NT contracts	<b>Q</b> J x	<u>J</u> 10 x	10 x <u>x</u>	<u>10</u> 9 x	<b>9</b> <u>8</u> 7 x	10 x x <u>x</u>	H x <u>x</u>		
8	H x x <u>x</u>	H x x <u>x</u> x	H x x <u>x</u> x x	<u><b>x</b></u> x	x <u>x</u> x	x <u>x</u> x x			
Other agreements in leading: None									
CARDING METHODS									
		Primary method v suit contracts			Primary met	Primary method v NT contracts			
On Par	tner's lead	Standard Attitude: high encouraging, low discouraging							
On Dec	larer's lead	Standard Count: high-low=even no. of cards; upwards = odd							
When o	discarding	Standard Attitude: high encouraging, low discouraging							
Suit preference signals: High = higher ranking other suit									
			/ = lower ranki	ng othei	suit				
Other o	arding agree	ements: No	ne						
SUPPLEMENTARY DETAILS (continued)									
SOFF LEMENTARY DETAILS (CONTINUED)									
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GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF BIDDING METHODS							
Oxford Bridge Club Simple System (Basic Acol with 3 Weak Twos)							
1NT OPENINGS AND RESPONSES							
Strength 12 to 14 Tick i			Tick if artif	if artificial and provide details below			
Shape constraints				Tick if may have singleton ☐			
Respo	onses 2*	Stayman					
2•	Transfer to 🔻		2♥	Transfer to ♠			
2♠	To play (no ot	ther meaning)	2NT	Invitational			
Others	3 <b>.</b> 4/♦= 5+-car	rd suit and slar	m interest	t. 3♥/♠ 5-card suit game force			
Action	after opponents	double All I	oids (inclu	uding 2♣) natural			
Action	after other interfe	erence Bid	naturally	, X = takeout after suit overcall			
TWO-LEVEL OPENINGS AND RESPONSES							
	Mean	ning	Re	sponses			
2.	Game forcing of	or 23+ balance	d 2 <b>♦</b>	negative			
2♦	Weak 5-10		2N	Γ: Ogust enquiry (note 1)			
2♥	Weak 5-10		2N	Γ: Ogust enquiry (note 1)			
2♠	Weak 5-10			2NT: Ogust enquiry (note 1)			
2NT	20 - 22		3*	= Stayman; 3♦/♥ transfer			
OTHER ASPECTS OF SYSTEM WHICH OPPONENTS SHOULD NOTE							
This card is designed for events (such as the Individual Championship) where all players are expected to play the same system.  PLEASE DO NOT AGREE ANY VARIATIONS WITH YOUR PARTNER(S).  Note in particular that the following are not included and not permitted:  2-suited overcalls (Michaels, Unusual NT, CRO, etc)  Splinters: Etc. lumps: Josephy 2NT response to 1 to 4 to inverted miner suit.							
<ul> <li>Splinters; Fit-Jumps; Jacoby 2NT response to 1 ♥/♠; inverted minor suit raises; unassuming cue bids</li> </ul>							

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