

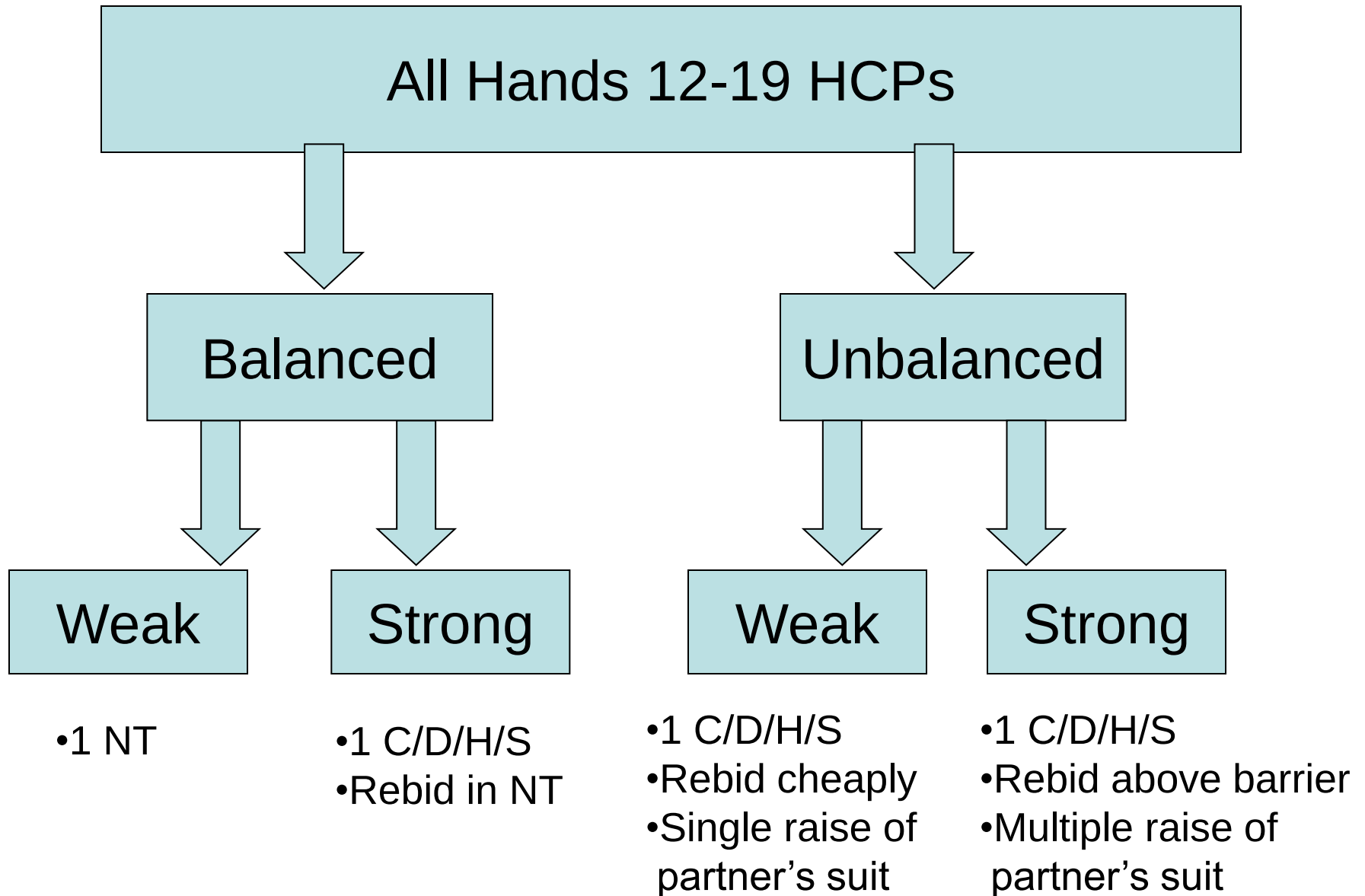


St Annes Bridge Club

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Opening Bid and Rebid



Quiz – What does it mean?

Give the meaning of the bid in red.
Think in terms of

- Points
- Distribution
- Forcing/non forcing/invitational

Eg 1H – 1S – 2H

The 2H bid means at least 5 hearts, less than 4 spades, weak hand (12-14), not forcing.

1. 1NT – 2NT

7. 1D – 1H – 2NT

2. 1D – 1S – 2H

8. 1H – 2C – 3NT

3. 1H – 1S – 3H

9. 1NT – 4S

4. 1S – 2H

10. 1NT – 2H

5. 1D – 1S – 3S

11. 1S – 2NT

6. 1NT – 3S

12. 1D – 1NT

1. 1NT – 2NT

Balanced hand, 11-12 points, invitational to game. No 4 card major.

2. 1D – 1S – 2H

Strong hand , 16+ points, shows at least 5-4 in Diamonds and Hearts. Not 4 spades. Forcing.

3. 1H – 1S – 3H

Strong hand (16+ points). at least 6 hearts, Not forcing but highly invitational.

4. 1S – 2H

Less than 4 spades, 9+points, at least 5 hearts, forcing.

5. 1D – 1S – 3S

5+ Diamonds, 4+ Spades, 16,17 points, (may include distributional points) not forcing.

6. 1NT – 3S

At least 13 points, exactly 5 spades, telling partner to bid 4S with 3 or more spades or 3NT with 2 spades. Forcing.

7. 1D – 1H - 2NT

Balanced hand, 17-18 points at least 4 diamonds, less than 4 hearts. Not 4 spades. Not forcing.

8. 1H – 2C – 3NT

Balanced hand 17-18 points. 4 hearts.

9. 1NT – 4S

12+ points (may include distributional pts),
at least 6 spades

10. 1NT – 2H

Weak hand less than 10 points, at least 5H
do not bid again partner.

11. 1S – 2NT

4-3-3-3 with 4 hearts 11-12 points,
not forcing

12. 1D – 1NT

6 – 9 points, no 4 card major, not
4 diamonds, not forcing. May be (very)
unbalanced

Homework

- Read Pgs 121-123 “c and 2NT openings