OTHER OPENING BIDS									
	НСР	see Note	Min length	CONVENTIONAL MEANING	SPECIAL Notes				
1.	12*-19		4	For choice of	1NT response = 6-9				
1 ♦	12*-19		4	opening - note 1 * Light openings	2NT response = 10-12 3NT response = 13+				
1♥	12*-19		4	possible – note 2					
1 🛦	12*-19		4	For opener's NT rebids – note 3	Limit raises				
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 OPE NATURAL ONE OF		CONVENTIONAL MEANING	SPECIAL RESPONSES	Notes			
Simple overcall	wide range, from 8+ at 1-level		Michaels's Cue Bid				
Jump overcall	intermediate 12-16, good 6-card suit						
Double overcall	weak						
1NT Direct: Protective	15-18 11-14		As for 1NT opening				
2NT Direct: Protective	Lowest 20-22	two unbid suits	As for 2NT opening				
OPPONENTS OPEN WITH		DEFENSIVE METHODS	SPECIAL RESPONSES	Notes			
Strong 1♣	Double = take out						
Short 1♣/1◆	Double = take out						
Weak 1NT	Double = penalties						
Strong 1NT	Double = penalties						
Weak 2	Double = take out						
Weak 3	Double = take out						
4 bids	Double = take out						

SLAM CONVENTIONS					
Name	Meaning of Responses	Action over interference			
RKC Blackwood (4NT)	5 ♣ = 0/3, 5 ♦ = 1/4, 5 ♥ = 2/5-,	5♠ = 2/5+ key cards			
RKC cont (5NT)	Bid specific or missing king				
Gerber (4♣)	4 • = 0/4, 4 • = 1, 4 • = 2; 4NT	= 3 aces			
Gerber cont (5♣)	5 ♦ = 0/4, 5 ♥ = 1, 5 ♠ = 2; 5NT	= 3 kings			

Multi 2♦

COMPETITIVE AUCTIONS							
Agreements after opening of one of a suit and overcall by opponents							
Level to which negative doub	oles apply	3♠					
Special meaning of bids							
Exceptions / other agreemen	its	Double jump	pre-emptive				
Agreements after opponents	double for ta	akeout					
Redouble 9+ HCP	New suit	Not forcing Jump in new suit forcing					
Jump raise Pre-emptive	2NT	Good raise	Other				
Other agreements concerning	g doubles ar	nd redoubles					
		ONVENTIONS					
Fourth Suit Forcing: A bid i			•				
			be his/her hand further.				
After 1♣ - 1♦ - 1♥, 1	is natural a	ınd 2♠ is 'fourth	suit forcing'.				
Transfers: over 1NT & 2NT							
Stayman: over 1NT & 2NT (•				
Michael's Cue Bid (Unusua	I NT): shows	s both majors ov	er a minor or the other major				
and an unspecified minor over a major (lowest unbid suits).							
SI	JPPLEMEN	ITARY DETAI	LS				
(Please cross-reference where appropriate to the relevant part of card, and continue on back if needed).							
1 Balanced hands not 12 to	14 . With fo	ur hearts and for	ur 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♦							
2 Rule of 20: If HCP + length of 2 longest suits is 20+ consider opening with 10 HCP							
3 NT rebids: After 1 level response 1NT = 15-16; 2NT = 17-18; 3NT = 19							
4 Weak 2 responses to 2NT: 3♣ lower range 1 honour or less, 3♦ lower range 2							
honours or more, 3♥ higher range 1 honour or less, 3♠ higher range 2 honours or							
more, 3NT higher range AKQ.							

OPENING LEADS									
,			own, clearly mar the underlined c		(Hatch over this box if using non-standard leads).				
v. suit contracts	A <u>K</u>	- -		<u>K</u> Q x	K <u>J</u> 10	K <u>10</u> 9	Q J 10		
	Q J x	<u>J</u> 10 x	10 x <u>x</u>	<u>10</u> 9x	9 <u>8</u> 7x	10 x x <u>x</u>	H x <u>x</u>		
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v. NT contracts	<u>A</u> K x (<u>x</u>)	_	<u>K</u> Q 10	<u>K</u> Qx	_	_			
v. cont	Q J x	<u>J</u> 10 x	10 x <u>x</u>	<u>10</u> 9x	9 <u>8</u> 7x	10 x x <u>x</u>	H x <u>x</u>		
	H x x <u>x</u>	H x x <u>x</u> x	H x x <u>x</u> x x	<u>x</u> x	х <u>х</u> х	x <u>x</u> x x			
Other a	greements in	n leading, e.	g. high level co	ontracts, p	partnership	suits:-			
		C	ARDING ME	ETHODS	}				
		Primary m	nethod v suit cor	ntracts	Primary me	thod v NT co	ontracts		
On Par	tner's lead	Reverse	Reverse Attitude: low encouraging, high discouraging.						
On Dec	clarer's lead	Count: h	Count: high-low=even no. of cards; upwards = odd no.						
When c	discarding	Revolvin	Revolving Discards						
Other ca		ents, includinç	g secondary met	thods (state	e when app	licable) and e	exceptions		
Suit pr	eference sig	ınals: Hiç	gh = higher rar	nking othe	r suit				
		Lov	w = lower rank	ing other	suit				
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		SUPPLEME	NTARY DE	TAILS (c	ontinue	(k			
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GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF BIDDING METHODS									
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	1NT OPENINGS AND RESPONSES								
Stren	gth	12 to	o 14	Tick if	f artif	icial and provide deta	ils below 🗌		
Shap	e constra	aints				Tick if may have	singleton		
Resp	onses	2*	Non-pro	promissory Stayman (3 • Extended Stayman)					
2•	Transf	er to he	arts	2	Y	Transfer to spade	es		
2	11 Bal	anced		21	NΤ	12 Balanced			
Others	3*/•/	v / ♠ = 5+	card su	uit and slar	n int	erest			
Action	after oppo	onents (double	Transfer	s (S	witches Stayman of	ff)		
Action	after othe	r interfe	erence	Bid natu	rally	, X = takeout after s	suit overcall		
	TV	VO-LE	VEL OF	PENINGS	AN	D RESPONSES			
		Mean	ing		Re	sponses	Notes		
2.	Acol 2 -	19-20/2	27+ Bal -	⋅ Wk 2 ♦	2 🔸	relay			
2♦	Game F	orce or	23+ Bal		2♥	relay			
2♥	Weak 6-	·9, 6 ca	rd suit		2N	T request (others na	at) 4		
2♠	Weak 6-	·9, 6 ca	rd suit		2N	T request (others na	at) 4		
2NT	21-22 B	al			3♣	Stayman, 3♦/♥ Tra	ansfers		
OTHER ASPECTS OF SYSTEM WHICH OPPONENTS SHOULD NOTE									
							14/10/16		
							1-7/10/10		

Both players of a partnership must have identically completed convention cards. Cards must be exchanged with opponents for each round.