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|  | | | | **Name**  **Partner** | | | **Sean Mekie** | | | | | | | **EBU No.**  **EBU No.** | **458096** | |
| **GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF bidding methods** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **5cM’s, 2/1 GF, Short Club, 15-17 NT, Semi-forcing NT** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **1nt openings and responses** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **Strength** | | | 15-17 | | | | | | Tick if artificial and provide details below ⬜ | | | | | | | |
| **Shape constraints** | | | | | | 5M, 6m | | | | | | | Tick if may have singleton ⬜ | | | |
| **Responses** | | | | 2♣ | Non-promissory Stayman + Smolen | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2♦ | Hearts | | | | | | | | | | 2♥ | Spades | | | | |
| 2♠ | Clubs | | | | | | | | | | 2NT | Diamonds 1 | | | | |
| Others | | 3C/D = 5,5 m’s (Inv/GF), 3H = 31(54), 3S = 13(54), 4C/D = H/S 4M = nat | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Action after opponents double | | | | | | | | Natural | | | | | | | | |
| Action after other interference | | | | | | | | System OFF, Lebensohl | | | | | | | | |
| **two-level openings and responses** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|  | **Meaning** | | | | | | | | | **Responses** | | | | | | Notes |
| 2♣ | 22+ or GF | | | | | | | | | 2D = waiting, Kokish | | | | | | 2 |
| 2♦ | Weak only multi | | | | | | | | |  | | | | | | 3 |
| 2♥ | Weak to Intermediate | | | | | | | | | 2NT = Feature ask | | | | | |  |
| 2♠ | Weak to Intermediate | | | | | | | | | 2NT = Feature ask | | | | | |  |
| 2NT | 20,21 | | | | | | | | | Stayman, Smolen, Xfers | | | | | |  |
| **other aspects of system which opponents should note** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (Please include details of any agreements involving bidding on significantly less than traditional values). | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Complete with a fit. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Longer = Stronger | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Best just let things be alerted, often pass/correct. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| **OTHER OPENING BIDS** | | | | | | | | | | | |
|  | HCP | see note\* | Min length | | CONVENTIONAL MEANING | | | | SPECIAL RESPONSES | | Notes |
| 1♣ | R19 | ⬜ | 2 | | Any weak NT w/o 5cM | | | | Inverted Minors + P.I.S.S | | 4 |
| 1♦ | R19 | ⬜ | 4 | | Only balanced if 18-19 | | | | “ | |  |
| 1♥ | R19 | ⬜ | 5 | |  | | | | Bergen + Jacoby 2NT (w/ | | 5 |
| 1♠ | R19 | ⬜ | 5 | |  | | | | Swedish Responses) | |  |
| 3 bids | 5-9 | ⬜ | 6 | |  | | | |  | |  |
| 4 bids | 5-9 | ⬜ | 7 | |  | | | |  | |  |
| \*(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 responses | | | Notes |
| Simple overcall | | | Natural | | | | | UCB | | |  |
| Jump overcall | | | Weak | | | | | UCB | | |  |
| Cue bid | | | 2 Highest Unbid Suits | | | | |  | | | 6 |
| 1NT | Direct:  Protective: | | 15-18  11-14 | | | | | System ON | | |  |
| 2NT | Direct:  Protective: | | 2 Lowest Unbid Suits  19-21 | | | | | System ON | | | 6 |
| OPPONENTS OPEN WITH | | | DEFENSIVE METHODS | | | | | special responses | | | Notes |
| Strong 1♣ | | | HSCRO | | | | |  | | | 7 |
| Short 1♣/1♦ | | | Treat as Natural | | | | |  | | |  |
| Weak 1NT | | | Multi Landy, X = pens | | | | |  | | | 8 |
| Strong 1NT | | | Multi Landy, X = 5m, 4M | | | | |  | | |  |
| Weak 2 | | | X = t/o, Leaping Michaels | | | | |  | | |  |
| Weak 3 | | | X = t/o, Non-leaping Michaels | | | | |  | | |  |
| 4 bids | | | X = t/o, Natural | | | | |  | | |  |
| Multi 2♦ | | | X = 13-15, 19+ | | | | |  | | |  |
| **SLAM CONVENTIONS** | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Name | | | | Meaning of Responses | | | | | | Action over interference | |
| RKC | | | | 14, 30 | | | | | | PEDO ROPE | |
| Exclusion | | | | 30, 41 | | | | | |  | |
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| **COMPETITIVE AUCTIONS** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Agreements after opening of one of a suit and overcall by opponents | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Level to which negative doubles apply | | | | | | 4H | | | | | | | | |
| Special meaning of bids | | | | | |  | | | | | | | | |
| Exceptions / other agreements | | | | | |  | | | | | | | | |
| Agreements after opponents double for takeout | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Redouble | | 9+ | | New suit | | | Nat | | | Jump in new suit | | | Fit | |
| Jump raise | | Pre-empt | | 2NT | | | Good Raise | | | Other | | |  | |
| Other agreements concerning doubles and redoubles | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Support X + XX, Lightner X’s, Competitive X’s, 1m 1H X denies 4+ Spades | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Transfers after 1M X. i.e 2M = weak, 2M-1 = constructive, 1NT = missing suit. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| **other conventions** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 Way Drury | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2 Way Checkback | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Gambling 3NT | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Two-tiered Splinters | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Serious 3NT | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| **SUPPLEMENTARY DETAILS** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (Please cross-reference where appropriate to the relevant part of card, and continue on back if needed). | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4. 1C P 2C P 2D = 11-14 NT (2NT to invite), 1C P 2C P 2NT = 18-19 NT | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2D P 2D P 2NT = 11-14 NT (3C to invite), 1D P 2D P 3C = 18-19 NT | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 5. 1M P 3C = 4T, 7-11. 1M P 3D = 3T, 10-12. 1M P 3M = Weak. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 6. Constructive+ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 7. X = Hearts, 1D = Spades, 1H = 4,4+ same Colour, 1S = 4,4+ same Rank, 1NT = 4,4+ Other. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 8. 2C = M’s 5,4+, 2D = 1M 6+, 2H = 5+ H, 4+ m, 2S = 5+ S, 4+ m, 2NT = 5,5+ m’s. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| **OPENING LEADS** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| For all the card combinations shown, clearly mark the card normally led if different from the underlined card. | | | | | | | | | | | Hatch over or shade this box if using non-standard leads. | | | |
| v. suit contracts | A K | | A K x | | K Q 10 | | | K Q x | K J 10 | | | K 10 9 | | Q J 10 |
| Q J x | | J 10 x | | 10 x x | | | 10 9 x | 9 8 7 x | | | 10 x x x | | H x x |
| H x x x | | H x x x x | | H x x x x x | | | x x | x x x | | | x x x x | | x x x x x |
| v. NT contracts | A K x (x) | | A J 10 x | | K Q 10 | | | K Q x | K J 10 | | | K 10 9 | | Q J 10 |
| Q J x | | J 10 x | | 10 x x | | | 10 9 x | 9 8 7 x | | | 10 x x x | | H x x |
| H x x x | | H x x x x | | H x x x x x | | | x x | x x x | | | x x x x | | x x x x x |
| Other agreements in leading, e.g. high level contracts, partnership suits:- | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2nd + 4th, A for Attitude, King for Count/Unblock, 10 is not an honour | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| **Carding methods** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|  | | | Primary method v. suit contracts | | | | | | Primary method v. NT contracts | | | | | |
| On Partner’s lead | | | Attitude | | | | | | Attitude | | | | | |
| On Declarer’s lead | | | Count | | | | | | Count | | | | | |
| When discarding | | | Odd = Encouraging, Even = Suit Pref | | | | | | Odd = Encouraging, Even = Suit Pref | | | | | |
| Other carding agreements, including secondary methods (state when applicable) and exceptions to above | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Suit Preference where obvious | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Smith Peters vs. NTs | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| **SUPPLEMENTARY DETAILS (continued)** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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