| OPENING BIDS | Point Range | Min. Length | CONVENTIONAL MEANING | SPECIAL RESPONSES | |
|-----------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------------|---|--|
| 1. | c10+ | 3 | Inverted minors | | |
| 1♦ | c10+ | 3 | Inverted minors | | |
| 1♥ | c10+ | 5 | Jacoby & Splinters | | |
| 1♠ | c10+ | 5 | Jacoby & Splinters | | |
| 1NT | 15-17 | | | Stayman & full transfers | |
| 2* | c23+ | | and/or GF | 2D waiting, 2H negative, 2NT = hearts. Other bids natural | |
| 2♦ | 5-9 | 6 | | 2NT = feature? New suit = F1 | |
| 2♥ | 5-9 | 6 | ditto | | |
| 2♠ | 5-9 | 6 | ditto | | |
| 2NT | 20-22 | | | Puppet Stayman, RSTs | |
| 3 bids | weak | 7 | | | |
| 4 bids | weak | 7 | | | |

| DEFENSIVE BIDS | | | | | |
|----------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------|---|--|--|
| OVER- CALLS | Meaning | OPPONENTS OPEN | Defensive Methods | | |
| Simple | 5+ | Strong 1. | natural | | |
| Jump | Weak, but 3C is Ghestem | Weak 1NT | Multi Landy | | |
| Cue Bid | Ghestem (CRO) | Strong 1NT | ditto | | |
| 1 NT | Direct Protective 15-18 11-14 | Weak 2 | X = take out, then Lebensohl Cue bid asks for stop Leaping Michaels | | |
| | Responses | Weak 3 | Modified non Leaping Michaels | | |
| 2NT | Direct Protective Ghestem (CRO) 19-21 | 4 bids | $X 	ext{ of } 4H = \text{take-out}$ $X 	ext{ of } 4S = \text{penalty}$ | | |
| | Responses | MULTI | X = 13-15 balanced or very strong. Otherwise largely natural | | |

ACTION AFTER OPPONENTS INTERVENE WITH Simple Overcall Double Bids t natural Jump Overcall Double Bids natural Jump raise 2NT Double Redouble New suit Jump in new suit strength pre-emptive Limit raise Natural 6 card suit

SPECIAL USES OF DOUBLES:

Doubles of conventional bids are lead directing

| SLAM CONVENTIONS | Meaning of Responses | Action over interference |
|----------------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|
| Name: RKCB 1430 | | |
| Gerber over NT opening bid | | |

Other Conventions: Drury, Lebensohl

| OPENING LEADS | v suit contracts | 4th, 3rd and | 5th; | | |
|--|--|---|--|---|---|
| Attach Red Spot, or hatch over, if using non- standard leads | K <u>10</u> 9 <u>C</u> 109x 9 | <u>A</u> Kx <u>2</u> J10 9 <u>8</u> 7x Hx <u>x</u> | <u>K</u> Q10 <u>Q</u> Jx 10xx <u>x</u> <u>x</u> x | <u>K</u> Qx <u>J</u> 10x Hxx <u>x</u> x x <u>x</u> x | K <u>J</u> 10 10x <u>x</u> Hxx <u>x</u> xx x <u>x</u> xx |
| Other leads: | v NT contracts | 4th, 3rd and | 5th; | | |
| | <u>A</u> Kx(x) K <u>10</u> 9 10xx <u>x</u> Hxx <u>x</u> x | A <u>J</u> 10x QJ10 <u>10</u> 9x Hxx <u>x</u> | <u>K</u> Q10 <u>Q</u> Jx 9 <u>8</u> 7x <u>x</u> x | <u>K</u> Qx <u>J</u> 10x Hx <u>x</u> x <u>x</u> x | K <u>J</u> 10 10x <u>x</u> Hxx <u>x</u> x x x |
| (In all the card combinations shown , circle the card normally lead if different from standard i.e. underlined card) | | | | _ | |

| CARDING METHODS | Describe Primary method. State alternative in brackets. |
|---------------------|---|
| On Partner's lead | Reverse attitude |
| On Declarer's lead | Count |
| When Discarding | Reverse attitude v suits, McKenney v NTs |
| Exceptions to above | |

SUPPLEMENTARY DETAILS (Please cross reference to appropriate part of card)



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Partner: Graham Bullock SBU 12135

GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF SYSTEM

Bidding Methods:- 15-17 NT, 5 card Majors, better minor, 2/1

Style of leads, signals, discards:- Standard leads, reverse attitude signals & discards v suits. McKenney discards v NTs. Standard count

ASPECTS OF SYSTEM WHICH OPPONENTS SHOULD NOTE

STRENGTH OF 1NT OPENERS: 15-17

2. RESPONSE TO 1NT OPENER IS: Non-promissory Stayman

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