SPECIAL DOUBLES

After Overcall: Penalty ☐ _____
Negative ☑ thru 4D _____
Responsive: ☑ thru 2S _____ Maximal ☑
Support: Dbl ☑ thru 3H _____ Rdbl ☑
Card-showing ☐ Min. Offshape T/O ☐

SIMPLE OVERCALL

1-level 6 to 18 HCP (usually)
Often 4 cards ☐ Very light style ☑
Responses
New Suit: Forcing ☐ NFConst ☑ NF ☐
Jump Raise: Forcing ☐ Inv. ☐ Weak ☑

JUMP OVERCALL

Strong ☑ Intermediate ☑ Weak ☑
Depends on opening, posn and VUL

OPENING PREEMPTS

	Sound	Light	Very Light
3/4-bids	☑	☑	☑

Conv./Resp. VUL dep,3D ask M 4C=KC

DIRECT CUEBID

	Over:	Minor	Major
Natural		☐	☐
Strong T/O		☐	☐
Michaels		☑	☑

SLAM CONVENTIONS

Gerber ☐ 4NT: Blackwood ☑ RKC ☑ 1430 ☑
Kickback, exclusion, DCB in relay auctions

vs. Interference: DOPI ☐ DEPO ☐ Level: R2D2   ROPI ☐

LEADS (click card led, if not in bold)

versus Suits	versus Notrump
x x	x x x **x** x **x** x x **x** **x** x
x x **x**	x x x x **x** x x x x x x **x** x
A **K** x	**10** 9 x A **K** J x A Q J x
K Q x	K **J** 10 x A **J** 10 9 A **10** 9 8
Q J x	K **10** 9 x **K** Q J x **K** **Q** 10 9
J 10 x	Q **10** 9 x **Q** J 10 x Q **10** 9 x
K Q 10 9	**J** 10 9 x **10** 9 8 x

Length Leads:
4th Best vs Suits ☐   vs NT ☐
3rd/5th Best vs Suits ☑   vs NT ☐
Rusinow 4+crd vs NT &   Attitude vs NT ☑

Primary signal to partner's leads
Attitude ☑ Count ☐ Suit Preference ☑

NOTRUMP OVERCALLS

Direct: 15 to 17 Systems on ☑
Conv. _____
Balance: 11 to 14
Jump to 2NT: Minors ☐ 2 Lowest ☑
Conv. _____

DEFENSE VS NOTRUMP

vs:	WEAK NT	STRONG NT
2♣	MM	2 non-touching
2♦	6cdM	MM
2♥	5(4) & 5+m	5+
2♠	5(4) & 5+m	5+
Dbl	PEN	2 same colour

Other: 3=PE, 3m interm over WK

OVER OPP'S T/O DOUBLE

New Suit Forcing: 1-level ☐ 2-level ☐
Redouble implies no fit ☐

	Limit +	Limit	Weak
2NT Over Majors	☐	☐	☐
Minors	☐	☐	☐

Other: 1M:mixed+ 1D:=pick m

VS OPENING PREEMPT DOUBLE IS

Takeout ☑ thru 4D _____ Penalty ☐
Conv. Takeout: _____
Lebensohl 2NT Response ☑
Other: _____

DEFENSIVE CARDING

	vs Suits	vs NT
Standard:	☐	☐
Except ☐		
Rev Smith Echo v NT		
Upside-Down Count	☐	☑
Upside-Down Attitude	☐	☑

FIRST DISCARD
Lavinthal	☐	☐
Odd/Even	☐	☐
suit pref	☑	☑

OTHER CARDING
Smith Echo**R**	☐	☑
Trump Suit Pref.	☑	
Foster Echo	☐	☐

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GENERAL APPROACH

Strong club, short diamond, variable NT, aggressive
Two Over One: Game Forcing ☐ Game Forcing Except When Suit Rebid ☐
VERY LIGHT: Openings ☐ 3rd Hand ☑ Overcalls ☑ Preempts ☑
FORCING OPENING: 1♣ ☑ 2♣ ☐ Natural 2 Bids ☐ Other ☐ _____

NOTRUMP OPENING BIDS

1NT	3♣ varies,Nat 10-12	2NT ___ to ___
10- to 12	3♦ varies,Nat 10-12	Puppet Stayman ☐
13 to 15	3♥ varies,Nat 10-12	**Transfer Responses:**
5-Card Major Common ☑	3♠ varies,Nat 10-12	Jacoby ☐ Texas ☐
System On Over	10-12: 2D=ART GF:	3♠ _____
2♣ Stayman ☑ Puppet ☐	13-15: SA Tx, 4M nat	
2♦ Transfer to ♥ ☐	4♦, 4♥ Transfer ☐	3NT ___ to ___
Forcing Stayman ☐	Smolen ☑	
2♥ Transfer to ♠ ☐	Lebensohl ☐ (___ denies)	**Conventional NT Openings**
2♠ Nat(10-12)or Trf	Negative Double ☑	2NT=minors
2NT Ttr (D)or Inv wk	NF 2C over (10-12)	3NT=5/6+ Majors

MAJOR OPENING

Expected Min. Length 4 5
1st/2nd	☐ ☑	
3rd/4th	☑ ☑	

RESPONSES
Double Raise: Force ☐ Inv. ☐ Weak ☑
After Overcall: Force ☐ Inv. ☐ Weak ☐
Conv. Raise: 2NT ☑ 3NT ☐ Splinter ☑
Other: 2C ART GF _____
1NT: Forcing ☐ Semi-forcing ☐
2NT: Forcing ☑ Inv. ☐ ___ to ___
3NT: ___ to ___
Drury ☐ : Reverse ☐ 2-Way ☑ Fit ☐
Other: _____

MINOR OPENING

Expected Min. Length 4 3 NF 0-2 Conv.
1♣	☐ ☐		☑
1♦	☐ ☐		☑

RESPONSES
Double Raise: Force ☐ Inv. ☐ Weak ☑
After Overcall: Force ☐ Inv. ☑ Weak ☑
Forcing Raise: J/S in other minor ☐
Single raise ☑ Other: Applies to 1D
Frequently bypass 4+♦ ☐
1NT/1♣: ___ to ___
2NT: Forcing ☐ Inv. ☐ ___ to ___
3NT: ___ to ___
Other: ART responses to 1C

DESCRIBE

	RESPONSES/REBIDS
2♣ 10 to 15 HCP 6+	
Strong ☐ Other ☑	
2♦ Response: Neg ☐ Waiting ☐ usually GF asks	2H=any 4-suit,
2♦ 3 to 9 HCP Multi 5NV, 6VUL	2-3M=P/C
Natural: Weak ☑ Intermediate ☐ Strong ☐ Conv ☐	2NT Force ☑ New Suit NF ☑
2♥ 3 to 9 HCP 4/4+ MM	
Natural: Weak ☑ Intermediate ☐ Strong ☐ Conv ☐	2NT Force ☑ New Suit NF ☑
2♠ to ___ HCP depends on VUL	
Natural: Weak ☑ Intermediate ☐ Strong ☐ Conv ☑	2NT Force ☐ New Suit NF ☐

OTHER CONV CALLS: New Minor Forcing ☐ 2-Way NMF ☐ _____
fit showing if passed hand

SPECIAL CARDING ☑ PLEASE ASK

Weak jump shifts: In Comp ☑   by passed hand ☐ Not In Comp.

4th Suit Forcing: 1 Round ☑   ☐ _____

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