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

SIMPLE OVERCALL
1-level 8 to 17 HCP (usually)
Often 4 cards ☑ Very light style ☐
Responses
New Suit: Forcing ☐ NFConst ☐ NF ☐
Jump Raise: Forcing ☐ Inv. ☐ Weak ☑
Cuebid is 1-round force

JUMP OVERCALL
Strong ☐ Intermediate ☐ Weak ☑

OPENING PREEMPTS

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

Conv./Resp. vul, non.vul

DIRECT CUEBID

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

NOTRUMP OVERCALLS
Direct: 15 to 18 Systems on ☑
Conv.
Balance: 12 to 15
Jump to 2NT: Minors ☐ 2 Lowest ☑
Conv.

DEFENSE VS NOTRUMP
vs: NT
2♣ natural
2♦ natural
2♥ natural
2♠ natural
Dbl Penalty
Other:

OVER OPP'S T/O DOUBLE
New Suit Forcing: 1-level ☑ 2-level ☐
Redouble implies no fit ☐

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

Other: Weak jump raise

VS OPENING PREEMPT DOUBLE IS
Takeout ☑ thru 4D Penalty ☐
Conv. Takeout:
Lebensohl 2NT Response ☐
Other:

SLAM CONVENTIONS Gerber ☑ 4NT: Blackwood ☐ RKC ☐ 1430 ☑

vs. Interference: DOPI ☐ DEPO ☐ Level: 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
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 8
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 ☐
Attitude vs NT ☐

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

DEFENSIVE CARDING

	vs Suits	vs NT
Standard:	☑	☑
Except ☐		
Upside-Down Count	☐	☐
Upside-Down Attitude	☐	☐
FIRST DISCARD		
Lavinthal	☐	☐
Odd/Even	☐	☐
	☐	☐
OTHER CARDING		
Smith Echo	☐	☐
Trump Suit Pref.	☐	
Foster Echo	☐	☐

SPECIAL CARDING ☐ **PLEASE ASK**

NAMES Sophie and Zoe

GENERAL APPROACH
2/1 Game forcing
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
15 to 17
to
5-Card Major Common ☑
System On Over Dbl
2♣ Stayman ☑ Puppet ☐
2♦ Transfer to ♥ ☑
Forcing Stayman ☐
2♥ Transfer to ♠ ☑
2♠ transfer to C
2NT invitational

3♣ transfer to D
3♦
3♥
3♠
4♦, 4♥ Transfer ☑
Smolen ☐
Lebensohl ☐ (fast denies)
Negative Double ☐

2NT 20 to 21
Puppet Stayman ☐
Transfer Responses:
Jacoby ☑ Texas ☑
3♠ transfer to C
4C transfer to D
3NT to

Conventional NT Openings

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:
1NT: Forcing ☑ Semi-forcing ☐
2NT: Forcing ☑ Inv. to
3NT: 13 to 15
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: Inverted minors
Frequently bypass 4+♦ ☐
1NT/1♣: 6 to 10
2NT: Forcing ☐ Inv. ☑ 11 to 12
3NT: 13 to 15
Other:

DESCRIBE	**RESPONSES/REBIDS**
2♣ 22 to HCP 9+ winners, 4- losers	2NT Response Positive
Strong ☑ Other ☐	
2♦ Response: Neg ☐ Waiting ☑ Denies good suit	
2♦ 4 to 10 HCP 6+	Ogust
Natural: Weak ☑ Intermediate ☐ Strong ☐ Conv ☐	2NT Force ☑ New Suit NF ☐
2♥ 4 to 10 HCP 6+	Ogust
Natural: Weak ☑ Intermediate ☐ Strong ☐ Conv ☐	2NT Force ☑ New Suit NF ☐
2♠ 4 to 10 HCP 6+	Ogust
Natural: Weak ☑ Intermediate ☐ Strong ☐ Conv ☐	2NT Force ☑ New Suit NF ☐

OTHER CONV CALLS: New Minor Forcing ☐ 2-Way NMF ☑
Weak jump shifts: In Comp. ☑ Not In Comp. ☐
4th Suit Forcing: 1 Round ☐ To Game ☑

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