

System Summary Form, 2019 SUSBC

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Bids that Require Advance Preparation

2♦ ARTIFICIAL, either WK TWO in MAJOR (6 cards, 5-11 HCP) or STRONG (20+ HCP) any 4-4-4-1

2♥ or 2♠ INTERMEDIATE, 10-13HCP, NATURAL, SIX CARD SUIT

3NT ACOL (9 TRICKS with the LEAD)

ARTIFICIAL JUMP RESPONSES

1♣-2♦ WK (0-5) 5-5 MAJORS

1♣,♦-2♥ CONSTR (7-10) 5-4(5) MAJORS

1♣,♦-2♠ 8 to 8 3/4 PLAYING TRICKS (ANY SUIT)

1♥-2♠ GF, 4+ ♥, SHORTNESS SOMEWHERE

1♥,♠-3♣ GF, 3+ Support, USUALLY BALANCED

1♥,♠-3♦ LIMIT RAISE

1♠-2NT GF, either 12-15 HCP BAL or 4+ ♠, SHORTNESS SOMEWHERE

1♥,♠-3NT GF, 13+ HCP, VOID IN OTHER MAJOR

1♥,♠-4♣,♦ GF, 13+ HCP, VOID IN BID SUIT

MANY ARTIFICIAL "INTERIOR" SEQUENCES

UNUSUAL METHODS

TWO SUITED JUMP OVERCALLS

1♣-2♦ = ♦ + ♠

1♦,♦,♠-3♣ = ♣ + HIGHER

INTERMEDIATE JUMP OVERCALLS

VARIABLE AND FLEXIBLE USE OF DOUBLE

TRANSFER ADVANCES AFTER 1MAJ-X,2MAJ-X

or 2SUITED OPP BIDS

1C,D-(OPP)1H-1♠=3or less ♠,X=4or5♠,2C,2D=INVERTED RAISE,2H=6♠ INV,2S=WEAK

General Bidding Style

NATURAL OPENING BIDS and FOLLOWUPS @ ONE LEVEL

MAY BE VERY LIGHT IN 3RD SEAT

MAY OPEN FOUR CARD MAJOR IN 3RD OR 4TH SEAT

1NT 15+ to 18- 2C RESPONSE STAYMAN

if UPH then 2H,S 3C,D NAT,NF 2D GF 2NT Minor RELAY

3H,3S NAT 5-5 MAJORS INV,SLAMMISH
if PH then 3C Puppet,2D,H,S,NT=TRNSFR,2S SIZE
2C STAYMAN,3D GF Minors,3H INV MAJ,3S SHORT CLUB

Opening Leads AND Leads in the Middle of the Hand

VERSUS SUITS

4th BEST (or LOW from 3)

STANDARD HONOR LEADS

STANDARD COUNT, ATTITUDE, and SUIT PREFERENCE

3RD AND 5TH IN CASHOUT SITUATIONS

VERSUS NT

ATTITUDE LEADS

SMITH ECHO (REGULAR)

RUSINOW HONOR LEADS (4+ CARDS) WITH UPSIDE DOWN ATTITUDE (ALWAYS UD ATT WITH HONOR LEAD)

EXCEPT KING ASKS UNBLOCK OR STANDARD COUNT

DURING THE HAND (ALL CONTRACTS) J DENIES, 10 OR 9 = 0 OR 2 HIGHER

Defensive Signals

SEE ABOVE FOR SIGNALS

WE SIGNAL ON A NEED TO KNOW BASIS