

OPENING BID DESCRIPTIONS							
Opening	Tick if Art	Min No Crds	Neg Dbl Thru	Description	Responses	Subsequent Auction	Passed Hand Bidding
1♣	X	2	4♥	Nat or 17-19 bal	1♦=0-5 any dist. or nat. 2M = 3-7 6+M	1♣-1x;1NT=17-19 bal. Other promises 4+♣ 1♣-1M;2NT=INV+ w/supp	
1♦		3	4♥	4-card, may be 3 if 3334 or longer ♣ if 2245	2M = 3-7 6+M	1♦-1M;2NT=INV+ w/supp	
1♥		4	4♦		2N = INV+ w/4+supp, 2♠/3m = splinter	1♥-1♠;2NT=INV+ w/supp	
1♠		4	4♦		2N = INV+ w/4+supp, 3x = splinter		
1NT			4♥		2♣=stay, 2♦/♥=xfer, 2♠=both m's, 2N=one 6+m, 3m=INV		
2♣	X	0		FG or 20-21 bal	2♦=relay, 2M/3m=to play against 20-21 bal		
2♦	X	0		Wk 6+M or INV+ w/♦	2♥=P/C, 2N=F1, INV+		
2♥		6		10-14 6+	2N=INV+ often w/2+supp		
2♠		6		10-14 6+	2N=INV+ often w/2+supp		
2NT				22-24 bal	3♣=stay, 3♦/♥=xfer, 3♠=both m's		
3♣		6		Pre			
3♦		6		Pre			
3♥		6		Pre			
3♠		6		Pre			
3NT				Solid minor w/o sidestrength			
4♣				Pre			
4♦				Pre			
4♥				Pre			
4♠				Pre			
4NT							
5♣							
5♦							
5♥							
5♠							
5NT							
HIGH LEVEL BIDDING							
RKC, splinter, Q-bids							