

SYSTEM SUMMARY FORM

NAMES: Owen Lien – Ulf Nilsson **TEAM:** GILL

Strong Club, 4-card M's, 14-16 NT and intermediate 2x/3♣ openings.

We play the following methods that may require advance preparation:

1♣ = 16+
1♦ = 11-13 NT, no M
2m = 11-15, 6+m or 54om, no M
2M = 11-15, 4M & 5+m, rarely 5422, normally open those 1M/1NT
3♣ = 11-15, 55+ m's
3NT = "gambling", long minor

1♣ - 1♦ = 0-7, any
1♦ - 2♣ = ART INV+
1♦ - 2♦ = ART GF, not 5+M
1M - 2♣ = ART GF, any strong except 4+supp & SHO
1M - 2♦ = ART INV, to NT or with 3+supp
2♣ - 2♦ = 5+♥, any strength
2m - 2♥ = ART GF
2m - 2NT = puppet, weak in either m or GF, good 6+M (may include supp & void)
2M - 3♣ = pass/corr

General bidding style is:

1♦ always weak NT without M, may be 2245/54 (occasionally bad 6-card m when red, but can't show long minor or choose to do so).
1M may be canapé only with 11-13, 4M5m22 (treating hand as BAL).
1NT (14-16) mandatory to include 5M332, very frequently include 5m422's.
May open 1M/2x with 10 hcp or 1♣ with 15 with good playing strength/shape.
May respond on 0 hcp to 1♦/M, sometimes pass over 1M with 6-7 (8) hcp.
Aggressive overcalling style, 4-cards at 1-level more frequently than most.

Our leads are:

Standard honour leads A from AKx+. K vs 5+ level or PRE asks for count.
(no "power" lead vs NT)
Vs NT: 4th, attitude (typically lead highest or 2nd highest from xxxx/x)
Vs suit: 3rd & 5th

Our defensive signaling philosophy are:

Upside down count and attitude; primary signal is attitude. (no Smith)
Suit preference is rare, mostly in obvious situations.