

Team #15 Whiteman - Captain: Jonathan Steinberg

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We play a MULTI 2♦ Opening.

- the bid shows a weak-two in a Major with almost any reasonable 6-card suit in 1st, 2nd or 3rd position, or 5 cards with at least AJ109x. The strength requirements are from a good 5 to a poor 10 points. In fourth position, 2D is FLANNERY.
- **For defences to Multi 2D – see the ACBL suggested defences.**

We play Kaplan Inversion in 1st and 2nd position. For example:

1♥ – Pass – 1♠:

- is a substitute for a Forcing NT by an un-passed hand;
- but Natural and semi-forcing over 3rd & 4th seat 1H opening.

1♥ – Pass – 1NT:

- shows 4+ Spades by un-passed hand, but a semi-forcing NT by a passed hand.

Defence to Kaplan Inversion
(1♥ - Pass - 1♠; 1♥ - Pass - 1NT)
(Applies to 1st and 2nd position only)

After 1♥ - Pass - 1♠ (showing a forcing NT):

DBL = a Spade overcall
1NT = Natural
2S = a better Spade overcall
2? = all other bids as per your own system

After 1♥ - Pass - 1NT (showing 4+ Spades):

DBL = shows the minors
2? = all other bids as per your own system