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This Week in Bridge

Strong Openings & Resp – 2C Openings with Shapely Hands

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2C Openings

- 22+ HCP – Balancing Hands
- 1-Suited Majors
 - 6+card suit
 - Usually, 20+ HCP
 - About 9+ tricks
- 1-Suited Minors
 - 6+card suit
 - Usually, 22+ pts
 - About 10+ tricks
 - 9 tricks if a solid suit
- 2-Suited Hands
 - 5+card Major and 4-card Minor
 - 22+ HCP
 - 5+card Major and 5+card Minor
 - 22+ points
 - 6+card Major and 5+card Minor
 - Try to avoid opening 2C
 - 5+card Major and 6+card Minor
 - Reverse – Open 2C with Monster Only
 - Primary Diamonds and Secondary Hearts Difficult
 - Primary Clubs and Secondary Major – 3D Waiting
 - 5-5 Majors
 - 6-5 Majors
 - 5-6 Majors

