

The club "expert" is watching you play; you expect the usual theatrical intakes of breath and shaking of head of course (even though you see them make the same mistakes !) still , it would be nice to get things right.

It is your bid and a choice of three possibilities is given. Really only one is right. Which and why ?

7) AQxx
KQxxx
Qx
xx
1H -----2C
?

8) AQxx
Kxx
AQxx
Qx
1S -----2H
?

9)AQxxxx
KJxxx
Qx
void
1S -----2C
2H -----3NT
?

a)2S b) 2H c)2NT

a)2NT b) 3H c)4H

a)Pass b) 4H c) 4S

10)AQx
x
AKJxxx
Qxx
1D -----1H
?

11)AQxx
AQxx
Kxx
xx
?

12) AQxxx
AQx
AQx
Kx
?

a) 1NT b)2D c)3D

a) 1H b)1S c)1NT

a)2NT b)2S c)2C

13) N E S W
1H P 2H P
P ?
AQxx
xx
KJxx
xxx

14) N E S W
1NT P 2H P
P ?
Jxxxx
xx
AQx
Qxx

a)Pass b) 2S c) double

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You are playing bridge online { at www.bridgebase.com }.You are in 4Sp and as usual with bridge games played on the computer , you can see the dummy whilst still waiting for the initial lead.

How do you intend to play if the lead is the i) Ace diamonds ? ii) Ace clubs ?

15) (declarer) (dummy)
AQJxx K10xxx
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Jx Q10x
Q10 Jxx