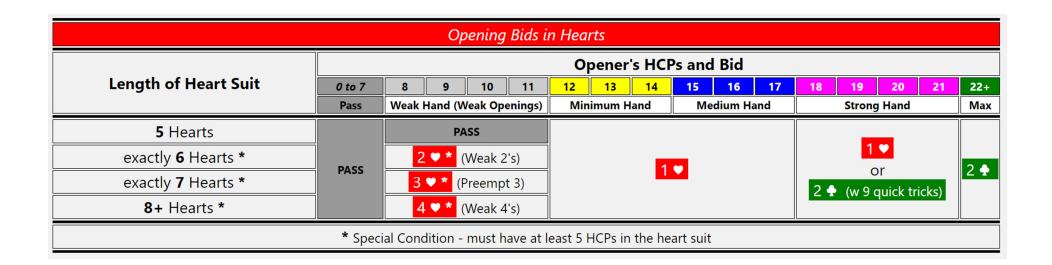
Priority A: Open 5+card Major Suit

Opening Bids in Spades													
	Opener's HCPs and Bid												
Length of Spade Suit	0 to 7	8 9 10 11	12 13 14	15 16 17	18 19 20 21	22+							
	Pass	Weak Hand (Weak Openings)	Minimum Hand	Medium Hand	Strong Hand	Max							
5+ Spades		PASS											
exactly 6 Spades *	DACC	2 * (Weak 2's)	1		1 •	2 •							
exactly 7 Spades *	PASS	3 ↑ * (Preempt 3)	•	~	or 2 • (w 9 quick tricks)								
8+ Spades *		4 • * (Weak 4's)			= 2 (N 5 quiek tricks)								
	* Speci	al Condition - must have at le	ast 5 HCPs in the spa	ide suit									



Priority B: Open 1 NT

3 criteria:

- 1) NO 5+card Major Suit
- 2) Exactly 15-17 HCPs
- 3) Balanced (no voids, no singletons, only 1 or zero doubletons

Opening NT	Opener's Point Count (HCPs only) and Bid																
	0 to 11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27
	Pass	s Minimum Hand			Medium Hand		Strong Hand			Maximum Hand							
Opener's Shape (BALANCED hand)	PASS	1 ♠ or 1 ♦		1 NT		1♣ or 1♦ 2 NT			2 🛧			3 NT					

Priority C: Open Better Minor Suit

Criteria: Cannot open a 5+card major Cannot open 1NT

