

DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING			LEADS AND SIGNALS			W B F CONVENTION CARD		
OVERCALLS (Style: Responses: 1 / 2 Level; Reopening)			OPENING LEADS STYLE			CATEGORY: Green		
7-17 HCP's and good suit, UCB responses and pre-emptive raises						NCBO: Scotland		
New suit denies interest in suit bid. Jump bids shows new suit plus "fit"						PLAYERS: Beryl <u>Campbell</u> (6152)		
1NT immediate is 15-17 HCP's – responses Stayman and Transfers						Joan <u>Forsyth</u> (9192)		
1NT protective is 11-15 - responses Stayman and Transfers								
OVERCALLS AFTER A WEAK TWO OPENER								
Double for T/O: 2NT = 15+: Suit bid natural:								
2D – 4D = H and S: 2H – 4C = C and S: 2H - 4D = D and S								
2S – 4C = C and H: 2S – 4D = D and H 4NT = minors								
JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)								
5-10 pts: UCB responses and pre-emptive raises								
2NT shows 2 lower ranking suits: 3C shows extremes – unlimited values								
DIRECT & JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen)								
Direct cue shows 5/5 in hearts/spades – unlimited values								
VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening; PH)								
2C = majors: 2D = single suited major (relay 2H pass or correct)								
2H/2S = named suit and a minor, 2NT asks for minor.								
Responses to Partner's 1NT or 2NT rebid								
After 1NT, 2C asks: 2D min, neither M: 2H/2S, min bid M								
: 2NT min both Ms: 3C max both Ms:3D max, neither Ms								
3H/3S max with bid M								
After 1any, 2any, 2NT =15-19, 3C asks strength and shape: 3D = 18 - 19 (any shape): 3H/3S show feature, (cheaper if both) and 3NT denies any feature								
VS.PREEMTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids)								
Double for takeout: 3NT to play. Suit bid natural (NF)								
After partner's 1NT has been overcalled, a cue bid is Stayman, promising a stop and a delayed cue bid via 2NT is Stayman but denying a stop. (fast promises: slow denies)								
OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE								
Mostly ignore the double. Bids may be 4 cards apart from 1S, 2H (which shows 5+). Redouble = 10+ with no fit, looking for penalties.								
1NT = 6-9 pts with a stopper. With major fit, bid 1 level higher. 2NT = good raise to 3H/3S.								

OPENING	TICK IF ARTIFICIAL	MIN. NO. OF CARDS	NEG.DBL THRU				
				DESCRIPTION	RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT ACTION	COMPETITIVE & PASSED HAND BIDDING
1C		4	4D	11-20, Natural, rule of 20	1D/1H/1S Natural and forcing. 2H/2S = 16+ and good 6+ card suit. 2C/3C, Nat raises, denying ability to bid a major. 1NT = 6-9 with no major suit.	Raise partner's major with 4-card support. 1NT = 15-17: 2NT = 18-19	System on after a double: after an overcall, system off. Support double. Fit jumps.
1D		4	4D	11-20, Natural, rule of 20	1H/1S/2C Natural and forcing. 2H/2S = 16+ and good 6+ card suit. 2D/3D, Nat raises, denying ability to bid a major. 1NT = 6-9 with no major suit.	Raise partner's major with 4-card support. 1NT = 15-17: 2NT = 18-19	As above
1H		4	4D	11-20, Natural, rule of 20	1H – 2S = SJS: 1S/2C/2D, Natural and forcing Jacoby 2NT is 12+ without shape for 3NT, which shows 3/4/3/3 12-15 pts After 1H, 3S/4C/4D show singleton/void – no ace	After Jacoby 2NT, a new suit shows shortage, jump in a new suit natural. 3H/3NT/4H show max/average/min opening.	As above
1S		4	4D	11-20, Natural, rule of 20	2C/2D/2H, Natural and forcing Jacoby 2NT is 12+ without the shape for 3NT which shows 4/3/3/3 12-15 pts After 1S, 4C/4D/4H show singleton/void – no ace	After Jacoby 2NT, a new suit shows shortage, jump in a new suit natural. 3S/3NT/4S show max/average/min opening.	As above
INT		2		12-14 points. Any 5/3/3/2 (but not 5S/4H/2/2, rarely 6m)	2D/2H/2S are Transfer bids. 2C is 4-card stayman, 2D/2H/2S/2NT = transfers.3C is 5-card stayman, 3D/3H/3S are slam invites 4C = Gerber	Can break transfer with Major fit	Exit Transfers over a double Redbl = clubs: 2C = diamonds:2D = hearts: 2H = spades
2□	Yes	0		G/F or 23+ Balanced	2D = relay	2NT = 23-24: 3NT = 25+ 2H/2S/3C/3D, F	2NT = 2 nd neg. Other bids natural
2C	Yes	0		Ekren = weak with hearts and spades. Vul 6-9: NV 4-9.	2H/2S to play: 2NT = enquiry: 3C = nat, 6 clubs: 3D invites game: 3H/3S weak pre-emptive: 3NT/4H/4S to play	Rebids following 2NT enquiry. 3C lower range 5/4: 3D asks. 3D lower range 5/5: 3H/3S upper range 5/4, 4/5. 3NT upper range 5/5: 4C/4D upper range 6/4, 4/6. 4H = 6/5: 4S = 5/6	
2H/2S		6		5-9 pts	2NT asks strength: new suit Natural/forcing	Over 2NT: 3C poor suit/poor points: 3D poor suit/better points: 3H good suit/good points: 3S good suit/good points.	
2NT		1		20-22	3C = 5 card Stayman: 3D/3H = Transfers	After 3C, 3H/3S promises 5 cards, 3D shows at least 1 4-card major, 3NT denies a 4 or 5 card major. Complete the transfer after 3D/3H	Raise 3H/3S. After 3D, bids, the major he doesn't have, or bids 4D with 2 4-card majors.
3Cs, Ds,Hs,Ss		6		Pre-emptive, good suit with little in defence	New suit is forcing for 1 round	Opener supports with 3 cards or rebids his own suit	
3NT	Yes			Gambling. Solid minor with no outside A or K	Pass – stoppers in other suits. 4C = pass or correct: 4D = shortage ask: 4NT = bid suit at 5 level.	HIGH LEVEL BIDDING	
All 4s		7		Natural, pre-emptive		Cues = 1 st round control: RKCB = 1430: Gerber over 1NT or 2NT or 2NT (via 2C) If interference DOPI/ROPI	
4NT	yes			Asks Partner to name an Ace	5C = 0 aces: 5D = DA: 5H = HA: 5S = SA: 6C = CA		
All 5 s		8		Natural, pre-emptive			

