

DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING
OVERCALLS (Style: Responses: 1 / 2 Level; Reopening)
1 level: <18 HCP
Normally 5+ suit: Cue response = 3-cd raise 9+HCP:
2NT=4-cd M raise, natural over m 9+HCP:
Jump cue = Mixed raise 7/9HCP
Fit Jumps
1NT OVERCALL (2nd/4th Live; Responses; Reopening)
Immediate =15/18 systems on: Protective =11/16 (2C enquiry: responses: 2D = 11/12, 2H/S/NT = 13/14 nat, 3x= 15/16', 3 of their suit = stayman)
Sandwich 1NT = 16/18 systems off
JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)
Weak except in 4 th seat
2NT = Lower 2 suits
(1x) - 3♣ or (1♠) -2♦ = Higher 2 suits
DIRECT & JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen)
Direct Cue = Extremes
Jump Cue asks for NT stopper
3C natural over short club (2+)
VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening;PH)
DBL=Penalty over weak NT: 4M/5+ minor over Strong
2♣ = majors
2♦ = Unspecified Long suit (2NT=Enq:
3C=6/10,3D=11/13,3H/S=14+,3NT =good m 15/16+)
2 Major= 5+M/4+minor
2NT=2-suiter
Reopening DBL by PH = Majors or minors
VS.PREEMTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids)
DBL = T/O: 2NT=15/18
Cue = Strong T/O or stop ask
Leaping/Non-Leaping Michaels
VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. 1♣
Dbl = Majors
1NT = minors
OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE
Transfer responses, Bergen and Drury responses apply

LEADS AND SIGNALS			
OPENING LEADS STYLE			
	Lead	In Partner's Suit	
Suit	3 rd /5 th	3 rd /5 th	
NT	2 nd /4 th	2 nd /4 th	
Subseq	Low Attitude or 3 rd //5 th		
Other: K for Rev Count/UB: A/Q for Rev ATT			
LEADS			
Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT	
Ace	A or AK	A or AK	
King	A or AK or KQ or Kx	AK or KQ	
Queen	KQ or QJ	KQ(x..) or QJ(x..) or AQJ(..)	
Jack	J10x: (K)J10x	J10x: (H)J10x	
10	10x: 109x H109x	10x:1098(x) (H)109:(x)	
9	9x, H98x, (H)98x	9x (H)98x:	
Hi-X	Xx, xXx(xx)	Xx, xXx(xx)	
Lo-X	HxX(x) HxxxX	HxxX(x)	
	Partner's Lead	Declarer's Lead	Discarding
1	Rev Count (ex A/Q)	Rev Count	Rev Att/Count
Suit 2	S.P.	Suit Preference	
3	Low = Enc		
1	Rev Count (ex A/Q)	Rev Smith	Rev Att/Count
NT 2	S.P.	Rev Count	
3	Low = Enc	SP	
Signals (including Trumps):			
UDCA, SP,			
Rev Smith Peters (low enc)			
Signals only used when helpful to partner			
DOUBLES			
TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)			
T/O to 4♥			
Support DBL/RDBL= 3 of responder's suit (2-level)			
Lead directing			
Lightner			
SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL & COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS			
DOPI: Dbl= 0; Pass= 1 1 st step = 2 no Q, 2 nd step = 2+Q			
ROPI:Rdbl= 0; Pass= 1 , 1 st step = 2 no Q.....			

W B F CONVENTION CARD
CATEGORY: Natural Green
NCBO: Ireland
PLAYERS: Jeannie Fitzgerald
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EVENT: January 2021
SYSTEM SUMMARY
GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE
2/1 GF, (except 2C over 1M= Nat GF OR 3-cd inv+)
5-card Majors
1NT=15/17 (may include 5M, 6m)
1♣ = 2+ (when 4432)
Inverted Minors (also on over X)
SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE
2♦ = Multi: weak major/ 8 playing tricks in any suit/ bal
23/24 balanced
2♥=♥ + minor: 6/10 HCP 5+/ 5+
2♠ = ♠ + another: 6/10 HCP 5+/ 5+
1♣ - 1M (may skip ♦ suit if not GF)
SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES
After 2/1 response
After inv minor
After 2C opening
IMPORTANT NOTES
Lebensohl (Fast Arrival No Stop): over 1NT interference
Over DBL of preempts; when 2NT can't be natural
GOOD-Bad 2NT: After RHO overcalls at 2-level shows a
desire to compete at the 3-level. (other bid shows extras)
PSYCHICS:

OPENING	ARTIFICIAL TICK IF	CARDS MIN. NO. OF	NEG. DBL THRU				
				DESCRIPTION	RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT ACTION	PASSED HAND BIDDING
1♣		2	4♥	11 – 22 HCP	1NT=6/11, 2♣=12+ , 2NT = limit raise in ♣ 2 D/H/S <8 6-cd suit, 3/4M = to play	1♣- 2♣ 4C♣RKCB 0314 1♣ - 2♣: 2♦ (<4C), 2M= Nat, 3x =stop	
1♦		4	4♥	11 – 22 HCP	1NT=6/11, 2D=12+, 3♣ = limit raise in D 2H/S<8HCP 6-cd suit, 3/4M = to play	1♦ - 2♦, 4♦ RKCB 0314	
1♥		5	4♥	11 -22 HCP	2♣= 3-cd invitation+ or NAT GF : 2NT=GF, 3♣=10/11 HCP, 3♦= 7/9: (4+♥)	1♥ - 2♣, 2♦= accept invit: 2M = not accept 1♥ - 2NT, 3♣=Min. 3♦=Non-min no spl	Drury: 10+HCP 3+♥s
1♠		5	4♥	11 -22 HCP	3♠= SPL 2♣= 3-cd invitation+ or NAT GF : 2NT=GF, 3♣=10/11HCP, 3♦= 7/9: (4+♠)	3♥/♠=Sgltm ♣/♦, 3NT=Sgtn M, 4♥=void M 1♠-2NT, 3♣=min, 3♦=non -min no spl, 3♥/♠=Sng ♣/♦, 3NT=Sng M, 4♥=void M	Drury: 10+HCP 3+♠s
INT				15 – 17 HCP	2♣=Non-Prom Stayman: 2♦=♥TFR	SMOLEN: 1NT- 2♣, 2♦ - 3♥(4♥ 5♠)	
				5-card Major possible	2♥=♠TFR: 2♠ = ♣TFR	Accept m-transfer with support	
					2NT = ♦TFR		
					3♠/♦ = NF/GF minors 5+/5+		
					3♥/♠ = Singleton (13)(45) 4♠/♦ = ♥/♠, 4♥/♠= ♣/♦	.	
2♣	Yes			25+ bal or GF hands	2♦ = 4+HCP, 2♥<4 HCP, 2NT=5+ ♥ 8+HCP	Jump by Opener sets suit	
2♦	Yes	0		Weak M/8 PT/bal 23/24	2/3/4♥ =p/c, 2♠ = inv in ♥ , 2NT = ENQ, 3♠/♦ fl	2NT - 3♠=max wk M, 3♦/♥=♥/♠3♠ = 8 pt-m	
2♥		5		6/10CP 5+&5+m	2NT= INQ, 3♠ =P/C		
2♠		5		6/10 HCP 5+S &5+another	2NT= INQ, 3♠/♦ = invit in ♥/♠		
2NT				20/2 HCP	3♣ = suits upwards 3♦/♥ = TFR: 3♠ = relay, 3NT=5♠+4♥	2NT-3♣, 3x – 4♠/♦ = slam-try in bid suit	
					4♣/4♦ =♥/♠ TFR(spare bid=cue):4♥/♠ = ♣/♦		
3♣		6		Preempt	New suit = F1 except 4♦ asks for keys	Over 4♦ - 0, 1, 1+Q, 2, 2+Q	
3♦		6		Preempt	New suit = F1 except 4♣ asks for keys	Over 4♣ - 0, 1, 1+Q, 2, 2+Q	
3♥		7		Preempt	New suit = F1 except 4♣ asks for keys		
3♠		7		Preempt	New suit = F1 except 4♣ asks for keys		
3NT		7		Solid minor	4♦ shortage enq then 4♥/♠ /5Om shows, 4NT no	3NT-5D = P/C	
4♣		7		preempt			
4♦		7		preempt			
4♥		7		preempt			
4♠		7		preempt			
4NT				Specific A ask			
5♣				Nat Preempt		HIGH LEVEL BIDDING	
5♦				Nat Preempt			
5♥				Nat	6♥ = A/K, 7♥= AK	RKCB = 1430: Exclusion/Minorwood RKCB=0314	
5♠				Nat	6♥/♠ = A/K, 7♠ = AK	DOPI, ROPI	
5N				Minor 2- suiter		Cues: 1 st & 2 nd equally below game	
						Pass then pull = slam try	