

DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING
OVERCALLS (Style: Responses: 1 / 2 Level; Reopening)
1 level: <18 HCP
Normally 5+ suit: Cue response = usually 3-cd raise 9+HCP:
2NT=4-cd raise 9+HCP, natural over m
Jump cue = Mixed raise 7/9HCP
1NT OVERCALL (2nd/4th Live; Responses; Reopening)
Immediate =15/18 systems on. Protective =11/16 (2C enquiry: responses: 2♦ = 11/12, 2♥/♠/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+)
(1X) P (1Y) 2X = other 2 suits, 2Y = natural
VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening;PH)
DBL= 4M/5+m over strong, Penalty over weak
2♣ = Majors,
2♦ =1 Major: 2NT =Enquiry (3♣/♦ =♥/♠ Min, 3♥/♠ Good)
2 Major= 5+M/4+minor
2NT=minors or any strong 2-suiter
Reopening DBL by PH = Majors or minors, 2♣ = natural
VS.PREEMTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids)
DBL = T/O: 2NT=15/18
Cue = Strong T/O or stop ask in M
Leaping/Non-Leaping Michaels (4m = 5+m/5+M)
VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. 1♣
Dbl = Majors
1NT = minors
OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE
Transfer responses, Bergen, system on

LEADS AND SIGNALS			
OPENING LEADS STYLE			
	Lead	In Partner's Suit	
Suit	3 rd /5 th from H	3 rd /5 th from H, xXx, Xxx if supported	
NT	4 th (2 nd from bad suit)	4 th (2 nd from bad suit)	
Subseq	Low Attitude		
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	2S.P.	Suit Preference	
	3Low = Enc		
	1Rev Count (ex A/Q)	Rev Smith	Rev Att/Count
NT	2S.P.	Rev Count	
	3Low = Enc	SP	
Signals (including Trumps):			
UDCA, SP, Rev Smith Peters (low enc by both defenders)			
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: Teresa Rigney & Joan Kenny
EVENT: LM Trials 2022
SYSTEM SUMMARY
GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE
2/1 GF
5-card Majors
1NT=15/17 (may include 5M, 6m)
1♣ = 2+ (when 4432)
Inverted Minors (on over X) usually GF,
3-seat opening can be light
SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE
2♦ = Multi: weak 2 in Major/ 8 playing tricks in any suit/ 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 inverted minor, after 2C opening.
Pass then pull = slam-try
IMPORTANT NOTES
Lebensohl (Fast Arrival No Stop): over interference of our 1NT, Over our DBL of preempts; when 2NT can't be natural: 2NT=0-7 pts (asks partner to bid 3♣); bids at 3 level = 8+ pts
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 TICKET	CARDSMIN. NO. OF	NEG.DBL THRU				
				DESCRIPTION	RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT ACTION	PASSED HAND BIDDING
1♣		2	4♥	11 – 22 HCP	1NT=6/11, 2♣=12+, 2NT<=8HCP, 3♣ = 9/11 2 D/H/S <=8 6-cd suit, 3/4M = to play	1♣ - 2♣ 4♣=RKCB 0314 1♣ - 2♣:2X=stopper,3X= spl	
1♦		4	4♥	11 – 22 HCP	1NT=6/11, 2♦= 12+, 3minor =9/11, 2NT<=8 etc 2H/S<=8HCP 6-cd suit, 3/4M = to play	1♦ - 2♦, 4♦ RKCB 0314 (all as above)	
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	Rev 2-way Drury:2♣/♦: 9+HCP 3/4♥s
1♠		5	4♥	11 -22 HCP	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	Rev 2-way Drury:2♣/♦: 9+HCP 3/4♠s
INT			3♠	15 – 17 HCP	2♣=Non-Prom Stayman: 2♦=♥TFR	SMOLEN: 1NT- 2♣, 2♦ - 3♥(4♥ 5♠)	
				5-card Major possible	2♥ =♠TFR: 2♠ = ♣TFR, 2NT = ♦TFR	Accept m-transfer with support	
					3♣/♦ = Natural slam interest		
					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	2NT -3 ♣/♦ min, 3♥/♠ max with ♥/♠	
2♠		5		6/10 HCP 5+S &5+another	2NT= INQ, 3♣/♦ = invit in ♥/♠	2NT – 3X shows other suit	
2NT				20/2 HCP	3♣ = suits upwards 3♦/♥ = TFR: 3♠ = relay, 3NT=5♠+4♥	2NT-3♣, 3M – 4♣/♦ = cue:	
					4 ♣/4♦ =♥/♠ TFR(spare bid=cue):4♥/♠ = ♣/♦	2NT-3♣-3NT-4♣/♦ =ST: 4M = spl 5m/4m	
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-5♦ = P/C	
4♣		7		preempt			
4♦		7		preempt			
4♥		7		preempt			
4♠		7		preempt			
4NT				Specific A ask			
5♣				Nat Preempt			
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	

HIGH LEVEL BIDDING