

| DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING |
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| OVERCALLS (Style: Responses: 1 / 2 Level; Reopening) |
| Less space taken up the better the suit in general. |
| Often use 2NT to show good 4 card raise |
| Double raise in their suit is a mixed 4 card raise 7-10 |
| 1NT OVERCALL (2nd/4th Live; Responses; Reopening) |
| 15-18 |
| 11-14 |
| System as over 1NT, transfer into their suit usually 5431 shape |
| JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT) |
| Weak |
| Reopen: 14-17 |
| DIRECT & JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen) |
| Ghestem or ask for stop |
| 1c 3c is weak, 1c 2d =majors |
| VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening;PH) |
| 2♣ = Majors |
| 2♦ = single suites, usually a major. |
| Dbl = Penalty, next Dbl is then t/o |
| Dble = 4-4 in majors or minors or Diamonds by passed hand |
| VS.PREEMPTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids) |
| X = T/O |
| Leaping and Non-Leaping Michaels 4minor -s 5-5 in major/minor |
| VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. 1♣ or 2♣ |
| Dbl 5-4 majors, 1N 54 minors |

| LEADS AND SIGNALS | | | |
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| OPENING LEADS STYLE | | | |
| | Lead | In Partner's Suit | |
| Suit | 2 nd & 4th | same | |
| NT | 2 nd & 4th | same | |
| Subseq | | | |
| Other: | | | |
| LEADS | | | |
| Lead | Vs. Suit | Vs. NT | |
| Ace | AKx(x) | AKx(x) | |
| King | AK(x)(x) | Good suit headed by A or K | |
| Queen | KQ | KQ Or QJ | |
| Jack | J10 | HJ10, J10(x) | |
| 10 | 1098, 10x, H109 | H109, 1098 | |
| 9 | J9x, 109x(x), 9x | H98, 9x | |
| Hi-X | 2 or 4 | 2 or 4 | |
| Lo-X | Often 3 | Often 3 | |
| SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY | | | |
| | Partner's Lead | Declarer's Lead | Discarding |
| 1 | Std Count | Std Count | Std Count |
| Suit 2 | Att on A, Q | | |
| 3 | | | |
| 1 | | | |
| NT 2 | Std Count | Std Count | Std Count |
| 3 | Att on A, Q | | |
| Signals (including Trumps): Smith Peters (Hi Disc form opener, Lo Disc responders) | | | |
| DOUBLES | | | |
| TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening) | | | |
| 9+ in 4th | | | |
| SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL & COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS | | | |
| Support Doubles after 1 major response | | | |

| W B F CONVENTION CARD |
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| CATEGORY: / G R E E N |
| NCBO: / CBAI |
| PLAYERS: Keavney / Goodman |
| SYSTEM SUMMARY |
| GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE |
| 2 over 1 Game forcing |
| 5 Card Majors / Semi Forcing 1NT (6-11) |
| 1NT = 15(14+) to 17, may have singleton A/K. (rare) |
| 1♣ = 2+ Cards bid on most weak NTs 1 st /2 nd seat. |
| SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENCE |
| 2♦/2♥/2♠ Weak usually 6 cards |
| Will respond with a 4 card major before a 5 card minor with 5-11 |
| Bergen Responses to 1 of Major |
| 2♣ - Drury by a passed Hand |
| SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES |
| When we've bid or committed to game in a constructive manner |

| O P E N I N G | T I C K I F A R T I F I C I A L | M I N. N O. O F C A R D S | N E G. D B L T H R U | | | | |
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| | | | | DESCRIPTION | RESPONSES | SUBSEQUENT ACTION | COMPETITIVE & PASSED HAND BIDDING |
| 1♣ | | 2 | | Most weak NT without 5♦ | 2NT = 11-12, Inverted Minors | New suits forcing after they overcall | Jump to 2NT often good 4 card support 11+ |
| 1♦ | | 4 | | Usually 5 in 1 st /2 nd seat. | 2NT = 11-12, Inverted Minors | | |
| 1♥ | | 5 | | Usually solid 1 st /2 nd unless Fav | 2NT = Jacoby, Bergen *1 | Splinters, Fit Bids by Passed | Jump to 2NT often good 4 card support 11+ |
| 1♠ | | 5 | | Usually solid 1 st /2 nd unless Fav | 2NT = Jacoby *2, Bergen | Splinters, Fit Bids by Passed | |
| INT | | | | 14-17 can have 5M,6m and | 3 level shortage, 4 level transfer | | |
| | | | | Singleton Honors | 4♣ Both Majors 4♦/♥ = Transfers | Modified stayman will disclose some 5 card | Some Forcing Passes after X's |
| 2♣ | yes | | | | | Majors suits in 1NT hand | |
| | | | | Big Hand or 9 playing tricks | 2♦=neg or relay, . | | |
| 2♦ | yes | | | Pre-Empty | 2N Enquiry | | |
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| 2♥ | | 5 | | 5-11 (good at Red) | 2N Enquiry | | |
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| 2♠ | | 5 | | 5-11 (good at Red) | 2N Enquiry | | |
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| 2NT | | | | 20-22 | Simple Puppet 3♣, 3♦ shows 1 or both maj. 3♠ relay to 3N minor suited hand 1 or both minors | | |
| 3♣ | yes | 5 | | Weak Both Minors | | | |
| 3♦ | | 6 | | Weak | | | |
| 3♥ | | 6 | | Weak | | | |
| 3♠ | | 6 | | Weak | “ | | |
| 3NT | yes | | | | 4♣ Pass or Correct, 4♦ Asks | | |
| 4♣ | yes | | | Solid ♥ or Semi solid with Ace | 4♦ Asks | | |
| 4♦ | yes | | | Solid ♦ or Semi solid with Ace | 4♥ Asks | | |
| 4♥ | | | | To Play Usually 7 or 8 | | | |