| DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING | LEADS AND SIGNALS | | | W B F CONVENTION CARD | |
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| OVERCALLS (Style: Responses: 1 / 2 Level; Reopening) | OPENING I | EADS STYLE | | | |
| 1 level: <18 HCP | | Lead | In Partner's Suit | CATEGORY: Natural Green | |
| Normally 5+ suit: Cue response = usually 3-cd raise 9+HCP: | Suit | 3 rd /5 th from H | 3 rd /5 th from H, x X x, X xx if supported | NCBO: Ireland | |
| 2NT=4-cd raise 9+HCP, natural over m | NT | 4 th (2 nd from bad suit) | 4 th (2 nd from bad suit) | PLAYERS: <u>Teresa Rigney & S</u> iobhán Part | |
| Jump cue = Mixed raise 7/9HCP | Subseq | Low Attitude | - ATT | EVENT: LM Trials 2022 | |
| | LEADS | Rev Count/UB: A/Q for Rev | VALL | SYSTEM SUMMARY | |
| 1NT OVERCALL (2 nd /4 th Live; Responses; Reopening) | Lead | Vs. Suit | Vs. NT | SYSTEM SUMMARY | |
| Immediate =15/18 systems on. Protective =11/16 (2C enquiry responses: $2 = 11/12$, $2 / A/NT = 13/14$ nat, | Lead | vs. Suit | VS. INI | | |
| 3x=15/16, 3 of their suit = stayman) | Ace | A or AK | A or AK | GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE | |
| Sandwich $1NT = 16/18$ systems off | King | A or AK or KQ or Kx | AK or KQ | 2/1 GF | |
| | Queen | KQ or QJ | KQ(x) or $QJ(x)$ or $AQJ()$ | 5-card Majors | |
| | Jack | J10x: (K)J10x | J10x: (H)J10x | 1NT=15/17 (may include 5M, 6m) | |
| JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT) | 10 | 10x: 109x H109x | 10x:1098(x) (H)109:(x) | 1 = 2+ (when 4432) | |
| Weak except in 4 th seat | 9 | 9x, H98x, (H)98x | 9x (H)98x: | Inverted Minors (on over X) usually GF, | |
| 2NT = Lower 2 suits | Hi-X | Xx, xXx(xx) | Xx, xXx(xx) | 3-seat opening can be light | |
| $(1x) - 3 \bigstar$ or $(1 \bigstar) - 2 \bigstar =$ Higher 2 suits | Lo-X | HxX(x) HxxxX | HxxX(x) | | |
| DIRECT & JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen) | | tner's Lead Declarer's Le | ad Discarding | SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE | |
| Direct Cue = Extremes | 1.Re | v Count (ex A/Q) Rev Count | Rev Att/Count | 2♦ = Multi: weak 2 in Major/ 8 playing tricks in any suit/ | |
| Jump Cue asks for NT stopper | Suit 2S.F | Suit Preferen | ce | 23/24 balanced | |
| 3C natural over short club (2+) | 3Lo | w = Enc | | 2♥ =♥ + minor: 6/10 HCP 5+/ 5+ | |
| (1X) P (1Y) 2X = other 2 suits, 2Y = natural | 1Re | V Count (ex A/Q) Rev Smith | Rev Att/Count | 2 = + another: 6/10 HCP 5+/5+ | |
| VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening;PH) | NT 2S.F | Rev Count | | 1♣ - 1M (may skip ♦ suit if not GF) | |
| DBL = 4M/5 + m over strong, Penalty over weak | 3Lo | w = Enc SP | | | |
| 2♣ = Majors, | Signals (inclu | ding Trumps): | | | |
| 2♦ =1 Major: 2NT =Enquiry (3♣/♦ =♥/♠ Min, 3♥/♠ Good) | UDCA, SP, 1 | Rev Smith Peters (low enc by b | oth defenders) | | |
| 2 Major= 5+M/4+minor | | | | | |
| 2NT=minors or any strong 2-suiter | | DOUBLES | | | |
| Reopening DBL by PH = Majors or minors, 2 * = natural | 1 | | | | |
| VS.PREEMTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids) | TAKEOUT | DOUBLES (Style; Responses; | Reopening) | SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES | |
| DBL = T/O: 2NT = 15/18 | T/O to 4♥ | · · · · | | After 2/1 response, after inverted minor, after 2C opening. | |
| Cue = Strong T/O or stop ask in M | Support DBL | /RDBL= 3 of responder's suit (| (2-level) | Pass then pull = slam-try | |
| Leaping/Non-Leaping Michaels (4m = 5+m/5+M) | Lead directin | g | | | |
| VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. 1 | Lightner | | | IMPORTANT NOTES | |
| Dbl = Majors | | RTIFICIAL & COMPETITI | | Lebensohl (Fast Arrival No Stop): over interference of our 1NT, | |
| 1NT = minors | DOPI: Dbl= 0; Pass= 1 1 st step = 2 no Q, 2^{nd} step = 2+Q | | | Over our DBL of preempts; when 2NT can't be natural: | |
| | ROPI:Rdbl= | 0; Pass= 1, 1^{st} step = 2 no Q | | 2NT=0-7 pts (asks partner to bid 3 , bids at 3 level = 8+ pts | |
| OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE | ↓ | | | GOOD-Bad 2NT: After RHO overcalls at 2-level shows a | |
| Transfer responses, Bergen, system on | | | | desire to compete at the 3-level. (other bid shows extras) | |
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| | | | | PSYCHICS: | |

| | ARTIFICIAL TICK IF | CARDSMIN, NO. OF | NEG.DBL THRU | | | | | |
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| OPENI NG | | | | DESCRIPTION | RESPONSES | SUBSEQUENT ACTION | PASSED HAND BIDDING | |
| 1* | | 2 | 4♥ | 11 – 22 HCP | 1NT=6/11, 2♣=12+, 2NT<=8HCP, 3♣ = 9/11 | 1 * -2 * 4 * =RKCB 0314 | | |
| | | | | | $2 \text{ D/H/S} \leq 8 \text{ 6-cd suit}, 3/4\text{M} = \text{to play}$ | 1 2. :2X=stopper,3X= spl | | |
| 1♦ | | 4 | 4♥ | 11 – 22 HCP | 1NT=6/11, 2♦= 12+, 3minor =9/11, 2NT<=8 etc | 1♦ - 2 ♦, 4♦ RKCB 0314 (all as above) | | |
| | | | | | $2H/S \le 8HCP 6$ -cd suit, $3/4M = to play$ | | | |
| 1♡ | | 5 | 4♥ | 11 -22 НСР | 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 | |
| | | | | | 3♠= SPL | 3♥/♠=Sgltn ♣/♦,3NT=Sgtn M,4♥=void M | | |
| 1 🔺 | | 5 | 4♥ | 11 -22 НСР | 2NT=GF, 3♣=10/11HCP, 3♦= 7/9: (4+♠) | 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 | $2 \checkmark = \bigstar TFR: 2 \bigstar = \bigstar TFR, 2NT = \bigstar TFR$ | Accept m-transfer with support | | |
| | | | | | 3♣/ ♦ = Natural slam interest | | | |
| | | | | | $3 \checkmark / \triangleq = \text{Singleton} (13)(45)$ $4 \oiint / \triangleq = \checkmark / \clubsuit, 4 \checkmark / \clubsuit = \oiint / \clubsuit$ | | | |
| 2* | Yes | | | 25+ bal or GF hands | 2♦ = 4+HCP,2 ♥<4 HCP, 2NT=5+ ♥ 8+HCP | Jump by Opener sets suit | | |
| 20 | Yes | 0 | | Weak M/8 PT/bal 23/24 | $2/3/4 \checkmark = p/c, 2 \bigstar = inv in \checkmark, 2NT = ENQ, 3 \bigstar/ \bullet f1$ | 2NT - 3 $=$ max wk M, 3 \neq / $=$ \neq / \pm ,3 \pm = 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, $3 \neq 0$ = invit in $\neq 0$ | 2NT – 3X shows other suit | | |
| 2NT | | | | 20/2 HCP | 3 = suits upwards | | | |
| | | | | | $3 \neq = TFR: 3 \Rightarrow = relay, 3NT = 5 \Rightarrow +4 \forall$ | 2NT-3*, 3M - 4*/ = cue: | | |
| | | | | | $4 \neq 4 \neq 7$ TFR(spare bid=cue): $4 \neq 4 \neq 7$ | 2NT-3 - 3NT-4 = ST: 4M = spl 5m/4m | | |
| 3* | | 6 | | Preempt | New suit = F1 except $4 \bullet$ asks for keys | Over 4♦ - 0, 1, 1+Q, 2, 2+Q | | |
| 30 | | 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 | $3NT-5 \bullet = P/C$ | | |
| 4* | | 7 | | preempt | | | | |
| 40 | | 7 | | preempt | | | | |
| 4♡ | | 7 | | preempt | | | | |
| 4♠ | | 7 | | preempt | | | | |
| 4NT | | | | Specific A ask | | | | |
| 5 * | | | | Nat Preempt | | | | |
| 50 | | | | Nat Preempt | | HIGH LEVEL BIDDING | | |
| 5♡ | | | | Nat | $6 \checkmark = A/K, 7 \checkmark = AK$ | RKCB = 1430, Exclusion/Minorwood RKCB=0314 | | |
| 5♠ | | | | Nat | $6 \checkmark 4 = A/K, 7 = AK$ | DOPI, ROPI. | | |
| 5N | | | | Minor 2- suiter | | Cues: 1 st & 2 nd equally below game | | |