## DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING

| OVERCALLS (Style: Responses: 1/2 Level; Reopening) 9+-16 Wide-Ranging,gen 5+cards,raise:lim,jump raise pre,NT nat. overcall: |
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|  |  | nat. overcall:

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## 1NT OVERCALL ( $\mathbf{2}^{\text {nd }} / 4^{\text {th }}$ Live; Responses; Reopening)

## 2nd: 15-18 4th: 10(11)-14(15)

Resp: same as our 1NT opening
JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT) 1Suit 75\%WJO;25\%IJO, in R/o seat:100\%IJO Over pre $100 \%$ IJO Michael/Leaping Michaels: Either weak(8-11) or strong(>16) Unusual over Unusual (Lower for Lower) DIRECT \& JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen)

VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening;PH)

## X - Spade+any

2m - minor+heart
2M - nat
2NT- strong minor + heart
Weak NT - caplity
Balancing: Same
PH = same
VS.PREEMTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids)
2NT: 15-18 nature, then Stayman \& Transfer
Michaels/Leaping Michaels
VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. 1C or 2C

## DBL=MM; NT=mm

## OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE

xx:pen or 3M fit11-12
Majors,new suit f1,jumpshift fit jump,nat pre over minor opening,
2nt/3nt lim/+over major opening,cd pre over minor opening


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|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | COMPETITIVE \& PASSED HAND BIDDING |
| 1C | yes | 0 | 4H | 17+hcp any but not 19-20 bal | 1D-neg0-7;oth-+ve8+fg,1NT-8-12or15-16bal 2NT-13-14or17-18,2H4441x 8+,2S-6m+4x or $55 \mathrm{~cd} 8-10,3 \mathrm{C}-55 \mathrm{~d}+\mathrm{m} 8-10$ or $11-12 \mathrm{D}+\mathrm{C}, 3 \mathrm{D}-5$ $58-10 \mathrm{H}+\mathrm{S}, 3 \mathrm{M}-558-10 \mathrm{C}+\mathrm{oM}, 3 \mathrm{~N}$-solid any suit | 1C-1D-1M(can be $4+\mathrm{M}$ when unbal or 4441) 1C-1D-2H /2s (pup2s with23+bal or $4441 \times 21+/($ pup $2 \mathrm{nt} 6 \mathrm{~m}+4 \mathrm{x}$ or 55 cd fg ), 1c-1nt-2c(relay), 1c-1d-3h pup to 3s 27-28 | new suit=nonforcing |
| 1D | Yes | 0 | 4H | 11-16 but not $15-16$ bal, d can be void 5c4M4M | 1M-4+M 5+f1,1NT/2NT7-10/12bal,2m -4+m 9F1,2H-5S+4H0-8,2S-5C+5D8-9or12+fg,3C$5 \mathrm{C}+5 \mathrm{D} 10-11,3 \mathrm{M}-\mathrm{pre}, 3 \mathrm{NT} / 4 \mathrm{M}$-to ply 4 C -rkcb inD,4NT-BW1430,1M*-may be 3M if 11 bal | xyz seq2C-pup2Dand2D-gf (openershow 3-1-2x sup) 1D-1M-2NT/3M g.13+spl or 5C+4M15-16/5D+4M 15-16,1D-2C/2D2 H art bal,1D-2C/2D-2S 4+C/D spl any | 2nt-12 no 4M |
| 1H |  | 5 | 3S | 11-16 HCP, 5+card H | 1S-4+S 5+F1,2C-art FG,2D-supp inH 4way,2 H-3H 8-10,2S/3m-NV:wjs3-8 V:6+x good suit 7-8,2NT-bal g. $12+\mathrm{FG} 3 \mathrm{~S}-\mathrm{spl}$ any $2 \mathrm{kc}-10-$ $12,3 \mathrm{NT} / 4 \mathrm{~m}$-void any $10-12,4 \mathrm{~S} / 5 \mathrm{~m}$-ekcb 0314 H | 1M-2C-2D(opener shows max), 1M-1NT 2 C (rev gaz11-16with 6 M or some 15-16 hand,1C-2C-3NT 65HS | 2C-3Mrev drury,2D-4Mdrury Bal,3M-5M+bal,1M-2C-2H game trys as $1 \mathrm{H}-2 \mathrm{H}, 1 \mathrm{NT}$-semi forcing |
| 1S |  | 5 | 4H | 11-16 HCP, 5+card S | 1NT/2C- Same as on 1H,2D-art5+HFG,2Hsupp inS 4way,2S-3S 8-10, Oth same as on 1H | Same as on 1H | Same |
| 1NT |  |  | No | 15-16 balanced | Stayman, 4 suit transfer, minor suit Stayman | smolen | Neg DBL, LEB, RUB |
| 2C |  | 6 | 4H | 11-16, 6+clubs | 2D(R),2M5+NF,2NT/3C pup to 3C/3D | 2C-2D-2M(3+M) |  |
| 2D | Yes |  | 3S | Weak in a Major | $2 \mathrm{M}-\mathrm{P} / \mathrm{C}, 2 \mathrm{nt}(\mathrm{R}), 3 \mathrm{M}-$ nat invul, 4c ask p to trf his M, 4d-ask p to bid M | (2M-2nt)-3C non min any,3R-M trf min,3s solid M |  |
| 2H/2S | Yes | 54+ | 3S | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 5M with 4+in minor NV5-8 } \\ & \text { V 8-10 hcp } \end{aligned}$ | 2NT-(R),3C/3D-inv w/o supp/inv w supp, 4mspl ST,4M-to play |  |  |
| 2NT |  |  |  | 19-20 balanced | 3C-stay,3R-Mtrf,3S-pup3NT,4C-4C+5D,4R- Mtrf,3NT-55CD G/O | Smolen |  |
| 3C | Yes | 55 | 4H | $1^{\text {st }} 2^{\text {nd }}$ position 55 in minors $15-$ 16 | New suit F1, 3NT/5m to play |  |  |
| 3D/H/S |  | 6 | 4H | PRE; | New suit forcing, $4 \mathrm{M} / 5 \mathrm{~m} / 3 \mathrm{nt}$ nat to play,4crkcb |  |  |
| 3NT | Yes | 7 |  | Good 7+Any Major | 4C-trf to M, 4D-Bid M, 4M- P/C | HIGH LEVEL BIDDING |  |
| 4C/D |  | 7 | 4H | PRE; |  | 4NT-RKCB 1403,EKC 0314,CUE BIDS,SERIOUS NONSERIOUS S/T,SPLENTER(SPL),SIMPLE BW,GSF,If opps interfere over our 4nt above 5 x -we ply DEPO:dbl-0/2/4,pass- $1 / 3 / 5$ If opps interfere over our 4 nt below our 5 X - we ply pass- $03, \mathrm{dbl} / \mathrm{rdbl}-1 / 4,1^{\text {st }}$ suit- $2 \mathrm{w} / \mathrm{o}$ T-Q, $2^{\text {nd }}$ suit- 2 w/T-Q,5NT-2/4 w/a void,6X-0/3 w/a void,when C are trumps,4nt is optl |  |
| 4H/S |  | 7 |  | PRE | $4 \mathrm{nt}=\mathrm{rkcb}$ |  |  |
| 5C+ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | To play |  |  |  |
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