# **Defensive and Competitive Bidding**

#### Overcalls (Style; Responses; Reopening)

Aggressive 1 level O/C, lower the points better the suit, 7-15 HCP at 1 level, 11-15 at 2 level, Reopening can be on weaker values. Responses: Natural (1lev NF, After 2+ level New suit = F1), NTs=limited, CUE = SUPP. Jump raises = PRE. JUMP CUE: splinter

#### 1 NT overcall (2nd/4th Live; Responses; Reopening)

2nd: 14-17 bal (subs. auction as after 1nt opening) 4th: Other suits Weak Hand: DBL shows stronger hand Reopening NT=10-14

#### Jump Overcalls (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)

Aggressive style, WJO - WK, 6+ cards, 3 level cue stopper asking, Over Weak 2M Direct 2NT=15-18 hcp, any bid natural

#### Direct and Jump Cue Bids (Style; Responses)

Micheal, Unusual 2NT, min 9 cards, Jump cue = Asks for stopper

#### VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopen: PH)

Agnst NT-DONT

#### VS. Preempts (Doubles; Cue bids; Jumps; NT bids)

Take Out DBLs, 2NT: 14-17, (4M)-4NT=any strong 2-suiter

#### **VS. Artificial Strong Openings**

NIL

#### Over Opponents' take out double

Over 1M opening and Opps X, ignoring the double, Over 1m opening...1level bids are ignoring the double , RDBL=10hp+, looking for penalty

**LEGEND**: INV = Invitational. GF = Game Force. M's = Majors. m's = minors. OM = Other Major. Om = Other minor. cd = card. WK = Weak. BAL = Balanced. SUP = Support. NAT = Natural. PRE = Pre-emptive. CONS = Constructive. GT = Game Try.

STR = Strong. Q = Cue bid. ENC = Encouraging. CNT = Count. F1 = Forcing for 1 Round. RESP = Responsive. O/C = Overcall. WJO = Weak Jump Overcall. ART = Artificial. XFR = Transfer.SOL = Solid.

# **Leads and Signals**

## **Opening Leads Style**

	Lead	In Partner's Suit	
Suit	3rd / 5th. Hi/w 2 cards, False	3rd / 5th. Hi/w 2 cards, False	
NT	4th best, False	4th best, False	
Subseq	Low =interest, Present Count		
	Other: NT <b>≼</b> K asks count or unblock; A for att.		
	High level or X'ed suit contracts ⇒A asks		
	ATTitude, K asks for count. Leads could be deceptive.		

#### Leads

Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT			
Ace	AKx / AKxx(x)	AKx / AKJ10x / AK+			
King	AK / KQ / KQJ(x) / KQT(x)	KQ / KQJ(x) / KQT(x)			
Queen	AQJ(x) / QJ(x) / QJT(x)	AQJ(x) / QJ(x) / QJT(x)			

#### Signals in order of priority

	Partners lead	Declarer	Discarding
Suit:	ATT, low=ENC	Hi/Lo= odd	Low = encouraging
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Hi / Lo = odd	Count, S / P	CNT, Hi/Lo= odd
3 <sup>rd</sup>	S/P		
NT:	ATT, low = ENC	Sm, Lo =ENC	Low = encouraging
2 <sup>nd</sup>	S/P	CNT	original Count
$3_{\rm tq}$	Original Count		

#### Takeout Doubles (Style; Responses; Reopening)

Style: Opening values. Responses: cue GF, jump=8-10. Reopening: Opening Hand

#### Special, Art and Comp Dbl/Rdbl's

Most low level DBLS are T/O. NEG+RESP+COMP DBL (showing Take Out-distr),



# Convention Card



# **WBF**

# System: 2 over 1 GF Natural

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# **System Summary**

# **General Approach and Style**

5542 Openings. 2/1 GF. 1NT resp over 1M: Semi Forcing, Bergen (Only 3D) over 1M in 1st and 2nd seats. 2 way drury, 3C response against 1M opening shows 8-11 hcp with singleton somewhere 1NT=15-17, 2NT= 20-21, ART Strong 2C opening (22+/8+ tricks or any 4 los-er hand). CARDING: UDCA, Leads: 3/5th in suit, 4th in NT.

#### Special bids that may require defence

3NT = 4 level minor preempt Competitive Cue = Limit Raise or better. 4 card Bergen raises. Light opening.

#### Intervention over 1nt

After 2 level intervention over our 1nt, double is stolen bid for 2C, Other doubles value showing, Lebensohl, Redouble SOS after double...

#### Important notes that don't fit

Weak Jump Overcalls, system on over our 1NT overcall

Psychics - Never

	Ar t	Min	Neg	Description	Responses	Subsequent Auction	Passed Hand Bidding
1C		2	3 <b>S</b>	11- 21 hcp, 2+	1D = 3+, 1H/S = NAT 4+ F1, 1/2NT = 8-9 /10-12, 2C = Inverted minor (denies 4 card M) FG, 2D = 4441 0r 544 15 plus HCP, 2H = 5+ Sp, 4+H, 5-7, 2S = 10-11 balanced or 5-9 with sungleton, 5+support, 3C = Preamptive	After 1C-2C raise, Major bid shows stopper in that suit, 2NT=both majorr stopper, Xyz, where 2C is invitational and 2D is GF, minorwood and splinter after inverted m	
1D		4	3 <b>S</b>	11- 21 hcp, 4+,	1H/1S= NAT 4+ F1, 1/2NT = 6-9 /10 -12. 2D = Inverted minor (denies 4 card M) FG, 3D= PRE. 2H =5+ Sp, 4+H, 5-7, 2S = 10-11 balanced or 5-9 with sungleton, 5+support, 3D= Preamptive	After 1D-2D raise, Major bid shows stopper in that suit, 2NT=both major stopper, Xyz, where 2C is invitational and 2D is GF, minorwood and spl after inverted m	
1H		5	4D	11-21, 5 card H	1S= NAT 4+, 1NT=SemiF, 2C=GF Art, 2D= NAT 5+ & GF., 3C = 8-11 sinleton somewhere, 3+ card Sup, 3D = 8-11, 4 card Support, 2H = 8-10, 3 card Sup, 3H = <7 HCP, 4 card Sup, Jacoby 2NT	After Jacoby 2NT, 3 level bids show shortness and 4 level bids show length	After 3rd / 4th hand opening :2D ( 3 card SUP) / 2C ( 4 card SUP) Drury 10-11 , 1NT = Semi Forcing, 2NT =NAT
1S		5	4D	11-21, 5 card S	1NT=SemiF, 2C=GF Art, 2D/2H= NAT 5+ & GF., 3C = 8-11 sinleton somewhere, 3+ card Sup, 4 card Sup, 3D = 8-9, 4 card Support, 2S = 8-10, 3 card Sup, 3S = <7 HCP, 4 card Sup, Jacoby 2NT	After Jacoby 2NT, 3 level bids show shortness and 4 level bids show length	After 3rd / 4th hand opening :2D ( 3 card SUP) / 2C ( 4 card SUP) Reverse Drury 10-11 , 1NT = Semi Forcing, 2NT =NAT,
1 NT				15-17, can have 5 card major and 5422 distribution. Singleton Honor Possible. 6331 with 6cd minor possible	2C =F1 Stayman. 4 way transfers, Supper accept by jump accepting in Majors, bidding one level below for Minors,Stolen bid for 2C, Systems ON if 1NT is doubled or overcalled 2C	Responder's new suit after transfer =NAT,GF Smolen	
2C	Х	0		Forcing STR, 22+, if BAL, or 8+ tricks or 4 loser hand	2D waiting, semi-positive GF, 2H- BUST 0-3 points Suit bids natural with 1.5 Tricks or any 9 points. 2NT=9+ H suit 3H/3S = 4 to 7 HCP, 6 card suit		After 2N -Same bids as over natural 2NT
2H		6		Weak	2NT: enquiry, new suit is F1		
2S		6		weak	New suit F1		
2NT				20-21 Semi Bal. Can have 5card Major / 6card minor	3C= Puppet, 3D/3H =TRF's to H/S,		
3x		7/6		Natural Preempts	Natural, New suit = F1,	4N = RKC	
4m	Х	7,8 or		To play. Pre-emptive.	4NT = RKCB		
		9				High Level Bidding / Slam Conventions	
4M		7 or 8		To play. Pre-emptive.	4NT = RKCB	0314 Roman Key Card Blackwood: 4NT = RKCB; Minorwood 4C and 4D as RKCB in C and D when suit agreed and gf established, EKC, If minor suit agreed at 4 level, then next higher bid is RKC, Cue style: 1st or 2nd round control up the line, Splinter	