

DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING
OVERCALLS (Style: Responses: 1 / 2 Level; Reopening)
5-19 points
Change of suit is forcing for at least 1 round
1NT OVERCALL (2nd/4th Live; Responses; Reopening)
15-17 points with a stop. As over an opening 1NT
11- 14 in 4th seat with a stop. As over an opening 1NT
JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)
NV = weak 5-10 points, V = 10-15 points (6 card suits)
Responses = natural
Unusual 2NT in second seat
Reopen:
DIRECT & JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen)
Michael's Cue bid
Responses = natural

LEADS AND SIGNALS			
OPENING LEADS STYLE			
	Lead	In Partner's Suit	
Suit	2nds, 4th	2nds, 4th	
NT	2nds, 4th	2nds, 4th	
Subseq	2nds, 4th	2nds, 4th	
Other: Top from singleton			
LEADS			
Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT	
Ace	Attitude	Attitude	
King	Count	Count	
Queen	Need to know basis	Need to know basis	
Jack			
10			
9			
Hi-X	Even	Even	
Lo-X	Odd	Odd	
SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY			
	Partner's Lead	Declarer's Lead	Discarding
1	Attitude	Count	McKinney
Suit 2	Suit Preference	Suit Preference	

W B F CONVENTION CARD
CATEGORY: Green
NCBO: Wales
PLAYERS: Sarah Greener, Stephen Loat
SYSTEM SUMMARY
5CM, Short Club (1C = 2+)
Strong NT 15-17
Benji 2s
SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE
Halmic defence to 1NT doubled (with forcing pass)
Michael's

UCB	3				Checkback following 1NT rebid
	1	Attitude	Count	McKinney	
VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening;PH)	NT 2	Suit Preference	Suit Preference		
LANDY - 2C = both majors (at least 5/4)	3				
X by passed hand shows clubs	Signals (including Trumps):				
	N/A				
	DOUBLES				
VS.PREEMTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids)	TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)				
Double for take out	Might be light with good shape (more shape the more potential for less points)				
NT bids = natural	Simple bids are weak, jump responses are invitational and cue bids are GF				
VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. 1♣ or 2♣					SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES
N/A	SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL & COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS				Halmic
	Competitive doubles in certain circumstances				
	Lead directing doubles				
OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE					IMPORTANT NOTES
Redouble = 9+ points and less than 4 cards in partners suit					
1X D 2X = weak, 1X D 3X = pre-emptive, 1X D 2N = a good raise					
to at least 3X					PSYCHICS: No

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				DESCRIPTION	RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT ACTION	COMPETITIVE & PASSED HAND BIDDING
1C	Y	2		Natural, 12-14 balanced or 18 balanced	Natural		
1D		4		Natural	Natural		
1H		5		Natural	Bergen, Jacoby		
1S		5		Natural	Bergen, Jacoby		
INT		2		15-17 balanced	5 card STAYMAN, Transfers, 2S = invitational		
					2NT = transfer to 3C (pass or correct)		
2C	Y	0		8 playing tricks in an unspecified suit, or 19-20 bal	2D relay	Opener rebid 2N with 19-20 balanced	
2D	Y	0		GF, 9+ playing tricks in an	2H negative relay 0-7 points. Anything else natural	Opener rebid 2N with 23+ balanced	

				unspecified suit, or 23+ bal.	and 8+ points		
2H		6		Weak 2	OGUST 2NT - 3C poor hand + poor suit, 3D good		
					hand + poor suit, 3H poor hand + good suit, 3S good hand and suit, 3NT solid suit		
2S		6		Weak 2	OGUST 2NT - 3C poor hand + poor suit, 3D good		
					hand + poor suit, 3H poor hand + good suit, 3S good hand and suit, 3NT solid suit		
2NT		1		21-22 semi balanced	5 card puppet STAYMAN, transfers, 3S shows		
					5S and 4H		
3C		6		Weak			
3D		6		Weak			
3H		7		Weak			
3S		7		Weak			
3NT		7		Gambling, No more than 1	4C = pass or correct		
				outside entry			
4C		8		Weak/ pre - emptive			
4D		8		Weak/ pre - emptive			
4H		8		Weak/ pre - emptive			
4S		8		Weak/ pre - emptive			
4NT				DO NOT OPEN			
5C						HIGH LEVEL BIDDING	

5D						RKBW 3041
5H						Gerber over an opening or rebid NT
5S						Quantative