DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING
OVERCALLS (Style: Responses: 1 / 2 Level; Reopening)
Generally Sound Overcalls, Rarely Good 4 Card At 1 Level
Aggressive Responses (With 5 + Hcp Specially with Fit)
Cue Bid = At least 2 Card Fit 9+ Hcp
New Suit Forcing, Weak Jump Raises, Simple Raise Pure Courtesy
Use Of Fit Showing Jumps And Splinter, Specially Over Majors
1NT OVERCALL (2 nd /4 th Live; Responses; Reopening)
INT OVERCALL 2ND SEAT = 15-18, 4TH SEAT IS
BALANCING 11-16 (AGAINST MAJOR HIGHER RANGE)
RESPONSE = SYSTEMS ARE ON, BALANCING 1NT-2C=
STAYMAN CUM RANGE ENQUIRY, REST SYSTEMS ON
JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)
JUMP OVERCALL- INCLUDING UNUSUAL

Reopen: INTERMEDIATE DIRECT & JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen) DIRECT CUE BID = MICHAELS LEAPING MICHAELS OVER 2 / 3 LEVEL OPENING JUMP CUE = ASK PARTNER TO BID 3NT WITH STOPPER AND SUITABLE HAND

NO TRUMP (MINORS OVER MAJORS) weak/Strong when P is

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

Passed Hand then can be Intermediate

VS STRONG NT = IMM DBL =single suiter m or Both Ms, 2♣-

♣&**♦**/♥/♠,2**♦**-**♦**&♥/♠,2♥-♥s,2♠ = ♠suit., 2NT- Both ms;

3X = Constructive 6+ if VUL & PREMPT IF NV

4th Position DBL = puppet to 2♣ then any suit is better hand,

2♣ = Both Ms, 2X is Nat. If passed hand DBL= Ms & 2X = NAT Weak NT: cappelletti,2NT=both minors,3X same as against strong

VS.PREEMTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids)

DOUBLES - TAKE OUT UPTO 4

4♠ DBL = May Be 3 Suit Take Out / Partner Can Pass With

oorHand. 4NT OVER 4 = 2 SUITOR (MIN5-5)

VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. 1♣ or 2♣

Versus artificial 1* strong-CRASH and 2*strong - DBL = Both Majors, 2NT = Both minors. May be weak hand. Rest all natural

OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE

Transfers after 1M dbl Single raise may be weak , double raise = mix RDBL = 9+ HCP - NO FIT, 1X-(DBL)-2Y (jump) = SPLINTER

LEADS AND SIGNALS						
OPENING LEADS STYLE						
	Lead	In Partner's Suit				
Suit	3 rd 5 th	3 rd /5 th . Top from doubleton.				
NT	2/4 th Best	4 th Best,3 rd from 3,top fm DB				
Subseq	Same	Same				
Other: NAT	URAL / Tend to give cou	ant when imp otherwise attitude.				
Vs. NT, K	asks for ATT and A or Q	asks UB or CT				
LEADS						
Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT				
A	A TZ (+) A	A 1- C IID - CT AZI10(+)				

Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT
Ace	AK(+), Ax	Asks for UB or CT,AKJ10(+)
King	KQ(+), AK	ASKS FOR ATT , AKx,KQx
Queen	Qx,QJ,QJx,QJ10x	KQ109+Asks for Unblock of J
Jack	J109,J10, Jx,J10xNone Abv	J109 ,J10 ,Jx,J10x None Abv
10	2HsAbv or 109x,109x,10x	2HsAbv or 109x,109x,10x
9	SAME AS ABOVE	SAME AS ABOVE
Hi-X	Xx, denies higher	Xx / denies H
Lo-X	Low promises at least 10	Low promises at least 10

SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY

	Partner's Lead	Declarer's Lead	Discarding
1	ATT (Lo=ENCRG)	Count (Hi=Odd)	ATT (Lo=ENCRG)
Suit 2	Count (Hi=odd)	ATT (Lo=ENCRG)	Suit Pref.
3	Suit Pref.(std)	Suit Pref.	
1	ATT (Lo=ENCRG)	Reverse Smith	ATT (Lo=ENCRG)
NT 2	Count (Hi=odd)	Count (Hi=Odd)	Suit Pref.
3	Suit Pref.(std)	Suit Pref.(std)	Suit Pref.(std)

Signals (including Trumps):

- 1) Reverse Smith Echo vs NT: Low-Hi shows interest from bothsides
- 2) Trump Echo vs Suit: Hi-Low in trump shows 3 & desire toruff

DOUBLES

TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)

STANDARD = NORMALLY 3 CARD SUPPORT FOR UNBID SUITS UNLESS STRONG

CUE BID = INVITATION +, JUMPS ARE INVITATIONAL

RE-OPENING DBL = CAN BE LIGHT WITH GOOD SHAPE

SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL & COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS

COMPETITIVE / RESPONSIVE / BALANCING DOUBLE /

SUPPORT DOUBLE/ NEGATIVE DOUBLE

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SYSTEM SUMMARY
GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE
2 /1 UNLESS REBID
5 CARD MAJOR 11-21
3 CARD MINOR 11-21
1NT = (14+) 15-17 can be semi balanced
2NT = (19) 20-21
2C=22+ OR GAME IN HAND

SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE

2 ♦ / 2 ♥ /2 ♠ , — PREMPTIVE

3NT – 1st& 2ndSeat Broken Long Minor - 3RD / 4TH Seat TO PLAY

4&& 4 NAMYATS 1st& 2nd Seat – 3rd 4th Seat Long && minor 7-8 CARDS PREMPTIVE

IMPORTANT NOTES:

AFTER OUR 1NT Overcall (1m) – 2 not stayman puppet to 2 thereafter bids are variety of hands 2 stayman over m Overcall 2 law Nat; 2N = Any 6+ GF; 3x (same m 5/5 M) Om 5Om+5M 3M = 6+M INV; 4C = 1M slammish 4D/H Trf

After OUR 1NT overcall (1M) - 2♣ not stayman puppet to 2♠; thereafter bids are variety of hands; 2♠/OM – constructive; same 2M= stayman; 2N = Any 6+ GF; 3m = 5m&5OM; 4m=L Miac 2 WEAK Openings Overcalls : A mix of Rubensohl & Lebensohl

SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES

1. PASS IS FORCING WHEN THEY ARE TAKING A

SACRIFICE BID AND WE HAVE WORKING VALUES
2.PASS AND PULL SHOWS A BETTER HAND /

WILLINGNESS TO BID ON WITH WORKING VALUES

PSYCHICS: RARE

OPENING	FICK IF		MIN. NO. OF CARDS IIN. NO.	NEG.DBL THRU				
ō	ARI		MIN. N	ZEC	DESCRIPTION	RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT ACTION	COMPETITIVE & PASSED HAND BIDDING
1.			3	3♠	11-21	Natural / Inverted Raises - 2♦ = 5/5 Red Suits 9-11	1♣-1♦ -1NT=bal. can have M., No XYZ after 1♦	1♣- 2/3♣=LR/MR.
						2♥= min 5♠&5♥(9-11), 2♠= BAL INV, 2NT= 16+ with 4♣s; 3♣= MR; 3♦/♥/♠=splinter, 4♣=RKCB	1♣-1X-1NT-2♣/♦ isXYZ , JUMP 2NT by Opener - Retransfers	1 ♣ -2 ♦ / ♥ =same UPH 2 ♣ = 5 ♣ +5m 2NT = LR BAL HAND
1 •			3	3♠	11-21	Nat / Inverted Raise, $3 = 6 + - INV$, $3 = MR - DO$	LEBENSOHL ON REVERSE, 3 card M raise	- SAME AS ABOVE -
						NATURAL, 2/1 UNLESS REBID, MINI-MIDI-MAXI	JUMP 2NT by Opener-Retransfers	2♣ONE way Drury.1♥-2NT=♣ suit
1♥			5	3♠		VOID SPLINTERS, Help Suits, 2NT = NatGF		or m SPL; 1♥-2♠/3♣/♦ Fit 8- 11,1♥-3♥= ♠ SPL
1 🛦			5	3♥	11-21	SAME AS ABOVE FOR ♠		- DO- 1 → 2NT= suit or some SPL
INT				3♠		Stayman M Transfers; 2 = Minor Stayman - 2N =	1NT-2 ♣ -2 ♦ -2 ♥ =P/C,2 ♠ =5Ss ;2NT=INV; 3MSmol	
						either long m weak or 6 = GF/Slam F 3 = INV 3 = Short+ 3OM.5/4m; 4 = TRF to 4		
2*	\perp	V		3♠	22 + or gameinhand	2♦ = WAITING, rest all suit bids=Nat and8+ 2NT=single suiter weak hand	NAT &KOKISH RELAYS	after intervention 2 level - DBL shows weak & P= 4+; 3X DBL = 4+ & P=< 3
2•			6	24	WEAK 6-11. May have 5 cards (depending on vul) Can have 4M	2NT=Relay, 3♣ = GH can have 4♣;3♦=B H; 3M=G H & OM; 3NT= G hand		New suit=Fit
2♥			6		WEAK – 6-11 CAN HAVE 5 CARDS OCCASIONALLY	2NT=Relay- Responses - 3♣ = GG or BB, 3♦ = GH - BS, 3♥ = BH- GS; 3♠ = Solid SUIT; 3NT = OM	2 • -2 • -anybid-3 • /3 • =NF,2 • -2NT-3 • =GG or BB - P asks 3 • then 3 • = BB; 3 • = GG with shortage 3N W/0	New suit=Fit 2NT =spade fit,2♠=any splinter
2.			6		- SAME AS ABOVE -	- SAME AS ABOVE -	- SAME AS ABOVE -	NEW SUIT = FIT; 2N = ANY SPL
2NT				3 🏠	(19)20-21 HCP –Can be Semi Bal	3*pupet stayman, 3*= Long m / 3N to play, 3NT= $5/5$ ms Game only, $4*/4$ is trf $4*/4$; $4*=5*/4$ 4*4 = $4*/5$	2NT-3♣-3♦one / both Ms-3♥ = No M; 3♣/3N=5♣/♥;	
3X			6+		Natural.Pre-Empt	New suit is ORF		
					ot and			
3NT	_	√			Broken m in 1 st /2 nd seat	$4/5/6/7 \clubsuit = Pass / Correct, 4 \rightleftharpoons short suit ask,$	3NT-4♦ -4♥/♠=shortness;4NT=no shortness	
		√	_		3 rd /4 th seat - To Play		ļ	
4 .		√	6+♥		NAMYATS – 1/2 SEAT	New suit = Control asking - 4NT=RKCB		
4 •	⊢	√	6+♠		NAMYATS – 1/2 SEAT Nat pre-empt good/bad in 3 rd seat	- Same as Above - 4NT=RKCB, new suit =control asking	1 ^{stk} step 3 little no control – 2 nd Ox 0r 2	3 rd – K or singleton 4 th is A or void
4 ♥ 4♠			6+ ♥ 6+ ♠		- SAME AS ABOVE –	4N1=RKCB, new suit =control asking - SAME AS ABOVE =	1 step 3 little no control – 2 Qx Ur 2	3 - K or singleton 4 is A or void
4 A 4NT		V	U⊤♠		- SAME AS ABOVE – Specific ace asking	- SAME AS ABOVE – 5♣=no Ace,5♦ = ♦ A,5♥=♥A,5♠=♠ A,5NT=♣ A		
5♣/5♦			8+		TO PLAY	→ 110 1100,0 ▼ 11,0 ▼ 11,0 m m 11,0111 = m 11	HIGH LEVEL BII	DDING
J 4.7.5 *			-				1. FORCING PASS WHEN THEY ARE TAKING	1.5
5♥/5♠			8+				2. PASS & PULL = BETTER HAND, WILLINGN	
							WORKING CARDS	
							3. DOPI, ROPI, DEPO REPO	
							4. RKC – 1403,	
							5. 5NT= K askresponses K Bid or 2 Other Ks	
							1	