

DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING
OVERCALLS (Style: Responses: 1 / 2 Level; Reopening)
8-17, 5+ cards
2 level 10-17
INT OVERCALL (2 nd /4 th Live; Responses; Reopening)
15-18 pts direct
11-14 pts reopening. Responses as for 1NT opener
JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)
Weak jump overcalls
2NT shows lowest 20 unbid suits
Reopen: 18-20 bal
DIRECT & JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen)
Michaels cue bids, weak or strong
VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening;PH)
2♣ both M 2NT asks, 2♦ one Major, 2 Major = Major+ m
X of Strong NT 4M with longer m
VS.PREEMTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids)
Double for takeout
VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. 1♣ or 2♣
OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE
Generally ignore

LEADS AND SIGNALS			
OPENING LEADS STYLE			
	Lead	In Partner's Suit	
Suit	2nd and 4th	2nd and 4th	
NT	2nd and 4th	2nd and 4th	
Subseq	Low from hon	Low from hon	
Other: may be low from 3 small			
LEADS			
Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT	
Ace	Asks for attitude (rev)	As suits	
King	Asks for count (rev)	As suits	
Queen	KQ or QJ	As suits	
Jack	J10	As suits	
10	10 9 or doubleton	As suits	
9	Normally doubleton or Singleton	Top of nothing	
Hi-X	Doubleton or 2nd of 4 small	Top of nothing	
Lo-X	From honour or 3 small	As suits	
SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY			
	Partner's Lead	Declarer's Lead	Discarding
1	Rev attitude	Rev count	
Suit 2	Suit pref	Suit pref	Rev att
3	Rev count		
1	Rev Attitude	Rev attitude	
NT 2	Suit pref	Suit pref	
3	Rev count	Rev count	
Signals (including Trumps): rev Smith v NT			
DOUBLES			
TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)			
Most low level doubles are takeout			
SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL & COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS			
Support doubles and redoubles			
Game try doubles			

W B F CONVENTION CARD
CATEGORY: Green
NCBO: Scotland
PLAYERS: Allan Whiteford, Peter Hodgson
EVENT any
SYSTEM SUMMARY
GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE
5 card Majors, 15-17 NT, 3 weak 2s, 2/1 Game Forcing
UDCA, Reverse Attitude Discards
Major openings may be light in 3rd pos, 2 way Drury responses
Sound 3 level preempts in 1st and 2nd positions, weak 2s may have 7 card suits
SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE
Double of Strong NT = 4M with longer minor
Bergen raises
SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES
IMPORTANT NOTES
PSYCHICS: Very rare

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				DESCRIPTION	RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT ACTION	COMPETITIVE & PASSED HAND BIDDING
1♣		3	3♠	Longer m (33 always 1♣)	Inverted raises	After inv raise, 2m+1 asks, 2NT 18-19 bal	Inv raises on after dble, off after overcall
1♦		3	3♠	Longer m (44 always 1♦)	Inverted raises	After inv raise, 2m +1 asks, 2NT 18-19 bal	as above
1♥		5	3♠				
1♠		5	3♥				
INT				15-17 bal, 5M 6m possible	Stayman, 4 transfers, Smolen, Texas, 3♠ minor stayman		
2♣	✓			Game force or 22+ bal	2♦ semi pos, 2♥ super neg		
2♦		6 (5)		Weak , 5-9 pts	2NT feature ask		
2♥		6 (5)		Weak , 5-9 pts			
2♠		6 (5)		Weak , 5-9 pts			
2NT				20-21 bal, semi bal	Puppet, transfers, 3♠= 5♠/4♥, Texas	Stayman then 4m = slam try in m	
3♣		7 (6)		1st and 2nd positions, 7 cards 2 of top 3 hons	4♦ mod keycard (1+Q, 2, 2+Q)		
3♦		7 (6)		As above	4♣ mod keycard		
3♥		7 (6)		As above	4♣ mod keycard		
3♠		7 (6)		As above	4♣ mod keycard		
3NT				Solid minor suit	All minor bids pass or correct		
4♣		7		Preempt			
4♦		7		Preempt			
4♥		6		Preempt			
4♠		6		Preempt			
4NT				Specific Ace ask	5♣ none, suits show Ace, 5NT 2 aces		
5♣						HIGH LEVEL BIDDING	
5♦							
5♥							
5♠							
