DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING		LEA	ADS AND SIG	NALS	W B F CONVENTION CARD
OVERCALLS (Style: Responses: 1 / 2 Level; Reopening)	<b>OPENING LEAD</b>	S STYLE			
	I	ead		In Partner's Suit	CATEGORY: Red
	Suit 4	th and 2nd		Small from Hxx+,	
Simple Overcalls, 8+ HCP with implied suit quality at 1 level	NT As above			As above	PLAYERS: Jake Milne
	Subseq L	.ow from H	I	As above	Abi Milne
	Other: 3 <sup>rd</sup> from und	isclosed su	pport of P's sui	it.	
1NT OVERCALL (2 <sup>nd</sup> /4 <sup>th</sup> Live; Responses; Reopening)	LEADS				SYSTEM SUMMARY
2 <sup>nd:</sup> 15-17HCP, usually with defence of bid suit, responses as		/s. Suit		Vs. NT	SISTEM SOMMART
opening.		AK+, Ax		AK+	
4 <sup>th:</sup> 11-14HCP, responses as opening		K+, KQ+		KQJ+, KQT	
		QJ+, Qx		QJT+, QJ9+	
Sandwich[(1X)-P-(1Y)-1NT]: 5-5+ in unbid suits. Weak or Strong		Jack JT+, Jx		JT9+	15-17 NT (Can contain 5cM, be 5-4-2-2 or 6-3-2-2)
JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)			κ+ (H=K,Q)	HT9+, HJT+ (H=	$\frac{2}{1}$ 5cM's with short 1* and 1*
6 card suit, 5-9HCP NV, 7-11HCP Vul		9x, J9xx, 9		T9x+, J9xx	Multi 24
		Xxx, xXxx		xXxx, xXxxx	
Unusual NT shows 5-5 in lowest two suits over an artificial opening,	Lo-X H	IxX, HxxX	I, HxxXx	HxX, HxxX, Hxx	Xx Weak 2M's
lowest two unbid suits over a nat (3+card) opening.					Weak Zivi S
Reopen Jump: Intermediate with 6-card suit Reopen 2NT: 19-21HCP	S	IGNALS I	IN ORDER OI	F PRIORITY	
DIRECT & JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen)	Partner's	Lead	Declarer's Le	ad Discarding	SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE
Direct: Michaels, 5-5+ in Majors over minor opening.	1 A/Q Rev K Count		Count	Reverse A	ttitude
(1M) 2M: 5-5+ in other Major and undisclosed minor. 2NT as minor	Suit 2			Count	
ask.	3				Opening 1♣ and 1♦ can both be short as 2 cards.
Jump: Cue for NT, 20+HCP	1 A/Q Rev	Attitude	Count	Reverse A	
Jump: Cue for N1, 20+HCP	K Count				- 1♦ -1X-1NT shows 12-14NT with no 5cM
VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening;PH)	NT 2			Count	
	3				
Weak: Multi Landy 8-15HCP, X: Pen Strong: Multi-Landy 11+HCP, X: Pen by unpassed hand 5m + 4M by passed hand	Signals (including		uit preference v iving ruff.	when switch is obvio	• 20-21HCP with a (semi) balanced hand.
			DOUBLES		• 5-4/5-5 in Majors
VS.PREEMTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids)	TAKEOUT DOUI	BLES (Sty		Reopening)	5-9HCP NV, 7-11HCP Vul (11-14HCP in 4 <sup>th</sup> )
Up to $3 \bigstar$ , X is Takeout. 4 level apart from $\bigstar$ is Transferable.		-			
$4 \triangleq$ and above is Penalty. Bids are all natural after X.					
4NT is two suited (Primarily minors) hand. Leaping Michaels	Up to $3 \bigstar, 4 \clubsuit / \diamondsuit / \checkmark$	Transferat	ble. Multiple Tr	ransferable X's in co	mpetition.
VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. 1+ or 2+					SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES
	SPECIAL, ARTIF	ICIAL &	COMPETITI	VE DBLS/RDLS	Interference over Asking 2NT and Jacoby 2NT, Pass shows bid
VS 1 $\therefore$ 2 $\Rightarrow$ - Natural, 2 $\diamond$ - Michaels					has been bypassed. FP in action if we are $GF - X$ 's below game
VS 2 <b>*</b> : Bids natural					level are takeout if bid is nat. XX of X shows cue.
OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE	In forcing 2NT situ	ation, X m	eans bid was sto	olen.	IMPORTANT NOTES
		1.177	11 1 .	<u>-</u> , -,	After Penalty X of 1NT, XX shows 5-card suit, forcing 2. bid.
XX – 10+HCP, denies stop in suit for NT. Bids as uninterfered. Jump Bids – As opening	XX of penalty X of	1NT is scr	ramble, showing	g 5+ suit.	After Penalty X of 1NT, XX shows 5-card suit, forcing 2 <b>*</b> bid. 2bid shows that suit plus another higher suit. 4-4. <b>Pass</b> is NF

ING	CIAL	MIN. NO. OF CARDS	NEG.DBL THRU						
OPENING	TICK IF ARTIFICIAL			DESCRIPTION	RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT ACTION	COMPETITIVE & PASSED HAND BIDDING		
1*	$\checkmark$	1		Can be short with 18-19 balanced, or natural (may contain a 5c♦ suit, or be only 1 club if 4-4-4-1 and minimum opening)	1 ♦ - Negative 0-5HCP, denies 6c suit 1 ♥/▲ - 6+HCP, 4+ card suit 1NT - 6-9HCP, no 4+cM Inverted Raises (with 5 card support), Weak Jump Shifts (0-5HCP)	1♣-1Y-1NT: 18-19HCP 1♣-1♦-1NT-2X: Responses as 1NT open 1♣-1M-1NT-2♣/♦: Checkback 1♣-2♣-2X: Short suit trial bid 1♣-2♣-3X: Italian Cue Bid	Overcalls - Suit bid shows 5 card suit, X is Negative. Raises are pre-emptive over an overcall X - Bids as normal Reopening X by opener =18-19		
1 ♦	$\checkmark$	2		Can be short with 12-14 balanced, or natural (may contain a 5c suit)	1NT – 5-9HCP Inverted Raises (with 5 card support), Weak Jump Shifts to Majors	1 ◆-1M-1NT: 12-14 HCP 1 ◆-2 *-2NT: 12-14 HCP 1 ◆-1Y-1NT-2 */ ◆: Checkback 1 ◆-2 *-2NT-3 *: Checkback	As with 1 <b>♣</b> . Reopening <b>X</b> by opener =12-14		
1♥/1♠		5			1NT – 5-9HCP, Jacoby 2NT, Weak Jump Shifts, Splinters (11-14HCP) $3 \div -9-11$ , 4c support. $3 \bigstar$ then game try $3 \bigstar -7-8$ , 4c support. 3M - <7HCP, 4c support	Over <b>Jacoby</b> , 3 of other suit shows Singleton/ Void, 4 suit is Source of Tricks. 3 Trump suit shows 17-18HCP, 4 Trump suit shows 12- 14HCP.	Overcall - X is Negative, Jump fits X – Bids as normal PH – 1 way Drury, Jump fits		
1NT		2		15-17HCP, 14-17HCP in 4 <sup>th</sup>	2♣ - Non-Promissory Stayman, 3♣ - Puppet Stayman, 2♦/♥/♠/NT – Transfers with Breaks available. 4♦/♥ - 6-card Texas Transfer.	<b>Transfer Breaks</b> for Majors: 3M – Maximum with 4c+ support <b>Breaks</b> for Minors: Intermediate bid shows Ax+,Kx+ or Qxx+	<b>Lebensohl (FADS)</b> with doubles for Takeout		
2*	~	0		20-21HCP semi-balanced or 5-4/5-5 in Majors (5-9HCP NV, 7-11HCP Vul. 11-14HCP in 4th)	2 ◆ - 0-14HCP Relay, 2 ♥/♠ - Preference for bid Major, 2NT – 15+HCP. 3 ♥/♠ - 10-14HCP and 5cM. 4 ♥/♠ - 10-14 HCP and 6c+M	After 2NT Inquiry: $3 \bigstar / \diamond - 5/4c \checkmark + 4/5c \bigstar$ , Minimum. $3 \checkmark / \diamond - 5/4c \checkmark + 4/5c \bigstar$ , Maximum. $3NT - 5c \checkmark + 5c \bigstar$ , no m void. $4m - 5c \checkmark + 5c \bigstar$ with void in bid m. $4NT$ : 18-19 balanced	Over interference: Pass shows 0- 7HCP, 2 ♦ (over a X) or X(when 2 ♦ is overcalled) shows 8- 14HCP. Systems on otherwise.		
2♦	$\checkmark$	0		Game Forcing (24+HCP)	2♥: 0-4HCP, 2♠: 5-8HCP, 2NT: 9+HCP				
2♥/2♠		6 (5)		5-9HCP NV, 7-11HCP Vul (11-14HCP in 4 <sup>th</sup> )	2NT – Shortage Inquiry, Bids are F1	3♣/♦ - Shorter minor, not minimum. 3M shows minimum, 3OM shows 4 cards in OM and above minimum points.	Raise to level of fit		
2NT		1		22-23 Semi-Balanced (Can be 5-4-2-2, 6-3-2-2 or 4-4-4-1)	3♣ - Muppet Stayman, 3♦/♥ - 5-card Transfers. 3♠ - Minor slam try. 4♣ - Gerber, 4♦/♥ - 6-card Transfer.	Slam Try responses: 4♣/♦ Preference in that minor, slam interest. 4♥/♠ Cue bid, acceptance for either minor. 5♣ No interest, Pass or correct			
3♣/3♦		6		Pre-emptive	Bids F, Raises are to play				
3♥/3♠		7 (6)		Pre-emptive	Bids F, Raises are to play				
3NT	$\checkmark$	0		Gambling	4♣ - Pass or Correct, 4♦ - Slam Try in minor	4♥ - Acceptance of Slam Try in ♣, 4♠ - Acceptance of Slam Try in ♠. 5m – To Play			
4♣/4♦		7		Pre-emptive		HIGH LEVEL B	IDDING		
4♥		7		To Play		RKCB 1430 with R1P0, D1P0. Italian Cue Bids after agreed suit. Modified Blackout (2NT only) over Reverses: 3♣ shows 16-17HCP or minimum Reverse Hand. 3♦ shows 18+HCP or equivalent top range Reverse, GF. Serious 3NT.			
4▲ 4NT	$\checkmark$	7		To Play Specific Ace Ask	5♣=0, 5♦=A♦, 5♥=A♥, 5♠=A♠, 5NT 2As,				