

DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING
OVERCALLS (Style: Responses: 1 / 2 Level; Reopening)
Up to 17 pts. 2nt limit 4 card raise; cue 3 card raise
Jump raise = intermediate
Jump Cue = Mixed raise, 3 card support
INT OVERCALL (2nd/4th Live; Responses; Reopening)
15-18 balanced – now system on (4 card Stayman etc)
4 th in hand: 11-16 Now system on with 2C= Checkback.
JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)
Intermediate 2 level jump overcalls' Int. 3 level. pre-emptive
2NT = 2 same rank 3C other 2, cue colour.
Reopen: Strong jump overcalls
DIRECT & JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen)
CRO = colour rank odd
Leaping Michaels over weak 2s
Non-Leaping Michaels over weak 3s
VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; balancing)
Woolsey defence X of weak NT = pen
X of 'strong' (min of 13-15) = 4-cd Major & 5+ minor.
2C=Majors, 2D=6-cd M. 2HS=5M & 4+ minor. 2nt ?
2N=2-suiter, usually minors. 3CD= Nat one-suiter.
3HS=Nat, very sound one-suiter.
3N=strong minor 2-suiter
4C =strong Major 2-suiter.
VS. PREEMTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids)
Takeout X; Non-Leaping Michaels.
3NT is natural
4NT is usually 2 places to play.
VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. 1♣ or 2♣
Dont over 1C (or 1C P 1D): 1c – 2C Nat 2D Michaels
X = C/H, 1NT = D/S; suit = that suit + 1 Above, 2D = 6 Card M
2H/2S Lucas
OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE
XX = suit above or transfers
2N = sound raise to 3+
Some Transfers if we opened 1♣ or 1♦

LEADS AND SIGNALS			
OPENING LEADS STYLE			
	Lead	In Partner's Suit	
Suit	3 rd /5 th best	3 rd best, but HI from if we have supported	
NT	4 th /2 nd even suits low odd suits	ditto	
Subsequent	Rev Attitude	Rev Attitude	
Other ::Reverse Smith peters			
LEADS			
Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT	
Ace	Asks for REV attitude	Asks for REV attitude	
King	Asks for Rev Count	Asks for unblock, failing which Rev Count	
Queen	Asks for REV attitude, or J	Asks for REV attitude	
Jack	Asks for ten or H	J10 or KJ10 or AJ10	
10	109 or Q109 or K109	109 or top interior sequence	
9	9x [or 9xx(x) suit shown]	9x or 109 x(x)	
Hi-X	HI from dbtn, or low xxx suit	HI from dbtn, or 2 nd best	
Lo-X	3 rd /5 th best	4 th best	
SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY			
	Partner's Lead	Declarer's Lead	Discarding
1	Rev Attitude	(count rev)	Reverse Attitude,
Suit 2	Rev Count	Rev Count	then current count.
3	Suit Pref		
1	Rev Attitude	(none)	Reverse Attitude,
NT 2	Rev Count	Rev Count	then current count.
3	Suit Pref		
Signals (including Trumps): Rev SMITH peter by both v NT			
Rev Count - Reverse Attitude.			
Trumps: may have suit preference overtones Lo-Hi = lowest suit			
DOUBLES			
TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)			
Light			
Responsive to 2nt			
Competitive. Informative lead directing.			
Cue =10+ forcing to suit agreement			
SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL & COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS			
Support doubles thru 2nt.			
Double of artificial bid shows that suit			
Can show equal length after 1d x 1h x			

W B F CONVENTION CARD
CATEGORY: RED
NCBO: Scotland
PLAYERS: Steve Male - Marilyn Silverdale
SYSTEM SUMMARY
GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE
Strong NT, 2/1GF; transfers over 1c and x.
5-card Majors (1 st & 2 nd in hand)
- 1NT response is semi-F (up to 11pts)
Nt may contain a singleton
3 in hand may be shaded.
SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE
2D Multi = weak 2 in a Major; OR 22/23 semi balanced
2H,2S Lucas = 5M & 4+ of minor, up to 10 pts
3N = good 7-card Major
Modified Bergen/Jacoby raises of 1 Major (see Note 1)
Transfers over our 1C opener.
.2c rebid Gazilli
2C response, GF may not have C.or 3 card limit raise, major
Blackout. Lebenshol. Good/bad 2nt.
Reverses GF may NOT be natural 2NT Blackout;
1M 2any gf.
3 rd suit forcing after minor suit rebid
Transfer over doubles.
Reverses need not be natural.
SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES
After game values have been shown
IMPORTANT NOTES
Transfers in some positions
PSYCHICS: Rare

