

DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING
OVERCALLS (Style: Responses: 1/2 Level; Reopening)
Style - sound
Jump = Weak
Michaels
2NT = 2 lowest suits
INT OVERCALL (2nd/4th Live; Responses; Reopening)
2 nd = 15/17, Responses as over 1NT opener
4 th = 10/13, Responses as over 1NT opener
JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)
Weak – Responses – new suit at 3 level = F1
Raise = non-constructive
2NT = strong relay – shortage over major
Feature over 2D
DIRECT & JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen)
Direct = Michaels – 2NT shows values, other bids = Pass/Correct
Jump Cue asks for stop
VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening;PH)
Against 1NT – Double shows single suiter
2D shows 5+ D's , + other suit
2H shows 5+H + minor
2S shows 5+S and minor
2C shows majors
VS.PRE-EMPTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids)
X=Takeout, cue bid asks for stop. Over weak 2s-Leaping Michaels, suit natural non forcing., 2NT-15/18 Bal., DbI- takeout
Unusual over onusual(lower cue=good raise, higher cue=forcing other M, 3 of other M natural non-forcing. Over Multi 2D – X=12/14 or19+, 2H/S =natural, 2NT=15/18 Bal
VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. 1♣ or 2♣
Over strong Club – X = majors, 1NT = minors
OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE
Responses may be lighter
Re-double = 9+, no primary fit, 2NT=sound raise to 3M, raises=pre-emptive, jump in new suit=fit jump

OPENING LEADS STYLE AND SIGNALS			
	Lead	In Partner's Suit	
Suit	4 th /2nd	4 th /2nd	
NT	4 th /2nd	4 th /2nd	
Subseq	4 th /2nd	4 th /2nd	
Other:	109x(x)	109x(x)	
LEADS			
Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT	
Ace	Shows K or length, asks rev att	As v suit	
King	Asks count, shows A or Q		
Queen	Shows J or K, asks rev att		
Jack	Shows 10, may have A or K		
10	Denies J, may have A,K or Q		
9	109x(x) or short	109x(x) or short	
Hi-X	Even	Even	
Lo-X	Odd	Odd	
SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY			
	Partner's Lead	Declarer's Lead	Discarding
Suit 1	A/Q rev att	Count	Rev att
2	Suit pref		
3	Count		
NT 1	A/Q rev att	Hi/Lo = Smith	Rev Att
2	K count	Normal count	
3	Suit pref		
Signals (including Trumps): Suit pref			
After trick 1 – rev att on A or K			
Suit pref where appropriate			
DOUBLES			
TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)			
Style – sensible (classic shape or extra strength)			
SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL & COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS			
Neg doubles thru 4H, competitive thru 4D, action Dbl			

W B F CONVENTION CARD	
CATEGORY: i.e. Green / Blue / Red / HUM / Brown Sticker: NCBO: Scottish Bridge Union PLAYERS: Sandy Duncan (1837) Bob McPaul (6210)	
SYSTEM SUMMARY	
GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE	
5-card Spade opener	
3 weak 2s	
12/14	
Lebensohl (FASS) after our 1NT and opp's weak 2s	
SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE	
Weak 2's in S/H/D	
Wriggle after 1NT – X – XX = single suit	
Suit shows that suit + higher suit	
SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES	
IMPORTANT NOTES	
PSYCHICS : Infrequent	

OPENING	ARTIFICIAL TICK IF	MIN. NO. OF CARDS	NEG.DBL THRU				
				DESCRIPTION	RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT ACTION	COMPETITIVE & PASSED HAND BIDDING
1♣		3	4D		2NT = 11/12, Splinters		
1♦		4	4D		2NT = 11/12. Splinters		
1♥		4	4D		2NT=16+ 4 trumps	After 2NT – 3 level = shortage	
1♠		5	4D		3NT=12/15, 4 trumps, flat, Splinters	4 level = source of tricks, 4M = min	
					2NT =16+ 4 trumps	After 2NT-3 level=shortage	
					3NT=12/15, 4 trumps, flat, Splinters	4 level=source of tricks, 4M = Min	
INT				12/14	2C=NP Stayman, 2D/H/S/NT = transfers, 3C/D/H/S =6 Cards invitational with 2 top honours	Transfer breaks: major shows 4, minor shows dislike	
2♣		0		23+ Balanced or GF	2D = relay, 2H = 4 or less		
2♦		6		5/9	2NT= feature enquiry if non-min		
2♥		6		6/10 Vul	2NT=enquiry, 3M=min, 3 other = shortage,		
				May be less non-vul	3NT=Max no shortage		
2♠		6		6/10 Vul	2NT=enquiry,3M=Min, 3 other = shortage		
				May be less Non-vul	3NT=Max no shortage		
2NT				20/22	3C= Muppet, 3D/H = transfers, 3S = 5/5 minors		
3♣		7		Pre-emptive	COS = F1		
3♦		7		Pre-emptive	COS = F1		
3♥		7		Pre-emptive	COS = F1		
3♠		7		Pre=emptive	COS = F1		
3NT					4C = pass/correct, 4D = asks shortage (4H/S =		
					Short M, 4NT= no shortage, 4m = shortage other m		
4♣		7					
4♦		7					
4♥		7					
4♠		7					
4NT					Specific Ace asking		
5♣		7				HIGH LEVEL BIDDING	
5♦		7				4NT opener – 5C=none,5D/H/S/6C shows Ace- 5NT shows 2 Aces	
5♥		7			Bid 6/7 with A/K trumps	RKCB 14/30	
5♠		7			As above		
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