

| DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING |
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| OVERCALLS (Style; Responses: 1 / 2 Level; Reopening) |
| 6-18 may be 4 card at 1level.All raises weak. New suit F1..Jump fit. Double jump splinter.Cue = fit 3cards 2nt=fit 4 cards. |
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| INT OVERCALL (2nd/4th Live; Responses; Reopening) |
| 15-18, responses as per 1NT opener.11- 14 in 4 th jump/bid 2NT wth max over stayman |
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| JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT) |
| Weak 1c- 2d =majors |
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| Reopen: |
| DIRECT & JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen) |
| Michaels except where 1D is artificial Jump Cue bid= NT try |
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| VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening;PH) |
| 2c= H + any 2D = S + any show longer major with H+S Resp 1st step P/C (to 5M or 2 nd suit) 2 step= 3 card support. 2NT= FG relay new suit= NF. 3 bids weak. X= 1 minor or 5/5 in majors overr strong NT or PH.By PH 2c=C + major 2d = D+major |
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| VS.PREEMTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids) |
| X= T/O then lebensohl, leaping michaels cue bid =minors over 2M Transfers over 2NT transfer to weak 2 suit = stayman.Over 3c /3d Cue = majors 3c- 4d = D+ major |
| VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. 1♣ or 2♣ |
| Over strong ♣X=♥ 1♦=♠ 1♥/♠/1NT=2 suits(CRO) 2NT=GF 2 Suiter. 1♣-P-1♦ X/1NT/2♣=2 suits (CRO) (also applies after strong 1♦) |
| OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE |
| XX =10+ raise of M poor bid 2M minus one =good 3card raise After 1 minor 3m =inv 2NT = weak 1M- 2NT = 4 inv |

| LEADS AND SIGNALS | | | |
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| OPENING LEADS STYLE | | | |
| | Lead | In Partner's Suit | |
| Suit | 4th | 4 th or top or third | |
| NT | 4th | 4 th or top or third | |
| Subseq | | | |
| Other: K asks for count or unblock at NT | | | |
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| LEADS | | | |
| Lead | Vs. Suit | Vs. NT | |
| Ace | AK | AK | |
| King | AK or KQ | AK or KQ | |
| Queen | QJ | QJ | |
| Jack | J10 | J10 | |
| 10 | 10 9 | 10 9 | |
| 9 | Top 9x.9xx 9xxx | 9x 9xx 9xxx | |
| Hi-X | Sx or Sxx or 5+ | same | |
| Lo-X | HxS HxxS(+) | same | |
| SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY | | | |
| | Partner's Lead | Declarer's Lead | Discarding |
| 1 | attitude | SP | attitude |
| Suit 2 | count | count | SP |
| 3 | SP | | count |
| 1 | Attitude | Rev smith | attitude |
| NT 2 | count | count | SP |
| 3 | SP | SP | count |
| Signals (including Trumps): | | | |
| Rev smith echo H =switch from both hands | | | |
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| DOUBLES | | | |
| TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening) | | | |
| standard | | | |
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| SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL & COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS | | | |
| Support x for majors | | | |
| Responsive through 4H | | | |
| Over penalty double of 1NT redouble= transfer to C | | | |
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| W B F CONVENTION CARD |
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| CATEGORY: NCBO: England PLAYERS: David Mossop Gunnar Hallberg |
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| SYSTEM SUMMARY |
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| GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE |
| 5 Card majors |
| 2/1 GF |
| 1M- 1NT = F1 except by passed hand |
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| SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE |
| 1m-2S = inv in m |
| 1m- 2H= weak 5S+4or 5 H |
| 1m- 2D= weak 5H+4or 5D |
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| SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES |
| After weak 1NT double –bid--pass is F1 |
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| IMPORTANT NOTES |
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| PSYCHICS:rare |

| OPENING | TICK IF ARTIFICIAL | MIN. NO. OF CARDS | NEG.DBL THRU | | | | |
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| | | | | DESCRIPTION | RESPONSES | SUBSEQUENT ACTION | COMPETITIVE & PASSED HAND BIDDING |
| 1♣ | | 3 | 4H | Nat with 3/3 in minors open 1c | Raise GF, double raise weak,2S inv in m.,2D or 2H 5 cards in suit above plus 4/5 cards in this weak | 2NT is relay over 2S, 2H,2D 2 Way checkback after 1M or 1NT rebid | |
| 1♦ | | 3 | 4H | | As 1C | | |
| 1♥ | | 5 | 4H | | 1NT F1 with 4 card support,2NT GF,3C= 5-8, 3D=9-11, 3M =0-4, 3NT = 12-14,Splinters. | Over 2NT bid shortage or 3NT =15+.,4 raise = max 1 key card,4 new suit =5/5,3 raise other | Reverse Drury |
| 1♠ | | 5 | 4H | | As per 1H | As per H | |
| INT | | | | 15/17 | Stayman full transfers | | |
| 2♣ | X | | | 22+ or GF | 2D relay 2/3 other HHxxxx or better H= AKQ | 2NT= 22/23, 2H = kokish Jump = solid suit | |
| 2♦ | | 5/6 | | weak | 2H/2S= FI nat 2NT = relay ,splinters,4M= nat | After 2M 2NT = 3card fit good 3C = 3card fit poor, raise= 2cards poor ,rebid suit short Bid other = 2+Good., After 2NT bid guard | |
| 2♥ | | 5/6 | | weak | 2S= F1 nat 2NT=relay, splinters, 4S=nat | As per 2H but 2NT asks for shortage | |
| 2♠ | | 5/6 | | weak | 2NT = nat, splinters 4H = nat | As per 2H | |
| 2NT | | | | 20/21 | Puppet stayman 3,transfers 3S minor stayman 4 level bids 2step transfers | After 3C bid other major, after 4 bid gap suit = RKCB 4NT = off center NT | |
| 3♣ | | 6/7 | | weak | | | |
| 3♦ | | 6/7 | | weak | Suit GF | New suit GF | |
| 3♥ | | 6/7 | | weak | Suit GF | New suit GF | |
| 3♠ | | 6/7 | | weak | Suit GF | New suit GF | |
| 3NT | | 7+ | | gambling | 4C pass or correct | | |
| 4♣ | | 6+ | | | | | |
| 4♦ | | 6+ | | | | | |
| 4♥ | | 6+ | | | | | |
| 4♠ | | 6+ | | | | | |
| 4NT | | | | Ace ask | Bid A with 2 bid 5nt | | |
| 5♣ | | 7+ | | | | HIGH LEVEL BIDDING | |
| 5♦ | | 7+ | | | | RKCB 30/41 | |
| 5♥ | | 7+ | | | | ROPI ; DOPI | |
| 5♠ | | 7+ | | | | 5NT suit = 0 5c = 1, more = 1 plus 1card extra Q bid = 1 st or 2 nd round control, redouble= 1 st round control new Q bid = 2 nd round control in doubled suit plus a further control in the Q bid suit | |

