

DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING
OVERCALLS (Style: Responses: 1 / 2 Level; Reopening)
5+cards
2NT in response to major – 4cd raise
UCB 3cd raise – 4cnds if overcall at 2L, then 2NT natural
INT OVERCALL (2nd/4th Live; Responses; Reopening)
15-18 system on
10-14 in 4 th seat – 2C Stayman, then 2N reply = 13-14
JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)
Weak in 2 nd , intermediate 4 th
Reopen:
DIRECT & JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen)
MCB
(1x) 3x asking for stop
VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening;PH)
(X by passed hand is clubs and major)
X Penalty
2C Majors
2D D+M
2H/S natural
2NT GF 2 suiter or minors
VS.PREEMTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids)
X t/o – lebensohl after weak two
VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. 1♣ or 2♣
X majors 1NT minors
OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE
XX denies fit
1M X full transfers from 1NT = clubs etc
1M X jump in OM = mixed. 3L= weak. Fit jumps, splinters

LEADS AND SIGNALS			
OPENING LEADS STYLE			
	Lead	In Partner's Suit	
Suit	4/2	3/5 – Top from xxx if supported	
NT	4/2	3/5 – Top from xxx if supported	
Subseq			
Other:			
LEADS			
Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT - Same	
Ace	AKx AKxx- rev att		
King	AK AKxxx – std count	K asks unblock or count	
Queen	KQx QJx		
Jack	J10x		
10	10x, 109x, Q109		
9	9x or H98		
Hi-X	Xxxx, xxx, xx		
Lo-X	Hxxx, Hxx		
SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY			
	Partner's Lead	Declarer's Lead	Discarding
1	Rev Att	Std count	Rev Att
Suit 2	Std Count	SP	Count
3	SP		SP
1	Rev Att	Std Count/Smith	Rev Att
NT 2	Std Count	SP	Count
3	SP		SP
Signals (including Trumps):			
SP in trumps			
DOUBLES			
TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)			
SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL & COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS			
Support X & XX			

W B F CONVENTION CARD
CATEGORY:
NCBO: England
PLAYERS: Catherine Seale Catherine Draper
EVENT Women
SYSTEM SUMMARY
GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE
15-17 NT
5 card majors 2/1 GF
Short club
Multi 2D – 1 major 0-8
2H/S 8-11 depending on vul
SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE
SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES
IMPORTANT NOTES
PSYCHICS:

OPENING	TICK IF ARTIFICIAL	MIN. NO. OF CARDS	NEG.DBL THRU				
				DESCRIPTION	RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT ACTION	COMPETITIVE & PASSED HAND BIDDING
1♣		2			WJS except 2D good club raise inv. 1NT 6-11. 2NT 1C – 2C inv+. 1C – 3L weak	1C – 1M – 3D = 18-19 bal raise 1C – 1M – 2C – 2D art GF	
1♦		4			1D – 2D F1. 2H/S weak	1D – 2C GF	
					1D – 3C weak		
1♥		5			2NT GF. 2S mixed. 3C = 3cd inv. 3D = 4cd inv 3H weak. 3S splinter. 3NT to play	1H – 2C/D GF	
1♠		5			2NT GF. 3C 3cd inv, 3D 4cd inv, 3H nat, 3S mixed	1S – 2C/D/H GF	
INT		15-17			2C Stayman. RST. 2S/2NT C/D – bid suit with fit 3L=slam try. 4C=minors slam try, 4D majors 5/5		
2♣		23+ or GF			2C-2D-2H = H or bal 2C – 2D – 2N = 25+ system on		
2♦		0-8			2H = P/C. 2S good H support. 2NT enquiry 4C asks trf. 4D asks suit		
2♥		8-11 ATV			2NT asks shortage 2S NF 3C/D GF		
2♠		8-11 ATV			2NT asks shortage 3C/D/H GF		
2NT		20-22			3C Puppet stayman. 3D/H trf. 3S minors 4L = two below slam tries		
3♣		<10			Change of suit GF		
3♦		<10					
3♥		<10					
3♠		<10					
3NT				Gambling	4C = P/C. 4D asks shortage		
4♣		<12					
4♦		<12					
4♥		<12					
4♠		<12					
4NT							
5♣		<12					
5♦		<12					
5♥		CONV		Asking for A/K in trump suit		30-41 RKCB	
5♠		CONV		Asking for A/K in trump suit		Next suit asks for QT. 5NT asks kings – bid shows the one held or other two New suit asks 3 rd round control	
						ERKCB – 0,1,2,2+Q	