

DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING
OVERCALLS (Style: Responses: 1 / 2 Level; Reopening)
Natural, 2NT good raise, ucb, jump cue=mixed raise
INT OVERCALL (2nd/4th Live; Responses; Reopening)
15-18 (15-19) in sandwich position 11-14 over 1m, 11-16 over 1M in protective position Systems on, except over 11-16 range when 2♣ is enquiry
JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)
Weak, 2NT response is forcing, cue=good raise 2NT jump overcall is unusual showing lowest 2 suites Reopen: Intermediate jump overcalls, 2NT in protective 19-21
DIRECT & JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen)
Michaels Jump cue ask for a stopper for 3NT (except over short ♣)
VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening;PH)
2♣ = ♥ + other, 2d = ♠ + other, 2M= natural If both majors anchor to the weaker As passed hand X=♠ + other, 2♣ = ♣ and ♦/♥, 2♦ = ♦&♥, 2M=natural
VS.PREEMTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids)
X=t/o with lebensohl responses Leaping and non leaping michaels
VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. 1♣ or 2♣
X=majors, 1NT=minors
OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE
Transfers in most situations, often including XX, 1NT natural Pass then X is penalties

LEADS AND SIGNALS
OPENING LEADS STYLE
Lead In Partner's Suit
Suit 3 rd and low 3 rd and low
NT 2 nd and 4 th 3 rd and low
Subsea More attitude
Other: Top from xxx when supported partners suit 2 nd and 4 th is British style so top from XX
LEADS
Lead Vs. Suit Vs. NT
Ace AK Ax AK Ax
King AK KQ AK KQJ KQT
Queen QJ KQ QJ
Jack Jx KJT JT AJT KJT Jx JT
10 HT9 T9 HT9 T9
9 H98 9x H98 9x
Hi-X 3 rd and low 2 nd and 4 th
Lo-X 3 rd and low 2 nd and 4 th
SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY
Partner's Lead Declarer's Lead Discarding
1 Rev att Count Rev att
Suit 2 Count Suit pref Count
3 Suit pref
1 Rev att Smith peter Rev att
NT 2 Count Count Count
3 Suit pref Suit pref
Signals (including Trumps): Smith peters vs NT
DOUBLES
TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)
Mostly takeout. Some low level X transfers especially after 1 level opening and overcall
SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL & COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS
Support doubles Some artificial doubles/redoubles in after opening and opponents overcall

W B F CONVENTION CARD
CATEGORY: i.e. Green / Blue / Red / HUM / Brown Sticker: NCBO: England PLAYERS: John Atthey / Neil Rosen EVENT (Open/Women/Senior/Transnational)
SYSTEM SUMMARY
GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE Strong NT (15-17), upgrade a number of 14's with 5 card suit 5 card majors 2/1 GF Short ♣ with transfer responses (can have 5♦ and weak NT) 1♦ opening either 18-19 bal with 5♦ or unbalanced 3 Weak 2's
SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE 1♣ – 1♠ no major
SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES
IMPORTANT NOTES
PSYCHICS: Rare

