Defensive and Competitive Bidding

Overcalls (Style; Responses; Reopening)

1 - level: 5-17hp 2 - level: Sound

1 NT overcall (2ND/4TH; Responses; Reopening)

1NT = 15-18, system on

Jump Overcalls (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)

2NT=two lowest suits (5+-5+),

(1m)-2M=4M+longer minor 10-16hcp

Direct and Jump Cue Bids (Style; Responses)

Michaels

Jump cue-bid: Asks for stopper

VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopen: PH)

Dbl = equal strength

2 = both major

 $2 \rightleftharpoons 5 + \forall \text{ or } \diamondsuit$

 $2 \checkmark = 4(5) \checkmark + 5 + minor$

 $2 \stackrel{\blacktriangle}{\bullet} = 4(5) \stackrel{\blacktriangle}{\bullet} + 5 + \text{minor}$

2NT = both minor or strong 2-suiter

VS. Preempts (Doubles; Cue bids; Jumps; NT bids)

X=t/o

2NT = 15-18

Leaping Michaels

VS. Artificial Strong Openings

vs 1♣: X=majors, 1NT=minors

vs 2♣/2♦: X=both M, 2NT=both m

Over Opponents' take out double

XX = 10 + hp

Leads and Signals				
Opening Leads Style				
	Lead	In Partner's Suit		
Suit	3 rd -5 th	3 rd -5 th		
NT	3 rd -5 th	3 rd -5 th		
Subseq	Low = enc			

Leaus					
Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT			
Ace	AKx/AKxx(x)	AK/AKx/AKxx(x)			
King	AK/KQ/KQJ(x)/ KQT(x)	KQ/KQJ(x)/KQT(x)			
Queen	AQJ(x)/QJ(x)/QJT(x)	AQJ(x)/QJ(x)/KQ109(x)/ KQJ(x)			
Jack	HJT(x)/JT(x)	HJT(x)/JT(x)			
10	HT9x/AQT(x)/T9x	HT9x/AQT9(x)/T9x(x)			
9	KJ98/9/9x	HH98/9x			
Х	$Hx\underline{\mathbf{x}}x/xx\underline{\mathbf{x}}(x), \underline{\mathbf{x}}x$	$Hx\underline{\mathbf{x}}x/xx\underline{\mathbf{x}}(x), \underline{\mathbf{x}}x$			

Signals in order of priority Partners lead Declarer

Suit:	Low = enc	$Low = 3/5^{th}$	Low = enc
2 nd	$Low = 3/5^{th}$	Lavinthal	Low = 3/5 th
3 rd	Lavinthal		Lavinthal
NT:	Low = enc	Smith	Low = enc
2 nd	$Low = 3/5^{th}$	$Low = 3/5^{th}$	$Low = 3/5^{th}$
3 rd	Lavinthal	Lavinthal	Lavinthal

Signals (including Trump's):

Doubles

Takeout Doubles (Style; Responses; Reopening)

Special, Art and Comp Dbl/Rdbl's

Support dbl/rdbl



System Card



System:

Players





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System Summary

General Approach and Style

Nat, 5542

Discarding

Transfer responses to 1♣ opening

(14+)15-17NT

Usually sound openings/preempts, but green vs red might be very light

Special bids that may require defence

Transfer responses to 1♣ opening 2♦ = Multi (6M 5-10hp) or 24+NT

 $2 \checkmark / 2 \stackrel{\blacktriangle}{=} = 5$ -cards $\checkmark / \stackrel{\blacktriangle}{=} + \text{minor } (4+)$

Special forcing pass sequences

Important notes that don't fit

xy-NT/xyz: 2♣=sign off in ◆ OR INV, 2♦=GF

Psychics

Rare

Opening	Art	Min. #	Neg. D.	Description	Responses	Subsequent Auction	Passed Hand Bidding
1♣		3	4♥	2+♣, 11-22hp	$1 \diamondsuit = 4 + \blacktriangledown$, $1 \blacktriangledown = 4 + \diamondsuit$, $1 \diamondsuit = 6 - 10$ bal or any with \diamondsuit , $1 \text{NT} = 11 - 12$ $2 \diamondsuit = \text{inverted minor GF}$, $2 \diamondsuit / 2 \blacktriangledown / 2 \diamondsuit = \text{transfers}$, $2 \text{NT} = 12 - 13$, $3 \diamondsuit = \text{preempt in} \diamondsuit$, $3 \text{nt} = 13 - 16$	1 . -1 . : 1 v = usually 3, 2 v =4 13- 14	
1♦		3	4♥	4+♦ 11-22 hp	$1 \checkmark /1 4 /1 NT = nat, 2 4 = F1 nat, 2 4 = inverted minor F1, 2 \checkmark /2 4 = 6-card, 3-6 hp, 2NT = Nat inv, 3 4 = unbalanced inv with 4, 3 4 = preempt in 4$		
1♥		5	4.	5+♥ 11-21hp	2/1 = GF if not rebid, 2♠ = minisplinter in any, 2NT=F1 Jacoby, 3♥ = preempt		2 . = (9)10-11 3+ . , 2 . = (9)10-11 4+ .
1♠		5	4.	5+♠ 11-21hp	2/1 = GF if not rebind, 2NT = F1 Jacoby, 3♠ = preempt		2• = (9)10-11 3+•, 2• = (9)10-11 4+•
1 NT			4.	(14)15-17NT (5M/6m/5422, rarely sing)	Stayman/transfer, 3♥/♠ = singleton with 3 in other M		
2♣	X	0	4.	22-23NT or strong unbalanced	2♦ = waiting bid, 2 ♥ = 5 +♥, 2 ♠ = 5 +♠		
2♦	X	0		Multi (6M 5-10hp) or 24+NT	2/3♥/♠ = pass or correct, 2NT = Asking, 4♣=ask for transfer	2♦-2NT: 3♣=any max, 3♦/♥= min ♥/♠, 3♠=AKQxxx in ♥/♠, 3NT=24-25	
2♥	X	5		5♥ 5-10HP, VUL normally with a minor (4+)	2NT = asking for strength and distribution, 3♣ = pass or correct 3♦= inv+ with ♥	After x: 3m=nat NF	
2♠	X	5		5♠ 5-10HP, VUL normally with a minor (4+)	2NT = asking for strength and distribution, 3♣ = pass or correct 3♦= inv+ with ♠		
2 NT				20-21 bal	Muppet stayman and transfers	Slam Conventions	
3x		6		PRE, ACC to VUL		Splinter	
3NT	X			Running minor, max Q on the side	4⊕=p/c, 4♦=Asks for control	Cue-bids	
4♣,♦		6		PRE, ACC to VUL		Jacoby	
4 ∀ , ♠ 4NT		6		To play Asking for specific aces	5 = 0, 5 $/ $ $/ $ = that ace, 5NT=ace of $ = 2 $ aces	RKCB (1403) DOPI/ROPI	