

Defensive and Competitive Bidding
Overcalls
Good suits above the one level
1NT Overcall
2 nd : (15) 16 – 18, system on
4 th : 11 – 14, system on
Jump Overcalls
Intermediate
Direct & Jump Cuebids
Spade Michaels – Intermediate + Unusual 2NT – Intermediate +
Vs. NT
Weak X = 16+, Strong X = minors 2♣ = Landy 2♦ = Weak M Response per Multi 2♥/♠ = 5+M
Vs. Preempts
Multi 2: O/call upto 16, 2NT = 16-18, X 17+ or 13-15 no long suits. Lebensohl (2M)X(P) or 1NT(2M) only cases
Vs. Artificial Strong Openings
Against 1♣16+ NT = any two suits 14+ X = M, 1NT = m, bid at 1 level constructive, and 2 level weak
Over Opponents' Takeout Double
XX = 10+

Leads and Signals			
Opening Lead Style			
	Lead	In Partner's Suit	
Suit	3 rd & 5 th	3 rd & 5 th	
NT	Attitude	3 rd & 5 th	
Subsequent	Residual 3 rd & 5 th		
Other:			
Leads			
	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT	
Ace	A, AK		
King	K, KQ, Kx		
Queen	KQ, QJ, Qx		
Jack	JT, Jx		
10	T9, Tx		
9	Doubleton	Top of nothing	
Hi-X	Doubleton	Top of nothing	
Lo-X	3 rd & 5 th	3 rd & 5 th	
Signals In Order Of Priority			
	Partner's	Declarer's	Discarding
Suit 1	AQ=rev Att	Rev count	Rev Att
2	Rev count	Rev count	Rev count
3			
NT 1	same	Smith peter	Rev Att
2		Rev count	
3			
Signals (including trumps): UDCA Smith Peters against NT			

Doubles
Takeout Doubles (Style; Responses; Reopening)
Special, Artificial & Competitive Doubles &

W.B.F. Convention Card
Category: Open NCBO: NZ Bridge Players: T Schumacher & Jane Lennon
System Summary
2/1
Suits: 5, 5, 4, 2. 1NT: 15 – 17
Special Bids That May Require Defence
2♦: weak 2 in major
Special Forcing Pass Sequences
Psychics
Uncommon

	Artifici	Mini mum Cards	Nega tive Doub	Description	Responses	Subsequent Actions	Pass ed Hand
1♣	√	2	4♥	11 – 20 (could be 4432)	1♦/♥ transfer to ♥/♠ 1♠ = 6-10 or 5-7 6+♦ or GF 5+ ♦ 1NT=11-12, Inverted GF 2♦/♥/♠ 8-11, 6+ cards 2NT 16+ (1♦) X→♥, 1♥→♠, 1♠→as above, 2♣ Nat, 2♦ strong with ♣ (1♥) X→♠, 1♠→as above, then Acol style with 2♥ strong with ♣ (1♠) X = T/O then as above	Accept compulsory with 3+ Natural, suits up the line After inverted GF, natural 4 card M but 2♦ rebid is flat with short ♣, and 2NT is with 4+ ♣. 2-way checkback	
1♦		4	4♥	11 – 20	Inverted GF 2♥/♠ = 8-11, 6+ card suit, 1M then 2M is now < 8	After 1x 1y 1NT, always 2-way checkback.	
1♥		5	4♦	11 – 20	1NT = 5 – 11 (12) 2suit = 12+ natural, GF 2NT GF 4+ trumps. Jump in other major 3 card 11-12	1M - 1NT - 2♣ is Gazilli. Shows 16+ or ♣s. 2♦ shows 9-12. So 1M-1NT-3m shows 5/5 and < 16. After 2NT 3x = shortage min, 3M better & flat, 3NT flat 18/19. 4♣♦ other M splinter. 3NT Weak Slam Try.	
1♠		5	4♥	11 – 20	After 1♥ or 1♠, 3♣ 6-9 4+ trumps, 3♦ 11-12 4+ invit, 3M weak raise, 3♠+ splinter GF 3NT 13-15 bal		
1NT		-	3♠	15 – 17	2♣ Invite bal or Xfer to ♣ (6+), 2NT Xfer to ♦ (6+), 3♣ puppet, 3♦ = GF minors, 3♥/♠ (13)(45) 2♦/♥, 4♣/♦ = Xfer to ♥/♠ and 4♥/♠ to play	2♣ then 2NT min and 3♣ max, then 3x is GF shortage. 1NT 2NT 3♣ = likes ♦, 3♦, 3M is GF shortage Transfer and bid = slam interest	
2♣	√	-		Natural GF	2NT inquiry, standard multi responses 2NT asks	3♣/♦ good weak 2 3minor = min with that minor 3Major = max with corresponding minor	
2♦	√	-	Weak 2 in major				
2♥			5♥ 4+m				
2♠			5♠ 4+m				
2NT		-	4♥	20 – 22	Puppet, transfers, 3♠ minor stayman		
3		-	none	Natural	High Level Bidding:		
3NT		-		7 solid minor, nothing outside	RKCB: 1430 Over interference, Pass is 1 st step (14), X is 2 nd step (30). Over X, Pass 1 st step, XX 2 nd step. Cue 1 st & 2 nd round controls.		
4♣♦♥		-	Natural				
♠		-					