DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING

OVERCALLS (Style: Responses: 1 / 2 Level; Reopening)

JUMP BIDS=PRE (6-12)
OVERCALLS=5+ (RARE4) 6-17HCP
NT RESP=NF

1NT OVERCALL (2nd/4th Live; Responses; Reopening)

1NT-2nd POS,4th LIVE=15-17 HCP; STAYMAN, TRFs,
1NT-Reopen=10 - 15 HCP, no stopper required

JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)

UNUSUAL NT
PRE in any VALN

Reopen: SAME

DIRECT & JUMP CUE BIDS (Style; Response; Reopen)

MICHAELS CUE promises at least one unbid major
JUMP CUE=1)ASKS STOP or 2)one-suiter GF
1♦ - 2♦ = ♠+♥
2♥ - 3♥= stoper ASK or two-suiter CS

VS. NT (vs. Strong/Weak; Reopening;PH)

VS STRONG: 2♣= ♥+♠
2♦= ♥ or ♠
2M=NAT,+4+m
DBLE = 4M+5+m
Reopen: 2♣-same, double T/O, suits nat.

VS WEAK: DBL=13+HCP, 2♣=both majors, SUITS=NAT,

VS.PREEMTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT Bids)

T/O DBL; ; MICHALES CUE
2NT=15-18 HCP

VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS- i.e. 1♣ or 2♣

OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE

New suit at: 1-level is F1, 2-level is NF

LEADS AND SIGNALS

OPENING LEADS STYLE

	Lead	In Partner's Suit
Suit	2nd/4th	2nd/4th
NT	2nd/4th	2nd/4th
Subseq	2nd/4th	2nd/4th

Other: low from doubleton non-honour
9 from 109(+), 10 from 109

LEADS

Lead	Vs. Suit	Vs. NT
Ace	AK(+)	AK(+)
King	KQ(), AK	KQ(+), AK, AKJ(+)
Queen	QJ()	QJ(+), KQ109x
Jack	J10(), HJ10()	J10(),
10	H109(), H10x, 10x, 109	HJ10(), H109x, 10x,
9	109(+)	109(+)
Hi-X	xSx(+), HSx, 10Sxx(+)	xSx(+), HSx, 10Sxx(+)
Lo-X	xS, HxxS(+)	xS, HxxS(+),

SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY

	Partner's Lead	Declarer's Lead	Discarding
1	Hi/lo=O	Hi/lo=O	Hi/lo=O ,S/P
Suit 2	Hi=DISCRG	Hi/lo=O	Hi/lo=O ,S/P
3	S/P		
1	Hi=DISCRG	Hi/lo=O, S/P	Hi/lo=O, S/P
NT 2	Hi/lo=O		
3	S/P		

Signals (including Trumps): Trumps Hi/lo=S/P

Smith Echo against NT (low encourages)

DOUBLES

TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening)

T/O DBL=3 cards in unbid M and 2 cards in unbid minor(s)
Reopening DBL=9+HCP

SPECIAL, ARTIFICIAL & COMPETITIVE DBLS/RDLS

RESP DBL shows values (usually two suits)
AFTER 2♣ AND O/C: DBLE is NEG on the level of 2, 3
1s - DBLE - 1(2)OS-DBLE: NEG
FIT Double

W B F CONVENTION CARD

CATEGORY: RED
NCBO: POLAND
PLAYERS: Stanisław Pająk-Janusz Gawęcki
EVENT ALL

SYSTEM SUMMARY

GENERAL APPROACH AND STYLE
Three-way 1♣ opening: NAT, PREP or STR
1♦ response is ART
five-card majors, non-forcing 1NT response
flexible negative doubles style
1NT Openings: 15-17 HCP
2 OVER 1 Responses NAT, 1-round forcing

SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE

OPEN 2♥= 5♥,+ 5minor
OPEN 2♠= 5♠,+ 5minor
OPEN 2♣=Precision
OPEN 2♦=MULTI
1♦ RESP=2-way: NEG(0-8), minor(s)(7-11)
1♣ -(Pass)-1♦-(Pass)-1M=at least 3 cards
1♣ -(Pass)-1♦-(Pass)-1NT=BAL(18-20)
1♣-any-1M-any-2♦=18+HP 4+card sup in M or 18+HCP 5+♦
1♣ -(Pass)-1M-(Pass)-2♣-(Pass)-2♦=ASK , 10+HCP

SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES

IMPORTANT NOTES

PSYCHICS: rare

OPENING	TICK IF ARTIFICIAL	MIN. NO. OF CARDS	NEG.DBL THRU	DESCRIPTION	RESPONSES	SUBSEQUENT ACTION	COMPETITIVE & PASSED HAND BIDDING
1♣	Yes	0	4♥	12-14+HCP BAL,	1♦=NEG (0-6) or minor(s) (7-11), 1♥,1♠=4+	1♣ -1♦-1♥ (1S) - at least 3 cards,	
	Yes	0	4♥	12-17HCP 4441(singl ♦)	2♥=11-12HCP BAL, TRF on 2(3) NT	1♣-1♦-1NT (18-20)	
1♣	Yes	0	4♥	15+HCP 5+C	2♠=12-15HCP BAL, TRF on 3NT		
1♣	Yes	0	4♥	18+HCP any	3♣,♦=10-11HCP 6+		
1♣	Yes	0	4♥		2NT=12-15HP or 18+		
					3NT=16-17HCP		
1♦	No	4	4♥	12-17HCP 5+	2♥=6-10hcp,5+♠,4+♥ 2♠=12-15bal,3♣=7-9HCP 4+♦		
1♥	No	5	4♦	12-17HCP 5+	1NT=NF, 2NT=GF with SUPP 3+♥, 3♣=INV with SUPP 3+♥, 3♦=LIMIT RASE 4+♥, 3♥=PRE	1M-DBL-1NT=CONSTRU RASE SUPP 3M 1M-DBL-2M=WK RASE SUPP 3M 3-6HCP	
					2♠-INV NAT 6+, 3NT=SHORT ♦ 12-15HCP		
1♠	No	5	4♥	12-17HCP 5+	1NT=NF, 2NT=GF SUPP 3+♠, 3♣=INV with SUPP 3+♠, 3♦=LIMIT RASE SUPP 4+, 3♠=PRE		
					3NT=SHORT ♥, 12-15HCP SUPP 4+♠		
1NT	No	BAL	4♥	15-17 BAL	STAYMAN,TRF, 2♠=♣ or INV BAL		
					3♥,♠=bid shortage (usually 5431), 2NT=♦		
2♣	No	5	4♥	Precision 11-14HCP	2♦=relay,2♥,♠=NF, 3♦=NF, 3♥, ♠=GF	11-14 HCP 5♣+4M or 6+♣	
					2NT=TRF for 3♣, followed by pass or 2-suiter INV		
2♦	Yes			MULTI WK 6+M	2NT=ASK, 3♥=LIMIT RASE or PRE		
				4441 18+, 24+BAL	4♣=ASK for TRF		
2♥	No	5		6-11HCP 2-suiter ♥+m	2NT=ASK		
2♠	No	5		6-11HCP 2-suiter♠+m	2NT ASK		
2NT				21-23HCP BAL	3♣=PAPET, TRF		
3♣,♦	No	6		6-11HCP 6+ PRE			
3♥,♠	No	7		5-10HCP 7+ PRE			
3NT	Yes	8		♥ or ♠ 9-10 tricks			
						HIGH LEVEL BIDDING	
						ROMAN KEYCARD BLACKWOOD: 102	
						HOYT; JOSEPHINE	
						SPLINTER; AUTOSPLINTER	
						1st + 2nd round cue-bids equally	