## DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING

OVERCALLS (Style, Responses, $1 / 2$ Level, Reopening) Natural 8-16PC, 5+ suit; 2d-Drury promises fit, Cue bid no fit; 1 level new suit F1;
New suit = nat. NF; new suit jump = nat. GF
1NT OVERCALL (2n/4 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ Live; Responses; Reopening) Against $14 / \mathrm{V} / \mathrm{A}-1 \mathrm{NT}=8$-15 5m+4M Against 1* nat. or $3^{\text {rd }}$ hands openings- $1 \mathrm{NT}=15-18$ nat. Balancing 10-15 nat. tranfers throughout;
transfer to opponents' suit = stayman
JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)
1 Suit - preemptive according to vulnerability
2 Suit-2NT=minors;
1X pass pass 2NT - 18-21 nat. (transfer)
Reopening - skip $=12-16$ nat
DIRECT AND JUMP CUE BID (Style; Responses; Reopen)
Michels unlimited depends on vulnerability
(2NT - better than 3 ${ }^{\text {) }}$
1X-3X - asks for stopper
VS. NT (vs. Strong / Weak; Reopening; PH)
14+ = 2*-majors; 2 4 -Multi; 2 $4 /$-nat. with $4+m$
Double $-5+\mathrm{m} 4 \mathrm{M}$; balancing double $=$ cards;
$14-=$ as above except double $=$ cards
VS. PREEMPTS (Doubles; Cue-bids; Jumps; NT bids) Double = T/O 13 + ; $2 \mathrm{NT}=15-18$; cue $=$ asks for stopper; Jump 4 level $=5 / 5$ strong with suit bid; skip $=13-16$ nat.
VS. ARTIFICIAL STRONG OPENINGS
Against 3 way or strong 1e: pass=no overcall or 16+ else 8-15: double $=5+\boldsymbol{\psi} ; 1 \boldsymbol{*}=44$ majors or $5+\star$;
$1 \vee=$ any 3 suiter or 54 broken; $1 \wedge=54$ blacks or reds;
$1 \mathrm{NT}=54$ majors or minors; $2 \mathrm{X}=$ nat. depends on vul.
Against 2ans strong - double=clubs; 2NT=any 2suiter
OVER OPPONENTS' TEKEOUT DOUBLE
Rdbl $=10+$ penalty oriented, if fit tends to be stronger
Fit showing skip (nat. + fit)

| LEADS AND SIGNALS |  |  |  |  |
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| OPENING LEAD STYLE |  |  |  |  |
|  | LEAD |  | In Partner's suit |  |
| Suit | $2^{\text {nd }}$ or $4^{\text {th }}$ |  | $2^{\text {nd }}$ or $4^{\text {th }}$ |  |
| NT | $2^{\text {nd }}$ or $4^{\text {th }}$ |  | $2^{\text {nd }}$ or $4^{\text {th }}$ |  |
| Subsed | From original comb. |  | From original comb. |  |
| $4^{\text {th }}$ with an honour, $2^{\text {nd }}$ from bad suit, middle from 3; |  |  |  |  |
| Low from doubleton; sometimes $3^{\text {rd }}$ from $\mathrm{H} 10(9) \mathrm{x}$ |  |  |  |  |
| LEADS |  |  |  |  |
| Lead | Vs. Suit |  | Vs. NT |  |
| Ace | A; AK(x) |  | A; AK(x) |  |
| King | $\mathrm{AK} ; \mathrm{KQ}(\mathrm{x})$ |  | AKJ10(x); KQ(x) |  |
| Queen | AQJ; $\mathrm{QJ}(\mathrm{X})$ |  | KQ109, QJ (x) |  |
| Jack | J10(x) |  | J10(x) |  |
| 10 | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{HJ10(x)} ; \mathrm{H} 109(\mathrm{x}), \\ & 10 \mathrm{x} ; \mathrm{H} 10 \mathrm{x} \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { HJ10(x); H109(x), 10x; } \\ & \text { H10x } \end{aligned}$ |  |
| 9 | 109x(x); H9x |  | 109x(x); H9x |  |
| HI-x | MDU- xSx ; xSxx |  | MDU- xSx ; xSxx |  |
| Lo-x | xS |  | xS |  |
| SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY |  |  |  |  |
|  | Partenr's Lead | Declarer's lead |  | Discarting |
| Suit | Hi-Lo = ODD | S?P |  | S/P* |
|  | S/P | Hi = DISCRG |  | Hi-Lo=ODD |
|  | Hi = DISCRG | Hi-Lo = ODD |  |  |
| NT | Hi = DISCRG | Hi = DISCRG |  | S/P* |
|  | S/P | S/P |  | Hi-Lo=ODD |
|  | Hi-Lo = ODD | Hi-Lo | ODD |  |
| Signals (including Trumps) |  |  |  |  |
| Reverse count and attitude; Smith=low; Lavinthal nat. |  |  |  |  |
| DOUBLES |  |  |  |  |
| TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Response; Reopening) |  |  |  |  |
| 13+ sound; limit responses; cue=F1 promises rebid; |  |  |  |  |
| Balancing 8+ shape |  |  |  |  |
| SPECIAL; ARTIFICIAL AND COMPETITIVE (RE-)DOUBLES |  |  |  |  |
| Lightner; Support 2 level; Responsive; maximal overcalls |  |  |  |  |
| Negative may include GF hands |  |  |  |  |
| Artificial against 1*(strong or 3way) and 14+NT |  |  |  |  |

Category: POLISH CLUB (RED) NCBO: POLAND
PLAYERS:
EWA SOBOLEWSKA ANIA SZCZEPAŃSKA

| SYSTEM SUMMARY |
| :---: |
| GENERAL APPROACH STYLE |
| 12-2+2 OR any GF |
| 5 card majors |
| 15-17 NT may have 5M, 6m, 54m |
| 2 - multi 6 $6 /$ ¢ weak |
| 2-/ム/NT- twosuiters 55 |
| 3NT - Gambling |
| SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENCE |
| 12-2+2 or any GF; if 5+e unbal 15+ |
| 2-6-11 6 or 6a |
| 2- -6-11 5+ / /5+ other |
| 2 -6 -115+ゅ/5+minor |
| 2NT - 6-11 5+/5+ minors |
| 3NT - Gambling, no Ace or King |
| Transfers over 1M after double |
| SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES |
| 120 - double pass=0-6 PC 3+e |
| 2 - double pass= diamonds |
| IMORTANT NOTES THAT DO NOT FIT ELSEWHERE |
| double raise weak |
| PSYCHICS: Rare |

