## DEFENSIVE AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING

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

Suit overcalls are natural

Ghestem : 2NT overcall = both minors

Cuebid overcall = 5-5 in highest and lowest suit

3♣ = 5-5 in two highest suits

**OUR 1NT OVERCALL (2nd/4th , Responses, Reopening)**

Same meaning as 1NT opening; same responses as 1NT lead

**JUMP OVERCALLS (Style; Responses; Unusual NT)**

2H or 2S jump overcall means weak 2 bid (6-10 HP, 6+-card)

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

Forcing and request control in that suit

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

DONT:

Double means one long suit

2♣ , 2♦ , 2 ♥ means 2 suits, this one and one higher

2♠ means long suit in spades

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

Double means opening power (12+ HP)

Overcalls in suit is natural

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

Double means opening power (12+ HP)

Overcalls in suit is natural (except Ghestem bids)

**OVER OPPONENTS' TAKEOUT DOUBLE**

## LEADS AND SIGNALS

**OPENING LEADS STYLE**

| | Lead | In Partners suit |
|---|---|---|
| Suit | Small is promising | Small is promising |
| NT | Small is promising | Small is promising |
| Subseq | | |

Other:

**LEADS**

| Lead | Vs. suit | Vs. NT |
|---|---|---|
| Ace | AH or Ax | AHV or AHB |
| King | HV | HVB or HV10 |
| Queen | VB | AVB or VB10 or VB9 |
| Jack | B10 | AB10 or HB10 or B10 |
| 10 | Top of nothing | 1high-109 or top of nothing |
| 9 | Top of nothing | Top of nothing |
| Hi-X | | |
| Lo-X | | |

**SIGNALS IN ORDER OF PRIORITY**

| | Partner's Lead | Declarer's Lead | Discarding |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | High-Low | | Laventhal |
| Suit 2 | | | |
| 3 | | | |
| 1 | High-Low | | Laventhal |
| NT 2 | | | |
| 3 | | | |

## DOUBLES

**TAKEOUT DOUBLES (Style; Responses; Reopening**

Double is info til level 2 as long as partner did not do any bid

**SPECIAL BIDS**

## W B F CONVENTION CARD

**NAME of the TEAM: Waasmunster 1**
**Roni Van Dorsselaer en Karel Meijfroidt**
**COMPETITION: 3de Nationale A**

**PLAYERS:**
Roni Van Dorsselaer 13605
Karel Meijfroidt 20350

## SYSTEM SUMMARY

Majors of 5 and ♦ of 4

## SPECIAL BIDS THAT MAY REQUIRE DEFENSE

## SPECIAL FORCING PASS SEQUENCES

## IMPORTANT NOTES

**PSYCHICS:**

| OPENING | TICK IF ARTIFICIAL | MIN. NO. OF CARDS | NEG.DBL THRU | DESCRIPTION | RESPONSES | SUBSEQUENT ACTION | COMPETITION |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1♣ | | 2 | X | 12-19 HP, no 5-card major | Natural or 2♥/♠= 6krt ♥/♠ and <6hp<br>Inverted minor (not after overcall) | | |
| | | | | | | | |
| 1♦ | | 4 | X | 12-19 HP, no 5-card major | Natural or 2♥/♠= 6krt ♥/♠ and <6hp<br>Inverted minor (not after overcall) | | |
| | | | | | | | |
| 1♥ | | 5 | X | 12-19 HP, 5+card ♥ | 1♠ = 4+ card ♠ and 6+ hp, 1NT (til 10 hp) | | |
| | | | | | 2NT fit en forcing with 11+ hp | after 2NT: 3♥=11-12hp, 4♥=13, 3♣=14-16, 3♦=17/18, 3♠=19 | |
| 1♠ | | 5 | X | 12-19 HP, 5+card ♠ | 1NT (til 10 hp) | | |
| | | | | | 2NT fit en forcing with 11+ hp | after 2NT: 3♥=11-12hp, 4♥=13, 3♣=14-16, 3♦=17/18, 3♠=19 | |
| IZT | | | X | 15-17 HP, 5-4-2-2 possible | 2♣ : stayman, can be weak,<br>2zt : 9+hp niemeyer | after 2♣, rebid 2NT = 8 or 9 hp | |
| 2♣ | X | | X | Semi-forcing with 8 - 9 tricks (one or two color suits) or weak with ♦ | 2♦ relay mandatory | ♣, ♦, ♥, ♠ : 8-9 tricks | |
| | | | | | | | |
| 2♦ | X | | X | Strongest bid | 2♥ relay mandatory | NT = 23+hp and after this 3♣ = niemeyer | |
| | | | | | | | |
| 2♥ | | 6 | X | 6-11 HP, min 6+card ♥ | | | |
| | | | | | | | |
| 2♠ | | 6 | X | 6-11 HP, min 6+card ♠ | | | |
| | | | | | | | |
| 2ZT | | | X | 20-22HP, 5-4-2-2 possible | 3♣: niemeyer, 3NT = 5♠ and 4♥ | | |
| | | | | | 3♦ = transfer towards ♥ | after 3♥ by opener,3♠ ≠ 4card ♠,3nt = 4card ♠ | |
| 3♣ | | 7 | | Preempt 7+card ♣ | | | |
| 3♦ | | 7 | | Preempt 7+card ♦ | | | |
| 3♥ | | 7 | | Preempt 7+card ♥ | | | |
| 3♠ | | 7 | | Preempt 7+card ♠ | | | |
| 3ZT | | | | Gambling (with closed 7+card minor) | | | |
| 4♣ | | 7 | | Preempt 7+card ♣ | | | |
| 4♦ | | 7 | | Preempt 7+card ♦ | | | |
| 4♥ | | 7 | | Preempt 7+card ♥ | | | |
| 4♠ | | 7 | | Preempt 7+card ♠ | | | |
| 4ZT | | | | | | | |
| 5♣ | | 7 | | Preempt 7+card ♣ | | **BIDDING OP HIGH LEVELS** | |
| 5♦ | | 7 | | Preempt 7+card ♦ | | Roman Key Card blackwood: 14, 30, 2 without Q, 2 with Q | |
| 5♥ | | 7 | | Preempt 7+card ♥ | | | |
| 5♠ | | 7 | | Preempt 7+card ♠ | | | |