

Answers two suited overcalls

1) 3C 2) 4H (3H if u r timid) 3) Pass

4) 2D

5) 1Sp....NB in general you cant show *any* two suiters only the minors or majors.

It is true that 2NT can be used to show the *lower two suits* So the opening bid was (say) 1D then 2NT would show Diamonds and hearts. But that wont help you here.

B.T.W. –dare I say it every bridge player has heard of the unusual 2 No Trump to show the minors ; as for 2NT to be used to show the lower 2 suits... ? well tournament players know it BUT I would not bet that your average player would recognise your intentions. Better not to use it with an average partner !

6) Pass. What more is there to say ?

7) 2C an example of weak stayman showing 5-4 in majs and 0-10 pts

8) pass. Partner has bid a weak stayman this time

9) Play the 9 hrts to show u like the lead.

On the Q diamonds you should cover an hon with an hon (that is advice for defenders nor declarers). Even if your K is headed by declarers ace then you have effectively prevented declarer making the Q + Ace separately.

10) (i) easiest method is to ruff a heart in dummy. Viz win Ace hrts , play K Hrts , ruff a heart,. Draw trumps

(ii) same actually as above.

(i) win Ace hrts (ii) lead a heart and lose it (creating a void in hearts in dummy as u do so); win return and trump a heart in dummy.After all of that , then start drawing trumps.

NB if in either 10(i) or 10 (ii) you first started drawing trumps ...then you will go down.