

Fall 2017 Bridge Lessons

FUNDAMENTAL I ~ INTRODUCTION TO BRIDGE

Never played bridge? Then this is the time for you to learn bridge! We will start at the beginning and you can join your friends for a game of bridge at the end.

⇒ **Begins Thu Sep 21st at 10am-12pm with Sharon**

Sep 21st, Oct 5th, 12th, 19th, 26th, Nov 2nd, 9th, 30th

⇒ **Begins Mon Sep 25th 6:30pm-8:30pm with Jane**

Sep 25th, Oct 2nd, 16th, 23rd, 30th, Nov 6th, 13th, 20th

⇒ **Begins Mon Oct 23rd at 10am-12pm with Sharon**

Oct 23rd, 30th, Nov 6th, 13th, 27th, Dec 4th, 11th, 18th

FUNDAMENTAL II ~ MODERN BIDDING

Played bridge long ago? Then this class was designed just for you. Modern Hand Evaluation, Rebids, Stayman, Jacoby Transfers, Overcalls and Takeout Doubles will get you ready to bid in the Modern Game!

⇒ **Begins Mon Dec 4th at 6:30pm-8:30pm with Jane *NEW***

Dec 4th, 11th, 18th, Jan 8th, 15th, 22nd, 29th, Feb 5th

FUNDAMENTAL III ~ PLAY OF THE HAND

OK. Now that we are bidding more...we have to work on taking more tricks! This course will focus on the fundamental play techniques including counting losers, long-suit development, finesses, trump management and more!

⇒ **Begins Fri Nov 10th at 10am-12pm with Susan *NEW***

Nov 10th, 17th, Dec 1st, 8th, 15th, Jan 12th, 19th, 26th

FUNDAMENTAL IV ~ DEFENSE

Hate it when the opponents make a contract, and you think you should have set it? Well, this class will teach you the fundamental defensive techniques you need to slow your opponents down. Opening leads to signals will be covered.

⇒ **Begins Tue Oct 24th at 10am-12pm with Sharon**

Oct 24th, 31st, Nov 7th, 14th, 28th, Dec 5th, 12th, 19th

⇒ **Begins Tue Nov 7th at 6:30-8:30pm with Jane *NEW***

Nov 7th, 14th, 21st, Dec 12th, 19th, Jan 9th, 16th, 23rd

INTERMEDIATE I ~ PREEMPTS & SLAM BIDDING

If you've got the basics under your belt and are ready to add more tools to your tool box, these classes are for you! Explore the world of weak and strong hands along with play and defense techniques to up your game! Trick 1 declarer play, planning the defense, counting losers in a trump contract and common sense defense are also examined in this 10-week course.

⇒ **Begins Mon Oct 23rd at 10am-12pm with Susan**

Oct 23rd, 30th, Nov 6th, 13th, 20th, 27th, Dec 4th, 11th, 18th, Jan 8th

INTERMEDIATE IV ~ DOUBLES, CUEBIDS AND MORE

It's now time for Negative Doubles, Michaels Cuebids, Inverted Minors and Drury. Add in discarding, endplays, loser on loser and 3rd hand exceptions and you will have a well, rounded game in this 10-week course.

⇒ **Begins Thu Oct 19th at 10am-12pm with Susan**

Oct 19th, 26th, Nov 2nd, 9th, 16th, 30th, Dec 7th, 14th, Jan 11th, 18th

ADVANCED I ~ 2/1 GAME & ADVANCED DOUBLES

You've worked through the Intermediate Courses, and now it's time to kick it up a level with 2/1 game force, forcing 1NT, advanced doubles, 4th round losers, strip endplays and using dummy on defense in this 8 Week Course.

⇒ **Begins Tue Oct 17th 10am-12pm with Susan**

Oct 17th, 24th, 31st, Nov 14th, 21st, 28th, Dec 12th, 19th

**NOTE: Minimum of five students required per class.
Bring your friends!!**

Weekly 49er Games

(Partners Needed - E-mail BANDNewbie@mindspring.com)

Mini Lesson ~ Ask questions ~ Review after game

Monday, Wednesday, Friday at 12:30pm

Sunday at 1:30pm

New in November—Wednesday at 6:30pm

Weekly Play & Learn Games

No Partners Needed!

Monday at 6:30pm

Tuesday at 12:30pm

Wednesday at 9:30am

~ See Syllabi for Topics and Dates ~

\$40/Class with BAND's ACBL Certified Instructors / \$50/Class with Donna Compton / BAND Patron 30% Discount for all classes
Multiple Class Discount * Retakes 1/2 Price! * Intro Retakes FREE