

Class Schedule for Sea Breeze and Odell

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Thursday Sea Breeze Novice & Newcomer Lessons (9am until 11am)

Date	Class	Instructor	Email
	Learn to Play Bridge - Beginner's Course wk 1	Mary Jo Sergent	learnbetterbridge@aol.com
	This Course is designed to take absolute beginners through the first stages of learning how to play the game up to where they are comfortable in either a social bridge or a duplicate bridge setting and can enjoy playing with friends just for fun, or can begin to take part in competitive sessions. No previous knowledge is necessary, although enjoying cards games or a challenge is always a help.		
05/09/19	Learn to Play Bridge - Beginner's Course wk 6	Mary Jo Sergent	learnbetterbridge@aol.com
05/16/19	Learn to Play Bridge - Beginner's Course wk 7	Mary Jo Sergent	learnbetterbridge@aol.com
05/23/19	Learn to Play Bridge - Beginner's Course wk 8	Mary Jo Sergent	learnbetterbridge@aol.com
05/30/19	Learn to Play Bridge - Beginner's Course wk 9	Mary Jo Sergent	learnbetterbridge@aol.com
06/06/19	Learn to Play Bridge - Beginner's Course wk 10	Mary Jo Sergent	learnbetterbridge@aol.com
06/13/19	Learn to Play Bridge - Beginner's Course wk 11	Mary Jo Sergent	learnbetterbridge@aol.com
06/20/19	Learn to Play Bridge - Beginner's Course wk 12	Mary Jo Sergent	learnbetterbridge@aol.com

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Tuesday Odell Intermediate & Advanced Lessons (8:45am until 10:45am)

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05/07/19	Fourth Suit Forcing This class will consider the use of the convention of making a fourth suit bid by your side into a 'Forcing' bid and whether or not that should be for a single round of bidding or to game. It would be good to take this with a regular or potential partner as how to treat the fourth suit is a partnership preference based on several factors.	Colleen Treanor	ctreanor5@gmail.com
05/28/19	Strategies for playing NT hands What is it that makes some players so much better at being succesful when in a NT contract than others? This class will offer some very useful strategies on improving your outcome when you play these types of hands.	Russ Pearly	rousel51@yahoo.com
06/04/19	The Drury Convention	TBD	
06/11/19	Jacoby 2NT and Splinter Bids This class will cover the whole aspect of the correct use of the Jacoby 2NT convention. There is an awful lot more than just bidding 2NT after your parner opens and you have game going values and support!	Russ Pearly	rousel51@yahoo.com
06/18/19	Cue Bids...their context and use There are many instances where cue bidding an opponents suit can transmit valuable information to your own partner. However, to be of use you must recognize and place the bid into context. This class will explain and give examples of how this form of bidding can be of real use.	Rich Seidman	rasedman@gmail.com
06/25/19	Puppet, Crawling and Garbage Stayman; Texas Transfers	Russ Pearly	rousel51@yahoo.com

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	<p>You've probably heard of garbage and crawling Stayman but now you'll learn what's the difference between the two, when do you use them and what are the advantages of using them. You'll learn what a Texas transfer is and why would you use a 4 level transfer as opposed to a 2 level transfer. There are advantages. You'll also learn what puppet Stayman is, when do you use it, what are the advantages of using it and what are the subsequent follow up bids.</p>		