

## Course Outline

### **IMPROVERS BRIDGE - YEAR 3**

*Suitable for: Students / players with 3 years or more experience.*

*Commences on Wednesday 14th October for 8 weeks, no lesson on 28<sup>th</sup> October*

*Lesson Time: 0945 – 1215*

*The course will be taken by Brian Osmond, a fully qualified English Bridge Union teacher, and will comprise 3 x 8-week Terms. Fee £100 per Term*

*Each week a presentation will be given on a specified topic incorporating question and answer sessions; following the presentation students will bid and play prepared hands on the chosen topic.*

#### **Term 1 No Trump Contracts**

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| <u>Week 1</u> | 1NT opening bids, and after.                |
| <u>Week 2</u> | 1NT X and after                             |
| <u>Week 3</u> | No Trump rebids and after                   |
| <u>Week 4</u> | Managing the cards - Declarer               |
| <u>Week 5</u> | Declarer's Plan                             |
| <u>Week 6</u> | Defence against NT contracts; Opening leads |
| <u>Week 7</u> | The card to lead. Rule of Eleven            |
| <u>Week 8</u> | Following suit; signals, and discards       |

Topics chosen may vary from the above dependent on students' needs