
SHARPEN YOUR BRIDGE



FOR NEWER & ADVANCING BRIDGE PLAYERS

Fort Collins
Saturday October 24,
2026

Noon Check In
Play 12:30-3:30

Fort Collins Bridge Center
1330 Oakridge Drive
Garden Level

Price **\$10** per player
Cash or Check

Next date: February 27, 2027

[Two Over One Bidding Workshop
Sat April 10, 2027]

Practice playing **Standard American**
hands to improve your game.

Play your choice of over 60 prepared hands
with a Coach at your table. Hands cover
topics from SAYC (*Standard American Yellow
Card*). A Hand Analysis document will be
provided that includes bidding and playing
tips for each hand.

To aid in placing you with players of
similar skill level or with other specific
players and assigning a Coach, please fill
out accompanying questionnaire and
register by October 19.

To register or questions, please contact one of us:

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Sharpen Your Bridge Placement Questionnaire

In order to make your experience at the **Sharpen Your Bridge Event on October 24, 2026** successful for you, we have developed this questionnaire to aid in placing you with players of similar skill level.

We are assuming you play Standard American (represented by Standard American Yellow Card, SAYC).

Check which Topics/Conventions you play and want to practice at Sharpen Your Bridge. Can add Comments.

TOPIC	CHK	COMMENTS
Basic 1-level Opening Suit Bids & Responses		
No Trump Opening Bids & Responses		
Stayman Convention Response to 1 NT Opener		
Jacoby Transfer Convention Response to 1 NT Opener		
Competitive Bidding:		
Overcalls		
Cuebid for limit raise or better		
Takeout Doubles		
Negative Doubles		
Responsive Doubles		
Strong Bids:		
Strong 2 Club Opener & Responses		
Blackwood Ace-Asking for Suit Contracts		
Gerber Ace-Asking for No Trump Contracts		
1430 Roman Key Card Blackwood Ace-Asking plus K and Q of Trump Key Cards for Suit Contracts		
Weak Bids:		
Preempts & Responses		
Weak Two Bids (opening 2D, 2H, 2S) & Responses		
More Conventions:		
Jacoby 2NT Game Force Response to 1S/1H Opener		
Michaels Cuebid for two-suited hands		
Unusual 2NT for two-suited hands		
Balancing in Pass Out Seat		
Drury/Reverse Drury		
Playing the Hand Strategies		
Other:		

Are you attending with others you want to play with? Partner Name _____

Your Name _____ Email _____ Phone _____

Other Names _____

Please return form as email attachment or in person or mail to:

Fort Collins Bridge Center, c/o Sharpen Your Bridge, 1330 Oakridge Dr, Ste #10, Fort Collins, CO 80525.