

Defensive Carding Techniques

with

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Session 1: Introduction to Carding: Definitions, Purposes, Classifications, Basics, Protocol & Examples. This interactive seminar will be of interest to newer players, keeners, recent partnerships and individuals who wish to bring their defensive game up to another level. Some application hands are built in so you can practice what was preached. You will be on defense for half of your bridge life, why not make the most of it?

Session 2: Will build on from the Introduction & offer a more advanced approach to Defensive Carding with innovative techniques that are used at the higher levels of competitive bridge. This second seminar will be of interest to serious students, Life Masters (or near Life Masters) and tournament players who want to adopt more complex methods in order to simplify their table play, solidify their decision-making, and arrive at good bridge scores. Some example play hands will also be included.

Session 3: Will complete the troika with an emphasis on hidden cards, suit preference drills and false carding to offer an advanced approach to deception and card reading with state-of-the-art techniques that are prominent in competitive duplicate circles. This third seminar will be of interest to all serious players, who want to take a step forward and strengthen their defensive table play over time. Practice play included.