

Advanced Beginner Class Offered by Jane and Agnes

3 sets of classes in the series broken into 3 sections: Bidding, Play of the Hand, Defense

Tuesdays 1-3:30 p.m.

Starting: September 22, 2026- March 30, 2027

Cost is \$300 upfront (due first day of class) or \$100 per section. (Check or cash)

Required book. **KANTAR BRIDGE LESSONS I** by Edwin B. Kantar revised by Barbara Seagram 2026 book. Book is available from Baron Barclay or Barbara Seagram's Webstore USA

Prerequisite: Successful completion of Jim Ricker's 2/1 Beginning Bridge 20-week class or the equivalent (assessed by Agnes or Jane).

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Tuesdays	Lesson	Chapters	Topics
1-3:30 p.m.			BIDDING
September 22	1	1	Hand Evaluation & Revaluation
September 29	2	2	Common Bidding Errors
October 6	3	3	The Weak Two & Strong 2 Club Opening Bids
October 13	4	4	The Jacoby Transfer
October 20	5	5	Responding to a Takeout Double
October 27	6	6	Modern Uses of the Cuebid
November 3	7	7	Slam Bidding at Suit Contracts
November 10	8	8	Slam bidding at Notrump Contracts
November 17	Bonus	Review	Review all the above
Winter / Holiday Break			
1-3:30 p.m.	Lesson		Play
January 5	9	9	Counting the Hand
January 12	10	10	Placing the Opponents' Honors
January 19	11	11	To Finesse or Not to Finesse
January 26	12	12	More Techniques of Finessing
February 2	13	13	Deception in Declarer Play
February 9	14	14	Long Suit Establishment in Suit Contracts
February 16	15	15	Planning a Strip and End Play
1-3:30 p.m.			DEFENSE
February 23	16	16	Opening leads versus Suit Contracts
March 2	17	17	Leads versus Notrump
March 9	18	18	Defense-- Counting Declarer's Tricks
March 16	19	19	Third Hand Play
March 23	20	20	Discarding
March 30	21	21	Signaling At Suit Contracts