# **BAND Intermediate/Newcomer Programs**

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# INTERMEDIATE/NEWCOMER GAMES

# PLay & Learn Games

No partner Needed

Monday 6:30-9pm Tuesday12:30-3:00pm Wednesday 9:30am-12pm BPM: \$10 \* Non-BPM: \$14

- Certified Instructor answers questions
- Duplicated hands for handrecord review
- Use bridge notes
- Talk about hands
- Scoring for practice only

### **Lesson Games**

No partner Needed ~ Reservations Recommended

## Thursday 12:30pm

12 Hands in 2.5 Hours BPM: \$14 \* Non-BPM: \$20

- Everyone plays same hands at same time
- Theme lesson hands designed by Donna
- Annotated hand records
- Certified Instructor answers questions
- FREE play on first visit
- Bring a new friend ~ you both play FREE

# **Newbie Pairs** ~ **Intro to Duplicate**

No Partner Needed ~ Reservations Recommended

# Sunday 1:30pm

14-16 Hands in 2.5 Hours BPM: \$10 \* Non-BPM: \$14

- Mini Lesson 30 minutes before game time.
- Certified Instructor answers questions
- One question per board
- FREE Play on first visit
- Bring a new friend ~ you both play FREE

Free Cards for 0-5 players stamped at each game! Get a FREE PLAY after 5 stamped games!

# FUNDAMENTAL COURSES

BAND Lessons are Taught by Better Bridge Certified Instructors.

All Courses are Designed by World Champion & Master Teacher Donna Compton.

# Intro to Bridge

Designed for students who have had no exposure to bridge. This class includes an overview of the basic elements of bridge.

Starting with a deck of cards has 52 cards,
Play mechanics and an introduction to basic Bidding, play and defense.

## **Modern Bidding**

Designed for students who have a <u>basic</u> understanding of bridge.

Course includes an overview of modern bidding, including a transition from Goren to modern style, Stayman, Jacoby Transfers overcalls, takeout doubles and more...

## Play of the Hand

Designed for students who are bidding more and need the play techniques to make the bids!

Declarer's Plan, When to Pull Trump, Long Suit Development, Discarding, Trumping and more...

#### Defense

Designed for the students who are ready to take more tricks on defense!

Opening Leads vs
Notrump/Suit Contract, 3rd
Hand and 2nd Hand
Exceptions, Attitude,
Count and Suit Preference
Signals, Defensive Plan,
and more.

#### All Around Game

Designed for the students who is ready for a review of the first four fundamental courses.

Each lesson will explore fundamental bidding, play and defense. Four lesson hands are included with every class and more...

The BAND Team loves our new players. Please join us for a Play & Learn, Lesson Games and Newbie Pairs in the near future! Contact BANDNewbie@mindspring.com for more information.