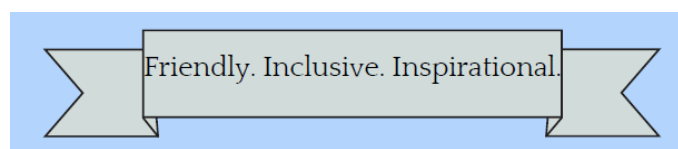
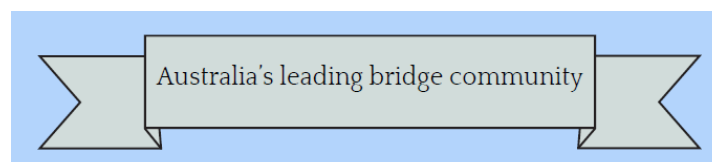


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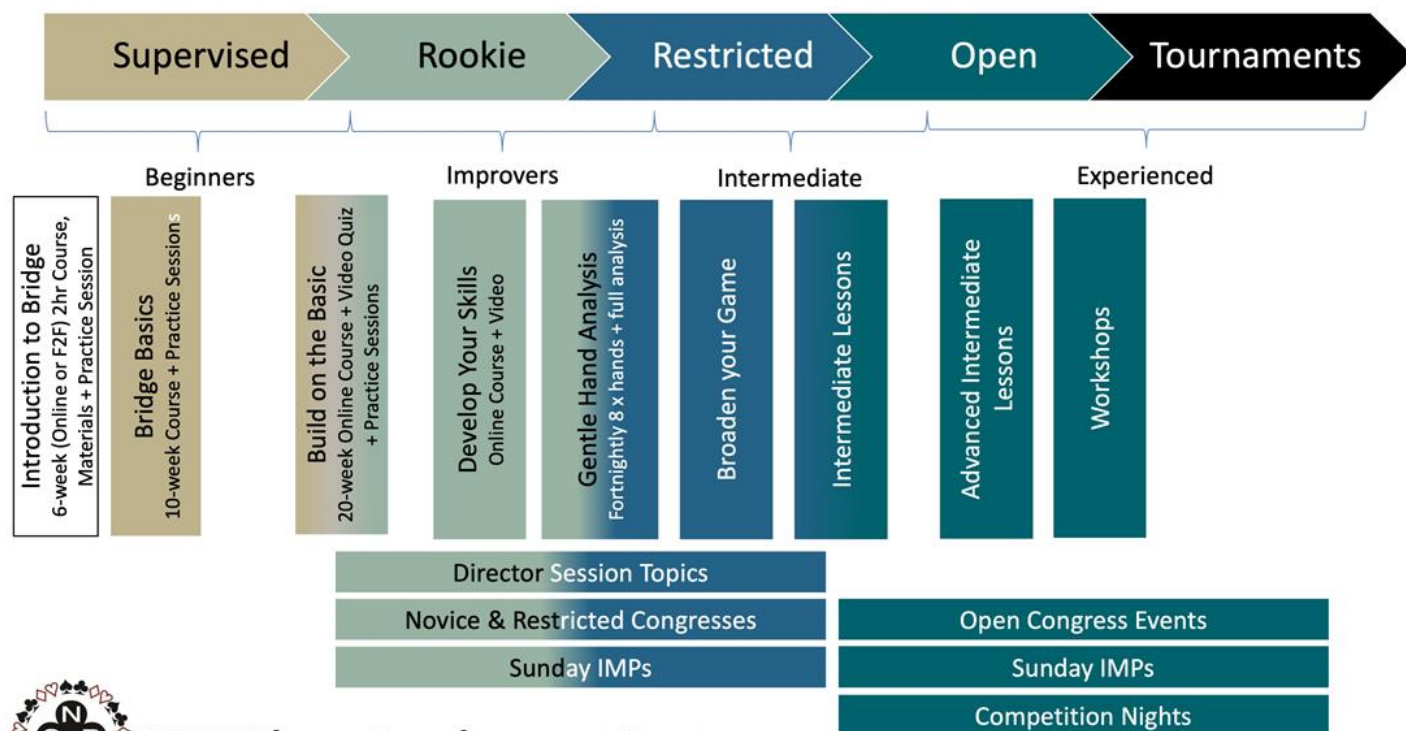
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How do our Lessons and our playing sessions relate?



## NSBC Player Development Strategy

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### Beginners

New players start with the 6-week “Introduction to Bridge” that is designed to teach participants the mechanics of playing Bridge, as well as giving them an understanding of basic bidding and play. The 10-week “Bridge Basics” follows, expanding on the basic concepts taught in the first 6 weeks, and introducing some new ideas.

With this beginner program complete, ideally players now spend some time playing Supervised Bridge and consolidating what they have learnt so far. When they are ready, their next set of lessons is “Build on the Basics”. This is an ideal course for Bridge players who are returning to the game after a long break. By the end of “Build on the Basics”, most players have moved up to playing in the Rookie game.

### Improvers

For Improvers we offer Develop Your Skills and Gentle Hand Analysis, aimed at players who have completed “Build on the Basics”, and / or been playing Bridge for at least a year. Bidding, defence and declarer play are all targeted, and Hand Analysis is used to consolidate these skills. These players will be thinking about moving up from Rookie to Restricted play.

### Intermediate

The “Broaden Your Skills” program advances the concepts and ideas learnt at the Improver level, and participants will typically be aspiring to playing in the Open game.

### Director Teaching

Talks are given by the directors before some of the sessions, see below.

## Beginners: "Introduction to Bridge"

# INTRODUCTION TO BRIDGE

## LESSON

- 2 hour online lesson via Zoom on Tuesday mornings at 9:30am.
- Watch the lesson live, or watch the recording whenever you want.
- IT Support available for all.
- No partner required
- Come and join in.
- Course starts September 13th.

Only  
**\$150**

6 week  
course

2hr lessons  
and  
supervised  
play each  
week

## SUPERVISED PLAY AND PRACTICE

Later in the week, we have a supervised practice session where you can play hands yourself, using your camera and mic to see and chat to the other players at your table.

## WHAT OUR PAST PARTICIPANTS HAVE SAID....

"I was worried about the technical stuff, but they helped me with everything."

"I have played with some lovely people, we have lots of laughs and real catch-ups over a coffee."

"Being able to replay the lessons has been a huge help when I've missed a week, or just want to watch it again".

"Everyone has encouraged us to have a go and not made us feel useless. "

"I was a reluctant participant in the online course, but I have loved it!".

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## Beginners: Introduction to Bridge

Continuing from August 15<sup>th</sup>:

### Introduction to Bridge with Liz Wilkinson



#### The Lessons

This initial course of 6-lessons is designed to teach participants the mechanics of playing Bridge, as well as giving them an understanding of basic bidding and play. Lesson notes and sample hands will be sent out each week.

#### The Practice sessions

Each week there also be a Practice session where participants can play a selection of hands that are suited to the week's lesson.

This course started on August 15<sup>th</sup>, 2022: Monday mornings at 10am, and it runs through to late September.

Lindfield Rollers Bowling Club, 2b Carlyle Road, East Lindfield.

There is a fixed fee of \$150 to cover the lessons and the Practice sessions.

For more information email Kay Moyes on [moves\\_kay@hotmail.com](mailto:moves_kay@hotmail.com)

And starting on September 13<sup>th</sup>, we have:

### Introduction to Bridge with Anita Curtis



#### The Lessons

This initial course of 6-lessons is designed to teach participants the mechanics of playing Bridge, as well as giving them an understanding of basic bidding and play. Lesson notes and sample hands will be sent out each week.

#### The Practice sessions

Each week there also be a Practice session where participants can play a selection of hands that are suited to the week's lesson.

Starting September 13<sup>th</sup>, 2022: Tuesday mornings at 9:30am.

The lesson is delivered via Zoom, and a link to the recorded lesson is supplied. The Practice sessions are run using [RealBridge](#) - a platform that uses your camera & mic so that you can see your tablemates and chat to them.

There is a fixed fee of \$150 to cover the lessons and the Practice sessions.

For more information email Kay Moyes on [moyes\\_kay@hotmail.com](mailto:moyes_kay@hotmail.com)

## Improvers: "Build on the Basics"

**Build on the Basics – with Jessica Brake**

These lessons are suitable for those who have been playing for around 3 months – 1 year or have come back to bridge after a long break.

There are 20 topics in total – upcoming topics are listed below. Attend all lessons, or just the ones that interest you!

DATE	TOPIC
Sep 1 <sup>st</sup>	Responder's first priorities
Sep 8 <sup>th</sup>	Opener's 2 <sup>nd</sup> bid – "I can't support you!"
Sep 15 <sup>th</sup>	Leads against suit contracts
Sep 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Responder's NT bids
Sep 29 <sup>th</sup>	Managing entries and Review

For information or to sign up email [jessicabrakebridge@gmail.com](mailto:jessicabrakebridge@gmail.com)



Join "live" on Zoom –  
**Thursdays 9:30 to 11:30 am**  
OR watch in your own time!

Each week you will be sent:

- 1) Recording of the lesson
- 2) Lesson notes
- 3) Quiz (most weeks)

## Improvers: Build on the Basics Hand Analysis

**Build on the Basics Hand Analysis – with Jessica Brake**

Jessica is running a fortnightly Hand Analysis, for those that have completed the Build on the Basics lessons.

These sessions are designed to refresh and revise the concepts taught in the lessons.

Date	Activity
Sep 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Build on the Basics Hand Analysis
Sep 16 <sup>th</sup>	Build on the Basics Hand Analysis
Sep 30 <sup>th</sup>	Build on the Basics Hand Analysis

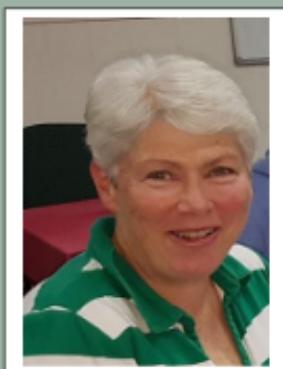


Join "live" on Zoom –  
**Fridays 2:00pm to 4pm**  
OR watch in your own time!

Improvers: “Develop Your skills (DYS)”

## NSBC Develop Your Skills Sept-Oct 2022 Program with Anita Curtis

Online Wednesdays at 9.30am



**Develop Your Skills (DYS)** is for players who have completed the Build on the Basics course or who have been playing for at least one year. Bidding, declarer play & defence are targeted, with hand analysis to consolidate skills. Lessons will be held **on-line on Wednesday mornings at 9.30am**

Date	Lesson Topic
Wed Sep 14	How do I play this suit? (Declarer play)
Wed Sep 21	Advancer's Options (Bidding)
Wed Sep 28	Unblocking (Defence)
Wed Oct 5	Hand Analysis 2 (all skills)
Wed Oct 12	Cross ruffing (Declarer play)

**Visitors \$20; Members \$17**

For more information or to register,  
email Anita: [ac210927@bigpond.net.au](mailto:ac210927@bigpond.net.au)

## Improvers / Intermediate: Gentle Hand Analysis (GHA)

**NSBC Gentle Hand Analysis**  
**Sept/Oct 2022 Program ONLINE WEDNESDAYS at 2pm**  
**with Anita Curtis**



Gentle hand analysis consolidates everything learnt in improvers and introduces new ideas through hand analysis. Defence, declarer play & bidding are all targeted by examining 8 new hands each fortnight.

Date	Lesson Topic
Wed Sept 14	Gentle Hand Analysis 11
Wed Sept 28	Gentle Hand Analysis 12
Wed Oct 12	Gentle Hand Analysis 13

**Visitors \$20; Members \$17**

For more information or to register,  
email Anita: [ac210927@bigpond.net.au](mailto:ac210927@bigpond.net.au)

## Intermediate: Broaden Your Game (BYG)

**NSBC Intermediate August 2022 Program**  
**Online Fridays at 9:30am with Anita Curtis**



**Broaden Your Game (BYG):** for aspiring Intermediate players who play in Rookies or Restricted.

**Intermediate:** for aspiring Open players, or those with considerable experience in Restricted.

The lesson is recorded and can be watched or re-watched at your leisure.


Date	Lesson Topic	Description
<b>Friday, 9<sup>th</sup> Sept</b>	Competitive bidding with negative doubles	How do you show a 4-card major at the 2 level when the opponents intervene? What are the follow up bids? Bidding only.


**Visitors \$20, Members \$17**

**For more information, or to register:**  
**Email Anita Curtis at: [ac210927@bigpond.net.au](mailto:ac210927@bigpond.net.au)**

## Director Teaching pre-game

Come early for face-to-face pre-session talks with Tips, Hints and Analysis to help players.

TUESDAY	East Lindfield *	1:30pm	4:00pm	Rookies	John Newman
 <p><b>John Newman</b></p>		<p><i>* This East Lindfield session will be run by John Newman. There will be a free 30-minute lesson from 1.30pm till 2.00pm. Then 18 boards played finishing around 4.00pm. John is a very experienced bridge player and a great presenter of lessons. This is well worth coming along to, so please join John on Tuesdays at 1.30pm at East Lindfield.</i></p>			

WEDNESDAY	East Lindfield #	10:00am	1:00pm	Restricted and Rookies	Sue Crompton
 <p><b>Sue Crompton</b></p>		<p><i># The Director will be running a 15-minute free lesson at 9.45am on Wednesdays at East Lindfield, before the duplicate game at 10.00am. All attending will receive notes on the lesson to take home and study at your leisure. Please come along. All players will get something out of the lesson to improve your game.</i></p>			



## Supervised Play Sessions



Jenny Barnes



Allan Pike



Ann Pettigrew



June Straw



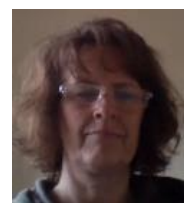
Sandra da Silva



Kay Moyes



Liz Wilkinson



Fiona Lavery

### Regular Supervised sessions

These games are ably led by directors Jenny Barnes and Allan Pike, and their team of helpers (Ann Pettigrew, June Straw, Sandra da Silva, Fiona Lavery, Kay Moyes and Liz Wilkinson). New players are most welcome, no partner needed. Here, our newest players can enjoy playing duplicate Bridge in a fun environment, with the safety of knowing that help is always at hand.

There are 4 options for Supervised play:

#### Face-to-face at East Lindfield:

- Mondays at 6:45 for 7pm, with a short talk first.

#### Online with RealBridge:

- Tuesdays at 10am.
- Wednesdays at 7pm.
- Thursdays at 7pm.

## RealBridge Practice Sessions

[The link to the practice sessions entry Page](#)

Practice sessions are created each week, allowing students to return and replay hands presented in both the teaching courses and Supervised games. This page is **refreshed regularly**.

## Current social media - NSBC Teaching Posts



Online via Zoom

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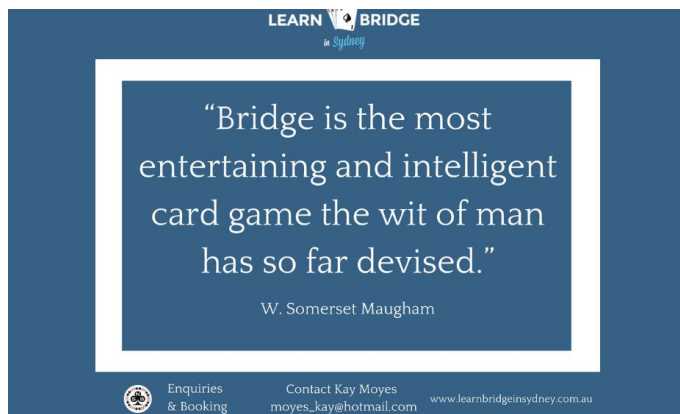
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