

WITH CETETIFED BETTETE PIZACTICES INSTITUCTOR TOBEY ROLAND

Mondays, January 26 - February 16 10:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Members \$60, Guests \$80

Call 410.358.6856 to register

Beginning concepts are a foundation for advanced play. Basic card awareness and simple counting are fundamental. Bridge is a partnership game involving descriptions of one's cards involving the strength and concentration of cards within one or more suits. This class will focus on established logical descriptive systems leading the way towards competency and dependability as a bridge partner and player. Bridge is a game of risk and reward. This class will strengthen partnerships, sharpen acumen about when to shoot for higher scores or take appropriate sacrifices denying opponents' higher scores.

This class is for beginners but we will be playing some actual bridge starting on Day 1, because you will be ready to play and will learn from playing. Students will rapidly acclimate to online resources, free and sanctioned game play and tutorials online. A tablet or cell phone is enough to get going online. Specific conventions to be discussed, if not mastered, will include Stayman, Jacoby Two No Trump, cue-bids, doubles, discard systems, Lebensohl, Cappelletti, DONT, Ogust, RKC, Bergen, transfers, etc., with flexibility depending on participants' interests, priorities and ability to comprehend and advance.