

CONVENTIONAL WISDOM

2023 EDUCATIONAL SERIES L.B.A. PRESENTATION

Need help completing an ACBL Convention Card??

The L.B.A. will hold a 2-hour lesson regarding the new 2023 CONVENTION CARD.

- Review Terminology
- Know what the “Red” and “Blue” notations mean
- Review ACBL rules and requirements regarding C.C.
- Complete a card for use at future games and tournaments

DATE: Saturday, February 25th

TIME: 9:30am to noon

FEE: \$10 a person

INSTRUCTOR: Kathy Plauche

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| DOUBLES Negative <input type="checkbox"/> Thru _____ Penalty <input type="checkbox"/> Responsive <input type="checkbox"/> Thru _____ Maximal <input type="checkbox"/> Support <input type="checkbox"/> Thru _____ Rdbl <input type="checkbox"/> T/O Style _____ Other Conv _____ | | NT OVERCALLS 1NT Direct _____ to _____ Systems On <input type="checkbox"/> Conv <input type="checkbox"/> 1NT Balance _____ to _____ Systems On <input type="checkbox"/> Conv <input type="checkbox"/> Jump to 2NT: 2 Lowest Unbid <input type="checkbox"/> Other 2 Suits _____ | | Name _____ ACBL# _____ Name _____ ACBL# _____ | |
| OVERCALLS 1 Lvl _____ to _____ Often 4 Cards <input type="checkbox"/> 2 Lvl _____ to _____ Jump Overcalls: Wk <input type="checkbox"/> Int <input type="checkbox"/> Str <input type="checkbox"/> Conv <input type="checkbox"/> Responses New Suit: Frc <input type="checkbox"/> NFConst <input type="checkbox"/> NF <input type="checkbox"/> Jump Raise: Wk <input type="checkbox"/> Mixed <input type="checkbox"/> Inv <input type="checkbox"/> Frc <input type="checkbox"/> Cuebid Shows Support <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ | | VS. 1NT Vs. _____ > _____ Vs. _____ < _____ Dbl _____ Dbl _____ 2♣ _____ 2♣ _____ 2♦ _____ 2♦ _____ 2♥ _____ 2♥ _____ 2♠ _____ 2♠ _____ 2NT _____ 2NT _____ Other _____ | | OVERVIEW Standard American <input type="checkbox"/> 2 over 1 GF <input type="checkbox"/> Except _____ Very Light: Openings <input type="checkbox"/> (Bal Min _____+) Responses <input type="checkbox"/> 3 rd Hand <input type="checkbox"/> Preempts <input type="checkbox"/> Frc Open: 1♣ <input type="checkbox"/> 2♣ <input type="checkbox"/> 2♦ <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ 1NT: Strong <input type="checkbox"/> Weak <input type="checkbox"/> Variable <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| DIRECT CUEBIDS Versus: Quasi/Art <input type="checkbox"/> Nat <input type="checkbox"/> ♥♠ <input type="checkbox"/> Michaels <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Natural <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Strong T/O <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Other 2 Suits <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Describe _____ Resp _____ | | VS. TAKEOUT DBL New Suit Frc: 1 Lvl <input type="checkbox"/> 2 Lvl <input type="checkbox"/> Tfr <input type="checkbox"/> Jump Shift: Wk <input type="checkbox"/> Inv <input type="checkbox"/> Frc <input type="checkbox"/> Fit <input type="checkbox"/> Rdbl: 10+ <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ 2NT Over: Nat <input type="checkbox"/> Raise <input type="checkbox"/> Range _____ ♥♠ <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> _____ to _____ Other _____ | | MINORS 1♣ Min Length: 5♦ 4♦ 3♦ 2♦ (4=4=3=2 only) NF 1♦ NF 0♦ Frc Art _____ Responses (Transfers <input type="checkbox"/>) Bypass 4+♦ <input type="checkbox"/> 1♦ Neg <input type="checkbox"/> _____ 1NT _____ to _____ 2NT _____ to _____ 3NT _____ to _____ Other _____ | |
| VS. PREEMPT 2NT Overcall _____ T/O Dbl Thru _____ Penalty <input type="checkbox"/> 2NT Lebensohl Resp <input type="checkbox"/> _____ Conv T/O <input type="checkbox"/> _____ Cuebid _____ Jump Overcalls _____ Other _____ | | 3 LVL Style (Seat/Vul) _____ Conv/Resp _____ | | MAJORS 1♥/♠ 1 st -2 nd : Length: 4♦ 5♦ 1NT: Frc <input type="checkbox"/> Semi-Frc <input type="checkbox"/> Bypass ♠ <input type="checkbox"/> 2NT: Nat <input type="checkbox"/> _____ to _____ 3NT: Nat <input type="checkbox"/> _____ to _____ 3 rd -4 th : Length: 4♦ 5♦ Drury <input type="checkbox"/> Reverse <input type="checkbox"/> 2Way <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| SLAMS 4NT: 0123 <input type="checkbox"/> RKC: 0314 <input type="checkbox"/> 1430 <input type="checkbox"/> Other Ace-Asking Bids _____ 4♣ Gerber: Directly Over NT <input type="checkbox"/> Over NT Seq <input type="checkbox"/> Non-NT Seq <input type="checkbox"/> _____ | | 4 LVL Style (Seat/Vul) _____ Conv/Resp _____ 4♣/4♦ Tfr <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ | | 1NT _____ to _____ (When _____) 1NT _____ to _____ (When _____) 5-Card Major <input type="checkbox"/> Sys on <input type="checkbox"/> Neg Dbl: 2 Lvl <input type="checkbox"/> 3 Lvl <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ 2♣: Stayman <input type="checkbox"/> Puppet <input type="checkbox"/> 3♣ _____ Puppet <input type="checkbox"/> 2♦: Frc Stayman <input type="checkbox"/> Tfr <input type="checkbox"/> _____ 3♦ _____ 2♥: Nat <input type="checkbox"/> Tfr <input type="checkbox"/> _____ 3♥ _____ Short <input type="checkbox"/> 2♠: Nat <input type="checkbox"/> Tfr <input type="checkbox"/> _____ 3♠ _____ Short <input type="checkbox"/> 2NT: Nat <input type="checkbox"/> Tfr <input type="checkbox"/> _____ Other _____ Tfr: 4♣ <input type="checkbox"/> 4♦ <input type="checkbox"/> 4♥ <input type="checkbox"/> Smolen <input type="checkbox"/> Lebensohl <input type="checkbox"/> : _____ Denies _____ | |
| CARDING Suits NT <input type="checkbox"/> Standard – Attitude <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Standard – Count <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Upside Down – Attitude <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Upside Down – Count <input type="checkbox"/> Exceptions _____ Other Carding: Smith Echo: Suits <input type="checkbox"/> NT <input type="checkbox"/> Reverse <input type="checkbox"/> Trump Signals _____ | | SIGNALS Primary Signals to: Declarer's Lead Partner's Lead <input type="checkbox"/> Attitude <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Count <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Suit Preference <input type="checkbox"/> Exceptions _____ First Discard: Std <input type="checkbox"/> Upside Down <input type="checkbox"/> Lavinthal <input type="checkbox"/> Odd/Even <input type="checkbox"/> | | NOTRUMP 2NT _____ to _____ Puppet <input type="checkbox"/> 3♠ <input type="checkbox"/> 3NT Art <input type="checkbox"/> Conv <input type="checkbox"/> _____ Tfr: 3Lvl <input type="checkbox"/> 4Lvl <input type="checkbox"/> Neg Dbls <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ 3NT _____ to _____ 4♣: Gerber <input type="checkbox"/> Stayman <input type="checkbox"/> Tfr <input type="checkbox"/> 4♠ <input type="checkbox"/> One Suit <input type="checkbox"/> Conv <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| LEADS vs. SUITS CIRCLE CARD LED (if not in bold): Length Leads: 4 th <input type="checkbox"/> 3 rd <input type="checkbox"/> _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Attitude <input type="checkbox"/> Small from xx <input type="checkbox"/> xx xxx xxxxx xxxxx Hxx Hxxx Hxxxx Middle of Hand _____ Honor Leads: A K x (+) varies <input type="checkbox"/> K Q x Q J x J T x T 9 x Interior Seq K J T x K T 9 x Q T 9 x Exceptions _____ | | 2 LEVEL 2♦ _____ to _____ Wk <input type="checkbox"/> Int <input type="checkbox"/> Str <input type="checkbox"/> Conv <input type="checkbox"/> Ogust <input type="checkbox"/> New Suit NF <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ 2♥ _____ to _____ Wk <input type="checkbox"/> Int <input type="checkbox"/> Str <input type="checkbox"/> 2 Suits <input type="checkbox"/> Ogust <input type="checkbox"/> New Suit NF <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ 2♠ _____ to _____ WK <input type="checkbox"/> Int <input type="checkbox"/> Str <input type="checkbox"/> 2 Suits <input type="checkbox"/> Ogust <input type="checkbox"/> New Suit NF <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ | | OTHER Jump Shifts _____ New Minor Frc <input type="checkbox"/> 2Way NMF <input type="checkbox"/> XYZ <input type="checkbox"/> 4 th Suit Frc: 1 Round <input type="checkbox"/> Game <input type="checkbox"/> _____ Defense vs (V)Str Frc Opening _____ | |