

BRIDGE

PLAY OF THE HAND – Class #200

In the game of bridge, bidding concludes when the two partnerships have exchanged information and one partnership has landed in what they believe is the best contract. Then it is time for the declarer to play the hand by taking the right number of tricks. The declarer often has to depend on lady luck to make the contract, but the more you learn about how to play the hand, the more often luck will be on your side when you are declarer.

This four-session virtual class introduces the steps for making a plan to play the hand and different techniques for becoming more successful as declarer: developing tricks by promoting high cards, developing long suits, and finessing, as well as techniques to eliminate losers by ruffing (trumping) and discarding. Each session includes a PowerPoint presentation by the instructor via Zoom, group discussion, and pre-dealt practice hands played online at Bridge Base. The class is designed for advanced beginners as well as intermediate players seeking opportunities for review and practice.

Limited to four participants. With sufficient interest, a second class may be added on the same day.

Instructor: Laura Burke

Class Dates: Tuesdays, March 9, 16, 23, and 30, 2021

Class Times: 2:30 - 4:30 p.m.

Fee: \$60 Member, \$80 Nonmember