



## Defensive Play - Opening Leads - Course Outline -Seminars 1-2

**This is a 2 seminar course. Covering standard opening leads, the differences between NT and Suit contracts, the rule of 11, together with other lead conventions such as Rusinow, 3rd & 5ths, Strong 10's etc. Seminar also Includes an interactive quiz. Each Seminar will consist of a 45 minute presentation and is followed by a 75 minute guided play session with prepared set hands.**

Topic	Description of Seminar
1. Standard Opening leads	Includes 'the good, the bad & the ugly' of opening leads Focuses on the differences between leads to NT and to Suit Contracts. Fully explains the rule of 11. and how best to use.
2. Other Lead conventions & strategies	Explains other lead conventions such as Rusinow, 3rd & 5ths and strong 10's. Identifies the differing opening lead strategies at Pairs, where preventing overtricks is important) and Teams Bridge, where defeating the contract is all important.