



## Defensive Play - Understanding the bidding - Course Outline -Seminars 1-2

**This is a 2 seminar course. Understanding declarers' hand, interpreting the bidding, counting the points played to find the best defence. Using the inferences from the bidding and declarers' play, putting it all together to form a defensive plan. 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  |
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| 1. Understand your opponents bidding  | When you defend, the opponents will have done some bidding, & this seminar focuses on how to interpret the various common sequences. For example the opponents opening 1NT tells us so much about their hand, but how best to use this information. |
| 2. Making a defensive plan, and amending in the light new information revealed. | Counting Declarers points, combining with Dummy and your own hand to identify what partner may hold. Using all this information in the end game to find the right strategy in both leads and discards.  |