

ONGOING SEMINARS with DANIELLE

Make A Plan (parts 1 & 2)

When dummy comes down, do you often have a sinking feeling you may not make your contract?

Should you draw trump? Are you often stuck in the wrong hand? Should you finesse or not? Confused? You are not alone.

This **2-hour seminar** will help you make a plan.

- Learn how to count your winners/losers.
- Learn how to manage your entries and find extra tricks through length or promotion.
- Learn how and when to finesse.
- Learn how to identify the "dangerous" hand.

I will take a group of four players (via Zoom) and we will look at ways to increase your odds of success. You all will play challenging hands on BBO.

We can set a time and date that suits your group. If you don't have a partner, let me know and I will try to find one for you.

The fee is **\$25 per person**.

Slam Bidding

Did you miss slam (again)?

Are you afraid of bidding a slam or not quite sure how to do it?

This **2-hour seminar** is just for you!

We will look at ways of getting to a slam and ways to avoid impossible ones.

I will take a group of four players and discuss the Dos and Don'ts of slam bidding on Zoom where you all will play challenging hands on BBO.

We can set a time and date that suits your group. If you don't have a partner, let me know and I can try to find one for you.

You will need prior knowledge of an Ace asking system, such as Blackwood or Roman Key Card and Gerber.

The fee is **\$25 per person**. You can reserve your slot now if you wish.

The Rebids - where judgement starts

So many options: Do You?

- Rebid your suit?
- Support partner's suit?
- Bid a new suit?
- Bid No Trump?
- Avoid bidding No Trump?
- Pass?
- Jump shift?
- And what about the dreaded reverse?

No wonder it's confusing!

Join me for a **2-hour seminar**, and we will look at your best options. We will meet via Zoom and play hands on BBO. All we need is a table of 4 players.

You can book your time slot anytime.

Let me know if you need a partner or another pair to complete a table.

The fee is **\$25 per person**.

After Stayman and Transfers - The complete No Trump auction.

You remembered to use Stayman or transfers and opener rebids. Now what? There is much more to these conventions and you will learn how to use them to reach the best possible contract.

We will look at:

- Ways to invite to game
- How to bid two suited hands
- Transfers into the minors
- How to use the conventions after interference

This will be a **2-hour seminar** conducted via Zoom. You will also play challenging practice hands on BBO.

The fee is **\$25 per person**.

Book now! We will need 2 pairs so we have a complete table. If you need a partner, let me know.

Other topics & Concepts, as well as Supervised Play, are available, by request:

I hope to see you at my table! Danielle

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DEFENSIVE BOOT CAMP

What better way to shed the holidays' excess than a Boot Camp?

The challenge: Find the only defensive line that will beat the contract.

This is not a seminar! You and 3 other players will play and defend as many hands as you can in 2 hrs. Each hand will illustrate a defensive tip such as:

Second hand low?

Third hand high?

Cover an honor with an honor?

Return partner's suit?

Duck? Unblock? Etc...

Start 2022 with a good resolution. Sign up now! The fee is \$25 pp. If you don't have a partner, let me know and I will try to find you one.

Contact dsgosselin58@gmail.com with your preferred dates & times.