

Improvers Lessons 2024-2025

24-Sep	1	1 1	Block 1	Introduction	Review of Year 1
01-Oct	2	1 2			The LTC
08-Oct	3	2 1	Block 2	NT bidding	Revised NT bidding
15-Oct	4	2 2			Red-suit transfers
22-Oct	5	2 3			RSTs and Stayman
29-Oct	6	2 4			Further NT Bidding
05-Nov				Cancelled	
12-Nov	7	3 1	Block 3	Declarer play	Danger hand in NTs
19-Nov	8	3 2			Danger hand in Trumps
26-Nov	9	3 3			Playing 1NT
03-Dec	10	4 1	Block 4	Doubling	Wider use of Doubles
10-Dec	11	4 2			Overcalling 1NT
17-Dec	12	4 3			Negative and re-opening doubles
24-Dec				Xmas	
31-Dec				New Year	
07-Jan	13	4 4			Responder's actions after a double
14-Jan	14	5 1	Block 5	Defence	Third hand play
21-Jan	15	5 2			Second hand play
28-Jan	16	5 3			Switches
04-Feb	17	6 1	Block 6	Tidying up the bidding	Showing shape
11-Feb	18	6 2			Fourth-suit forcing
18-Feb	19	6 3			Bidding 4-4-4-1 hands
25-Feb	20	6 4			Bidding awkward hands
04-Mar	21	7 1	Block 7	More on defence	Signalling
11-Mar	22	7 2			Discarding
18-Mar	23	7 3			Thoughtful (and forcing) defence
25-Mar	24	8 1	Block 8	Miscellaneous	Landy
01-Apr	25	8 2			Forcing bids
08-Apr	26	8 3			Slam bidding - Key Card Blackwood
15-Apr	27	9 1	Block 9	Competitive bidding	General principles
22-Apr	28	9 2			Defence to pre-empts
29-Apr	29	9 3			Protective bidding
06-May	30	10 1	Block 10	Review of the year	Review of the year

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2	1 2		
3	2 1	Block 2	NT bidding
4	2 2		
5	2 3		
6	2 4		
7	3 1	Block 3	Declarer play
8	3 2		
9	3 3		
10	4 1	Block 4	Competitive bidding
11	4 2		
12	4 3		
13	4 4		
14	4 5		
15	5 1	Block 5	Defence
16	5 2		
17	5 3		
18	5 4		
19	6 1	Block 6	Tidying up the bidding
20	6 2		
21	6 3		
22	6 4		
23	7 1	Block 7	More on defence
24	7 2		
25	7 3		
26	8 1	Block 8	Miscellaneous
27	8 2		
28	8 3		
29	8 4		
30	8 5		

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Showing shape	18
Fourth-suit forcing	5
Bidding 4-4-4-1 hands	26
Bidding awkward hands	19
Signalling	20
Discarding	20
Thoughtful (and forcing) defence	21
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