

Thursday, September 19, 2013  
Rebids by Opener and Responder

The importance of Openers rebid is often overlooked. Opener wants to further describe the shape and strength of the hand. It should be straightforward but there are many choices available and judgment is an important aspect of the rebid....by Opener (and Responder)

Opener has to understand:

- The bidding message of Responder's bid
- The bidding message of Opener's rebid
- How to show the strength of the opening bid
- The best way to describe the shape of the hand – it's not always obvious

There are popular bidding systems intended to make Opener's rebid more effective. This is an excellent topic for your Fall brush up. You'll go away with five tips to make rebids by Opener and Responder more comfortable and accurate.



Friday, September 20, 2013  
Introduction to 2/1 Game Force

Years ago, if you were playing with a new partner, you might be asked, "Do you play Stayman?" The most popular question today is, "Do you play 2/1 game force?" This is simply a variation of Standard American.

Whether or not it becomes part of your bidding system, it's important to understand what it's all about, and why so many players are using it.

The workshop addresses five areas of 2/1:

- How the Bidding Message is changed to accommodate 2/1 and get partner to the best game and slam contracts
- When 2/1 applies.
- The Forcing 1NT response and the subsequent auction
- A closer look at major suit raises and subsequent auction
- Becoming comfortable with openers and responders rebids

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INTRODUCTION TO

2/1 GAME FORCE

NANAIMO GOLF CLUB

NANAIMO, BC

## About Your Host



Audrey Grant has an international reputation in the field of bridge education. Her vision and commitment have been key to the success of the Better Bridge series of books, TV shows, lectures, the Better Bridge magazine, and the Better Bridge Teacher

Accreditation Program. She works with the best technicians in the world to make sure the material is up-to-date and authentic.

Audrey is the author of The Official Better Bridge Series, and thousands of teachers have used her textbooks and methods for the past two decades.



## Program

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9 am – 9:45 am	Registration
10 am – Noon	Part 1 - Workshop
Noon – 1 pm	Lunch
1 pm – 3 pm	Part 2 - Workshop

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## Location

Nanaimo Golf Club  
2800 Highland Blvd  
Nanaimo, BC

## Fee

\$100 for each day

*Early Bird Special - Book before July 1, 2013  
and attend for \$95 per day*

Fee includes workshop, Comprehensive Participant Package for Rebids by Opener and Responder workshop or 2/1 Game Force Textbook for 2/1 workshop, pastries, coffee and lunch

*Space is limited – Register Early*

## To register contact:

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## More Details

- A partner is not required.
- An Audrey Grant workshop is an opportunity to learn the latest bridge techniques and to improve your bridge judgment.
- You will be seated at card tables during the presentation and will have a chance to bid and play specific hands which illustrate the points being presented.
- The most effective and up-to-date teaching methods are used.

