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## Larry's eLessons!

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### eLesson #1 (of 3)

#### **NEW!** Quiz: Accepting an Invitation after Opening Notrump

Do you only accept invitations to game after opening 1NT if you opened with a 17-count? Do you only consider whether you like your hand with exactly 16 points? If so, reconsider your evaluation. Holding a narrow range of points means you should give more credence to your instincts. Test your evaluation skills with this new quiz.

QUIZ

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### eLesson #2 (of 3)

#### **NEW!** Bridge Byte: Michael Teaches Bidding after A Cuebid

The opponents are really bothering you on this one: you open, they overcall, partner cuebids, and now they bid again (below the level partner forced you to). Do you know what your bids mean? If you can be comfortable in this situation, you'll have one more tool against opponents who try to make life difficult. Learn more in this bridge byte.

BRIDGE BYTE

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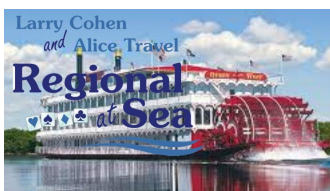
### eLesson #3 (of 3)

#### **The Common Game**

Students will often complain that "these deals are fixed." You can see how Larry and Michael approach real-life deals, though, as they offer commentary on random deals. Every Tuesday, Larry and Michael (rotating) write up the first five deals from The Common Game. You can find all of those write ups in the archives. Last week's Board 1 is linked below (scroll down). To find older games, click on the "archived games" calendar at [thecommongame.com](http://thecommongame.com)

The Common  
Game

# Larry Cohen CRUISES



**Regional on a River!**  
American Queen - American Duchess  
Lecturer: Larry Cohen  
RT New Orleans  
Feb 24 - Mar 12, 2023

**GOLD POINTS!**



**Celebrity Cruises - Reflection**  
Lecturer: Robert Todd  
Dec 23-31, 2022  
RT Ft. Lauderdale  
Starting at \$3829

**SILVER POINTS!**



**Holiday Regional at Sea**  
Regent Seven Seas - Mariner  
Lecturer: Larry Cohen  
Rio de Janeiro to Miami  
Dec 20, 2022 - Jan 7, 2023

**GOLD POINTS!**



Historically, our Regionals at Sea distribute an average of 2,200 Masterpoints or ~20 per player!  
**Must book all cruises with Alice Travel in order to participate in the bridge events.**  
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## Michael Berkowitz WEBINARS



### Dealing with Competition in the Bidding

- Sep 2 - Double, the Most Important Tool.
- Sep 9 - Cuebids, Cuebids, Cuebids!
- Sep 16 - When and How to Penalize the Opponents.
- Sep 23 - Interference Over Our Strong Auctions.

Fridays @ 2:00PM Eastern

1hr Lecture plus time for Q&A  
Includes lesson notes and copy of recorded webinar.

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## Robert Todd WEBINARS



### Better Card Play!

- Sep 12 - Concealing Cards from the Opponents - Play & Defense.
- Sep 19 - Interpreting Opening Leads -- Why Lead What.
- Sep 26 - Blocking their Suits and Unblocking Ours.
- Oct 3 - Ruffing Losers -- Dummy, Hand, Crossruff, etc.
- Oct 10 - No webinar.
- Oct 17 - Judgment in Card Play.

Mondays @ 2:00PM Eastern

1hr Lecture plus time for Q&A

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## Sorry, Partner Podcasts!

Each week, bridge partners and friends Catherine Harris and Jocelyn Startz interview expert players on all things bridge. Listen to Larry's episode on 11/11/21. If you're looking to take your bridge obsession to new heights (or lows!) then welcome to the table!

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