

# BRIDGE *with* LARRY COHEN



March 9, 2021 edition Part 26



We have a new teacher at Bridge with Larry Cohen! Kit Woolsey! Kit is a 19-Time National Bridge Champion, ACBL Hall of Famer, and is a rotating columnist for the *Bridge World's* monthly *Master Solvers Club*. If you've been pinning for more advanced bridge discussions, this is your opportunity! See his ad below or [REGISTER HERE!](#)



[BMS Bridge Bytes:  
Quacks in Competitive  
Auctions](#)



[Larry's Quizzes: After  
they Interfere \(4 of 7\)](#)

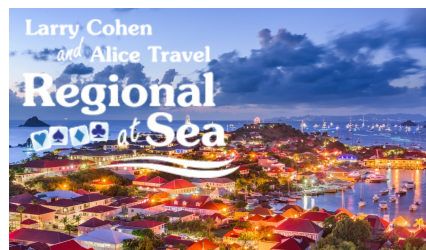


[Larry's Article: Filling  
out a Basic 2/1  
Convention Card Part  
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## CRUISES



LUXURY Regional at Sea  
Regent Seven Seas, Mariner  
Lecturer: Cohen



LUXURY Regional at Sea  
Crystal Cruises - Serenity  
Lecturer: Todd/Berkowitz



LUXURY Sectional at Sea  
Regent Seven Seas, Mariner  
Lecturer: Cohen

Barcelona, Spain - Miami, FL  
Transatlantic crossing  
Oct 31 - Nov 14, 2021  
**GOLD POINTS!**

RT Miami, FL  
Dec 12-22, 2021  
**GOLD POINTS!**

Miami, FL - San Francisco  
via Panama Canal  
Dec 18, 2021 - Jan 5, 2022  
**SILVER POINTS!**

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## LARRY COHEN WEBINARS



Thursdays @ 1:55PM Eastern  
**BMS Game Immediately Following**  
Includes postmortem with Michael

Larry's  
Trailer

Join Larry and his guest partner as they play in a LIVE online game! You'll get to hear exactly what Larry's thinking on every deal! How to bid the hand, how to play, or how to defend. If you've been taking Larry's webinar lessons, these LIVE games will be a great way to really see all that you've learned in action and when you should be applying this knowledge specifically at the table.

Even if you haven't taken Larry's webinars, these LIVE sessions will be a lot of fun and a great learning experience!

**Mar 11** - Larry Playing in a LIVE GAME With his former partner, the eternally interesting and ever dynamic, Marty Bergen!

This is a 12 Board BBO LIVE event on Zoom with a postmortem discussion following with both Larry and Marty!

Register Now \$10 ea.



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**Mar 18** - Bob Hamman. Many consider Bob as the greatest bridge player of all time. For decades he was rated the #1 player in the world. Watch this legend of the game, now in his 80's, show his amazing skills.

**Mar 25** - Kerri Sanborn. Kerry is possibly the greatest female bridge player of all time. She famously won the world mixed pairs with legendary Barry Crane by 5 boards!

**Apr 1** - Jeff Meckstroth. One of the all-time greats with more than 50 National Championships. The all-time masterpoint leader

is closing in on an astonishing 100,000 masterpoints!

This is a 12 Board BBO LIVE event on Zoom with a postmortem discussion following with Larry and guest pro.

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## MICHAEL BERKOWITZ WEBINARS



In this series, Michael will break down defense so that you can approach each new problem with confidence. Defending is the toughest part of the game, and it's also the part you spend most of your time doing, so any improvement will immediately yield results.

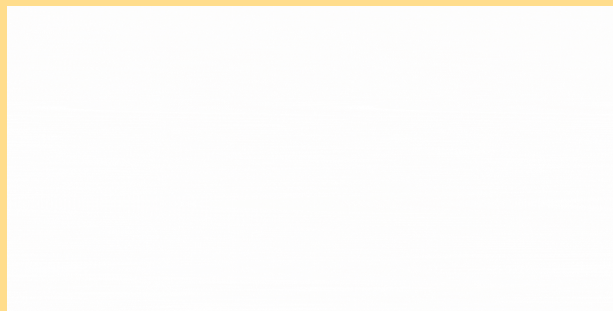
Mar 12 - Planning discards

Fridays @ 2:00PM Eastern  
BMS Duplicate Game Following  
Includes postmortem with Michael

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Webinar includes lesson notes.

Michael's Bridge  
Byte



Fridays @ 2:00PM Eastern  
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Double is the most neglected call in the bidding box. There are lots of names for doubles "takeout, negative, support, lead-directing, etc", but that can confuse the issue and make the topic seem unapproachable.

In this series, Michael will break down not only what various doubles mean, but how to respond when partner makes a double.

Mar 19 - Takeout doubles and high-level doubles

Mar 26 - Responding to the takeout double at various levels

Apr 2 - Negative Doubles

Apr 9 - Opener's rebid after partner's negative double

Webinar includes lesson notes.

Michael's  
Trailer

Apr 16 - All other doubles (Support, lead-directing, snapdragon and more)

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## ROBERT TODD WEBINARS



Tuesdays @ 2:00PM Eastern  
TODAY!!

BMS Duplicate Games immediately  
Includes postmortem with Robert

Webinar includes lesson notes and an  
interactive quiz!

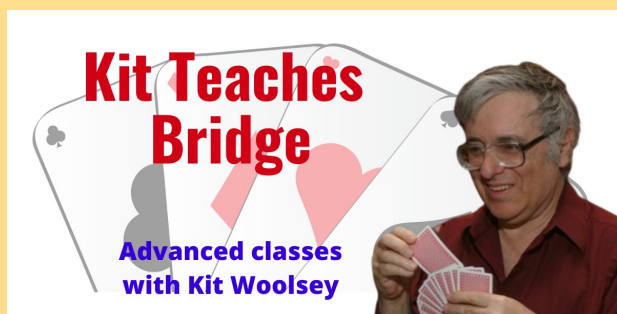
Good declarer play is more than just techniques you learn in a textbook. Come join Robert and see how to play a variety of different Notrump contracts. We will look at the technical and the tactical aspects of declarer play. You will come away from these webinars feeling that Notrump is a lot of fun to declare.

Mar 9 - Make 3NT? Play for Overtricks?

Mar 16 - 6NT - Both Fun and Scary!

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## KIT WOOLSEY WEBINARS



Wednesdays @ 2:00PM Eastern

Webinar includes lesson notes.

Kit Woolsey - *"The Approachable Expert"*

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Mar 10 - Captaincy

Mar 17 - Picture Your Path to Success

Mar 24 - Lead with a Plan

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## Bridge Make Simple (BMS) Duplicate Games

Every Tuesday, Thursday, & Friday  
at 3:45 EDT following the webinar.

[Click here](#) to give us your BBO & ACBL



*"Bridge Made Simple Games"*



**Directors: Jesse and Cheryl**  
**Post Game Analysis: Michael & Robert**

Info.

[Click here](#) to learn more about our games.

You must purchase a LIVE webinar or one in the store in order to be eligible for the games each week.

Valuable and fun Zoom postmortem with Michael or Robert after all games.

Previously recorded webinars are always available in the [STORE](#) and the [BMS Webinar Library](#) has all of our webinars recorded and LIVE in topic order.

Archived Social Distance Newsletters are now in the [Learning Center](#)!

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