
SHARPEN YOUR BRIDGE



FOR NEWER & ADVANCING BRIDGE PLAYERS

Fort Collins
Saturday June 28, 2025
Noon Check In
Play 12:30-3:30

Fort Collins Bridge Center
1330 Oakridge Drive
Garden Level

Price **\$15** per player
Cash or Check

Next date: October 18, 2025

[Note: 2/1 GF Practice Hands:
August 23, 2025]

Practice playing **Standard American** hands to improve your game.

Play your choice of over 60 prepared hands with a Coach at your table. Hands cover topics from SAYC (*Standard American Yellow Card*). A Hand Analysis document will be provided that includes bidding and playing tips for each hand.

To aid in placing you with players of similar skill level or with other specific players and assigning a Coach, please fill out accompanying questionnaire and register by June 15.



To register or questions, please contact one of us:

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Sharpen Your Bridge Placement Questionnaire

In order to make your experience at the **Sharpen Your Bridge Event on June 28, 2025** successful for you, we have developed this questionnaire to aid in placing you with players of similar skill level.

We are assuming you play Standard American (represented by Standard American Yellow Card, SAYC).

Check which Topics/Conventions you play and want to practice at Sharpen Your Bridge? Can add Comments.

TOPIC	CHK	COMMENTS
Basic 1-level Opening Suit Bids & Responses		
No Trump Opening Bids & Responses		
Stayman Convention Response to 1 NT Opener		
Jacoby Transfer Convention Response to 1 NT Opener		
Competitive Bidding:		
Overcalls		
Cuebid for limit raise or better		
Takeout Doubles		
Negative Doubles		
Responsive Doubles		
Strong Bids:		
Strong 2 Club Opener & Responses		
Blackwood Ace-Asking for Suit Contracts		
Gerber Ace-Asking for No Trump Contracts		
1430 Roman Key Card Blackwood Ace-Asking plus K and Q of Trump Key Cards for Suit Contracts		
Weak Bids:		
Preempts & Responses		
Weak Two Bids (opening 2D, 2H, 2S) & Responses		
More Conventions:		
Jacoby 2NT Game Force Response to 1S/1H Opener		
Michaels Cuebid for two-suited hands		
Unusual 2NT for two-suited hands		
Balancing in Pass Out Seat		
Other:		

Are you attending with others you want to play with? Partner Name _____

Other Names _____

Your Name _____

Email _____ Phone Number _____

Please return form in person or mail to:

Fort Collins Bridge Center, c/o Sharpen Your Bridge, 1330 Oakridge Dr, Ste #10, Fort Collins, CO 80525.