



ADVANCED DEFENSE!

Dates: Sept. 23 - Dec. 9, 2010 (Skip 10/7; 11/25)

Time: 6:00 - 7:00 PM, Thursdays

Place: 3801 Hillsborough Street, The Royal

Instructor: Karen Copeland

The quickest way to improve your bridge scores is by learning to defend well. Think about it—on average, you defend TWICE as many hands as you declare! Furthermore, defense is the most challenging part of the game. Instead of learning a number of complex conventions (which may rarely arise), now is the time to learn defensive techniques.

This class will be more challenging than the Heart Series taught in the past. Each of the 10 classes will be 1 hour in length, and will include lecture & exercises. The first few classes will review Leads & Defensive Signals. The rest of the course will teach you to plan a winning defense, based on various counting techniques, so you can "defend like the pro's"! In two of the classes we will practice the techniques with prepared hands. The cost is \$119 per person, including all materials.

DIRECTIONS: The location is the playing site for the Raleigh Bridge Club. Please see their website for directions: www.raleighbridgeclub.org. You can also see the course outline at that site.

Questions or sign-up: Karen Copeland at 847-8425 or playbridge@nc.rr.com

RESERVATIONS CAN BE CONFIRMED BY MAILING YOUR CHECK **BY SEPT. 9** TO:

Karen Copeland, 7600 Kelmscot Way, Raleigh, NC 27615

Karen, an ACBL-certified teacher & director, has been teaching bridge for 20 years. Her classes are lively and entertaining, and a great way to meet new friends!