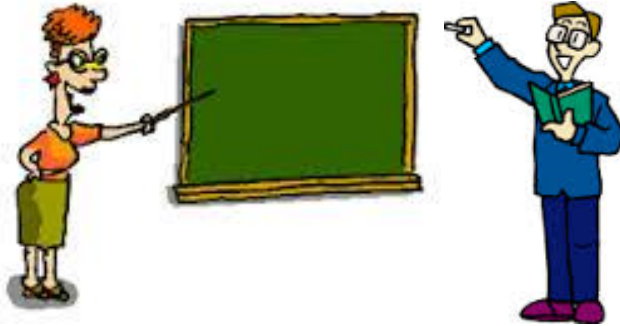


# Charlotte Bridge Association

## Available Teachers and Contact Info



**Ethel Butler:** An ACBL accredited teacher and director, Ethel, has been teaching bridge for 7 years in the Charlotte area. She concentrates on beginning bridge for those that have never played bridge before plus novice and intermediate players that want to step-up their level of play and defense. Ethel has her Master's Degree in Education and is a member of ACBL as a Silver Life Master. [ebutler1943@gmail.com](mailto:ebutler1943@gmail.com)  
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**Len Case:** ACBL Platinum Life Master and certified Director. Len provides individual lessons in person or online and small group private lessons. Also available for Sectional and Regional tournaments. [lencase@carolina.rr.com](mailto:lencase@carolina.rr.com) 704-992-0397

**Linda Westerfield** is an accredited ACBL Bridge Instructor and Director, and has been teaching bridge at The Charlotte Bridge Association, in private homes, and in clubs for the past 9 years, mainly acquainting novices and intermediates with the basics of bidding, play of the hand, and defending. 704-588-0969 (home) 704-619-6770 (cell) [lwesterfield@carolina.rr.com](mailto:lwesterfield@carolina.rr.com)

**Debo (Dave) Ehle** is an accredited ACBL Bridge Instructor and Director, and has been teaching in private homes for the past 6 years, novice to advanced levels. 704-588-0969 (home) 704-619-0241 (cell) [debodave2@carolina.rr.com](mailto:debodave2@carolina.rr.com)

**Jean Davis** : ACBL Diamond Life Master and accredited ACBL Bridge Instructor. Jean provides individual lessons in person and small group private lessons. Have taught classes on 2/1; Balancing; Opening Leads. Will teach groups of any level, beginner, intermediate, advanced and will be teaching classes at the Club soon.  
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**Richard Chase** has about 4,100 master points and has taught bridge for about 5 years, including a class on beginner bridge and 2 over 1, but specializes in teaching intermediate bridge which includes the modern bridge conventions that come up on a frequent basis and are used by most of the advancing players. Word documents detailing the specifics of the conventions with hand examples are e-mailed to participants in advance of the class so they can study them and ask intelligent questions in class. Contact him at "[joanlynn@comporium.net](mailto:joanlynn@comporium.net)" or [803-396-1492](tel:803-396-1492).

**Vinay Apte** is an ACBL accredited Bridge Instructor and Sapphire Life Master. Vinay teaches Bridge at all levels in Charlotte, in classroom setting or in small groups or private lessons. He is also available for Sectional and Regional tournaments. Contact Vinay at [678-429-4606](tel:678-429-4606) or [apte2@gmail.com](mailto:apte2@gmail.com).

**Pam Barry**, a Bronze Life Master, is an accredited ACBL and Audrey Grant Bridge Instructor that specializes in beginner bridge. Most lessons are offered in group settings at the Charlotte Bridge Association during the day. Private lessons are also available. Contact Pam at [pammymb47@gmail.com](mailto:pammymb47@gmail.com) or [704-906-6570](tel:704-906-6570).

**Raelene Kirkbride** is an accredited ACBL Bridge Instructor. Contact Raelene at [raejoki@yahoo.com](mailto:raejoki@yahoo.com) or (813) 503-5661.