



# Adventures in Bridge

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## Safe Hand and Danger Hand

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### Types of Danger Hands

- Opponent with Winners
  - *Hold-Up Play - cut communication*
- Opponent that can lead thru Stopper (positional stopper)
  - *Avoidance Plays - keep them off lead*
- Partner of Opponent with Void
  - *Avoidance Plays – keep them off lead*
- Opponent that can knockout entry
  - *Avoidance Play – Keep them off lead*

### Positional Stoppers

- Kx – unplayed suit
- AQx – unplayed suit
- Qxx – After Ace is “cashed” by LHO
- AJx
  - Bath Coup
  - Capture an Honor and leave Jx – positional stopper
- Axx Qxx
- Kxx Qxx

### Safety Plays

- Avoid the Danger Hand

### Classic Situations

- Keep Opener on Lead
- Keep Preemptor on Lead
- Keep Preemptor (with winners) off lead

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