

BCAPL SPECIAL

BALL TEAM EVENT
@ BOSTON BILLIARDS & LOUNGE

- MEDICINE HAT - ALBERTA -

Guaranteed Added: \$2000 by BCAPL & \$2000 by Boston Billiards
Based on 64 teams: Total Prize fund of \$20,000.00.

Dates: JANUARY 29 TO JANUARY 31, 2010

ENTRY DEADLINE: POSTMARKED JANUARY 18TH, 2010.

The BCAPL, Lloyd Michalezki & Boston Billiards are pleased to announce a **BCAPL SPECIAL 8 BALL TEAM EVENT** Tournament in Medicine Hat, AB. The tournament will be held at the Boston Billiards & Lounge, located at 767 6th St S.W. T1A 4J7, Medicine Hat, AB and will be played on 16 - 7' Diamond Smart Tables – with Diamond Table lights.

Dates, eligibility requirements and events for the tournament will be found in this program.

League Operators and Players should read this program carefully to be aware of requirements and rules of the tournament.

NOTICE

ONLY 1ST 64 paid team entries, based on postmark date, will be eligible to play in tournament. After 64 teams are accepted, any later teams will be notified and have their entry fee refunded.

For more information contact: Lloyd Michalezki @ 403-502-2443

EVENT TIMELINE

FRIDAY JAN 29

12:00 Noon – 5 pm
1 pm – 6pm
6pm to??

Roster changes for 8 Ball Teams
Mini tournaments & Practice
8 Ball Team events Begin

SATURDAY JAN 30

8am

8 Ball Team events Continue

SUNDAY JAN 31

8 a.m.

8 Ball Teams Continue

9 a.m.

Scotch Doubles Sign Up

12 OR 1 pm

Scotch Doubles Competition Begins

Food & Beverages on Site

Guaranteed \$500 added by "E.R.O. Café" for extra events, IE: Scotch doubles minis

MIXED TEAM EVENTS (Double Knockout)

Intermediate Team - \$175

- 5 Player Teams
- Race to 13
- Teams must be comprised of 2 original players and must play in all rounds. The other three players may come from any team within the Operators League system, but must meet the criteria for an Intermediate player.
- Must have played “4” weeks in a BCA sanctioned league.
- **Teams with combined 5 E.R.O.’s or less as of Jan 16, 2010 may play in this division.**
- Women’s teams may play in the division.
- No men’s or women’s Master (single or team) or Advanced Players.

Advanced Team - \$225

- 5 Player Teams
- Race to 13
- Teams must be comprised of 2 original players and must play in all rounds. The other three players may come from any team within the Operators League system.
- Master women may play in this division.
- Must have played “4” weeks in a BCA sanctioned league.
- No men’s Masters (single or team).

Open Team - \$275

- 5 Player Teams
- Race to 13
- Teams must be comprised of 3 original players and must play in all rounds. The other two players may come from any team within the Operators League system.
- One Men’s Single’s Master or Grand Master Player allowed on a team.
- Or two team masters are allowed on a team.
- Or One Singles Master or Grand Master “and” a team master are allowed on a team.

SCOTCH DOUBLES

Sign up on site. Will depend on number of team entries and time.

- Choose your partner at the tournament.
- Any man/woman that registered for team event can partner up.
- Any team with a master player (man or woman) must play in the masters division.
- **ONLY OPEN TO PLAYERS THAT HAVE BEEN ELIMINATED FROM THE TEAM EVENTS.**

MASTERS - \$60/Team ALL OTHER TEAMS - \$40/Team

NOTE - IN ALL EVENTS RACES MAY BE ADJUSTED DEPENDING ON NUMBER OF ENTRIES.

DRESS CODE: clean – no rip’s etc.

Tournament Eligibility

- All Players must have played in a minimum “4” regularly scheduled league matches during a BCA sanctioned 2009/2010 season.
- The above applies to Team and Scotch Doubles Events.
- All players “MUST” appear on an official BCA sanctioned list in order to compete in this event.
- All players must meet amateur status requirements. Men or Women deemed Professional players by the BCA or VNEA are prohibited from entering the tournament.

- All “MEN” appearing on A “VEGAS” (BCA Master, Grand Master, VNEA Master or VNEA Intermediate list must compete in the “Open” division).
- OPEN teams must be comprised of 3 OR more original members.
- INTERMEDIATE teams must be comprised of 2 or more original members.
- ADVANCED teams must be comprised of 2 or more original members.
- Master women players may play on teams in “Open” division and “Advanced” division.
- Woman’s teams can play in any division.
- Players of “known” ability should compete in the suitable events. Tournament organizers reserve the right to place players or teams in the event that they feel is appropriate.

Tournament Rules:

- The Rules, to be used for governing play, are the rules found in the new BCAPL Rule Book.
- The tournament will practice “**rack your own**” for this event.
- Check in for the Team Events are “NOT” required as long as you appear on the draw sheets.
- No player may play for more than 1 Team. Players may be listed on only “1” team roster. Players may play for another team; however, the captain must present a roster change before that player can play. Any roster changes must be made before the “TEAM” events begin.
- Age Requirement: All entrants must have reached 18 years of age as of April 1 2009.
- Team rosters, including players and substitutes, are set once the team event begins is first match. Teams will have from “NOON” to 5 p.m. on Friday Jan 29, 2010 to make their roster changes.
- All additions to a teams’ roster may come from any player within the League Operator’s system. Four alternates may be added to the roster for a total of 9 players. All players and alternates must have played in “4” weeks of league play.

Miscellaneous:

Equipment:

- 16 7-foot Diamond coin operated pool tables. – With lights.
- Cues less than 40” in length are illegal.
- NO break cues will be provided.
- Coin boxes are closed during the tournament play and practice.
- Tables set on \$1.00.

Entry Forms:

- All League Operators and players will be able do download entry forms on the Official BCA website (www.playbca.com). Forms can be found under “Events” then “Upcoming Events” and then go to BCA SPECIAL 8 BALL TEAM TOURNAMENT @ Boston Billiards & Lounge, in the “Contacts/Misc Details column.
- All entry forms must be filled out completely and legibly. Entry forms not filled out properly will be returned.
- The League Operator “MUST SUBMIT ALL” Team entries and stats.
- League Operators or captain’s should make any on-site roster changes needed, during the designated times.
- Entries must be postmarked by January 18, 2010.
- Payment by money order or bank draft (Canadian Funds only) made out to C.O.S. MED HAT.

Send entry forms/entry fees to:

**Tournament Entry
C/o Rodney Schwab
812 12 st S.E.
MEDICINE HAT, AB
T1A 1W3**

Re: ENTRY FEES:

- Team entry fees include \$20 (registration fee).

ACCOMMODATIONS

The following hotels/motels are participating in offering accommodations for this tournament.

FOR HOTEL/MOTEL RESERVATIONS: RECOMMEND CALLING ONE OF THE FOLLOWING

WHEN BOOKING YOU MENTION “that you are a player @ the “BCAPL – SPECIAL”



Rooms Blocked: 24

Standard room \$95.00 plus tax -- 2 double beds
5 – Smoking rooms \$95.00 plus tax -- 1 queen & sofa bed
2 - Family room \$105.00 plus tax -- 2 queen’s and 1 sofa bed
(For more details go to www.travelodge.com)

Located @: 1100 Redcliff Dr. SW, Medicine Hat, AB, T1A 5E5 CA

Reservations Toll Free: 1-800-442-8729 or: 403-527-2275 ex 365

Rooms not booked will be released by January 18, 2010



Rooms Blocked: 20 (1 Queen Bed: \$75.00 plus tax)
(For more details go to www.ramada.com)

Located @:773 8th Street SW Exit H off Hwy 1 and Hwy 3 Medicine Hat, AB, CA

Reservations Toll Free: 1-877-526-3319 or Local: 403-526-5955

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