



FIRST ANNUAL BCAPL CANADIAN OPEN SERIES 8 BALL TOURNAMENT

\$5000 Added

MARCH 20 – 23, 2008

ENTRY DEADLINE -- FEBRUARY 28ND 2008.

LATE ENTRY DEADLINE -- MARCH 6TH 2008 Add \$25 singles or \$50 team to late entries.

The BCAPL, Paul Sapp and the BC Eh! Pool League is pleased to announce the First Annual Canadian Open Series 8 Ball Tournament in Penticton BC. The tournament will be held at the Penticton Trade and Convention Centre, located at 273 Power Street and will be played on 40 - 7' Diamond Smart Tables.

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.

EVENT TIMELINE

THURSDAY MARCH 20

5pm

Opening Break with the Mayor

6pm

8 Ball Singles Begin

Mini Tournaments TBA

FRIDAY MARCH 21

9 am

8 Ball Singles Continue

1pm – 4pm

Roster changes for 8 Ball Teams.

6pm

8 Ball Teams Begin

Mini Tournaments TBA

SATURDAY MARCH 22

9am

8 Ball Teams Continue

Mini Tournaments TBA

SUNDAY MARCH 23

10am

8 Ball Teams Continue

10am

Scotch Doubles Sign Up

11am

Scotch doubles Start

Mini Tournaments TBA

Food & Beverages on Site.

Official Event Shirts and souvenirs available at the tournament.

WOMEN'S TEAM EVENTS

Open Team – Entry Fee \$175

5 Person Teams

Race to 8 - Double Knockout

Teams may be comprised of any 5 players within their League Operators League as long as they meet the 8 league night requirement. This event is for players of average ability. No Masters or Advanced Players.

Advanced Team – Entry Fee \$200

5 Person Teams

Race to 10 - Double Knockout

Teams may be comprised of any 5 players within their League Operators League as long as they meet the 8 league night requirement. Only two Masters per team.

MEN'S MIXED TEAM EVENTS

Intermediate Team - \$175

5 Person Teams

Race to 10 – Double Knockout

Teams must be comprised of 3 original players and all 3 players must play in all rounds. The other two players may come from any team within the Operators League system, but must meet the criteria for an Intermediate player. No Masters or Advanced Players.

Open Team - \$200

5 Person Teams

Race to 13 – Double Knockout

Teams must be comprised of 3 original players and all 3 players must play in all rounds. The other two players may come from any team within the League Operators system. Only one Master allowed.

Advanced Team - \$250

5 Person Teams

Race to 13 – Double Knockout

Teams must be comprised of 3 original players and all 3 players must play in all rounds. The other two players may come from any team within the League Operators system. Only two Masters allowed.

WOMEN'S SINGLES EVENTS

Double Knockout

Women's Open - \$60

Race to 4 - A Side

Race to 3 - B Side

Women's Advanced - \$80

Race to 4 - A Side

Race to 4 - B Side

This event is for advanced and Masters players.

MENS SINGLES

Double Knockout

Intermediate - \$60

Race to 4 - A Side

Race to 3 - B Side

OPEN - \$80

Race to 4 - A Side

Race to 4 - B Side

ADVANCED - \$100

Race to 5 - A Side

Race to 5 - B Side

This event is for advanced and Masters players.

SCOTCH DOUBLES

Sign up on site. Choose your partner at the tournament. Any man/woman that played in the event can partner up.

OPEN - \$40/Team

ADVANCED - \$60/Team

Note - in all events races may be adjusted depending on number of entries.

ENTRY FORMS

All entry forms must be filled out completely and legibly. Entry forms not filled out correctly will be returned.

League operators **MUST** send Team entry forms with an up to date stat sheet.

Players may send singles entry forms but **MUST** ask their League Operator to send an up to date stat sheet if no teams are to be entered from their league.

Send entry forms to:

Paul Sapp

4607 W. 15th Avenue

Vancouver, BC V6R 3B5

All entry forms must be accompanied by a cheque, money order or bank draft in Canadian funds made payable to **W.C.C. Penticton.**

Entries must postmarked by **February 28th 2008.**

All late entries must be accompanied by a **certified cheque, money order or bank draft** in Canadian funds. **Add \$25 to all late single entries and \$50 to all late team entries.**

TOURNAMENT ELIGIBILITY

Sanctioned BCAPL, League and Player members may participate in this Tournament.

For singles, team and scotch doubles events, all players must have played in a minimum of **8** regularly scheduled league matches during a BCA sanctioned 2007/08 season.

All players must appear on a official BCA sanction list in order to compete in this event.

All players must meet amateur status requirements.

Players of “known” ability should compete in suitable events. Tournament organizers reserve the right to place players or teams in the appropriate event.

Each team must be comprised of 3 original members (exception: Women’s Teams) and the 3 original players must play in all rounds.

TOURNAMENT RULES

BCA Tournament rules apply.

Rules governing play are detailed in the new BCAPL Rule Book.

No coaching in any of the events.

Players will flip a coin prior to starting the match, and the winner will have choice of break.

The tournament will practice rack your own for this event.

The breaker must break in such a way as to attempt to make a ball on the break.

Check in for Singles and Team Events is not required as long as you appear on the draw sheets.

No player may play for more than one team.

No player may play in more than one singles event.

Team rosters are set once the Team event begins its first match. A time is set on Friday to allow changes to Team rosters. Additions or changes to team rosters must come from with the League Operators system and must meet the requirements for the event entered.

Substitutions: the Team Captain may substitute any player in the line up for any other player on the roster prior to the start of each round. The opposing Team Captain must be notified of a change in the line up. A regular or substitute player may not play the same opponent twice.

DRESS CODE

Singles Competition - Clean, neat and tidy is the look of the tournament.

No sweats or torn unsightly clothing is allowed. No suggestive clothing.

Acceptable attire is sleeved shirts or blouses with a fold over collar either in a golf/polo or a button down style. **An official event shirt is acceptable for the singles event.**

Dress pants, neat un-torn jeans, capri style pants or shorts (not too short, no cut offs). Culottes, skirts, dresses, and kilts (no commando) are also acceptable.

No open toed footwear.

Hats okay. (No goofy hats i.e. beer can hats.)

Team Competition

Team shirts are required for all teams. Dress code must meet singles competition requirements. Each member of the team must have their own shirt. The style of team shirts must be matching for all team members. This includes front and back of shirts, if they have a logo or monogram. A team theme is acceptable. **Official event shirts are acceptable for the Team event but must still be matching.**

ACCOMMODATION

A number of hotels are participating in accommodation for this tournament.

FOR HOTEL RESERVATIONS CALL or CLICK:



1- 800-663-1900

[web site bookings](#)

For more information on the tournament contact

Paul Sapp

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EQUIPMENT

40 – 7 foot coin operated Diamond Smart Tables

Tokens sold on site.