

NCWO Presents: FanimeCon 2023 Pump It Up Tournament

Friday, May 26th:

(Optional) 6pm-9pm: Upper Division Qualifiers

Saturday, May 27th:

11-2p: Pump it Up Lower Division Tournament

2-4p: Pump it Up Freestyle Tournament

4-10p: Pump it Up Upper Division Tournament

Event Link: <https://www.facebook.com/events/3451903268366367>

Registration: <https://forms.gle/uqYi4i7gXyfiZED8>

Norcal World Order Discord Server. <https://discord.gg/YMp4jEAeGQ>

Fanime's Covid Policy (subject to change): <https://www.fanime.com/news/covid-policy-update/>

Masks are required at all times in the arcade, for all participants and staff.

- Mods from the Display category are allowed.
- Mods in the Path / Alternate categories are strictly prohibited.

LOWER DIVISION

- **Lv 13-18 Gauntlet Tournament, regular judgment**
- **Prime 2 and XX arcade length songs only.**
- **NO Single Performance charts.**

Important:

- For Singles, we will default to having two players **play side by side**. Please let the Tournament Organizer know if you prefer to play alone.
- **In the event there are less participants than expected**, TO reserves the right to modify format to extend the play time for the participants.

Qualifier Round: One warm-up song, then **one random Singles chart level 13-14**; Top 20 scores advance

Top 20: One random Singles chart level 14-15; Top 12 scores advance

Top 12 Quarterfinals: One random Singles chart level 15-16; Top 8 scores advance

Top 8 Semifinals: Two random Singles Chart level 16-17; Top 4 Cumulative scores advance

Top 4 Finals: Two random Singles Charts level 17-18, Top 4 Cumulative score ranked

Tournament will end here if we run out of time. Else, we can proceed with Top 2

(If there is time)

Top 2 Grand Finals: Card Draw of singles level 18; first player to win best 2 of 3 wins.

- Preference Options: Veto order, Protect Order, Pad sides
- Higher seed chooses their first option, then lower seed chooses out of the remaining two, then higher seed gets the remaining option
- Draw 5 charts -> players protect 1 song each -> players veto 1 song each -> 3 songs remaining will be played from left to right

FREESTYLE:

- **One Routine with Warm Up**

This will be based off of Freestyle Takeover rules.

<https://freestyletakeover.wordpress.com/freestyle-takeover-rules/>

All performances must adhere to general guidelines of decency. **Please keep it PG, and do not do reckless actions on the machine. (In other words, if the judges give worrying looks during your routine...)**

If you plan on bringing props, please let us know beforehand so we can check if it's okay to bring into the venue.

You will be disqualified and potentially banned from Fanime if you do not adhere to the rules.

If you have any questions about these rules, or if you are worried that your routine does not adhere to the rules, please talk to the tournament organizers in advance.

Freestyle competitors **may do a warm up first** before their routine.

UPPER DIVISION:

- **All charts will be chosen from a predetermined chart list that will be released on the Friday of the tournament.**
- **19+ Singles Gauntlet until Top 8; Doubles Gauntlet until Top 2; Grand Final Card Draw Match**
- **Arcade length Singles only until Top 8**
- **Prime 2 and XX songs until Top 8**
- **Top 8 onwards, all versions allowed, shortcuts allowed.**
- **Top 4 onwards, remixes allowed.**
- **Grand Finals Singles and Doubles allowed.**

- **NO Single/Double Performance charts.**
- **Regular Judgment**

Important:

- For Singles, we will default to having two players **play side by side**. Please let the Tournament Organizer know if you prefer to play alone.
- **In the event of < 20 participants**, everyone will advance, and the rest of the seeds up to 20 will be blanked out.

Qualifier Round: One warm-up song, then **one Singles chart level 19-20;**

- Qualifiers can optionally be played in advance Friday evening 6-9pm. Else, you may play during designated start time of upper.
- You may only play the qualifier once, and there must be an NCWO staff to record your scores. Please ping @AzurianRex or @Valius on the Discord if you do not see us.
- Top 20 scores advance

Top 20: One Singles chart level 20-21;

- Top 12 scores advance

Top 12 Quarterfinals: One Singles chart level 21-22;

- Top 8 scores advance

Top 8 Semifinals: One Doubles 21-22

- Top 4 scores advance

Top 4 Finals: Two Doubles 22-23

- Top 4 Cumulative score ranked
- Top 2 Cumulative scores advance for Grand Finals

Tournament will end here if we run out of time. Else, we can proceed with Top 2

Top 2 Grand Finals: Card Draw of singles and doubles 24+; first player to win best 3 of 5 wins.

- Preference Options: Veto order, Protect Order, Doubles player order, Pad sides for Singles
- Higher seed chooses their first option, then lower seed chooses out of the remaining two, then higher seed gets the remaining option
- Draw 9 charts -> players protect 1 song each -> players veto 2 song each, alternating each veto -> 3 songs remaining will be played from left to right

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