



Hello disc golfers!

Baker Helton and Charles McCracken here. From all of us at the DSDGA, thank you for choosing this event this weekend! It means a lot to us that you're coming out and supporting the Arkansas State Doubles Championship. We hope you have a great time!

Huge thank you to Perks and Re-Creation for their support of this event! We couldn't do what we do without them. Make sure to check them out online at <https://perksandre-creation.com/> or shop in person at their store in downtown Little Rock (11:00 AM - 7:00 PM, Tuesday - Saturday).

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We ask that you take the time to read through this email carefully as it contains all of the critical information you need to get the best experience out of this event! If we have any updates after this email goes out, we will send you another email, and make posts in the Diamond State and 501 Disc Golf Facebook pages. If you have any questions, please let us know.

Schedule - Saturday, October 21

8:00 AM - 8:40 AM	Player check-in @ the outdoor pavilion near the clubhouse. All players MUST come and check-in. There will be no player meeting. Read the caddie books for an overview of all course-specific rules for this event.
9:00 AM	1st round tee off. Shotgun start. Your starting hole will be listed on PDGA live.

12:00 PM (estimated)	Lunch hour begins. No lunch on site but there are some places close by that you can get to easily and back in an hour. This is an estimated time.
1:00 PM (estimated)	2nd round tee off. Shotgun start. Your hole will be listed on PDGA live.
4:00 PM (estimated)	<p>Conclusion of 2nd round.</p> <p>Trophies will be given to the winners of each division. Check the PDGA page to see if you cashed.</p> <p>Digital vouchers will be processed after the event and you can use it in person at Perks and Re-Creation in downtown LR.</p> <p>If you paid into the \$5 ace pot, we will throw it off here if no aces are hit. Ace pots are split by pools.</p> <p>A POOL: MPO, MP40, MA40, and MA1</p> <p>B POOL: FPO, MO, MX1, MP50, MA50, FA1, MA2, and MA3</p>

*The lunch hour and round two start time will be determined based on when we finish round one. *You will tee off for round two no more than one hour after the last card from round one is turned in. We will post the 2nd round start times on the DSDGA & 501 Facebook pages as well as on the PDGA event page.*

Player Packs

All amateur players will receive a \$20 digital gift card to Perks and Re-creation using your name and email, that can be used for merchandise in their store. Players just need to go to Perks and give them their information to use the voucher. **Perks will be open until 7pm on Saturday if you want to go after the event is over.** These vouchers will be combined with any payout you receive from the event.

You will also receive and email on Saturday with a FREE month of access to the Disc Golf Network!

An All Digital Event

There will not be a "board" for this event. All scores, hole assignments, start times, etc, will be made available on the PDGA Event Pages ([Standard](#) - [Co-Ed](#)) **We will post preliminary hole assignments by early Saturday morning. Please double-check these hole assignments again, at 8:45 AM, before heading to your hole, as these are subject to change.**

NOTES FOR CO-ED TEAMS (TEAMS PLAYING MX1 or MO)

- Due to the way that PDGA systems are set up, we have to list the co-ed teams on a separate PDGA page. Make sure you're looking at [this page](#) and not the standard page. You'll also have a different score care log in (info below).

Score Keeping

All scorekeeping will be done via the PDGA live scoring web app. You can go to this [link](#) to sign in.

Instructions

1. Go to <https://www.pdga.com/apps/tournament/score/login>
2. Enter in the access code:
 - a. If you're in the following divisions, use code **ARDUBS23**
 - i. MPO
 - ii. MP40
 - iii. MA1
 - iv. MA2
 - v. MA3
 - b. If you're in the following divisions, use code **ARDUBS23X**
 - i. MX1 (
 - ii. NOTE: you will show up as playing in MA1 on PDGA live, but you're only playing against other Co-Ed teams because you're in a separate event.
3. If you're having trouble getting in with that access code, make sure that it is all one word (the case shouldn't matter). Get with Charles if you have issues.
4. Type in your PDGA number or name into the search bar and select your name when it comes up - this will check you into the event. You can check in at the time that you receive this email. You will be able to see your round one hole assignment via the live scoring app as soon as they are posted.
5. When you arrive at your starting hole, you can initiate the start to your round.
6. We HIGHLY recommend that at least two players keep score on separate phones during each round. If there are multiple people keeping score and you enter different scores on the same hole, the app will ask you to go back and resolve the discrepancy - this is a great feature so please take advantage of it by having two people keep score at the same time.

Water

Please ensure you are drinking water and staying hydrated. We ask that you come prepared with water for yourself. Water will be available at the following holes:

- Hole 1
- Hole 15
- In the pavilion (grab some as you head out to your holes)

If the water at a certain location is empty, please text Charles @ 501-749-4984.

Lunch

No lunch will be provided on site but you should have ample time to go find something!

Restrooms

There are restrooms located near the large field to the right of the playground. Please remember that we are in a public area if you have to go during the round.

Pro Payout

Pro payout will be issued via PayPal. If you are a pro and signed up for the event with an email address that is different from your PayPal address, please reply back with your PayPal address. We expect to have everyone paid out by the end of the day on Monday.

If you are an amateur playing pro, you can choose to take your payout in merchandise. **Please let us know when you are checking in if you are planning to do so.** Projected payouts will be published on the PDGA event pages. Please make sure to note that these are subject to change.

Am Payout

Amateur payouts will be done through Perks and Re-creation. Players will receive digital vouchers, using your name and email, that can be used for merchandise in their store or online. **Perks will be open until 7pm on Saturday if you want to go after the event is over. We will process all Am payout vouchers within one hour of the end of the event.** Projected payouts will be published on the PDGA event pages. Please make sure to note that these are subject to change.

Also, please note that if you're in the lower divisions, your entry fee is largely going towards your player pack, and even with that you're still getting an extra \$13 of value just by signing up for the event. Our player packs retail for \$33 and we're only deducting \$20 of value, so you're coming out on top.

COURSE LAYOUTS & ASSIGNMENTS BY DIVISION

MPO, MP40, MA40, and MA1 will play:

- Round 1: All short pads to all long baskets.
- Round 2: All long pads to all short baskets.

FPO, MO, MX1, MP50, MA50, FA1, MA2, and MA3 will play:

- Round 1: All short pads to all short baskets.
- Round 2: All long pads to all short baskets.

OB Sheets / [Caddie Book](#)

The official event caddie book can be [found here](#). All players are required to read the caddie book in full before participating in the event. Make special note of the “general course rules” sections as they are in effect across the entire course and may not be referenced in the individual notes on the PDGA live scoring description. If you want a paper copy of the caddie book, please print it out yourself. Please read the hole description before you throw a hole. If you have any questions about how to play a hole, play your [provisional](#) and bring it back to us after the round. All [PDGA rules](#) are in effect for this sanctioned event.

OB LINES

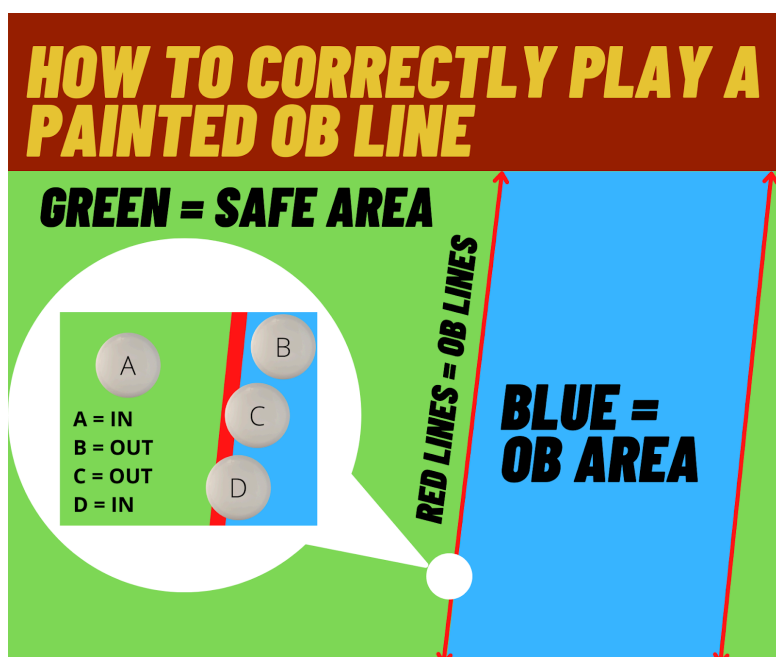
Please note that the tournament staff has tried to make the OB lines and rules clear on each hole. Judgment calls have to be made when deciding OB lines and while there may be a difference of opinion on how close or far a line is from a ditch, fence, concrete, etc., ultimately the line that was decided is the line. Please note the following information on OB lines:

- There was a tournament here the week before that used WHITE paint. In most places, the WHITE paint is still being played as OB this weekend.
- There are also areas with ORANGE paint. We used that paint color to clean up some lines that needed it. There may be a mix of ORANGE and WHITE paint on the same line. This is okay.

We have tried to do everything that we can to ensure that any rules decisions go smoothly but we understand that we may not be perfect or there may be a discrepancy about a ruling. We ask that if there is a question, that a [provisional](#) is played and that the information is brought to the tournament directors at the end of the round.

We understand that this is an important event for many people, and we are going to do our best to make correct and fair decisions. We ask for patience and understanding from all players as we truly are doing our best to make it a fair event for all competitors.

Please refer to the image below to ensure that you’re playing painted OB lines correctly. The entire width of any given OB line is OUT OF BOUNDS. A disc must be crossing the side of the OB line that touches the in bounds portion of the playing surface to be considered in. If a disc lands on the OUT side of any OB line with its edge fully surrounded by the OB line, it is OUT of bounds.



TD Contact Info - Call or Text

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Spotters/Lost Discs

Unfortunately, we do not have the ability to staff spotters for all of the potential lost discs spots that this course provides. Please help spot for your cardmates. In order to ensure that the speed of play is not overly slowed down by players searching for their discs, the [three minute rule for lost discs](#) will be heavily enforced. If a disc is proving hard to immediately locate, all players on the card should immediately begin searching for it. As soon as the card begins searching, one or more players should use their phone or watch to begin a three minute timer. All players are obligated to help search for the lost disc. If, after three minutes have passed, the disc has not been found, the disc must be declared lost. The player who has lost their disc should return to their previous lie and throw again after taking one penalty stroke. If a player loses their disc off their drive from the tee, they should return to the tee and drive again, this time throwing their 3rd shot. To avoid this scenario, all card members should keep an eye on all discs being thrown by their card mates and verbally communicate where they think the disc came to rest. If a disc is declared lost and then found afterwards, the status of the disc does not change. Please make sure you're familiar with this rule.

We want to once again thank you for deciding to play the event. Please be patient and kind with staff, players, etc. We want everyone to have a good time! We are glad you're here!