

2023 BEST IN DAYTON (BID) SERIES RULES

WHAT IS THE BEST IN DAYTON SERIES?

The BID Series has been a long standing tradition in Dayton. It is a season-long, multi-tournament Points Series that crowns the Best Disc Golfer in Dayton, by division.

WHO CAN PLAY IN THE BIDS?

Anybody! You can play one, two, or all events but your odds and eligibility of being crowned the 2023 Best in Dayton Champion increase with the more events you play.

WINNERS

The BID Champion of each division, at the end of the 5 event series, will receive: An award at the end-of-year members' party, a personalized custom "Best In Dayton" shirt, a free DDG membership with disc for the following year, and bragging rights to say "I'm the 2023 Best in Dayton Champion!"

HOW THE POINTS WORK

We are constantly looking to improve the BID, so that it offers a competitive and fair system that accurately reflects player participation and performance.

BID Series Points for finishing places at each event are as follows:

Place	Points	Place	Points	Place	Points	Place	Points
1	100	11	59	21	30	31	10
2	90	12	56	22	28	32	9
3	80	13	53	23	26	33	8
4	77	14	51	24	24	34	7
5	75	15	48	25	22	35	6
6	73	16	45	26	20	36	5
7	71	17	42	27	18	37	4
8	68	18	39	28	16	38	3
9	65	19	36	29	14	39	2
10	62	20	33	30	12	40	1

NO SHOWS will receive zero points.

BID Series Points will be calculated from all of the player's performances. The EV finale and final 9 scores will also be included in calculating this.

The overall objective is to have the MOST total points at the end of the season.

DIVISIONS

All divisions listed below will be offered with the following conditions:

1. There will be two Junior's Divisions offered (1 Mixed and 1 Female) and they will play for merchandise.
2. Divisions where only one participant is competing; You will be eligible to win your division. **However, ALL competitors will be required to play a minimum 3 out of 5 events (INCLUDING THE FINALE/CHAMPIONSHIP) to be eligible for end-of-year prizes and to be crowned their division's winner.**
3. Competitors may NOT move DOWN in divisions once they have played in any division; one time. However, you may move UP. (See conditions below)

DIVISIONS WITH FEWER THAN THREE PARTICIPANTS

Players may choose to stay in that division and earn BID Points normally, or they may choose to move to another division for which they are eligible. Their scores will then be moved to their normal division, ranked within that division, and BID Points awarded accordingly. Players may be the only competitor in their division, however all other eligibility criteria must be met.

CHANGING DIVISIONS

Players may move **UP** in divisions (e.g. from Recreational to Intermediate) **ONCE** before the 3rd event after which no more changes will be allowed. All **SCORES** from previous events, but **NOT** BID Points, will transfer to the new division and you will earn new points based on where you would have finished in that division had you played there that day.

For example: Slimon plays Rec at BID #1 and earns 100 BID Points for finishing first with a score of 110 on the day. Had he played Intermediate that day, Slimon's score of 110 would have earned him third place and 80 BID Points. At BID #2, Slimon decides to step up to Intermediate. Slimon's BID #1 BID Points are changed to 80 to reflect his decision to move to Intermediate.

For the purposes of division ranking, the following hierarchy will be used (from highest-to-lowest):

MPO-Open
FPO-Pro Women
MP40-Masters
MP50-Grandmasters
MP60-Sr Grandmasters
MA1-Advanced
MA40-Advanced Masters
MA50-Advanced Grandmasters
MA60-ADV Sr Grandmasters
MA2-Intermediate
MA3-Recreational
FA3-Am Women
MA4-Novice
MJ15, and FJ15-Juniors 15 and under

It is **HIGHLY** recommended that the division you start in is the division you play in all season long. It is also **highly encouraged** that you only sign up for a division in which you are eligible for, more specifically one that correlates with your PDGA rating. Please see above for guidelines for moving divisions.

SCHEDULE

The 2023 BID Series schedule is as follows:

BID #1: @ Germantown - 3/25/2023
BID #2: @ Sycamore Trails - 5/13/2023
BID #3: @ Fairborn HAH - 6/17/2023
BID #4: @ Belmont - 7/8/2023
BID #5 Championship: @ Echo Valley - 10/14/2023

The 2023 Best In Dayton Series Championship - event #5 - WILL be a C-Tier sanctioned event, and registration will only be available to qualified participants. You DO NOT have to be a current PDGA member to play this event. However, you MUST play two BID events prior to the BID Series Championship to qualify!

Prize distribution/ceremony will be held at our annual end of year membership party - 11/11/2023

All BID's are Shotgun start 2 rounds, with the first round tee off at 9AM.

You will be emailed your tee assignment by 9 p.m. the evening of each event's closing of registration. **Except, for BID #5 (Championship), this will be one rated round at Echo Valley.** In the event of any ties pertaining to FIRST PLACE points, those players will play a final 9. The Final 9 will count for additional BID points allowing those players a second chance at being **"The Best In Dayton"** in their division. Those points will be calculated using the 2023 points chart.

Sign-ups for all events will be VIA Discgolfsceen:

https://www.discgolfsceen.com/clubs/Dayton_Disc_Golf/events

PRICING

Entry fees for all BID Series Events are as follows:

**** Please contact ddgapres@gmail.com if you wish to sign up for the "Complete Package" - first four events ONLY - BID #5 will be \$25 separately. Optional ace fund buy in will be separate also, at \$5 per event. Please see DDG's by laws for ace fund stipulations for non-members.**

All MPO Divisions: \$25	Complete Package: \$90
All FPO Divisions: \$25	Complete Package: \$90
All Advanced Divisions: \$25	Complete Package: \$90
All Other Divisions: \$25	Complete Package: \$90
Non-DDG Member Fee: \$3 <u>EACH EVENT</u>	

**A very special thank you to our 2023 Best In Dayton Series event sponsor -
Christine Jennings with Streetlight Realty!!**

Thank you all for your participation in Dayton Disc Golf's Best In Dayton Series! We are continuously trying to determine and find the best ways to provide all participants with the opportunity to become the "Best in Dayton", in their respective divisions.

Have fun, good luck, and have a great BID season!