



WEDNESDAY - JUNE 12

Hello Competitors,

I'm writing to give you another update about the event this weekend. We're just a few days out now, and we can't wait for the event to start!

Schedule

The basic event schedule for this tournament can be found on the [disc golf scene page](#). Please take a look if you haven't already to ensure that you know when things are happening. All players must check in by 8:25 AM at the latest, and we ask that you make an effort to arrive no later than 8:15. There is also a mandatory player meeting at 8:30 AM on Saturday, where we will talk about a few things everyone needs to be aware of. More detailed schedule info will come in the standard player info email before the event.

Mowing Update / Course Painting

We've had several questions about when the courses will be fully mowed, so I wanted to make sure you all had an update from me on this.

Mowing is ongoing at Hindman Park. Over the past month, Little Rock has received a lot of rain, and the course sits on a flood plane, making it hard to mow when wet.

Both the LR Parks department and Perks and Re-Creation have been mowing the courses this week, and while they are not 100% complete yet, they are much improved and will continue to be worked on for the remainder of this week.

I'll be out there tomorrow with Baker, painting OB lines, and we will be out there doing more work on Friday. I know that we all want the courses to be completely mowed as early as possible, but it wasn't safe to begin work until a bit later than we would have liked. Thus, mowing will continue through Thursday and Friday. We know this isn't 100% ideal, and we ask for your patience and understanding as we continue this large project with limited time availability.

Come to practice Hindman as you plan to, but expect to see some tall grass still in a few spots while we keep working. Many holes are already in great shape, but there are several areas on both courses that still need attention. Please rest assured that we're working to address all of them ahead of the start of the competition.

Burns Park is looking FANTASTIC and has been fully mowed and painted for competition as of today (Wednesday). Please check the [caddie book](#) for some updated OB descriptions based on where the paint was put down (just to make things easier to understand and for player safety, no major changes).

Heat And Hydration

As I mentioned earlier, it will be a hot weekend in Little Rock.

- We're doubling down on heat safety measures by providing more water and Gatorade, plus some extra shade in areas we can (a few small tents and extra umbrellas).
- We ask that you make a plan to hydrate as much as possible ahead of this tournament, and we will talk as a group on Saturday about maintaining a pace of play that keeps everyone safe from the heat while also keeping the event moving at a reasonable clip.
- If you can, we recommend drinking some liquid IV or similar electrolyte drink the night before and the morning of the event! Hydration starts before you tee off!
- Thanks to everyone who's volunteered to bring extra ice chests and water and discuss how to stay safe in the heat online. It'll be hot, but we will be ready for it. Please make a plan to be ready for it on your end as well!

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That's it for now. See y'all out there for practice (come say hi if you see us out there painting and mowing) and the start of the tournament on Saturday.

Cheers,
Charles McCracken

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