

PLAYER GUIDE

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PREDATOR WORLD 10-BALL CHAMPIONSHIP



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NEW FOR THIS YEAR

Two players will receive the last two (2) spots in the Predator World 10-Ball Championship

The top two finishers of the 2020 Diamond Las Vegas Open who are not already invited and registered in the \$100,000 added Predator World 10-Ball Championship, will earn the final two (2) spots for that event.

GENERAL INFO

The purpose of this document is to provide the necessary information about the event. This document is not intended to convey the game rules. For those details, please refer to the World Standardized Rules at www.wpa-pool.com.

Event

Predator World 10-Ball Championship

March 16-20, 2020

\$100,000 added

WPA-Sanctioned Category 1 World Championship

www.world10ball.com

Location

Rio All-Suite Hotel & Casino

3700 West Flamingo Road

Las Vegas, Nevada 89103

United States of America

Sponsors

Predator

CueSports International (CSI)

Diamond Billiard Products

Kamui

Omega Billiards

Important Dates

Jan 20: Last day to confirm participation

Feb 1: Last day to pay entry fee

Mar 15: Players Meeting

Mar 16: Event begins

How to Pay Entry Fee

The entry fee is \$750 USD plus electronic processing fees. Below are the acceptable way to pay your entry fee.

1. Credit Card via Phone

Call CueSports International at 1-702-719-7665 and make a credit card payment over the phone. A 3% processing fee applies. Total entry fee plus processing fee is **\$772.50 USD**.

2. Check or Money Order

Send check or money order in the amount of **\$750 USD** payable to CueSports International via postal mail to the following address:

ATTN: Predator World 10-Ball Championship

CueSports International

2041 Pabco Road

Henderson, Nevada 89011

United States of America

3. PayPal

Visit <https://paypal.me/csipaypal> to submit payment. **MUST include the player name(s) you are paying for in the "Note" section of the PayPal checkout process.** A 5% processing fee applies. Total entry fee including processing fee is **\$787.50 USD**.

4. Wire Transfer

We accept wire transfers and 5% processing fee applies. Total entry fee including processing fee is **\$787.50 USD**.

MUST INCLUDE NAME OF FEDERATION AND/OR PLAYER NAME(S)

- * Routing Transit Number: 121000248
- * Bank Name: Wells Fargo Bank
- * Bank Street Address: 420 Montgomery Street
- * Bank City & State: San Francisco, CA
- * Beneficiary Account Number: 1299944262
- * Beneficiary Account Name: CUESPORTS INTERNATIONAL, LLC
- * SWIFT Code (for international wires only): WFBIUS6S

Refund Policy

Refund & change requests must be received in writing by email, fax, or postal mail by March 1, 2020 and will be processed after March 30, 2020. A \$20 USD processing fee applies to each entry refunded.

Hotel Info – Rio Hotel & Casino (Rates as low as \$88 / night | No resort fees | Free parking)

Book by Friday, Feb 21 to receive the special group discount. After Feb 21, rate is based on availability.

Phone Reservations: **888-746-6955**; Group Code: **SRCSXo**

Book Online: <https://book.passkey.com/go/SRCSXo>

Format**General**

- Field limited to 64 players chosen by WPA rankings, WPA member federations' rankings, qualifiers & promoter wild cards.
 - 16 WPA rankings
 - 7 APBU (Asian Pocket Billiard Union)
 - 7 EPBF (European Pocket Billiard Federation)
 - 6 BCA (Billiard Congress of America)
 - 3 CPB (Confederacion Panamericana De Billar)
 - 2 AAPA (All Africa Pool Association)
 - 2 OPBA (Oceania Pocket Billiard Association)
 - 4 Host wildcards
 - 1 WPA Wildcard
 - 16 Qualifiers
- WPA rules of play
- Alternate breaks
- Referee racks – players may not approach or inspect the rack
- 40-second shot clock on the feature table only. For the other tables, the referee will monitor and enforce the WPA slow play rule if necessary.

Stage 1

- All 64 players
- Double elimination to the final 16 players (8 on winners' side & 8 on the one-loss side)
- Race to 8

Stage 2

- Final 16 players from Stage 1
- Single elimination
- Random draw will determine new bracket placement (one-loss side player vs undefeated player)
- Race to 10

Payouts

1st	\$35,000
2nd	\$22,000
3rd-4th	\$12,000 ea.
5th-8th	\$5,050 ea.
9th-16th	\$3,000 ea.
17th-24th	\$1,850 ea.
25th-32nd	\$1,000 ea.
Total	\$148,000

WPA Tournament Direction

Ishaun Singh, WPA Sports Director.

Equipment

9-foot Diamond pool tables with pro cut pockets | Predator Brand Cloth | Predator Arcos II Balls | Predator Brand Bridges | Rack Template.

Dress Code

The following dress code will be strictly enforced. CSI has sole and final authority on all rules & regulations, including the dress code.

Approved Clothing

- Dress pants or casual slacks.
- Polo or button-down style shirt with sleeves, fold over or vertical collar. Button-down shirts may be worn unbuttoned if they are worn with a neat and tasteful undergarment. Button-down shirts worn without an undergarment may only be unbuttoned one button below the neck button or as deemed appropriate by the Tournament Director. Shirts should not be excessively loose or revealing.
- All footwear must be close toed and be normal in its style and wear. Shoes with laces must have the laces properly tied. Dark color tennis or walking shoes are acceptable but must be clean and neat.

Prohibited Clothing

- Athletic wear of any kind, including but not limited to sweats, swimwear, jogging suits, uniforms, jerseys or any type of pants with contrasting stripes not associated with formal wear.
- Shorts of any kind, regardless of apparent length. Pants must be normal in respect to the appropriate rise in relation to the length of garment and may not be excessively baggy or loose fitting.
- Overalls, coveralls, jeans, hats, headphones or ear pieces (unless medically needed – written medical proof required)

Sponsor Logos and Patches

Players may wear a maximum of three (3) logos on playing apparel ("player's logos"). All logos, including apparel brand logos, are included in this maximum of three (3) restriction. Logos may not exceed six (6) square inches. The player must submit to CueSports International (CSI), before his or her first match, samples of all sponsor logos for approval. CSI reserves the authority to disallow any sponsor logos for any reason, including but not limited to not submitting logo for approval or conflicting with any other event or broadcast sponsor. Additionally, CSI reserves the right to require any player to display event sponsor logos on the player's apparel in addition to the three (3) logos allowed.



