

TO: LOCAL COORDINATORS FOR THE GRAND NATIONAL TEAMS

FROM: MARIE JOLLEY DISTRICT 18 COORDINATOR

Re: DISTRICT 18 GRAND NATIONAL TEAMS (2011-2012) CONDITIONS OF CONTEST

Once again we have four flights based on Masterpoints (MP) achieved as of September 1, 2011

CHAMPIONSHIP	Unlimited Masterpoints
FLIGHT A	Under 5000 MP
FLIGHT B	Under 2000 MP
FLIGHT C	Non Life Master and/or Fewer Than 500 MP

Each team must preregister by Thursday April 20th 2012. The fee for each team in each flight is \$100.00 Grand National Teams will send these fees plus the bye-ins to the Board Representative for that area. Any contestants who are unable to qualify at a game within their District, for whatever reason, can buy into the District level play for a fee of \$40.00 per person. Monies are to be submitted with and in addition to the \$100.00 team entries.

The following information for each team member must include

- a) Players' names (please identify 'Captain' – the person to whom any communication will be sent)
- b) ACBL player numbers for each team member
- c) BBO online names for each team member
- d) Site(s) of participation (please clarify if some team members will be at different sites)
- e) Club(s) within District 18 where each team member has Qualified

Contestants in each flight, if feasible, will play the same deals within their flight and no two flights shall play the same deals.

The playoff dates on BBO are May 11th and May 12th 2012. ACBL will assign a Director-in-Charge (DIC).

For those advancing from the District 18 playoff, D18 will provide \$1500 for each Flight for the team representing us at the 2012 Philadelphia NABC (July 2012) to help cover expenses.

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