# Important Information - Huck For Hunger Ice Bowl 2 Disc Golf Tournament

Hello everyone, and welcome to the 2nd annual Huck for Hunger Ice Bowl disc golf charity tournament!!! (I am stoked for this event, if you can't already tell.)

With only a week until tee off, I wanted to share some important information with all of you.

The event will take place on Sunday, January 5th 2025 at the Sun Ray Park Disc Golf Course. Check-in will begin at 12:00pm and finish by 12:30pm. After that, we will have a short players meeting and assign each player to their starting hole. The player's meeting is mandatory. You will be accountable for having knowledge and understanding of any information provided at that meeting. Players must be at their starting hole no later than 12:58pm at which time the 2-minute warning will be sounded via air horn. Play will begin at 1:00pm when the starting blast is sounded.

Remember, once the 2-minute warning is sounded, all tournament rules are in effect; thus, practice throws or putts of any kind are no longer allowed and will count as a stroke against your score. Please arrive early to give yourself plenty of time to warm up and practice if needed.

The order of the holes will be as follows:

- Everyone will begin play at one of the 9 tees
- No matter where you start, you will first play all 9 holes in a loop to the baskets in the "A" position
- Once you return to your starting hole, you will play the loop again, but this time to the baskets in the "B" or temporary position.
- For example, if you are assigned to begin on hole 8, you will play the course in the following order; 8a, 9a, 1a, 2a, 3a, 4a, 5a, 6a, 7a, 8b, 9b (temp), 1b, 2b, 3b, 4b, 5b, 6b (temp), 7b (temp).

The course will be modified for this event, including the addition of three temporary baskets, additional out of bounds areas, and additional mandatory routes. It is the same layout that was used last year. Please familiarize yourself with the caddy book found at the link below. Each player is responsible for understanding the course layout for this tournament. Please feel free to reach out with any questions prior to the event.

https://m.discgolfscene.com/tournament-docs/87524/huck-for-hunger-ice-bowl-2-1010-huck-for-hunger-caddy-book-with-descriptions.pdf

## Additional Information:

This is a PDGA sanctioned XC-Tier event. The "X" is because this is a charity event, so payouts are somewhat reduced as a portion will go to the charity. Nevertheless, these will be PDGA rated rounds. Therefore, all PDGA rules will apply. Please familiarize yourself with the rules at <a href="https://www.pdga.com/rules">https://www.pdga.com/rules</a>.

For those of you who are brand new to tournament play, I recommend watching the video series called PDGA Rules School (linked below). It is a well presented, and easy to follow summary of the rules of disc golf. If you have any questions or need clarification on anything, please feel free to reach out to me right away.

## PDGA Rules School - YouTube Playlist

#### Scoring:

**Each** player will need to keep score for their entire group. At the end of the round we will need to reconcile any discrepancies before the scores are turned in. We will use <a href="mailto:pdga.com/score">pdga.com/score</a> as the official score card for this event (access code "Huck"). I highly recommend that everyone use the digital scorecard as it makes it very easy to reconcile and input scores after the event. Players may delegate this task to their designated caddy or adult chaperone (for the junior devisions). If you prefer to use a paper score card, please reach out to me to let me know and I can make one available for you to use.

### Discs:

Please ensure you are using PDGA approved discs only. Remember, many disc modifications (including adding stickers to your discs) are not allowed for sanctioned play.

I know this is a lot of information, but the main thing to remember is that our goal here is primarily to have fun, grow the sport, and support a good cause. We have a great disc golf community where people love to help one another. If you are playing in one of the amateur divisions, and you are new to the sport, and you have any questions or aren't sure of something, there is a good chance that someone in your group is more experienced and would be willing to help you out. Don't be afraid to ask them just because you may be competing against them.

I look forward to seeing you all next week.

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