





# REGISTRATION

CONTEST	ENTRY	SIDE	
ABT Open	350	100	
ABT Advanced	150	50 (ci	Please rcle your
Novice	see below		choices
Masters	600	200	7
Doubles	200	100	

**Registration: \$65** 

**Includes**: Meeting Space, Hospitality, Trophies, ABT Fee, etc.

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# FOR CREDIT CARD PAY LINK EMAIL REG INFO TO

Ross@CTBackgammon.com

Name:
eMail:
City/State/Country:
Cell Phone:
Doubles Partner:
Club/Organization:
TOTAL ENCLOSED:

MINIMUM DEPOSIT - REG FEE
Send Check by Feb 7, 2023

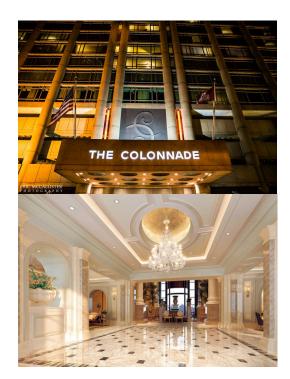
All fees paid onsite **must** be paid in cash

# **Mail Check Payable To:**

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# THE COLONNADE BOSTON

120 Huntington Ave Boston, MA 02116 617-424-7000

\$169 Single/Double per night Downtown, Right Next To The Prudential Center And Copley Place

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Hotel Reservations must be made by JAN 31, 2024

ANY PROBLEMS, CALL ROSS: 203-521-7866



The Massachusetts State
Backgammon Championships

Feb 23 - 25, 2024





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## THE GAMES

All Events 75-95% Return All SPs 95% Return and Follow re-entries

# Entry Fee Side Pool

# MAIN EVENTS (formats based on attendance, 2-3 game guarantee)

ABT <b>OPEN</b>	90% return	\$350	\$100	
11pt, 7pt Cons, 5pt LC		Clock Required		
ABT ADVANCE	ED 85% return	\$150	\$50	
9pt main, 7pt Cor	ıs, 5pt LC	Clock Required		

#### **NOVICE WORKSHOP**

\$120 for ages 25 and over, \$80 for ages 25 and under cost includes all bracket entries and registration https://usbgf.org/backgammon-for-everyone-novice-workshop/

### NOVICE BRACKETS 1-4 (non-workshop players)

## Fri 630p, Sat 12p and 6p, Sun 12p

\$40 registration, \$20 each bracket

5pt, Round Robin, Trophies (1st/2nd each bracket - no cash return)

# SIDE EVENTS

MASTERS 13pt Single Elimination	90% return	\$600 Clock R	\$200 Lequired
DOUBLES JACKPOT	85% return	\$200	\$100
7pt Single Elimination	18m/15	s Clock R	equired

**EARLYBIRD JACKPOT** 75% return \$100 \$40 7pt, Single Elimination with Consolation (1st/Conso)

<b>SPEEDGAMMON</b>	75% return	\$30	\$20
5pt, Continuous (re)entries	2m/10s	Clock Re	equired

BLITZ JACKPOT	75% return	\$50	\$20
5pts, Continuous 4 player	brackets,	1st (\$150)	

SR's JACKPOT (55+)	80% return	\$60	\$30
JR's JACKPOT (<55)	80% return	\$60	\$30

7pts, Single Elimination, continuous (re)entries

## OPEN JACKPOT 85% return \$200 \$100 7pt, Continuous (re)Entry, Open Only Clock Preferred

ADVANCED JACKPOT 80% return \$100 \$50 7pt, Continuous (re)Entry, Adv Only Clock Preferred



## THE SCHEDULE

# **FRIDAY FEB 23, 2024**

## WARM UP

12:00pm Doors Open
2:00pm EARLYBIRD JACKPOT begins
3:00pm ALL SIDE EVENTS BEGIN
6:00pm MASTERS begin
6:30pm NOVICE-1 TOURNEY
8:00pm DOUBLES begin
9:00pm Registration Closes
12:00am Tournament Room is Locked

# SATURDAY FEB 24, 2024

#### GAME ON

8:00am ALL SIDE EVENTS CONTINUE
9:30pm NOVICE Workshop
9:30am OPEN Begins
10:00am ADVANCED Begins
12:00pm NOVICE-2 TOURNEY
12:30pm Optional 30 min Lunch Break
5:00pm 2 HR DINNER BREAK
6:00pm NOVICE-3 TOURNEY
7:00pm PLAYER'S RECEPTION
7:30pm All Games Resume

12:00am Tournament Room is Locked

# **SUNDAY FEB 25, 2024**

#### TAKE'N NAMES

9:30am All Games Resume 9:30am NOVICE Workshop 12:00pm NOVICE-4 TOURNEY (unless otherwise instructed)

# Schedule subject to change

Players behind schedule may be required to play their next game(s) earlier than the scheduled times.

Contest Priority: (1) Main Event (2) Doubles (3) Masters (4) Other Jackpots Side Pool: Main only DIRECTOR'S DISCRETION



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## **GENERAL INFO**

USBGF membership is required to participate in ABT events there will be a membership staff on site for assistance

# ALL FEES PAID ON-SITE MUST BE CASH (USD) Make sure to confirm registration upon arrival. Late entries may be denied.

Entry is by invitation only and no one will be allowed to play below their ability. The staff reserves the right to refuse entry in the tournament and/or access to the premises without reason.

\$50 REGISTRATION FOR PLAYERS NOT REGISTERED FOR A MAIN EVENT CONTEST, SIDE GAMES ONLY

Please bring your own equipment if you have.

#### RULES SET

USBGF/ABT TOURNAMENT RULES (Legal Moves, One Pair of Dice, No Dice on Checkers)

### **CLOCK CLASSIFICATION**

REQUIRED - must be used
PREFERRED - if either player requests
AGREEMENT - if both players agree
All games are Clock Preferred at 2mpp/12s delay
unless otherwise noted. Director's Discretion.

Schedules, events and formats are subject to change without notice

### PERSONAL RECORDING STATION WITH A PRIVATE TABLE ALL WEEKEND! Your Laptop\*, Our Camera Setup ONLY 3 STATIONS AVAILABLE, \$150ea

Reserve In Advance - Pay On Arrival \*OBS and Logitech C930 Utility Recommended

Participation in this Tournament shall imply consent to audio and video-recording, live stream, and/or otherwise broadcast any or all games with your name and likeness.

Any questions please ask.



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