

**NORTH AMERICAN PAIRS (NAP) DISTRICT 15**  
**2024-2025 Conditions of Contest**  
**5/13/2024 revision**

The following, in conjunction with the ACBL Conditions of Contest, shall constitute the District 15 Conditions of Contest. The ACBL National Conditions of Contest may be referenced on the ACBL website - <http://web2.acbl.org/documentlibrary/play/NAP/CoC.pdf>

Each Unit in District 15 shall appoint a Unit Coordinator. This person shall be responsible for arranging Unit NAP competition, reporting unit results, and aiding clubs within their Unit with questions about the conditions of contest (COC). The name, address, phone number, and e-mail address of the Unit Coordinator shall be submitted to the District 15 Coordinator no later than June 1, 2024. If the Unit Coordinator does not have e-mail, an e-mail address of a contact person within the unit should be provided.

**SCHEDULE & FEE SUMMARY**

Level	Dates	District fee/session	ACBL fee/session
Club	Jun 1-Aug 31, 2024	\$4/table	\$5.15/table
Unit (optional)	Sep 1-Oct 31, 2024	\$6/table	\$7.15/table
District	November 15, 2024 OKC Sectional	\$10/table	tournament table fee

Checks for District fees should be made out to **District 15**. Checks should include your Club number and the number of tables.

Checks should be mailed to:

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## CLUB COMPETITION

**REPORTING:** Results of ALL club level games must be submitted to your Unit Coordinator; the District Coordinator DOES NOT need individual game results. Club level game fees are: \$5.15/table to the ACBL and \$4.00/table to the district. ACBL fees will be collected automatically, District fees should be submitted once all club games have been completed.

**NOTE:** If no clubs in a Unit hold Club level qualifying games, the Unit must hold at least one Club level qualifying game.

## UNIT LEVEL COMPETITION

**The Unit level of Competition is optional.** If held, Unit level finals should be scheduled from September 1, 2024 through October 31, 2024. The Unit final can be one or two sessions; Unit level games of two sessions award some Gold points. The game should be seeded with pairs from each flight evenly distributed in the North-South and East-West positions. Each session of a Unit Final must be at least 24 and no more than 30 boards.

**QUALIFICATION:** All participants in the Unit final must have qualified at a Club level game. There is no provision for a “Buy-in”. All players must be ACBL members in good standing and a member of a Unit in District 15. Any player that qualified in any club may play with any other qualified player in the district.

**REPORTING:** The Unit Coordinator must submit the results of the Unit Final to the District Coordinator. Unit level game fees are: \$7.15/table/session to the ACBL and \$6.00/table/session to the district.

## DISTRICT LEVEL COMPETITION

The District 15 NAP Finals will be held at the Oklahoma City Sectional on November 15, 2024.

Attendance permitting, the District Final will be a two (2) session flighted event. A two session playthrough stratified event will be allowed if attendance is insufficient to support separate flights.

**QUALIFICATION:** All participants in the District Final must have qualified at the CLUB level. There is NO provision for a “Buy-in” for this event. All players must be ACBL members in good standing and a member of a Unit in District 15. Any player that qualified in any club may play with any other qualified player in the district.

**NATIONAL FINAL QUALIFICATIONS:** The top three (3) pairs in flight A and the top four (4) pairs in flights B & C qualify to the National Finals. Those who qualify for participation in the national finals will be notified by the ACBL Special Events Coordinator of any subsidy their finish in the district finals may have earned and the qualified participants will be notified by the District Secretary/Treasurer of any district subsidy.

**Pairs qualifying to the National finals qualify as a pair, and no new partnerships may be formed at the National finals unless allowed in the National Conditions of Contest.**

Ties for any qualifying position will be broken as follows:

a) Considering only boards played in common, a pair will receive one point for each board played in common on which it outscores the other tied pair(s) and one-half point for each tied board. In addition, on boards not played in common, a pair will receive one point for a score above average and one-half point for a score of average.

b) If the above does not break the tie or in cases where the pairs played no boards in common, compare matchpoints on all boards against average. Award a pair one point for each score above average and one-half point for each score of average.