

HP Pro Tour Divisional Changes for 2012

In an effort to enhance the lower divisions for 2012, and to allow all players a chance to participate, the HP Pro Tour will implement the following changes.

Players whose average places them in a specific division at the time their entry is received, cannot participate in a lower division. However, players are permitted to participate in a higher division, but must pay the required entry fee for that group. If at any time, a division doesn't meet the required number of entrants to hold that group, then players have the option to move to a higher division, or a refund of their entry fee.

Division I	60% or over	Separate Divisions	\$100 Entry Fee
Division II	30% to 59%	Separate Divisions	\$50 Entry Fee
Open Div.	39% and under	Mixed, no Sponsorship	\$30 Entry Fee

The overlapped averages (any player whose average is 30-39%) will have the option to participate in either the Division II or the Open Division. The players in the Open Division will be grouped into no more than 10 in a class, similar to a regular NHPA format.

All players 40-59% must play in Division II, and players with less than 30% must play in the Open Division unless that division doesn't meet the required numbers to hold the division.

Players must specify the division they are playing in, on the entry form at the time of the tournament deadline.

Any questions can be directed to Ron Taylor at 803-207-9001.