

2024 Player's Cup (BMAB) Calendar

Jan 3- NY/NJ Metro -JH
Feb 29- Atlanta Classic-RL
Mar 21- Ohio State-DO-RL
Apr 17- Cherry Blossom-BF
May 23-Chicago Open-DO-RL
Jun 6- LA Open-RL
Jul 3- Michigan Champs-DO-RL
Aug 29-Viking Classic-JH
Sep 26 St.Louis GatewayRL-DO
Oct 9- Denver Wild West-BF
Nov- Miami
Dec 11- California Champs

More events will be added, dates may shift. Most events have limited capacity. Sign up early!

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Imagine a live backgammon league,



..where every match is recorded and transcribed. Tournaments where you continue to play even if you lose....You are entering another dimension of backgammon. See the board, hear the dice, expand your mind. Journey to accrue stars for the annual race and attempt to obtain a prestigious Iron Star. Journey into the real live world of Player's Cup Backgammon.



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PLAYER'S CUP BACKGAMMON

2024

Annual Circuit of BMAB Tourneys

Mission Statement

The Player's Cup seeks to foment a prestigious and highly competitive community of backgammon players, where camaraderie and the celebration of match play take center stage. We are dedicated to providing a platform for backgammon enthusiasts of all skill levels, from Novices to Grandmasters, to come together, engage in fierce competition, and strive for excellence in the game, all while promoting continuous learning through match recording and analysis.

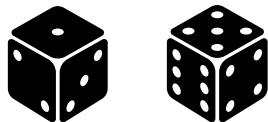


I want to win an Iron Star, dude!

But I'll take the unlucky dice and never complain.

Unlucky Dice winner

The player with the worst luck in each event, according to XG, receives their entry fee back.



Elevate Backgammon Excellence:

Player's Cup Backgammon is designed for those who wish to compete at the highest level and continuously enhance their game. In this pursuit, all matches are recorded, transcribed and submitted to BMAB for recognition and application towards individual titles.. Participants receive a link to the videos and the XG files for analysis.



Emphasis on Match Wins:

While match analysis (PR) is a valuable tool for learning, it is not a criteria for winning the events on the circuit. We celebrate and reward the competitive spirit through match wins, making it a level playing field for all players.



Full Participation and Star Race:

In each Player's Cup event, everyone plays all the rounds, regardless of whether they win or lose. Each win counts towards the annual stars race, adding an extra layer of excitement and competition to each event and the race for the Player's Cup Backgammon title.

Don't miss the action!

Come out and play!

Iron Star Legacy

The pinnacle of the circuit's recognition is the coveted Iron Star, a lifetime legacy achievement, awarded to the player who wins an event outright. If the top spot is shared, each participating player receives a fraction of an Iron Star. Each star is numbered and registered for perpetuity.



Player's Cup Champion

The top three player's in the annual stars race receive trophies.

The top two player's split \$1000 added money

The top player is named **Player's Cup Champion**.

Champion's name will be inscribed on Player's Cup perpetual trophy alongside past and future champions.