

Here are the ADOGA tournaments formats explained. Tournament names and are in red, format names are in (parentheses).

****Disclaimer**** These formats are how we at the ADOGA play them, other associations may have different interpretations.

ABCD 4-Man Las Vegas Scramble- (Las Vegas Scramble)-

Four-man teams are determined by blind draw. All four players tee off and the select the best tee shot. All four players play their second shot from where the best tee shot was located (same as a Scramble). However, from the second shot on, all players play their own ball until holed. The team score is determined by adding the best two individual scores.

Spring Individual- (Individual Stroke Play)-

Individual tournaments are the most basic form of tournament play – players record their hole by hole scores on the scorecard and simply add their total strokes at the end of each round, and the player with the lowest score wins. 100% of the player's course handicap is subtracted from their gross score to get their net score.

Two Man Six Shooter- (6 Shooter)-

Two-man team plays 6 holes alternate shot, 6 holes best ball and 6 holes as a scramble. Which holes are which format are determined ahead of time and are outlined in the rules sheet.

Alternate Shot (True Alternate Shot)- Teams of two players alternate shots from tee to the green. Players should decide beforehand who will hit the first shot and then they alternate every shot from there on. When one teammate makes the putt, his partner hits the drive on the next hole. No player hits two consecutive shots.

Two-Man Best Ball- Format in which there are two-man teams but each player plays their own ball from tee to green the entire round. The lowest individual score on each hole serves as the team score for that hole, net and gross.

Scramble- Both players on a team tee off and then select the best shot. All players then play their next shot from where the best shot was located and so on. Continue in this fashion until the ball is holed.

Los Altos Invitational- (Individual Stroke Play)-

Individual tournaments are the most basic form of tournament play – players record their hole by hole scores on the scorecard and simply add their total strokes at the end of each round, and the player with the lowest score wins. 100% of the player's course handicap is subtracted from their gross score to get their net score.

Summer Individual- (Individual Stroke Play)-

Individual tournaments are the most basic form of tournament play – players record their hole by hole scores on the scorecard and simply add their total strokes at the end of each round, and the player with the lowest score wins. 100% of the player's course handicap is subtracted from their gross score to get their net score.

Member/Guest Shootout- (Alternate Shot 9 Hole Shoot Out)-

A format where all teams (9 or more) begin on the first hole. Each team plays the hole using the alternate shot format. The teams with the highest score on each hole are eliminated until only one team is left at the end. The team left is the winner.

Alternate Shot (True Alternate Shot)- Teams of two players alternate shots from tee to the green. Players should decide beforehand who will hit the first shot and then they alternate every shot from there on. When one teammate makes the putt, his partner hits the drive on the next hole. No player hits two consecutive shots.

Member/Guest - (Multiple Formats)-

Two-Man Best Ball (Day One)- Format in which there are two-man teams but each player plays their own ball the entire round. The lowest individual score on a particular hole serves as the team score for that hole, net and gross.

Two-Man Las Vegas Scramble (Day Two)- Both players tee off and then select the best shot. Both players play their second shot from where the best shot was located (same as a Scramble). However, from the second shot on, both players play their own ball. Both players scores count (combined score).

Club Championship - (Individual Stroke Play)-

Individual tournaments are the most basic form of tournament play – players record their hole by hole scores on the scorecard and simply add their total strokes at the end of each round, and the player with the lowest score wins. 100% of the player's course handicap is subtracted from their gross score to get their net score.

Best Ball Championship - (Two-Man Best Ball)-

Two-Man Best Ball- Format in which there are two-man teams but each player plays their own ball the entire round. The lowest individual score on a particular hole serves as the team score for that hole, net and gross.

Modified Stableford Individual - (Modified Stableford Scoring)-

An individual tournament, but instead of counting strokes on a hole, golfers are awarded points based on their performance on each hole, the player with the highest point total is the winner.

Modified Stableford Scoring:

Double Eagle= 10 points

Eagle= 7 points

Birdie= 3 points

Par= 1 point

Bogey= 0 points

Double Bogey or worse= -1 point

Fall Finale - (Individual Stroke Play)-

Individual tournaments are the most basic form of tournament play – players record their hole by hole scores on the scorecard and simply add their total strokes at the end of each round, and the player with the lowest score wins. 100% of the player's course handicap is subtracted from their gross score to get their net score.