



*Everything you always wanted to know  
about running an ACUI Recreation  
Tournament – but didn't know to ask!*

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## *Agenda:*

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- Campus Tournament
- Recap of 2008 Recreation Tournament
- 2009 Recreation Tournament
- Question/Answer



## *Timeline:*

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- Pick a date
  - Late Fall semester or early Spring.
- Pick a purpose
  - ACUI Regional Qualifier?
  - Registration paid for if winner?



## *Events:*

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- 9-Ball Billiards\*
- Table Tennis\*
- Bowling
- Chess
- Poker
- Dance Dance Revolution
- Etc.



## *Eligibility Requirements:*

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- Enrolled Student in good standing
  - 6 credits
- GPA for National Tournament
  - Undergraduate student: 2.0 (4.0 scale)
  - Graduate student: 3.0 (4.0 scale)
- Academic Eligibility & Code of Conduct Form



## *Registration Fee:*

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- You may choose to have a registration fee for your tournament. Depending on expected turnout and purpose of tournament you will set the price.



## *Location:*

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- Table Tennis
  - Normally at schools Recreation Center
- 9-Ball Billiards
  - On campus or at a nearby facility



## *Needs:*

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- Table Tennis:
  - Wooden Floors – non-slip
  - High Ceilings
  - Adequate Lighting – sunlight?
  - Tables (what brand?) – No holes/bumps!
    - Blue or Green
  - Nets
  - Balls
    - White or Orange



## *Needs:*

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### ○ 9-Ball:

- Tables – 6 for every table
  - Ex: 36 players – 6 tables
- New cloth
- 9-foot or 8-foot
  - National is on 9-foot tables
- Lighting directly over tables
- Space around table (5 feet)
- Balls – same set
- Rack and Bridge



## *Other needs:*

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- Table for tournament director
- Board to post brackets
- PA system to announce players
- Available tournament rules
- Volunteers



## *Things to consider:*

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- Can we get the tournament done in one day, or do we need two?
- Are there clubs on campus we can offer to co-sponsor?
- Will we provide meals?
- Will we provide transportation to facilities?
- Second Chance Tournaments



## *Mock Schedule:*

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- 8:00am – Registration
- 8:30am – 9:00am – Information Meeting
- 9:00am – 10:00am – Practice
- 10:00am – 6:00pm – Tournament Play
- 12:00pm – 1:30pm – Lunch at sites
- 6:00pm - Awards

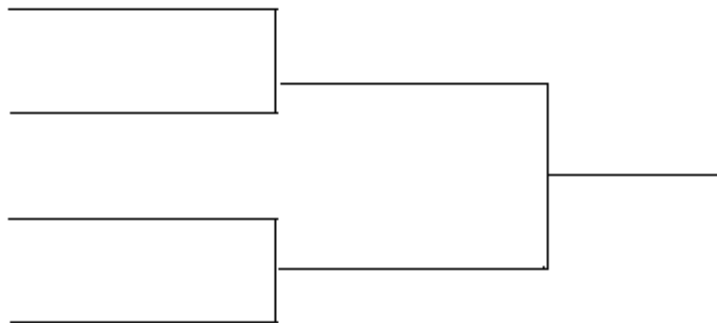




## *Tournament Style:*

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- 9-Ball:
  - Again, depending on the number of tables and participants you may find Round-Robin, double elimination, or knockout to fit best.





## *2008 Recreation Tournament:*

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- Nova Southeastern University
  - Table Tennis
    - RecPlex
  - 9-Ball
    - Beyond Billiards
- February 8<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup>, 2008



## *2008 Recreation Tournament:*

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- Nova Southeastern University
- University of Florida
- Florida International University
- Florida State University
- Manatee Community College



## *2008 Recreation Tournament:*

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- Men's 9-Ball
  - 27 participants
    - Top 3 qualified for National Tournament
- Women's 9-Ball
  - 8 participants
    - Top 2 qualified for National Tournament
- Men's Table Tennis
  - 10 participants
    - Top 4 qualified for National Tournament



## *2009 Recreation Tournament:*

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- University of Central Florida
- February 27<sup>th</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup>, 2009
- 9-Ball & Table Tennis

***SAVE THE DATE!!***





## *2009 Recreation Tournament:*

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- Official Interest Form due November 21, 2008
- Registration will begin January
- Hotel info available online at [www.acui.org/region/06](http://www.acui.org/region/06)



## *Helpful Places:*

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- ACUI – [www.acui.org](http://www.acui.org)
- Region 6 – [www.acui.org/region/06](http://www.acui.org/region/06)
- USA Table Tennis – [www.usatt.org](http://www.usatt.org)
- National Collegiate Table Tennis Association  
– [www.nctta.org](http://www.nctta.org)
- Billiards Congress of America  
– [www.bca-pool.com](http://www.bca-pool.com)



## *Helpful Places:*

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- FACEBOOK!!

- ACUI
- ACUI 9-Ball
- ACUI Table Tennis
- ACUI Region 6
- ACUI Region 6 Recreation Tournament

*Questions?*

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## *Contact Me!*

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