

PLAYER GUIDE

2020

DIAMOND LAS VEGAS OPEN



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RIO HOTEL & CASINO, LAS VEGAS, NV.

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2020

- \$25,000 ADDED
- FIELD LIMITED TO 128 PLAYERS
- 10-BALL (RACE TO 7)
- PLAYED ON 9FT DIAMOND PRO-AM TABLES

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NEW FOR THIS YEAR

Event changed to 10-ball

Due to popular demand, this event will now be 10-ball rather than 9-ball.

Two players will receive the last two (2) spots in the Predator World 10-Ball Championship

The top two finishers of the 2020 Diamond Las Vegas Open who are not already invited and registered in the \$100,000 added Predator World 10-Ball Championship, will earn the final two (2) spots for that event.

GENERAL INFO

The purpose of this document is to provide the necessary information about the event. This document is not intended to convey the game rules. For those details, please refer to the World Standardized Rules at www.wpa-pool.com.

Important Dates

Jan 20:	Last day for early entry discount	Feb 21:	Last day for refund requests
Feb 17:	Last day for mailed entries & personal checks	Mar 6:	Last day to register online
Feb 21:	Last day for hotel discount	Mar 10:	Last day to register on-site (7pm)

Refund Policy

Refund & change requests must be received in writing by email, fax, or postal mail by Feb 21, 2020 and will be processed after March 30, 2020. Admin fees are non-refundable and an additional \$20 processing fee applies to each entry refunded.

On-Site Registration

On-site registration must be cash only in US currency and received no later than 7pm on Tuesday, March 10. On-site registrations are non-refundable.

Hotel Info – Rio Hotel & Casino (Rates as low as \$88 / night | No resort fees | Free parking)

Book by Friday, Feb 21 to receive the special group discount. After Feb 21, rate is based on availability.

Phone Reservations: **888-746-6955**; Group Code: **SRCSX0**

Book Online: <https://book.passkey.com/go/SRCSX0>

Format

- 10-ball, race to 7 (9 in the final)
- Field limited to the first 128 paid entries
- Played on 9-foot Diamond tables
- Double elimination, alternate break, rack your own
- World Standardized Rules (WSR)

Payouts

1 st	\$17,000
2 nd	\$10,000
3 rd	\$6,000
4 th	\$4,000
5 th -6 th	\$2,500 ea.
7 th -8 th	\$1,500 ea.
9 th -12 th	\$1,000 ea.
13 th -16 th	\$600 ea.
17 th -24 th	\$400 ea.
25 th -32 nd	\$300 ea.
Total	\$57,000

Equipment

9-foot Diamond pool tables with pro cut pockets | Predator Brand Cloth | Predator Arcos II Balls | Predator Brand Bridges | Rack Template

Rules

World Standardized Rules are in effect and can be found at www.playcspool.com/2020-lv-open

Dress Code

The following dress code will be strictly enforced. CSI has sole and final authority on all rules & regulations, including the dress code.

Approved Clothing

- Dress pants or casual slacks.
- Polo or button-down style shirt with sleeves, fold over or vertical collar. Button-down shirts may be worn unbuttoned if they are worn with a neat and tasteful undergarment. Button-down shirts worn without an undergarment may only be unbuttoned one button below the neck button or as deemed appropriate by the Tournament Director. Shirts should not be excessively loose or revealing.
- All footwear must be close toed and be normal in its style and wear. Shoes with laces must have the laces properly tied. Dark color tennis or walking shoes are acceptable but must be clean and neat.

Prohibited Clothing

- Athletic wear of any kind, including but not limited to sweats, swimwear, jogging suits, uniforms, jerseys or any type of pants with contrasting stripes not associated with formal wear.
- Shorts of any kind, regardless of apparent length. Pants must be normal in respect to the appropriate rise in relation to the length of garment and may not be excessively baggy or loose fitting.
- Overalls, coveralls, jeans, hats, headphones or ear pieces (unless medically needed – written medical proof required)

Sponsor Logos and Patches

Players may wear a maximum of three (3) logos on playing apparel ("player's logos"). All logos, including apparel brand logos, are included in this maximum of three (3) restriction. Logos may not exceed six (6) square inches. The player must submit to CueSports International (CSI), before his or her first match, samples of all sponsor logos for approval. CSI reserves the authority to disallow any sponsor logos for any reason, including but not limited to not submitting logo for approval or conflicting with any other event or broadcast sponsor. Additionally, CSI reserves the right to require any player to display event sponsor logos on the player's apparel in addition to the three (3) logos allowed.

Start Times & Format

Divisions may begin as early as the times listed. However, various factors could delay start times and a delayed start is not grounds for a refund. Always check the tournament brackets at www.ctsondemand.com for the exact start time of your match.

Plan Your Travel Carefully

We encourage you to allow plenty of time before and after the event for travel. CueSports International is not responsible for airline delays, lost luggage, traffic jams or any other travel-related issue that could cause you to miss your match and be forfeited. Matches are not delayed or accelerated to accommodate travel issues. Therefore, you are advised to arrive early.

How to Avoid Forfeits

People sometimes forfeit matches because they do not follow the correct procedures. Matches are not announced at the event and there may be occasions when your table is not available at the scheduled time because earlier matches are running late. You are responsible to be at your assigned table when it becomes available. Please review Appendix A – Using CTS (CueSports Tournament System) and the Tournament Regulations. These documents detail the process of avoiding forfeits. If you still need help, please ask the Tournament Director. Being forfeited as a result of not following the correct procedures (see the Golden Rule below) is not grounds for a refund or a credit of any kind.

Golden Rule: If you are at your assigned table at the scheduled match time and do not leave, you cannot be forfeited.

Registration Fees & Deadlines

EVENT	START (approx)	RACE	EARLY ¹ ENTRY (by Jan 20)	LATE ¹ ENTRY (Jan 21-Mar 6)	ON-SITE ^{1,2} ENTRY (on-site)
<input type="checkbox"/> Diamond Las Vegas Open ³	Mar 11 (Wed) 10am	7 (9 in final)	\$275	\$300	\$325

1. Each entry includes \$250 for the prize fund. The remainder is an admin fee.
2. On-site entries must be received by 7pm on Tuesday, March 10.
3. \$25,000 total added guaranteed.

