

30th ANNUAL NORTH DAKOTA STATE PINOCHLE TOURNAMENT



FEBRUARY 16th & 17th, 2019
VALLEY CITY, NORTH DAKOTA
Valley City Eagles Club



PINOCHLE TEAM REGISTRATION FORM

Name: _____
Address: _____

Phone: _____
Email: _____
Has your address changed? Yes No

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**You may be asked to provide your SSN for distribution of Cash Prizes.*

1. Please fill out registration information above and cut off at the dotted line
2. Enclose your registration fee of \$50/team (\$25 per person)
3. Mail registration to: Valley City Area Chamber of Commerce
250 West Main Street
Valley City, ND 58072
4. Team numbers will be assigned
5. Entries must be received ***no later*** than 5:00 PM on **Tuesday, February 12th.**

Schedule of Play:

Saturday, February 16th

Opening Round *(the Eagle's will have a buffet available for a 45 min. lunch break)*

7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m. – Check in/coffee and rolls provided.

8:45 a.m. – Be seated at assigned tables for review of rules and door prizes.

9:00 a.m. – Play begins, 2 sets of 12 rounds, total of 96 hands (1 set of 12 rounds before lunch, 1 set of 12 rounds after lunch).

Sunday, February 17th

Consolation Round – Free to all who did not make the Championship (**1st \$100, 2nd \$75, 3rd \$25**)

10:00am-10:45am – Registration.

11:00am — Play begins, 1 set of 12 rounds, total of 48 hands.

Championship Round – **100% total payback for top 15 places!** Top team scorers from Saturday will also be awarded.

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11:00am — Play begins, 1 set of 12 rounds, total of 48 hands.

Team Movement: After each table (4 hands) teams named Jack move one table number up.
Teams named Queen move one table number down.

Pinochle Rules:

ANY DISCREPANCIES – STOP PLAY AND GET THE TOURNAMENT OFFICIAL IMMEDIATELY.

1. Each team consists of 2 people 21 years of age or older.
2. Scoring is written in ones only as 3 – 4 – 5, etc. Three digit scoring only. Example, a total score of 56 would be written as 056.
3. Team number and player names must be placed on left side of your score sheet with your opponent's information on the right. *Ensure that only Negative scores are circled!*
4. Cards will be dealt 3 at a time.
5. Scores are to be checked and signed by opposing team *after* all four hands have been completed.
6. You may pick up your partner's pass after you have sent your pass.
7. In playing hand, non-bidding team must take a trick to save meld.
8. No jump bids or signaling of any kind.
9. Players may ask for a new deck of cards if overly worn.
10. Bidder can call no pass. Must play out hand.
(You do not have to pass three cards to your partner)
11. No cell phones may be used at the tables once cards have been dealt.

CARD POINT SCORING	
	Dealer gets drop at 25, others open at 30
	ROPE, Jack through Ace of trump, count 19
	9's in trump suit count 1 each
	Roundhouse (marriage in every suit), count.... 24
	4 Aces, one of each suit, count..... 10
	Kings, one of each suit, count 8
	Queens, one of each suit, count 6
	Jacks, one of each suit, count 4
	Marriage in trump counts 4; all others count 2
	Pinochle is 4; Double pinochle counts 30
	Rope and Roundhouse, count 39
	Double Rope 150
	Order of power: Ace, Ten, King, Queen, Jack, Nine

Penalties:

1. Flashing: Only meld cards may be shown when declaring meld. During play, there will be no penalty or renege for a card dropped by mistake.
2. All hands will be played no matter if you make board or not. If you do not make bid, bidding team will go back their bid and opponents will receive points made. All Sets, *.50 fine each player.*
3. Penalty for renege by either team will result in going back 25 points and *.50 fine each player.* Non- renegeing team will receive 25 points and their meld.
4. All drop bids will be played.

*****Remember, Even Jacks play Even Queens, Odd Jacks play Odd Queens.*****

We have the right to refuse any registration application. Any unsportsmanlike conduct will result in being dropped from the tournament.

*** No new teams will be added for Sundays consolation round.**



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Pinochle Tournament
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You're Invited!
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You can find more registration forms online at
www.valleycitychamber.com or
pick them up at the Rosebud Visitor Center



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