



WOMEN'S DIVISION WLDC FORMAT
32 PLAYERS

ROUND 1 – Five Sets; Point Totals Accrue; Top 8 (top 4 from each group of 16) advances to Quarterfinals Match Play Round

32 Competitors are divided into 2 groups of 16. Each group of 16 will complete five sets of eight balls in 3 minutes. Their longest ball in each set will establish his standing within a group of four hitters, of which all four hitters will be on the tee at the same time.

Each competitor will be awarded points for each set based on his finish within the group of four. The amount of points a competitor amasses over his five completed sets will determine his overall standing in the group.

Points will be awarded within each group of four on the following basis: First-200 points; Second-100 points; Third-50 points; Fourth-25 points.

Hitting Rotation

Before play begins, each competitor will be assigned a hitting number. He will keep that same number throughout the event.

The matrix below shows the hitting rotation for each competitor during the five sets. At the completion of play, each hitter will have faced the other 15 competitors in the group.

Set One

- Group 1: 1-8-9-16
- Group 2: 4-5-12-13
- Group 3: 3-6-11-14
- Group 4: 2-7-10-15

Set Four

- Group 1: 14-9-5-2
- Group 2: 15-12-8-3
- Group 3: 16-11-7-4
- Group 4: 13-10-6-1

Set Two

- Group 1: 6-4-15-9
- Group 2: 5-3-16-10
- Group 3: 8-2-13-11
- Group 4: 7-1-14-12

Set Five

- Group 1: 16-15-14-13
- Group 2: 12-11-10-9
- Group 3: 8-7-6-5
- Group 4: 4-3-2-1

Set Three

- Group 1: 9-13-3-7
- Group 2: 12-16-2-6
- Group 3: 11-15-1-5
- Group 4: 10-14-4-8



Match Play Round of Quarterfinals / Semifinals / Finals

In the Round of Quarterfinals, Semifinals, and Finals, players compete in a head-to-head match consisting of ONLY ONE set. The higher seed will have the choice of either hitting 1st or 2nd. In these rounds, competitors will hit 2 sets of 4 balls in 1 minute 30 seconds. Player 1 will hit his first four balls, and then player 2 will hit his first four balls. Next, player 1 will hit his second set of four balls, and if necessary, player 2 will hit his last four balls. The winner of the match advances to the next round.