



ACO Season VIII

“The Short Season”

- \$20 Annual ACO Membership Dues
- Must be ACO Member to play in World Ranking Points tournaments
- Members should carry their membership card to ACO events
- Memberships acquired after October 15, 2012 are valid through July 31, 2014
- New ACO-PRO status can only be achieved in Short Season by finishing in the final 64 of KOC VIII

ACO Season VIII Schedule

Masters REGIONALS will only be run in Short Season for points. No Majors will be run in Short Season but will resume with ACO Season IX.

SHORT SEASON REGIONAL SCHEDULE

MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
Icehole	Spring Fling	Cornhole DeMayo	Great American Pitchout

World Ranking Points (WRP) Program

- Points earned from scores in the Skills Challenge Rating (SCR) and Masters Regional Tournaments
- Singles WRP = SCR + Points earned in ACO Masters Regional Tournaments (best three of four count towards rankings)
- Doubles WRP = Team SCR + Points earned in ACO Masters Regional Tournaments (best three of four count towards rankings)
- World Ranking Points = WRP = may be used for ACO Tournament seeding
- Player finishing #1 in the World Rankings at end of points-earning season will be named “ACO-PRO Player of the Year”
- Team finishing #1 in the World Rankings at end of points-earning season will be named “ACO-PRO Team of the Year”
- Last eligible date for taking frame game tests will be Sunday June 30, 2013
- Last eligible WRP points will be earned at Great American Pitchout Masters Regional

Visit www.AmericanCornhole.com for further details



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What is a SCR?

- A complete SCR or Skills Challenge Rating = the average of four Frame Games. The best two Frame Games from Regional Tournaments (4 opportunities to pitch) and a players next best two overall Frame Games (coming from Regional or other opportunities).
- Missing Frame Games will be averaged as zeros until four qualifying Frame Games are completed.
- **Example of an incomplete SCR** = 100 from regional + 0 from regional + 0 from other + 0 from other = 100 divided by four = Player SCR 25 to be used towards World Rankings
- **Example of a complete SCR** = 100 from regional + 100 from regional + 100 from other + 100 from other = 400 divided by four = Player SCR 100 to be used towards World Rankings
- Perfect Frame Game score = 156
- Frame Game Cost = up to \$10 per attempt, FREE at Regionals
- Where can I take an official Frame Game?
 - All ACO Regionals (4 opportunities in Short Season)
 - Scheduled Certified Official testing dates throughout the Season
- Player responsible for notifying ACO Office of any posted inaccuracies
- Must be thrown using ACO Certified Tournament Series boards and bags

WORLD RANKING POINTS CHART

1st Place	2nd Place	Top 4	Top 8	Top 16	Top 32	Top 64	Top 128
25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18

What is the CornyForty?

- CornyForty refers to top 40 players in Singles World Rankings
- Final CornyForty players at the end of the season earn a Golden Ticket and guaranteed cash payout in King of Cornhole
- CornyForty will be seeded 1-40 in King of Cornhole final field of 64

What is the TopGun Twenty?

- TopGun Twenty refers to top 20 teams in Doubles World Rankings
- Final TopGun Twenty teams at end of the season earn a Golden Ticket and guaranteed cash payout in the World Doubles Championship
- TopGun Twenty will be seeded 1-20 in World Doubles Championship final field of 32