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Players Newsletter 2007 No 2 – Event Format and Timetable

The RE/MAX European Long Drive Championship 2007 will be sending 7 players to Mesquite in October.
5 Open Division, 1 Senior Division, 1 Ladies Division.

(Minimum distance standard must be achieved in all Divisions.)

Adam Stacey is exempt and will go directly to The RE/MAX World Finals, Open Division.

Open Division Qualification

We believe that the qualification system used during 2006 was fair.
It proved to be popular and was well received by Players.

The qualifying system to get into the European final remains unchanged with 5 players coming from each National event. The "roll down" system will operate for previously qualified players (In the Ladies and Seniors this remains at minimum 2 players to qualify for European final.)

From The RE/MAX European Final 2007, Open Division 3 PLAYERS qualify for Mesquite.

**The " ORDER OF MERIT TABLE " for the Open Division National events will operate
From this Order of Merit table the TOP 2 PLAYERS will qualify for Mesquite.**

Qualification for The RE/MAX World Long Drive Finals from the Order of Merit table will take priority over European Championship position.

Order of Merit points awarded at each National event remains unchanged and will be as follows;

1st place – 10 points
2nd place – 8 points
3rd place – 7 points
4th place – 6 points
5th place – 5 points
6th place 4 points
Semi-Final – 2 points

The top 2 Players who qualify from the Order of Merit will be allowed to compete for the title RE/MAX European Long Drive Champion.

Event Format and Timetable

Each National Championship event will follow a timetable laid out as follows.

10.30 – 13.45 Qualification Hitting

On arrival at the event all players will be required to enter their names on to the start sheet for a "Qualification Try"

This procedure will determine the 16 players who will contest the Open Division Final in the afternoon.

"A Try" will consist of hitting 6 balls in a maximum allowed time of 2 minutes 45 seconds.

The cost for each "Try" will be 7 euro / £5

The afternoon Open Division final competition will be seeded therefore players will be allowed to enter for as many "tries" as they wish within the given time frame to improve their seeding but they will not be allowed to hit consecutive "tries" i.e. 12 ball, 18 ball sets.

14.00 – 16.30 Open Division Final

This will be a maximum 16-man competition. The cost for all Players will be 50 euro / £35

The competition format will be a modified double elimination.

There will be separate Senior Division and Ladies Division finals in the afternoon if there are sufficient numbers.

Individual events may differ slightly from above, at organiser's discretion.