

WGPO- PHOENIX 2020 - 36th ANNUAL TOURNAMENT
JANUARY 17 and 18-20
HILTON GARDEN INN & HOME2 SUITES
7200 S. PRICE ROAD, TEMPE, AZ 85283

HOTEL REGISTRATION: The Hilton Garden Inn, 480-897-5100, and Home2 Suites, 480-897-5200, are connected with an inside walkway. To book a room, request the "Phoenix Scrabble Club's special rates." Hilton Garden Inn- \$149+, or the Home2 Suites- \$139+ Room prices are good for 3 days before or after the tournament. Home2 Suites has a king bed and pull-out bed. Guests receive breakfast and Wi-Fi. A hotel shuttle provides service within a 5 mile area. There is no shuttle to or from the airport. If you have difficulty making a reservation, please email larryrand@cox.net. Friday, December 13 is the deadline for reserving rooms at the special pricing.

EVENTS: OWL18 Early Bird & Main Event; Collins Early Bird & Main Event

ENTRY FEES: OWL18 and Collins EB - \$40 to December 11; \$50 from December 12 to January 15. OWL18 and Collins ME - \$100 to December 11; \$120 from December 12 to January 15.

CANCELLATIONS: All canceled entries, \$10 fee. No refunds after January 15.

CHECK-IN: **EB** - Friday, January 17 - 8:30AM to 9:30AM@ Hilton Garden Inn.
ME - Saturday, January 18 - 7am - 8:30am @ Hilton Garden Inn. Early check-in available for ME players on Friday from 2:00PM to 7:00PM @ Hilton Garden Inn.

FORMATS: **EB** - 8 games - 7 game RR, 1 KOTH. **ME** - 20 games - 19 game RR, 1 KOTH. Formats are for both OWL18 and Collins players. (Collins must have minimum of 4 players for the **EB**, and 8 players for the **ME**.)

CASH PRIZES: Estimated ~90% of all paid entry fees. All entrants must be WGPO members.

FRIENDS OF THE DIRECTORS: All tally slip errors will cost each player \$1. All proceeds will go to offset tournament expenses.

TOURNAMENT COMPLETION: Monday, January 20 @ 1:30pm. Recommend flights be scheduled 3:30PM or later.

INFORMATION: Larry Rand: 480-730-5031 or larryrand@cox.net **WEBSITE:** wordgameplayers.org “upcoming tournaments”

TOURNAMENT REGISTRATION

NAME: _____ **PHONE(S):** _____

ADDRESS: _____ **EMAIL:** _____

SATURDAY LUNCH - “Little Bit of Italy”- 1pm to 2pm

All players are invited to attend the buffet lunch at **no charge**. All guests will be charged \$15.

TOURNAMENT ENTRY FEES AND RAFFLES:

\$ _____ **EARLY BIRD \$40 (\$50 AFTER DECEMBER 11)**

\$ _____ **MAIN EVENT \$100 (\$120 AFTER DECEMBER 11)**

\$ _____ **VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTION TO OFFSET EXPENSES**

\$ _____ **RAFFLE TICKETS- RUTH HAMILTON AFGHAN***

\$ _____ **RAFFLE TICKETS- MIKE STEVENS FOLD-UP BOARD***

(*Raffle tickets are \$5 each, or 5 for \$20. Income will offset expenses.)

SILENT AUCTION: Income will offset expenses.

WGPO DONATION: \$1 per player will be donated to WGPO

PLEASE SEND YOUR COMPLETED REGISTRATION WITH A CHECK OR MONEY ORDER MADE PAYABLE TO “BARBARA VAN ALEN.”

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