



2018 GoPro Mountain Games

Mountain Masters Disc Golf

Tournament Locations:

- **9-Hole Accuracy Challenge @ Willow Creek Par 3 Golf Course (EagleVail, CO)**
 - o Parking: Park at Homestake Peak School, 750 Eagle Dr, Avon, CO 81620: <https://goo.gl/maps/x8p5Z8ZkqVF2>. Overflow parking will be on Eagle Road. EagleVail is a 15-minute drive from Vail Village, so please plan accordingly.
 - o The accuracy challenge will have tee times every 10 minutes. No dogs allowed at the golf course, also no alcohol allowed on site due to proximity to school. The golf course features a restaurant in the main clubhouse.
- **18-Hole Course @ 4 Eagle Ranch (Wolcott, CO)**
 - o Parking: Park in the upper (main) parking lot. Proceed to Hole 1 near the Carriage House. 4098 CO-131, Wolcott, CO 81655: <https://goo.gl/maps/7BbeePbgh9B2>. 4 Eagle Ranch is a 30-minute drive from Vail Village, so please plan accordingly.
 - o All rounds at 4 Eagle Ranch will be shotgun starts. No dogs allowed at the Ranch, and no open flame. No outside alcohol will be permitted on the Ranch grounds. There will be food trucks available on site, and the ranch also boasts a winery with tastings so stick around after your round and enjoy the ranch offerings.
- **MPH & Putting Skills Challenges @ Vail Village (Vail, CO – Corner of Bridge St. & Gore Creek Dr.)**
 - o Parking: Park in the Vail Village Parking Structure. Leave plenty of extra time in case you are directed to overflow parking in Lionshead Village (take in-town shuttle) or South Frontage Road (walking). Vail Parking Structure: <https://goo.gl/maps/1EAdxRAS5Rn>.
 - o Skill Challenges will have tee times every 10 minutes.
 - o Skills Challenges Location: <https://goo.gl/maps/ihf2WBUZTcK2>

Categories: Men & Women

Event Schedule

FRIDAY, JUNE 8

Qualifying Day 1

Accuracy Challenge via 9-hole course @ Willow Creek Par 3 in EagleVail, CO

- Pool A: 9:00 a.m. – noon (tee times every 10 minutes)
- Pool B: 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. (tee times every 10 minutes)

MPH + Putting Challenges @ Vail Village, near the Patagonia Store

- Pool B: 9:00 a.m. – noon (tee times every 10 minutes)
- Pool A: 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. (tee times every 10 minutes)

18-Hole Course @ 4 Eagle Ranch in Wolcott, CO

- Pool C: 8:00 a.m. – noon (shotgun start)
- Pool D: 1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. (shotgun start)

SATURDAY, JUNE 9

Qualifying Day 2

Accuracy Challenge via 9-hole course @ Willow Creek Par 3 in EagleVail, CO

- Pool C: 9:00 a.m. – noon (tee times every 10 minutes)
- Pool D: 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. (tee times every 10 minutes)

MPH + Putting Challenges @ Vail Village, near the Patagonia Store



- Pool D: 9:00 a.m. – noon (tee times every 10 minutes)
 - Pool C: 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. (tee times every 10 minutes)
- 18-Hole Course @ 4 Eagle Ranch in Wolcott, CO
- Pool A: 8:00 a.m. – noon (shotgun start)
 - Pool B: 1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. (shotgun start)

SUNDAY, JUNE 10 – FINALS

18-Hole Course @ 4 Eagle Ranch in Wolcott, CO

- Players Meeting: 8:30 a.m.
- Championship Round: At completion of players meeting (shotgun start)
- Awards: As soon as possible upon completion of round.

Rules and Competition Overview:

The Mountain Games Mountain Masters Disc Golf is capped at 288 athletes. All players will be placed in 1 of 4 “pools” A-B-C-D. Qualifiers will take place on Friday and Saturday. Each pool will complete one round of accuracy challenges on the 9-hole Willow Creek Par 3 Course, one round on the 18-hole 4 Eagle Ranch Course, and two additional individual skills challenges – MPH and putting in Vail Village near the Patagonia Store on Gore Creek Drive. The goal of the qualifications is to score as few points as possible during each round of competition.

The top 72 women and men, after both qualifying days are finished, will advance to the Sunday finals. Players who qualify for the finals will play one round on the 18-hole 4 Eagle Ranch Course in Wolcott on Sunday. The finals will be scored independently from the qualifying rounds and will consist solely of stroke-play disc golf competition with places determined by the round score.

Players must use their own discs for all phases of the competition. Pools A, B, C, D and tee times for Friday and Saturday are now available in the scoring document on the Mountain Masters Disc Golf site. Registrants will be notified via e-mail and all start list and tee times will be posted on the Mountain Games website. This event is not PDGA sanctioned. Competition details including format and scoring are subject to change.

All players must stop by Event Registration in Golden Peak during the 2018 GoPro Mountain Games to pick up their athlete gift and free beer voucher.

Competition Format

Skills Challenges and Scoring:

Qualifications at the 4 Eagle Ranch course will follow standard stroke play. Your score is the total number of strokes required to finish the round. Each player’s score for the 18-hole round will be added to their skills challenge point totals. The lowest qualifying scores will move on to the Finals.

Putting:

Players will attempt to make nine putts at a basket from three distances. Please bring enough discs to complete the challenge in a timely fashion. You may retrieve discs during the competition, however the clock will not stop. Each missed putt missed will count as one point.

Players will have a 1:00 minute shot clock. Putts not taken in the 1:00 time limit will count as a missed putt and be penalized 1 point each.

Three (3) putts at the 10’ target – each missed putt is penalized 1 point

Three (3) putts at the 20’ target – each missed putt is penalized 1 point



Three (3) putts at the 30' target – each missed putt is penalized 1 point
Best score if all putts are made = 0; worst score if all putts are missed = 9

MPH:

Players throw discs at a basket with as much speed as possible with potential score multipliers in play. Beware that discs may bend or damage if they hit the board at high speed, so take this into account when choosing what discs to bring. Athletes must bring three discs to throw and will not be able to retrieve the disc between throws.

Each player starts the MPH challenge with 12 points.

Players will have a 1:00 minute shot clock.

Players will get a total of three (3) throws. Only the best throw will be calculated.

The score is calculated as 15% of your total MPH throw after bonuses have been awarded and subtracting it from 12 points.

10% score bonus for sticking a throw in the basket.

2x score bonus for the “mail slot,” a small rectangular opening below the basket.

Example: A player throws 42 MPH and sticks it in the basket.

42MPH + basket bonus of 10% = 46.2

15% of overall score = 6.93

12 starting points – 6.93 = 5.07 final score

* It is possible to earn negative points for this challenge.

Accuracy:

The accuracy challenge will take place over the course of 9 holes at the Willow Creek Par 3 Golf Course in EagleVail, CO. This round will be played with **putter and midrange discs only**. Players will take one throw at each hole, trying to get as close to the basket as possible. Because this is the accuracy challenge, players will not hole out on each hole. The closer a disc lands to the basket, the fewer points awarded. Sticking a throw in the basket (ace) will count as -10 for the hole. Each hole will have a measuring rope attached to the basket. If any portion of the disc lands inside of the first mark, the player will get 1 point, if inside of the second mark, the player will take 2 points, and if inside of the third mark, the player will take 3 points on that hole. If the player fails to land inside of the rope length, they take 4 points for that hole. At the end of the nine holes, the player will add up all points and that is their final score for this challenge.

The best score possible (if a player aces all nine baskets) = -90; worst score (if player fails to land inside of rope length on all nine holes) = 36.

Example Scoring Scenario:

After two days of qualifying, a player scores:

- 18 on the 9-hole accuracy course in EagleVail (landed in circle two on every hole)
- 55 on the 18-hole 4 Eagle Ranch course (course par)
- 5 on the putting skills challenge (5 missed putts)
- 5.07 on the MPH skills challenge (42 MPH + in-basket bonus)

Total Score = 83.07 (18+55+5+5.07)

Prize Purse

Total Purse = \$8,500



All Prize Money winners must submit a completed 2018 W-9 form to Vail Valley Foundation no later than August 1, 2018 to receive their winnings.

Payout Schedule:

| Place | Men | Women |
|--------------|------------|--------------|
| 1 | \$750 | \$750 |
| 2 | \$500 | \$500 |
| 3 | \$400 | \$400 |
| 4 | \$300 | \$300 |
| 5 | \$250 | |
| 6 | \$200 | |
| 7 | \$195 | |
| 8 | \$190 | |
| 9 | \$185 | |
| 10 | \$180 | |
| 11 | \$175 | |
| 12 | \$170 | |
| 13 | \$165 | |
| 14 | \$160 | |
| 15 | \$155 | |
| 16 | \$150 | |
| 17 | \$145 | |
| 18 | \$140 | |
| 19 | \$135 | |
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| 36 | \$85 | |
| 37 | \$85 | |
| 38 | \$85 | |
| 39 | \$85 | |
| 40 | \$80 | |