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Announcing the 2022 LPL Financial LPRT Cup!

Las Vegas, NV, 2/9/2022. 3WallBall LLC, the leading Outdoor Racquetball tournament production organizer in the nation, in partnership with the Ladies Professional Racquetball Tour (LPRT), Pro Racquetball Stats, and thanks to the generous support of LPL Financial's Rosco Halsey and Jason Hupp, is proud to announce the **2022 LPL Financial LPRT Outdoor Cup!** This is a new year-long Racquetball cup challenge series incentivizing women's players to compete in our major Outdoor championships in 2022.

Competition Details

This competition is open to any female racquetball player and is being run in association with the Ladies Professional Racquetball Tour (LPRT).

The 2022 LPRT Cup will be held in conjunction with the three Outdoor "Major" championships in 2022:

- **2022 APCON MZ Companies Beach Bash**, March 24th-27th, 2022 in Hollywood, FL.
- **2022 TeamRoot.com Outdoor Nationals**, July 14th-17th, 2022 in Huntington Beach, CA.
- **2022 KWM Gutterman 3WB World Championships**, October 26th-30th, 2022 in Las Vegas, NV.

Players will accrue LPRT Cup bonus points based on their finishes in the competition events at the three outdoor majors. Players can compete in Pro Singles, Women's Pro Doubles, or Mixed Pro Doubles, and the best two results per tournament are used to assign LPRT Cup points. In the case of the Vegas tournament, where both 1-wall and 3-wall events are offered, only the results in the 3-wall events shall count towards the LPRT Cup. Ties will be broken based on (in order) results in Women's Pro Doubles in Las Vegas, then Women's Pro Doubles at Outdoor Nationals, then Women's Pro Doubles at Beach Bash. The final tiebreaker shall, in true Las Vegas style, involve card cutting to determine the winner. In the case of an event cancellation, the competition will use the remaining events to award the prizes.

Prizes

At the end of the third 2022 Outdoor Major in Las Vegas in October, 2022, we will name the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place women's finishers. The prizes will be as follows:

- 1st Place: \$1,500 plus a 2-night suite reservation at The STRAT Hotel good for one year
- 2nd Place: \$1,000
- 3rd Place: \$500

Point Values and Weights

We will use similar point values as the LPRT uses for its ranking system as a baseline, and then weight and pro-rate point totals from there. As a baseline, for each event players will earn points as follows:

- Winners: 200 points
- Finalists: 140 points
- Semi Finalists: 75 points
- Quarter Finalists: 50 points
- Round of 16 losers: 25 points
- Round of 32 losers: 12.5 points.

Players must actually compete, not merely enter, a division to earn points. In other words, if a player enters a draw but then no-shows, zero points are awarded even if a first-round loss is recorded officially on r2sports.com.

Point assignments will be prorated based on the size of the draws (in other words, winning a 16-team draw will be worth more than winning a 4-team round-robin draw), and point assignments will be weighted based on the event and the relative prize purses offered (the Outdoor Nationals shall be weighted slightly more than Beach Bash, and 3WB will be weighted slightly more than Outdoor Nationals).

Here is a list of the Draw size prorations:

- 4 or fewer teams/person draw: 0.5 weight
- 5-7 Team/Person draw: 0.75 weight
- 8-Team/8-Person draw: 1.0 weight
- 9+ Teams/Persons draw: 1.25 weight

Here is a list of event weights:

- Beach Bash: 1.0 weight
- Outdoor Nationals: 1.25 weight
- 3WallBall Las Vegas: 1.5 weight

Series Managers and Points of Contact

LPRT Commissioner T.J. Baumbaugh and 3WB's Mike Coulter shall co-manage the series and will answer any questions or concerns. ProRacquetballStats.com's Todd Boss will keep the statistics and provide updates at the end of each outdoor major to be shared on 3wallball.com and on Social Media.