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Main Event: 3 Divisions

- Open Championship and Intermediate
  - Format: single elimination w/ re-entries, consolation, & last chance
- Novice: format will be based on number of entrants

U.S. Open ABT Main Event

Division	Entry Fees			Match Length				Clock Policy 2 min / 12 sec
	Main	Re-Entry	Side Pool	Main	Conso	Last Chance	Final	
Open	$500	$250	$250	15	11	5	15	Mandatory
Intermediate	$200	$100	$100	11	9	5	11	Preferred
Novice	$50	-	-	7	-	-	7	Optional

Side Events

Event	Round	Starting Day	Starting Time	Entry Fees		Match Length	Clock Policy 2 min / 12 sec
				Main	Side Pool		
The Jackpots							
Masters Jackpot (formerly Super Jackpot)	32	Wednesday	12:00, 3:00, or 6:00 PM	$1,000	$500	15	Mandatory
	16	Thursday	8:00 PM	$2,000	$1,000		
Limited Jackpot	32	Wednesday	12:00, 3:00, or 6:00 PM	$500	$250	11	Mandatory
	16	Thursday	8:00 PM	$1,000	$500		
Intermediate Jackpot	32	Wednesday	12:00, 3:00, or 6:00 PM	$200	$100	9	Preferred
	16	Thursday	8:00 PM	$400	$200		
Beginners Jackpot	-	Friday	8:00 PM	$50	-	7	Optional
Other Side Events							
Doubles	-	Wednesday	8:00 PM	$400	$200	7	Mandatory*
Blitz	-	Wednesday	12:30 PM	$40	-	5	Preferred
Quickie - DMP	-	Wednesday	12:30 PM	$20	-	1	Preferred
Seniors (60+)	-	Wednesday	2:00 PM	$60	$30	7	Preferred
Juniors (under 60)	-	Wednesday	2:00 PM	$60	$30	7	Preferred
SpeedGammon	-	Wednesday	3:00 PM	$100	$50	7	Mandatory**
After Tournament	-	Sunday	3:00 PM	$60	$30	5	Preferred

*Doubles clock settings are 3 min / 15 sec

**SpeedGammon clock settings are 2 min (total) / 10 sec

Schedule

Wednesday April 6th

10:30 AM	Registration Opens for All Events
12:00 PM	Masters, Limited, & Intermediate Jackpots Round of 32 Start Time #1
12:30 PM	Blitz and Quickie-DMP Begin
2:00 PM	Juniors (under 60) and Seniors (60+) Begin
3:00 PM	SpeedGammon Begins
3:00 PM	Masters, Limited, & Intermediate Jackpots Round of 32 Start Time #2
6:00PM	Masters, Limited, & Intermediate Jackpots Round of 32 Start Time #3
8:00 PM	Doubles Begins
11:00 PM	U.S. Open ABT Main Event Registration Closes

Thursday April 7th

11:00 AM	Welcome Announcements and Calcutta Auction
1:30 PM	**U.S. Open ABT Main Event Begins** Championship & Intermediate Divisions Begin
5:30 PM	Dinner Break
8:00 PM	Lecture by Backgammon Giant #14 Steve Sax
9:00 PM	All Side Events Continue
9:00 PM	Masters, Limited, & Intermediate Jackpots Round of 16

Friday April 8th

11:00 AM	Championship and Intermediate Divisions Play Resumes
11:00 AM	Championship and Intermediate Divisions Consolation Begins
12:30 PM	All Side Events Continue
5:30 PM	Dinner Break
8:00 PM	Masters, Limited, & Intermediate Jackpots Round of 8
8:00 PM	Championship and Intermediate Divisions Play Resumes
8:00 PM	Beginners $50 Jackpot Begins

Saturday April 9th

11:00 AM	Championship and Intermediate Divisions Play Resumes
12:00 PM	Novice Division Begins
12:00 PM	All Side Events Continue
5:30 PM	Dinner Break
8:00 PM	Masters, Limited, & Intermediate Jackpots Semi Finals
8:00 PM	Championship, Intermediate, & Novice Divisions Play Resumes
8:00 PM	Blitz Playoff Begins

Sunday April 10th

10:30 AM	Championship and Intermediate Divisions Last Chance Begins
11:00 AM	Novice Division Play Resumes
12:00 PM	All Events Finals Begin
3:00 PM	After Tournament Begins

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