

# Figure 8 Barefoot Series

## Rules and Regulations

1. Four tournaments, best 3 out of 4 showings for the footer will be used to calculate footer's overall point score for end of the year ranking. In short, you get a mulligan for the year in case the footer can not make all 4 tournaments.
2. Top 3 finishers at each site, including the last site, will be awarded. Following completion of the last tournament of the year, overall points will be calculated to determine the top 3 Figure 8 footers for the year. Then a Champion will be crowned!
3. Points System:  
10 points for a winner's bracket win.  
5 points for a loser's bracket win.  
Points will not start to accumulate until after the first round. This is to eliminate/decrease the amount of "free points." If a footer is lucky enough to receive a bye in the middle of the tournament, which ever bracket he/she is in they will be awarded accordingly. I.E 10 points for each win in the winner's bracket and 5 points for each win in the loser's bracket. Basically, footers have to win a match to start accruing points. In the semifinals and finals all winners will be awarded 10 points. Points will be calculated at the end of each tournament and posted on the Facebook group site "Figure 8 barefoot series" and at <http://www.barefootski.com>.
4. Standard Figure 8 rules and regulations apply for both footers behind the boat.
5. As mentioned, top 3 footers at each site will be awarded, but the 1st placed winner and only the 1st place winner will have his/her next entry paid for at the next tournament. If the next scheduled tournament is a mulligan for the first place winner then the next tournament the 1st place winner competes in will be free. This does not continue throughout the figure 8 series. One free entry for next tournament only. Of course, if the footer wins the next tournament then he/she would be awarded again and so on.
6. For the first tournament (Indiana this year), names will be drawn out of a hat and placed into a computerized bracket, byes will be handed out as needed to complete the bracket, however no one starts to accumulate any points until second round of either bracket. After the first tournament is over, the top three footers will be seated in the top of the brackets and awarded byes first. Then the names will be drawn out of a hat and placed accordingly. Still no points until second round for everyone.
7. Tournament site preparation and organization will be handled by the people of that site. For example, La Porte, IN (Mike Miller, Marc "the porn star" Donahue, and Chris McWatters), Lake St. Louis, MO (Tim "Hydro" Knoerzer, and Mike Schneider), Madison, WI (Paul Stokes, and Bob "the mule" Mahnke), and finally, Winter haven, FL (Keith St. Onge, and David Small).

**\*These rule may be altered if necessary**