

REGULATION

of the Open Florida State Championship
in "Combined Pyramid"

I. GOAL AND OBJECTIVES

Main goal: to promote the development and popularization of billiard pyramid in the USA and to identify the strongest billiards players.

II. PLACE AND TIME OF THE COMPETITION

The Open Florida State Championship in "Combined Pyramid" will be held on September 6-7, 2025 at the Pyramid Billiards club, located at: 410 NE 1st Ave, Suite 6, Hallandale Beach, FL, 33009, USA.

- September 6, 2025
 - 9:00 - participants' arrival, organizational meetings.
 - 10:00 - registration ends.
 - 10:00 - draw.
 - 10:15 - tournament starts.
- September 7, 2025
 - 10:00 - tournament continues.
 - Final, awards ceremony.

III. COMPETITION MANAGEMENT

1. The competition is managed by the Organizing Committee.
2. Responsible persons:
 - Chief Judge of the competition: Alex Borovikov
3. The tournament is held according to the international rules of Combined Pyramid.

IV. REQUIREMENTS FOR PARTICIPANTS

1. All interested parties are allowed to participate in the competition.
2. Participants are obliged to know the rules of the competition and the provisions of this regulation, as well as to provide personal data to the Organizing Committee.
3. All explanations and clarifications are carried out before the start of the competition.
4. Participant dress code: Participants' clothing must be neat and tidy. Participants who do not comply with the dress code are not allowed to participate in the competition.
5. Entry fee - \$100
6. Slow play. If players prolong the course of the competition or a match with their slow play (if a match lasts more than 3 hours), the judge, after a corresponding warning, has the right to give each player 30 seconds per shot until the end of the match.

V. CONDITIONS AND PROGRAM OF THE COMPETITION

The Open Florida State Championship in "Combined Pyramid" is held:

- Upper bracket – up to 3 wins if there are more than 24 participants; if there are fewer than 24 participants, then up to 4 wins.

- Lower bracket – up to 3 wins.
- "Olympic" (single elimination) from 1/2, if there are more than 16 (if more than 24 people, then Olympic from 1/8).
- Olympic - up to 4 wins, Semifinals, Final – up to 4 wins.
(if there are 16 participants, then Olympic from 1/4)

VI. PROCEDURE FOR AWARDING WINNERS AND PRIZE-WINNERS

The winner of the competition is awarded a Cup, medal, diploma, and cash prize. Prize-winners are awarded diplomas and cash prizes. The structure of the cash prize fund will be determined by the organizer.

VII. GENERAL INFORMATION

Rules of conduct:

- Participants are prohibited from using objects that may damage the playing surface of the table.
- Photography and video recording with flash are strictly prohibited during a shot.
- Spectators are prohibited from:
 - entering beyond the designated line
 - giving advice to players during the game;
 - shouting or commenting on the course of the game.

Violators will be removed from the tournament.

- Any aggressive behavior by participants or spectators will result in their removal from the competition and expulsion from the club.
- The use of personal food and alcoholic beverages on the club premises is strictly prohibited.