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2010 Official Advancement Structure

WPTAPL members participate in venue specific 12 week series taking place at all WPTAPL host locations. During each series the venue will host daily/weekly events as well as 1 Venue Series Championship (VSC) Event. These events qualify you for the WPT Amateur Championship (WPTAC) held in 2011, dates to be announced, where participants will play for over \$160,000 in prizes!! As a bonus, each venue will host three (3) Monthly Satellite Tournaments (MST) to qualify you for additional online opportunities!

Daily/Weekly Tournaments: Venue's typically hosts a minimum of two (2) tournaments per week, on a single night. At each tournament players earn points when they place in the top 16 (bonus points are awarded at tournaments with more than 32 players).

Venue Series Championship (VSC): The top 2 finishers from each daily/weekly tournament qualify to compete in this event (typically 40-80 qualifiers). In addition, from each of the three, 4 week intervals, the top 10 point earners will also qualify (30 total qualifiers). Winners and point earners combined will provide a typical base invite list of 70-110 qualifiers. *No points accrued the day of a VSC will apply towards the VSC.* Venues that host tournaments more than one night per week will qualify additional players. First place at this event will win their entry into the WPTAPL Quarterly Online Reward Tournament (QORT) PLUS their entry to the WPTAC.

WPTAC: All qualified members will compete in the WPTAC. This event takes place each year, dates to be announced, inviting all qualified members. This event takes place over multiple days with a variety of daily charity tournaments which award entry into the main event. This event boasts over \$160,000 in prizes including but not limited to WPT \$10K seats, WPT Celebrity Invitational Seats, WPT Boot Camp Seats, Cruise Vacation packages and more! *The top point earner in each region will be invited to the WPTAC ONLY if their region has been active for a minimum of 6 months. Active date is date of first event in that region. Any region that experiences a gap longer than 14 days with no tournament will be deemed inactive and must re-qualify.*

*** Live Play Bonus Events ***

Monthly Satellite Tournament (MST): Each month, each venue will host an MST Event where the top 8 (final table) from each daily/weekly tournament are invited to compete. The top finisher from this event will qualify to participate in the WPTAPL Quarterly Online Reward Tournament to compete for a minimum \$1,000 prize pool, as well as any additional bonus prize offered at that event.

***** Online Play Bonus Events *****

** Online events **DO NOT** award WPTAPL ranking points **

WPTAPL Quarterly Online Reward Tournament (QORT): All winners of MST and VSC tournaments qualify to participate in this tournament which carries a minimum \$1K cash prize pool. Bonus prizes at this event can include a seat to the WPT Celebrity Invitational Event held in March of each year at the Commerce Casino in LA, valued at \$25,000!

ClubWPT Online Event: ClubWPT hosts WPTAPL events each month where the participants compete for a cash prize (\$500 - \$1,000) plus entry into the WPTAC where they will play for over \$160,000 in prizes. WPTAPL upgraded members receive discount offers for membership on ClubWPT!

WPTAPL Advancement Levels

Level 1. - WPTAPL Daily/Weekly Tournaments

Level 2. - Venue Series Championship (VSC)

Level 3. - WPTAC

PLEASE NOTE:

- At Invite only events, depending on the number of invites, events may be split into multiple sessions or days.
- ALL events are first come, first serve and may be subject to venue capacity.
- If a player qualifies for an event through multiple channels, they reduce the total number of players at the final event. Seats are not transferable.
- All points are applied to the region in which the venue you participated at is located.
- Championship events may be moved forward or back in situations where Holidays conflict with tournament dates.
- Bonus Prizes at any event are only available to MyAPL Rewards Upgraded Members.
- *The top point earner in each region will be invited to the WPTC ONLY if their region has been active for a minimum of 6 months. Active date is date of first event in that region. Any region that experiences a gap longer than 14 days with no event will be deemed inactive and must requalify.*

For questions please contact your local WPTAPL™ Representative. You may also contact WPTAPL™ Home Office at 316-689-0600. You may e-mail Member Services at memberservice@apl1.net.

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