

Apple Cider Tournament

The Michigan Bridge Connection, 26776 Twelve Mile Rd, Southfield, Mi 48076

November 16-19, 2023

Two tournaments running concurrently at one location

<p><u>Thursday, November 16</u></p> <p><u>NLM Regional: Gold Rush Pairs (2 Sessions)</u></p> <p><u>Sectional: Open Pairs (2 One Session Events)</u></p> <p><u>10 a.m. & 2:30 p.m.</u></p>	<p><u>Friday, November 17</u></p> <p><u>NLM Regional: Gold Rush Pairs (2 Sessions)</u></p> <p><u>Sectional: Open Pairs (2 One Session Events)</u></p> <p><u>10 a.m. & 2:30 p.m.</u></p>
<p><i>The NLM Regional awards Gold and Red master points for overall winners and section tops as per ACBL Regional guidelines. Players must play both Sessions. Event is exclusively for players without Life Master rank and less than 750 master points per person.</i></p>	<p>The Open Sectional awards Silver master points. *All teams are divided into two or more brackets based on the average masterpoints of each team. Each bracket is a separate event with its own masterpoint awards. The purpose of bracketing is to establish groups within which each team is competitive. The number of matches in each bracket is determined by the number of teams in the bracket.</p>
<p><u>Saturday, November 18</u></p> <p><u>Sectional: BRACKETED Swiss Teams*</u></p> <p><u>10 a.m. Play through</u></p>	<p><u>Sunday, November 19</u></p> <p><u>Sectional: STRATIFIED Swiss Teams*</u></p> <p><u>10 a.m. Play through</u></p>

Entry Fees: All Events \$12 per person per session

Proof of COVID vaccination is NOT required to play

Mask requirement will depend on ACBL regulations at the time of tournament

Players are on their own for lunch. Saturday and Sunday Swiss lunchtime breaks to be determined by director

No smoking in the building

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