

HOW TO

PAR 3™

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A STEP BY STEP GUIDE

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WHAT IS A PAR 2 EVENT

PAR2 is a casual, unsanctioned tournament with nine to eighteen holes 150 feet and under. The goal is to run at aces, card 2's, and have fun. Whoever scores the lowest round wins. Players must use the provided discs in their players pack for all throws. It is a great way to promote the sport of disc golf, involve all skill levels, and have a great time throughout the year!

The PAR2 is a great way for new players to learn about the game and get a tournament style atmosphere in a more relaxed setting. For experienced players, it's a great way to spend a day talking disc golf and competing with friends while helping grow the sport in their local community. For each player, it can last as long as they want, whether it's a quick 45-minute round or hanging out all day.

Below is a step-by-step guide to running a successful PAR2!

1 CONTACT PRODIGY

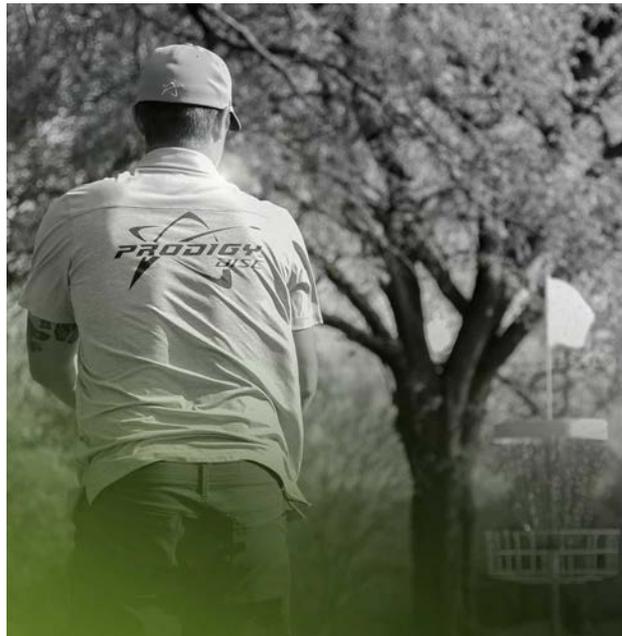
Contact par2@prodigydisc.com with your desire to run a PAR2 event. If you have any questions or initial thoughts, we'd love to hear about it. If you're new to the situation and would like to talk about PAR2 events in general, we recommend you reach out so that we may provide any needed help.



2 DETERMINE INTEREST

Get a feel for what the interest is like in your disc golf community. If your club has a lot of local events, such as tournaments, leagues, doubles, etc., it's a safe bet the community will be receptive to a PAR2.

If your disc golf community isn't very active, this is a great place to start, opening the door to greater participation for future activities. PAR2 builds momentum for future interest by getting more people involved who may not have been previously by providing light competition in a fun atmosphere.



3 PICK A COURSE/DATE

An ideal course has 9-18 holes between 80-150 feet in length, with as many holes as possible near your "tournament central," which is the area where players packs, scoreboard, etc. will be organized in one place. If you don't have a local course with those qualifications, there are several options. The first is setting up a separate temporary course. The other is creating temporary teepad locations or bringing temporary baskets to a local course to create a PAR2 friendly course. The course should be a mix of shots and a fun design, so players want to play again.

Once you identify a course, you should pick your ideal date (plus a few backups) and ask your local club and parks and recreation department, if necessary, to make sure the location is available on that date. Make sure you go through appropriate stages to get the date and location booked.

4 ORDER PACKAGES

Two weeks out from the event, you should have an estimated final head count, so you can order player packages. If you want to allow any day-of signups, you can order extra packages and offer them on a first come, first serve basis. Having a final count two weeks out ensures plenty of time to get the packages and gives you a chance to check and make sure everything is in order.



5 RUN YOUR EVENT

Have a table with all of the players packs laid out for participants to see. Markers for people to write their names on discs and a board to keep track of top scores are ideal additions.

On the course, make sure all baskets and teepads are intact and arrows pointing to the next tee are spray painted on each hole. You will need marking flags for temporary teepads and writing utensils

for scorecards. Make sure scorecards with the appropriate number of holes on them are available for each group.

Congrats, you just hosted a fun, family friendly disc golf event! We hope this guide helps you run a successful event. If you have any questions, don't hesitate to reach out!





2020 PLAYERS PACK AND PRICING

ORGANIZER PRICE PER PLAYER PACK - **\$18 (RETAIL VALUE \$45)**

PLAYER ENTRY FEE - **\$25 (\$45 RETAIL VALUE RECEIVED)**

Minimum Purchase is 20 Player Packs

PAR2 player packs are a great value for all involved. This year, organizers may choose a 300 A2 or 300 A4 to include for competitors. Player packs include:

- 300 Plastic Approach Disc (TD choice of A2 or A4)
- Prodigy ACE Line BaseGrip Plastic P Model S
- Prodigy PD Monogram Snapback Hat
- Prodigy Mini Lite

***Lightweight disc options available upon request**



PRIZES/PAYOUT

To make payout stress free for your PAR2 event, Prodigy Disc has streamlined the process. When you receive your players packs, you will also receive credit to the Prodigy Shop that is yours to distribute to competitors as prizes. This allows players to personalize their winnings after each event from the comfort of their home.

For each players pack purchased, you will receive \$4 in store credit. For example, a 25 person PAR2 event, would receive \$100 in Prodigy store credit, which the event organizer may give out as they deem fit. This payout bonus is included in your \$18 per pack and comes with no added cost.

Event organizers may also send voucher codes to competitors via email or message, allowing players to come and go without needing to stay until the end to claim their prize. The vouchers are good for "store credit" on shop.prodigydisc.com.

SAMPLE PAYOUT #1



1ST PLACE	40%	\$40
2ND PLACE	35%	\$35
3RD PLACE	25%	\$25

SAMPLE PAYOUT #2



1ST PLACE	40%	\$64
2ND PLACE	30%	\$48
3RD PLACE	20%	\$32
4TH PLACE	10%	\$16

ADDITIONAL INFO

We encourage PAR2 organizers to run a high caliber event. As an example, the \$7 per player gained from each pack can be used for lunch - either grilling out or a food truck. Running a clinic before or after the event can add extra value to your PAR2 event. Players can play an extra round for an additional charge set by the organizer. In past years, the standard was \$5 per extra round, which worked very well. We recommend having something small to give players who play an additional round as an incentive. The player's lowest score at the end of the day is his or her recorded score.

Please ensure that all participants receive a players pack. If you have leftover packs after the event, please do not sell them online. We want our PAR2 discs to remain exclusive to the event.

PROMOTION

We will provide organizers with PAR2 logos and flyer templates to help promote your event.

FOR MORE INFORMATION

If you have any additional questions, please contact par2@prodigydisc.com. We will be glad to assist you with setting up your PAR2 event.

IDEAS TO GO THE EXTRA MILE

If you're seeking to go the extra mile for your event, we have suggestions that may help:

Making water available for players can entice playing an extra round or perhaps just a more enjoyable experience. Including an incentive to play an additional round is a good way for the organizer to benefit from adding something to give away. Stickers, and many other items, can be purchased for less than the \$5 required to play an additional round and given to each person who plays more than once. This offers players another chance at winning, as well as another item for participating.

An additional part of creating a fun tournament feel is having a local disc vendor present. So, contact a local Prodigy dealer or two and invite them to set up shop near tournament central for participants to shop for new discs and gear.

You can also contact local restaurants and businesses to have different prizes for CTPs, raffles, and any other giveaways you want to include. As an extra step, you can also contact a local food truck to set up shop for people to eat throughout the day.

