

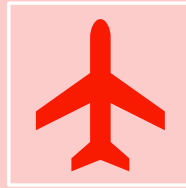


2024 National Open Championship

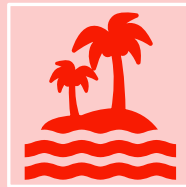
Proposal

Pickneyville, IL

Pinckneyville, Illinois



**Closest Airport – St. Louis Lambert
International Airport, St. Louis MO**



**Hotel – Holiday Inn
Carbondale
Conference Center,
Carbondale, IL**

Several other
hotels and
Airbnbs/VRBOs
in the
Carbondale area
as well

- **Committee – Ted Lagala, Mark Haglin, Mike Wallace, Gary Riddle, Kevin Martineau, Amelia Greene, Todd Stelzer, Dan Lussen, John Dunn**
- **Bird Planter – Donny Manning and Sydney Emery**
- **Gun Captain – Marshal Lussen**
- **Head Marshal – Deb Oskowski**
- **Hospitality – Ted Lagala**
- **Steward of the Beat – Kevin Martineau**
- **Grounds Committee – Mike Wallace**
- **Photographer – Mark Gebert**
- **Fundraising – Camie Barrow**

**President Mike
Nolan
Field Chairman
Jim Keller
Sceretary/Treasuer
Mhari Peschel**

Proposed Dates, Points, Fees



Delegates Meeting,
Training Day December
8th



Start December 9th



Finish by December
13th



Proposed point
requirement – 3 Points



Proposed Entry Fee -
\$325

Assumptions

125 entries

**10.5
birds/entry**

\$15/bird

**Estimate of
inflation at
5%**

**Goal is
Breakeven**

**Entry Fee
\$325**

Budget Highlights

Revenue			Expenses			
	Entry Fees	\$40,625	Birds	\$19,687		
	Sponsorships	\$23,900	Banquet	\$6,000		
	Raffles	\$5,200	Reception	\$4,000		
	Advertising	\$4,000	Travel/Rooms	\$7,000		
	Banquet Income	\$8,000	Tent/Support	\$40,490		
	Total	\$81,725	Total	\$77,922	NET	\$3,803

Seed Report/Cost Sharing



We will utilize the Report Format recommended by the Joint Mean seed Committee in 2019 and the Grass Awn Survey Committee in 2023



We will share costs with the NAC so there are some possible savings here



Whenever possible we will share support (tents, Porta Potty and other support items with NAC) to help reduce costs



Negotiations with Hotel for reduced rates and banquet fees are possible because of volume

Grounds



John Dunn will be overseeing the agronomist inspection and report



Planning to use Christopher David Benda from the Illinois Botanizer



Cover expected to be a mixture of warm season grasses and low bushy cover



3rd & 4th courses will be different from 1st & 2nd and 5th series will be on separate course as well



Water will be held on the grounds in the park

If due to icing conditions –
We Will Find Open Water



Questions?