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## **SATURDAY NIGHT'S EUCHRE PALOOZA PLANS ARE SET**

Join us for a spectacular evening during the World Euchre Championship weekend at Euchre Palooza, hosted by the World Euchre Federation! Starting at 7 PM on Saturday night, the festivities will feature live music from Frank Busch and The Names, promising a lively atmosphere for everyone. Be sure to arrive early, as we'll be drawing the first of two raffle tickets to start the evening with a chance to win \$2500.



You may also indulge in a mouth watering spread featuring beef brisket, burnt ends, pulled pork, chicken, and delicious macaroni and cheese—all available throughout the night from the Pink Heifer Saloon & Smokehouse food truck. Wash it down with a selection of craft beers from New Glarus Brewing Company, which is made right here in our own backyard. They are the 11th largest craft brewery in America and Wisconsin's most popular brew. There will also be door prizes and much more. Euchre Palooza promises to be the perfect kickoff to the summer season—a celebration not to be missed!

## **DOUBLES TOURNAMENT SOLD OUT**

*Singles tournament will sell out soon...*

We're excited to announce that our doubles tournament for the World Euchre Championship has officially sold out! With a full house expected on Sunday, we will be hosting an impressive 66 tables, 132 teams and 264 individuals—all vying for the esteemed title of world champion. While

a few cancellations are anticipated before the tournament kicks off, we encourage those still interested in joining to sign up for our waiting list at:

<https://www.worldeuchrefederation.com/waiting-list>

The Saturday singles tournament is not yet sold out, but will be soon. For those solely registered in the doubles tournament, please note that players participating in both the doubles and singles events will have priority registration next year. To ensure your spot in the 2025 World Euchre Championship and be part of this growing phenomenon, consider joining us for the Saturday singles tournament as well. The World Euchre Championship continues to gain popularity, promising an unforgettable experience for all participants!

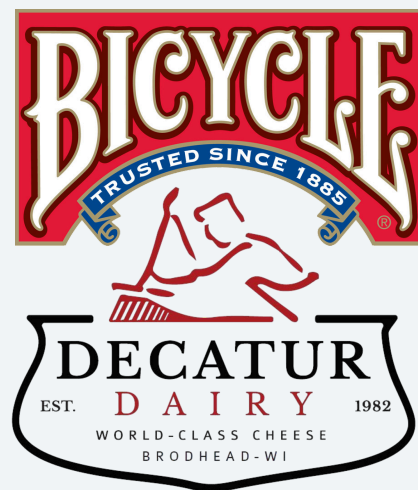
## NEW TOURNAMENT SPONSORS ANNOUNCED

We're thrilled to announce three exciting sponsors for this year's World Euchre Championship: Bicycle Cards, Jack Link's, and Decatur Dairy.

**Jack Link's**, whose headquarters are located in Minong, Wisconsin, is renowned for its delicious jerky and sausage snacks. Their sponsorship means players will enjoy Jack Link's treats while competing to become world champion. This will add an extra tasty dimension to the competition.



**Bicycle Cards**, the largest manufacturer of playing cards in the world, is based in Erlanger, Kentucky, is providing Euchre decks for the entire tournament along with some other delightful surprises in store for you.



**Decatur Dairy** is an award winning cheesemaker near New Glarus. Decatur's Muenster, Muenster cheese curds, Havarti, and Dill Havarti were crowned world champion cheeses at the 2024 World Cheese Contest and are the perfect snack food for Euchre and at the World Euchre Championship.

In addition to our featured sponsors, there are more than 50 additional sponsors who are sponsoring tables and providing prizes. To see the complete list of sponsors please visit:

<https://www.worldeuchrefederation.com/sponsors>

## LOCAL LODGING IS FILLING UP FAST

We checked with the hotels in New Glarus and we're told rooms are filling up quickly, so you are encouraged to make your room reservations as soon as possible in New Glarus if you want to stay as close as possible to all of the action. If you are unable to book a room in New Glarus in time, no fret, there is plenty of room in nearby Monroe and Verona, Wisconsin.

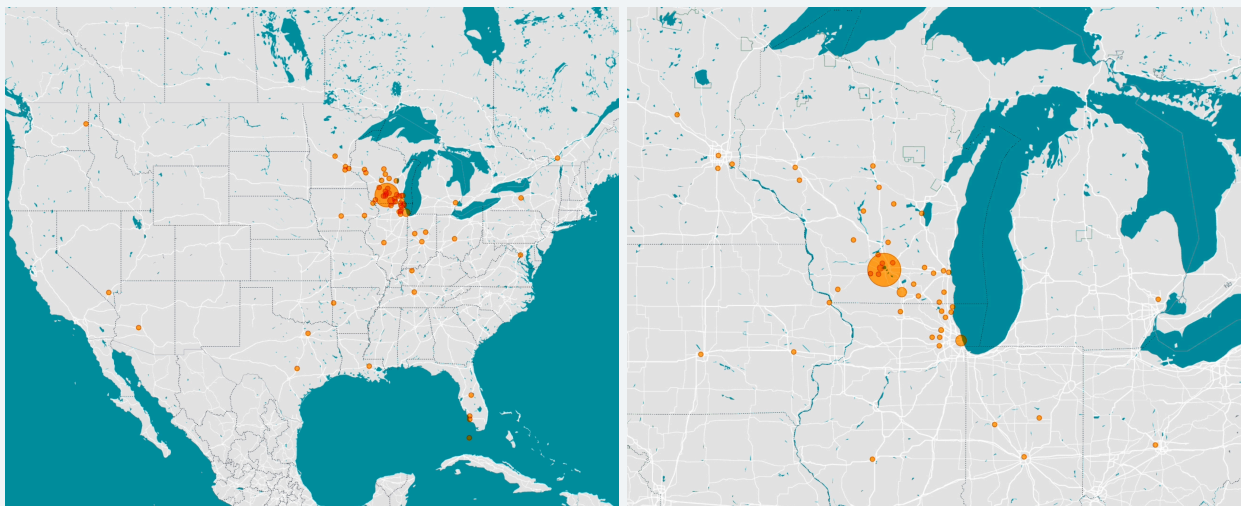
In New Glarus you have two hotels to choose from and a smattering of short-term rental houses if you prefer that sort of arrangement. New Glarus Retreats is one of our table sponsors and they have rentals within a short walk of our tournament venue. You can learn more about their rentals and reserve a room by visiting their website here: <https://www.newglarusretreat.com>

For a complete list of all of the places you can stay near New Glarus, Wisconsin, please visit our helpful "Where to Stay" page on our website here:

<https://www.worldeuchrefederation.com/where-to-stay>

## WHERE ARE YOU ALL COMING FROM?

In just its second year, the World Euchre Championship has become truly an international event. For the first time in tournament history, we have international players attending. Players from Montreal and Toronto have signed up to compete. And we have also drawn interest from as far away as Australia, New Zealand, England and Austria. Here are some heat maps that show where attendees are coming from. Of course a majority will come from nearby, but I think you will be surprised to see how many are from outside our area, with some players coming in from Washington, New York, Nevada, Arizona, Arkansas, Florida, and more.



## T-SHIRTS SALES ARE DEFINITELY HOT, HOT, HOT!

Sales for the 2024 World Euchre Championship Commemorative T-shirt have been through the roof! We want to extend a huge thank you to everyone who has already secured their piece of tournament memorabilia. For those who haven't reserved theirs yet, don't miss out on this opportunity to guarantee your preferred size and color. Our vibrant navy blue, royal blue, and white shirts are crafted from high-quality materials and artfully screen printed. They are available in sizes ranging from small to 3XL for a comfortable fit.



Pre-order your T-shirt today for just \$30 to ensure availability and streamline pickup at check-in. By reserving in advance, you'll skip any last-minute availability concerns and be ready to showcase your Euchre spirit from the moment you arrive. Keep the momentum going and commemorate the World Euchre Championship—reserve your T-shirt now!

To place your advance order, please visit:

<https://www.world euchrefederation.com/merch/p/2024-world-euchre-championship-commemorative-t-shirt>

## IF YOU NEED HANDICAP PARKING, LET US KNOW

We want to ensure all participants have a comfortable and convenient experience during the event. If you require handicap parking accommodations, please let us know in advance so we can reserve a space for you.

Your comfort and accessibility are important to us, and by notifying us of your needs ahead of time, we can make the necessary arrangements to provide designated handicap parking spaces close to the venue entrance.

To request handicap parking, please contact us at [info@newglaruscares.com](mailto:info@newglaruscares.com) or call us at 608-205-8715 with your name and specific requirements. We appreciate your



cooperation in helping us ensure that everyone can fully enjoy the World Euchre Championship. Thank you for being part of this exciting event, and we look forward to welcoming you!

## **EXPLAINING EUCHRES AND BUMP CUPS**

We are happy to report that our revised rules for the 2024 World Euchre Championship only had a few questions—that means we did a pretty good job writing them. And yes, we're patting ourselves on the back for that!

That said, we did receive a couple of questions regarding getting Euchred and our "bump cups." As per the rules, a "bump" in the game incurs a cost of \$1 per player, or \$2 for a player who is Euchred when going alone. This is common in Wisconsin Euchre tournaments. And since this is a charity tournament, this money serves as a contribution toward our cause—funding a new inclusive playground for children of all ages and abilities in our community.

If you are concerned about having enough dollar bills on hand to pay the bump fee, fear not! The bar and our available cashiers will be stocked with plenty of singles, and the Fest Haus also has an ATM onsite.

For a comprehensive understanding of all tournament rules, including those related to bumps and Euchre scenarios, please review the complete guidelines on our website:

<https://www.worldeuchrefederation.com/euchre-rules>

## **HAVE QUESTIONS? LET US KNOW!**

If you have questions regarding your registration or visit to New Glarus, just let us know. We're here to help. You can contact us by emailing us at [info@newglaruscares.com](mailto:info@newglaruscares.com) or calling us at 608-205-8715. You can also find all sorts of information on our website at:

<https://www.worldeuchrechampionship.com>



*We look forward to seeing you next month!*