



Compass Draw – 8 or 16 Players

Compass Draws are a wonderful format that gives players an opportunity to play multiple matches, regardless of the outcome. It can accommodate different ability levels in one draw. The draw is organized using compass “directions.” At the end of each round, the winners continue in the same direction. Losers move to other directions in the compass to form a new draw. These directions can be found in a drop-down menu online for the draw of each event that uses this format. All draws start in the “East.”

At the End of Round 1	Winners go East Losers go West
At the End of Round 2 (Final Round – 8)	Winners continue East/West East Losers Go North West Losers Go South
At the End of Round 3 (Final Round – 16)	Winners continue East/West/North/South East Losers Go Northeast West Losers Go Southwest North Losers Go Northwest South Losers Go Southeast

The winner and finalist (First/Second) of the events are the players in the final of the East Draw, and third place is the winner of the West Draw. If there are less than 8 or 16 players in the draws there will be byes on some rounds.