



WFDF 2022 Virtual Sport World Team Disc Golf Championship Presented by Latitude 64



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The World Flying Disc Federation (WFDF) in partnership with Latitude 64 and Spinoff Games are excited to present the Inaugural WFDF 2022 Virtual Sport World Team Disc Golf Championship (VSWTDGC) to be hosted by Disc Golf Valley. This event will be WFDF's inaugural event for virtual sport team disc golf and we extend invitations to individual participants of the 40 countries that are the most frequent users of Disc Golf Valley to participate.

The VSWTDGC will host qualifications by country and gender to find the best female (1) and best male (1) from each country who then together form a virtual mixed gender team (2) to represent your country in the finals. National qualifications will be hosted online throughout January and February 2022 with countries given a specific seven (7) day window for practice and for players to register their best stroke play round for a final score. Each country will be represented by a mixed team of 2 players in the finals.

Virtual Sport is more important since the pandemic and allows a different way to engage the community and give interest to people who are not playing the sport of Disc Golf itself. With no travel restrictions or lockdowns to overcome individuals can participate in this online tournament from the comfort of your own homes.

Disc Golf Valley (DGV) has been rising rapidly in popularity and will provide a variety of courses ranging in difficulty for all rounds. Every player will be provided with the same bag of Latitude 64 discs so that each player begins on an equal playing field. The DGV App is free to download to all players and there are no fees to enter the Tournament.



**NOTE: There are action points throughout this bulletin highlighted in red,
Please pay particular attention to these.**

There is a lot of reading, but the important thing is to look for the red highlighted notes (Page 8 & 9).

Please pay close attention to all information in this bulletin, especially to details such as deadlines, how to compete and of course how to check your scores and what to do if you are a highly ranked qualifier for your country as you move to the finals.

To plan a successful event with a fun and friendly atmosphere, we all need to work together to ensure players play respectfully and honestly. We have done our best to make the process as simple as possible and are sure everyone will have a lot of fun along the way. There are no prizes, just the honor of the World Championship title and we kindly ask everyone to be honest to represent your country and gender in the qualification rounds accurately.

This event fully relies on participants to actively follow the deadlines and steps throughout the tournament and to self manage deadlines, to follow instructions and to respond with the necessary data efficiently.

You will not be prompted with further instructions for the National Qualifications.
Everything you need to know can be found in this bulletin.

National teams (mixed pair- 2 players) can only be created if the top ranked players click through to register the team for the World Championship after the country has finished its qualification week.
Don't forget to keep an eye on the results if you are successful in coming in the top 5 from your country and to follow those steps.

Disc Golf Valley (the App) by Spinoff Games

Disc Golf Valley (DGV) by Spinoff Games is an online game app that is supported on both iOS and Android OS where players use simple controls to play disc golf on a mobile device. DGV is home to some of the most beautiful and challenging disc golf courses in the world and aims to capture the thrill and excitement as if you were playing real Disc Golf and the App has more than 500,000 downloads.

To participate at VSWTDGC 2022,
you will need to install the Disc Golf Valley App on your mobile device.

There is no cost to download or use the app. If you don't already have access to it, you can **download the app by clicking through to the DGV [appstore](#) and [play store](#).**

Steps to play an event in DGV:

1. Download Disc Golf Valley on your mobile device, either from App Store or Google Play depending on what phone you have.
2. Log in with an existing Google or Apple id account, or create one if you don't have it.
3. Click the "Play" button on the first screen, then select the "Events" tab in the top right.
4. In the text box that says "Private Event ID" enter the code for the event.
5. Be sure to practice as much as possible before you use your one time code for the National Qualifying rounds.





Latitude 64 (the Discs)

Latitude 64 is a Swedish based disc golf company who have teamed up with DGV. You will find their equipment, baskets and discs throughout the game. Unlike normal use of the DGV app, the VSWTDGC will not require players to unlock discs to add to your gear bag. All participants will be provided with the same disc bag full of carefully selected Latitude 64 discs that are most suited for the courses you will play during the tournament with inclusion of Putters, Midranges, Fairway and Distance Drivers. All players have the same discs to use for VSWTDGC and your disc bag might vary between qualifications and the finals but will be likely to hold some of your favourites such as the Pure, Explorer, Ballista discs to name a few.

Gear bag: Each qualifier is using a preset bag ("Balanced Bag"). It contains a Keystone, Fuse, River, Explorer, Pioneer, and Ballista. There are four rounds to play. Blueberry Thicket, Lakeside, Coyote Canyon, Frozen Valley. You can practice the course in the "play with friend" mode. You choose the "balanced bag", the course you want to practice and you launch the game alone.

Dates

The VSWTDGC tournament will run through from Monday the 17th of January to Sunday the 20th of February inclusive. Players are encouraged to practice as much as possible during this time. Be sure to put this event in your calendar. Each round is expected to take between 10-30 minutes depending on your experience and how serious you are.

NATIONAL QUALIFICATION WEEK (7 day period between 17 January and 13 February, 2022)

Countries will participate in separate qualifier rounds during the advertised Country Qualification Weeks. Country qualifications are staggered at random over a 4 week period and are split into two divisions (Female and Male).

Countries are listed with their allocated qualification weeks at the end of this bulletin on page 10 and 11.

FINALS (Saturday 19th and Sunday 20th February, 2022)

Any country that has at least one (1) female and one (1) male participating in the national qualification rounds will progress to the finals with a National representative team of two (2).

Teams representing your country will play off over the final weekend with a cumulative score for both players on all rounds. The WFDF 2022 Virtual Sport World Team Disc Golf Champion will be awarded to the team with the lowest overall score.

Teams

National mixed gender teams of two (2) will be automatically generated after the qualifying round per country. WFDF member National Federations and their Disc Golf Associations do not need to nominate or select players. There is no formal registration process for any individual.

INDIVIDUALS will compete in the qualifying round/s for each country. Qualifying will be split by gender (female and male). Players must be a citizen of the country they are representing.

Players will compete against each other within their own country for a chance to form the national team.

NATIONAL TEAMS will be made up of mixed gender two (2) players. The best female (1) and best male (1) coming from the qualifying rounds per country will make up the National Team to compete in the finals. *NOTE, country teams for the finals are only generated if we have at least 1 male and 1 female who click through to the FINALS LINK - this is why we ask for the top 5 of each gender from each country to click through.



Practice

Participants can practice as much as you want in the lead up to when you use your code and compete in your qualification to post your best round scores.

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Countries

The WFDF 2022 Virtual Sport World Team Disc Golf Championship is open to countries who are members of WFDF. The 38 most popular countries playing Disc Golf Valley have been set up with individual qualification tournament codes. (Page 10 & 11)

Citizens of the listed countries are eligible to participate. Qualifications will happen by country and gender to encourage as many individuals as possible to enter and play during the qualification rounds.

Participants who are wanting to take part from countries not listed can do so in the qualifier OTHER (OtherQUALIF & OtherQUALIM). These participants will not be eligible to compete for medals, but will also be considered to form a team to represent the rest of the world in the finals.

Players from the finals (top 3 countries) will need to hold proof of nationality/citizenship (passport or birth certificate, other) showing country of citizenship and also gender. You will also need to prove (screen shot) your DGV username if requested. Results will only be verified and winners officially announced after these checks are completed.

Results

Players can follow their own scores and check out how they compare to other players from their country via the UDisc Scoreboard. The scoreboard will be live during the tournament.

If you are the top 5 ranked players from your National qualification be sure to keep an eye out on the final qualification results the Monday following your week of qualification play.

The Udisc Scoreboard is available from a button in the game. The urls for each event is:

<https://udisc.com/dgv/> + event code (event code should be in lowercase)





Disc Golf Valley

Disc Golf Valley has up to 18 different courses and VSWTDGC will select courses of varying difficulty for the Tournament.

The courses for the finals will not be made public until the National teams are generated. Giving everyone the same amount of time to practice on the same course/s and then to complete the final rounds.

Players will be challenged by the courses with a need to attack with a variety of shots including forehands, back hands, rollers and hyzers.

Format

DGV is based on stroke play.

National qualifications will allow for individuals to compete in four (4) rounds of play each on a separate course of varying difficulty. Results will be cumulative across all rounds with an aim for players to hold the lowest combined score possible.

Participants must log a final score for each of the rounds within the published "qualification week" with the deadline closing at midnight each Sunday night (Central European Time).

The finals will be based on three (3) rounds of play on courses of varying difficulty. The Course/s will be chosen by DGV at their discretion. The finals are only for National Teams (consisting of a mixed gender pair).

A combination of both team players' scores across all rounds will be collected and the World Champions will be the country with lowest cumulative score.

To increase the chances of creating eligible teams for the finals, it is asked that the top 5 ranked females and top 5 ranked males from each country register themselves for the finals. WFDF will be in touch with the highest male and female that register to form a team. Once a team has been formed WFDF will send out the game codes for the finals via email (Eg - if we don't have any response from the first or second ranked male for a country then the 3rd best player would go into the final as part of the team.)

You will need to supply the following information to register for the finals (Email, Nationality, Gender, DOB, DGV user name, with an option to list your actual name if you want)

How to participate

Please read the following steps carefully and **follow the instructions on each step fully.**

STEP 1 (January 2022)

- **Read this bulletin** carefully and take note of important tasks and dates.
- Information of most importance is highlighted in red.
- **Encourage your friends to compete** by sharing this bulletin with them.

STEP 2 (Prior to 17th January 2022)

- **Download the Disc Golf Valley App** by either the [appstore](#) or the [play store](#)
- Get familiar with the App and how to play DGV.
- **Practice**, practice, practice. You only get one chance to use your code to qualify.

STEP 3 (Prior to 17th January 2022)

- **Find the date of when your County Qualifier will take place.**
(see page 10 & 11)
- Take note and **highlight your unique game code.**
- Remember that all codes ending in F are for people identifying as females and M is for people identifying as males. This is important for qualifications as genders are not competing against each other.
- Practice, practice, practice.



STEP 4 (17th January to the 13th February *7 day window for your country qualification)

- **Compete in your National Qualification** (play 4 rounds).
 - Open DGV
 - Click the "Play" button on the first screen, then select the "Events" tab in the top right.
 - In the text box that says "Private Event ID" enter YOUR code for the event (This is your unique game code from page 10 & 11 from your country and gender).
 - Use your unique game code (one off use) to log your best (and lowest) round scores.
 - You only get one try to set a score, so make sure you are prepared!
- **Be sure to complete all four (4) rounds for your qualification before midnight (CET) on the Sunday night that your country is finishing its week.** Only players who finish all 4 rounds will be eligible!

STEP 5 (Week of your National Qualification)

- Check online and live time at the results through the Udisc Scoreboard. There is a button to click through from your game. The URL for each event is: <https://udisc.com/dgv/> + event code
- Track your user profile to see how you compare to your other fellow country mates.
- Be sure to share your profile name with your friends and family so they can keep an eye on your rating too.

STEP 6 - (Monday after your National Qualification Week)

- Check if you are in the top 5 for your gender from your country. (results by profile name in order of finishing place)
- Click [here](#) to register for a chance to form part of the team (only the top 5 ranked players please).
- National mixed gender teams of two (2) will be automatically generated after the qualifying round per country. NOTE - These teams are selected from the top ranked players who have registered.
- Look out for an email from WFDF. WFDF will Email the top male and female that register to form your National team and to provide you with the unique codes for the finals. Emails will come from WFDF after your National Qualification week and no later than the 15th of February.
- Please also check in your spam if you are expecting an email.
- Take note of your unique finals code
- Keep practicing DGV - make yourself familiar with all the courses.

STEP 7 - (Saturday 19th and Sunday 20th of February)

- Practice as much as you can up until when you use your unique finals code.
- Participate in the finals. There are three (3) rounds for the finals.
- Log your best scores for all 3 rounds.
- Team scores will be combined to form your national team score
- Check back to see how you fare compared to the rest of the world through the Udisc Scoreboard.
- WFDF will announce the results on Monday the 21st of February 2022.

Codes and deadlines

Select your country of citizenship and be sure to note your unique game code - this is by gender. Then play DGV to log your best round/s possible during your countries qualification week by using the specific code for your gender.

Please be aware that codes for the following countries are similar and have been updated for easier use. Australia (AUS), Austria (AUT), India (IND) and Indonesia (INA) have been updated. There has also been an added code (OTHER) for all other countries that are not listed.

Country	Female Game Code	Male Game Code	Qualification Week	Finals date
Argentina	argqualif	argqualim	31 Jan - 6 Feb	19-20 Feb
Australia	ausqualif	ausqualim	24 Jan - 30 Jan	19-20 Feb
Austria	autqualif	autqualim	7 Feb - 13 Feb	19-20 Feb
Belgium	belqualif	belqualim	31 Jan - 6 Feb	19-20 Feb
Brazil	braqualif	braqualim	24 Jan - 30 Jan	19-20 Feb
Canada	canqualif	canqualim	7 Feb - 13 Feb	19-20 Feb
Czech Republic	czequalif	czequalim	31 Jan - 6 Feb	19-20 Feb
Denmark	denqualif	denqualim	17 Jan - 23 Jan	19-20 Feb
Estonia	estqualif	estqualim	24 Jan - 30 Jan	19-20 Feb
Finland	finqualif	finqualim	24 Jan - 30 Jan	19-20 Feb
France	fraqualif	fraqualim	17 Jan - 23 Jan	19-20 Feb
Germany	gerqualif	gerqualim	7 Feb - 13 Feb	19-20 Feb
Great Britain	ukqualif	ukqualim	31 Jan - 6 Feb	19-20 Feb
Hungary	hunqualif	hunqualim	31 Jan - 6 Feb	19-20 Feb
Iceland	icequalif	icequalim	24 Jan - 30 Jan	19-20 Feb
India	indqualif	indqualim	7 Feb - 13 Feb	19-20 Feb
Indonesia	inaqualif	inaqualim	24 Jan - 30 Jan	19-20 Feb
Ireland	irequalif	irequalim	17 Jan - 23 Jan	19-20 Feb
Italy	itaqualif	itaqualim	17 Jan - 23 Jan	19-20 Feb
Japan	japqualif	japqualim	17 Jan - 23 Jan	19-20 Feb
Latvia	latqualif	latqualim	17 Jan - 23 Jan	19-20 Feb
Lithuania	litqualif	litqualim	31 Jan - 6 Feb	19-20 Feb

Malaysia	malqualif	malqualim	17 Jan - 23 Jan	19-20 Feb
Mexico	mexqualif	mexqualim	7 Feb - 13 Feb	19-20 Feb
Netherlands	netqualif	netqualim	31 Jan - 6 Feb	19-20 Feb
New Zealand	nzqualif	nzqualim	7 Feb - 13 Feb	19-20 Feb
Norway	norqualif	norqualim	17 Jan - 23 Jan	19-20 Feb
Philippines	phiqualif	phiqualim	31 Jan - 6 Feb	19-20 Feb
Poland	polqualif	polqualim	24 Jan - 30 Jan	19-20 Feb
Portugal	porqualif	porqualim	24 Jan - 30 Jan	19-20 Feb
Romania	romqualif	romqualim	24 Jan - 30 Jan	19-20 Feb
Slovakia	sloqualif	sloqualim	7 Feb - 13 Feb	19-20 Feb
South Africa	safqualif	safqualim	7 Feb - 13 Feb	19-20 Feb
Spain	spaqualif	spaqualim	24 Jan - 30 Jan	19-20 Feb
Sweden	swequalif	swequalim	31 Jan - 6 Feb	19-20 Feb
Switzerland	swiqualif	swiqualim	31 Jan - 6 Feb	19-20 Feb
Thailand	thaqualif	thaqualim	17 Jan - 23 Jan	19-20 Feb
United States of America	usqualif	usqualim	17 Jan - 23 Jan	19-20 Feb
Other (countries not listed)	otherqualif	otherqualim	7 Feb - 13 Feb	19-20 Feb

Support and Questions

Given the high levels of anticipated participation in the National Qualification Rounds, it is not possible to respond to individual questions. Players are encouraged to keep and read this bulletin information carefully and fully and to refer back to it when you have questions. For urgent enquiries, please fill out this [online form](#). WFDF will respond publicly if there are common questions (high repetition) that require technical support directly related to the WFDF 2022 Virtual Sport World Team Disc Golf Championship.



About the World Flying Disc Federation (WFDF)

The World Flying Disc Federation (“WFDF”) is the international sports federation responsible for world governance of flying disc (frisbee) sports, including Ultimate, Beach Ultimate, Disc Golf, Freestyle, Guts, and Individual Events. WFDF is a federation of 103 member associations, which represent flying disc sports and their athletes in more than 100 countries. WFDF is an International Federation recognised by the International Olympic Committee (IOC) and by the International Paralympic Committee (IPC), and the International University Sports Federation (FISU), a member of the Global Association of International Sports Federations (GAISF), the Association of IOC Recognised International Sports Federations (ARISF), the International World Games Association (IWGA), the International Masters Games Association (IMGA), and the Association for the International Sport for All (TAFISA). WFDF is a signatory to the World Anti-Doping Code, and is a registered not-for-profit 501(c)(3) corporation in the state of Colorado, USA.