

# NHRA OPEN SERIES

This is a series of 6 single day shootouts where players are guaranteed to play a minimum of 3 matches. Top open players can earn prize money in each single day event by being the best that day. Unlike the normal single elimination tournaments players have 3 drop down divisions to go to so players are free to try and play with the best open players in New England and still earn prize money in the drop down divisions. Players that choose to play in at least 5 of the 6 events could earn enough series points to win the series championship prize money of \$1,000. Each event is limited to 40 players, so sign up early.

## DATES

<u>Event Dates</u>	<u>Location</u>
October 10, 2009	Metro South AC
November 13, 2009	Nashua Athletic Club
December 12, 2009	Nashua Athletic Club
January 9, 2010	Metro South AC
February 20, 2010	Metro South AC
April 10, 2010	save date for makeup
May 1, 2010	Nashua Athletic Club

Entry Fee: \$40 per event + \$5 referee fee

Enter online: <http://www.nhracquetball.com>

Interested in becoming a sponsor or for questions and comments please contact Greg LaBrie at [greg.labrie@gmail.com](mailto:greg.labrie@gmail.com) or (978) 319-3300.



## FORMAT

The Olympic format will be used. All players start in the Gold Division. Losers drop down into 1 of 3 different loser brackets based on how far they advance in the bracket. Players losing in the first round of the Gold Division drop down to the Red Division. Players losing in the first round of Red drop down to the White Division. Players advancing to the round of 16 in the Gold Division but then losing will drop down to the Blue Division. Players are guaranteed a minimum of 3 matches.

Matches are similar to IRT in that they are the best of 3 games to 11 and players must win by 2 points.

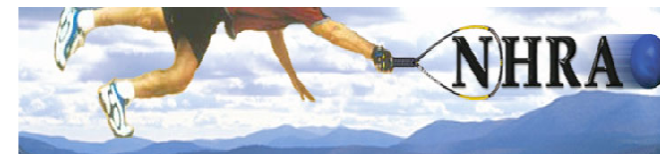
## PRIZE MONEY

**For each event the following prize money will be given out providing there is a minimum of 32 players.**

<u>Division</u>	<u>1<sup>st</sup></u>	<u>2<sup>nd</sup></u>
<b>Gold</b>	<b>\$300</b>	<b>\$150</b>
<b>Blue</b>	<b>\$125</b>	<b>\$50</b>
<b>Red</b>	<b>\$50</b>	<b>\$25</b>
<b>White</b>	<b>\$25</b>	<b>\$0</b>

**The player with the most points in 5 of the 6 events will be the series champion**

<b>Series Champion</b>	<b>\$1,000</b>
<b>Series Runner-up</b>	<b>\$250</b>



*NHRA's mission is to promote the sport of racquetball in New Hampshire by establishing programs and planning the orderly, continued growth of the organization and the sport.*

## RULES



- **USAR Rules apply. (memberships Available)**
- **One Serve Rule for Gold & Blue Divisions**
- **Qualified referee's are paid \$5 per match**
- **Matches run from 8am - 8pm**
- **12ft line on the back wall is observed**
- **Matches are best of 3 to 11, win by 2**

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