



World of Warcraft Trading Card Game 2010 World Championship August 5-8, 2010 - Player Packet

Contact

All questions regarding registration, the prize structure, and the event schedule should be directed to player@cryptozoic.com.

Tournament Location

Gen Con Indy
Indianapolis Convention Center
100 South Capitol Ave.
Indianapolis, IN 46225
Wabash Ballroom

Indianapolis Travel Information

Hotels:

For a partial list of hotels near the Indianapolis Convention Center, please visit:
http://www.icclos.com/Visitor_Info/Indy_Hotels/

Airport:

Indianapolis is served by Indianapolis International Airport (IND).

Transportation:

A taxi from the Indianapolis airport will cost approximately \$25 to most of the downtown hotels.

Tournament Information

Tournament Registration

Player registration for players who possess byes into Day 2 will occur in Wabash Ballroom from 12:00pm – 7:00pm on Thursday, August 5. Late registration will occur in Wabash Ballroom from 8:00 am to 8:45am on Friday, August 6. Players will need a 2010 Gen Con badge to enter the Wabash Ballroom in order to register for any World of Warcraft Trading Card Game event held at Gen Con.

Eligibility

All players are eligible to play Day 1 of the 2010 World Championship. If a player has a bye into Day 2, they forfeit this bye if they participate in any Day 1 2010 World Championship event.

The following events awarded Byes into day 2 of the World Championship:

- Season 5 Realm Championships – Top 8 players

- European Continental Championships – Top 100 players
- North American Continental Championships – Top 100 players
- Welcome Back! Events – Top 8 players
- World Championship Qualifiers – Varies based on region.

Badges

All players will need a 2010 Gen Con badge to enter the Wabash Ballroom and to purchase event tickets. A Gen Con badge will be required at all times to register and to participate in World of Warcraft Trading Card Game events at Gen Con.

Players who have won a 2010 Gen Con badge will be able to pick this up at the Gen Con *Will Call* kiosks on site. The kiosks operate 12n-9pm on Wednesday, 7am-9pm on Thursday.

Gen Con will not offer a separate kiosk for Cryptozoic registration. Players may experience long wait times to pick up their Gen Con badge, and should plan accordingly. We recommend that players arrive early and give themselves enough time to pick up both their Gen Con badge and event tickets prior to any event they wish to participate in. We recommend that players with a Day 2 bye into the World Championship pick up their badges on Thursday.

Players that received a Gen Con badge as a prize should have received an email communication from Gen Con. Those that did not receive communication from Gen Con regarding their badge, should contact player@cryptozoic.com The following players received a Gen Con badge as a prize:

- North America Continental Championships - Top 75 players
- European Continental Championships – Top 75 players
- Welcome Back! Events – Top 8 players
- World Championship Qualifiers – Varies based on region.

Tickets

Gen Con Indy 2010 requires tickets to participate in any of Cryptozoic Entertainment's World of Warcraft Trading Card Game Events.

Participants may purchase tickets specifically for an event or buy generic tickets which are used more like cash to pay admission fees associated with a specific event. The drawback to purchasing generic tickets is that they do not guarantee admission or the ability to play a game if the event sells out. Event Registration kiosks can be found in the Maryland Street lobby in the convention center and at several surrounding hotels.

Generic tickets are sold in \$2 denominations. Generic tickets may be used like cash to pay admission fees associated with a specific event. For example, if you wish to participate in an event costing \$4, you could pay for the event with two generic tickets (valued at \$2 each). Generic ticket purchases are limited to 20 or \$40 worth of ticket per transaction. We recommend purchasing either event or generic tickets prior to any World of Warcraft TCG event you choose to participate in at Gen Con Indy 2010.

Cryptozoic Entertainment cannot replace lost, stolen or forgotten badges and/or event tickets. Please be responsible with your convention materials. Lost, stolen or forgotten items must be repurchased at full cost

Format:

Day 1 (Thursday, August 5)

Players can choose to sign up for Sealed, Core, or Classic Format.

Single Elimination flights of 32 start any time they fill up, and there may be multiple flights running at any time, depending on the number of sign-ups. Each event is 3 rounds, and undefeated players receive an invitation to Day 2.

2010 World Championship Day 1 Prices:

Core Constructed Heats: \$20

Classic Constructed Heats: \$20

Sealed Format Heats: \$30

Day 2 (Friday, August 6)

Classic Constructed: The top players from Day 2 will advance to Day 3 (Saturday). The number of rounds of constructed play and the specific number of players advancing to Day 3 will be announced during the player meeting on Day 2.

Day 3 (Saturday, August 7)

Scourgewar / Scourgewar/ Wrath Gate Draft: The top 8 players from Day 3 will advance to Day 4 (Sunday). Players advancing to Day 4 are required to check in with the head judge or the Tournament Manager before leaving on Day 3.

Day 4 (Sunday, August 8)

Classic Constructed: The top 8 players will compete in the Top 8, single-elimination bracket. The quarterfinals and semifinals will be best 2 games out of 3. The finals will be best 3 games out of 5. Players will use the same Classic Constructed deck as was registered and played on Day 2.

Round Length

Day 1 – Round length varies based on format.

Day 2 – Best two out of three, 60 minute matches.

Day 3 – Best two out of three, 60 minute matches.

Day 4 – The quarterfinals and semifinals will be 120 minutes long. The finals will be 210 minutes long.

Conduct

All players are expected to behave in a sporting manner at all times before, during, and after the tournament. Proper player conduct is a top priority for Cryptozoic Entertainment.

Decklists and Other Forms

Players are expected to complete and turn in the appropriate tax form at registration for the event. Day 2 Decklists will be collected during the players' meeting on Friday. Decklists must be complete and accurate when they are collected: once collected, players will not be

able to revise their list in any manner; any errors found will result in the appropriate tournament penalty.

Additional Information

Players must bring their own pens, paper, card sleeves, and appropriate counters with them to the tournament. There will be vendors in the main event hall selling accessories, product, and singles.

Rules and Tournament Policies

Players are responsible for knowing all game rules and tournament policies. In addition, players are responsible to ensure that sleeves used at the event are opaque, as not to reveal the backs of cards during tournament play.

Set Legality

In Classic Format, all released sets and promotional cards are legal.

2010 World Championship Schedule

Thursday, August 5 – Day 1:

Doors Open: 11:00am

Sealed, Core, and Classic Event sign ups begin: 12:00pm

Day 2 Worlds Registration: 12:00pm – 7:00pm

Friday, August 6 – Day 2:

Late Registration: 8:00am – 8:45am

Player Meeting: 8:45am

Tournament Begins: 9:00am

Saturday, August 7 – Day 3:

Player Meeting: 8:45am

Tournament Begins: 9:00am

Sunday, August 8 – Day 4:

Player Meeting: 8:45am

Tournament Begins: 9:00am

Award Ceremony Briefing: 2:45pm

Award Ceremony: 3:00pm

Crafting Redemption:

Crafting will be available at the CZE League desk in the Wabash Ballroom. Players will need 2010 Gen Con badge to enter the Wabash Ballroom in order to participate in Crafting Redemption. Crafting is available:

Thursday: 11am – 10pm

Friday – Saturday: 10am – 10pm

Sunday: 10am – 3pm

Prize Payout

Place	Prize	Place	Prize	Place	Prize	Place	Prize	Place	Prize
1	\$50,000	21	\$1,850	41	\$850	61	\$650	81	\$450
2	\$25,000	22	\$1,800	42	\$840	62	\$640	82	\$440
3	\$14,500	23	\$1,750	43	\$830	63	\$630	83	\$430
4	\$13,500	24	\$1,700	44	\$820	64	\$620	84	\$420
5	\$10,500	25	\$1,650	45	\$810	65	\$610	85	\$410
6	\$10,000	26	\$1,600	46	\$800	66	\$600	86	\$400
7	\$9,500	27	\$1,550	47	\$790	67	\$590	87	\$390
8	\$9,000	28	\$1,500	48	\$780	68	\$580	88	\$380
9	\$6,500	29	\$1,450	49	\$770	69	\$570	89	\$370
10	\$6,000	30	\$1,400	50	\$760	70	\$560	90	\$360
11	\$5,500	31	\$1,350	51	\$750	71	\$550	91	\$350
12	\$5,000	32	\$1,300	52	\$740	72	\$540	92	\$340
13	\$4,500	33	\$1,250	53	\$730	73	\$530	93	\$330
14	\$4,000	34	\$1,200	54	\$720	74	\$520	94	\$320
15	\$3,500	35	\$1,150	55	\$710	75	\$510	95	\$310
16	\$3,000	36	\$1,100	56	\$700	76	\$500	96	\$300
17	\$2,650	37	\$1,050	57	\$690	77	\$490	97	\$280
18	\$2,500	38	\$1,000	58	\$680	78	\$480	98	\$270
19	\$2,250	39	\$950	59	\$670	79	\$470	99	\$260
20	\$2,000	40	\$900	60	\$660	80	\$460	100	\$250

Participation Prizes

Each World Championship participant receives a participation *Corpse Explosion* promotional card, a *Series 3 Death Knight* deckbox and a World Championship playmat. Each player can only receive participation prizes once, no matter how many times they play on Day 1. Each day 2 participant receives a participation *Ethereal Plunderer* loot card. Each day 3 participant receives a participation *Broderik Langforth* promotional card. Each day 4 participant receives a *Kel'thuzad* promotional card.

Prizes and Payment Information

All players who receive an electronic prize, gift card, or cash prize must fill out a W9 or W8BEN; Cryptozoic Entertainment reports winnings to the IRS.

Day 4 players must attend World Championship Awards ceremony in order to receive their prizes.

Prizes awarded at World Championship become the sole responsibility of the player, including redemption of prizes through third parties, transportation, and administrative costs associated with the prize. Cryptozoic Entertainment will award prizes based on tournament standings and will not adjust prize payouts based on negotiated prize splits.

Thursday

Title	Time	Price	Format	Structure	Prizes
CZE League	11:00am - 9:00pm	\$10	2-pack or Constructed	Entry fee allows admission all weekend. Open play in league area.	Players receive prizes just for signing up! Both players receive random prizes after each match.
Beginner Events	12:00pm, and every two hours on the hour until 6:00pm	\$10	Class Starter Deck	Each player buys and plays with a Class Starter Deck. Two rounds of single-game-match play.	Booster packs to all players for completing each round.
World Championship Day 1 Heat 1	12:00n	\$30	Sealed	Maximum 32 players. For each 8 players in the tournament, 1 person qualifies. 3 rounds of Swiss	Invitation to Day 2 of World Championships.
World Championship Day 1 Heat 2	2:00pm	\$20	Classic	Maximum 32 players. For each 8 players in the tournament, 1 person qualifies. 3 rounds of Swiss	Invitation to Day 2 of World Championships.
World Championship Day 1 Heat 3	4:00pm	\$30	Sealed	Maximum 32 players. For each 8 players in the tournament, 1 person qualifies. 3 rounds of Swiss	Invitation to Day 2 of World Championships.
World Championship Day 1 Heat 4	6:00pm	\$20	Core	Maximum 32 players. For each 8 players in the tournament, 1 person qualifies. 3 rounds of Swiss	Invitation to Day 2 of World Championships.
Gadgetzan Qualifier #1	12:00pm	\$30	Sealed	5 rounds of Swiss. Best 2-of-3 game matches. No Finals	Undefeated After Swiss: \$250 Best Buy Gift Card. Top 2: Invites to Sunday's Gadgetzan Championship. Booster packs awarded based on attendance.
Two-Headed Ogre	2:00pm	\$40	Two-headed Ogre Sealed.	Each team gets 4 Packs of Soulgewar and 4 packs of Wrathgate for deck construction. Teams of two play 5 rounds of Swiss. Best 2-of-3 game matches. No Finals	Undefeated team after Swiss: Art from the WoW TCG. \$200 Best Buy Gift Card. X-1 Team: WoW Figurines. \$50 Best Buy Gift Card.
Gadgetzan Qualifier #2	4:00pm	\$20	Core Constructed	7 rounds of Swiss. Best of one matches. No Finals	1st: \$250 Best Buy Gift Card. Top 2: Invites to Sunday's Gadgetzan Championship. Booster packs awarded based on attendance.
iPod Draft	7:00pm	\$14	Draft	3 rounds of Swiss. Best 2-of-3 game matches. No finals. Tournament will be broken up into 8 person pods.	1st: 8GB iPod Nano. 2nd: 4 booster packs of WRG. 3rd-4th: 2 booster packs of WRG.

Friday

Title	Time	Price	Format	Structure	Prizes
World Championship Day 2	9:00am	n/a	Classic Constructed	See World Championship Packet.	See World Championship Packet.
CZE League	10:00am - 9:00pm	\$10	2-pack or Constructed	Entry fee allows admission all weekend. Open play in league area.	Players receive prizes just for signing up! Both players receive random prizes after each match.
Beginner Events	10:00am, and every two hours on the hour until 6:00pm	\$10	Class Starter Deck	Each player buys and plays with a Class Starter Deck. Two rounds of single-game-match play.	Booster packs to all players for completing each round.
Gadgetzan Qualifier #3	10:00am	\$20	Classic Constructed	5 rounds of Swiss. Best 2-of-3 game matches. No Finals	Undefeated After Swiss: \$250 Best Buy Gift Card. Top 2: Invites to Sunday's Gadgetzan Championship. Booster packs awarded based on attendance.
Blast from the Past	1:00pm	\$20	HoA and MoTL Block sealed	3 rounds of Swiss. Single game matches. No finals. Tournament will be broken up into 8 person pods. Tournament is limited to 32 players.	Undefeated After Swiss: Spectral Kitten Second place in each pod: Statue Generator
Gadgetzan Qualifier #4	3:00pm	\$30	Sealed	5 rounds of Swiss. Best 2-of-3 game matches. No Finals	Undefeated After Swiss: \$250 Best Buy Gift Card. Top 2: Invites to Sunday's Gadgetzan Championship. Booster packs awarded based on attendance.
Gurubashi Arena	5:00pm	\$10	8-person grand melee	Players will play in randomly generated pods of 8. Players can affect and attack players to their immediate left and right.	Last person standing in a pod: 12 boosters Person knocking out the most players in a pod: 12 boosters
Spectral Safari	7:00pm	\$20	Core Constructed	7 rounds of Swiss. Best of one matches. No Finals	1st: Spectral Tiger Loot Card 2nd: Blazing Hippogryph Loot Card 3rd-4th: El Pollo Grande Loot Card 5th-8th: Spectral Kitten Loot Card. Boosters packs awarded based on attendance
iPod Draft	9:00pm	\$14	Draft	3 rounds of Swiss. Best 2-of-3 game matches. No finals. Tournament will be broken up into 8 person pods.	1st: 8GB iPod Nano. 2nd: 4 booster packs of WRG. 3rd-4th: 2 booster packs of WRG.

Saturday

Title	Time	Price	Format	Structure	Prizes
World Championship Day 3	9:00am	n/a	Draft	See World Championship Packet.	See World Championship Packet.
CZE League	10:00am - 9:00pm	\$10	2-pack or Constructed	Entry fee allows admission all weekend. Open play in league area.	Players receive prizes just for signing up! Both players receive random prizes after each match.
Beginner Events	10:00am, and every two hours on the hour until 6:00pm	\$10	Class Starter Deck	Each player buys and plays with a Class Starter Deck. Two rounds of single-game-match play.	Booster packs to all players for completing each round.
Gen Con Sealed Championship	10:00am	\$30	Sealed	Number of rounds determined by the number of players. Best 2-of-3 game matches. Top 8 on Sunday.	1st: \$1,000 Travel Voucher. 2nd: 32GB iPad. 3rd-4th: 64GB iPod Touch. 5th-8th: \$250 BB Gift Card. 1st-8th: Spectral Tiger Loot Card, 9th-16th: Blazing Hippogryph Loot Card. Spectral Kitten Loot Card. Booster packs awarded based on attendance. Random door prizes including a 32GB iPad, WoW TCG framed art, uncut sheets, WoW figures, electronics and loot
Gadgetzan Qualifier #5	12:00pm	\$20	Classic Constructed	5 rounds of Swiss. Best 2-of-3 game matches. No Finals	Undefeated After Swiss: \$250 Best Buy Gift Card. Top 2: Invites to Sunday's Gadgetzan Championship. Booster packs awarded based on attendance.
Second Chance Tournament	2:00pm	\$30	Sealed	5 rounds of Swiss. Best 2-of-3 game matches. Starting with round 2, each player in the tournament will get another booster to upgrade their sealed deck.	Each round players play for one booster pack as a prize. At the end, booster packs awarded based on attendance.
Gadgetzan Qualifier #6	4:00pm	\$20	Core Constructed	7 rounds of Swiss. Best of one matches. No Finals	1st: \$250 Best Buy Gift Card. Top 2: Invites to Sunday's Gadgetzan Championship. Booster packs awarded based on attendance.
Legendary Draft	5:00pm	n/a	Legendary Pack constructed by Cryptozoic R&D	Players gain entry through random raffles from league and other tournaments. 3 rounds of Swiss. Best 2-of-3 game matches. No finals.	1st: Flaming Hippogryph. 2nd: Statue Generator
Bounty Tournament	7:00pm	\$30	2-pack	5 rounds of Swiss with Arena Grand Melee effects. Best of one matches. No Finals.	If you get paired against a Bounty and beat them, they will drop a random prize. It could just be for you, or it could be for everyone in the tournament. Booster packs awarded based on attendance.
iPod Draft	9:00pm	\$14	Draft	3 rounds of Swiss. Best 2-of-3 game matches. No finals. Tournament will be broken up into 8 person pods.	1st: 8GB iPod Nano. 2nd: 4 booster packs of WRG. 3rd-4th: 2 booster packs of WRG.

Sunday

Title	Time	Price	Format	Structure	Prizes
Worlds Top 8	9:00am	n/a	Classic Constructed	See World Championship Packet.	See World Championship Packet.
Sunday Draft	9:00am	\$30	Draft	3 rounds of Swiss. Best 2-of-3 game matches. Undefeated player from each pod will advance to a Top 8 draft. Limited to first 64 players.	1st: \$500 Amazon Gift Card. 2nd: \$250 Amazon Gift Card. 3rd-4th: \$150 Amazon Gift Card. 5th-8th: \$100 Amazon Gift Card. 2nd place in each pod: 24 boosters.
CZE League	10:00am - 3:00pm	\$10	2-pack or Constructed	Entry fee allows admission all weekend. Open play in league area.	Players receive prizes just for signing up! Both players receive random prizes after each match.
Beginner Events	10:00am, and every two hours on the hour until 2:00pm	\$10	Class Starter Deck	Each player buys and plays with a Class Starter Deck. Two rounds of single-game-match play.	Booster packs to all players for completing each round.
Gen Con Sealed Championship Top 8	10:00am	n/a	Draft	Single-elimination. Best 2-of-3 game matches.	1st: \$1,000 Travel Voucher. 2nd: 32GB iPad. 3rd-4th: 64GB iPod Touch. 5th-8th: \$250 BB Gift Card. 1st-8th: Spectral Tiger Loot Card, Blazing Hippogryph Loot Card.
Gadgetzan Championships	10:00am	n/a	Core Constructed	Single-elimination. Best 2-of-3 game matches	1st: \$500 Amazon Gift Card. 2nd: \$250 Amazon Gift Card. 3rd-4th: \$150 Amazon Gift Card. 5th-8th: \$100 Amazon Gift Card. 9th-16th: 24 packs WRG
Hero Challenge	10:00am	\$20	Core Constructed	7 rounds of Swiss. Best of one matches. No Finals	1st: Character name submission into the TCG. 2nd: A collection of autographed Cryptozoic employee character cards. Booster packs awarded based on attendance.
World Championship Awards Ceremony	3:00pm - 4:00pm	n/a	n/a	Players must participate or forfeit their prizes.	See World Championship Packet.