

## Pro-Am Swiss Team – Registration Form

Sunday, January 24, 2010  
12:30 PM (1 PM game start) at Adobe

There are new definitions for a **Pro** and an **Am** for the January 24 Pro-Am Swiss Game. A **Pro-Am Pair** is composed of:

- One player who has less than 300 masterpoints and is not a Life Master, called an **Am**, and
- One player who has 300 or more masterpoints regardless of whether they are a Life Master, called a **Pro**.

Both of the above conditions must be true according to ACBL's records on January 24, 2010. This means that you must think ahead about when your points are being recorded at ACBL's headquarters. One advantage of the new definitions is that all players are eligible to play in the game in one category or the other.

A **Pro-Am Team** is composed of two Pro-Am Pairs.

It shouldn't be any surprise that communicating with a partner you have never played with before is difficult and may lead to mistakes. So we suggest that you play a few times with your Pro partner before the game, decide on your conventions, and fill out your convention card. But to be fair the Pro and Am should not be regular partners.

Adobe has a maximum of 30 tables (we had 28 tables in Aug), and eligibility and stratification (by team average) need to be determined ahead of time. Therefore please register by **January 17** by filling out this form and giving it to the director at any of the clubs. You can also email your registration and last minute changes to Brenda Sonderegger, the Pro-Am director, at [sonder@cox.net](mailto:sonder@cox.net).

A light snack will be provided before the game, so please **arrive around 12:30 PM**. This will also allow time for you to discuss your team's strategy and for the director to finalize everything for the game.

### Pro-AM Team (must provide ACBL number):

Pro's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ ACBL #: \_\_\_\_\_

Am's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ ACBL #: \_\_\_\_\_

Pro's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ ACBL #: \_\_\_\_\_

Am's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ ACBL #: \_\_\_\_\_

If you need a partner or team talk to Marge Curvin at a game, email her at [marg12@comcast.net](mailto:marg12@comcast.net), or call her at (520) 319-1081.

Good Luck!!