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Oceanic OTS Extravaganza Qualifiers FAQ

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1. Basic Information

A. What are OTS Extravaganza Qualifiers?

OTS Extravaganza Qualifiers are part of the Oceanic State Championship Program. The Oceanic State Championship program is split into Qualifier events, and State Finals.

OTS Extravaganza Qualifiers are one-day events hosted by Official Tournament Stores (OTS). These events award top performing Duelists with exclusive prizing, and the chance to compete at the OTS State Championship Finals.

OTS Extravaganza Qualifiers, and OTS State Championship Finals are Tier 2 Events. You will find further information on tier 2 events in our Tournament Policy.

B. Where and when are the Oceanic State Qualifiers?

A list of dates and locations for currently scheduled Oceanic Extravaganza events can be found online at on the Official Yu-Gi-Oh! Events web page.

Additionally; you can find events using the <u>NEURON</u> phone application, or via <u>KCGN</u>.

c. How much does it cost to enter an OTS Extravaganza Qualifier?

OTS Extravaganza prices may vary from event to event. We advise you contact participating OTS directly for information on entry costs.

D. Who can participate in an OTS Extravaganza Qualifier?

Anyone can participate in an Oceanic Extravaganza Qualifier events unless they are suspended from official Yu-Gi-Oh! Organised Play, or any tournament official associated with the Oceanic Extravaganza event. This includes, but is not limited to, the Judge Staff, Scorekeeper, Registration Staff, and Tournament Organiser. Oceanic Extravaganza events are open to players from foreign countries.

Tournament Organisers retain the right to refuse entry to players who have engaged in criminal behaviour, such as theft or violent conduct.

E. What is the format for OTS Extravaganza Qualifiers?

OTS Extravaganza Qualifier events run as Advanced Constructed. Sealed Pack Play is not a supported format at Oceanic OTS State Championships.

Oceanic Extravaganza events will be run using Swiss Format. Swiss Format means all Duelists will play a set number of rounds determined by the number of Duelists enrolled in the tournament. Duelists are not eliminated during the event.

Swiss Rounds for the OTS Extravaganza Qualifiers:

Number of	Number of
Participants*	Swiss Rounds
4-8	3
9 – 16	4
17 – 32	5
33 – 64	6
65 – 128	7
129 – 256	8

F. Can I play in more than one OTS Extravaganza Qualifier?

Duelists can compete in any number of OTS Extravaganza Qualifiers – whether they have received an invite for the OTS State Championship Finals or not.

G. I would like to provide feedback to KONAMI concerning the OTS Extravaganza event I attended, who should I contact?

If you attended one of our Oceanic Extravaganza events and would like to give us feedback, you are welcome to send us an e-mail to eu-opsupport@konami.com.

н. Will there be Public Events at OTS Extravaganza Qualifiers?

Some OTS Extravaganza events may offer additional Public Events. Check with your Tournament Organiser to find out if they will be offering any Public Events.

I. How long will the Oceanic Extravaganza event last?

The number of Swiss rounds is determined by the number of Duelists enrolled in the tournament. Rounds in the Yu-Gi-Oh! TRADING CARD GAME are 40 minutes long, you should expect to be at the event for several hours.

J. What happens if I am not done with my Match after 40 minutes?

Sometimes a Match will not be finished when the time ends for a round. If this happens, it is both Duelists' responsibility to note whose turn it is when time is called. Duelists who require assistance with the End of Match procedures should raise their hand and call for a judge. The judge should be notified that the Match is ongoing and whose turn it is. The judge may or may not stay to supervise the End of Match procedure but should ensure that both Duelists understand the following procedures.

End of Match procedures should follow these three (3) rules:

Rule #1: If time is called while Duelists are in the middle of a Game, the current Game must have a decision (Win, Loss, or Draw).

Rule #2: Once the current Game has concluded with a decision, determine the winner of the Match by determining the number of Game Wins (or Game Losses) each Duelist has for the current Match. The Duelist with the most Game Wins will win the Match.

<u>Swiss Rounds:</u> If both Duelists have the same number of Game Wins, or if time was called in between games of a Match when both Duelists had the same number of Game Wins, then the Match is a Draw.

<u>Single-Elimination Rounds</u>: If both Duelists have the same number of Game Wins, or if time is called in between Games of a Match while both Duelists have the same number of Game Wins, they will begin a new Duel with specific guidelines.

- Neither Duelist may use his or her Side Deck. If time was called in between Games of a Match and at least one Duelist has already accessed his or her Side Deck, then both Duelists may use their Side Deck.
- o Duelists must use a random method (die roll, coin flip, etc.) to determine who will go first.
- The Duel will continue for a total of four (4) turns, two (2) turns for each Duelist, unless a Duelist manages to win the Duel before the four (4) turns have concluded.
 - 1. A "turn" is defined as the start of the Draw Phase until the end of the End Phase for a single Duelist.
- Once the four (4) turns are completed, Life Point totals are compared and the Duelist with the highest Life Point total wins the Match.
- If both Duelists' Life Points are the same after the four (4) turns are completed, then play will continue on a turn-by-turn basis, with the Duelist with the most Life Points at the end of a turn being declared the winner of that Game.

Rule #3: If a win condition occurs during End of Match Procedures, that Duelist wins the current Game.

Keeping these three (3) rules in mind, please follow these instructions when proceeding to End of Match procedures:

- 1. Continue with the current Phase of the Game. Once the Phase is over, stop the game.
- 2. Determine a Game Winner at this point, with the Duelist with the most Life Points winning the Game.
 - During Swiss Rounds, if both Duelists' Life Points are the same, the Game is a Draw. Compare Game Wins with the Duelist with the most Game Wins winning the Match. If the Game Win totals are the same, the Match is a Draw.
 - During Single-Elimination, **if both Duelists' Life Points are the same at the end of the current Phase (Step 1 above)**, **finish the current turn**. If both Duelists' Life Points are the same at the end of the turn, then play will continue on a turn-by-turn basis, with the Duelist with the most Life Points at the end of a turn being declared the winner of that Game.
 - Match Draws cannot occur during Single-Elimination Rounds.

II. Preparing for the Event

A. Can I get a CARD GAME ID number at the Oceanic Extravaganza events, or will I need to have one before I attend the event?

If you previously had a COSSY ID, that same number will carry over as your CARD GAME ID. You will still need to register online at https://cardgame-network.konami.net/.

If you do not have a KCGN ID number, you can get one at the event. If you already have a KCGN ID number but do not remember the 10-digit ID, a registration staff member on-site should be able to assist in finding your correct ID. Duelists should avoid acquiring new KCGN IDs if the previous ID can be found.

If you do not have a CARD GAME ID number, you can get one by registering online at https://cardgame-network.konami.net/.

B. Will I need to complete and turn in a Deck List?

All OTS Extravaganza events run in Advanced Constructed format, Duelists must turn in a completed Deck List in order to participate. Please check with the onsite Tournament Organiser for additional information in regard to the Deck List collection process. Duelists can download the official KDE Deck List at http://www.yugioh-card.com/uk/gameplay/rulings/constructed_deck_list.pdf

Duelists are encouraged to complete their Deck List before arriving at the tournament.

c. What cards are legal for play?

Please check the card legality page online for an updated look at the legality dates of Yu-Gi-Oh! TRADING CARD GAME product releases, **prior to preparing your Deck for the event.**

	UK: https://img.yugioh-card.com/uk/gameplay/detail.php?id=426
	FR: https://img.yugioh-card.com/fr/gameplay/detail.php?id=307
	DE: https://img.yugioh-card.com/de/gameplay/detail.php?id=405
Card Legality	IT: https://img.yugioh-card.com/it/gameplay/detail.php?id=368
	ES: https://img.yugioh-card.com/es/gameplay/detail.php?id=344
	OC: https://img.yugioh-card.com/oc/gameplay/detail.php?id=1386

In addition to checking the tournament legality of a product, please check the current Advanced Format Forbidden/Limited list. Certain cards in products with tournament-legal dates can sometimes be excluded from the current format.

D. Can I use OCG cards in my Deck?

No. Cards printed for Asian markets are not legal for play in TCG tournaments.

E. Can I use foreign language cards in my Deck?

You can use foreign-language copies of legal-for-play cards printed for the TCG market, as long as you can show an official translation of the card, kept outside of your Deck, when asked to do so by an opponent or tournament official.

F. If I've never been to a competitive tournament, what should I expect?

Competitive Qualifier events are run like local tournaments, with exception that Duelists are held to a higher standard of play.

There are a lot of things you should do to make sure you are prepared before heading to the tournament.

Read over the list of <u>things you will need for the tournament</u>, and make sure you have everything. You'll have a better time at the event if you don't have too many bulky or heavy possessions to carry around, as it can get crowded there on the floor. Think ahead while you are planning what to bring with you.

When you get to the event, you will need to register in order to play. You will also need a KCGN ID card — this is the ID number used to track you in the tournament. If you don't already have one, you will be able to get one at the tournament.

If you have a KCGN ID and have lost or forgotten it, you can try ask the Registration team to look it up for you. If you've played in a previous event, they may be able to retrieve your number.

We recommend using the <u>NEURON</u> phone app as a way of keeping track of you KCGN ID.

Please arrive at least 30 minutes before the event is scheduled to start to ensure you will be properly registered for the tournament.

You will also need a Deck List. A Deck List is required to participate in the event. You can get a Deck List form at the event when you register, or you can download one to fill out ahead of time by clicking on this link: http://www.yugioh-card.com/uk/gameplay/rulings/constructed deck list.pdf. Write the name of each card in full and write down how many copies you have in your Deck.

- Make sure your name and KCGN ID are on your Deck List.
- Make sure your Deck List exactly matches your Deck.
- Write legibly and do not use abbreviations for card names.

Please check with the Head Judge for additional instructions on the Deck List collection process.

Duelists are responsible for paying attention to information from judges and/or tournament staff in order to understand what is going on. If Duelists have questions about the event either beforehand or while they are there, they should check with the Tournament Organiser.

Before heading to the event, all Duelists should read over the KDE Tournament Policy and Penalty Guidelines carefully. These documents tell you what you can and cannot do at an event and give you a good idea of what to expect. You may find these Guidelines in in the resources section.

When you compete in a competitive event, you'll be held to high standards of play and sportsmanship. You should know how the cards in your Deck work, and should take great care to prepare your Deck, sleeves, and Deck List. Duelists must pay attention to information from judges and/or tournament staff in order to understand what is going on. Duelists are expected to know and understand the information provided in the above policies and guidelines while at any Sanctioned event.

Competitive events are excellent places to test your skills, learn more about deckbuilding and strategy, and see how well you match up against the other Duelists in your area.

G. What will I need to bring to an Oceanic Extravaganza event?

You should bring a tournament-legal Deck as described above, along with any tournament supplies you will need, such as paper and pen to track Life Points, dice or counters if you are using cards which require them, extra sleeves to replace any that become damaged, and so forth. If you have a KCGN ID number, you should bring your number and barcode, or within the NEURON phone app. You'll also need the entry fee for the tournament, as well as money for your incidentals (food, drink, Public Events, etc.).

н. I want to judge at an Oceanic Extravaganza event, how can I volunteer?

If you're interested in judging, you should contact the Tournament Organiser for the Oceanic Extravaganza event as soon as possible. Most Tournament Organisers are always on the lookout for judge staff, so be prepared to provide your full name, contact information including email and phone number, and a description of your previous judging experience.

Judges are encouraged to take the Level 1 Rulings Comprehension test available at http://www.yugioh-card.com/uk/gameplay/judges.html. Following their successful completion of the test, they should follow the instructions at the above link and register as a judge with KDE.

Whom should I contact for more information about a specific Oceanic Extravaganza event?

Your best resource for answers about a specific Oceanic Extravaganza event is the contact listed in the list of Oceanic Extravaganza event dates and locations, as posted on the OTS Store Locator. Konami won't be able to answer questions such as "How do I get to the venue?", "Where should I park?", "When does registration start?", and so forth. For questions such as these, you will need to contact the Tournament Organiser directly.

If you have more general questions about Oceanic Extravaganza events, you can send them to eu-opsupport@konami.com. Please be as detailed as possible, so we can try to provide you with the answers you're seeking!

III. Prizes and qualifications to the OTS State Championship Finals

A. What are the prizes for Oceanic Extravaganza events?

In addition to any participation prize each Duelist receives upon entering the tournament, prize distribution will be as follows:

Event	Registration Fee	# of Duelists	Format	Prizing
Yu-Gi-Oh! Extravaganza Qualifier	Please check with the hosting OTS	-	TCG Advanced Constructed Advanced Format No Playoff / Top Cut	1st Place: 1 Yu-Gi-Oh! Extravaganza – Toon Kingdom – Game Mat Top 2: Invite to the 2021 State Finals

- The winning Duelist will receive an Extravaganza Game Mat
- The Top two Duelists will receive an invitation to the OTS State Championship Finals

B. How and when will I receive my invite?

Further information regarding invitations will be provided soon.

c. How do OTS State Championship Qualifications work?

OTS State Championship Finals Invites are awarded after the final round of Swiss.

OTS State Championship Finals Invites are awarded to the top 2 Duelists. If a Duelist who has already received an invite prior to the tournament finishes in a position which would award another invite, it will instead pass down to the next Duelist who has not earned an invite for the OTS State Championship Finals.

D. When and where are the OTS State Championship Finals?

The OTS State Championship Finals will take place later in the year. This will be after all OTS State Championship events have concluded. We will make an announcement once the dates and locations are available, so please keep checking on http://yugioh-card.com.

E. Is travel or hotel included with my qualification?

No. Travel and accommodation is not awarded alongside an OTS State Championship Finals invite.

F. Do I have to participate in the country I qualified in?

Duelists do not have to play in the country they earned their invite in. Duelists are however permitted to participate in only **one** OTS State Championship event.

IV. Resource Links and Contact Information

A. Contact information

For Questions please e-mail:

Topic	E-mail
KDE-E Organised Play Support	eu-opsupport@konami.com
KDE-E Penalty Support	eu-penaltysupport@konami.com
KDE-E Judge Support	eu-judgesupport@konami.com
KDE-E OTS Support	eu-otssupport@konami.com

B. Resources

Tonic	Link
Topic	UK: https://www.yugioh-card.com/uk/events/
	FR: https://www.yugioh-card.com/fr/events/
Official Vu Ci Ohl Events web	DE: https://www.yugioh-card.com/de/events/
Official Yu-Gi-Oh! Events web page	IT: https://www.yugioh-card.com/it/events/
	ES: https://www.yugioh-card.com/es/events/
	OC: https://www.yugioh-card.com/oc/events/
	UK: https://www.yugioh-card.com/uk/storelocator/
	FR: https://www.yugioh-card.com/fr/storelocator/
	DE: https://www.yugioh-card.com/de/storelocator/
OTS Store Locator	IT: https://www.yugioh-card.com/it/storelocator/
	ES: https://www.yugioh-card.com/es/storelocator/
	OC: https://www.yugioh-card.com/oc/storelocator
KDE-E Official Yu-Gi-Oh!	https://img.yugioh-card.com/ygo_cms/ygo/all/uploads/KDE-
TRADING CARD GAME Tournament Policy:	E TCG Tournament Policy 2 1.pdf
Official Yu-Gi-Oh! Rule Book	https://img.yugioh-card.com/uk/gameplay/detail.php?id=789
Tournament Infractions and	https://img.yugioh-
Tournament Infractions and Penalties Policy:	card.com/ygo cms/ygo/all/uploads/Official KDEE Tournament Infractions Penalties Policy V2.pdf
KONAMI Card Game Network	https://cardgame-network.konami.net/
NEURON Webpage	https://www.konami.com/yugioh/neuron/en/

	UK: https://img.yugioh-card.com/uk/limited/
	FR: https://img.yugioh-card.com/fr/limited/
	DE: https://img.yugioh-card.com/de/limited/
Forbidden and Limited List	IT: https://img.yugioh-card.com/it/limited/
	ES: https://img.yugioh-card.com/es/limited/
	OC: https://img.yugioh-card.com/oc/limited/
	UK: https://img.yugioh-card.com/uk/gameplay/detail.php?id=426
	FR: https://img.yugioh-card.com/fr/gameplay/detail.php?id=307
	DE: https://img.yugioh-card.com/de/gameplay/detail.php?id=405
Card Legality Page	IT: https://img.yugioh-card.com/it/gameplay/detail.php?id=368
	ES: https://img.yugioh-card.com/es/gameplay/detail.php?id=344
	OC: https://img.yugioh-card.com/oc/gameplay/detail.php?id=1386
KDE-E Official Constructed Deck List	https://img.yugioh- card.com/ygo cms/ygo/all/uploads/YGO Constructed Decklist EN.pdf
KONAMI Judge Program Overview	https://img.yugioh-card.com/uk/gameplay/detail.php?id=783
Remote Duel Best Practice Guide	https://img.yugioh-card.com/ygo cms/ygo/all/uploads/Remote-Duel- Best-Practice-Guide.pdf
Remote Duel Set Up Guide	https://img.yugioh-card.com/ygo_cms/ygo/all/uploads/Remote-Duel-Set-Up-Guide.pdf

c. Social Media

Topic	Link
Facebook	facebook.com/yugiohcardeu
Instagram	Instagram.com/yugiohcardeu
Twitter	Twitter.com/yugiohcardeu
YouTube	Youtube.com/yugiohcardeu
Twitch	Twitch.tv/yugiohcardeu