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***ATTENTION:** Please read the following rules and regulations governing the 2010 World Championship of Fantasy Football Platinum Draft. If you understand the disclaimers and rules, and agree to abide and be legally bound by them, please fill out the Official Participant Application for the 2010 World Championship of Fantasy Football. Thank You!*

## **Section I: Overview of the World Championship of Fantasy Football Platinum Draft**

**1. Game of Skill:** World Championship of Fantasy Football (WCOFF) Platinum Draft is a game of skill that offers guaranteed cash awards to participants. WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT participants take part in an activity the outcome of which is clearly based on the contestant's skills and abilities, including skills in such areas as (1) the prediction of the future performance of athletes over a significantly extended time period and not just a single game or a single performance; (2) the skill in drafting such athletes; (3) the skill and ability in creating a balanced fantasy team from such individual athletes; and (4) the skills and strategies surrounding the appropriate understanding and use of the rules governing tournament competition in the WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT. WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT award recipients are determined by the objective criteria enumerated under the "Rules" section of this document.

**2. Location:** The 2010 WCOFF Platinum Draft will be held as a live event at the Sands Expo Center at The Venetian in Las Vegas, Nevada. The live portion of the WCOFF Platinum Draft will be held Saturday, September 11, 2010 at 3:30pm PST. Teams in Dallas, Atlantic City and Orlando may participate in the platinum league at their respective venues connected via phone.

**3. Eligibility:** The WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT is open to individuals (both participants and co-managers) who are 21 years of age or older and are legal residents in a jurisdiction in which the contest is permitted. Void in the states of Montana, Vermont, Iowa, Arizona, Arkansas, Louisiana, and North Dakota, and elsewhere where prohibited or regulated by law. Employees and immediate family members of GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC are not eligible to win awards. It is also a condition of participation requirement that each participant has internet access in order to manage his or her team throughout the duration of the WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT contest. GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC may decline eligibility to any participant at its sole discretion. GridIron

Fantasy Sports LLC is not responsible for any loss or liability incurred by any participant or co-manager denied eligibility, including but not limited to travel expenses, hotel expenses, time taken off from employment, and the like nor for any violations of the law by participants or their co-managers.

**4. Participants:** To enter the 2010 World Championship of Fantasy Football (WCOFF) Platinum Draft, individuals must submit a signed Official Participant Application for the 2010 World Championship of Fantasy Football, and agree to abide by the official rules and regulations governing the WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT. Participants must also submit a valid check, money order, or cashier's check for \$25,000 to GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC, the sponsor of this event. No application will be accepted without proper payment, or without authorizing signatures on the application. GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC reserves the right to reject any application at its sole discretion without notice. GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC is not responsible for lost, late, damaged, illegible, or misdirected applications or fees. Recipients of this document must submit their completed application and fees to:

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**5. Number of Participants:** The WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT will be limited to 12 principal participants/teams.

**6. Co-managers:** Each principal participant in the 2010 WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT may bring up to four (4) additional "co-managers" to the draft. Each co-manager is required to fill out and sign the corresponding form to demonstrate their acceptance of the official rules, disclaimers and regulations governing the WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT. Co-managers are guests of the principal participant, and as such co-managers have no legal standing with the WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT. Co-managers may be residents of any state provided that they are ineligible to receive any part of the awards. In the event that a co-manager would like to be eligible to receive some part of the awards, then they are subject to the same restrictions with regard to eligibility as participants, as specifically set forth herein.

**7. Term of the WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT:** The Contest begins on Saturday, September 11, 2010, and ends on Tuesday, December 28, 2010, spanning the first 16 weeks of the NFL season. The Thursday night game on September 9, 2010 counts toward Week 1 WCOFF scoring.

**8. Cancellation of Event:** GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC reserves the right to cancel or terminate the WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT at any time prior to completion because of an act of terrorism, or an Act of God, or any other event or reason at GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC's sole discretion. If such cancellation occurs, then GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC will return all entrance fees collected from participants. Participants may forfeit all or a portion of the event fees if such circumstances arise before the draft. After the draft, no portion of the event fee is refundable. GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC is not responsible for any loss or liability incurred by any participant or co-manager due to cancellation of the WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT, including but not limited to travel expenses, hotel expenses, time taken off from employment, etc.

**9. NFL Scheduling:** If for any reason, the National Football League amends any portion of its regular season schedule, GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC reserves the right to determine award winners based on an amended WCOFF playoff system. GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC reserves the right to make any and all reasonable scheduling and playoff changes if the NFL alters its schedule. If the NFL's regular season begins prior to Thursday, September 9, 2010, the WCOFF Draft will still take place as scheduled, and the game or games played before the draft will count in Week 1 of the WCOFF schedule. In the event that the NFL cancels any part of its regular season schedule, GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC reserves the right to determine WCOFF awards based on the NFL games already played, provided, however, that GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC also reserves the right to cancel WCOFF in the event that the season is shortened to such a limited time period that it may undermine the skill-based nature of the contest in the sole and absolute judgment of GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC.

**10. Draft Order:** The draft order of each WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT participant will be chosen randomly by GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC, or a surrogate, and overseen by an independent agent. **The DRAFT order will be drawn in front of the live audience attending the Thursday Night GridIron Party in Las Vegas, NV. Participants in the Platinum League are invited to attend in person to draw their draft position.** Notification will be made by mail or email or by posting the leagues and draft order on the official WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT website (WCOFF.com). Trading or swapping of draft picks or draft order is not allowed.

**11. Division Structure:** The WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT participant will be randomly assigned to a 4-team division within the 12 team league. Notification will be made by mail or email or by posting the leagues on the official WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT website (WCOFF.com).

**12. Draft:** All participants are required to attend the WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT in person. **The WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT is scheduled for 3:30 pm Saturday, September 11, 2010 at the Sands Expo Center at The Venetian, Las Vegas, NV. The first twelve teams to register (paid in full) will comprise the WCOFF PLATINUM LEAGUE.** The time and location are subject to change if unforeseen circumstances arise. All participants will be notified at least 3 days in advance of any changes in the time and location of the WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT. If a participant does not or can not attend or participate in the WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT, the participant may name a surrogate Drafter in writing by August 25, 2010. If a participant or surrogate is unable to draft, a surrogate named by GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC will draft a team in place of the participant. Each participant will be allowed to select one player per round. The draft will be conducted in a "serpentine" order. (i.e.: Team #1 selects first in the first round, and team #12 selects twelfth in the first round; team #12 selects first in the second round, and team #1 selects twelfth in the second round, etc.).

**13. League Management/Commissioner:** GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC will hire a league management service to keep track of all league scheduling, free agent transactions, starting lineup submissions, fantasy point calculations, won-lost records, standings, and playoff rankings. All player statistics as determined by the league management service will serve as the standard for scoring. GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC will serve as the Commissioner office of the 2010 WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT as it relates to decisions and rulings regarding the event.

**14. Weekly Schedule:** The WCOFF Platinum league will have a Week 1 schedule as follows: Team 1 vs. team 2; team 3 vs. team 4; team 5 vs. team 6; team 7 vs. team 8; team 9 vs. team 10; team 11 vs. team 12. Each team will play the three teams in its division two times during the regular season, while playing the remaining teams (8) once.

**15. Scoring Discrepancies:** Any and all scoring discrepancies affecting a team must be noted and submitted via email to [info@gridironfantasysports.com](mailto:info@gridironfantasysports.com) (or received by US mail to 17736 Edison Avenue, Chesterfield, MO 63005) to the WCOFF Commissioners by noon (12pm) ET on the Friday following the completion of that week's games. After noon ET on Friday of any given week, all scores will be considered final, unless the WCOFF Commissioner notes a change in the official statistics (as kept by the Elias Bureau) of any player for the last game played. It will be up to the sole and absolute discretion of GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC as to whether a change in the official statistics of a player can reasonably be applied to amend the WCOFF ranking or scoring of any or all teams potentially affected by the change in a player's statistics.

**16. Disputes/Appeals Regarding Rules:** Any disputes or appeals regarding the WCOFF rules will be decided by GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC using its interpretation of the rules. GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC will consider the intent and spirit of the rules; the integrity of the WCOFF event, as well as the feasibility of accommodating any appeal. Any and all disputes or appeals must be submitted via email to [info@gridironfantasysports.com](mailto:info@gridironfantasysports.com) (or by US mail to 17736 Edison Avenue, Chesterfield, MO 63005). The deadline for submitting a rules dispute or appeal is by midnight ET on the Thursday following the completion of that game or games in which the dispute has occurred. Please include a detailed and lucid account of the dispute and resolution requested. All rulings made by GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC are final and binding.

**17. User Error:** With each transaction (either free agent bid or lineup change), participants will note a "Transaction Detail Page" for each league that appears on the commissioning site interface. This is verification that a transaction was accepted by the commissioning software. **Participants are strongly urged to keep record of their Transaction Detail Page as proof of a transaction. Without this proof, GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC can not verify any claims of software error, and accordingly, will assume that any error which occurred in a transaction is simply a user error.** In the case of user error (ie, a participant did not enter a valid starting line up, or did not enter a transaction by the deadline), GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC will not intervene or alter a transaction after respective free agent or lineup submissions are due.

**18. Award Notification:** Winners will be notified by email or regular mail within 30 days after the official final league and overall results are posted on the WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT web site at the conclusion of the event. Winners may be required to return via email or regular mail an affidavit of eligibility and a liability/publicity release (unless prohibited by law) within 15 days following attempted notification. By accepting any award, the winners grant permission to GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC to use their names and/or likenesses for publicity and promotional purposes without further compensation, unless prohibited by law, and agree to execute a written consent if requested. Winners agree to submit their valid and legal social security number to GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC, and winners understand that their social security numbers will be used to report income to the Internal Revenue Service.

**19. Award Money:** All award money as enumerated in Section II number 17 are the guaranteed awards for all participants. All awards will be paid at the direction of GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC to the winners as determined by the rules enumerated herein. All award money will be paid in U.S. dollars by February 15, 2011. If you are required to sign an affidavit of eligibility and liability release, please allow 30 days from the time your signed affidavit and release is returned. All taxes associated with the receipt of any award are the sole responsibility of the winner. Any interest accrued to award money does not convey to the award winner. Any non-cash awards may be substituted by cash, or by an award of equal or greater value.

**20. Disbursement of Award Money:** GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC will distribute 100% of all WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT awards directly to each winning principal participant, and only to the principal participant. GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC is not responsible for, or bound by, any agreement between the principal participant and any third parties regarding apportionment of the awards.

**21. Participants' Proprietary Information:** Any proprietary information given to the principal participants, including but not limited to an internet password to access the WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT league website, shall be kept confidential by both GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC and the principal participant. GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC will not be responsible for any changes made to the roster or starting line up by third parties or co-managers who access the WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT website, unless proven that these parties did so unlawfully and with malice of forethought.

**22. Internet/Technology Problems:** If, for any reason, the WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT is not capable of running as planned, including infection by computer virus, bugs, tampering, unauthorized intervention, fraud, technical failures or any other causes beyond the control of GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC which corrupt or affect the administration, security, fairness, integrity or proper conduct of the WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT, GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC reserves the right to modify the rules or suspend the WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT. GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC assumes no responsibility for any error, omissions, interruption, deletion, defect or delay in operation with transmission, communications, line failure, theft, destruction or unauthorized access to the league management website.

**23. Team Management Disclaimer:** GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC is not responsible for any problem or technical malfunction which impedes or interferes with the transmission or receipt of any team transaction, including, but not limited to, free agent moves or starting lineup submissions. GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC is not responsible for the failure of any telephone network or lines, computer online systems, servers, equipment or software, or traffic congestion on the Internet or at any web site, phone lines, or any combination thereof, including any injury or damage to a participant's computer related to or resulting from participation in the WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT.

**24. Personal Behavior:** Participants and co-managers agree to behave in a lawful, respectful, inoffensive and sportsmanlike manner at all WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT events (including, but not limited to, the kickoff party and draft), throughout the entire WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT contest and during use of the WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT web site including, but not limited to, the message board. Any conduct by a participant, co-manager or other person which is deemed by GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC to threaten, harass, intimidate, offend or harm any participant, co-

manager, guest, WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT representative or the representative of any WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT vendor, is strictly prohibited. GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC reserves the right, in its sole discretion, to ban any person from further participation in the WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT if such person engages in such prohibited conduct. If a participant is banned from further participation in the WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT, GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC reserves the right to designate a surrogate participant at any stage in the contest. GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC shall not be responsible or liable to any person for damage to property or personal injury or death arising from the acts or omissions of any participant, co-manager or other person. Any person engaging in an unlawful behavior at any WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT event or in connection with the WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT will be subject to legal prosecution.

**25. Collusion:** Any participants or co-managers who collude in an effort to alter the standings, rankings, or fantasy point totals will be prohibited from winning any award money and will further have their teams taken over by a surrogate or agent of GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC. Any participant or co-manager who attempts to bribe, coerce, blackmail or otherwise influence an officer, agent, affiliate, vendor or surrogate of GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC in an effort to alter the standings, rankings, or fantasy point totals will be prohibited from winning any award money and will further have his or her team taken over by a surrogate or agent of GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC. Any criminal behavior by a participant or co-manager which attempts to corrupt or alter the fairness of the WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT may result in civil and/or criminal prosecution.

**26. Team Competitiveness:** Participants are expected to manage their team to the best of their ability for the duration of the WCOFF season. However, the WCOFF recognizes that some teams will abandon their effort to compete during the season. This might include the failure to alter or turn in lineups; the failure to pick up free agents, etc. GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC regards such behavior as detrimental to the league and will utilize its discretion to start the best available players on abandoned teams. It is the responsibility of the participants in the event to notify GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC of team competitiveness issues. GridIron Fantasy Sports will utilize software provided by the contracted commissioner service for such needs. Additionally, GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC reserves the right to intervene in team management when it considers a principal participant to be involved in malicious, willful or deliberate manipulation of the event.

WCOFF will not allow owners to start a player on a Bye week or who is on Injured Reserve or under NFL Suspension. In this instance, the WCOFF Commissioner, upon notification prior to the game being considered final (Friday at 12pm EST), will adjust said owners starting line up to remove these players. WCOFF Commissioner will optimize said owners lineup with eligible players with the highest points earned to date in WCOFF scoring. If there is more than one player with equal points earned year to date, the player drafted earliest in that league draft or acquired for the most free agent dollars in that league will be the player started. Should both players have been acquired for the same dollar amount by waivers, the player earning the most points the previous week will be started.

WCOFF will consider a team abandoned if your team lacks a valid starting line up (consisting of active players for a full line up) and no attempt is made to rectify the situation over a two week period. During the two week period, WCOFF will attempt to contact the owner using all available contact information on file. It is the owner's responsibility to notify the WCOFF Commissioner of a situation that prohibits the owner from managing his / her team for an extended period of time.

Absent this notification to WCOFF, the owner risks relinquishing his / her team's general management function to GridIron Fantasy Sports, LLC. This does not include ownership of the team.

Once a team has been declared abandoned GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC will assume general management of the team. General management includes the ability for GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC to make weekly line up changes and participate in the waiver wire process. However, GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC will be limited to a fixed bid amount of the greater of \$10 or the maximum FAAB available for all free agent activity. Should a team be declared abandoned, owners in the league will be notified via the league / event news and email.

**27. Alcohol Consumption:** Alcoholic beverages will be served at the Kickoff Party, Saturday Participant Party and Sunday Viewing Party. Alcoholic beverages will also be served at the draft, but made available once the drafts are underway. Any participant or co-manager who consumes alcohol at a WCOFF sponsored party or event must be at least 21 years of age. GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC shall not be held liable for any destruction or loss of property or physical injury (including death) due to the drunken or otherwise irresponsible or negligent behavior of any participant or co-manager. GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC reserves the right to refuse the service of alcohol to anyone attending a WCOFF sponsored function.

**28. Event Tampering:** ANY ATTEMPT BY A PARTICIPANT OR ANY OTHER INDIVIDUAL TO DELIBERATELY DAMAGE THE WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT WEBSITE OR UNDERMINE THE LEGITIMATE OPERATION OF THE WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT IS A VIOLATION OF CRIMINAL AND CIVIL LAWS AND IN THE EVENT THAT AN ATTEMPT BE MADE, GRIDIRON FANTASY SPORTS LLC RESERVES THE RIGHT TO SEEK DAMAGES TO THE FULLEST EXTENT OF THE LAW.

**29. Disclaimers:** GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC is not responsible for any WCOFF Auction Division disruptions, injuries, losses or damages caused by events beyond the control of GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC or any printing or typographical errors in any materials associated with the WCOFF. GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC and any subsidiary, affiliated company, licensor or vendor including but not limited to the The Venetian Resort and Casino are not in any way responsible or liable for any damage, loss or injury (including death) resulting from any participant's or co-manager's or other guest's activity in the WCOFF and related events, and/or acceptance and use of any award won. GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC reserves the right to use the likeness or image of any and all participants or co-managers in advertising, marketing or in allowing the media to cover any and all WCOFF events or activities including but not limited to registration, the WCOFF Platinum League Division draft, and the WCOFF Kickoff Party. GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC is solely responsible for enacting, administering, enforcing the rules, and maintaining the integrity of the WCOFF. The WCOFF and web site are not sponsored, affiliated or endorsed by the National Football League or the NFL Players' Association.

**30. Release:** Participants and co-managers hereby release, discharge and covenant not to sue GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC, their administrators, agents, officers, volunteers and employees, and other participants, organizers, any sponsors, licensors, vendors, media outlet, or advertisers. Participants and co-managers agree to hold those parties harmless from all liability, claims, demands, losses, or damages caused or alleged to be caused in whole or in part by the negligence of

GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC. Participants and co-managers further agree that despite this waiver if they or anyone on their behalf makes a claim against GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC, participants and co-managers will indemnify, save, and hold harmless GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC their administrators, agents, officers, volunteers, and employees, organizers, sponsors, licensors and advertisers from any litigation expenses, attorney fees, loss liability, damage, or cost which may be incur as a result of such a claim. Participants and co-managers have read and fully understand the terms of this release, and further understand that they have given up substantial rights by signing the Official 2010 WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT Participant Application, and have signed it freely and without any induction or assurance of any nature and intend it to be complete and unconditional release of all liability to the greatest extent allowed by law and agree that if any portion of this agreement is held to be invalid, the balance, notwithstanding, shall continue in full force.

**31. Non-Transferable Ownership:** Team ownership is non-transferable at any time unless permission is specifically granted by GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC in writing. GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC may reject any Participant Application or revoke ownership prior to the 2010 WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT, even for those participants who have paid monies to GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC. Any rejected applications or revoked owners will receive a refund, less any administrative costs.

**32. Governing Laws:** WCOFF is governed by the laws of the state of Georgia without regard to principles of conflicts of law. Jurisdiction for any legal claim or dispute is Fulton County, Georgia.

## **Section II: Official Rules and Regulations of the World Championship of Fantasy Football Platinum League**

**1. Overview:** The World Championship of Fantasy Football (WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT) will consist of 12 teams/managers. The WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT regular season will extend from NFL Week 1 through NFL Week 14. Each league will hold League Championship Playoffs during NFL Weeks 15-16.

**2. Draft:** The WCOFF Platinum League will hold its Draft on Saturday, September 11, 2010. The league will be composed of 12 teams, and the draft will last for 20 rounds, with each team selecting a player in each round in a serpentine fashion (team 1 through team 12, team 12 through team 1, team 1 through team 12, etc.). There are no rules governing the number of players to be drafted at each position. It is up to the skill and draft strategy of each team owner to decide.

**a. Time limit per pick:** Each participant will have one minute and thirty-five seconds to make a player selection. He will be notified of the time at 1:15 and again at 1:30. If a participant does not make a selection in the allotted time, he is passed over until the next participant makes a player selection. The passed-over participant then has five seconds to make a player selection before he is again passed over.

**b. Trading of draft picks:** No trading is allowed.

**c. Use of cell phones, lap tops and other electronic equipment:** Use of electronic equipment is permitted, so long as it is not a disturbance to the Draft, and does not take up excessive space (in the case of lap-tops). There will not be internet connections or electrical outlets. We encourage participants to wait until a break to use cell phones.

**d. Smoking:** The WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT will be a non-smoking event.

**e. Seating order:** All participants and co-managers MUST sit in their draft order.

**f. Surrogates:** Each principal participant will have until August 25, 2010, to name a surrogate to Draft if the principal can not attend the Draft. This surrogate must be named in writing by completing the WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT Surrogate Draft Form.

**g. Week one starting lineups:** Each team will be required to submit their Week One starting lineups before leaving the Draft. The September 9, 2010 game will count in the WCOFF scoring.

**h. Confirming roster:** Each team will be required to confirm their team roster before leaving the Draft. Additionally, there are occasional errors in importing player names into the league management web site. Principal participants are responsible to note any error and report the errors to GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC by 10pm EST on September 16, 2010.

**3. Roster Requirements:** Maximum of 20 players.

**4. Lineups Requirements:**

Starting lineups will consist of

- 1 QB
- 2 RB
- 3 WR
- 1 TE
- 1 Flex player (a RB or WR, or TE)
- 1 PK
- 1 Team Defense/Special team

(If no Week One lineup is submitted, the WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT will determine your starting line up. After Week One, if no starting lineup is submitted, your starting lineup will be that of the previous week.)

**a. League Management Web Address:** You can access your league via the internet by going to <http://www.wcoff.com>

**b. Lineup Submission:** All lineups may be submitted on the league web site and are due by the scheduled kickoff time for the game in which the player will participate. The only exceptions are for players involved in games on Thursday, Friday or Saturday. Those players must be submitted into lineups 5 minutes prior to the scheduled start of the game, or 15 minutes prior to the scheduled start of the game if you are submitting a line up by phone.

**c. WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT Phone In:** Participants may phone their transactions. You will need your login and password to submit transactions via phone. Call **1-877-725-1118** during the following hours:

**Monday - Friday 10am-5pm EST**  
**Saturday 10am – 5pm EST**  
**Sunday 10am – 12:45am EST**

\* All hours and phone number are subject to change. Please check the Draft Fact Sheet distributed in August for updates/changes.

**d. Thanksgiving:** The phone-in option will NOT be available on Thanksgiving Day. However, online submission of lineups will be accepted via the website until 12:30 pm EST.

**5. Scoring:** An individual offensive player on any active WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT starting roster will be credited points for scoring in the following manner, unless otherwise noted:

**a. Passing:**

Yards passing divided by 20 (e.g. 215 passing yards = 10.75 fantasy points).  
4 points for every passing TD.  
Minus one point (-1) for every interception thrown.  
2 points for every 2-point conversion.

**b. Rushing:**

Yards rushing divided by 10 (e.g. 89 rushing yards = 8.9 fantasy points).

6 points for every rushing TD.  
2 points for every 2-point conversion.

**c. Receiving:**

Yards receiving divided by 10 (e.g. 112 receiving yards = 11.2 fantasy points)  
6 points for every receiving TD.  
1 point for every catch.  
2 points for every 2-point conversion.

**d. All Other TDs:**

6 points for any TD scored by recovered or returned fumbles, laterals, or any other means by which a skill position player (QB, RB, WR, TE, or K) is awarded an individual TD, except kickoff and punt returns. No rushing or receiving yardage is awarded for a TD returned on a fumble.

**e. Placekicking:**

1 point for every Extra Point  
3 points for every FG of 1 – 30 yards plus .1 point for every yard thereafter.  
Example: a 43-yard FG would be worth 4.3 points

**f. Team Scoring (Defense/Special Teams):**

1 point for every sack  
2 points for every team takeaway (interception or fumble recovery)\*\*  
6 points for every TD (via interception return, fumble return, punt or kickoff return, blocked FG return, missed FG return, blocked punt return)\*  
2 points for every safety  
5 points for every shutout \*\*\*  
2 points for allowing between 1- 5 points \*\*\*  
1 point for allowing between 6 – 10 points \*\*\*

\* TDs scored on “fake” FGs or “fake” punts do NOT count as Defense/Special Teams scoring. TDs scored by the offensive team after a blocked FG or blocked punt do NOT count as a Defense/Special teams score. TDs scored on a double-turnover only count for the individual player who scored the TD, not for the team.

\*\* A double turnover is considered points for the recovering team’s defense and ST. Thus, an example, team A’s offense fumbles and team B’s defense recovers, but then fumbles the ball back to team A’s offense. In that scenario team A’s defense and special teams (along with team B’s defense and ST) are both awarded a fumble recovery.

\*\*\* Any and all points scored against a team are considered points scored against the special teams and defense. Thus, as an example, a turnover by the offense that is returned for a TD is considered as points scored against the special teams and defense.

**6. Point Calculations:** Team scoring will be carried out to the hundredth (e.g. a team may score 94.75 points).

**7. Free Agents:** Any active NFL player who is not on a team roster within your league is considered a free agent for that league. GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC may, in rare instances, remove a free agent who has been dropped by a WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT team if in the

judgment of GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC the dropped player would unfairly impact the outcome of the WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT or if there is suspected collusion.

**8. Free Agent Acquisitions/Blind Bidding:** The free agent system will be a “blind bidding” process. Each team will start with \$1,000 free agent “dollars” for the season, and will be permitted to bid for free agents on a weekly basis. No team will be informed of any other team’s free agent bids until after the winning bids have been awarded. A team owner will no longer be able to bid on free agents once their season long waiver wire cap of \$1,000 has been reached. Awarding of free agents begins with the highest bid by any team for a free agent. Once that free agent has been awarded to the winning bidder, all other bids for that free agent are discarded as losing bids. Then the highest remaining bid by any team for any remaining free agent will be considered. That winning bid will be awarded the free agent and all losing bids for that free agent will be discarded. This continues until the lowest valid bid remaining is considered. A team may acquire any number of players provided they have not reached their season long waiver wire cap of \$1,000. A team’s roster must always consist of 20 players. All bids must be in increments of dollars (no cents). The free agent bidding system is the only means by which free agents may be acquired.

**a. Bid Priority:** Bids will be processed in the order of highest dollar amount.

**b. Auction Bidding vs. Blind Bidding:** The WCOFF blind bidding process is not an auction bidding process. Though you may bid on the same player in multiple bid groups, you can only bid one amount for such player.

**c. Conditional Bids or Exceptions:** A player can place make certain bids conditional on the outcome of a previous bid. By making an exception in Step 3 of the bid process, a player can invalidate a future bid if a prior bid is successful. (See example in section 9).

**d. Player Drops:** For each bid, an owner needs to identify a player or a list of players to be dropped if the bid is successful. To be dropped, the player needs to be on your roster after your previous bids have been processed. The player drop list works in descending order based on the list the owner creates for each bid. (See example in section 9).

**9. Bidding Time Frame:** The bidding process starts after the completion of Week 1 and ends prior to Week 14 on at 8 pm ET. Bids will be accepted on the league web site from Tuesday at 9 am ET until Friday at 8:00 pm ET in each of these weeks. If you are submitting by phone, you must submit your bids by 7:45 pm ET on Friday. Rosters will be updated by 8:15 pm ET Friday night with the results of all successful bids. There will be no free agent pickups after the completion of the WCOFF regular season.

**10. Weeks 10 –13:** Because of the Thursday night games in weeks 10, 11, 12 and 13 there will be two waiver wire periods for those weeks. The first period will end at 8 pm ET on Wednesday night. The second period will end at 8 pm on Friday night. Teams may bid on and/or drop a player who plays in a Thursday game. However, teams may not (i) place a Thursday player in their starting lineup retroactively in the case of picking up a player on Friday, nor (ii) drop a Thursday player from their starting lineup after picking him up on Friday. (Examples: For Week 10, you may acquire Chicago QB Jay Cutler on Friday after his Thursday night game, but you may not put him into your Week 10 lineup. As a separate example, if Cutler is already in your starting lineup

for Week 10, you may not drop him Friday morning if he was in your starting lineup for the Thursday night game).

**11. Tied Bids:** If there is a tie, the team that receives the player will be determined in order by:

1. Worst total points.
2. Worst won/lost record.
3. Worst previous week score.
4. Worst QB points total to date.
5. Coin toss.

**12. Available Players:** Teams may acquire players not on any roster within their league, with one exception. Players cut during Week 12 free agent bidding and Week 13 free agent bidding may not be re-acquired by any team. This is done to minimize potential collusion. On occasion, the WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT commissioners may remove a dropped player from the free agent pool if the commissioners think it is in the interest of upholding the integrity of the league or the event.

**13. Trades between managers:** To minimize the possibility of collusion, there will be no trading allowed.

**14. League Structure:** The WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT will have a 14-week regular season, going from week 1 to week 14. This is a head-to-head league. The League will be broken up into 3 Divisions (A, B and C). Each team will play the three other teams within its own division two times during the regular season, while playing the remaining teams (8) exactly once. Standings for the regular season will be based on head to head records throughout 14 weeks.

**15. WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT Playoffs:** The scoring rules and starting lineup format is identical to regular season. The playoffs will consist of 4 teams playing 2 rounds, as follows:

**a. Playoff Structure:** Weeks 15-16 of the NFL season will determine each league champion by means of League Playoffs. The four participants in the League Playoffs will be 1) The 3 divisional leaders based on best record and the remaining team with the highest point total.

The tiebreakers for divisional leader in each league after 14 games are:

1. Total points during the regular season
2. Head-to-head won/lost record
3. Total quarterback points (starting QB's week 1 through week 11)
4. Total points in weeks 12 & 13
5. Coin toss

If there is a tie for the remaining highest point leader in a given league, the aforementioned tiebreakers 2- 5 will be used.

**b. Playoff Format:** Week 15 of the NFL season will begin the WCOFF Platinum League playoffs. The divisional leader with the most points during the regular season will be awarded the #1 seed in the playoffs. As the #1 seed, this team will be allowed to pick its opponent for the first round of the

playoffs. This selection must be made by 9:00pm EST on Wednesday preceding the first week of the WCOFF Platinum League playoffs. If a selection has not been made by that time, the playoff participant with the fewest total points during the season will be assigned the #4 seed and serve as the opponent to the #1 seed in Week 15.

The two remaining playoff participants will also play head-to-head in Week 15.

If there is a tie for the #4 playoff seed, the aforementioned tie breakers 2- 5 will be used.

**c. Championship Game:** Week 16 of the NFL season will determine the League Champion award winner by means of a single Championship Game. The two participants in the Championship Game will be the winners of the aforementioned Week 15 playoff games.

**d. Third Place Game:** Week 16 of the NFL season will determine each league's third place award winner by means of a single Third Place Game. The two participants in the Third Place Game will be the losers of the aforementioned Week 15 playoff games

The tiebreakers for games during weeks 15 and 16 are:

1. Total quarterback points
2. Team with the individual highest scoring player for the week
3. Coin Toss

**16. Miscellaneous Information:** All "total points" means total starting lineup points.

### **17. Award Breakdown:**

#### **League Awards:**

Platinum" League Champion = \$150,000

Platinum League Championship Game loser (2<sup>nd</sup> Place) = \$65,000

Platinum Third place game winner (3<sup>rd</sup> Place) = \$25,000

Platinum Third place game loser (4<sup>th</sup> Place) = \$12,500

Platinum League Toilet Bowl

5<sup>th</sup> place - Gold Passport

6<sup>th</sup> place - Silver Passport

7<sup>th</sup> place - Bronze Passport

The Platinum League Toilet Bowl will consist of top four teams in total points not qualifying for the Playoffs. The 5th place team overall will be the #1 seed in the Toilet Bowl playoffs. As the #1 seed, this team will be allowed to pick its opponent for the first round of the playoffs. This selection must be made by Wednesday, 9:00pm EST the week preceding the first game of the Platinum League playoffs. If a selection has not been made by that time, the playoff participant with the fewest total points during the season will be assigned the #4 seed and serve as the opponent to the #1 seed in Week 15.



**Please Do Not Write In Blanks Below:**

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## WCOFF Platinum Draft

Fee Amount Verified \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Deposit verified \$ \_\_\_\_\_ State Verified \_\_\_\_\_

Co-manager [ ] Yes [ ] No Date Received \_\_\_\_\_ Date/Time called \_\_\_\_\_

League Number \_\_\_\_\_ Team Number \_\_\_\_\_

Notes: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Official Participant Application for the 2010 World Championship of Fantasy Football “Platinum Draft”**

**Here’s What You’ve Been Waiting For!!:** The following is the Official Participant Application for the 2010 World Championship of Fantasy Football Platinum Draft whose Draft is scheduled for 3:30 pm PST on Saturday, September 11, 2010 at the Sands Expo Center at The Venetian in Las Vegas, Nevada.

#### **Section A: Tell Us About the Principal Participant/Team Manager**

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Initial: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number: Day ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Evening ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Birthday \_\_\_\_\_ Current age of the principal participant \_\_\_\_\_

Requested Team Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Will you have co-managers attending the WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT events in Las Vegas?  
[ ] Yes [ ] No

If you answered “yes” to the previous line, please have your co-managers fill out and sign section B. If you answered “no,” please skip to section C.

## **Section B: Tell Us About the Co-Managers**

### **Co-Manager 1**

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Initial: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number: Day ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Evening ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Birthday \_\_\_\_\_ Current age of the co-manager \_\_\_\_\_

I have read the Overview of the 2010 World Championship of Fantasy Football (Section I), and the Official Rules and Regulations of the World Championship of Fantasy Football (Section II), and I understand, accept, and agree to abide by the rules and disclaimers set forth.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Co-manager’s signature of acceptance

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

### **Co-Manager 2**

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Initial: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number: Day ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Evening ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Birthday \_\_\_\_\_ Current age of the co-manager \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_  
Co-manager's signature of acceptance

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

### Co-Manager 3

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Initial: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number: Day ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Evening ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Birthday \_\_\_\_\_ Current age of the co-manager \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_  
Co-manager's signature of acceptance

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

### Co-Manager 4

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Initial: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number: Day ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Evening ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Birthday \_\_\_\_\_ Current age of the co-manager \_\_\_\_\_

I have read the Overview of the 2010 World Championship of Fantasy Football (Section I), and the Official Rules and Regulations of the World Championship of Fantasy Football (Section II), and I understand, accept, and agree to abide by the rules and disclaimers set forth.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Co-manager's signature of acceptance

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Section C: What Does It Cost to Compete? (WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT Fees)**

The basic fee to compete in the 2010 WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT is **\$25,000**.

**Section D: Reserve Your Spot at the 2010 WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT**

The Platinum Draft league will be filled on a first-come first served basis. To secure your shot at competing in the WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT, please enclose a check, money order, or cashier’s check in the amount of **\$25,000** U.S dollars. **YOU MAY NOT BE GUARANTEED A SPOT, SO PLEASE MAIL YOUR CHECK AND APPLICATION TODAY!** GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC guarantees a 100% refund of anyone who is not placed in a WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT.

[ ] Yes, please enter me in the WCOFF PLATINUM DRAFT today! I’ve enclosed my full payment to GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC in the amount of \$ 25,000.

**Section F: Make It Official**

I have read the Overview of the 2010 World Championship of Fantasy Football Platinum Draft (Section I), and the Official Rules and Regulations of the World Championship of Fantasy Football Platinum (Section II), and I understand, accept, and agree to abide by the rules and disclaimers set forth.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Participant’s signature of acceptance

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

All spots for the 2010 World Championship of Fantasy Football Platinum Draft are being filled on a “first-come-first-serve” basis. So please mail your application and check TODAY to the following address:

**GridIron Fantasy Sports LLC  
17736 Edison Avenue  
Chesterfield, MO 63005**