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# 2025 THROW DOWN FOR EDUCATION

CORNHOLE  
TOURNAMENT

JUNE 19<sup>TH</sup>



UCON's Scholarship Fundraiser  
Wente Vineyards, Livermore

# WELCOME!

Dear Friends, Members and Affiliates,

Welcome to United Contractors  
Throw Down for Education,  
Official Cornhole Tournament!



Today is the day when UCON members and affiliates come together to raise money for United Contractors Scholarship Program. All proceeds from the Throw Down go towards **the Scholarship Program, which will award up to \$70,000 this year.** The goal of the Scholarship Committee is to continually grow the Program so that the amount awarded annually can be increased as well as the number of deserving student awardees. Your contributions are helping us reach that goal!

This event was made possible by UCON's dedicated Associate and Scholarship Committee volunteers. We are grateful for their continued efforts as our events would not be a success without them. Thank you to the Scholarship Committee, who always do their best to continually improve the Program, raise money, and commit an extraordinary amount of time reading all the Scholarship Applications. Without their passion and dedication, this Program would not exist.

We'd like to recognize **IMA Financial Group, Inc.** for their generous support of this year's Cornhole Tournament. Their sponsorship of the \$5,000 Long Toss competition (which includes the \$500 "Closest to the Hole" challenge), brings extra excitement to the event. We're truly grateful for their ongoing partnership and enthusiasm in helping us make this tournament a success!

Most importantly, we would like to **thank you** for your participation and support for making the United Contractors Scholarship Program a success year after year. Please enjoy the delicious food while you take part in this fun afternoon of friendly competition for a great cause.

Let's Throw Down for Education!

Jeff Nahass  
UB Equipment  
Throw Down Tournament  
Event Chairperson

Ted Pumphrey  
Papé Machinery  
Throw Down Tournament  
Event Chairperson

# AGENDA

*Note: times are subject to fluctuate based on pace of play*

**1:30 pm**

## **CHECK IN & NETWORKING**

- Courts open for practice
- Long Toss Contest ticket sales open  
*Chance to Win \$5,000 cash!*  
*Closest to the Hole will win \$500!*

**2:30 pm**

## **WELCOME / RULES**

**2:45 pm**

## **TOURNAMENT STARTS**

- Teams report to Starting Courts for Qualifying Rounds
- Consists of four games per team, scoring based on total points
- Each team will have three rounds of tosses (twelve tosses per person per game)

**4:45 pm**

## **LONG TOSS CONTEST WIN \$5,000 CASH!**

- Closest to the hole wins \$500!
- Must be present to win!

Long Toss Sponsored By:



**5:15 pm**

## **BRACKET PLAY BEGINS**

- Sweet Sixteen
- Elite Eight
- Final Four

### **LONG TOSS:**

**\$20/ticket or 6 tickets for \$100**  
*(20 tickets will be drawn for  
a chance to Toss)*

**5:45 pm**

## **CHAMPIONSHIP GAME**

**6:00 pm**

## **AWARDS & EVENT CONCLUSION**

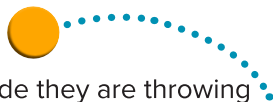
- Top four teams will receive cornhole trophies and a cash prize!

# TOURNAMENT RULES

## GAME PLAY

All eight cornhole bags begin at one end of the board (four blue, four yellow). A coin flip determines which cornhole team has honors in round one. The team with honors tosses first.

A cornhole player may throw from anywhere behind the front of the cornhole board (on the side they are throwing from). Alternate throws between the two opponents until all eight cornhole bags have been thrown.



## QUALIFYING ROUND

Consists of four (4) games and the score will be kept by **total points**. Each team will have three rounds of tosses (twelve tosses per person, per game).

Teams will record their own scores for this round. Return your scorecards to a volunteer in a yellow lanyard.

The top point scoring teams from each pool advance.

Do NOT cancel points. You are recording the total points as the teams with the highest point totals advance to bracket play.

## SWEET SIXTEEN

Eight teams advance (play to 15 points).

*Do not cancel points.*

## ELITE EIGHT

Four teams advance (play to 15 points).

*Do not cancel points.*



## FINAL FOUR

Two teams advance to the Championship Round (play to 21 points).

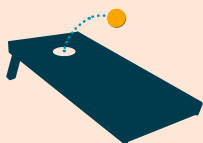
Remaining two teams play for third and fourth place.

*Do not cancel points.*

## CHAMPIONSHIP ROUND

The first team to score 21 points wins the tournament (must win by two points).

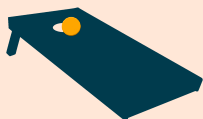
# POINT SYSTEM



## **3-Points — Hole-in-One**

Cornhole bag that goes through the hole

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## **1-Point — Cliff Hanger**

Cornhole bag that actually hangs into the hole

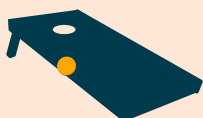
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## **1-Point — Close, but No Cigar**

Cornhole bag that is on the playing surface

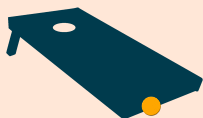
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## **1-Point — Hanging by a Thread**

Cornhole bag that hangs off the edge, but does not touch the ground

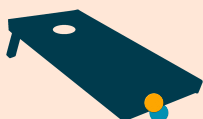
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## **0-Points — Straddling the Fence**

Cornhole bag that is on the playing surface, but is also touching the ground

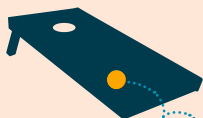
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## **0-Points — No Piggy Backing**

Cornhole bag that hangs off the front edge and is resting on a cornhole bag that is on the ground

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## **0-Points — The Skipper**

Cornhole bag that bounces, then lands on the board  
WILL NOT count for any points and is considered dead. It must be removed before the next bag is thrown.

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## **Cornhole Fouls**

If a cornhole player's foot goes past the foot-foul line (the front of the cornhole board) they will be given a warning. Any future foot-fouls will result in a foul and the bag will be removed from play.

If a player goes out of turn, the throw (foul) is voided  
(if the bag is on the board, remove it)

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United Contractors Scholarship Awards Program began in 1994, and since that time has awarded close to \$700,000 to deserving students. Helping to promote education and recruitment for the construction industry, UCON and its members strive to support the next generation of leaders with scholarship awards to UCON affiliated students and students majoring in Construction Management and Civil Engineering.

Thank you to UCON's Scholarship Committee for their enthusiasm and dedication to the success of the Scholarship Awards Program!

Learn more at [www.unitedcontractors.org](http://www.unitedcontractors.org)

# THANK YOU!

Thank you to all who participated,  
sponsored, volunteered and donated!