



Manitoba Organization of Disc Sports



The MODS community includes a large percentage of 30 to 40+ players. While many will still prefer to play within the regular tiers of our league others may be looking for an option to compete against other teams closer to their age. With a bit of “re-branding” in mind, MODS is pleased to offer “Vintage Divisions” for each of our mixed league nights.

What is a “Vintage Division”? This would be for teams with players that are 30+. When registering your team, you will notice that part of the option for tier preference will include “Vintage Rec” & “Vintage Intermediate”. Teams can select either of these if they are interested in playing in this type of division.

What if there aren’t enough teams on my night to form a tier? MODS will communicate with teams about their options. That could include an option to switch nights where there are other teams for them to play or simply merging back into our normal tiers on their night of choice.

Why is this not called “Masters”? There was a lot of confusion within our community about the term masters. MODS has competitive teams that compete at national events, but the summer “Masters League” was not geared towards competitive play. Competitive masters aged players / teams are better suited to remain in our regular tiers playing against more experienced / skilled teams.



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Vintage Intermediate definition: This tier is for experienced teams / players. They likely have several years of Ultimate under their belt. Previous seasons being played in tier 3, 4 and lower. The team is looking for fun competition and perhaps avoiding having to chase the youngsters.

Vintage Rec definition: This tier would be for new teams and players or teams that consistently played in our lowest tiers. MODS always wants to provide the best parity possible. Winning is not the only consideration for teams, large skill imbalances between teams is not the best introduction to the sport for new players.

What if my team has a couple of players under the age requirement? MODS will consider this on a case-by-case basis. The spirit of the division is to provide a playing environment for 30+ aged teams. There is a difference between a 27-year-old with little to no experience vs a highly skilled / experienced / athletic player who could potentially dominate game play. These decisions will be made for what is best for all teams involved.

Talk with your teammates and see if this may be a fit your squad.

For more questions or help please contact [Corey](#)