

# AMERICAN CORNHOLE CORNHY FORTY

## Scoring the ACO Top Guns

If someone asked you to name the 40 best cornhole players in the country, what would you do? Show them the CornyForty of course. It's how the ACO ranks top players and pre-qualifies them for ACO Pro Tour events. These are the ACO "Top Guns." Players on this list pre-qualify for the ACO Nationals "King of Cornhole," the World Cornhole Championship in Cincinnati, and events in between.

### How do I get on the CornyForty list?

First, be a good American Cornhole player. I mean really, really, really good. Then you earn CornyForty points by taking an annual Skills Challenge and kicking butt in special ACO Top Gun events. If you earn enough points, you make the list!

#### 1. Skills Challenge

CornyForty players need to take at least one Skills Challenge each calendar year. If you take more than one, only your highest score is added to your annual CornyForty point total. For example, if you score 95 the first time and 103 the second time, you'll gain 103 CornyForty points from your Skills Challenge. So it pays to try the Skills Challenge more than once.

#### 2. ACO Top Gun events

This is where you earn CornyForty points by finishing well in specially-designated tournaments throughout the season. For example, the top eight finishers at the 2008 ACO Nationals in Las Vegas all earned points toward their CornyForty score. Other ACO Top Gun events include the five ACO-branded annual tournaments: Icehole Classic (Feb); Cornhole de Mayo (May); Maize Kraze (July); Cornhole Classics (Sept); Turkeyhole Classic (Nov).

Watch for more ACO Top Gun opportunities as the season goes. Some are worth more than others. Top tier events (Top Gun 1) are open to ACO Pros only. (An ACO Pro is a player with 113+ CornyForty points or a Skills Challenge score of 95+.) Other ACO Top Gun tier events are open to all players. As the table below shows, even less competitive, lower tier events give players a chance to earn CornyForty points.



JANUARY



FEBRUARY



MAY



JULY



SEPTEMBER



NOVEMBER

### CORNHY FORTY POINT VALUE CHART

EVENTS	TOP GUN1	TOP GUN2	TOP GUN3	TOP GUN4
First Place	48	24	16	8
Second Place	42	21	14	7
Top 4 Finish	30	15	10	5
Top 8 Finish	18	9	6	3
Total number of ACO Pros and Semi Pros playing at event	ACO Pros Only	13 or More	6 - 12	5 or Less



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