

A New Angle at DI Global Finals

Please Note Global Clarification: "The intent of the Challenge is that the combined Structure, in the configuration presented at Check-In, must have the capacity to hold the 10 pound pressure board, as stated in A.2.a." This clarification simply restates and clarifies C.3.b and C.4.d. of the Challenge.

Welcome to DI Global Finals! Congratulations to your Teams! Every team member is a winner and we are happy to have you with us! We look forward to seeing all of you at the general Team Manager meeting Wednesday beginning at 3:30pm in the Knoxville Convention Center.

Appraiser Management Team

- o ICMs: Ed Stephens and Judi Vos
- o Head Appraisers - Responsible for Sites
 - Elementary: Bob Brown
 - Middle: Mike McClure
 - Secondary & University: Celestia Ryans
 - Check-In: Rocco Marzuola

You've brought your great kids. We have assembled a fine team of Appraisers.

Structure Check-In for all teams will be in the Knoxville Convention Center Exhibit Hall A beginning one hour before the first scheduled Presentation Time each day of Global Finals. All teams must check in their Structure in **one hour** before their scheduled Presentation Time.

On Saturday morning, Knoxville hosts the Tennessee Sports Medicine EXPO - 10K, 5K & Fun Walk road race until about noon. Many roads around the KCC will be closed or have limited access. All teams presenting Saturday morning should plan on delays in travel to and from the Knoxville Convention Center.

Prep Area for all teams is in the Knoxville Convention Center Exhibit Hall A. All teams will report to the Prep Area in Exhibit Hall A with all their props and paperwork at least 20 minutes before their Presentation Time.

The weight distribution for each Challenge venue (Elementary, Middle and Secondary/University):

Weight Size	Quantity Available	Total	Approximate Thickness
5 pound	10	50	1/2in. (1.27cm)
10 pound	10	100	7/8in. (2.24cm)
25 pound	10	250	1-3/8in. (3.51cm)
35 pound	10	350	1-1/4in. (3.18cm)
45 pound	10	450	1-1/8in. (2.87cm)
Total Weight Available		1200	

Standard Olympic-style weights will be used.

The length of Safety Pole is 26 inches as measured from the floor to the top of the Safety Pole. There will be two 12-inch extension pipes.

The weight of the Pressure Board is 10 pounds.

A Reminder of *A New Angle* Published Clarifications:

There are **four Published (General) Clarifications that are specific to The New Angle Challenge:**

4. The last sentence of C.2.d. should read: To verify the smaller dimension, the team will also place the smaller end of each part of the Structure into a 3.0in. (7.6cm) circle which is resting on a flat surface.
5. C.4.d should read: The Pressure Board will be the first weight the team places upon the Structure. (See Figure B). The Pressure Board will be clearly marked with its official weight, rounded to the nearest pound. One or more team members may touch the Structure while they place the Pressure Board on the Structure. The Pressure Board may touch the Safety Pole when initially placed.
6. The last sentence of A.3.c should read: Teams may not add pieces of wood or glue to their Structure for the sole purpose of meeting ANY dimensional requirements described in the Challenge

7. The intent of the challenge is that the combined structure, in the configuration presented at check in, must have the capacity to hold the 10 pound pressure board as stated in A.2.a

There are three Published (General) Clarifications that are **published for all Challenges**:

1. In the Rules of the Road, page 12, the numbering of the Non-Competitive Level: Rising Stars! section should be 1 through 5.
2. In the Rules of the Road, pages 17 through 20, the numbering of the Rules of Interference for Team Challenges should be 1 through 17.
3. The Internet offers a tremendous amount of information and positive educational benefits. The use of the Internet for research also comes with the risk of children being exposed to objectionable content or content more sophisticated than appropriate for their age. Destination ImagiNation expects that children will have adult supervision if they use the Internet as they work to solve their Challenge. It is not Interference for responsible adults to audit and limit team members' Internet research. Adults can disallow team members from researching or using characters or situations they deem inappropriate for the team members' ages or circumstances. Adults can disallow a team from working on a Challenge the adult deems inappropriate for the age or sophistication level of the team.

Congratulations on being *A New Angle* team!

Ed Stephens and Judi Vos
International Challenge Masters
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