

## CLAY TARGET LEAGUE

## True Team ${ }^{\circledR}$ Scoring

The League's exclusive True Team scoring format is used to determine the overall performance for a team in all weekly events during the season. League events are defined as practice or competition during scheduled participation.
The True Team scoring designed specifically by the League makes competition exciting for the team and its student athletes while incorporating the League's mission and beliefs. This is accomplished by measuring which team is the best overall, rather than which team has the most top finishers while allowing all team members to participate. The League's True Team scoring method is:

- Fair for everyone.
- Focused on team awards.
- Scalable to work with all team and conference sizes.
- Measurable so athletes and coaches can monitor personal performance progress and goals.
- Flexible to encourage teams to offer open participation and introduce beginner participants.
- Open to all athletes on a team to contribute to the team score.

The League's True Team scoring is a similar scoring system used for other high school sports including track and swimming and gymnastics.

## Team Sizes

The following examples reference a conference that contains a smaller amount of team members. Teams that have more student athletes will represent a different conference that will have:

- More athlete scores used each week on each team, and
- More "Do Not Qualify (DNQ)" rankings that will not count towards a team scores, and
- More total athlete scores used for the entire conference, and
- Higher True Team point assignments per place due to the larger number of rankings, and
- Higher True Team total points per team in weekly and overall standings.


## Class Designation

A Class contains multiple conferences. Multiple Classes may be used for the League if a multi-day tournament is required at the end of the season.

## Conference Designation

Each conference is comprised of two or more teams. Teams are assigned a conference based on a similar number of members on a team.
Conference

| Team | Athletes |
| :---: | :---: |
| White | 7 |
| Blue | 7 |
| Red | 8 |
| Yellow | 8 |
| Orange | 9 |

## Conference True Team Points Calculation

In the True Team scoring format, each team in a conference must have the same number of athlete scores used to offer an equal opportunity of points earned. Each conference will have a different total of the points available to be earned for each event because each conference will have a different number of qualifying athletes and perhaps a different number of teams.

- The number of scores used is determined upon a team's conference designation which occurs after the athlete registration deadline but before Competition Week 1 begins.
- Smaller conferences with smaller teams will use less scores.
- Larger conferences with larger teams will use more scores.
- The same number of team members must be used for each team to provide equal opportunity to earn points.


## Conference True Team Points Calculation

| Item | Factor | True Team |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Lowest Number Of Athletes On A Team | $=$ | 7 |
| Less Do Not Qualify (DNQ) Lower Scores | x | $25 \%$ |
| Athlete Scores Used Each Week | $=$ | 5 |
| Teams | X | 5 |
| Total Athlete Scores Used | $\mathbf{=}$ | 25 |

## Conference True Team Point Assignment

Athletes compete against all athletes each week within a conference. True Team points are assigned based on rankings.

- The total True Team points available in a conference is determined by multiplying the number of conference teams and the number of athlete scores used each week.
- First place receives the highest number of True Team points and the remaining scores are assigned based on decreasing subsequent scores to the last qualifying score that receives one point.
Conference True Team Point Assignments

| Ranking | True Team |
| :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 25 |
| 2 | 24 |
| 3 | 23 |
| 4 | 22 |
| 5 | 21 |
| 6 | 20 |
| 7 | 19 |
| 8 | 18 |
| 9 | 17 |
| 10 | 16 |
| 11 | 15 |
| 12 | 14 |
| 13 | 13 |
| 14 | 12 |
| 15 | 11 |
| 16 | 10 |
| 17 | 9 |
| 18 | 8 |
| 19 | 7 |
| 20 | 6 |
| 21 | 5 |
| 22 | 4 |
| 23 | 3 |
| 24 | 2 |
| 25 | 1 |
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## Earning True Team ${ }^{\circledR}$ Scoring Points - Athlete

When weekly event scores are calculated, each athlete's scores are ranked and the True Team points earned are assigned.

- The top scores, as determined by the qualifying number of scores used for your team each week, are compared against all other teams within a conference.
- The top score receives the highest number of points available and the remaining scores are assigned based on decreasing subsequent scores to the last qualifying score that receives one point.
- Scores that are tied will split the earned points equally.
- Athletes who do not qualify (DNQ) for the week's top qualifying scores are recorded, submitted and contribute to an athlete's overall average, but not used in the team's score for the week.
Week 4 Event: Athlete Scores And True Team Points Earned

| Team | Event | Ranking | True Team Points |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| White | 49 | 1 | 25 |
| Blue | 48 | 2 | 24 |
| Red | 47 | T3 | 22.5 |
| Red | 47 | T3 | 22.5 |
| Yellow | 46 | 5 | 21 |
| Orange | 44 | 6 | 20 |
| Orange | 43 | 7 | 19 |
| Red | 42 | 8 | 18 |
| Blue | 41 | T9 | 16 |
| Yellow | 41 | T9 | 16 |
| Orange | 41 | T9 | 16 |
| White | 40 | 12 | 14 |
| Blue | 39 | 13 | 13 |
| Red | 38 | 14 | 12 |
| White | 37 | 15 | 11 |
| White | 35 | T16 | 9.5 |
| Red | 35 | T16 | 9.5 |
| Yellow | 33 | 18 | 8 |
| Yellow | 30 | 19 | 7 |
| Blue | 29 | 20 | 6 |
| White | 24 | 21 | 5 |
| Orange | 22 | T22 | 3.5 |
| Yellow | 22 | T22 | 3.5 |
| Blue | 21 | 24 | 2 |
| Orange | 19 | 25 | 1 |
| White | 18 | DNQ | 0 |
| Red | 17 | DNQ | 0 |
| Yellow | 17 | DNQ | 0 |
| Orange | 17 | DNQ | 0 |
| Orange | 16 | DNQ | 0 |
| Yellow | 12 | DNQ | 0 |
| Orange | 9 | DNQ | 0 |
| Red | 8 | DNQ | 0 |
| Yellow | 8 | DNQ | 0 |
| Blue | 7 | DNQ | 0 |
| Red | 6 | DNQ | 0 |
| Orange | 4 | DNQ | 0 |
| White | 4 | DNQ | 0 |
| Blue | 3 | DNQ | 0 |
| Total True Team Points |  |  | 325 |

## Earning True Team ${ }^{\circledR}$ Scoring Points - Team

After athlete True Team points earned are determined, each athlete's True Team points are added together to determine the total team score for the event
Week 4 Event: Team Scores

| Team | True Team Points |
| :---: | :---: |
| White | 25 |
|  | 14 |
|  | 11 |
|  | 9.5 |
|  | 5 |
| Total Team Score | 64.5 |
| Blue | 24 |
|  | 16 |
|  | 13 |
|  | 6 |
|  | 2 |
| Total Team Score | 61 |
| Red | 22.5 |
|  | 22.5 |
|  | 18 |
|  | 12 |
|  | 9.5 |
| Total Team Score | 84.5 |
| Yellow | 21 |
|  | 16 |
|  | 8 |
|  | 7 |
|  | 3.5 |
| Total Team Score | 55.5 |
| Orange | 20 |
|  | 19 |
|  | 16 |
|  | 3.5 |
|  | 1 |
| Total Team Score | 59.5 |

## Team Standings

The team score is then compared against scores of all the other teams in a conference to determine weekly and overall standings.
Weeks 1-4 Events: Overall Team Scores

| Team | Week | Week | Week | Week | Overall | Rank |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| White | 69.5 | 75 | 71 | 64.5 | 280 | 1 |
| Blue | 71 | 75 | 68.5 | 61 | 275.5 | 2 |
| Red | 60 | 61.5 | 58 | 84.5 | 264 | 3 |
| Yellow | 70 | 55.5 | 67.5 | 55.5 | 248.5 | 4 |
| Orange | 54.5 | 58 | 60 | 59.5 | 232 | 5 |
| Total Points | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 1300 |  |

## Published Scores, Athlete Rank \& Standings

- All calculations and scores are posted on the League's website on Sunday.
- Student athlete rankings and 25/50 Straight Club listings are not updated until scores are posted.

