

## **THE OPEN OPENER #12**

July 16–17, 2026 ★ Raleigh, North Carolina

sanctioned by American  
Cribbage Congress

Master Rating Points  
and trophies awarded



### *playing location & lodging*

**Double Tree (RDU Airport)**

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### ***MAIN***

### ***CONSOLATION***

<b>day:</b>	Thursday, July 16	Friday, July 17
<b>registration:</b>	1:00p — 2:20p	8:30a — 9:50a
<b>playing time:</b>	2:30p on Thursday	10a on Friday
<b>entry fee:</b>	\$80 (no Q-pool)	\$40 (no Q-pool)
<b>cut for deal:</b>	20 games — 20 opponents	9 games — 9 opponents
<b>playoff format:</b>	best of 5 games	best of 3 games
<b>playoff time:</b>	7:30a on Friday	2p on Friday

### ***Tournament Details***

### **★★★ PAY AT THE DOOR ★★★**

- ★ Do not mail entry fees in advance.
- ★ All entries will be cash at the door.
- ★ Main registration starts at 1p on Thursday.
- ★ Main registration closes at 2:20p.
- ★ Register for the 51st National Open at [noctraleighnc@gmail.com](mailto:noctraleighnc@gmail.com).
- ★ Muggins in effect for all events.
- ★ Payback to 1 in 4 entrants (25%).
- ★ Side pools available for all tournaments.
- ★ Supper after 10 games.
- ★ Reserve your hotel room at this link: <https://group.doubletree.com/nu1tov>

