



FORTNITE GAMING TOURNAMENT FAQ:

WHERE WILL THE QUALIFIERS BE HELD?

They will be held online prior to the Rand Show, as well as further qualifying opportunities which will be held at the venue.

WHERE IS THE RAND SHOW?

The Rand Show takes place at the Johannesburg Expo Centre, Nasrec from the 19 - 28 April 2019.

WHAT ARE THE SHOW TIMES?

Rand Show:

- 19 – 22 April 2019: 10h00 – 19h00
- 23 – 26 April 2019: 12h00 – 19h00
- 27 – 28 April 2019: 10h00 – 19h00

Gaming Entertainment Pavilion (Hall 9):

- 19 – 22 April 2019: 10h00 – 19h00
- 23 – 26 April 2019: 14h00 – 19h00
- 27 – 28 April 2019: 10h00 – 19h00

HOW DO I ENTER?

Entry will be via an online registration system that goes live on 25 February 2019. You can click on this link to register <http://randshow.co.za/gaming/> or you can take your chances and try and qualify at the Rand Show venue. Entry at the Rand Show will be on a first-come-first-served basis on the day.

IS THERE AN ENTRY FEE FOR THE ONLINE QUALIFIERS?

Entry to the online and onsite qualifiers is free, however entry into the Rand Show is R150 per person. You can buy your tickets via the Early Bird special, which includes entry into the Rand Show & the Gaming Entertainment Pavilion, where the tournament will be held at a cost of R 100 per person. Tickets are on sale now at Computicket <https://online.computicket.com/web/>. Early Bird tickets are limited so book early to avoid disappointment.

HOW WOULD YOU ENTER THE ONLINE QUALIFIERS?

Entry will be via an online registration system that goes live on 25 February 2019. A link will be provided on <http://randshow.co.za/gaming/>

You will need to register a (free) player profile and ensure you are logged in to sign up for the various heats.





WHAT IS THE ONLINE QUALIFIER FORMAT?

Players will compete in multiple heats to earn points towards leader board placements. Top seeded players will be invited to one of the main tournament days. Additionally, players who compete and do not qualify as top seeds will have the opportunity to gain invites via a random draw.

ARE THE QUALIFIERS KILL RACE OR CUSTOM GAMES?

Online qualifiers will be kill race.

ON WHAT GAMING PLATFORM WILL THE FORTNITE TOURNAMENT BE PLAYED?

Online qualifiers are open to players on Xbox One and PS4 consoles, but venue qualifiers and final events will be played on PS4. Other platforms will not be supported to ensure an even playing field.

WHEN WILL THE ONLINE QUALIFIERS BE HOSTED?

They will be hosted three times a week – Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday – starting at 7pm in the week and earlier on Saturday.

DO I PLAY FROM HOME?

Yes, you do play from home during the online qualifier phase. For the ten days of the Rand Show however, only competitors at the venue will be allowed to participate.

IS THERE AN AGE RESTRICTION?

Due to the FPB age rating in South Africa for the Fortnite game being 16, participants must be 16 and over. The international rating is 13, so exceptions will be made with parental guidance only. A parent must sign an indemnity form (which can be downloaded off the website) and must be present at all times should the player be younger than 16 years. No competitors younger than 13 will be allowed to participate.

WHAT IS THE TOURNAMENT SERIES SCHEDULE?

Description / What?	Dates / When?	Venue / Where?
Online Qualifiers for Tournament 1	25 February – 31 March 2019	Online
Venue Qualifiers for Tournament 1	19 – 21 April 2019	Rand Show – Gaming Entertainment Pavilion Hall 9 Johannesburg Expo Centre, Nasrec
Final Tournament 1	22 April 2019	Rand Show – Gaming Entertainment Pavilion Hall 9 Johannesburg Expo Centre, Nasrec
Venue Qualifiers for Tournament 2	23- 26 April 2019	Rand Show – Gaming Entertainment Pavilion Hall 9 Johannesburg Expo Centre, Nasrec
Final Tournament 2	27 April 2019	Rand Show – Gaming Entertainment Pavilion Hall 9 Johannesburg Expo Centre, Nasrec





WHAT MUST I BRING WITH ME TO THE RAND SHOW?

Participants are not required to bring anything. All necessary equipment will be supplied at the Gaming Entertainment Pavilion in Hall 9.

WHAT IS THE RAND SHOW VENUE QUALIFIER DAILY SCHEDULE?

Each day of venue qualifiers will see a new heat start every 45 minutes. The first 80 players in the queue at that time will participate in that heat to secure their spot on the leader board. On the two finals days, online already qualified players will compete for the day.

I HAVE QUALIFIED ONLINE, WHAT NOW?

If you qualify via the online qualifiers – either as a top 20 player or a golden ticket winner – you will be invited to participate at the event on one of two days. Should you accept the invitation, you will gain entry for the day to compete. Please note that your travel and accommodation is not covered by the Rand Show or any of the associated operators – that will be for your own account.

CAN I BRING SUPPORTERS OR FAMILY TO WATCH ME PLAY?

Yes you can, they will have to purchase a valid Rand Show ticket which costs R150 per person for the day and then select a timeslot at R20 per person per time slot. They will have access to the Gaming Entertainment Pavilion for 2 hours and get a wristband which will indicate which time slot they have purchased. Once the 2 hours expires, they will be escorted out of the Gaming Entertainment Pavilion to allow the next time slot in. Should they wish to be there longer than 2 hours, multiple time slots can be purchased at the venue. Wristbands will be handed out at the Gaming Entertainment Pavilion entrance.

WHAT CAN I WIN?

There are cash prizes and product prizes up for grabs. Over R100,000 will be distributed over online qualifiers, daily qualifiers and the two main tournament days.

Qualifier prizes

- R3,000 split between the top three contestants in the online qualifiers (there is no cash prize for the randomly selected players)
- R1,000 split between the top two contestants at the 19-21 April venue qualifiers, plus two R250 spot prizes per day
- Product style prizes and two R250 per day spot prizes at the 23-26 April venue qualifiers

Final prizes

- R50,000 split between the top four players of the first and second final events – R25,000, R15,000, R7,500, and R2,500 respectively - plus two R250 per day spot prizes





HOW IS THE TWITCHCON PRIZE BEING DECIDED?

Every visitor who buys a ticket to the Rand Show's Gaming Entertainment Pavilion will be entered into the draw to win a ticket to TwitchCon USA. The winner will be announced on radio on Monday the 29 April 2019.

HOW WILL THE SCORING WORK AT THE EVENT?

Players will receive a single point for each elimination that you get in a game of solo Fortnite. Should you get a Victory Royale, you will earn an additional three points. Should there be a tie, the points will be decided on Victory Royale. If there is still a tie, then a special tie-breaker will be announced at the event. The highest accumulated points will be put onto a leader board.

WHO IS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE EVENT?

The online qualifiers and all related venue-based activities are owned by the Rand Show. Prize pools, prize pay-out and prize distribution will be managed by Rand Show. Tournament operation and tournament support will be managed by ACGL.

HOW MUCH DOES A TICKET TO THE GAMING ENTERTAINMENT PAVILION COST?

Access to the Gaming Entertainment Pavilion is R20 per person per time slot. You will need to buy a ticket to the Rand Show which costs R150 per person for the day. You can buy your tickets on the Early Bird special, which includes entry into the Rand Show and the Gaming Entertainment Pavilion, where the tournament will be held at a cost of R 100 per person. Tickets are on sale now at Computicket <https://online.computicket.com/web/>. Early bird tickets are limited so book early to avoid disappointment.

CAN I BUY MULTIPLE TIME SLOTS FOR SUPPORTERS?

Yes you can, tickets per time slot are limited to ensure all visitors have a good experience, you can purchase these at Rand Show Computicket box office outside Hall 9.

IF I NEED MORE INFORMATION, WHO CAN I CONTACT?

You can email us on gaming@randshow.co.za. Our visitor line is 011 494 2894, Monday – Friday 08:30 – 16:00 (closed on weekends and public holidays).

