

## Base Prize Distribution on Every 15 Entries

Eddie Kuhn, pro at International Business Machine CC, Sands Point, N. Y., and his assistant, Barney Corrigan, worked out a prize distribution sheet for IBM week-end tournaments last season that proved to be very popular among members. Distribution is based on one prize for every 15 entries with as many as seven prizes being awarded when the entry list numbers 100.

Based on a 25-cent entry fee, here are some of the details of the IBM prize distribution table:

When 22 or fewer players enter a tournament, the winner is awarded total entry receipts of \$5.50. However, when there are 24 entries, the first place award is cut to \$4.00 and the second place winner gets \$2.00. With 40 entries, the \$10.00 prize money is split three ways: \$5.05 for first; \$3.30 for second and \$1.65 for third.

When 50 players enter a tournament receipts of \$12.50 are distributed in this way: \$6.25, \$4.25 and \$2.00. With 100 golfers entered, here is the breakdown of \$25.00 among the top seven: \$6.30, 5.35, 4.45, 3.60, 2.65, 1.75 and .90.

Kuhn and Corrigan have extended their

chart to provide 10 prizes for an entry list of 150 golfers. The \$37.50 is split this way: \$6.85, 6.15, 5.45, 4.75, 4.10, 3.40, 2.70, 2.05, 1.35 and .70.

By using the above figures as a base, the IBM pros say that similar charts can be prepared for practically any number of entries in club tournaments. They add that the chart is best adapted to a 25-cent entry fee or multiplies thereof such as \$.50, 1.00, or \$2.00.

## Tournament of Champions Scheduled for Apr. 26-29

The fourth annual Tournament of Champions, will be held Apr. 26-29, at Wilbur Clark's Desert Inn, Las Vegas.

Host pro Howard Capps in setting the dates said 16 players now are eligible to compete for the \$87,500 cash awards of which \$10,000 goes to the tournament winner. They are Gene Littler, Chandler Harper, Bo Wininger, Dick Mayer, Dow Finsterwald, Jack Fleck, Cary Middlecoff, Tommy Bolt, Doug Ford, Henry Ranson, Julius Boros, Arnold Palmer, Sam Snead, Ted Kroll, Max Evans and Frank Stranahan.

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