



Cowboy Bebop UFS – Recommended Draft Rules

Entry: \$20 - \$25

Set Up:

- Players sit down in groups of 4-8 (we recommend 6), in a random order.
- Put the “Select Format Only” characters on the table in front of the players in the draft pod.

Draft Rules:

- 40 card deck + character, the remaining cards become the Sideboard.
- Instead of the normal resource restriction rules, players may play cards into their card pool in any order as long as they share 1 symbol with their starting character (resource chaining is not required).
- There is no restriction on maximum copies of a card with the same name.
- When taking a mulligan, the player going first may put their entire hand on the bottom of their deck and draw a new hand, then shuffle the deck. The player going second may choose any number of cards in their hand, place them on the bottom of their deck, draw that many cards, then shuffle their deck.
- When cycling the deck, only remove 5 cards from the game instead of 10.

Drafting:

- Each player receives 6 booster packs. Each player opens 1 pack, selects one card to keep from it, sets it face down in front of them and passes the remaining cards to the player to their left. Players will thus receive a pile of nine cards from the player on their right. They again pick one card, pass the remainder to the left, and so on until there are no more cards left from the pack.
- Repeat this process for all six packs, alternating which direction cards are passed in per pack opened (left, then right, then left, etc). Players may check the cards they have drafted at any time as long as it is done in a timely manner.
- At the end of this process, each player will have 60 cards. They may then borrow exactly one full-art Select Format Only character card from the store/host if they choose. These cards must be returned after the event, so that they can be used for future Select Format events. Players then use the cards they drafted, along with their borrowed character to build a deck with a minimum of 40 cards, excluding their starting character.

Tournament:

- All draft pods may be merged into one tournament using Swiss rounds or double elimination format.

Prizes:

- Top 4 players are awarded the Cowboy Bebop pre-release playmat.