

Final Hours Grind Night to be Held Jan. 27

Deadline to qualify for combine is Jan. 31

SALT LAKE CITY (January 23, 2018) – Gamers and non-gamers are invited to join Jazz Gaming, one of 17 teams participating in the inaugural NBA 2K League, for a Final Hours Grind Night on Saturday, Jan. 27 from 6-10 p.m. at Vivint Smart Home Arena.

The deadline for gamers (18 or older) to win 50 games in the NBA 2K18 Pro-Am mode in order to be eligible for the next stage is Wednesday, Jan. 31. The first stage of qualifications for the NBA 2K League began New Year's Day.

All attendees at the event will have the opportunity to play NBA 2K18, compete in a tournament, win some swag and meet the Jazz Gaming staff.

The combine will take place in February where the top performing competitors will be available for the draft this spring. Each of the participating in the league will draft five players who will live in-market during the season.

The NBA 2K season tips off in May 2018, with games taking place in one or two central studios for the inaugural season.

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About the NBA 2K League

The NBA 2K League is a professional esports league co-founded by the NBA and Take-Two Interactive Software, Inc. Launching in 2018, the league will feature the best NBA 2K players in the world. Each of the league's 17 teams will draft gamers to compete as unique characters in 5-on-5 play against the other teams in a mix of regular-season games, tournaments and playoffs. The league will host tryouts in early 2018, followed by a draft in March and the season tip-off in May. For more information about the NBA 2K League, visit www.NBA2KLeague.com.

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