

LERNER SPORTS BRACKET ACTIVITY



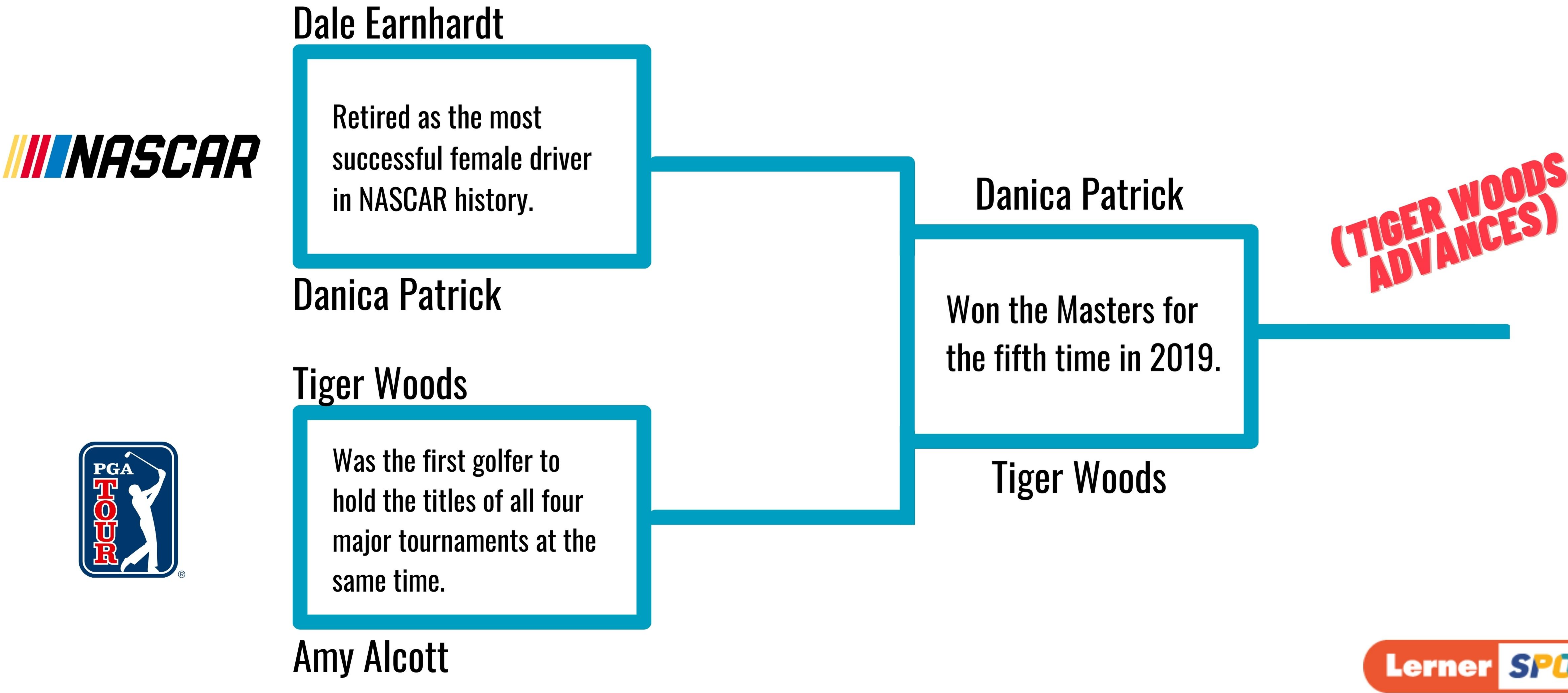
Who is the G.O.A.T. (Greatest of All-Time)?

Tom Brady (NFL), Wayne Gretzky (NHL), and Diana Taurasi (WNBA) are often regarded among the best athletes at their respective sports. Each player has a wide range of amazing statistics and remarkable career accomplishments that have placed them squarely in the G.O.A.T. conversation. Obviously, it is very difficult to crown just one person as the best at their sport; there are so many impressive athletes!

This LernerSports activity asks you to take it one step further. Not only will you need to figure out who the Greatest of All-Time is at each individual sport, you must figure out who should be crowned the G.O.A.T. of ALL sports. Use your research skills on the LernerSports website to compare and contrast the accolades that make these athletes so great. Then, decide who has the most impressive resume across every sport to make a case for your Greatest of All-Time pick!

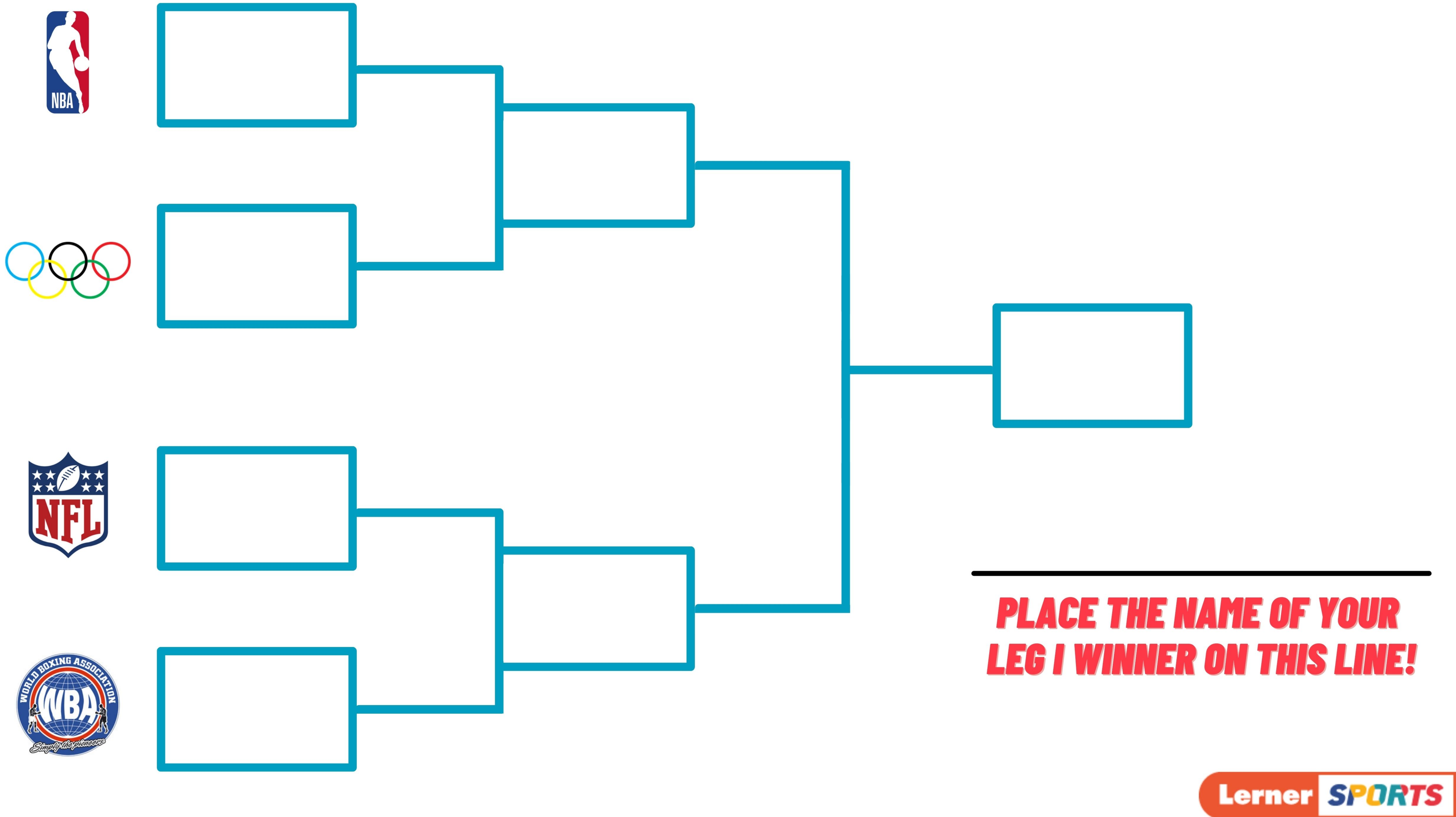
How to Fill Out Your G.O.A.T. Bracket

Now, the time has come for you to dive into the research and fill out your bracket! Below is an example of how your bracket might look. Each section of the bracket will have a sports logo next to it, which will indicate which sport you should focus on (if you don't recognize a logo, ask a friend). Find two athletes from each sport and write their names on the bracket provided. Then, find a super cool stat that shows just how impressive each athlete is. Pick the stat that you find more impressive and write it in the box provided. After you've done that, write the name of the athlete that accomplished that feat on the next leg of the bracket. Do the same for the rest of the bracket until you've decided who your G.O.A.T. is. But remember; no re-using statistics! Find something for every leg of the bracket!



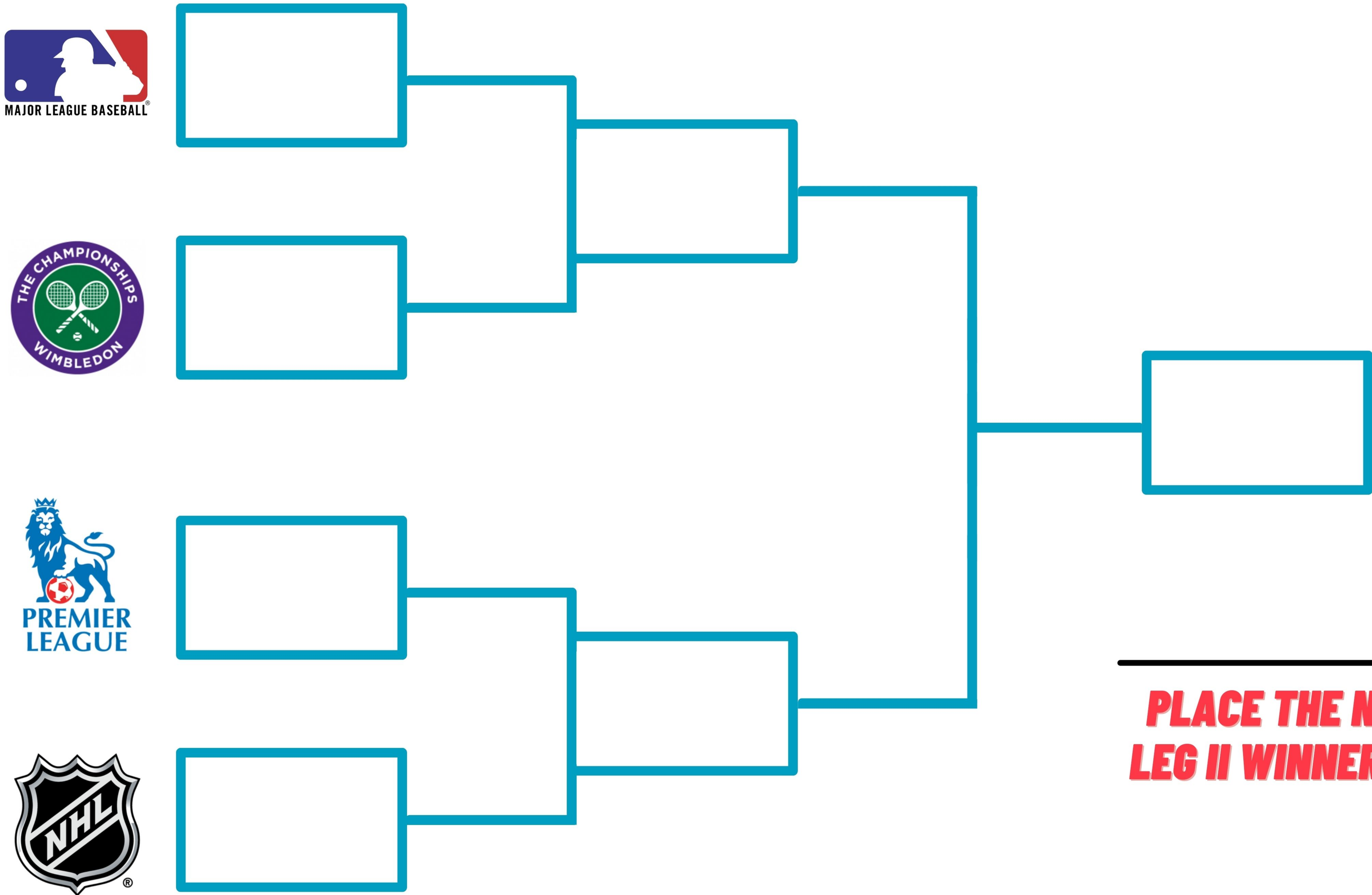
Bracket Leg I

Now it's YOUR turn! Here is the first empty leg of the bracket for you to fill out. Follow onto the next page for the second leg. A little note: feel free to use Mixed Martial Arts fighters in place of boxers if you would like.



Bracket Leg II

Here is the second empty leg of the bracket for you to fill out. Follow onto the next page for the final leg: the Championship Round, where you'll pit your Leg I winner up against your Leg II winner! A tough choice!



**PLACE THE NAME OF YOUR
LEG II WINNER ON THIS LINE!**

Championship Round

You've reached the most important leg of the bracket: the Championship Round. Here, you must find a statistic for each of your Leg I and II winners, and decide which is the most impressive. Write their names on the top and bottom of the box, and write the winning statistic inside. Once you've done that, you have your G.O.A.T.! Remember, you can't reuse stats. They're probably getting pretty difficult to find. But, these athletes should have pretty long lists of accomplishments. That's what makes them the best!



***PLACE THE NAME OF YOUR
G.O.A.T ON THIS LINE!***