

3 ON 3 BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT- FALL 2009

TEAM REGISTRATION FORM

Team Name: _____
 Institution/Year: _____
 Team Captain: _____
 Phone Number: _____
 Cell Number: _____
 Pager/Fax: _____
 E-mail: _____

League: Men's or Women's
 Circle a Preferred Time: Before 7:30 After 8:30 Any
 Games are played: Wednesday & Thursday
 Tournament begins: Wednesday, October 21st @ 6:00 p.m.
 Preferred 1st game time: *(Please note preferences are not guaranteed)*

TEAM ENTRY FEE: (per team)

\$10.00 for UT-Houston Students and Current Rec Members *(*Must be current during league participation)*
 \$15.00 for all Other Teams (must be affiliated with UT/TMC)
Maximum 24 Men's & 8 Women's teams and a minimum of 4 men's/4 women's teams for league to make

HOW TO REGISTER: Registration opens Monday, September 21st. **ALL TEAMS MUST TURN IN AN ENTRY FORM BY TUESDAY, OCTOBER 13th TO HOLD THEIR SPOT.** ON A FIRST COME FIRST SERVED BASIS; ONCE THE TOURNAMENT IS FULL THERE ARE NO EXCEPTIONS. TEAMS MAY PLACE THEIR NAMES ON A WAITING LIST IF THIS OCCURS. (If tournament makes), PAYMENT IS DUE & ACCEPTED FROM WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 14th - TUESDAY, OCTOBER 20th BY 6:00 P.M.

IF NO PAYMENT IS RECEIVED BEFORE THE DEADLINE A E-MAIL WILL BE SENT INFORMING PLAYERS OF THEIR ELIMINATION FROM THE TOURNAMENT. **NO EXCEPTIONS SPOTS WILL NOT BE HELD UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES!** Teams must select a desired time when turning in the registration form with the front desk. Otherwise a team risks the chance of not playing at their desired time.

TEAM CAPTAIN'S MEETING: Team captain's meeting is Wednesday, October 14th @ 6:00 p.m. at the UT Recreation Center classroom A. A representative **MUST** attend the meeting to receive rules and mock schedule to see if changes need to be made. If a representative from your team cannot attend, you must send an e-mail or call the Recreation Coordinator's office before the meeting. Also, your team will play on the dates and days scheduled **NO EXCEPTIONS.** . A final schedule will be e-mailed to each team captain and posted here at the UT-Rec Center Friday, October 16th by 12:00 noon.

TOURNAMENT INFORMATION: 3 on 3 Basketball tournament will be played without officials, time clocks or score board. It will be either a double elimination or consolation tournament. **ALL TEAMS ARE GUARANTEED TWO GAMES!** Depending on how many players enter all games will be played each Wednesday & Thursday starting @ 6:00 p.m. and last game @ 9:30 p.m. until the tournament has ended. All teams must be prepared to play both October 21st & 22nd & possibly October 28th & 29th.

SCHEDULES/RULES/AWARDS: The 3 on 3 basketball tournament schedule & rules will be e-mailed to each team captain Friday, October 16th by 12:00 p.m. All Participants must sign a waiver before game time. The winners of the tournament will receive a Rec Sports championship t-shirt, and has a team picture taken for our web and website for all to see!

For more information please call Kelly McNamara @ 713-500-8422 or e-mail Kelly.McNamara@uth.tmc.edu

(Registration opens September 21st - PAYMENT ACCEPTED ONLY FROM October 14th - October 20th)

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HEALTH SCIENCE CENTER AT HOUSTON

Fall 2009 3 on 3 Basketball Rules

Self-Officiated

1. Players, Substitutes and Roster Size and Identification

- A. Teams will consist of three players and a maximum roster limit of six.
- B. All players must be 18 years of age.
- C. All participants must complete a waiver agreement in order to participate.
- D. All rosters are final after the last regular season game. No one will be allowed to play if their name is not listed on the team roster. Each participant must come to play with a picture ID (student, badges only, **NO DRIVER'S LICENSES**) **ANYONE WITH A DRIVER'S LICENSE ONLY WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO PLAY IN THE TOURNAMENT, MUST PROVIDE PROPER IDENTIFICATION.**
- E. Substitutions may be conducted during stoppage of play for out of bounds, fouls, or violations. **Substitutions are not permitted after a made basket.**

2. Playing Area and Conditions

- A. All games will be played at the UTHSC Recreation outdoor basketball courts 1-4.
- B. Fans must remain on the side lines and between the courts.

3. Equipment and Uniform

- A. Game balls will be provided.
- B. Warm-up equipment can be checked out from the Fitness Center Front Desk.
- C. Team's players **must** wear the same color t-shirt or jerseys with a number. Pinnies will not be made available for games.

4. Safety and Prevention

- A. A player who is bleeding, has an open wound, or has an excessive amount of blood on the uniform shall be considered an injured player and must immediately leave the game for the appropriate treatment.
- B. Players wearing glasses should have shatterproof lenses and straps.
- C. Absolutely no jewelry may be worn. If players refuse to remove jewelry, they will not be allowed to play in the game.

5. Participant Conduct and Fair Play

- A. It is the responsibility of the team captain to control their team and interact appropriately with the game officials.
- B. All players, captains and spectators will be held to a reasonable standard of conduct and fair play. Violators of this standard will be subject to sport-specific penalties, and/or possible removal from the facility and future Recreational Sports events.
- C. All teams are responsible for cleaning up after their players and fans. **Please dispose of trash properly.**
- D. The captain is responsible to make certain that every player on his team is a current Recreation Center member or a Baylor College of Medicine Student. Captains are also responsible for informing team members of their playing schedule and the rules of the game.

6. Time Regulations and Length of Game

- A. Games will consist of one 25 minute period. Clock will run continuously.
- B. In the event of a tie, three minute overtime will be played. Clock will run continuously.
- C. No time outs.

7. Forfeits and Starting Games

- A. Teams must have two players to start or continue a game.
- B. A do or die from the three point arch will begin the game. Alternating possession will be used for any jump ball situation thereafter.
- C. Game time is forfeit time.
- D. Overtimes will begin with a do or die from the three point arch.

8. Playing Rules and Scoring

- A. Requirements
 - 1. Tournament play will be limited. Entries will be accepted on a first come basis.
 - 2. Tournament play will be determined upon team entries.
- B. Scoring
 - 1. A successful shot is considered 1 point.
 - 2. A successful three point basket is worth two points.
 - 3. Make it take it rules apply.
 - 4. Teams will play to 15 with 17 point cap or 25 minutes which ever comes first. Teams must win by 2.
- C. Rules.
 - 1. Players call their own fouls. Gentlemen's rules apply
 - 2. Players must call score after each basket is made.
 - 3. If a person is fouled in the act of shooting the player will be awarded the ball. If the basket is good, the point(s) are voided and the player is awarded the ball.
 - 4. For non-shooting fouls, and violations, players must take the ball to the half court and continue to check the ball.
 - 5. No three second violations will be called.
 - 6. For out of bounds, the ball will be put into play at the top or half court line.
 - 7. Dunking will be allowed.
- D. Out of Bounds
 - 1. The top, bottom and sides of a backboard are in play.
 - 2. All lines, basket supports and walls are considered out of play.

9. Fouls, Violations and Penalties

- A. There is no personal foul limit. The league coordinator can eject a player for any display of unsportsmanlike conduct.
- B. All Intentional fouls will be considered unsportsmanlike
- C. All offensive fouls will result in a change of possession. Any score during an offensive foul will be waved off.
- D. Any individual removed from a contest for reasons of sportsmanship or misconduct will be ineligible for the next scheduled contest.
- E. Any unsportsmanlike conduct may result in the suspension of tournament activities.

10. Official and Supervisors Duties

- A. The supervisor will be on-site for event management and general questions. The supervisor has the authority to cancel activities due to inclement or unfavorable weather conditions.

11. Miscellaneous

- A. Participation in the Recreational Sports program is voluntary. UT-Houston is not responsible for injuries incurred while participating in Recreational Sports. Each participant is advised to carry personal health and accident insurance.
- B. Awards will be given to the winning team in each division of play. Awards must be picked up at the office within 30 days of the championships.

