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13U Team World Series Trip Fund Raiser

2012 BEAN BAG TOURNAMENT

Saturday, February 25, 2012

6:30 p.m. – 11:00 p.m.

Resurrection Lutheran Church Gymnasium
2567 W. Sullivan Road
Aurora, Illinois 60506
(Deerpath and Sullivan Roads)

- Entry Fee (must be 21 or older to participate and attend):
 - Pre-Pay \$40 per 2 Person Team (advanced registration/payment required)
 - At Door \$50 per 2 Person TeamEntry Fee includes... light meal, snacks & dessert
- Tournament is a Double Elimination Format
- Prizes awarded at 20% of registration fees collected up to ... First Place - \$200; Second Place - \$100; Third Place \$60; Fourth Place \$40
- BYOB – Bring Your Own Beverages

Rules:

1. The boards are placed 27 feet apart from one another.
2. There are eight (8) bags, four (4) bags of each color. The bags to be used are provided by the tournament.
3. In this tournament we are playing doubles. Partners play from opposing boards. Each team has four (4) bags, all the same color.
4. The team who has honors begins by throwing the bag at the opposite board. They continue to alternate until all eight (8) bags are thrown. A coin flip takes place to determine who has honors to start the game. The winning team has honors from that point on. If no one wins a round, it defaults back to the previous round's winner, or the person who won the coin flip, if a round hasn't been won yet.
5. Points - 3 points for a cornhole bag that goes through the hole, 1 point for a bag that is on the board – No points are awarded for bags that are touching the ground. Bags that bounce up onto the board are removed and do not count. At the end of the round, you add up the total points for each team and the winning team adds the difference to their total score. The game ends when the first team reaches a total score of 21.
6. Time Limit - Each game has a time limit of 25 minutes. The round starts at the scheduled starting time. When the time limit is up, the current round taking place is finished and the team with the highest total score wins the game. If tied, another round is played and the winner of the round is declared the winner. If still tied, we continue to use this method until a winner is declared.

2012 Bean Bag Tournament Pre-Registration Form

Team Information

Player 1 Name _____ Phone: _____

Player 2 Name _____ Phone _____

Email Addresses:

Player 1 _____

Player 2 _____

Pre-payment tournament entry fee is \$40 per team. Pre-Registration Form and \$40 payment must be mailed to (postmarked by February 15, 2012):

Northern Illinois Thunder Softball
Attn: 13U Team
P.O. Box 408
Sugar Grove, IL 60554

Checks Payable to: *NI Thunder Softball*

Questions? Contact Ed Rundle via email at dgl@nithunder.com

**BEAN BAG TOURNAMENT
WAIVER & RELEASE
IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

Participants registering for this program must recognize that there is an inherent risk of injury when choosing to participate in recreational activities. You are solely responsible for determining if you are physically fit and/or adequately skilled for the activities contemplated by this agreement. It is always advisable, especially if the participant is pregnant, disabled in any way or recently suffered an illness, injury or impairment, to consult a physician before undertaking any physical activity.

WARNING OF RISK

The Bean Bag Tournament is intended to challenge and engage the physical, mental and emotional resources of each participant. However, despite careful and proper preparation, instruction, medical advice, conditioning and equipment, there is still a risk of serious injury, including but not limited to head/brain injury, back/neck injury, and bone and joint injury. Understandably, not all hazards and dangers can be foreseen. Certain risks include, but are not limited to, being struck by the bean bag, slip and falls, running into stationary objects and tank fixtures, poor technique, collisions, fatigue, moisture from water and sweat, surface defects and irregularities, carelessness, poor conditioning, overexertion, poor sportsmanship, horseplay and all other risks inherent to the Bags Tournament. In this regard, it must be recognized that it is impossible to guarantee absolute safety.

WAIVER AND RELEASE OF ALL CLAIMS AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK

Please read this form carefully and be aware that in signing up and participating in this program/activity, you will be expressly assuming the risk and legal liability and waiving and releasing all claims for injuries, damages or loss which you or your minor child/ward might sustain as a result of participating in any and all activities connected with and associated with this program/activity (including transportation services and vehicle operations, when provided). I recognize and acknowledge that there are certain risks of physical injury to participants in this program/activity, and I voluntarily agree to assume the full risk of any and all injuries, damages or loss, regardless of severity, that my minor child/ward or I may sustain as a result of said participation.

Player 1 Signature _____
Date: _____

Player 2 Signature _____
Date: _____