



March 1, 2010

Dear Volleyball Team Manager:

Thank you for registering for the annual March coed volleyball tournament. After reviewing your playing and refereeing schedule, please plan your arrival at the site appropriately.

Tournament Highlights

- Location – Grinnell Athletic and Recreation Center (GARC), 1500 Penrose Street. Take exit 182 off I-80 and go north into town. At the intersection of Highway 146 and Highway 6 turn east (right) and follow Highway 6 until you reach Penrose Street. Go north (left). The park will appear on the right hand side of the street just before you leave town. If coming in from the north (HWY 146 / West Street), then turn left at 10th Avenue – 10th Avenue will take you directly into the park. Parking is free.
- The most important aspect of the tournament is to play hard while having fun!
- Adam Spangler (IPRA Sports committee) and Steve Jordison will serve as the on-site tournament host.
- Teams are responsible for bringing their own warm-up volleyball. Game balls are provided.
- Time and score will be kept on an electronic scoreboard.
- The GARC has both male and female locker rooms.
- Teams failing to provide referees, line judges and score when scheduled will be subject to match forfeitures. Remember each team has paid to play and that is our goal – to play and HAVE FUN!
- T-shirts for each single elimination champion will be shipped whereas runner-up trophy will be awarded at the conclusion of each playoff tournament.
- Game time is forfeit time.
- Pool play is 30 minutes continuous running clock. The clock runs during timeouts and between games but will stop on an injured player. **Note – we have reduced the pool play match score to 21 points but increased the tournament score to 25 points.**
- **Matches will play ahead as much as possible.**
- Uniform code is not enforced.
- Teams need not be USA Volleyball registered.
- Please review the schedule sheet for specific rules.
- Post pool play will be a seeded single elimination tournament.
- Net height: 7' 11"
- ***The GARC doors will open at 9:00 a.m. The facility maybe chilly so be sure to wear appropriate clothing.***

Motel Accommodations

If you need local motel information, please contact Cathy in the IPRA office at 641-236-3917.

Have a great tournament and drive safely!