



PLEASE READ **ALL** RULES & REGULATIONS

RULES OF PLAY:

- ❖ Ball hits water first (splash) it's **IN**. All other is **OUT**.
- ❖ "Loose" rules will be enforced. "Catches" will be called.
- ❖ Over the net **WILL BE** called a violation.
- ❖ Under or In the net will only be called if it interferes with the other teams play.
- ❖ **YOU MAY NOT ATTACK (SPIKE OR BLOCK) A SERVE FROM THE FRONT LINE. (You may hit a serve upward from the front but not downward.)**
- ❖ Only three hits per side excluding attempted blocks.
- ❖ 15 minute games. Side-change at halfway point in each game (7 ½ minutes).
- ❖ Rally scoring will be used (point on every serve).
- ❖ All games will start, change sides and end on blow of horn. If a point is in play, DO NOT STOP on blow of horn; finish point in progress.
- ❖ **REFEREES CALL IS FINAL. YOU MAY RESPECTFULLY STATE YOUR CASE BUT THEIR DECISION IS FINAL.**
- ❖ **Must have a minimum of 4 players on the court ready to play at game time or game will be a FORFEIT.**
- ❖ Cell phone time is used for official game times.
- ❖ **NO serious smack-talk! It's all for fun... Referee may warn but game can be forfeited if continued.**

OTHER TOURNAMENT RULES / POLICIES AND INFORMATION

- ❖ **NO KIDS ALLOWED ON GAME COURTS AT ANY TIME (INCLUDING IN BETWEEN GAMES)**
- ❖ **A KIDS "PLAY MUD PIT" WILL BE PROVIDED. PARENTS /GUARDIANS RESPONSIBLE FOR KIDS.**
- ❖ **NO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES** allowed on Sheriff's Office property
- ❖ NO BBQ GRILLS will be allowed
- ❖ BRING CASH. There will be soft drinks, water, food & snacks for sale at the event for you to enjoy
- ❖ Please do not bring your pets
- ❖ Tournament T-Shirts for sale
- ❖ Bring sunscreen & bug spray as you deem necessary.
- ❖ Bleachers will be provided however, your canopies & lawn chairs are welcome.
- ❖ There will be a wash-off station provided.
- ❖ Bring your own towels and change of clothes if you desire.
- ❖ Shoes or cleats are allowed and recommended (you will need duct tape to keep them on)
- ❖ **NO METAL CLEATS ALLOWED**
- ❖ **PARENTS AND GUARDIANS MUST BE ON PREMISES WHILE CHILDREN ARE PLAYING AND ARE SOLELY RESPONSIBLE FOR THEIR CHILD AT ALL TIMES. NO CHILDREN MAY BE LEFT TO PLAY WHILE GUARDIANS LEAVE PREMISES.**