

Iceworm Classic Basketball 2023

Adult 5v5 Tournament

PACKET

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GENERAL INFORMATION

Dates: January, 24, 26, 29 - Round Robin
February 2 - 4 - Bracket Play

Entry Fee: \$159 per team

Entry Deadline: Wednesday January 11, 2023
Entry form, fees, and rosters must be turned in by the deadline.

Payment: Can be made at:
Bidarki Recreation Center, 103 Council Avenue, Cordova, AK, 99574
Cash, debit/credit card and check. Make checks payable to City of Cordova.
OR
Send Entry form and checks to:
City of Cordova
Department of Parks & Recreation
P.O. Box 1210, Cordova, AK 99574

Tournament Format: Bracket Play - Double elimination tournament

Tournament Director: Aaron Hansen (907) 202-3392

Tournament Sites:

Round Robin -

- Bidarki Recreation Center, 103 Council Avenue, Cordova, AK, 99574

Bracket Play - venues to be confirmed, likely to be either:

- Cordova Jr/Sr High School, 100 Fisherman's Way, Cordova, AK, 99574
- Mt Eccles Elementary School, 201 Adams St, Cordova, AK, 99574

Game Times: Round Robin and Bracket information will be available after 3pm on Friday, January 13, 2023

Awards: Tournament champions receive Iceworm Basketball Classic T-shirts
Please indicate your preferred size on entry form.

Important Notes

- Four team minimum needs to be registered by close of business by January 11, 2023.
- Any team using a player who is not on the roster, or who is not eligible to play, is subject to disqualification and possible forfeiture of game(s).
- To help determine round robin seedings, all teams must select a rating of Above Average, Average or Below Average (as it relates to the teams ability).
- The City of Cordova and/or Tournament Director reserve the right to amend the tournament rules and format as required based on the number of teams registered.
- Players may enter on only **one** team.
- It is forbidden to wear any object that may cause injury to another player, such as pins, bracelets, casts etc. (Watches, rings and dangling earrings will not be allowed). If the official requests that a player remove an item, the player must do so before being allowed to return to the game.

ELIGIBILITY & ROSTER

1. All eligibility questions arising that are not specifically addressed in these rules shall be decided by the Tournament Director.
2. High School students are not eligible
3. Rosters are limited to 10 active players.
4. Rosters must be submitted to the Department of Parks & Recreation at Bidarki Recreation Center prior to the deadline.
5. Only captains/team representatives are allowed to make changes to the team roster. All changes must be made at Bidarki Recreation Center. All roster changes must be approved by the Tournament Director.
6. Any player who does not personally sign the roster will be declared an illegal player. All games in which this player participated will be forfeited.
7. Players participating in the City of Cordova's adult basketball program must be over the age of 18 years. All players must have a form of legal identification (e.g. driver's license/military ID) in their position for all games.
8. Game play is 5 on 5. Teams can start a game with four players and it will be considered an official game. A team with no more than four players will result in a forfeit.
9. Players must sign with their legal names on the score sheet and roster, nicknames may not be used.

Free Agents

Individuals looking to get placed on a team can register as a Free Agent with the Tournament Director. Free Agent information will be passed along to teams needing players or if enough individuals register an attempt will be made to organize a team(s) from the Free Agent list.

RULES & REGULATIONS

1. All games will be played under the National Federation of State High School Associations' basketball rules, with supplements provided by the City of Cordova, Parks and Recreation Department.
2. Players are not allowed to wear jewelry of any kind during game play.
3. No hanging on the rim after a dunk. No dunking during warmups. If player dunks then it will result in 10 minute sit out. Teams will be liable for damage to backboards.
4. Dunking during warm-ups will result in a technical foul and is subject to the rules above.
5. Jump ball at the start of each game and overtime period.
6. The City of Cordova/Cordova School District will provide game balls. Teams should bring and use their own balls for warm-ups.

Timing

1. Score sheets must be filled in with the names and numbers by team captains before game time.
2. Games will start at the time shown on the schedule or five minutes after the game prior if games are running behind.
3. Please be available at least 15 minutes before your scheduled time.
4. Game length is four (4) eight (8) minute quarters with a running clock. The only time the clock will stop on whistles is during the last minute of play in the first half and the last three minutes of the game if the score is within 15 points.
5. There is no shot clock in this tournament.
6. Each team will receive three one-minute timeouts per game.
7. Halftime is a ten (10) minute maximum.
8. Overtime will be 3 minutes with the clock stopping on all whistles. Any additional overtimes will be 1 minute in length with the clock stopping on all whistles.
9. Teams will have one 1-minute timeout in the overtime. Timeouts do not carryover from regulation time or to additional overtimes.
10. Overtimes will begin with a jump ball.

Team Requirements

1. Team members must wear the same color of shirt with visible numbers. If a team does not have appropriate uniforms then they will be required to wear pennies.
2. Players must be at least 18 years with a 10 player maximum on a Roster.
3. All players must be listed on the team roster. Substitutes are not permitted.
4. Teams are subject to being checked for age and identification. ID's must be available at all times.
5. Teams playing with illegal players will forfeit their game.
6. Teams may play with four players. Teams with less than four players must forfeit.
7. Teams must start play on time if they have four players available. Players may enter the game late as long as they are on the roster.

Fouls

1. When playing shorthanded with four or five players only, players will not be permitted to stay in the game after their 5th foul. If you are shorthanded and you foul out, your team will become even more shorthanded. Games are allowed to finish no matter how many players are left on the floor. If four players are on the court and one fouls out, then that team continues play with its three remaining players.
2. When a technical foul occurs, a player must sit for 10 minutes of the game.
3. Players sitting for a technical foul cannot re-enter the game, even if a team is short on players.
4. If the player commits a second technical foul in that game, the player is ejected from the game and is suspended for the next game. Players ejected from a game must leave the building immediately. Failure to do so may result in the team being forfeited.
5. Technical fouls will be reviewed by the Tournament Director to determine if a player should be suspended for the remainder of the tournament.
6. Any player that receives three technical fouls during the tournament will be suspended for the remainder of the tournament.
7. Any players initiating a fight with another player, making unwanted and unwarranted contact with an official, or threatening a player or official will be suspended from the tournament immediately.

Protests

1. There will be NO protests. The official's decision and official scorebook is final.

Conduct and interaction with Officials

1. All players are expected to conduct themselves in a sportsmanlike manner at all times. This is a recreational tournament. The "Heat of the Moment" excuse is not acceptable.
2. The captain/team representative (identified at the start of the game) will be the only team spokesperson on all matters. This privilege is given only for clarification of a call or situation that occurs.
3. At no time shall the captain/team representative interrupt play, use unsportsmanlike conduct, use profanity, or badger the officials. (Any other player abusing this rule shall be given a warning and/or technical foul at the discretion of the official).
4. Teams must show respect to all fellow players, referees and workers in the tournament. Tournament Director and City of Cordova/Cordova School District representatives reserve the right to eject any player or team that is disrupting the tournament. In such cases, there will be no refund of fees.
5. Decisions by the official/Tournament Director are final. The tournament director will have final judgement on all problems, issues and penalties.

Blood Rule

1. Any player, coach, or official who is bleeding, has an open wound, or has blood on his/her body or clothing, is prohibited from further participation in the game until appropriate treatment has been administered. If first aid is required for a player, the player must be immediately removed from the game, unless treatment can be administered in a reasonable amount of time.
2. A player, coach, or official will not be allowed to participate unless:
 1. All bleeding has stopped
 2. Any exposed cut/scrape which has bled is completely covered
 3. Bloody clothing is removed. It is recommended that teams have spare clothing available at the game site to be used if necessary.

Officials Fees

1. Officials fees are \$15 per team for each game. Officials are not required to carry change and it's the team captain's/team representative responsibility to have the exact amount.

Facilities

1. Please respect the City of Cordova and the Cordova School District facilities used for the tournament.
2. All facilities are drug, alcohol and smoke free.
3. Water only allowed in all gyms, and no glass bottles are permitted. No food or other beverages. Please leave the gym cleaner than when you found it!
4. Teams may be required to help set up and take down equipment.
5. Space for spectators at Bidarki Recreation Center is extremely limited. Spectators are not allowed on the gymnasium floors during the game. All children must be supervised by a non-playing adult at all times.
6. Please note that Bidarki Recreation Center will be open for other users of the facility.
7. Shoes must be worn at all times. Only sneakers, tennis shoes and court shoes are allowed. Black soled shoes that mark the gym floor, hiking boots, Xtratufs, street shoes etc. will not be allowed in the tournament. Please do not wear shoes from outside on to the playing area.
8. The City of Cordova/Cordova School District will not be responsible for lost or stolen items.