

## TOPICS FOR DISCUSSION – 2019 Team Captain's/Membership Meeting

**Teams:** One Wed "C" Div team still to confirm, one team on Wed "C" Div has dropped out (Da-Pits from LDG). May move one team to that location, but there will be one team spot vacant. Would need to determine location options with any new team. **As of Feb 9<sup>th</sup>, one vacant team spot for sure – have someone on a waiting list for that spot. Glad all the other teams are still intact. DEADLINE for final team info is FEBRUARY 22, 2019.**

### **Locations:**

- **Jim's Alibi**: Should be fine – Dave Maynard will make sure.
- **Construction Zone**: Karen Shrum and Randy Barbee will be working with them to get pits cleaned up. Major issue is water for grass.
- **Dutch Goose**: Currently remodeling interior. Will fix lights and plan to have outside service so don't have to wait in long lines for drinks. Jim & Marge always coordinate working on pits before season.
- **Little Dutch Garden** – Should be fine – Scott Hymas will make sure.
- **McCleary's**: Will be building new pits. Keystone Kids will be coordinating w/owner. Might need help of other teams. **Lights??**
- **Turner's**: New Owners - As of 2/9, plan to be open in 3 weeks. Working on having water. Pits should be fine - Mark Leoni will make sure. **Lights???**
- **Possible New Location**: Jade is working on a possible new location. Should know by Feb 15<sup>th</sup>. Have one team that will move there if bar commits. Might be able to move other teams there if it does not cause problems with schedule. League Manager will do what's best for entire league and the long-term dedicated sponsors.

Note: We are open to teams establishing new locations as long as they meet the league requirements, but that would need to be decided by end of February. New locations outside of Boise will not be considered. All teams should help clean and prepare pits at their sponsoring bars (deadline Friday Apr 12).

**Start and Finish Dates:** Kick-Off Tournament on Apr 13, 2019 and start play Apr 16, 17, and 18, 2019. End of Season Party/Campout at Black Sands Aug 15, 16 and 17, 2019. Will not have a firm reservation until April. Preliminary schedule of events will be posted on web page (subject to change). Upcoming tournament at Little Dutch Garden on March 16, 2019 (St. Patty's).

**Fees:** No changes for 2019 (\$7 per person per week).

**Playoffs:** Playoffs will be Jul 29<sup>th</sup> thru Aug 1<sup>st</sup>. Top 4 from each division will advance. Will use a basic single elimination based on 4 groups. Placement will be based on team percentage of 1<sup>st</sup> place team from each division. Then 1<sup>st</sup> against 4<sup>th</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> against 3<sup>rd</sup>.

**REMINDERS:** Team rosters FIRST WEEK OF PLAY & include all information. Fill out scoresheets entirely and compare with opposing team throughout match.

**Rules** – Any Questions? Any suggested changes? Let's talk a little about subs and forfeits. A full copy is available for view on our web site

**Shoes:** At least 1 set of shoes per pit. Bar should keep those secure for league players (have people give their driver's license). Bars have invested a lot, so I don't believe they should be required to have more than one authorized set (American or Super Diamond Ringers). Recommend all teams bring a set on night of play

**Any Issues with pits, sponsors or players?** Remember your behavior can affect the entire league. Your sponsors are liable for activities that occur on their premises, including things that occur in the parking lots. Also, please keep your eyes and ears open to protect our player's and sponsor's property. Instances of theft are rare, but there were multiple instances last season.

**Any sub players?**

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