Intramural Homerun Derby (Fall 2020)
(Updated 9/2/2020)

General Intramural Department Policies
1. All participants must register at https://recwellservices.uky.edu/
2. Click on IMLeagues, Login with your UK Link Blue account and Register
3. Electronically sign the online waiver and pass the participant quiz

Participation in ALL Intramural Events Require:
1. Valid UK or BCTC student, faculty or staff ID required for all contests to participate
2. Jewelry is NOT permitted
3. No hats, skull caps, bandanas, or other headgear. Terry-cloth headband without exposed knots
4. Review specific sport rules for additional attire restrictions

BCTC student/faculty/staff must pay the “Recreation Fee” before access to IMLeagues.com or participation
1. Information about “Recreation Fee” http://www.uky.edu/plusaccount/uk-estore-information
2. Pay “Recreation Fee” at https://iweb.uky.edu/ukestore/ and retain your electronical receipt
3. Email the Intramural Director, Natosha Harris at neharris1@uky.edu and provide an email address
4. Provide an email address you'd like to use to log into your IMLeagues.com account

These groups must send an email neharris1@uky.edu to have an account created for participation:
1. Religious Advisors
2. Spouses of current UK student/faculty/staff can only play on Co-Rec teams

10-minute Rule/Defaults/Forfeits/Inclement Weather:
1. 10-minute rule applies to various sports:
   a. At game time, if a team is not prepared to play that team will have 10 minutes to become ready as long as at least one player has checked in with the intramural staff
   b. To win by forfeit, minimum number to play must be present and signed in with Intramural staff
   c. If a double forfeit occurs, both teams will receive a forfeit and no team will advance
2. Defaults vary depending on tournament design
   a. Loss by default will not be counted as a forfeit, nor affect your sportsmanship rating
   b. Two (2) defaults result in a forfeit and will be considered the same as a forfeit
   c. Submit a default for your game via IMLeagues.com by completing the “Default” link by 5pm the day of your scheduled game time: https://uky.az1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_BiyhCrSvwZadOZL
   d. Failure to submit your default before designated time will result in a forfeit and $20 forfeit fee will be assessed to your team captain, Greek Chair or Residential Chair.
3. Forfeits applies to various team sports and tournaments:
   a. Team captain, Greek chair or Residential chair assumes responsibility for that team
   b. Captain or Chair is suspended and responsible for paying the $20 forfeit fee
   c. Captain or Chair MUST pay forfeit fee PRIOR TO next scheduled game
   d. Review our Wildcard Player Participation Policy to assist team to avoid forfeits
   e. Forfeit Fees CAN BE PAID ONLINE at: https://recwellservices.uky.edu/Program/GetProducts?classification=00000000-0000-0000-0000-000000000001
4. Inclement weather decisions will be made no later than 3pm on game day
Intramural Sport Program COVID-19 Guidelines for Individual(s)/Participant(s): Minimize Risks

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<td>Wear face coverings/masks entering or exiting facility and when waiting to compete/participate</td>
<td>Not wear a face covering/mask or wear a plastic face shield covering because it increases the risk of injury to participant</td>
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<td>Follow and maintain 6 feet social/physical distancing</td>
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<td>Avoid touching your eyes, nose, mouth with unwashed hands</td>
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<td>Cover your nose &amp; mouth by using a tissue or inside of your elbow; sanitize hands immediately</td>
<td>Touch or remove university property, sports equipment, disinfecting equipment or items necessary for intramural staff to perform work duties</td>
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Intramural Sport Program COVID-19 Guidelines for Spectator(s)/Participant(s): Minimize Risks

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<td>Spectator(s)/non-participant(s) is a non-player, captain, coach, manager, spectator or anyone representing a participant(s)</td>
<td>Complete their UK daily 4.0 self assessment before arriving to work and complete daily symptom checks before working</td>
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<td>All spectator(s)/non-participant(s) will wear masks</td>
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<td>Follow and maintain 6 feet of social/physical distancing</td>
<td>Sanitize hands before and after performing work duties</td>
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<td>Cover your nose &amp; mouth by using a tissue or inside of your elbow; sanitize hands immediately</td>
<td>Clean &amp; Disinfectant frequently touched surfaces and equipment in between uses and activities</td>
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<td>Spectators/non-participants will not be in groups more than ten (10) people. Indoors spaces will not allow spectators if social/physical distancing cannot be accomplished</td>
<td>Ensure guidelines are followed (masks &amp; 6 feet), control the environment based on what is best for program operation and facility capacity</td>
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**Rosters**
- Players will register for the homerun derby through IMLeagues prior to arriving on site.
- A player can register once and hit only for themselves.
- Once eliminated after the end of the second round, the player may no longer bat.

**Tournament Play**
- The Schedule will consist of three rounds and everyone will compete in the first two rounds.
- Each participant will bat for 90 seconds per round trying to score as many homeruns as possible.
- After the second round the Intramural staff will determine the number of participants that will advance to the next round.
- In the final round everyone will be given 90 seconds to hit as many homeruns as possible.
- The participant with the most home runs only in the final round will be the winner.
- Participants have the option of one 30 second time out each round. If they hit five home runs they will have the option of taking another 30 second timeout.
- Each participant must wait until the previous ball in play hits the ground before the next pitch will be thrown.
- Only Intramural staff will be pitching.
Scoring

- Each hit over the fence will result in a single point.

Penalties

- The first offense of releasing the bat during will result in a warning.
- The second offense of releasing the bat will result in disqualification.

Unsportsmanlike Conduct

- Unsportsmanlike conduct and/or fighting will not be tolerated by any team representative.
- A team representative is a participant, player, non-player, captain, coach, manager, spectator, or anyone that is associated with a team.
- Unsportsmanlike conduct includes any behavior, language and actions that are a violation of the University of Kentucky Student Code of Conduct: [https://www.uky.edu/studentconduct/code-student-conduct](https://www.uky.edu/studentconduct/code-student-conduct)
- Unsportsmanlike conduct includes behavior, language, actions or contact against a team representative, Intramural official or campus recreation staff member.
- Unsportsmanlike conduct is, but no limited to,
  - Arguing a call,
  - Behavior, language or action that is abusive, demeaning, insulting, disruptive, or threatening.
  - Contact that is excessive, unnecessary, persistent, severe, extreme, vulgar, violent or flagrant.
- An ejected team representative will be disqualified from the game, and required to leave the facility in a timely manner and may be subject to expulsion from further Campus Recreation and Wellness events and programs.
- Two unsportsmanlike conduct penalties against a player will result in an ejection.
- Four unsportsmanlike conduct penalties against a team will result in an ejection.
- Six unsportsmanlike conduct penalties against a team during a season will result in a forfeit of the remaining schedule.
- Teams must achieve a 3.0 sportsmanship rating in playoff rounds and maintain a 3.0 sportsmanship rating average to advance to playoffs. In playoffs teams that receive a 2,1,0 sportsmanship rating will be unable to advance.
- Game(s) may be forfeited at any time at the discretion of the Intramural of Campus Recreation and Wellness staff.

Conduct (All team representatives are expected to display good sportsmanship)

- Any team representative ejected from a game for any reason shall be suspended from ALL Intramural play until they contact the Intramural Director.
- It is the responsibility of the team representative to setup an appointment with the Intramural Ejection Board by emailing the Intramural Director at neharris1@uky.edu
- If players are found to be participating before being reinstated, they will be suspended from all Intramural activity for the remainder of the semester. A team for which an ineligible player participated will forfeit all games.

Protests

- There will be no protest involving official’s judgment in games that are officiated by the Intramural Staff.
- Protests of rule interpretation must be made before the start of the next dead ball situation.
  - To protest, the protesting team must begin the process immediately following the event in question.
  - A failed protest will result in yellow card assessed to the team captain.
Protests  (Continued)

- In non-officiated games, all disagreements between teams must be settled by the players. Disagreements not resolved within reason or in a timely manner, Intramural Staff will intervene and decide to resolve the disagreement and their decision is final.
- Eligibility protests are permitted. They must be filed in writing by noon the following business day.
- All eligibility protest must be emailed to the Intramural Director, neharris1@uky.edu or turned into the IM Office, room 172-B of the Johnson Center.

The Intramural Department reserves the right to modify these rules at any point in the season in order to promote a fair, fun, and safe environment.