

IM SPORTS TEAM CONTRACT

As captain of a **Creighton University Intramural Sports Team** and as a condition of being entered into formal league/play-offs competition, I agree that my team will abide by the following (place an "X" to left of each item as you read them):

- 1) I have the necessary number of legal players on my initial roster to consistently field a team as scheduled.
- 2) I understand that the second forfeiture of a game without PRIOR communication with the Creighton University Intramural Sports Office will result in my team being dropped from further league play.
- 3) The players on my roster will only participate for one team in this sport (my team) and that if a second team is played for my team and/or the other team may be penalized (I may play on a second team if a Co Rec option is available).
- 4) I understand how to properly protest a game over rule application/interpretation and player eligibility. No protests concerning the judgment of game officials or IM Supervisors will be reviewed. I am able to evaluate the game official by the form found on the IM Web page. I am able to contact the IM Director at 280-2987 or by e-mail jasongant@creighton.edu to voice compliments/concerns.
- 5) I am responsible for informing all of my teammates about the playing rules and sport eligibility requirements and that it is expected that all members of my team will be aware of these rules and provisions, even in my absence.
- 6) My team, our fans, coaches and I acknowledge that the officials are not professionals, but rather fellow students. I/we accept that having amateur and inexperienced officials, there will be inconsistencies and/or discrepancies in their calls throughout the course of a game, season, and the play-offs. Furthermore, I/we accept the Creighton University Intramural Sports doctrine of "Zero Tolerance" in terms of personally derogatory, insulting, and inappropriate language/behavior towards the program's student officials and supervisors.
- 7) My team, our fans, coaches and I agree to treat the Student Officials and Supervisors with the same respect we would treat our own teammates and understand that failure to treat the staff respectfully can result in the expulsion from the league/play-offs of offending individuals/teams. As an extension of this, I/we pledge to intercede, restrain and chastise any teammate(s)/fans/coaches who begin to talk negatively to any official.
- 8) My team, our fans, coaches, and I acknowledge that Intramural Sports are for the enjoyment and thrill of competition for everyone and will thus treat our opponents with the same respect we would treat our own teammates -- that failure to treat the opposing teams in such a manner may result in expulsion from the league for any of my teammates or even my entire team .
- 9) My team, our fans, coaches, and I acknowledge that at no point during any intramural competition is any form of alcohol or tobacco is allowed at the playing area(KFC, SPORTS COMPLEX, KELLOM FIELD, SOCCER STADIUM, etc). Violation of this rule could result in the expulsion from the league for my players/team.
- 10) My team and I acknowledge the authority of the on-site Student Sport Supervisor and accept that this Student Employee is the formal on-site authority figure. As such, their requests will be respectfully honored.
- 11) My team, our fans, coaches, and I understand Intramural Sports Sportsmanship Ratings:
Each team will receive a sportsmanship rating after each game by the supervisor/officials and from the opposing team. A team will be rated as follows:

- ACCEPTABLE**---In general, participants display proper sportsmanship towards opponents, IM officials and IM supervisors. The captain displays reasonable control over team and spectators.
- UNACCEPTABLE**—Participants constantly complain about officials' decisions. Participants displaying unsportsmanlike conduct towards opponents and IM staff. The captain has little or no control over team and spectators. A game ended due to unsportsmanlike acts. Damage or destruction to Campus Recreation facilities or equipment.

If a team receives an Unacceptable rating, the captain must meet with the Assistant Director prior to the next game. If a team receives two Unacceptable ratings during the season the team will be dropped. *Teams involved in a fight will automatically receive two Unacceptable ratings*

- 12) Unsportsmanlike conduct/actions or violations of Creighton University Code of Conduct committed by my team, our fans, coaches, or I will be forward to the Office of Student Integrity for further review.
- 13) My team and I understand the Creighton University Intramural Sports Play-off System:

ALL TEAMS MUST BE PREPARED TO PLAY PLAY-OFF GAMES ON DAYS AND TIMES THAT ARE DIFFERENT FROM THEIR REGULAR SEASON SCHEDULE. PLAY-OFF GAMES ARE SCHEDULED MON- THU 5:00PM – 11:30PM. IT IS HIGHLY RECOMMENDED TO CARRY ADDITIONAL PLAYERS ON YOUR ROSTER TO AVOID SCHEDULING CONFLICTS. IF YOU KNOW OF ANY CONFLICT YOU NEED TO NOTIFY JASON GANT 280-2987, PRIOR TO THE POSTING OF THE PLAY-OFFS. ONCE POSTED, PLAY-OFFS GAMES WILL NOT BE RESCHEDULED UNLESS THERE IS INCLEMENT WEATHER.

__ 14) I will inform my teammates of the following:

Intramural Sports activities. I acknowledge that participation in the activity may involve the risk of bodily injury, property damage, or any other danger. I freely assume all risk of loss, property damage, or personal injury, including death, that may be sustained by me as a result of participating in the activity, whether caused by the negligence of Creighton University, its agents and employees, or otherwise. I hereby release, waive, and discharge Creighton University, its Board of Directors, and its agents and employees from all liability to me, my personal representatives assigns, heirs, and next of kin, for all loss or damage and any claims or demands thereof, including attorney's fees, on account of injury to myself or my property. I agree to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless Creighton University and any of its directors, employees, and agents from any and all claims and cost arising directly or indirectly as a result of my participation in the activity.

__ 15) I understand that if my team is not represented at the preseason captain's meeting then my team will not be allowed to participate in the playoffs.

__ 16) I have thoroughly read this sheet – that I will convey both the letter and the spirit of what is stated herein to the rest of my team and that I/we agree to be held accountable for all provisions.

Captains Signature: _____ Date: _____