

PLAYER PACKET

30th ANNUAL STEAMBOAT DOUBLES VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT

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Volleyball Enthusiasts!

Welcome to the Yampa Valley!!! We hope you are ready for another great year of Volleyball in the Colorado Mountains. As a player in this year's event you will receive a ton of volleyball, a Steamboat T-shirt, great prizes, a beverage or two, and free entry to the Saturday night player party at Slopeside Bar & Grill, after that dancing where the group goes.

As usual, there are a ton of activities in town this weekend. In addition to the volleyball we recommend trying to catch some local events including:

- Dino "80" matches all day Friday & men's/women's Dino finals Fri. evening during check-in
- Ken Lee's music during Friday Night Check-IN
- Morning Balloon launch at Ski Town Park
- Arts and Crafts Fair (west end of main street, walk over)
- Tubing the Yampa
- Men's and Women's Grass Finals Saturday Evening
- Coed Finals Sunday Evening
- Men's and Women's Sand finals Sunday late afternoon on center court
- Biking, Hiking, Rafting, Rodeoin' and chillin' in the hills

The attached packet should answer any questions you have regarding the weekend including itinerary, player party, tourney format, player conduct code, sample pool sheet, Map of Steamboat, Map of Steamboat Parks, Sports Oasis Classic Registrations, Breckenridge Doubles Registrations, and SOB Volleyball Vacation Flyers.

Hopefully this will be plenty to keep you busy!!! Have a great weekend and thanks for joining us at the 30th Annual Steamboat Doubles Volleyball Tournament.

Your Steamboat Doubles Staff

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30th Annual Steamboat Doubles 2011 Tournament Format Summary

Dinosaur Doubles

Format: Double Elimination Old School, big court, regular scoring.
Check in: Friday Morning, 8:00am, Howelsen Park Sand Courts
Start Time: Friday Morning, first ball @ 8:15am sharp
Warm Up: All you want in the grass, 6 minutes in the sand then point a minute
Winners Bracket: Regular scoring to 15, no cap, win by 2
Bonus Pts: 1pt for 80-83yrs old, 2pts for 84-87yrs, 3pts for 88-92yrs, 4pts for 93-97yrs, 5pts for 98-103yrs, 6pts for 104-110yrs, and 7pts for 111+ yrs old.
Losers Bracket: Regular scoring to 11, no cap, win by 2
Rainout: Game On, Worse Case Scenario Finish Saturday or Sunday, or prizes are awarded based on current bracket, see below

Open/AA Sand Doubles

Format: 2-Day Double Elimination Short Court, Rally Score
Check in: Friday Evening or Saturday Morning, Emails will be sent out Thursday Afternoon or phone call Friday Afternoon
Start Time: Saturday Morning, first ball @ 7:00am sharp Women, around 1pm Start Women, Sunday 7am Start for Men, 10am Start Women.
Warm Up: All you want in the grass, 6 minutes in the sand then point a minute. This will be STRICT!
Winners Bracket: Rally Score, win by two, 21/21/15 best 2 out of 3.
Losers Bracket: Rally Score, win by two, 21/21/15 best 2 out of 3.

Men's/Women's Grass Doubles

Format: 1 Day, Multiple Net Pool Play, then an Elimination Tourney
Scoring: Rally Scoring, Big Court, New Rules
Format/Pool: - 5 team pool, 2 games to 25 (8 total Games), Cap @ 27, top two break
- 6 team pool, 2 games to 21 (10 total Games), Cap @ 23, top two break
Bracket Format: Winners Bracket, one game to 25, no cap, Losers Bracket, 1 game to 21, no cap, Single Elim if short on time.
Check in: Friday Evening 5-7:30pm or Saturday Morning 8:00-8:30am, Howelsen Sand Courts
Start Time: Saturday Morning, first ball @ 8:45 sharp, Sunday if needed per tournament director discretion.
Warm Up: All you before match, 5 minutes once court is available, & then point a minute, don't leave your net if you don't want a forfeit.

COED Grass Doubles

Format: 1 Day, Multiple Net, Pool Play followed by an Elimination Bracket.
Scoring: Rally Scoring, Big Court, New Rules
Format/Pool: - 5 team pool, 2 games to 25 (8 Games), Cap @ 27, top two break
- 6 team pool, 2 games to 21 (10 Games), Cap @ 23, top two break
Format/Elim: Winners Bracket, one game to 25, no cap, Losers Bracket, 1 game to 21, no cap, Single Elim if short on time.
Check in: Saturday Late Afternoon or Sunday Morning, 8:00-8:30am, Howelsen Sand Courts
Start Time: Sunday Morning, first ball @ 8:45 sharp.
Warm Up: All you before match, 5 minutes once court is available, & then point a minute, don't leave your net if you don't want a forfeit.

Forfeits

Players are responsible for being present for all games and matches. Missing teams will use their 1 time out (1 Minute) followed by a point per minute until they arrive.

Rainout Policy

Steamboat Doubles is a three-day weekend tournament. In the event of rain or inclement weather, play will be suspended until the tournament director determines the conditions safe to continue. No refunds are available.

Sand Divisions will be asked to play in most conditions i.e. you can play on wet sand. In the event that finishing the tournament becomes an issue, double elimination formats play may be abbreviated with caps on games, lower points, or single game formats. In the event that the tournament is cancelled, prizes will be distributed based on wins/loses and point differentials based on teams' finish following the last complete round.

Grass Divisions will be asked to postpone play in dangerous conditions. In the event that finishing the tournament becomes an issue, games may be capped, points played reduced, or number of games reduced. In the event that the tournament is cancelled, prizes will be distributed based on wins/losses and point differentials based on teams' finish following the last complete round.

Tournament Format Specifics

- Entries received after 7-6-11 and all walkups will be accepted on a space available basis, late fees apply
- Teams not present at their nets at game time will be forfeited

- Steamboat Doubles uses multiple parks, and the locations are at the sole discretion of organizer
- Players winning their Division must move up a Division the ensuing year, regardless of future partners

30th Annual Steamboat Doubles Volleyball Tournament

**Schedule of Events
July 8 – 10, 2011**

Friday July 8, 2011

8:00 AM	Registration / Check-In for Dinosaur Division (Howelsen)
8:15 AM – 4:00 PM	Dinosaur Tournament Play
5:00 PM – 8:00 PM	Dino Finals, Women & Men
5:00 PM – 8:00 PM	Check-In at Sand Courts (Howelsen) for all other divisions
5:00 PM – 8:00 PM	Ken Lee Acoustic, also “Beverages” during check-in.

Saturday July 9, 2011

7:00 AM	Check-In for Open Divisions (Howelsen)
7:00AM SHARP	Begin Women’s Open Division Tournament Play
7:45 AM – 8:30 AM	Check-In for Men’s/Women’s Grass (Howelsen), OR Friday Evening
8:45 AM – 3:00 PM	Men’s / Women’s A, BB, & B Divisions Pool Play
Afternoon	Begin Men’s Open Division Tournament Play
3:00 PM to 7:30PM	Men’s & Women’s Grass Division Elimination Bracket
9:00 PM –???	Steamboat Player Party at Slopeside Bar & Grill

Sunday July 10, 2011

7:00AM SHARP	Resume Men’s/Women’s Open Play
7:45AM – 8:30AM	Check-In for Coed Divisions (Howelsen) or Saturday Late Afternoon
8:45AM	Begin Coed Division Pool Play
3:00PM to 6:30PM	Men’s & Women’s Grass Division Elimination Bracket
4:00PM-6:00PM	Sand Open Finals

NOTE: Schedule of Events is tentative and is subject to change at the discretion of the Tournament Directors.

2011 STEAMBOAT DOUBLES TOURNAMENT FORMAT

Division	# Teams in Pool	Pool Play Points Format	CAP	# Teams From Each Pool That Break To Tourney
Men's Open	24+ teams	Double Elim (Match Play, 21,21, 15)	None	Double Elim
Women's Open	24+ teams	Double Elim (Match Play, 21,21, 15)	None	Double Elim
Men's AA/A/BB/B	5 or 6	2 games to 21 or 25	Cap at 2 Over	Top 2 Break
Women's AA/A/BB/B	5 or 6	2 games to 21 or 25	Cap at 2 Over	Top 2 Break
Coed A/BB/B	5 or 6	2 games to 21 or 25	Cap at 2 Over	Top 2 Break

Dinosaur Doubles (sand)

- Sand, Double Elimination, Old School Rules, Big Court, 1 Game to 15 Winner's Bracket, 1 Game to 11 Loser's Bracket
- Team age must combine to be at least 80
- Bonus Points: 1pt for 80-83yrs old, 2pts for 84-87yrs, 3pts for 88-92yrs, 4pts for 93-97yrs, 5pts for 98-103yrs, 6pts for 104-110yrs, and 7pts for 111+ yrs old.

MEN'S and WOMEN'S OPEN (sand)

- Sand, Double Elimination
- Match Play Rally Score 21/21/15 in Winners and Losers Bracket Weather and Time Permitting

GRASS TOURNAMENT FORMAT SPECIFICS

- Top 2 Teams Advance From Each Pool To an Elimination Tournament on Saturday (Sunday if short on time)
- Men's/Women's Grass, Pool Play 8:45am start on Saturday, teams breaking will be same day or Sunday morning at 8am sharp
- Coed, All Teams must check-in/register Sat or Sunday before 8:30am, Play at 8:45AM Sharp
- Teams not present at their nets at 8:45AM will be forfeited
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The 11th Annual Player Party

Saturday July 9th, 2011

The Players Party will be Saturday Night up in Ski Times Square at Slopeside Bar & Grill. Get up there early for dinner and stay for the fun!

SEE YOU AT THE PARTY!!!

2011 STEAMBOAT DOUBLES PLAYER CONDUCT CODE

Players are expected to act in a professional and adult manner on and off the court. Steamboat has been gracious enough to not only invite us to use their parks for the weekend, but the local businesses have also supported the tournament over the years. All we ask is that the players respect the town and its residents and businesses. If we receive complaints about a player or a group of players from a local business, condominium complex, hotel, the police etc. or if we witness inappropriate actions by participants, on or off the courts, the player in question, and his or her partner, condo mates, etc will be removed from this and future Steamboat and Island/VOTR productions. In other words, drink all you want, party all you want, but keep it in check and respect the City of Steamboat Springs!!!!