

WELCOME TO ROCKETS BLAST!

15 Gold Division

Sunday February 4th, 2018

Mercer Aquatic Center, Scanlon Gymnasium, 2701 Bradford Dr. Iowa City

Warm – Ups: Coaches START warm-ups IMMEDIATELY after previous match finishes. We must be done ON TIME. Each team's first match will be 10 min (2 mins ball handling, 4 mins whole court for serving team, 4 mins whole court for receiving team). Subsequent matches will be 6 minute warm-ups (3 mins serving team, 3 mins receiving team). We will play ahead of schedule. Building will open at 7:45am.

Pool play will be 2 sets to 25 starting at 4-4. During pool play, players are allowed to ref if an adult referee with a whistle oversees the game. Finish placement will be determined by winning set percentage. Tie breaking criteria for 2 teams will be: Head to head, then Point Differential. Tie breaking criteria for 3 or more teams will be: Point Differential. Due to time constraints we cannot play off a tie after point differential.

Bracket Play will be full matches, best 2 out of 3 sets (25/25/15). Quarter and Semi-finals start at 4-4. Finals start at 0-0. An adult must be the first referee during Bracket play and losing teams ref the next match. Top 2 teams in each pool go to the Championship Bracket, while 3rd and 4th place teams go to Consolation.

Be ready to play or ref right after your pool is finished. Since there will be 2 brackets, 6 teams in Gold and 6 teams in Consolation, there are no pre-assigned courts for Bracket play. We'll assign quarter, semi, and final matches on a "next available court" basis. So please be ready!

There is NO Concession stand. You may bring in food, but please clean up your team camp area. Space is limited so **keep your team camps compact.** Sorry, no plug-in appliances or tables and no food or drink except water allowed in the gym.

Bleachers are provided, but you may bring in a few soft-tipped chairs. Be prepared to share your chair when your team is not playing, or take your chair with you.

Admission: We will be charging a spectator fee for those not listed on the roster. Adults and seniors are \$3. Children 12 and under are \$1.

There will NOT be a coaches meeting. Tournament rules will be reviewed at check-in. Please remember to bring an up to date roster. For Questions, please contact Kyla Rodgers at [\(319\) 337-3613](tel:3193373613) or 330-9499. Have Fun!

Schedules and information will be posted on our website at www.IowaRockets.com.
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