General Intramurals Info:

What are Intramurals?
The intramural-recreational sports program enriches student life by offering a broad range of activities designed to meet the varied needs of the campus community. The wholesome competition provided by intramurals allows students to develop sport skills and improve physical fitness.

Who can participate?
Any full or part time student, faculty, or staff members or anyone previously approved by the IM director (before the league begins regular season play). Sioux Falls Seminary faculty/staff and students are also allowed to participate. Students who participate on an intercollegiate team may not compete in that same intramural sport during the same year in which they played on that team. (Example: Volleyball players cannot play intramural volleyball until their Volleyball liability is used up. They could then play after that until they graduate).

How do I know what intramurals are going on and when sign ups are?
- They can be found on IM Leagues (on the website or on the app).
- The list of intramurals is listed on the Augustana web page (augie.edu).
- Captain's meetings.
- Elmen Installments and other Rec Services posters around campus.
- Sign Up Sheets at the Elmen Center front desk.
- Ask a Rec Services student staff member!
- See updates on our social media accounts (Instagram, Snapchat, Facebook, Twitter, and Tik Tok).
- Email the IM Director, or contact Logan Haak.

Registering for Intramurals
- Registration is requested to be done through the IM Leagues portal (online at IMleagues.com or on the IM Leagues app). Click on the "school" tab for Augustana to find open sign ups. The Elmen front desk staff can assist if needed.
- Participants can also find the sign-ups also at the Elmen front desk.

Free Agency:
Individuals not on an intramural team who are interested in playing in an intramural sport can register online as a free agent at IMleagues.com. The Intramural Director will then attempt to place the individual on a team.

Postponing Games
Postponements due to field and/or weather conditions will be made by the Director of Rec Services or the IM Director/Coordinator. Teams scheduled to play that day should call the Elmen Center front desk (274-4637) to find out if scheduled games are being played. We usually wait until 2 or 3 o'clock to postpone games on a given day. All team captains are contacted via text and email if games are postponed. An email will also be sent to all participants if games are canceled or postponed.

Rescheduling Games

- If a team cannot play on a given day and wants to reschedule a game, they are able to go through the following process:
    - A team must request that a game be rescheduled at least two days before the game that is desired to be rescheduled.
    - The Intramural Director will respond to your submitted Google Form with potential times for a game to be rescheduled to. A new date and time must be mutually agreed upon by both teams involved in the rescheduling. Then the agreed upon time must be approved by the Intramural Director.
- If a team is not represented at the sport's captains meeting, they will not be allowed to reschedule any games during that sport.
- If a team forfeits two games in the same league, they are not allowed to submit a rescheduling request.

Forfeits:

A forfeit will be declared if a team does not have the required number of players present at the playing site at the scheduled game time. In order to claim that forfeit, the opposing team must have the required number of players to start a game present and ready to play.
When a team captain calls the Elmen Center front desk less than 2 hours in advance, their game is considered to be a forfeit.

Defaults:

When a team knows ahead of time that they will not have enough players to play in a contest they should contact the Rec. Services front desk at least two hours in advance to be credited with a default. A loss will be assessed for a default, but it will not count as a forfeit.
A default allows us enough time to call our officials and the opposing team captain to tell them the contest will not be happening. It is a nice courtesy and a better route to go than forfeiting.
The team that needs to default will not be charged for a forfeit fee.
However, if a team defaults two times within the same season for a sport, it will count as one forfeit and the team captain will be charged.

Forfeit and Missed Captains Meeting Fees:

- A $10 forfeit fee will be charged for all team/individual league play if a game is forfeited.
- A $5 forfeit fee will be charged for all team/individual tournament play if a game is forfeited.
- A $5 fee will be charged for all missed captain's meetings.
- If a team/individual does not forfeit a game they will not be charged any fees.
- If a team/individual forfeits for a second time, they may be dropped from further play in that
- sport. Ultimately the decision will be made by the Intramural Director.

Roster Additions:

Team captains can add people to their teams during a league or a tournament by going to their team page in IMLeagues (on the website or on the app). Players can also add themselves to a team through IMLeagues. A player can only be on one team per league. Players cannot be added

to a roster during bracket play following a league. Players must be tournament eligible in order to participate in a post-league bracket play by playing ⅓ of the scheduled league games. Players may also be added to teams at game time on the scoresheet. They will need to be added to IMLeagues later though.

Dog Eat Dog (DED) Events:
The Dog Eat Dog floor competition is open to all residence hall floors. Team members must all be residents of the same hall and the same floor.
Four male and four female events make up the year long competition for men and women. They are:

- Men's Events: Dodgeball, Pickleball, Volleyball, Bean Bags, Triathlon
- Women's Events: Dodgeball, Volleyball, Pickleball, Bean Bags, Softball, Triathlon

Bonus points are accrued for teams through late night attendance.
Points are awarded for each event. The winning floor will have acquired the most points by the end of the academic year and will be crowned as the DED Champions. The winners for each of the men and women's divisions will receive a DED Champion T-Shirt.

Liability Statement:
The liability statement protects Augustana University and the Recreational Services Department when students get hurt participating in our activities; therefore, it is your responsibility to:

- ✔ Make sure all players read the statement on IM leagues or the sign in sheet before they play.
- ✔ Make sure all players sign their name electronically on IM leagues or on the sign in sheet.
- ✔ Make sure all players record their ID number.
- ✔ If someone's name has a line through it on the scoresheet of a game, they must verify that they have read the liability statement either on IMLeagues.com or the sign in sheet.

Photo Policy:
Rec Services General Policy: Any photos taken of myself during programs, events, trips, etc. may be used by Augustana Recreational Services in its publications and communications without further permission.
If a participant approaches you as an official or another staff member and expresses that he or she does not wish to be in photos, videos, etc. please notify the supervisor of the event and all pertinent professional staff members.
Intramural Supervisors:
IM Supervisors are student leaders who are responsible for the ongoing supervising and training of officials, oversight of IM events, and getting feedback from participants.

Intramural Questions:
If you have any questions regarding all things intramurals please email us at recserve@ole.augie.edu

Intramural Rescheduling Form

SPORT: _____

LEAGUE: _____

TEAM NAME: _____

CAPTAIN'S NAME: _____ PHONE #: _____

OPPONENT'S TEAM NAME: _____

OPPONENT'S CAPTAIN'S NAME: _____ PHONE #: _____

ORIGINAL SCHEDULED GAME:

DATE:

TIME:

DESIRED RESCHEDULED GAME (FIRST CHOICE):

DATE:

TIME:

_____ _____

CAPTAIN'S SIGNATURE AND DATE

OPPONENT'S CAPTAIN'S SIGNATURE AND DATE

To reschedule games you must:

1. Talk to the IM Director to find out what days and times are available for rescheduling.
2. Visit with the opponent's captain to see which of these dates and times work for them.
3. Fill out this form. Both captains must sign it.
4. Turn in this form to the IM Director *at least two days prior* to your regularly scheduled event.

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