

April 11th, 2011

Dear Team Captain,

Thank you for entering a team into the **23rd ANNUAL Derby Festival Volleyball Classic**. Please check the enclosed DRAW SHEET for the Date, Time, Court Number and LOCATION of your game. The grass divisions will be held at WATERFRONT PARK and **PARKING on SATURDAY, APRIL 30TH AT WATERFRONT PARK AND BAXTER JACKS WILL BE VERY LIMITED due to the marathon!** PLEASE **ARRIVE 1 HOUR BEFORE YOUR SCHEDULED MATCH!** **DIRECTIONS ARE ON OUR WEBSITE at www.baxterjacks.com. MANY STREETS WILL BE CLOSED.** You can view the street closings at www.kdf.org. IN ADDITION PLEASE READ THE RULES on the website CAREFULLY for any changes!

The team roster and injury waiver forms must be completed before arrival and should be turned in at the registration booth on the day of the tournament. All teams MUST register 30 minutes prior to their first scheduled match. ALL participants must be listed on the injury waiver AND team roster. Any player NOT signing these forms will cause a disqualification of the team on which they are playing. Also remember, NO SANDBAGGING and **NO CLEATS, STUDED OR TURF SHOES OF ANY KIND MAY BE WORN!** This is a WATERFRONT PARK rule and will be enforced. *NOTE: **Tournament officials reserve the right to remove individuals and/or teams from play if playing of said individual/team exceeds the division in which they are playing.***

Also enclosed are the tournament rules and tournament draw sheets. Please read the rules carefully to avoid confusion on tournament day. (NOTE: Please bring your own volleyballs for warm-up.) Also, please note that **winners MUST call lines** for the match that follows until the quarterfinal round, and then losers must call lines. Also, winners **MUST report each win to the designated area** by turning in the match reporting form that will be given to the team by the official.

Please patronize your sponsors for this event! Sponsors include ASICS, WLRS, and MIKASA. Our support of their products will ensure a continued sponsorship effort. You may purchase Asics and Mikasa products at either The Volleyball Connection or at the tournament sites.

We will play the games **rain or shine**. The tournament directors reserve the right to alter the format of the tournament due to time or weather constraints. If you have any questions prior to the tournament, call The Volleyball Connection at 502-582-3530 or 1-800-766-1098. You may also visit our website at www.baxterjacks.com.

Food and drinks will be available at both Baxter Jacks and Waterfront Park. Remember, **NO COOLERS, GLASS CONTAINERS, OR ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES MAY BE BROUGHT IN AT EITHER LOCATION. ANYONE BRINGING IN ALCOHOL WILL FORFEIT AND BE ASKED TO LEAVE.** Plastic jugs for Gatorade or water will be permitted. **All participants will be given an official collector's Derby Festival Pegasus Volleyball Pin. All spectators and participants must have a Pegasus Pin at all times! Regular Pegasus Pins will be available for \$3.00 at the gate.**

All in all, we're looking forward to a great time! WE'VE MADE IT TWENTY TWO YEARS and we are sure that this tournament will once again be a great success. If we can be of any further assistance, feel free to call us. Thanks again and we are looking forward to seeing you soon. VISIT OUR WEBSITE www.baxterjacks.com.

Sincerely,

Anne Axman Brown
Tournament Director