

Basketball

ADULT/HIGH SCHOOL

DATE AND TIME: June 19-20. Games begin at 9:00 a.m. each day.

BRACKET INFORMATION: Tournament brackets will be available ONLY by logging on to CornhuskerStateGames.com approximately 7-10 days before competition. **Teams are responsible for checking web site for game times/locations and game site during the weekend of competition.** A separate sheet will also be provided for site/court locations on-line.

SITES: Various Lincoln Sites. All games will be played in air-conditioned facilities

NOTE: The Sport Directors have the right to combine divisions if they feel it's necessary.

Event Name	Event Code	Event Name	Event Code
<u>Male</u>		<u>Female</u>	
**Exiting 9/10th Grade	10	**Exiting 9/10th Grade	24
**Exiting 11/12th Grade	11	**Exiting 11/12th Grade	25
Men with No College Experience (<i>Recreational</i>)	12	Women's Recreational	26
Men Age 35 & Over	13	Women's Competitive	27
Men's Open/Competitive (<i>Includes college players</i>)	14		

Rosters WILL be checked during tournament, please make sure your roster is current prior to tournament.

****High School Divisions may be combined.****

All Adult/High School teams are guaranteed at least three games.

NOTE: Players may enter on only one team.

EVENT DESCRIPTIONS: All team members must fit the competitive category of the event entered. Any team using a player who is not on the roster, or who is not eligible to play in the division entered (*i.e. college experience playing in no college experience*), is subject to disqualification and possible forfeiture of game(s). Rosters will be checked. 9/10th & 11/12th Divisions will be grade exiting. Divisions will not be classified as recreational or competitive. Rec & Com will be combined into one. Division may be combined into High School division if conditions warrant.

NO COLLEGE EXPERIENCE: This division is designed for Recreational / Intramural type teams. Players with post-high school playing experience may NOT play in the No College Experience division (*players should be 19+*). Players with college experience discovered in the NO COLLEGE EXPERIENCE division during the tournament will be disqualified. ****Protests must be made prior to game completion.**

COMPETITIVE DIVISION: There are no restrictions on age or college experience. However, all players with playing experience at NCAA Division I or II, NAIA institutions must enter this division.

ENTRY FEE: \$34 per person (*maximum of 12 players per team*) if entered by May 31. \$10 late fee per team if received between June 1 and June 7. Entry fee includes athlete T-shirt, passes to SportFest and the Opening Ceremonies and a copy of the Nebraska Sports Council Yearbook.

COMPETITION FORMAT: All teams guaranteed three games. (*Pool play then single elimination tournament*).

RULES:

*All teams are required to supply an adult scorekeeper or timer to work at the scorer's table for all games in which the team participates, failure to do so will result in forfeiture of game.

*NCAA rules will apply in all divisions except High School (Federation rules).

*Special Cornhusker State Games rules will supersede NCAA rules. Rules will be posted with schedule information.

*Matching numbered shirts (front or back) is required. Players must meet the uniform requirement.

*The teams must provide game balls. Officials will decide which to use. Teams are responsible for securing ball after game.

Timing: 20 minute running clock except for last two minutes of each half, (where clock will stop on all whistles) unless one team is ahead by more than 15 points. If lead falls below 15 points, clock will again stop. In addition, clock will stop on all technical fouls, injuries or timeouts. Clock does not restart until it would in a normal dead ball situation.

***Note:**

Overtimes will be three minutes in length with running clock until last 30 seconds.

Five-minute halftime and 5 minute pre-game warm-up.

Game time is forfeit time (no grace period).

3 full time-outs per game, 1 30-second.

OFFICIALS NEEDED: If interested in officiating, please email rrhodes@ymcalincoln.org or call 402-434-9214.

TEAM ROSTERS: The TEAM ROSTER/WAIVER form must be fully completed and signed by each team member, including the team representative.

ROSTER CHANGE: Substitutions and additions (*up to the maximum roster size*) to originally-submitted team rosters will be allowed through June 14 with a \$10 roster-change fee for each player change. For roster additions the \$34 player fee will be added to the roster-change fee. A Roster Change Form, available only at CornhuskerStateGames.com, must be completed by the team representative and submitted to the Games office along with all roster-change fees by 5 p.m. on June 14.

AWARDS: Gold, silver and bronze medals will be awarded to the top three teams in each division of 5 or more teams.

STATE GAMES OF AMERICA: Basketball medal winners will automatically qualify for the 2011 State Games of America in San Diego, CA. For more information about the State Games of America and how to qualify, visit StateGames2011.org.

REGISTER AND WIN BIG! As if the greatest sports participation experience in Nebraska weren't enough, all registered athletes in the Cornhusker State Games will be entered in the CSG Grand Prize Drawing. The top prize is a free one-year lease on a Mazda 5 from Anderson Auto Group! Second prize is free airfare for two to any Midwest Airlines destination. To encourage early entry, Borsheim's has donated a diamond and gold pendant valued at \$1,800, which will be awarded to one of the first 5,000 entrants. Those entering multiple sports receive one chance for each sport entered, so enter early and often!

CHOOSE PACKET SHIPPING: Packet shipping (\$5 Individual, \$10 Team/Doubles) allows you to receive your shirt(s), yearbook(s), event pass(es) and sponsor gifts more than a week before the Opening Ceremonies. Choosing this option means saving time and avoiding hassles like waiting in line or running across town between games. Those not choosing the shipping option may pick up athlete packets at the following locations/times:

Wednesday, June 16, 8 a.m. – 6 p.m. NSC Offices, 4903 N. 57th St.

Thursday, June 17, 8 a.m. – 6 p.m. NSC Offices, 4903 N. 57th St.

Friday, June 18, 8 a.m. – 6 p.m. NSC Offices, 4903 N. 57th St.

Saturday-Sunday, June 19-20, 7 a.m. – 6 p.m. NSC Offices, 4903 N. 57th St.

Wednesday, June 23, 8 a.m. – 6 p.m. NSC Offices, 4903 N. 57th St.

Thursday, June 24, 8 a.m. – 6 p.m. NSC Offices, 4903 N. 57th St.

Friday, June 25, 4 p.m. – 7 p.m. SportFest, 7600 A St.

Saturday-Sunday, June 26-27, 7 a.m. – 6 p.m. NSC Offices, 4903 N. 57th St.

NOTE: Packets will not be available for pick up at the competition site.

OPENING CEREMONIES/SPORTFEST: The always popular Opening Ceremonies on Friday, June 25 will again be preceded by SportFest, a party with all the trimmings including inflatable/carnival games, interactive displays, music and free dinner for registered athletes. Find all the details under the Special Events tab at CornhuskerStateGames.com or call 402-471-2544 for more information.

Further Information: Please contact tournament director Rhonda Rhodes, email rrhodes@ymcalincoln.org or call 402-434-9214 or Todd Johnson tjohnson@ymcalincoln.org or call 402.434.9219.