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Thank you for being a part of the 2024 Beat Breast Cancer Mud Volleyball Tournament! We have 160 teams registered and will again make this a triple-elimination tournament. We are adjusting the scoring which we believe will allow us to finish earlier this year. We will also make sure the lights are working, just in case.

With the triple elimination, brackets and rules are different from past years, so **PLEASE READ ALL RULES AND DETAILS BELOW CAREFULLY**. Any questions you have email us at [mudvb@pinkbandana.org](mailto:mudvb@pinkbandana.org).

### **CHECK-IN**

Check-in will be on **July 13<sup>th</sup>**, starting at 7:00 A.M, located under the big blue tent. Please bring your **FULLY COMPLETED WAIVER** to the check-in table - ALL player's signatures must be included. No waiver, no play. Your team captain must check-in your team, submit your Waiver Form included in this email, and attend the captain's meeting at 8:00 A.M.

Play will start following the captain's meeting, the 2024 Recipient Presentation and Mama Stanislav Award. Help us pack the area to show our volunteers and recipients Holly Hernandez and Brittany Burling some love!

### **Rules to Note**

- **TRIPLE ELIMINATION** – guaranteed 3 games
- **SCORING:** All games will be **RALLY SCORING**, and must win by 2 points.
  - 1<sup>st</sup> Round: 21 points (23-point cap).
  - 1<sup>st</sup> Round Losers Bracket: 15 points (17-point cap).
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> Round Losers Bracket: 15 points (17-point cap).
  - Championship game: 15 points (17-point cap).
- **SUBSTITUTIONS**
  - Substitutions are allowed during regular play and during the loser's brackets.
  - You may only substitute 1 player in at a time (No subbing in multiple players at once). Substitutions must rotate in.
  - **NO SUBSTITUTIONS OUTSIDE OF THE ORIGINAL TEAM ALLOWED DURING THE CHAMPIONSHIP BRACKET.**
- **MULTIPLE TEAMS:** If you register two teams and both teams win their pits, one team will have to forfeit and the runner-up of that pit will play in the championship tournament. Remember this is a fun tournament.
- **MAX 3 GUYS:** You can only have a maximum of 3 males in the pits during play. There is no limit for females.

### **3-MINUTE RULE**

Teams have three minutes to start play after the previous match finishes. We have a lot of games to get through and the area is too big to look for teams. It's the captain's responsibility to make sure your team is ready to play. Each pit will have a Game Number board near the bracket indicating what game is being played in conjunction with the bracket. We recommend having your team close to the pit two games prior to playing in case there is a no-show. If a team is not in the pit within in three minutes it is a forfeit.



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### **NO SMOKING AROUND PITS**

Smoking will not be tolerated around the pits in the sand areas. If you must smoke, please do so at your camp areas and properly dispose of your cigarette butts. Do not throw them on the ground.

### **PARKING**

With the number of teams and people, we ask that participants carpool to the event. Parking for the event will be similar to last year. There will be no vehicle parking in the immediate pit area, which will be reserved for campers, tents, and canopies. Plan for a small walk to the pits. We highly recommend bringing a wagon for your supplies. BE AWARE OF STOPPING VEHICLES AND BE PATIENT. PAY ATTENTION TO SECURITY WORKERS.

### **CANOPY & TENTS**

Set-up for canopies and tents will open Thursday, July 11<sup>th</sup> from 6:00 P.M. to 9:00 P.M. and continue Friday, July 12<sup>th</sup> from 7:00 A.M. to 9:00 P.M. and open again Saturday, July 13<sup>th</sup> starting at 6:00 A.M. Thursday and Friday you will be allowed to temporarily park your vehicle near the front gate to drop off your canopies and/or tents the designated setup hours. No vehicles will be allowed to enter the grounds on Saturday, July 13<sup>th</sup>. Pink Bandana is not responsible for any lost, stolen, or damaged items. We will tow vehicles left inside the pit area.

### **OVERNIGHT CAMPING**

Overnight camping (tents, campers, and RV's) is allowed on July 12<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup>. If you plan to camp, there are no hook-ups. If you need electricity, you will need a generator. Czechland Lake is two miles to the North of the pits and does have hook-ups if you choose to stay there. Tent camping is allowed, but not in our designated canopy area (find an organizer for help locating tent areas). We will have overnight security patrolling the grounds on-site starting Friday evening. Pink Bandana is not responsible for any lost, stolen, or damaged items.

### **CAMPERS/RV's**

All campers and RVs need to RSVP and pay the fee prior to parking your rig. For larger campers or those who have been instructed, parking will begin on Thursday, July 11<sup>th</sup> from 6:00 P.M. to 9:00 P.M. All other campers will be open to park Friday, July 12<sup>th</sup> from 7:00 A.M. to 9:00 P.M. Campers/RVs 36' and over may be asked to arrive on-site as early as Thursday, July 11<sup>th</sup>. **No campers will be allowed to enter the grounds on Saturday, July 13<sup>th</sup>. Gates will open Sunday morning for RV/Camper departure – NO EXCEPTIONS.** Once campers/RV's are parked, they are not allowed to leave the site until gates open Sunday morning. All campers/RVs must depart by Monday, July 8<sup>th</sup>. Please be courteous. Security is in charge of the camping areas.

### **MINORS**

Minors drinking will not be tolerated. Everyone will be carded at the entrance by security. Those over 21 will be banded and all minors will be marked. If a minor is caught drinking, they will be escorted off the grounds. We have uniformed police officers as security. There is a "**zero tolerance**" to this rule.

### **NO FIGHTING ALLOWED**

It's our goal to raise money for our recipients but also to have a great time. Please understand why you registered and have a good time but be responsible. **Fighting is not allowed and you will be arrested if any fighting takes place and your entire team will be asked to leave.** Be respectful to those working the event. They are all on a volunteer basis and we do the best we can to make it a great tournament.



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### **THIS IS NOT A CHILD-FRIENDLY EVENT**

This is an adult event and we'd prefer you to leave children at home. **If you do bring a child, kids are NOT allowed near/in the Pit/water area.** The parent of kids who jump in the pits between or during play will be asked to leave the grounds.

### **NO PETS ALLOWED**

Pets are not allowed. We are not set up to accommodate them and our insurance will not allow pets. You will be asked to leave if you bring your pets.

### **STORM POLICY**

In the case of severe weather, we will shut down the tournament until it is safe again. All captains must supply a mobile number in order to be notified of details. In the case of a tornado, all participants will move to the downtown area to take cover. Organizers will give instructions.

### **GRILLING**

Small gas grills are allowed, but no open flames. We cannot allow charcoal grills. Fire pits are not allowed.

### **COOLERS**

We are cooler-friendly. We will not be serving any alcoholic beverages on-site. Alcoholic beverages are allowed, but not sold. **NO GLASS ALLOWED!** Coolers will be checked by security and any glass will be confiscated. Please be a responsible drinker. It's a long day and we don't want to see anyone get hurt. Security and Police will be in patrolling on and off-site due to this size of event. Please provide a sober driver or plan to camp. Pink Bandana will have free water at the nurse station at the top of the hill by the pits and handed out through the grounds, but please plan to bring your own as well. Security will be on the lookout for overly intoxicated individuals and minors. We reserve the right to call aid for overly intoxicated persons by our onsite first aid nurses or EMS.

### **BRING CASH**

Depending on service, we can't guarantee credit card usage and the Wild Ride Bar does not take credit cards, so bring cash. There are two ATMs located in the Prague Quick Shop or at the Wild Ride Bar.

### **CLEAN UP**

Please clean up your trash during your stay and prior to departure. We will have trash cans placed throughout the grounds and we will provide you with trash bags.

### **BREAKFAST/CONCESSIONS**

The parents of the local boy scouts will be serving breakfast on Saturday morning. They will serve breakfast burritos. There will be a concession stand selling food and drinks on Saturday, July 13<sup>th</sup>. The Wild Ride Bar and Prague Quick Shop will also be available to fill your food, drink, and supply needs. All are located near the tournament grounds. If you get a chance please visit the local businesses who support our tournament. Please bring cash.

### **STREET DANCE**

The Prague Improvement & Maintenance Project and Flagmen Car Club are once again hosting a pre-Beat Breast Cancer Mud Volleyball Street Dance on Friday, July 12<sup>th</sup>. Borderline will be playing tunes for you. They will be serving



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beer and other drinks. Perfect for those camping at the pits Friday night to walk over and enjoy some great music and drinks!

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### **WEEKEND SCHEDULE**

#### Thursday, July 11th

6:00 – 9:00 pm: Canopy Set-Up

6:00 – 9:00 pm: Large Camper Set Up (Only if contacted by Pink Bandana organizers)

9:00 pm: Pit Area Gates Closed

No Overnight camping

#### Friday, July 12th

7:00 am: Canopy/Tent Set-Up Opens

7:00 am: Camper Parking Opens

7:00 pm: Hot Summer Night Street Dance – Center Ave, Prague NE

9:00 pm: Pit Area Gates Closed to Vehicles

#### Saturday, July 13th

7:00 am: Team Registration Opens

7:00 am: Breakfast served by Boy Scouts

8:00 am: Captain's Meeting/Check Presentation/Momma Stanislav Award

9:00 am: Play Starts

### **Contacts**

Random Questions: Jeremy 402-560-1578 (Text or Call)

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