"Jerry Smith" Alaska Hardbat Championships



All proceeds above expenses will be donated to the American Diabetes Association In Memory of Jerry Smith. Friday-March 30th 2012 from 5:15 pm to 8:45 pm & Saturday – March 31st 2012 from 12:15pm to 9:00 pm

University of Alaska Fairbanks Patty Gym Sponsored by: Fairbanks Interior Table Tennis

Tournament Directors: Rick Robertson & Diann Darnall Referee: Diann Darnall, Club

Read and save this Information Sheet!

This Table Tennis tournament is open to players of all skill and age levels. Awards for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Places in Open "A"& "B" Singles Divisions, Recreational Singles, Limited Doubles, & Open Doubles. *Fairbanks Interior Table Tennis reserves the right to refuse entry to anyone for any reason*.

Event Equipment: Butterfly & Stiga Tables and white three-star 40 mm balls will be used.

Hardbat Event Equipment: http://www.hardbat.com/ lists the requirement for paddles which include: No sponge, no sandpaper, no long-pips, and all paddles must have the same type of rubber on both sides of the paddle. Sport Craft hardbat style paddles will be acceptable and some will be available to borrow.

Entry Fees: \$15 per person Tournament Fee. \$10 per person per event.

Hardbat Rules: http://www.hardbat.com/ games will be played to 21 pts win by 2 pts. Each server will serve 5 points each before switching. Matches will be best 2 of 3 games. Finals of the Open Singles and Open Doubles will be best 3 of 5 games, if time permits.

Open Singles: Open Singles is for intermediate and advanced players. The top 2 finishers in each 4 person Round Robin will move on to the Single Elimination Playoffs for the Open Championships. The bottom 2 finishers move to Division "B" Single Elimination Playoffs. In RR of 3 players the top player will move on to the Open Championships and the bottom 2 will move to Division "B" Playoffs. This allows everyone to move on to a Playoff Round.

Recreational Singles: This Division is for occasional basement/garage players, beginning players, or players with a regular rating under 900. A Round Robin format will be used with the type of playoff to be determined based on the number of entries.

Open Doubles: Players of any skill level can partner together.

Limited Double: Players can pick their partner. The combined partners' regular rating total must be below 2600. If you need a partner or a rating, contact the Tournament Director. A Round Robin format will be used.

TIPS: Good Sportsmanship is expected. Bring a sports bag, towel, athletic clothes (No White or Off White Shirts), non-marking clean gym shoes, water bottle & energy food. Only water is allowed in the gym.

CANCEL: All divisions must have 2 participants in singles and 4 for doubles or will be cancelled. Event refunds are only available for canceled events.

DEADLINE: FEES & COMPLETED FORM MUST BE RECEIVED BY March 27th by 8 PM to avoid late fee. ALL Minors under 18 yrs MUST have parent/legal guardian signed release form. Late entries ADD \$25. Late entries accepted only **by approval of the Directors**.

Participant check in: 15 minutes prior to the start of your event. Event time is forfeit time. All participants must have clean non-marking gym shoes!!!

Event Start Times (subject to change, check in at control desk)

Friday March 30th 5:15 pm Check-in Warm-ups

5:30 pm Recreation Singles 1st Round

5:45 pm Open Doubles

Saturday March 31st 12:15 pm Check-in Warm-ups

12:30 pm Open Singles

3:00 pm Recreational Singles Playoffs

5:30 pm Limited Doubles

Mail Entry to: FITT, PO Box 81189, Fairbanks, Alaska, 99708. Make checks to: FITT Ouestions? Call Rick Robertson 322-1672

Find out more about "Jerry Smith" at www.fitt-club.net/

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Entry Form (Please Print Clearly)

Last Name:	First:	Date of Birth:		
Mailing Address:		Phone:		
City:	State:	Zip:		
Email: A rating is not necessary to participate. How Hardbat Rating or USATT F	wever, please list an	y table tennis rating you	have.	
Entry Form must be received by Tuesday deadline, if space available and approved by	_		\$25 after	
Event Entry (Maximum: Select one Single Select with an "X" below Open Doubles (Friday) Partner:		Per Player	Fee Amount	
Limited Doubles (Saturday) Partner if kno	wn:	\$10		
Open Singles (Saturday)(For Advanced a Information Sheet for playoffs.)Recreational Hardbat Singles (Fridated USATT Rating < 900 or beginners)X Tournament Fee: All ParticipantsDonation (optional)\$25 Late Fee after 3/27/12		\$10	<u>\$15</u>	
	TOTAL A	Amount \$	S	
LIABILITY WAIVER: I (print full name) agree to participate in the FITT Hardbat Table Tennis Tournament at the above location and time. I fully understand that I am fully responsible for any injury, damage, death or dismemberment while attending this event. I also release Fairbanks Interior Table Tennis, University of Alaska and all family members of above group, staff and volunteers from any liability while attending, participating or preparing for this athletic event. I will abide by all USATT and Hardbat regulations and the special rules for this tournament.				
Participant signature		date _		
If under 18 yrs, Parent or Legal Guardian Signature			date	

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