

YMCA 2010 Corporate Games Frequently Asked Questions

Below are some frequently asked question

1. *What is Corporate Games?*

The YMCA's Corporate Games is a week of fun, healthy competition among companies in the Memphis area. Participation is for all levels of fitness and athleticism. The games will culminate with a family fun day featuring a picnic, field day events, games and awards presentation on Sunday afternoon, September 26, 2010.

2. *How do I register a team?*

To register your team complete the team registration, participant roster and company declaration forms and send the forms along with your \$400 team entry fee to the YMCA. A team may include up to 40 team members who will compete.

3. *What is the cutoff date for registration?*

Registrations must be received by August 23, 2010. *Registrations received between August 24 and September 1, 2010 will be assessed a \$50 late fee and will only be accepted if space is available.*

4. *Will the Y provide me with posters/handouts to promote the event at my company?*

The Y will be happy to provide you with information to distribute to employees. Please contact Shauna Bateman at 901.458.9622 or corpgames@ymcamemphis.org for more information.

5. *My company has more than 40 employees that want to participate. Can we have more than one team?*

Yes, a company may have more than one team.

6. *Is the entry fee the same for a second team from my company?*

Yes, the entry fee for each team is \$400.

7. *Can we enter more than one team in the same event?*

Multiple teams are only allowed in certain events which include 3-on-3 Basketball, Tug-of-War, Mini-Triathlon, Horseshoes and Punt, Pass and Kick.

8. *If a team member doesn't show up for their event can another employee take their place?*

There will be no limit to the number of persons on each event roster for substitutions. However, no person may participate in 2 different teams in any event. However, no one can substitute unless they are listed as a company participant on the overall participant roster.

9. *In basketball and volleyball are substitutes allowed to rotate in?*

In basketball a substitution may be made after a basket, a foul shot or any stoppage of play. In volleyball, teams may sub in players as they rotate into the serve position.

10. *Can my spouse or child participate?*

Spouses of current and retired employees may participate. However, children of employees will not be able to participate. In addition, retirees of each company may register to participate.

- 11. *Can the same employee participate in multiple events?***
Yes, an employee can participate in as many events as they'd like; however, no person may participate for 2 different teams in any event. Also, some events may be played at the same time. Please check the handbook and website for expected event times.
- 12. *I'm not a member of the YMCA; can I train for corporate games there?***
Each team member will receive a card that entitles them and their immediate family to be our special guest from September 11-September 26, 2010 at any of our local facilities.
- 13. *Do we have to enter a team in all events?***
You can enter a team in one event or in all events. Keep in mind that the more events you enter the more points you will accrue towards the overall trophies awarded.
- 14. *How do we get the goodie bags and t-shirts?***
T-shirts and goodie bags will be distributed to the company team captains on Wednesday, September 8, 2010. Teams that register late will receive their t-shirts between September 8, 2010 and September 24, 2010.