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9TH ANNUAL YMCA CORPORATE GAMES

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

1. First, what is Corporate Games?

The YMCA Corporate Games is a week of fun, healthy competition among companies and non-profits in the Mid-South. Over the course of a week (**Sept. 25—Oct. 1**) teams can compete in events including kickball, cornhole, indoor mini-triathlon, competitive basketball, recreational basketball, bowling, dodgeball, volleyball, and Field Day Games: three-legged race, hopper ball race, sack race, tug-of-war, water balloon toss, and horseshoes. Participation is for all levels of fitness and athleticism, and by participating in Corporate Games, you're helping the YMCA of Memphis & the Mid-South fulfill our mission of providing programs that encourage a healthy mind, body, and spirit for all.

2. Fun! How do I form a team?

Teams consist of up to 45 employees, spouses, or company retirees. We have two divisions: Division A (500 or more local employees) and Division B (less than 500 local employees). Your company team can choose to play in one or all events, and the registration price is \$700. Of course, sponsorship opportunities are available as well. Registration will be open soon at www.ycorporategames.org

3. Where do we play?

Events occur in various locations around Memphis. See official handbook and final brackets for event locations and assignments.

4. Do we have to enter a team in all events?

No, your team can play in one or all of the events. 10 bonus points will be awarded to teams that participate in every event.

5. What is the cutoff date for registration?

Registrations must be received by Friday, Aug. 18. Registrations received after Aug. 18 and before Aug. 28 will be assessed a \$75 late fee and will only be accepted if space is available. Team rosters are due electronically to jessie.wiley@ymcamemphis.org by Friday, Sept. 22 at 5:00 p.m.

6. How does my team earn points?

Points are awarded for each event for 1st—9th place. Spirit points are awarded after the event week to the teams who demonstrated enthusiasm and positivity. Additionally, teams can earn points for volunteering at the YMCA and during event week. We will host an Awards Reception the week of Oct. 1. See Corporate Games handbook for more information: www.ycorporategames.org

7. Can the YMCA help me promote the event at my company?

Absolutely! The Y will be happy to provide you with information to distribute to employees. We'd also love to visit your company and speak with your team about this great event. Contact jessie.wiley@ymcamemphis.org to schedule a presentation.

8. My company has more than 45 employees who want to participate. Can we have more than one team?

Yes, a company can have more than one team. The entry fee for each team is \$700. Note: employees can only represent one team.

9. Can one team submit more than one entry in the same event?

No, each registered team receives one entry into each event.



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10. May my spouse or child participate?

Spouses of current and retired employees may participate. This is left up to the discretion of your team captain. However, children of employees will not be able to participate.

11. Can the same employee participate in multiple events?

Yes, an employee can participate in as many events as he or she would like. However, no person may participate for two 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 the Corporate Games there?

Each team member will receive a guest pass valid from Sept. 1—Oct. 1 at any of our local YMCA facilities. Organized team practice times will not be available. Guest passes may only be used by the Corporate Games participant. Corporate Games event sponsors may schedule an organized practice based on availability by contacting jessie.wiley@ymcamemphis.org.

13. How do we get our team T-shirts?

T-shirts will be distributed to the company team captains during the Captain's Luncheon in September. Teams that register late may receive t-shirts after this date.

14. I have more questions! Who should I contact?

Don't hesitate to reach out to Jessie Wiley with additional questions:
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