



2011 BEAN BAG TOURNAMENT

Saturday, October 1, 2011
Depot Park
Highway 20 & Park Ave.
Galena, IL 61036

- Entry Fee: \$10 per Team (must be 16 or older to participate)
- Tournament is a Single Elimination Format
- Prizes: First Place - \$100; Second Place - \$50
- Pre-registration is requested and preferred
- Tournament to start at 5 p.m.

Rules

1. The boards are placed 27 feet apart from one another.
2. There are eight (8) bags, four (4) bags of each color.
The bags to be used are provided by the tournament.
3. In this tournament we are playing doubles. Partners play from opposing boards.
Each team has four (4) bags, all the same color.
4. The team who has honors begins by throwing the bag at the opposite board. They continue to alternate until all eight (8) bags are thrown. A coin flip takes place to determine who has honors to start the game. The winning team has honors from that point on. If no one wins a round, it defaults back to the previous round's winner, or the person who won the coin flip, if a round hasn't been won yet.
5. Points - 3 points for a cornhole bag that goes through the hole, 1 point for a bag that is on the board – No points are awarded for bags that are touching the ground. Bags that bounce up onto the board are removed and do not count. At the end of the round, you add up the total points for each team and the winning team adds the difference to their total score. The game ends when the first team reaches a total score of 21.
6. Time Limit - Each game has a time limit of 25 minutes. The round starts at the scheduled starting time. When the time limit is up, the current round taking place is finished and the team with the highest total score wins the game. If tied, another round is played and the winner of the round is declared the winner. If still tied, we continue to use this method until a winner is declared.



2011 BEAN BAG TOURNAMENT APPLICATION

To register for the tournament, please send the following information along with payment:

Team Information:

Contact/Player 1 _____

Contact/Player 2 _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____

Cell Number Phone_ _____

E-mail/Player 1 _____

E-mail/Player 2 _____

Payment Information: The tournament entry fee is \$10 per team and payment must accompany this registration form.

Cash Check No. _____ Amount: \$ _____

Make Check Payable to: *Galena Lions Club*

Signature:

Return this form, payment and signed waiver (next page) to: Galena Lions Club, P.O. Box 56, Galena IL, 61036. If you have any questions regarding the tournament, please call 815-331-0180 and leave a message.



GALENA OKTOBERFEST BEAN BAG TOURNAMENT

WAIVER & RELEASE IMPORTANT INFORMATION

The Galena Lions Club is committed to conducting its recreation programs and activities in a safe manner and holds the safety of participants in high regard. The Galena Lions Club continually strives to reduce such risks and insists that all participants follow safety rules and instructions that are designed to protect the participants' safety. However, participants and parents/guardians of minors registering for this program must recognize that there is an inherent risk of injury when choosing to participate in recreational activities. You are solely responsible for determining if you or your minor child/ward are physically fit and/or adequately skilled for the activities contemplated by this agreement. It is always advisable, especially if the participant is pregnant, disabled in any way or recently suffered an illness, injury or impairment, to consult a physician before undertaking any physical activity.

WARNING OF RISK

The Galena Oktoberfest Bean Bag Tournament is intended to challenge and engage the physical, mental and emotional resources of each participant. However, despite careful and proper preparation, instruction, medical advice, conditioning and equipment, there is still a risk of serious injury, including but not limited to head/brain injury, back/neck injury, and bone and joint injury. Understandably, not all hazards and dangers can be foreseen. Certain risks include, but are not limited to, being struck by the bean bag, slip and falls, running into stationary objects and tank fixtures, poor technique, collisions, fatigue, moisture from water and sweat, surface defects and irregularities, carelessness, poor conditioning, overexertion, poor sportsmanship, horseplay and all other risks inherent to the Galena Oktoberfest Bags Tournament. In this regard, it must be recognized that it is impossible for the Galena Lions Club to guarantee absolute safety.

WAIVER AND RELEASE OF ALL CLAIMS AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK

Please read this form carefully and be aware that in signing up and participating in this program/activity, you will be expressly assuming the risk and legal liability and waiving and releasing all claims for injuries, damages or loss which you or your minor child/ward might sustain as a result of participating in any and all activities connected with and associated with this program/activity (including transportation services and vehicle operations, when provided). I recognize and acknowledge that there are certain risks of physical injury to participants in this program/activity, and I voluntarily agree to assume the full risk of any and all injuries, damages or loss, regardless of severity, that my minor child/ward or I may sustain as a result of said participation. I further agree to waive and relinquish all claims my minor child/ward or I may have (or accrue to me or my child/ward) as a result of participating in this program/activity against the Galena Lions Club, including its officials, agents, volunteers and employees.

Player 1 Signature _____ Date: _____
(18 years or older or Parent / Guardian)

Player 2 Signature _____ Date: _____
(18 years or older or Parent / Guardian)