



# 2016 Hastings Spring Spike

## 4/10/16



1. Tournament Director: Ryan Martin (402) 831-0211, Site Supervisor Nikki Sherrill
2. Locations: **12U & 14U - Hastings High School, 16<sup>th</sup> & Burlington**
3. **SIGN-INS** - Coaches or team reps **MUST** correct and verify their teams' rosters before their first game. Team rosters should include uniform numbers for all players, the date of the tournament, and coach's signature. All teams, coaches, and players must be registered. A signed team roster must be given to the gym supervisor before the team's first game.
4. Game ball or warm-up balls will not be provided.
5. **OFFICIATING:** The team in parenthesis next to each game is required to officiate. The team coach is required to be present for all officiating assignments and is required to be courtside at every match to instruct and assist their players with the officiating duties. Teams must provide their own whistles. Please leave score sheets in the folder provided.
6. **SCORING:** Pool Play - (2) sets to 25 beginning at 7-7. Rally Scoring, win by 2, No Cap.  
Tournament Play (if applicable) - Best 2 of 3 sets to 25 beginning at 7-7.  
Third set 0-15. Rally Scoring, win by 2 No Cap.
7. **SEEDING:** The top teams during pool play will compete in the gold bracket of the Tournament. See schedule.  
  
Tie-breakers for determining level of finish will be:
  - 1) Best Set(games) Record
  - 2) Head to Head Record (to include point differential)
  - 3) Total Point Differential
  - 4) Coin Toss
8. **WARM UPS:** All warm ups will be 2-4-4 for the first game in pool play and 1-3-3 for all subsequent games. The serving team will have the court first followed by the receiving team. Coaches should be prepared to take care of this promptly either after the previous game or during the previous game at both coach's discretions. Shared court time is never allowed.
9. **FIRST SERVE** - The lower seeded team will serve first. A coin flip will be used during bracket play. Coaches should be prepared to take care of this promptly either after the previous game or during the previous game at both coach's discretions.  
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10. **AWARDS:** 8 teams or more in division: 1<sup>st</sup> place in Gold bracket, 1<sup>st</sup> place in Silver bracket  
7 teams or less in division: 1<sup>st</sup> place in Gold bracket or pool
11. **CONCESSIONS: ABSOLUTLEY NO FOOD/DRINK AND CHAIRS ALLOWED IN GYMNASIUM!**  
Concessions will be available. Tournament wearing apparel will be available for sale.

## GENERAL PLAYING RULES

- Teams are allowed two (only) 30 second time-outs in each game.
- The ball may be played with any part of the body, including feet.
- The first ball over the net, whether served, spiked, tipped, or passed across the net, may be received with multiple contacts using any parts of the body, including fingers, but may not be held.
- If two players play a ball simultaneously, it counts as one team contact and either player may make the next contact.
- Insignificant contact of the net by a player not playing the ball (passing, setting, attacking, blocking, or faking) is ignored.
- Contacting the opponent's court with the hand is called the same way as contact by a foot.
- 10-12's division:
  - Can use a "light" ball.
  - Use a step in line 6'6" into the court.
  - 7' net height.
  - 10's-14's are allowed 2<sup>nd</sup> service toss, if first toss is allowed to drop untouched.