

# **RACQUETBALL**

**Saturday, September 19, 2020**

**Entry Deadline, September 5, 2020**

Northside YMCA  
10000 North Pennsylvania Avenue  
Oklahoma City, OK 73107

## **EVENTS**

Singles, Men's and Women's Doubles, Mixed Doubles

Check in: 7:30 am

Singles begin: 8:00 am

Doubles and Mixed Doubles to follow

## **ENTRY REGULATIONS**

1. Athletes may compete with only one partner per event. An event is considered Singles, Doubles and Mixed Doubles.
2. Athletes must provide their own racquets. Balls will be provided
3. Doubles partners must be of the same gender. Mixed doubles will be one male and one female player.
4. The age division of competition for Doubles and Mixed Doubles will be determined by the younger age of the two partners.

## **FORMAT**

2 – 5 players/teams per age group will have round robin play leading into a single elimination tournament. For all matches the following scoring system will be used.

Play best 2 out of 3 games to 11 points

Bonus points will be awarded if a player wins game = (3 points)

Bonus points will be awarded if player wins match = (7 points)

Most point per match = 35 points (Highest Average Wins)

Please check-in 30 minutes prior to every match.

3. Tournament format will be round robin, with as many players as possible advancing to a single elimination tournament.
4. Awards will be presented for 1st through 3rd for each event within each age division.
5. Tournament Director reserves the right to change the format based on entry numbers, space restriction or other circumstances.

## **SPORT RULES**

1. This tournament will be conducted in accordance with the United States Racquetball Association rules, except as modified herein. For a copy of these rules, please visit or contact:

**United States Racquetball Association**

**1685 West Uintah Street**

**Colorado Springs, CO 80904**

**(719)635-5396**

[www.usra.org](http://www.usra.org)

2. Lensed eye-wear designated for racquet sports is mandatory.
3. If available, utilize the USA Racquetball rankings to assist in the pool seeding.
4. Follow USA Racquetball standard format of play

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**2020 is a year in which to qualify for NSGA competition in  
Fort Lauderdale, Florida November 5 – 18, 2021.**

**For more information about national competition go to: [NSGA.com](http://NSGA.com)**

1. All first, second, third and fourth place winners qualify to compete in the 2021 National Senior Games.
2. Athletes must qualify in each event (singles, double, mixed doubles) in which they wish to compete in the 2021 National Senior Games.
3. Doubles partners who qualify together are not required to play together at the 2021 National Senior Games.
4. **All participants must have qualified in the SPORT in which they intend to participate with one partner having qualified in the EVENT in which they intend to participate.** This rule allows players to pick up partners who qualified in singles or another doubles event to compete in the 2021 National Senior Games.
5. The age division for competition for doubles and mixed doubles teams will be determined by the younger age of the two partners on December 31, 2021.
6. All doubles teams made up of one in-state and one out-of-state athlete will be designated as an out-of-state team. The NSGA definition of an athlete's state of residence is that state in which the athlete resides at least six months of the year.
7. Oklahoma is an "Open" state. This means Oklahoma Senior Games allows participation by out-of-state athletes.
8. Racquetball allows for four resident qualifiers in each event, gender and age division. Oklahoma qualifies four Oklahoma residents or resident teams in addition to any top four finishing out-of-state athletes or athlete teams. This means that if the top four places are all filled with out-of-state athletes, Oklahoma residents who place in the next four positions qualify for the 2021 National Senior Games. Oklahoma would then qualify eight athletes or athlete teams for the national senior games in that event, gender and age division.