

2017 Klein Ultimate Frisbee Tournament

This packet outlines the guidelines, and regulations for the 2017 Klein Ultimate Frisbee Tournament. If there are any questions please see the Klein Swimming website, www.kleinswimming.org or direct questions to the email of Coach Svoboda, jsvoboda1@kleinisd.net.

Date: April 8th, 2017

When: The first games will begin at 8:00 am.

Where: Klein High School Football Practice Fields.

Entry Fee: \$15 for each player. Each team must consist of a Maximum of 10 members. There must be a minimum of two girls on a team and there must be a minimum of two boys on a team. **MONEY IS DUE by April 6th. Make checks payable to Klein swimming and diving. Tournament participation is open to anyone.**

Team Attire: Team must have a uniform jersey to participate in the tournament. Team names and attire must be appropriate in accordance with the Klein ISD Student handbook.

Playoff Bracket and Official Schedule: Official seeding and scheduling will be available by April 7th. Depending on the number of teams, which decide the tournament bracket choice.

Rules: All games will follow the standard USA Ultimate Frisbee rules with some exceptions. For a complete list of rules please see the USA Ultimate website, <http://www.usultimate.org>. However, please adhere to the changes below for this tournament.

Introduction

1. Description: **Ultimate is a non-contact disc sport played by two teams of seven players. At least two of the seven players on a team must be girls and at least two of the seven players must be boys. The object of the game is to score goals. A goal is scored when a player catches any legal pass in the end zone that player is attacking. A player may not run while holding the disc. The disc is advanced by passing it to other players. The disc may be passed in any direction. Any time a pass is incomplete, a turnover occurs, resulting in an immediate change of the team in possession of the disc.**
2. Spirit of the Game: Ultimate relies upon a spirit of sportsmanship that places the responsibility for fair play on the players. Highly competitive play is encouraged, but never at the expense of mutual respect among competitors, adherence to the agreed upon rules, or the basic joy of play. Protection of these vital elements serves to eliminate unsportsmanlike conduct from the Ultimate field. Such actions as taunting opposing players, dangerous aggression, belligerent intimidation, intentional infractions, or other win-at-all-costs behavior are contrary to the spirit of the game and must be avoided by all players.

Equipment

1. Players may wear any soft clothing that does not endanger the safety of other players or provide unfair advantage.
2. Cleats with dangerous parts, such as metallic baseball cleats, track spikes, or worn or broken studs with sharp edges, are not allowed.
3. Each player must wear uniforms or other clothing distinguishing that player from players on the other team. In tournament play, matching uniforms and numbered jerseys are recommended.

Length of a Game

1. The length of the game is 30 minutes. At the end of the allotted time, the team with the most goals wins the match.
2. Each game will be followed by a 15 minute warm-up period for the next games' teams.
3. The official start and end of every game will be whistled by one of the tournament organizers.

Time-Outs

1. A team time-out lasts 2 minutes.
2. Any player may call a time-out after a goal is scored and before both teams have signaled readiness to start play.
3. Each team has a total of 2 timeouts for the length of the game.

Substitutions

1. After a goal and before the substituting team has signaled readiness; or
2. To replace injured players, or players with illegal equipment. In this case, the opposing team may substitute a like number of, or fewer, players.

Ultimate in 9 Simple Guidelines

1. **The Field:** A rectangular shape with end zones at each end. A regulation field is 70 yards by 40 yards, with end zones 25 yards deep.
2. **Initiate Play:** Each point begins with both teams lining up on the front of their respective end zone line. The defense throws ("pulls") the disc to the offense. A regulation game has seven players per team.
3. **Scoring:** Each time the offense completes a pass in the defense's end zone, the offense scores a point. Play is initiated after each score.
4. **Movement of the Disc:** The disc may be advanced in any direction by completing a pass to a teammate. Players may not run with the disc. The person with the disc ("thrower") has ten seconds to throw the disc. The defender guarding the thrower ("marker") counts out the stall count.
5. **Change of Possession:** When a pass is not completed (e.g. out of bounds, drop, block, interception), the defense immediately takes possession of the disc and becomes the offense.
6. **Substitutions:** Players not in the game may replace players in the game after a score and during an injury timeout.
7. **Non-contact:** No physical contact is allowed between players. Picks and screens are also prohibited. A foul occurs when contact is made.
8. **Fouls:** When a player initiates contact on another player a foul occurs. When a foul disrupts possession, the play resumes as if the possession was retained. If the player committing the foul disagrees with the foul call, the play is redone.
9. **Spirit of the Game:** Ultimate stresses sportsmanship and fair play. Competitive play is encouraged, but never at the expense of respect between players, adherence to the rules, and the basic joy of play.

WAIVER OF LIABILITY

In consideration of being permitted to participate in the **Klein Swim & Dive Ultimate Frisbee Tournament** , which I acknowledge is unsupervised, I further acknowledge and agree to, on my own behalf, and on behalf of my personal representatives, heirs, assigns, executors, administrators, and next of kin, as follows:

1. I am aware and acknowledge that injury or death may result from the **Klein Swim & Dive Ultimate Frisbee Tournament** and from the use of the premises and facilities or any equipment therein or thereon.

2. Upon entering the premises and facilities of the **Klein Swim & Dive Ultimate Frisbee Tournament**, I will inspect same and my observation and use of said premises and facilities shall constitute an acknowledgement that I find and accept such premises to be safe and reasonably suited for their intended purpose(s).

3. I hereby release **Klein ISD, Klein High School, and Klein Swim & Dive Team**, and its respective directors, officers, shareholders, employees, agents, contractors and their successors and assigns (collectively the Releasees) from and against any and all liability for any loss, damage, injury, expense, demand, or cause of action that I may suffer whether with respect to personal injury, death, damage to or destruction of property, theft, or otherwise that may arise as a result of my presence in, upon, or about the premises as a consequence of my use of the facilities and equipment.

4. I will indemnify and hold harmless the Releasees, collectively and individually, from any and all losses, liabilities, damages, demands, costs, and expenses that they may incur, for any reason whatsoever that may arise as a result of my participation in the contemplated activity, and my presence in, upon or about the premises.

I acknowledge that I have read this Waiver of Liability, and have received the opportunity to discuss this with my legal counsel. Further, I acknowledge that I fully understand the terms of this Waiver of Liability and acknowledge that I have signed it freely and voluntarily without any inducement, assurance, guarantee, or oral representation being made.

Dated this ____ day of _____, 20____.

Signature

Date

Print Name:

Address:

Parent/Guardian Signature
(If under 18 years old, Parent or Guardian must also sign.)

Date

Parent/Guardian Print Name

Klein Swimming & Diving Ultimate Frisbee Tournament

TEAM ROSTER

Team Captains:

Team Name: _____

1. _____
2. _____

Phone # _____
Phone # _____

BOYS

Players' Names	Phone #	Signed Waiver Received	\$15 Entry Fee Paid
1. _____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. _____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Girls:

Players' Names	Phone #	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
1. _____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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(Tournament Official Use Only) Received by: _____

Date Received: _____ Waivers Received: _____ Total \$ _____

Return to Coach Svoboda @ Klein by Thursday April 6th.