



HOSPITALITY OLYMPICS

February 28, 2010
Blockade Runner
Wrightsville Beach
11:30am—Registration
12:00-3:30pm—Games
4:00pm—Medal Ceremony

Attention all WAHA Members! **“Let the Games Begin”**

It’s time to start gathering your teams for WAHA’s Inaugural “Hospitality Olympics.” With this event, we hope to unite the hospitality industry and raise money for the WAHA Scholarship Program.

- This year’s competitions are:
- Mine Field Challenge
 - Server/Bartender Obstacle Course
 - Hospitality Hockey
 - Dizzy Bat Race
 - Fish Toss
 - Blind Taste Test
 - Battleball
 - Build a Boat that Floats
 - Hospitality Mind Games
 - Spirit of Pride Award

*Now is the time to register your team for this year’s exciting event at the Blockade Runner on Sunday, February 28th!
All registrations must be received by January 29th!*



Event Descriptions

Mine Field Challenge

One team member will be blindfolded while another team member talks him/her through the mine field. Pretty simple game—if you step on a mine, you start over. This event is timed and the best time WINS!

Server/ Bartender Obstacle Course

The first person to run the course grabs a waiter tray at the start line and places 3 plastic cups on the tray. The player then proceeds through the obstacle course, winding in and out of the cones. The player then must hold the tray while filling the cups with water using the pitcher provided. The player runs back, in and out of the cones, to the starting line to pour the water into an awaiting pitcher. The tray and 3 cups are then handed off to the next teammate. All teammates must run the course at least once. If all players run the course and the pitcher is not filled with water, the race continues until the first team makes their water quota. Also, if you drop a cup you must pick it up, but you cannot refill it.

Players may not hold the cups on the tray with their free hand.

Hospitality Hockey

It's more than a game; it's a relay! Each team will receive a hockey stick and pineapples. Beginning at the start line, each player must run the obstacle course using the pineapple as their puck...to the net. At no time may any other object other than the hockey stick touch the pineapple during play. The player must then return with the hockey stick to the starting line and hand off the stick to the next team member. This repeats until time is up or until all pineapples have been played.

The team with the most pineapples in their net wins!

Dizzy Bat Race

Each team elects 1 player to compete in this race. (If the team has several players that wish to take part, only 1 member that competes can win.) The team member will put their forehead on a bat and spin around 6 times. At this point, the player will run to a designated spot where he/she will have to kick a soccer ball into a net. The player continues to try until the ball goes in & they get a goal! Then the player picks up the ball, takes it back to the spot they kicked from and runs to the finish line.

Fish Toss

Each team will have 2 players that partner for this “fishy” game! Be prepared—you might not smell too good after this game concludes. One team member will toss a fish to their partner. If the partner catches it, you both step back 3 feet and toss again. This continues until the fish is dropped. The team that tosses the farthest wins.

**No gloves allowed, but you may use your body to help catch the fish!

Blind Taste Test

One team member will be blindfolded while their partner feeds them a variety of different foods. The team member only gets 1 spoonful of each food. Pretty simple—the blindfolded team member must guess the food item. The first team to guess all the foods (or the most) correct WINS!

Battleball

This game is very similar to dodge ball! Each team receives several 2-liter bottles filled with sand. The object of the game is to have the most team members or 2-liter bottles standing at the end of the game. Each team member tries to knock down the other team's bottles OR hit the opposite team members with NERF balls.

Build a Boat That Floats

This event will be held in Bank's Channel, across from the Blockade Runner. Each team will have the same materials to build a boat. The first team to build their boat, put a team member in the boat in the water and stays afloat wins.

**A wet suit is highly recommended as the weather is unpredictable and the water will be cold.

Mind Games

A variety of mind games will be played, including Jeopardy and an attraction puzzle. Refresh yourself with local facts as the mind games will be based on Wilmington information.

Spirit of Pride Award

Rally your troops! There will be an award given to the team that best exhibits the most hospitality spirit. This can be accomplished in many ways and by many means. Use your imagination! Create a team look that will stand out among other teams & be full of team spirit during the day. This is a coveted award that comes with no real value other than respect, admiration and bragging rights for the next 365 days. It's PRICELESS!



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Wilmington Area Hospitality
Association Olympics
Registration Form
Due by 1/29/10

Sunday, February 28, 2010 @ the Blockade Runner
Registration: 11:30am Games: 12:00-3:30pm
4:00pm Medal Ceremony

Company Name: _____

Team Captain: _____

Team Name: _____

Name of Team Members: _____

Event Information:

In addition to the games being played, there will be a Chinese Raffle to raise funds for the WAHA Scholarship Program. Please help support our scholarship fund! Raffle tickets will be sold in the following amounts: \$2 for 1 ticket—\$5 for 3 tickets. **CASH ONLY.**

The Blockade Runner will have food and beverages for sale during the event.

Team Rules:

Please note that each team that participates in the WAHA Olympics must compete in all events. If your team chooses not to compete in a specific game, you will receive 0 points for that game.

There is a maximum of 6 participants per team, however if your company has more employees interested in participating, you can submit 2 or more separate teams. For example—Team Blockade A and Team Blockade B. Bring people to support and cheer your team on, as well!

Each person wishing to compete **MUST** complete an **Event Waiver & Release Form**. **NO EXCEPTIONS!**

****Your company must be a member of WAHA to participate in the Hospitality Olympics. If you are not currently a member, please contact Katie Hart at khart@alliancehospitality.com and a membership application can be sent to you. Introductory membership dues are \$25, pro-rated half-year (January 1– June 30).**

Send your completed Registration Form and Event Waiver & Release to:
Hilton Garden Inn at Mayfaire Town Center
c/o Katie Hart—WAHA
6745 Rock Spring Road Wilmington, NC 28405
khart@alliancehospitality.com



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Association Olympics
February 28, 2010



Event Waiver & Release

Team Name: _____

Name of Registrant: _____

Home Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Please check all the events you (not the team) will participate in:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Mine Field Challenge | <input type="checkbox"/> Dizzy Bat Race | <input type="checkbox"/> Battleball |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Server/Bartender Obstacle Course | <input type="checkbox"/> Fish Toss | <input type="checkbox"/> Build a Boat that Floats |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Pineapple Hockey | <input type="checkbox"/> Blind Taste Test | <input type="checkbox"/> Mind Games |

In signing this waiver and release, I understand the intent thereof, and I hereby agree to release from responsibility and waive all claims against the Wilmington Area Hospitality Association, the Blockade Runner, Civic Center Commission, Global Spectrum or the City of Wilmington and other parties connected with the WAHA Hospitality Olympics in any way, or person, singly or collectively, for any blame or liability, demand, injury, harm, loss of property, or damage I might sustain as a result of participation in the WAHA Olympics and activities associated therewith. I fully accept and assume all risks and responsibility for losses, costs and damages I incur as a result of my participation in this event. I certify that I have read this waiver, fully understood that I have given up substantial rights by signing this waiver and have signed this waiver freely of my own will and accord. I confirm the information provided to be correct.

I give full permission for the use of my name and photograph in connection with this event.

Signature of Registrant

Date