

# Westgate Bean Bag League 2018

## League Details

- Club membership is NOT required for this league
- League run Tuesday nights from January 9<sup>th</sup> to February 27<sup>th</sup> with a tournament on Friday, March 2<sup>nd</sup>
- There will be a banquet immediately after the tournament
- Teams consist of two people, any combination of gender (plus one named sub if desired)
- Each team must register all team members, and include phone numbers / emails
- Entry Fee \$40 per team
- Bar opens at 6:00, first league flight at 7:00, second flight at 8:00
- All teams are responsible for helping put away equipment nightly

## League Rules

- Each night teams will throw two games against two different teams within their flight time (4 total games)
- League scores will run on a 4 point scoring system. Each game played is worth a point – winner gets one, loser gets zero
- If a team fails to show up for a night, they forfeit all points to their opponents
- Subs during regular league play may be your registered sub, or anyone, even from another team, but start times must be on different flights. Only your registered sub can score tiebreaker points for your team. If you need a sub for the tournament, it may only be the sub registered with your team
- 2, 3 or 4 bags in the hole in one round will be marked on the scorecard. These are tallied only for tiebreaker purposes at the end of season. *Unlisted subs do not count for this category.* 2 in is worth 2 points, 3 in is worth 4 points, and 4 in is worth 8 points.
  - Example: Team A has a season total of 23 game points. Team A has a season total of ten (2 bag), five (three bag) and one (four bag) for a total of 48 tiebreaker points. If another team also has 23 game points, the tiebreaker points would come into play
- The regular season points are for seeding in the year-end tournament, which is a single elimination bracket style tournament for listed players and subs only.
  - Listed subs must play at least one game in the season to be eligible for the tournament

## Game Play / Scoring

- Before the start of each series, there will be a coin toss to determine which team throws first, and who picks the starting position of the players. After each game players switch ends, but stay on the same side of the boards
- Each round consists of two players throwing a total of 4 bags each, alternating throws between each player
- Each player throws from behind the front of the box, standing on either side. If player steps over the front of the box, the bag is not counted
- The first player of each round to throw must say out loud the current score
- Bags cannot bounce onto the board, they are to be immediately removed
- Points are scored when player has a bag on the box or in the hole. Bags in the hole are worth 3 points, bags on the board are worth 1 point
- Only one team can score per round, points cancel each other out
  - *Example:* Green has two bags on the board for a total of 2 points. Black has one bag in the hole and one bag on the board for a total of 4 points.  $4-2=2$ , so team black gets 2 points for the round
- Games are played to 21 points. Winner is the first team to reach or exceed 21. In the case of a 21-21 tie, play continues until one team reaches a higher score than the other
- You may knock bags off the board or in the hole
- At the end of a round, bags hanging on the edge count as long as when the front of the board is lifted up the bags stay on the board
- The team scoring the most in previous round will start out the next round
- Score sheets will be filled out and turned in to the bartender prior to the end of the night