

WHEN: February 22, 2014 (Games start at 10 am)

WHERE: Justin's Miracle Field (Lions Park, Kingsland, GA)

<u>WHY</u>: The tournament is a fund-raiser for the Miracle League of Camden County for mentally and physically challenged youth and adult baseball players.

<u>WHO PLAYS</u>: Anyone can play! Teams are groups of 2 players. The format will be single elimination or double elimination (depending on number of teams registered). <u>REGISTRATION</u>: Registration deadline and payment due by Wednesday, February 19, 2014.

Please make checks payable to: Justin's Miracle Field

INFORMATION: Please call (912) 322-1970 or email: jeff@camdenmiracleleague.com <u>ENTRY FEE</u>: \$40.00 per team if registered on or before 2/7/14. \$50.00 per team if registered between 2/8/14 and 2/14/14. \$60.00 per team after 2/14/14. All equipment is provided.

Please mail entry forms and entry fee to: Justin's Miracle Field

P. O. Box 37 Kingsland, GA 31548

1st - 3rd PLACE TEAM PRIZES! PLAY FOR A GREAT CAUSE! 1st Place winner will receive a set of Justin's Miracle Field Cornhole Boards!

TEAM NAME:	CONTACT:
CONTACT PHONE:	EMAIL:

TEAM MEMBERS:

1._____

2._____

<u>Rules</u>

Cornhole Court Layout

•Cornhole Boards: Boards are positioned 27' from the front edge to front edge of the board.

•Cornhole Pitchers Boxes: A designated pitchers box is a 4' x 3' area at each end of the court and on both sides of each board; (4) boxes in all.

•Cornhole Foul Lines: The front edge of the cornhole board is the foul line.

Cornhole Scoring

• Traditional 21: The game shall be played to the pre-determined number of twenty one (21) points. The first player/team to reach (or exceed) that amount at the conclusion of a frame is the winner.

• Frame - A frame consists of a player pitching his/her four bags from one board to another. Players must pitch all four bags from the same side of the board in a frame.

•Woody - Refers to any cornhole bag that has been pitched and remains on the cornhole board playing surface at the conclusion of the frame.

•Cornhole - Refers to any cornhole bag that has been pitched and passes through the cornhole board hole at anytime within the frame.

•Foul Bags - Refers to any cornhole bag that has not been determined as a "woody" or "cornhole", or was designated a foul bag as the result of rules violation. Bags contacting the ground before reaching the playing surface and bags pitched when a player has crossed the foul line are Foul Bags. If a foul bag lands on the playing surface or comes to rest touching the ground and the board, it must be removed immediately.

•Cancellation Scoring: The approved method of scoring for the sport of cornhole is "cancellation" scoring. In cancellation scoring, the points of one player cancel out the points of their opponent. Using this method, only one player/team can score in each frame.

•Woody - Each woody is worth one (1) point

•Cornhole - Each cornhole is worth three (3) points

•Example: Red achieves one (1) woody and two (2) cornholes

Blue achieves two (2) woodies and zero (0) cornholes

7 points -2 points = **Red** scores 5 points for that frame

Doubles Play:

• Team A competes against Team B – each team is comprised of two (2) people.

• Each team will stay in their designated lane for the whole game.

• Players at the headboard will alternate pitching bags until each player has pitched all (4) of his/her bags.

• Players at the footboard will take score and resume pitching back to the other cornhole board.

Pitching

• Players alternate pitching bags (one player at a time) until each player has pitched all (4) of his/her bags.

- A player must pitch all (4) cornhole bags from their designated cornhole pitchers box.
- One foot must stay completely in the pitchers box at all times while pitching bags.
- Players must not cross the foul line with their feet before the bag has landed.

Pitching the Next Frame:

• The player/team who scored in the preceding frame shall pitch first in the next frame. If neither player/team scores, the player/team who pitched first in the preceding frame shall retain first pitch in the next frame.

Raking Cornhole Bags:

If bags become piled inside the cornhole board hole and may interfere or obstruct with the next pitch or if there is question whether a cornhole bag would have naturally fallen through the hole, a player may request to "rake" the cornhole bags that have fallen inside the hole.

Important note:

During raking, all efforts should be made to leave bags on the playing surface undisrupted, in their natural state, and to leave bags that may hang on the rim of the hole from falling inside the hole unnaturally. If a bag is resting on a piled bag, and unavoidably falls into the hole as a result of raking, then it shall be counted as a "cornhole."

<u>Remember: This tournament is for a far greater cause than winning or losing. Please</u> <u>keep this in mind when making and discussing close calls.</u>