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Event staff will be wearing yellow “Event Staff” shirts. If they can’t answer your questions, they can point you to one of the following people to help you out.

**LOCAL ORGANIZING COMMITTEE STAFF**
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Volunteer Website Coordinator – Claire Henley

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Manager, Events – David Raflo
Manager, New Media – Matthew Bourland
National Masters Director – Kyle Christoph
Head Observer – Hank Cary
Observers: Brian Bradburn, Hank Cary, Kyle Devries, Dan Hunt, Jesse Kurowia, Joe McVeet, Jon Rothman, Brad Tinney, Ellen Zwicker

**WEEKEND OVERVIEW**

**FOOD CONCESSIONS AVAILABLE**
Concessions will be available for purchase each day at the concession stand near tournament central as well as at the cantina located between gates D and E of the stadium (hours may vary).

**THURSDAY, JULY 25 – DOUBLETREE BY HILTON DENVER-STAPLETON NORTH**
7:00pm – 9:00pm Team Registration

**FRIDAY, JULY 26 – DICK’S SPORTING GOODS PARK**
8:00am Captains Meeting
9:00am – 8:30pm Pool Play

**SATURDAY, JULY 27 – DICK’S SPORTING GOODS PARK**
9:00am – 6:30pm Bracket Play

**SATURDAY EVENING, JULY 27 – DOUBLETREE BY HILTON DENVER**
6:30pm – 11:30pm Tournament Party with music, snacks and beverages

**SUNDAY, JULY 28 – DICK’S SPORTING GOODS PARK**
9:00am – 3:30pm Placement & Championship Games

**POST-FINALS – AWARDS CEREMONY**
Immediately following the conclusion of the last championship games, awards will be presented to first and second place teams, Team Spirit Award winners and Individual Spirit Award winners (one from each team).
Welcome to the 2013 USA Ultimate Masters Championships and Dick’s Sporting Goods Park in beautiful Colorado, site of the first Grand Masters & Masters Women’s Championships in 2009. In 2013, we welcome back the masters women’s division and, for the first time, include the masters men’s division alongside both masters women’s and grand masters. With 16 teams competing in each division, this is the highest number of teams ever at Nationals for both masters men’s and masters women’s, and with over 1000 players in attendance, one of the largest USA Ultimate championship events of the year.

USA Ultimate is proud to partner with Molly Brown, Denver’s women’s Pro Flight team, and the local ultimate communities, especially the high school ultimate community. They are supplying the volunteers for the event; please thank them. Our tournament director, Lauren Boyle, is a captain of Molly Brown, a local high school organizer and a coach of the 2013 USA Ultimate Westerns Girl’s Division Champions, Monarch High School.

Also deserving of thanks are National Masters Director Kyle Christoph and the Masters Regional Coordinators: Alexander Dee from the Central, Brian Gane from the Mid-Atlantic, Tucker Evans from the Northeast, Nathan Semm from the Northwest, Hugh Daschbach from the South and Ben Thielhorn from the Southwest. Their volunteer efforts throughout the year make the masters series possible.

While you are here this weekend, we hope you will enjoy not only competing, but other event activities as well. The game schedule allows time to check out teams and games in other divisions. Official event merchandiser, VC Ultimate, brings with them a wealth of championship event experience. Be sure to check out their official tournament gear, including stuff for the kids. Speaking of kids, we’ll have some activities for them during the day and, of course, some activities for adults in the evenings. AB Pro Sports is diving into the ultimate community with great custom gear, and Ultiphotos will be on hand to capture the action with some of the nation’s top ultimate photographers. USA Ultimate staff will be on site helping manage the event, but we’re also excited to talk with players about all of the great things going on with our sport these days. So come find us.

We look forward to a weekend full of action and great activities and are excited to see you demonstrate the highest levels of character and competition while enjoying the masters ultimate community. Best of luck to all teams!

Will Deaver
Managing Director, Competition & Athlete Programs
MAKING ULTIMATE STRONGER

Our mission is to support ultimate, and good coaches are an integral part of the development of the sport.

So take a moment to appreciate the coaches. Heck, take a plenty of moments! We really can’t thank them enough for the work they do.

Five Ultimate is proud to sponsor the 2013 USA Ultimate Coaching Development Program.
SITE RULES

The following are NOT permitted at Dick’s Sporting Goods Park:
• Pets, with the exception of guide dogs
• Glass containers
• Outside alcohol
• Unauthorized motor vehicles on the fields
• Bikes, inline skates, skateboards, scooters, etc. on the fields
• Fireworks, firearms or open flame
• Smoking of cigarettes, pipes, cigars, etc. on or near playing fields
• Overnight camping – no RVs or trailers parked in the complex after 10pm
• Littering or dumping

Please refrain from chewing gum, sunflower seeds or peanuts on the fields and dispose of trash in designated trash receptacles. Also, when pouring out liquids other than water, please do so away from the playing field.

COMPETITION RULES

• USA Ultimate Official Rules of Ultimate, 11th Edition will be in effect.
• All games to 15, point cap at 17.
• Halftime is 5 minutes.
• Each team has 2 timeouts per half.
• Regardless of how many timeouts a team has used before overtime, during overtime each team has one timeout.
• Overtime: A game is in overtime if tied at one point less than original game total (e.g., in a game to 15 goals, overtime occurs when the score reaches 14-14).
• Hard time cap goes on at the end of round time on the schedule. Game is over at the end of the point in progress, unless tied. If tied, play one more point.
• Soft time cap goes on 20 minutes before the hard cap. Add two points to higher score after first score after soft time cap. Game ends when first team reaches new game total or when first team reaches 15 or more ahead by at least two points, whichever comes first.
• Caps do not affect timeouts.
DIRECTIONS

IMPORTANT ADDRESSES
• FIELD SITE: Dick’s Sporting Goods Park, 6000 Victory Way, Commerce City, CO 80022
• HOSPITAL: University of Colorado Hospital, 12505 East 16th Avenue, Aurora, CO 80045
• TOURNAMENT HOTELS:
  Doubletree by Hilton Denver-Stapleton North (site of Thursday evening registration)
  4040 Quebec Street, Denver, CO 80216

  Doubletree by Hilton Denver (site of Saturday evening tournament party)
  3203 Quebec Street, Denver, CO 80207

FROM TOURNAMENT HOTELS TO FIELDS
Head north on Quebec Street
Turn right onto East 56th Avenue and continue for 0.6 mile
Turn left onto Valentia Street and continue 0.2 mile
At T of Trenton Street, turn left for parking closest to fields 1-6 or right for parking closest to fields 7-12.

FROM FIELDS TO HOSPITAL
Head east on East 59th Place toward Valentia Street
Take the 1st right on to Valentia Street and continue 0.4 mile
Turn left onto East 56th Avenue and continue 1.4 miles
Turn right onto Havana Street and continue for 1.7 miles
Merge onto Interstate 70 East and continue 1.5 miles
Take exit 282 to merge onto Interstate 225 South toward Aurora/Colorado Springs and continue 1.8 miles
Take the exit toward East Colfax Avenue and keep right at the fork toward East Colfax Avenue
Turn right onto East Colfax Avenue and continue 0.6 mile
Turn right onto Aurora Court and take first left onto East 16th Avenue

FROM FIELDS TO DEN AIRPORT
Head east on East 59th Place toward Valentia Street
Take the first right on to Valentia Street and continue 0.4 mile
Turn left onto East 56th Avenue and continue 5.6 miles
Turn left to merge onto Peña Boulevard and follow signs to airport in approximately 8 miles
FIELD MAP
UltiPhotos
USA Ultimate Championships Official Photography

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for the camera

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# Masters Men’s Schedule

## 2013 USA Ultimate Masters Men’s Championships

### Friday, July 26, 2013

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- Game 3: Set 3 10-10-00 Field 1
- Game 4: Set 4 10-10-00 Field 1
- Game 5: Set 5 10-10-00 Field 1

#### Championship Bracket

- Game 1: Set 1 10-10-00 Field 1
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- Game 3: Set 3 10-10-00 Field 1
- Game 4: Set 4 10-10-00 Field 1
- Game 5: Set 5 10-10-00 Field 1

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All games to 15 goals 17.
# Masters Women's Schedule

**2013 USA Ultimate Masters Women's Championships**

**Friday, July 26, 2013**

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### Placement Brackets

**July 27-28, 2013**

### Championship Bracket

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- **Game 3**: Set 1: 9:45 AM Field #13
- **Game 4**: Set 1: 9:45 AM Field #14
- **Game 5**: Set 1: 9:45 AM Field #15
- **Game 6**: Set 1: 9:45 AM Field #16
- **Game 7**: Set 1: 9:45 AM Field #17
- **Game 8**: Set 1: 9:45 AM Field #18

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**USA Ultimate**

**2013 USA Ultimate Masters Championships**

All games to 15 cap 17
2013 USA Ultimate Grand Masters Championships

**All Games to 15 Cap 17**

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Placement Brackets
July 27-28, 2013

Championship Bracket
July 27-28, 2013
**MASTERS MEN’S TEAMS**

**BLACK CANS & HIGHLANDS**

**WASHINGTON, DC**

**CAPTAIN:** Steve Helvin

The passing generation taught them well
To dream of Mr. Bigs and white sand beaches
But as dreams change
And ocean breakers are traded for mountain tops
A new squad arises from The District
No stars and no fame, no matter
They're a faceless army chanting:
Black Cans and Highlands
They want the answer
To the age-old question: “What is a carbomb?”

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**BONEYARD**

**RALEIGH, NC**

**CAPTAINS:** Kris Bass, Robbye Brooks, Kevin Kusy, Brian Lang, Alan Hoyle (GM)

Founded in 2005 by Victor Maneilly and Christian Schwoerke with the innovative idea of “Hey, maybe we’d do better if we actually practiced,” Boneyard makes its seventh trip to the Championships this year. Continuing with our philosophy of hard work, hard running and relentless pressure, we look to improve on our previous results.
Masters Men's Teams

Borderline

Bangor, ME; Fredericton, NB; St John, NB; Halifax, NS; Newfoundland
Captains: Donnie McPhee, Mark TeKamp, Wayne Chamberlain, Anthony Mourino
Coach: Donnie McPhee

Borderline is a men's masters team from the Northeast Region. The team consists of players from Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Maine and Newfoundland. Established in 2011, Borderline was formed from a group of old guys who play mixed ultimate for various teams in the region. Playing with and against each other for years, the on-field cohesion came naturally. Borderline's three-year plan was to develop into a team that could compete annually on a regional basis. Staying true to the strategy, Borderline grew each year as a team and now plans to attend the 2013 Championships after claiming the top seed from the Northeast Region.

http://borderline.brokenultimate.com

Burnside

Portland, OR
Captains: Michael Freels, Jeff Flynn, Pepper Williams

Like the great rain clouds of the Pacific Northwest, Burnside returns once more, fresh for a new campaign. Unleashed upon the national stage in 2012, the mustachioed elder statesmen of Portland, OR can no longer claim relative anonymity. Looking to prove themselves as more than just well-groomed men with great taste in beverages, they are ready to face the best the country has to offer.

While there are rumors that with this season's changes the championship experience will not quite be the same, Burnside remains undeterred and humbly disagrees. No longer distracted by sunny beaches and mild breezes, the team is buoyed by one overarching theme:

We _are_ the magical experience.

www.facebook.com/BurnsideUltimate

2013 USA Ultimate Masters Championships
CRAWL

PHOENIX, AZ

CAPTAINS: Tim Streit, Tom Studer

Over 10 years ago, some Phoenix players started the open team “Sprawl” in order to practice as a team, develop local players and play tournaments together. In 2012, they formed “Crawl” to play with old teammates and old friends from across the southwest desert. Crawl was created with players from Phoenix, Tucson and Santa Fe, representing the strength of Desert Masters Ultimate.

In 2013, we got rid of those guys from Tucson and Santa Fe. Okay, truthfully, they ditched us to play Grand Masters instead.

So we’re back for a second year and a second appearance at Nationals with some new faces, a fully-Phoenix team, and we’re ready to play without a hurricane nearby!

You have to run before you Crawl.

Flashback draws its inspiration from three sources. From the Scarlett Speedster, we channel superhuman reflexes that seemingly violate the laws of physics. From our glory days, we flash back to a time when ultimate was always a carefree game of pure joy. And from Colorado’s own Flashback Ale, we run the field with plenty of hops and strive for a crisp finish.

Flashback proudly calls Portsmouth, NH its home base, but we hail from across New England, NYC and Philly. Although we compete hard, embracing SOTG is more important to us than simply disc skills. Flashback players have competed at Nationals with other teams, but this is our masters team’s first trip to the show. We are looking forward to seeing old friends and making new ones.
JOHNNY ENCORE

DENVER, CO

CAPTAINS: Jason Brask, Wes Williams

The doors of the saloon swung open, a slender silhouette pausing in between them before moving in smoothly to the bar.

“Barkeep, the McCloskey brothers are burning Silver Port over in Delta Sector. I rode all night to find the one man who can stand up to them, Johnny Bravo. He’s the strongest, fastest, bravest fighter the system has ever seen.”

The bartender looked uneasy. “I guess you haven’t heard, ma’am, but Johnny’s retired now, just a legend. You’ll have to take your trouble on down the road.”

Pounding her fist in frustration, she strode out the doors. Suddenly, like a ghost, a man was standing next to her.

Johnny Bravo. He’s the strongest, fastest, bravest fighter the system has ever seen.

Sector. I rode all night to find the one man who can stand up to them, the McCloskey brothers treat decent folk.”


“Not anymore. I go by Johnny Encore now. I may not play the young man’s game still, carousing every night, but I sure as hell ain’t dead. Let’s ride.”


“Not anymore. I go by Johnny Encore now. I may not play the young man’s game still, carousing every night, but I sure as hell ain’t dead. Let’s ride.”

kelt (kelt) n. - a salmon that has spawned.

Behold the once-mighty salmon. Built to thrive in fresh or salt water, able to leap opponents, climb fish ladders and get horizontal for business or pleasure — all in the name of getting back to its bed and spawning another generation just like itself. Comprised of Sockeye players with open championship pedigrees, Troubled Past players returning to the field after their masters’ World Championship and assorted other greats, Kelt is a team that has enjoyed their swim and has the hardware to prove it.

Old fish tales are the worst kind of lies, but that doesn’t stop Kelt players from yelling them at the other hard-of-hearing players that have the misfortune to get trapped in a bar with them. Slowly those lies become truth if told enough times to a listener who wants to believe — and trust me, Kelt will make you a believer. Kelt has another tale to tell this weekend — it starts in a pool in Denver, and it will end with us telling the world that we won — whether we will be liars remains to be seen.
NEW YORK

NEW YORK, NY
CAPTAINS: Drew Jones, Pete Gilchrist

New York first started competing as a team in mid-June 2013 en route to their first ever second-place finish at regionals. Members of the team have played on diverse championship contenders such as Girls Gone Wildwood, Philthy, Los Hipsters, District 5, Rival, Above and Beyond, Mr. Briefcase, Puppet Regime, AMP, Southpaw, 7Express and more. New York expects to finish in the Sweet Sixteen or better.

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OLD STONES

SAN DIEGO, CA
CAPTAIN: Dominic Scarfe

We are a new masters team having only been formed last year. Improving from fourth place at the 2012 Southwest Regionals to third at 2013 Southwest Regionals.

Our team motto is: We may not have the best players, but we have the right ones.

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MASTERS MEN'S TEAMS

ORCA

SOUTHERN OREGON / BAY AREA, CA
CAPTAINS: James Yang, Adam Koren, Samir Gupta

OrCa is stoked to make Nationals in our first year as a team. For most of our players, this is their first masters season and first trip to the show—many after 15+ years of playing disc. Thanks to our Nationals Director, who encouraged more teams from the Northwest, including us to give it a go. A few motivated guys provided early energy to the campaign and made it happen, including a key Bay Area-southern Oregon connection. Half the team is from southern Oregon, and the other half is from the Bay Area of California; OrCa derives from a combination of the two. We met, gelled and rose to the challenge at Northwest Regionals. We were greatly impressed with the competition and sportsmanship of our fellow masters players and are looking forward to representing on the fields in Colorado, battling hard, having fun and continuing to grow together as a team.

RA

TRIANGLE, NC
CAPTAINS: Jacob Bonenberger, Nick Crawford, Courtney Dellinger, Kevin Calcagno

Formed in 2011 by Jake Bonenberger, Nick Crawford and Rocky Payne under the blistering heat of our namesake, Ra was created with the singular goal of competing at Nationals. We recruited the cast-offs, the has-beens, the never-weres and the what-ifs, to form our own Island of Misfit Toys. Together, we have developed a low-drama, high-efficiency team that actually enjoys each other’s company on and off the field. We enjoy winning even more. After two seasons losing in the game to go, Ra earned the new third bid out of the Mid-Atlantic Region. We’ve achieved our goal of reaching Nationals, but now that we’ve come all this way, we might as well prove we belong.
RECKON

ATLANTA, GA
CAPTAINS: Mark Stuewe, Jon Meade, Dan Konisky, Jeremy Goecks

Reckon is a term we use to let you know we understand. A word used so much it has become culture. Reckon, ain’t, y’all, you will hear ‘em all. We hail from the dirty, dirty South: throw it down, A-town, Bama, Knox, Nooga and Nash. We have a combination of bad air, big hair, soul music and whack traffic. A place where neckties, flies, wife beaters and skeeters converge on humid days and sultry nights. We are a proud group of almosts and has-beens, bringing southern hospitality, like grits and chitlins. So, bless your heart, and y’all better stand back and stay clear, for we are ‘bout to bring the gospel, a reckoning...you hear? Y’all Reckon?

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0 Greg Allpow 6’4” 47
2 Otto Depenbrok 6’0” 41
3 Dan Konisky 5’10” 42
4 Jack Blair 5’11” 37
5 Chris Vanags 5’7” 36
9 Mark Stuewe 5’11” 42
11 John Hammond 6’1” 36
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75 John Riddle 6’5” 38
77 Jack Watkinson 6’0” 34
78 Guillermo Iturriza 6’10” 35
82 Hesston Cavin 6’3” 36
99 Jay Hammond 5’11” 34

SLOW COUNTRY BOIL

CHARLESTON, SC
CAPTAINS: Jimmy Brice, Will Bradshaw

Our name and inspiration are adapted from the famous Low Country culinary event where good friends gather to enjoy the bounty of good food and drink and the wonderful outdoors that surrounds them. Like our namesake dish, we are a collection of talent from the mountains of North Carolina down to the marshlands of Charleston and Savannah. Our master’s pot has been simmering together for over five years now, but our history playing together goes back close to 20 years. This year’s dish has been spiced up with an influx of young (in masters lingo), fresh talent, and we are excited about our second Nationals showing in the last four years. Our inaugural appearance was in 2010. You might even say we are BOILing over with anticipation for this second act. We would like to take this opportunity to truly thank our families and loved ones for giving us a precious few weekends away to act like the foolish young men we once were.

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3 Keith Doucette 5’7” 39
7 Jason Chasteen 5’10” 38
8 Peter Giusti 6’0” 48
9 Matt Skinner 6’1” 34
11 Geoff Smith 5’9” 38
12 Don Clark 5’10” 34
13 Kenny Goodenow 6’2” 36
17 Lincoln Wilson 5’11” 48
18 Todd Trevillian 5’10” 44
20 Eric White 6’3” 46
29 Will Bradshaw 6’4” 38
32 Jimmy Brice 5’10” 41
33 Matt Williams 5’11” 33
42 Chris Parrish 5’11” 35
51 Dan Cochran 5’11” 45
88 Michael Cox 6’2” 33
99 Jason Allman 6’3” 38
SURLY

MINNEAPOLIS, MN

CAPTAINS: John Chandler, Andrew Dikeman

Surly was formed in 2005 out of the ashes of Gray Expectations. In 2007, we lost in the championship game to DoG. Since then, we've been lucky to play in the finals each year, winning in 2008, 2010, 2011 and 2012. We are inordinately proud of winning the Spirit Award in 2011 with a perfect score and trust that the beer we hand out in no way influenced our scores. We were honored to compete at the World Championships in Prague in 2010 and Japan in 2012. We dedicate every season to our teammate, Marty F. Bakko, who passed away in 2009 and gives his name and character to the Master’s Division Spirit Award.

TEJAS

AUSTIN, TX

CAPTAINS: Patrick Mackie, Jason Conrad, Dave Street

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Masters Women’s Teams

Atlantiques

Atlanta, GA
Captain: Eileen Murray

Atlantiques are the culmination of almost 30 years of women’s ultimate in Atlanta. This year, we recognize Chris O’Cleary and the other founding members of Atlanta Ozone (founded in 1984) for their leadership, commitment and genuine love of the game. Since 1984, the personnel on this Atlantiques roster has served to promote, grow and elevate the level of women’s ultimate through their elite play, coaching, organizing and spirit — not just in the South, but also in Texas, Utah, Boston and beyond. Even now, almost 30 years later, this group of women is constantly changing the face of the sport and competing at the top levels. 2013 is a special year, for it also marks the 50th birthday of both Chris O’Cleary and Paddi White. From everyone on this team — thank you for everything you have done and continue to do. We love you!

Atlantiques are undefeated in both national and international competition.

Baylands Kite Flying Team

Baylands, CA
Captains: Sam Salvia, Heidi Binder, Bryn Martyna, Erin Percival

This team is composed of mostly former Fury players who spent countless hours practicing on the fields of Baylands, Calif., and battling with the kite flyers who were deeply troubled by the existence of our cones beneath their air space. We are also smuggling in a few non-former Fury players who were lucky enough not to be subjected to questions from the kite flyers regarding their upbringing. We have members of the original Fury team to remind us how it all started a mere 15 years ago. We represent a range of states: Illinois; Washington, D.C.; Wisconsin; Georgia; Oregon; and of course California. We represent a range of ages from never heard of a stack to never heard of a spread (and we have more than a full starting line who would be grand masters eligible, though they don’t look a day over 30). We are united by our love of kites, our shared history and our advanced ages.
BH&G

BOISE, ID
CAPTAINS: Suzie Walter, Sarah Megyesi, Skyla Sisco, Candice Tse

The joy of the disc brought this wily group of Big Sky veterans together from all corners of their spirited section. While these women usually battled against each other in the mixed scene, over many long years of competition, they have forged friendships on and off the field. This year, they have decided to stop chasing each other — opting to run, huck and win together as a team. Off the field, they enjoy the awe and excitement of mountain life. This passion carries over into their play — getting Ds like ripping a powder-laden chute and shredding the zone like summiting a craggy peak. And when they aren’t pursuing the beauty and adrenaline related to disc and mountain sports, they pick up their hoes and head into their backyards to garden!

BROOD SQUAD

BOSTON, MA
CAPTAINS: Kathy Dobson, Chrissy Dobson, Peri Kurshan

We are the Brood Squad. Slightly older, hopefully wiser and definitely more cuddly. We are a team of friends. We dedicate our team this year to the loving memory of our teammate and friend, SJB. You will always be in our hearts.

ROSTER

BH&G

| 1  | Candice Tse     | 5'1"  | 30 |
| 2  | Allison Bender  | 5'3"  | 30 |
| 3  | Skyla Sisco     | 5'7"  | 30 |
| 5  | Lori Eich       | 5'6"  | 32 |
| 9  | Lindsay Chutas  | 5'9"  | 32 |
| 10 | Kate Erikksson  | 5'5"  | 33 |
| 11 | Sarah Harshbarger | 5'7" | 30 |
| 12 | Suzie Walter    | 5'2"  | 30 |
| 15 | Melissa Connolly | 5'3" | 34 |
| 18 | Wynne Scherf    | 5'8"  | 32 |
| 19 | Betsy Basch     | 5'8"  | 34 |
| 20 | Sarah Megyesi   | 5'10" | 34 |
| 24 | Sarah Staller   | 5'4"  | 31 |
| 30 | Rebecca Smith   | 5'5"  | 31 |
| 32 | Emily Smith     | 5'8"  | 31 |
| 33 | Jen Nicholls    | 5'5"  | 30 |
| 37 | Jackie Williams | 5'2"  | 30 |
| 51 | Adrienne Ohler  | 5'9"  | 33 |

ROSTER

BROOD SQUAD

| 2  | Emily Elstad    | 5'8"  | 33 |
| 3  | Nancy Sun       | 5'6"  | 31 |
| 4  | Betsy Calkins   | 5'4"  | 32 |
| 5  | Blake Spitz     | 5'6"  | 31 |
| 6  | Kathy Dobson    | 5'9"  | 32 |
| 9  | Ellie Graeden   | 5'6"  | 33 |
| 11 | Shelly Peyton   | 5'4"  | 32 |
| 13 | Alicia Dantzker | 5'8"  | 31 |
| 14 | Betty Smith     | 5'3"  | 36 |
| 16 | Karen Van Cleef | 5'10" | 33 |
| 19 | Chrissy Dobson  | 5'10" | 32 |
| 22 | Rana Kannan     | 5'3"  | 32 |
| 24 | Peri Kurshan    | 5'5"  | 34 |
| 29 | Lauren Childs   | 5'6"  | 31 |
| 32 | Lisa Kanner     | 5'6"  | 31 |
| 42 | Anne Lightbody  | 5'7"  | 36 |
| 78 | Cat Alfonso     | 5'3"  | 35 |
C.O.U.G.A.R.S

MINNESOTA/IOWA
CAPTAINS: Christie Dosch, Lana Seiler

C.O.U.G.A.R.S is the hot new summer collection, the height of Midwest fashion. We have overcome our limitations of age and weight (the cougar is the second heaviest cat in the Western Hemisphere) to play ultimate in the stalk-and-ambush style. While we may seem like just territorial girls to some, and aging predators to others, we are ridiculously excited to represent our various states and their forests of green, fields of gold, and lakes of underage hotties by playing with an intensity matched only by our crepuscular pursuit of young meat. The cougar has the largest range of any wild land animal in the Americas, and we will be showing that full range. Slowly. Rawr.

ROSTER

1  Christie Dosch  5'4"  30
2  Sarah Dikeman  5'4"  33
4  Katie Richgels  5'2"  30
5  Bridget Norris  5'4"  31
7  Sarah Savage  5'9"  48
8  Erin Mirocha  5'9"  30
9  Rachel Derscheid  5'6"  32
10  Lisa Fenske  5'4"  42
11  Jen Brown  5'6"  30
16  Lana Seiler  5'5"  30
21  Amy Sheldahl  5'3"  33
22  Shelley Su  5'5"  33
24  Trish York  5'8"  43
25  Elizabeth Scheibel  5'8"  30
44  Laura Meyer  5'10"  31
67  Jenny McKenzie  5'4"  30
76  Erin Francis  5'6"  30

DARKHORSE

SAN FRANCISCO, CA
CAPTAIN: Krista McDonald
COACH: Cheryl Prideaux

San Francisco is certainly not a one-horse town. Rather the city proper and the larger Bay Area are places where fields are full of high-spirited competitive ultimate for ponies, mares and stallions alike. In 2011, assorted breeds of players from women’s and mixed teams with some key pickups from across the country united to form Darkhorse. Our main goal is to play with intensity and spirit, generate high-flying action with our 30+ year-old legs and instigate more high fives than any other team (making retired mascot Carl HighFive proud). Boasting players who have retired from ultimate multiple times, who have fought off wild dogs in Morocco, who grew up without electricity, who may have birthed a foal or two and who may or may not have been seen wearing nothing but a banner at Nationals, Darkhorse is ready to get it on, on and off the field.

ROSTER

00  Kelly Mack  5'4"  37
1  Anne-Franziska Sinner  5'8"  34
3  Carol Chen  5'2"  34
6  Melanie Berlin  5'2"  30
7  Rachel Holz  5'1"  39
8  June Srisethnil  5'6"  35
9  Ashley Simons  5'9"  38
13  Dulcy Docken  5'7"  30
19  Christy Remucal  5'7"  32
21  Krista McDonald  5'6"  35
22  Ashley Black  5'4"  32
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25  Gretchen Safdie  5'4"  40
27  Kelly Baptiste  5'4"  32
28  Monica Heger  5'7"  33
64  Laura Cincotta  5'3"  33
84  Jessica Wilson  5'4"  38
88  Valentina Ngai  5'5"  38
DIRTYXXX

BOULDER, CO
CAPTAINS: Jen Shannon, Nadine Bluett, Alexia McCaskill

We are a group of women who are committed to supporting the growth of women’s masters ultimate. Our goal is to play fun, spirited and competitive ultimate. The mission of our team is to provide a chance for as many women as possible to play in the Masters Women’s Championships. We are a pickup team that enables women from all over Colorado as well as women from other regions to participate when they could not get enough players together in their local areas. As a result, we have players this year from Colorado, California and Michigan.

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FIRST LADIES

WASHINGTON, DC
CAPTAINS: Karin Rafaels, Katie Shepley

The primary roles of a First Lady are to play hostess to the White House’s many important guests and to further organize the social events of the President. In keeping with this tradition, the First Ladies come to Denver ready to party on behalf of the country; however, that does not mean we don’t take our other work and efforts seriously. The First Ladies support the cause of increasing the health, fitness and competitiveness of women of a certain age. In so doing, we have come to the Mile High City to play elite ultimate and represent the nation’s capital, past and present, with members hailing from New York, Philly and Washington, D.C.

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Godiva Masters 2013 reunites Lady Godiva teammates from 1998 through 2009 and mixes in a number of friends and opponents from the northeast region and beyond from over the years, most notably our neighbors to the north. We are happy to revive our tradition of aggressive yet disciplined play AND milling. We are also particularly proud to be representing the unity and determination that make Boston Strong.

Jezebel was a Phoenician princess and a queen of Israel during the ninth century BCE. Her identity is associated with being the real power behind the throne and a beautiful, strong and controlling woman. Of course, she was feared. As a team of bold, amazing ladies, we can relate. Coming together as old friends and former competitors from Mesteno, Box, Bad Larry, Molly Brown and Rare Air, we wear our name proudly. Jezebel!
LADY O

NEW YORK, NY
CAPTAINS: Kim Tischler, Julie Sussman

What does the “O” of Lady O stand for? That depends on the moment. Two years ago, Lady O came together to compete at the women’s Masters Championship held in Ohio. That year, our team name evolved over the course of a merry weekend of ultimate: Lady Offense, Lady Organization, Lady Obsessive, Lady Overrated, Lady Old. We had quite a hoot coming up with new “O” explanations both on field and off. This year, we are bringing our collective Lady Optimism to Denver. Our team hails from the New York region, and we are mostly former Ambush players (with a few additions) who spent years perfecting the “Cherry Bomb” play on the fields of the east coast. Thanks to everyone at USA Ultimate for bringing back our division to the Masters Championship this year. We destroyed the dance floor in 2011, and we are hankering for a rematch!

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RETRO

RALEIGH, NC
CAPTAINS: Mel Proctor, Thuy Brooks

The Wikipedia definition aptly describes the team. Or does it? Retro is a culturally outdated or aged style, trend, mode or fashion, from the overall postmodern past, that has since become functionally or superficially the norm once again. The use of “retro” style iconography and imagery interjected into post-modern art, advertising, mass media, etc. It generally implies a vintage of at least 15 or 20 years. Retrooooooooooooooo!
SAFARI-TARIANS

SAN DIEGO, CA
CAPTAIN: Shar Stuht

Out of the jungle a team did rise
Like a strong heart beat, sends out a warning signal
The competition is restless; they know that danger is near
Fears fill every bone in their bodies from the drums
Every eye watches, if they should appear
Slowly and quietly, the Safari-Tarians take the field
With animal strength they hunt and prey
With discs in hand, the Safari-Tarians are intense
Sometimes that is their best defense
Their hungry lion eyes look everywhere
For the teams they will slay
The Sun is like a furnace, the wind is on their side
Monkeys swing from vine to vine, the birds sing
Jungle animals play in the river water
Slowly and determined the Safari-Tarians move in on their prey
With lighting speed and hucks and hammers they have the win
Another chapter has been written in the jungle book, life goes on
The Safari-Tarians are victorious and return to the ocean of tall grass

STICKDOG

VANCOUVER, BC
CAPTAIN: Jennifer Kwok

Defending Champion Stickdog returns to the 2013 USA Ultimate Masters Championships hungry for sticks...wait, wait. Frisbees. Hungry for FRISBEEs. This (mostly) Vancouver squad boasts some ex-Traffic players and a lone French Canadian Riot player too. Stickdog will bring their defensive prowess and speedy receivers into the Mile High City (oxygen packs anyone?) with the goal of creating the most perfect stickdog figure ever. No, that's not right either. Gold. Ravenous for gold. Follow the Dogs as they go on their epic quest to play the perfect Frisbee game.

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10. Eileen Wang 5'3" 33
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26. Alexa Dix 5'5" 30
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STICKDOG

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Stormborn originated from the mud and drizzle of Portland in January. We intrepid souls -- some of us looking to capitalize on the fact that we could play two seasons, some of us looking for ultimate without XY chromosomes mucking things up -- thought, “Hey, we could make a team.” Led by the reluctant though conscientious, we gained momentum little by little until suddenly we had a roster, a schedule and the sweetest jerseys you’ve ever laid eyes on. We’re excited to bring our A game to Denver, with the secondary goal of taking over the bouncy castle.

As permanent as the Rocky Mountains, Well Done players have a lasting love for ultimate. Each of our players holds special things dear, but we are consistent in our commitment to holding athleticism, competition, laughter and friendship close to our hearts. We have deep Colorado roots or connections and have all played on many teams throughout our ultimate careers. Most of us have dedicated many years to women’s club ultimate and are excited for an abbreviated, competitive women’s masters series where we can connect and re-connect with our old friends.
AFTERBURN

PORTLAND, OR
CAPTAIN: Geoff Wittreich, Alain Kagi, Erik Rudin

Afterburn is a grand masters team based in Portland, Ore. While a handful of our players have competed in previous grand masters tournaments, we are essentially a new team, formed to compete in the inaugural USA Ultimate Masters Championship Series. Our name is a nod to our connection with the Portland men’s masters team Burnside, with whom we share history, practice space and organizational efforts. Most of our players are local to Portland, but we enjoy an infusion of talented players from Bend and Eugene, as well.

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64 Herb Kaup 6’2” 44
66 Steve Kelly 5’11” 47

Bigs

GARDEN CITY, ID
CAPTAINS: Paul Schiess, Kib Dacklin, Layne Davis

Big Sky Grand Masters – Headquarters: Garden City, Idaho.

Named for the gorgeous Chinese Gardens that were once abundant here, Garden City is also the former home of bars, legal ________, and ________ houses. It was here in 1956 that Raymond Snowden went on a drinking binge, “blew his top,” and ________ Cora Dean to ________ outside the Hi-Ho Club. ________ in ________, he hitched a ride to nearby downtown Boise and ________ the ________ into a sewer drain in front of Hannifin’s Cigar Store. It wasn’t long before Cora’s ________ was ________ and Snowden was in ________ . In his ________ he ________ to ________ her ________, ________ ________ her many times, and ________ her ________ and ________ it. He was the last man to be ________ and legally ________ in the state of Idaho.

While all of these events are true and are an inescapable part of our past, they are not who we are and they do not define Big Sky Grand Masters. We simply acknowledge their existence as they drift through our history. Just like those Chinese Gardens of days gone by.
BIGWHEEL

DEEP SOUTH (AL, GA, TN)
CAPTAINS: Ray McCormick, Jay Pigford, Peter Winslett

Resurrected from the Rocket City, the Magic City and the ATL, stripping away kudzu from the cleats, we’re low-ridin’ yellow handle streamer flyin’ fools with the hand brake to back it up. Like Danny riding the endless halls in the Shining, we’ll be running down deep hucks on the fields in Denver. Deep South Grand Masters looking to roll big in the Mile High City.

CHARRED GUYS

SUDBURY, MA
CAPTAINS: Victor Impink, Chris Borden
COACH: Nicole Lessard

The team formed in 2013 to compete in the Grand Masters Championship Series. The core of our roster is from two BUDA summer league teams, Flying Salsa and Get Flat — both teams are based in Sudbury, Mass. These teams have hosted Char Guy, a summer league mini-tournament, for the past 10 years. We have picked up a few other players from teams around metrowest Boston and southern New Hampshire. Some of us have played together in the BUDA Grand Masters leagues, but Northeast Regionals was Charred Guys’ first tournament. We look forward to many more years of Grand Masters competition.
GEORGETOWN BREWING

SEATTLE, WA

CAPTAIN: Dan Powers, Dennis Karlinsky

Seattle has been a hotbed for masters and grand masters ultimate for the past 15-20 years with the Keg Workers bringing home multiple championships, followed by Throwback taking the masters title in 2006, and Georgetown Brewing with a semifinals showing in 2012. Fueled by Manny's, Roger's and Chopper's Red, among other darn tasty beers provided by Georgetown Brewing co-owner and former Throwback player Manny Chao, this year's crew has added some Bay Area, Boston, Atlanta and Alabama flavor to form a bigger and badder roster for the march on Denver. As the late, great Macho Man Savage would say, “Whatcha gonna do when GTB comes for you!”

KINGFISH

GAINESVILLE, FL

CAPTAINS: Jim Martinez, John Stewart, Alex Thompson

Created in 2012 for the fall masters USA Ultimate Championship Series, Kingfish is actually two teams, a school of teams. There are the Young Kingfish who competed in the 2013 masters division and the older Kingfish who play in the grandmasters division.

The Kings aim to break all expectations and play with more spirit than you’d expect of a fish. We draw spirit from all over the south, from Dallas to Atlanta, and from all over Florida – but be careful, or the Kingfish will school you!

bigbigorg.org/ultimate/kingfish.html
You are NOT taking crazy pills, we really are this incredibly good looking. Combining a love of 3D glasses, David Hasselhoff and tight tiger-striped briefs, The Le Grande Tigre brings a fresh breath of So-Cal beach cool and desert suavity to the ultimate field. We know there is more to life than being really, really, really ridiculously good looking ultimate players. We just haven’t found out what that is yet.

No Country was formed two years ago by a bunch of Vermont and western Massachusetts guys to compete in the masters division. The core of the team had played together for years on a number teams with revolving names, each year trying to find a new batch of young players who were not yet sick of us.

This year it was decided that, since we had to choose, we were all too old to run around with a bunch of 33 year olds, so we have headed off to greyer pastures to compete in the grand masters division. After discarding our young guys (who were holding us back anyway), we formed an alliance with our one-time nemesis, the evil DoG empire, and hope to contend for the coveted title of Grand Masters National Champions.
### Old Line

**Cockeysville, MD**

**Captains:** Tim Eubanks, Patrick Wright, Bill Dristy

Old Line (aka Cockeysville) is in its second year of existence and is comprised of friends and competitors from the Baltimore and D.C. metro area (with a few other long-distance friends) who just don’t know when to quit.

We are excited to be attending the Grand Masters Championships once again and to try to improve upon our results from last year. C’mon!

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### Old Milwaukee

**Milwaukee, WI**

**Captains:** Jeff Armstrong

This will be Old Milwaukee's third appearance at the Grand Masters Championships. We are a team with surprisingly few roots to Milwaukee, but we like beer. Our roster consists of players scattered throughout the Central Region. Historically, we have been the oldest team at Nationals. Although we still have the same old poachers and geezers, we have added some younger blood to the roster. Our goal is to continue our history of highly spirited play while improving our standing in the end.

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The Ozark Hillbillys are a grand masters team based in Fayetteville, Ark. Some of us have been playing together for over 20 years. This is our fifth Grand Masters Nationals, somehow participating in every one. We’re coming in through the backdoor this year with our typical smallish team, but hope to prove worthy.

“Our livers are strong, our wood teeth are good-looking, and our grammar are above average.”

Smelted by the intense heat of a Texas summer, hammers are forged. From these hammers of silver, all things good are built. With leathery necks, granite hands — and corporate-issued sandals — the men of Austin toll and sweat under burning skies. Meanwhile, the muscle-thick men from Houston, self-cooking in their own sweat, swing on through water-soaked air. San Antonio and College Station also give shelter to more men skilled in the power of the mighty sledge. Together, the Texans build, but not alone. Two men of courage and grace from California will bridge the arid deserts and rugged mountains to assist this cause. United, they swing their hammers to build.

For five years on end, the Sick Hammers of (mostly) Texas have been pounding what needs pounding to create what heretofore did not exist. Now, from a mile above the sea, Denver will behold what the hammers have created! It is that which cannot be destroyed by fire or drought, nor washed away by wind or rain. Nothing will tear down what the hammers have created because it exists free of material limits. It is bonds of friendship, loyalty and trust that the hammers have built. It is legacy.
**SURLY GM**

**MINNEAPOLIS, MN**

**CAPTAINS:** Eric Enge, John Hock, Jim Mott

The Surly team is named after the Surly Brewing Company, which was formed by one of our own and has a reputation for fashioning some of the finest beers you will ever have the pleasure to swill. Surly teams have a proud tradition of playing tough, competitive ultimate on the field and generously sharing our fine craft beer at the end of the day on the sideline. The previous Surly GM teams brought together friends and foe from around the Midwest Region with a unified purpose under the Surly flagship. This year’s version will be no different. Since we are the defending champions this year, we are suddenly feeling quite Overrated, so will have plenty of Surly’s new creation of the same name. The Surly brew will be flowing strong, so come on by, have some fun and get a little Surly.

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**T-REX**

**RALEIGH, NC**

**CAPTAINS:** David Kaminski, John Boswell

Rising from the boneyard of Triangle ultimate players, T-Rex found a renewed inspiration that led to great times and solid finishes. We continue to play with the intensity of a bipedal carnivore, but in the spirit of Mr. T, we never take ourselves too seriously. Some experts have suggested T-Rex was primarily a scavenger - that’s ok with this team. We’ll take advantage of any opportunity (as would Laurence Tureaud). We continue to fight against extinction.
GRAND MASTERS TEAMS

WSUC

WESTERN SPRINGS, IL
CAPTAIN: Brian Sullivan
COACHES: Bill Tarnow, Steve Chudik

We are Western Springs Ultimate Club, a group of guys who live within five miles of each other that decided to form a team after enjoying years of weekly pick-up games. Last year was our first year in existence, and this will be our second tournament – EVER. We play to honor the memory of our teammates who have gone before us. We are WSUC! (And yes, that is pronounced phonetically, “we suck.”)

YOMO FOG OHO

DENVER, CO
CAPTAIN: Matt Krei,
CO-CAPTAINS: Jim Nolte, Heath Mackay

Yomo Fog oho!
(That’s the way it’s spelt. I know, cuz my dog told me so in a dream, and he, in the dream, came up with the name)
People often ask, what does the name mean?
Really, it does have meaning.
Is it Asian? No.
Latin? No.
It’s rhythmic. Kinda like a drum beat.
It makes you wanna leap.
Leave your feet.
It puts you in the know.
Yomo Fog oho!

Yomo Fog oho!
It describes an energy that’s yours to have, and to hold.
Once you’re in the know.
Yomo Fog oho!

It pulls from the ancient depths of men’s souls.
There is energy that is yours to use. Find it, use it.
It allows us to come together from places distant, to run in the fold of Yomo.
It creates an atmosphere of comfort in which to hide or shine. Fog.
It can make you soar. oho!

Yomo Fog oho!
Once you get it,
Yomo Fog oho!

ROSTER

1  Gary Bazzoni 6'1"  52
2  Tony Santi  6'0"  44
3  Brian Sullivan 5'11"  46
4  Steve Quirk  6'0"  49
5  Matthew Quinn 6'1"  49
6  Jeff Bidstrup  5'8"  45
7  Pete Shapiro  6'1"  42
11 Bill Tarnow  6'1"  40
12 Scott Comler  6'2"  55
25 Greg Sandman 6'2"  40
33 Jon Remijas  6'1"  45
34 Tony Dina  6'2"  54
36 Jim Mshar  6'1"  41
40 Steve Chudik  5'10"  43
55 Mike Dulla  6'4"  45
57 David Heinz  6'3"  50
82 Roy Chomko  5'11"  45

Yomo Fog oho!
Once you get it,
Yomo Fog oho!

ROSTER

0  Guy Martin 5'11"  54
2  Rob Bleiberg 5'10"  48
3  Eric Peacock 6'1"  40
4  JD Lrobe  5'6"  44
5  Tad Miller  5'10"  43
6  Tom Etchison 6'5"  42
7  Heath Mackay 5'11"  43
8  Kevin Hamm  6'2"  45
9  Frank Phillips 6'0"  45
10 Matt Krei 6'0"  44
11 Mark Karger  5'11"  50
12 Mike Morrissey 5'10"  52
13 Buzz Ellsworth 6'0"  53
14 Brian Oliver  6'0"  49
15 Jim Nolte 6'1"  44
16 Jeff Talbot  6'0"  40
17 Fritz Bussman 5'9"  45
19 Benjamin Potash 6'2"  41
22 Kelly Robinson 6'2"  40
24 Brendon Pardington 5'8"  42
32 Carl Edwards  5'11"  48
44 Randy Ricks  6'3"  55
45 Dan Carson  5'8"  45
51 Lance Larson  6'2"  43
52 Jim Gelercser 6'5"  53
66 David Banks  6'5"  47
73 Jeremy Brown  5'7"  40
77 Charles Greaves 6'0"  45
99 Andy Bandit  5'11"  41

2013 USA ULTIMATE MASTERS CHAMPIONSHIPS
SPIRIT AWARDS

Ultimate has traditionally relied upon the spirit of sportsmanship, which places the responsibility for fair play on the player. Highly competitive play is encouraged, but never at the expense of mutual respect among competitors, adherence to the agreed upon rules of the game, or the basic joy of play. -- 11th Edition USA Ultimate Rules of Ultimate.

INDIVIDUAL AWARDS

Teams will each be asked to nominate a player from their own team who they feel displays the highest level of Spirit. The definition of Spirit is up to each team but should include elements of sportsmanship, leadership, perseverance, fire, etc. Choose the person whose attitude you wish other people on your team would emulate and who other players off your team admire. Individual Spirit winners will receive a medal and prize disc (courtesy of DISCRAFT). Thanks to Discraft for their support of ultimate and Spirit of the Game!

TEAM AWARDS

Following every game, each team will be asked to rate its opponent on a scale of 1-5, with 5 being the highest level of sportsmanship. These ratings will be averaged, and the team in each division with the highest rating will be awarded the Team Spirit Award after their division’s finals.

MARTY BAKKO SPIRIT AWARD

In 2010, USA Ultimate added a new masters men’s individual spirit award to recognize one player in the division who stands out for their commitment and love of the game. The masters men’s division spirit award honors players that embody the best attributes of ultimate. Like Marty Bakko, these individuals have an infectious sense of humor; possess a long-term passion for the sport of ultimate; display a commitment to fair play, integrity and respect for their opponent; are shrewd, tactical innovators on the field; show an intense, competitive spirit; and are leaders who inspire others to act. Each qualifying masters men’s team nominates one player from its roster as the person who best represents Spirit of the Game and the qualities listed above. At the Masters Championships, a vote of the masters men’s teams will determine the recipient of the Marty Bakko Award which will be presented during the awards ceremony. Previous winners include Blayne Ferguson, Russ Adams and Dave Remucal.
USA ULTIMATE SPIRIT RATINGS GUIDELINES

The ratings are ordered from 5 (indicating the highest level of spirit) through 1 (the lowest level of spirit):

5: Highest level of respect shown throughout the game towards opponents, officials and spectators. For the level of play, showed excellent knowledge of the rules and abided by them throughout the game. Any conflicts were resolved amicably and without incident. Opposing team’s conduct added to our enjoyment of the game. The opposing team unfailingly played fairly and with an excellent attitude.

4: Respect shown throughout the game towards opponents, officials and spectators. For the level of play, showed above average knowledge of the rules and abided by them throughout the game. Any conflicts were resolved favorably and without incident. Opposing team’s conduct did not detract from our enjoyment of the game. The opposing team played fairly and with a good attitude.

3: Generally exhibited respect towards opponents, officials and spectators. For the level of play, showed adequate knowledge of the rules and abided by them during the game. Any conflicts were resolved plainly and without incident. Opposing team’s conduct generally did not detract from our enjoyment of the game. The opposing team generally played fairly and with a decent attitude.

2: Exhibited a lack of respect towards opponents, officials and/or spectators. For the level of play, showed a lack of knowledge of, or disregard for, the rules at points during the game. Any conflicts were resolved heatedly or led to contentious incidents. Opposing team’s conduct detracted somewhat from our enjoyment of the game. The opposing team played unfairly and/ or with a poor attitude.

1: Exhibited a major lack of respect towards opponents, officials and/or spectators. For the level of play, exhibited no knowledge of the rules or blatantly disregarded them during the game. Conflicts were resolved acrimoniously or led directly to contentious incidents. Opposing team’s conduct made the game basically unenjoyable. The opposing team played unfairly, and their attitude was abysmal.
10 Things You Should Know About Spirit of the Game™

1. The Golden Rule: Treat Others as You Would Want to Be Treated.
Spirited games result from mutual respect among opponents. Assume the best of your opponent. Give him or her the benefit of a doubt. You would want the same for yourself. But if you are thick-skinned, do not assume that your opponent is. Maybe you should think of this rule as, “treat others as you would have them treat your mother.”

2. Control: SOTG Takes Real Effort.
SOTG is not just some abstract principle that everyone adopts and then games run smoothly without effort. Close calls are made in tight games. Hard fouls are committed. SOTG is about how you handle yourself under pressure: how you contain your emotionality, tame your temper, and modulate your voice. If you initiate or contribute to the unraveling of spirit, the concept falls apart quickly. If you act to mend things (or at least not exacerbate the situation) by following (1) above, the game heals itself.

3. Heckling and Taunting Are Different.
Ultimate has a long tradition of good-natured heckling. Heckles are friendly barbs, typically from non-playing spectators. Heckling can be fun, but taunting is unspirited and wrong. Harassing remarks after an opponent’s foul call or close play are NOT heckling: they are abusive taunts which create unpleasant playing conditions and often escalate to acrimonious disputes.

4. SOTG Is Compatible with Championship Play.
It is a fallacy to argue that the stakes are so important that some aspect of SOTG can be cast aside. Time and again, great teams and star players have shown that you can bring all your competitive and athletic zeal to a game without sacrificing fair play or respect for your opponent.

5. Don’t “Give as You Got.” There is no “eye for an eye.”
If you are wronged, you have no right to wrong someone in return. In the extreme case where you were severely mistreated, you may bring the issue up with a captain, tournament director, or even lodge a complaint with the governing body. If you retaliate in kind, however, a complaint may be filed against you. We recall point (1): treat others as you would have them treat you, not as they have treated you. In the end, you are responsible for you.
6. BREATHE.
After a hard foul, close call, or disputed play, take a step back, pause, and take a deep breath. In the heat of competition, emotions run high. By giving yourself just a bit of time and space, you will gain enough perspective to compose yourself and concentrate on the facts involved in the dispute (was she in or out; did you hit his hand or the disc; did that pick affect the play). Your restraint will induce a more restrained response from your opponent. Conflagration averted, you may resume business as usual.

7. WHEN YOU DO THE RIGHT THING, PEOPLE NOTICE.
When you turn the other cheek, you know you’ve done the right thing. You may not hear praise, there may be no standing ovation, but people do notice. Eventually, their respect for you and their appreciation of the game will grow.

8. BE GENEROUS WITH PRAISE.
Compliment an opponent on her good catch. Remark to a teammate that you admire their honesty in calling themselves out of bounds. Look players in the eye and congratulate them when you shake their hands after a game. These small acts boost spirit greatly, a large payoff for little time and effort.

9. IMPRESSIONS LINGER.
Not only does the realization that your actions will be remembered for a long time serve to curb poor behavior, it can also inspire better conduct. Many old-timers enjoy the experience of meeting an elite player who remembers their first rendezvous on the field and recalls the event in detail. A good first encounter with an impressionable young player can have considerable long term positive impact.

10. HAVE FUN.
All other things being equal, games are far more fun without the antipathy. Go hard. Play fair. Have fun.

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USA ULTIMATE SPIRIT OF COACHING

BACKGROUND: The role of the coach at all levels of ultimate is unique in a sport that places on-field player authority above non-player influence. As a non-player, the coach’s authority must not extend to the on-field officiating process. Coaches may be faced with situations where they are able to correct the self-officiating process and ensure the correct outcome to a given play. In this situation, coaches must not interfere in the officiating process, in order to ensure that players learn and take responsibility for officiating. Coach interference in the decision-making process, even in the most egregious violations, will indicate to players that the coach – and not the players – has the ultimate responsibility for ensuring the inherent fairness of the game. Teaching players the rules and how to implement them should be done at practices or off the field. It is the coach’s responsibility to ensure that the players understand their own responsibilities as players and teach players how to handle those responsibilities.

GUIDELINES:

• Coaches should introduce themselves to the other coaches prior to a game and discuss concerns. This could potentially include the level of play, the level of intensity (e.g. spiking and rushing the field), and possible modifications to the captain’s clause (e.g. prohibiting zone for new teams or foot-blocking).
• Because the potential for misperception is high, spiking is prohibited at the youth level unless otherwise agreed upon by the coaches or captains. Spiking in a disrespectful manner is never acceptable at any level.
• Coaches will not make calls from the sideline or offer their opinion on a play. Coaches should encourage players to come to a resolution on their own, and if asked during a dispute, coaches may offer rules clarifications. After a dispute a coach may talk to his or her own player about the dispute and offer opinions.
• Youth coaches will make an effort to educate parents about Spirit of the Game and work to create a sideline atmosphere that respects Spirit of the Game.
• Coaches will teach and give players opportunities to practice knowledge of the rules of ultimate.
• Coaches will always exhibit respect for opposing players, other coaches and observers.
• Coaches will model Spirit of the Game at all times.

SUMMARY: The coach’s goal in terms of Spirit of the Game is to create an environment where players are responsible for upholding the rules and ensuring that the outcomes of plays and games are fair.

2013 USA ULTIMATE COACHING CERTIFICATION INFORMATION

For more information on USA Ultimate’s Spirit of Coaching or Coaching Certification Requirements, please contact USA Ultimate Manager of Youth & Education Programs Mike Lovinguth at mike@hq.usaultimate.org, or visit the USA Ultimate website at usaultimate.org.
HEALTH AND SAFETY

Medical staff will be available throughout the event at Tournament Central. Please seek advice and assistance regarding prevention and treatment of injuries or illness. Directions to the local hospital can be found in the “Directions” section of this program.

CONCUSSIONS
- Concussions are brain injuries that can occur as a result of a blow to the head.
- Symptoms may include headache, nausea, vision problems, confusion and balance problems.
- Any blows to the head must be seen by a medical professional and evaluated for concussion symptoms before the athlete can return to play. Medical staff is on hand at the event at Tournament Central.

HEAT, NUTRITION AND HYDRATION
- Heat-related illness occurs when body cooling by evaporation is limited. Sweating depletes the body’s salt and moisture, which leads to dehydration. If a player recognizes any signs or symptoms of heat-related illness, he or she should treat the problem immediately.
- Signs and symptoms of heat illness can include changes in level of consciousness, abdominal cramps, nausea/vomiting, fatigue/tingling, chills, inability to spit, dry mucous membranes, decreased output and change in color of urine.
- Prevention and Treatment of Heat Illness
  - Avoid alcohol, caffeine and carbonated beverages.
  - Medications such as antihistamines, decongestants, certain asthma medications and diuretics can increase risk for heat illness. Avoid them if possible.
  - Avoid certain nutritional supplements (such as caffeine and ephedrine) that can dehydrate the body and/or increase metabolism and heat production.
  - Know your body – be honest! Are you fit enough to perform under current conditions?
  - Eat and drink (water AND sports drinks) optimally before, during and after play. Potassium is important (good sources include sports drinks, yogurt, grapefruit juice, bananas and oranges). Sodium is also important (good sources include sports drinks, vegetable juices, pretzels, nuts, cheese and crackers). After play, carbohydrates are important: foods such as potatoes, honey, cereal, white bread, corn chips, sports drinks, jelly beans, rice cakes, bagels, crackers and gummy candies).
  - Don’t drink too much. Over-hydrating can be dangerous if it leads to a fluid and electrolyte imbalance.
  - Be sensitive to prior illness. If you’ve been sick, your body may be more susceptible to dehydration.
  - Rest and cool down after play. Find shade, wet the skin, get in front of a fan or breeze.
SIDELINE SAFETY

• Spectators and equipment must stay at least 3 yards away from the sidelines. Where there are buffer lines, respect them. Chairs, coolers, strollers, you, etc., must be at least three yards from the sidelines.

• If a player believes that an object on the sideline is not safe, he or she should inform Event Staff and refrain from playing until he or she is satisfied that safe conditions have been established.

• USA Ultimate and Event Staff reserve the right to move or remove objects or spectators from on or near the playing field if those conditions are, in the opinion of USA Ultimate or Event Staff, unsafe for players, staff or spectators.

LIGHTNING GUIDELINES

• Event Staff will communicate with players and spectators via PA system and through field marshals equipped with radios if there is a lightning danger. Play then will be stopped, and everyone should seek shelter.

• Safe shelter for players and spectators at the field site includes any fully enclosed building or vehicle with a hard top and closed windows.

• Event Staff will use the “flash-to-bang” method to determine when to send people to shelter. By the time the flash-to-bang count has reached 30 seconds, all individuals should be in a safe shelter location.

• If you can’t get to a safe shelter, try to avoid being the tallest object in an open field or on open water. Avoid other tall objects, metal objects and water. Assume a crouched position with only the balls of your feet touching the ground, your arms wrapped around your knees, and your head lowered. Minimize contact with the ground. Do not lie flat.

• Avoid using telephone land lines. Cell phones are safe, provided the person has followed other safety guidelines.

• Event Staff will indicate to players when play is going to resume. Team captains should meet at Tournament Central to receive instructions for resuming play and any schedule modifications.
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