The Participant Handbook is long! Take an abbreviated look at the following general policies (in no particular order) to help guide your Intramural Sports participation:

**No ID = No Play**
All participants must show a valid UW-W-issued Hawk Card in order to check in for a contest. Don't have your card? Inquire about a forgotten ID pass!

**Eligibility**
All team members must be on the team’s roster and meet eligibility standards established by the Office of Recreation Sports and Facilities.

**Participant Quiz and Waiver**
Each team member MUST pass the participant quiz AND acknowledge the online waiver in order to be added to the team roster.

**Sportsmanship**
Teams and their fans must show positive sportsmanship. Teams must average a “3.0” sportsmanship rating as part of the playoff qualification process.

**Team Names**
Team names must be appropriate and cannot be misleading. Team names may change at any time via the team’s page in IMLeagues.

**Know Your Activity Rules**
Along with the Participant Handbook, each activity has a specific set of rules. Participants are encouraged to review rules throughout their season.

**Arrive Early**
In order to keep schedules on-time, teams are encouraged to arrive 10-15 minutes early to the site of their competition to allow time to properly check in.

**Forfeits**
Teams are expected to arrive for their scheduled contests. Failure to attend may result in poor sportsmanship, a loss in standings and a fine.

**Proper Attire**
Participants must wear attire that is distinguishable from their opponents. Non-marking footwear must be worn for indoor activities.

**Equipment**
Most of the equipment used for each contest is provided. Other equipment, such as game balls or team jerseys, may be rented from the Equipment Room.

**IMLeagues**
All registrations, roster moves, schedules and playoff brackets are posted online via IMLeagues. All participants have a profile which must be activated to play.

**Results and Protests**
Individual contest results are posted daily in IMLeagues. Teams are welcome to protest results, eligibility and rule interpretation.

**Playoffs**
Activities with a regular season also have a playoff season. Teams qualify for by winning two contests and adhering to forfeit and sportsmanship rules.

**Communication**
Intramural Sports staff will attempt to communicate at various times throughout your season. Please check voicemail and email regularly.

**Safe, Fair, Fun and Welcoming**
Everyone is welcome in Intramural Sports, regardless of skill, knowledge and ability. Your safety, fairness and enjoyment are all at the forefront of our focus.