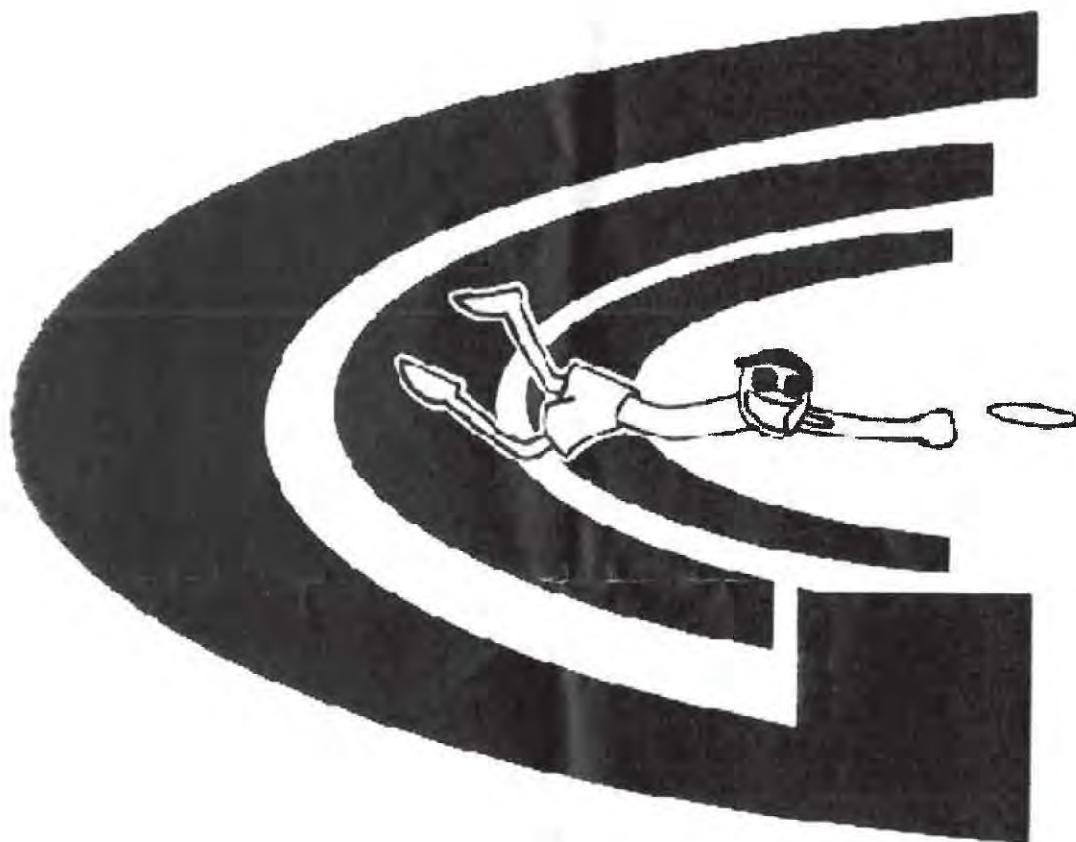


granite city classic



may 14 & 15, 2011
whitney park and fields at north
st. cloud, mn

welcome!

Welcome to the 2011 Granite City Classic, hosted by the Ultimate teams of Cathedral High School, Saint Cloud, Minnesota. The Granite City Classic is the oldest Ultimate tournament in Minnesota...it's a great tournament because of you, the players and coaches. You travel to Central Minnesota to play Ultimate because you love this game, because you enjoy competing with other teams who also value this sport. We are really happy that you have joined us for this tournament. We hope you will enjoy your time in St. Cloud this weekend. Thanks for joining us.

Fields at North

We have expanded our field area this year to the Fields at North...a short 5 minute walk southwest from the Headquarters tent. Follow the signs and sidewalks to these beautiful fields. The sounds of bells will signal the soft and hard caps at these fields.

Food

We will have free fruit and bagels available throughout the day at the Headquarters Tent and Fields at North tent. The Cathedral Ultimate Booster Club will provide grilled food for lunch: burgers/brats and chips, bars and refreshments will be served at lunch near the Headquarters Tent.

Medical Help

A trainer from Saint Cloud Orthopedics will be on site throughout the tournament. To contact the trainer, call 320-492-1005

Emergency Help

For an emergency, call 911 and tell the dispatcher you are at:

Whitney Park in St. Cloud on field # _____ OR

North Junior High fields in St Cloud

After calling 911, please contact the Headquarters Tent at the above number and we will assist the Emergency Responders in locating you quickly.

thanks, thanks, thanks

We thank: Steve Krueger of Whitney Recreation Center; the administration at Cathedral High School for supporting Ultimate and this event.; and the CHS parents and players who have generously volunteered their time to help make this event a success. Play your best, and have a great time!

the cathedral ultimate teams

General Rules

1. Chaperones – please stay with team throughout tournament
2. Please remove all jewelry, bracelets, earrings during play for the safety of others.
3. No drinking or smoking on the Whitney Park grounds or Fields at North.
4. Please treat the facilities with respect.
5. Please keep the fields clean. Use the trash bags provided for your litter.
6. Please deposit your trash bag in the barrels at the end of each day.
7. Team will be responsible for cleaning up any garbage left at a field following play
8. Please keep the restrooms/port-o-potties clean.

Showers are available at the YMCA located across Northway Drive until 6 PM.

Team Contacts

Please keep your cell phone on and available for communication throughout the tournament. If necessary, give phone to nearby spectator so that the Tourney Staff can reach you when needed.

Awards

Trophies will be awarded to the Champions in each division following the finals game.

Last Games on Sunday

Following the last game at each field in Whitney Park, we ask the teams to:

1. Pick up any trash left on the field
2. Pick up cones and return to the Headquarters Tent
3. Return the soccer goals to their correct positions on the field

Games

- Games to 13 on Saturday, 15 on Sunday.
- Teams are responsible to start each game on time.
- Each game will be 80 minutes long.
- Soft cap at 70 minutes (add 2 to the high score) signaled by 1 horn blast.
- Hard cap at 80 minutes (finish the point you are playing) signaled by 2 horn blasts.
- Time outs: 1 per half, 1 floater, for a total of 3 time outs per team.
- 5 minute Half Time is at 7 points on Saturday, 8 points on Sunday.
- Games are played according to the 11th edition of UPA rules.
- Coaches and spectators must allow players on the field to make all calls.
- After each game, the score must be reported to the Headquarters tent by the winning team or called or texted to the following number: 320-492-1005. Please use this format:

Open, Detroit 13, Long Lake 11.

For everyone's safety, please remove earrings, bracelets, jewelry, watches when playing.

Severe Weather/Lightning Guidelines

Shelter is available at Whitney Senior Center (bathrooms and locker rooms) and the YMCA during severe weather.

- Event staff will communicate with players and spectators that there is a lightning danger. Play will be stopped with 3 horn blasts and everyone should seek shelter.

- Event staff will use the Flash-to-Bang method to determine when to send people to shelter. When the Flash-to-Bang count is less than 30 seconds, all individuals should be in a safe shelter location.

- If you can not get to a safe shelter, try to avoid being the tallest object in an open field. 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.

- Event staff will indicate when the play is going to resume. Team Contacts will be notified by **text** as to when captains should meet at the Tournament Headquarters to receive instructions for resuming play and any schedule notifications.

SPIRIT OF THE GAME

Excerpts from the Official Rules of Ultimate: 11th Edition

"The integrity of Ultimate depends on each player's responsibility to uphold the Spirit of the Game, and this responsibility should remain paramount."

" Ultimate relies upon a spirit of sportsmanship that 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, or the basic joy of play. Protection of these vital elements serves to eliminate unsportsmanlike conduct from the Ultimate field. Such actions as taunting opposing players, dangerous aggression, belligerent intimidation, intentional infractions, or other 'win-at-all-costs' behavior are contrary to the Spirit of the Game and must be avoided by all players."

Spirit of the Game sets Ultimate apart from other competitive team sports. For over 30 years, Ultimate has flourished, reaching a highly competitive level, without the use of referees. In Ultimate, the honor system works. Sure, human nature rears its ugly head from time to time - just as in any sport, just as in life. Yet, one of the many beauties of Ultimate is how, even amid the most difficult of situations, utmost graciousness is allowed to meet that challenge head on. Through this balance, Ultimate players are free to demonstrate the most honorable and the most joyous sides of human nature in sport.

Most Ultimate players care deeply about Spirit of the Game. The organizational challenge for USA Ultimate is to foster an environment where the challenge does not become, "to see what I can get away with". Rather than dictate what Spirit of the Game is or should be, it is up to each player to do so for him or herself within the context of the teams he or she plays with and against.

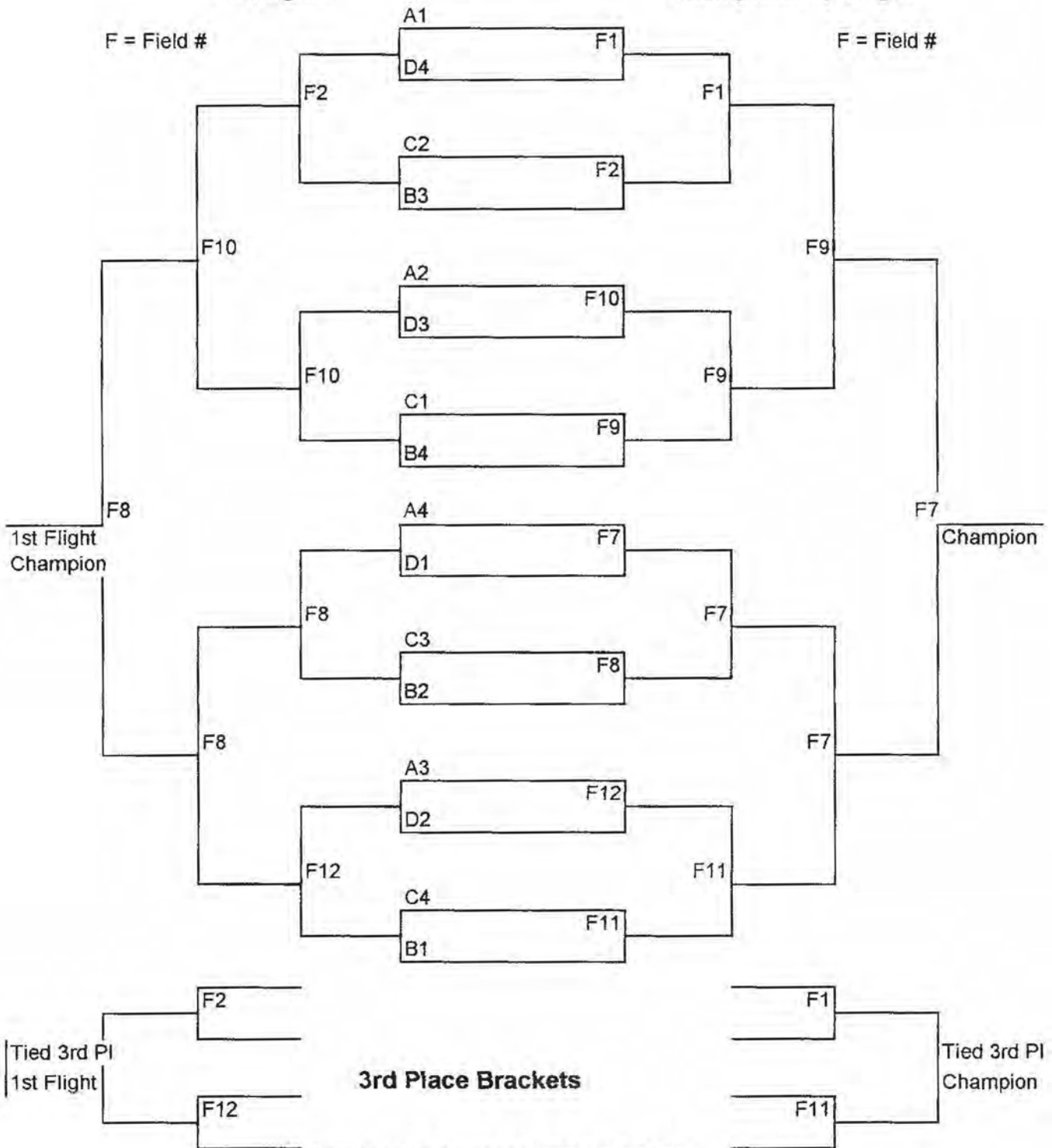
Granite City Classic - Open

A	B	C	D
1 Como Park (1)	1 Eden Prairie (2)	1 Southwest (3)	1 Cathedral (4)
2 White Bear Lk (7)	2 St Paul Charter (8)	2 South (5)	2 Cooper (6)
3 Mahtomedi (10)	3 Eastview (9)	3 Cretin DH (12)	3 Mounds View (11)
4 Wayzata (16)	4 Irondale (15)	4 S Paul Central (14)	4 Armstrong (13)

	Field 1	Field 2	Field 11	Field 12	Field 9	Field 10	Field 7	Field 8
9:30	A1 v A2	A3 v A4	B1 v B2	B3 v B4	C1 v C2	C3 v C4	D1 v D2	D3 v D4
11:15	A1 v A4	A2 v A3	B1 v B4	B2vB3	C1 v C4	C2 v C3	D1 v D4	D2 v D3
1:15	A1 v A3	A2 v A4	B1 v B3	B2 v B4	C1 v C3	C2 v C4	D1 v D3	D2 v D4

Granite City Classic Open - Sunday Brackets

3:00 1:15 11:15 9:30 11:15 1:15 3:00
1st Flight Championship Flight



Call/text in scores: 320-492-1005

Losers of 2nd game move to third place bracket in each flight for 1:15 game

Granite City Classic – B/C Division

After each game, winner reports score to Fields at North Tent.

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| 1 Hopkins B | 4 Eden Prairie B |
| 2 Cretin Durham Hall | 5 White Bear Lake - Black |
| 3 White Bear Lake -Orange | 6 Cathedral B |

Saturday May 14

	Field 13	Field 14	Field 15
9:30	1 v 4	2 v 6	3 v 5
11:15	1 v 6	2 v 3	4 v 5
1:15	1 v 2	3 v 4	5 v 6

Sunday May 15

	Field 13	Field 14	Field 15
9:30	1 v 3	2 v 5	4 v 6
11:15	1 v 5	2 v 4	3 v 6

Final: Determined by Round Robin win/loss record

1:15	1 v 2	3 v 4	5 v 6
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Granite City Classic Women's Division

Winner reports score to Headquarters tent or text/call 320-492-1005

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| 1 Armstrong Women | 4 Southwest Women |
| 2 South Women | 5 St Paul Charter Women |
| 3 Cathedral Women | 6 Cretin Durham Hall Women |
| | 7 Eden Prairie Women |

Saturday May 14

	Field 4	Field 5	Field 6
9:30	1 v 5	2 v 4	6 v 7
11:15	4 v 5	2 v 7	3 v 6
1:15	1 v 4	5 v 7	2 v 3
3:00	5 v 6	4 v 7	1 v 3

Sunday May 15

	Field 4	Field 5	Field 6
9:30	1 v 7	2 v 6	3 v 5
11:15	1 v 6	2 v 5	3 v 4
1:15	1 v 2	4 v 6	3 v 7

Final Tourney Positions determined by Win Loss Record, ties broken by point differential.

Granite City Classic Field Map

Fields 1 – 12 are in Whitney Park
Fields 13 – 18 are at the Fields at North

There is a sidewalk between the 2 parks, takes 5 minutes. There is a parking lot at North Jr High.

Field food available at Headquarters Tent and at the Fields at North. Grilled lunch is served at Headquarters.

Storm shelter available at YMCA and at Whitney Rec Center.

R = Toilet
W = Water Station

◆ Headquarters Tent

❖ Tent: Fields at North

