

WAPAC Nazarene District Main Event 2019

Event Cost: \$30 per student, \$0 per adult

Date: March 22nd-24th, 2019

Location: Puyallup Nazarene Church

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Quick Info

Who? 7th-12th grade students attending a Nazarene Church on the WAPAC District and their friends.

What? A Sports and Talent Competition

When? April 27th-28th, 2018

Where? Puyallup Nazarene Church in Puyallup, Washington

Why? To provide a loving and grace-filled environment for the Holy Spirit to work in the lives of believing and not yet believing students.

Cost? \$30 per student

What Is Main Event?

The easiest way to describe Main Event is as a WAPAC Nazarene District Sports and Talent Competition for 7th-12th grade students. However, the mission and vision for Main Event is much larger albeit just as simple.

Main Event exists to promote a loving and grace-filled environment for the Holy Spirit to work in the lives of believing and not yet believing students. By creating this environment, it is our hope that the students who are a part of your church would embrace this opportunity to invite their believing and not yet believing friends to participate in activities that they already enjoy doing but in an atmosphere that is filled with people who have been transformed by the power of God and the resurrected Jesus.

This will be a comfortable and grace-filled atmosphere for anyone to participate in, but our hope is that those who do not yet believe will notice something fundamentally different about the people that they are surrounded by and that it would be something that God uses to draw them into a relationship with Him.

Who Is Invited?

WAPAC Nazarene District Churches are invited to participate in the event. Each church must have a leader (pastor, youth worker, approved parent) that is in charge of their church's students' registration and the coordination of their transportation and participation. Students who are currently enrolled in the 7th through 12th grade are invited to participate as individuals and in teams depending on what they would like to do.

Any student who is planning on attending (whether they register for a sport/activity/talent or not) will need to complete the online registration form as well as providing the \$30 registration fee to their local church. The breadth of options of sports/activities/talents allows for churches to tailor their student experience to their passions and desire to participate.

Any adult who is planning on attending the event and staying overnight at Puyallup Nazarene Church will need to have a background check done through their local church as well as a Ministry Safe Sexual Abuse Awareness Training (or equivalent) and proof of their completion sent to Pastor Jared Trygg at jtrygg@pnconline.org.

Schedule

Friday, March 22nd, 2019

6pm – 7:30pm	Registration in the Foyer
7:30pm – 8:30pm	Welcome Service in the Sanctuary
8:30pm – 11:30am	Dodgeball Tournament in the Gym
12am	Lights Out in the Gym

Saturday, March 23rd, 2019

8am – 2pm	Coffee/Snack Shack Open in Main Building
8am – 8:30am	Referee & Evaluator Meeting
9am – 9:30am	Devotional and Directions
10am – 6pm	Sports/Activities/Talent Competitions
6pm – 7pm	Awards/Goodbye Service in the Sanctuary

Sports

All sports are “Open Competitions” which means that any combination of boys/girls are welcomed as a team. There will be a J-League and an S-League for both Basketball and Volleyball. J-League for teams made up of students only in grades 7-9. S-League is primarily for teams of students in grades 10-12, but may include students from any grade (7-12). This is done in order to create the most level competition that we can for the students participating.

All Sports

Rules: Generally accepted rules apply unless exceptions are noted. Each sport will have guidelines that are pertinent to your team’s preparations, and will be released upon the completion of registration in order to better suit the number of participants in the competition in association with our allotted amount of time and space for sports to take place. *Last year’s rules are attached to the end of this packet to give a general idea and guideline to preparations in the meantime.*

Officiating: Referee(s) will be provided for each game.

Coaching: Each registered team is required to have an adult coach. This person will receive information regarding the team and will be expected to disseminate that information to their team. A single adult may coach multiple teams.

Leagues: Within a sport, there is either a single league or there are two leagues (J-League and S-League) in order to separate grade/skill appropriate competition. The J-League may consist of students 7th grade through 9th grade. The S-League may consist of students 7th grade through 12th grade.

Sports – Continued

Basketball

3 players on the court at a time with up to 2 substitutes.

There will be two leagues: J-League and S-League.

Dodgeball

6 players on the court at a time with up to 5 substitutes.

There will only be one league.

Soccer

3 players on the field at a time with up to 2 substitutes.

There will only be one league.

Volleyball

4 players on the court at a time with up to 3 substitutes.

There will be two leagues: J-League and S-League.

Activities

Activities are a new addition to WAPAC Main Event this year. Students may participate in one of the three activities in addition to anything else they may be participating in including any sports or talents. ***Specific rules for Activities are found in the Main Event Student Participation Packet.*** All Activities will strive to pit students in round robin competitions that will hopefully enable at least 4 games for each student.

Carpetball

Due to the massive popularity of Carpetball at Summer Camps and the availability of Carpetball at PNC, it seemed natural to crown a champion.

Chess

Chess will exclusively pit the intellect and creativity of student's mind in strategic warfare accomplished on a board instead of a field or a court.

Ping Pong

Ping Pong has returned due to popular demand, but will only feature a singles tournament this year.

Talents

There are a lot of talent options to fit the interests of many different students! *Specific rules for Talents are found in the Main Event Student Participation Packet.* Below is a list of each Talent.

Music – Solo Vocalist
Music – Solo Instrumental
Music – Solo Vocalist and Instrumental
Music – Group Praise Band
Music – Group Instrumental Ensemble
Preaching
Performance Arts – Open
Drawing
Graphic Design
Painting
Photography
Videography
Visual Arts – Open
Writing – Short Story
Writing – Poetry

Frequently Asked Questions

Will there be other activities to engage students besides the Sports and Talent Competition?

Yes! We will have 9 Square, 4 square, Gaga Ball, Ping Pong, Carpetball, Darts, Foosball, Video Games, and other activities for students to engage in while they are not participating in or watching a sport/activity/talent.

Where will my group stay?

Our hope is to have space available for all students and their leaders to stay on the PNC campus. This would be included in the registration fee. There is no additional cost for staying at the church.

What bedding should we bring?

Sleeping Bag

Pillow

Sleeping Pad (optional)

Please note: There will only be carpeted floor space available.

Do leaders need to pay a registration fee?

No

If a parent comes on only one day to watch their child participate, do they need a background check?

No... However, if a parent is going to be given responsibility for any student during the event or will be spending the night on campus, they will need to have a background check with your church. Additionally, they will need to be listed as an approved adult with a church board member's signature.

How many sports and talents can a student sign up for?

Please see page 3 of the Student Participation Packet.

FAQ - Continued

How do students register?

Students registration online through jotform. You will have received this link in an e-mail in response to your Initial Church Registration Page. It is also on the bottom of every page on the Student Participation Packet.

When is student registration due?

The last day to register for Main Event is March 3rd, 2019.

E-mail Pastor Jared Trygg at jtrygg@pnconline.org for possible exceptions

When is the Final Church registration due?

The last day to register for Main Event is March 6th, 2019. This enables us to plan the games and schedule as quickly as possible. Please make sure you complete this form! You will find it in your initial response to your initial registration!

Will food be provided?

We will order pizza as a late night snack on Friday night, but this is not dinner.

Lunch on Saturday will now be provided! It is most likely that we will order Chic-Fil-A.

Main Event Sports

Rules From 2018 (With any likely edits for 2019)

Soccer

- 3 players on the field/ Up to 2 subs
- 10 Minute Games // Running game clock
- Games can end in a tie except for play-offs
- Ties are determined by an altered penalty shoot-out
 - Players will take turns placing the ball on one of the corners of their own half
 - The player will then shoot the ball towards the opponent's goal with no defenders on the field
 - The three players that were on the field for each team at the end of the game will each take a shot, they will then rotate one by one until there is a winner
- Top 4 records move on to small play-off bracket
- No goalies
- Unlimited substitutions on any out of bounds or set piece situations
- All free kicks and kick-ins are indirect (someone else must touch the ball before it goes in the goal)
- Opposition team must give 5 feet of distance from ball on free kicks and kick ins.
- All balls kicked out of bounds will be a kick-in and not thrown in
- No standing in the marked off area by the goal (both teams)
- Defense can step in the marked off area to retrieve a ball only when it has completely stopped and it is treated as a goal kick
- No slide tackling
- Goal kicks are taken anywhere on the edge of the marked off area by the defending team.
- Corner kicks are taken when the defending team touches the ball and it goes out behind the line with their goal
- Most other standard soccer rules apply

Basketball

- 3 Players on the court/ Up to 2 subs
- 15 minute games
- Half-Court
- Ties will be determined by a shoot-out where players will rotate one by one by shooting a free throw until someone misses when the other player in their round makes it.
- Top 8 records move on to a play-off
- Unlimited substitutions on any dead ball
- All change of possessions (except steals and rebounds) begin from the top of the arc
- If a change of possession occurs due to a steal or rebound, the player will pass or dribble
- All possessions begin by checking the ball and passing it to your teammate before
- Shot clock is 20 seconds
- There is a running game (Except for the final)
- Most other basketball rules apply

Volleyball

- 6 players on the court / Up to 5 substitutes
- 10 minute games
- Running game clock // No stalling your serves
- Rally Scoring
- Your extra players may rotate into the game, but you cannot change the flow of the rotation during the game. Not all players need to be a part of the rotation for each game played
- Touching the net or crossing the line results in a loss of a point and serve
- Carries are illegal
- Rules my about touching the net and carrying the ball may become more strict as the tournament advances
- Most other volleyball rules apply

Dodgeball

- 6 players on the court / Up to 5 substitutes
- 3 minute games with a running clock
- If there is a ball on your side of the court, it must be thrown within 10 seconds and pass the opponents safety line or else a player must exit the court as if they got out.
- You may not hold a ball for more than 10 seconds before throwing the ball
- The winner is determined by the team who eliminates all of their opponents or has more players remaining on the court at the end of the timer.
- Eliminate players by...
 - Hitting the opponent with a LIVE ball thrown on or below the shoulders
 - Catching a LIVE ball thrown by your opponent that has not hit anything or anyone else
 - Hitting an opposing player's ball out of their hand with a LIVE ball
 - Stepping over the center line
- Save yourself or another player by catching a ball that has hit your or your teammate
- Restore a player by catching a LIVE ball thrown by your opponent
- At the beginning of the game, you may not throw a ball that was picked up from the center line until you have retreated passed the safety line.