# 2019 Marion Popcorn Festival

## **Cornhole Tournament Double Elimination Registration Form**

\$40.00 per Team - \$20.00 for Individuals

<u>Player #1</u> :		
Name:		
Address:		_ State
Phone:	Email	
Player #2:		
Name:		
Address:		State
Phone:	_ Email	

## DEADLINE for EARLY registration is August 24<sup>th</sup>, 2019.

If you would like to register early, mail registration and payment to:

Jim Brown 999 Amherst Drive Marion, OH 43302

No personal checks accepted. Please make cashier's check or money order payable to **The Marion Popcorn Festival.** Online payment through PayPal is available with an added 3% processing fee. If you prefer this method, please email **marionpopcornfestival@gmail.com**.

# Day of event registration will close at 11:30 AM to allow time for teams to be drawn (if necessary) and for brackets to be completed. CASH ONLY will be accepted the day of the tournament.

## DATE AND TIME

Tournament will be held in downtown Marion, Ohio at the Center Street Beer Garden on Saturday, September 7<sup>th</sup>. Bags fly at NOON!! RAIN or SHINE event!!

## AWARDS

- Cash awards to 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> place organizations/teams.
- BOOBY prize for one deserving team.

## **TEAM COMPOSITION**

- Teams can be any combination of male and female players.
- You may sign up as an individual and teams will be formed the date of the event by a random drawing.

Waiver: I hereby release the Marion Popcorn Festival, Cornhole chairperson(s) and the City of Marion of any responsibilities for lost or stolen items, accidents, or injuries sustained before, during, or after the 2019 Cornhole tournament. I agree to conduct myself, my team and my guests in a sportsman like manner at all times. I fully understand that it is my obligation to determine, prior to the 2019 Cornhole Tournament that I possess the proper physical and mental capabilities to participate. My signature, below, indicates my review and agreement to all terms.

Signature	Date	

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## 2019 Marion Popcorn Festival Cornhole Tournament – Rules and Regulations

- 1. A team has 5 minutes to report to course when called. Failure to report in that time will forfeit the match.
- 2. A coin toss will take place prior to start of the contest. The winner of the coin toss has the option EITHER to throw first or to choose which side their team will throw from.
- 3. First team to 21 points (meeting or exceeding) wins.

## SCORING

- Each bag on the box = 1 point
- Each bag in the hole = 3 points
- Any bags touching the ground or "bounced" onto the box do not count and are to be removed prior to the next bag being thrown by the opposing team.
- O points for a cornhole bag that is hanging off the front edge and is resting on a cornhole bag that is on the ground (unless the cornhole bag on the ground can be removed without making the hanging bag fall to the ground, then 1 point is given).

## 4. Cancellation scoring will be used.

#### Example:

- Team 1 throws 1 bag in the hole and 3 bags land on the box for a total of 6 points;
- Team 2 throws 1 bag in the hole and 2 bags land on the box for a total of 5 points;
- Then Team 1 receives 1 point for that round.
- 5. The first side of players alternate pitching corn bags until they have thrown all 4 bags, then the remaining players (pitching from the other cornhole platform) continue to alternate in the same manner.
- 6. The pitcher must remain **behind** the front of the board during the entire address and release of the corn bag.
- 7. Any corn bag that leaves a contestant's hand once the final forward swing of the delivery process has started shall count as a pitched corn bag. A corn bag that is accidentally dropped by a contestant before the final forward swing has started shall not be considered foul and may be picked up and pitched.

FOULS - A foul occurs when any of the following happens:

- a) A cornhole players foot goes past the foot foul line, termed a foot foul.
- b) A player goes out of turn
- c) The player who caused the foul loses the throw when the foul occurred, and the bag shall be removed if it landed on the playing surface.
- d) Any corn bag that contacted the ground before coming to rest on the board or is touching the ground in any way shall be called foul and removed from the board.

The winning team will be responsible for notifying the coordinator of the score at the conclusion of each match.

# GOOD LUCK & HAVE FUN!

# Thank you for your entry!

If you have any questions, please contact Jim Brown at (740)225-0484 or email jim88fan@hotmail.com