

# **UWI STAFF Inter Department All Fours Tournament**

## **Prizes:**

**1<sup>st</sup>- \$4000 + 4 cases of beers + medals + trophy**

**2<sup>nd</sup>- \$3000 + 3 case of beers + medals**

**3<sup>rd</sup>- \$1000 + 2 case of beers + medals**

**There would also be prizes for the most “hanged-jacks” by a team as well as the first team to hang a jack with King or Queen of Spades .....**

## **Format & Registration:**

- 1. Each department is allowed a maximum of 20 pairs and 4 subs or a minimum of 1 pair.**
- 2. The cost of each player would be \$150.00 and the cost of each sub would be \$100.00**
- 3. Subs can only represent the department by whom they are employed.**
- 4. All pairs will compete in a best out of 7 format i.e. the first pair to win 4 games, wins the series.**
- 5. The winning team then advances to another round of knock out games.**
- 6. There would be a prize for the overall winner (the team that wins) and also medals for each participating member of the winning department (the department to which the winning team belongs).**

## Game Rules:

1. All chinks must be written as they are made, e.g. 2, 4, 1, 5 etc. No symbol, or drawing is permitted. **1 point** will be awarded for **High...** **1 point** will be awarded for **Low..** **1 point** will be awarded for **Jack...** **2 points** will be awarded for **Game...** and **3 points** will be awarded for **Hang-Jack**. First pair to reach **14 points**, wins the game.
2. No player is permitted to go into his opponent's lift or to erase or mark any chinks for his opponent.
3. Players must beg by word-of-mouth, not by knocking or otherwise. It is the dealer's right to confirm whether the player has begged before conceding a point or dealing the cards.
4. After cards are packed, there shall be no recall of chinks. Consequently, after the next cutting of the pack, no unmarked chinks may be claimed.
5. Card-to-Board means the card that is touching the table when first played stands. A player playing a card out of turn is **NOT ALLOWED** to withdraw his card.
6. Any player playing 2 cards simultaneously will be made to pick up the card on top as Card-to-Board stands. If the card below is in violation of renege rules, he is subject to all penalties that apply.
7. The penalty for renege (reneed) or under-trumping, regardless of if Jack is or isn't in the game, is **bullseye (14pts penalty)**. Reneging on any suit other than trump is a **1 point penalty and the team guilty of renege is ineligible to receive a point for game in that round**. Trump and Follow-suit will **NOT** be enforced.
8. Any card or cards found on the ground (**other than cards falling out of a player's hand during the course of play of that deal**) will be deemed "null and void" until the deal is played out and any chinks made will stand providing that all cards are equally dealt.

## **APPENDIX**

### **INTER DEPARTMENT ALL FOURS GENERAL RULES:**

- 1. All participating players must be employed by UWI and have a valid contract for the duration of the tournament. If participants represent a particular department which falls under the category of "INVITED TEAM" e.g. Open Campus, Roytec, etc., then they must be employed by that specific department and produce the necessary documentation.**
- 2. Players can only be replaced/substituted by registered substitutes.**
- 3. Players that have been substituted would not be allowed to recommence playing in-between games i.e. players must wait until the game in progress is finished before rejoining.**
- 4. Players and Subs can only play for the department or faculty from where he or she is employed unless indicated otherwise by Management.**
- 5. All teams must be properly uniformed i.e. Must wear the same jersey (style and color), while numbers remain optional.**
- 6. All players must present a valid staff id or contract (dated at least 24 hours before the starting date and 24 hours after the ending date of the tournament or beyond) upon registering.**
- 7. All departments are welcomed to participate.**
- 8. Participants are asked to refrain from using obscene language or violent behavior towards another player, spectator or any member of Management. Failure to adhere to this request may result in immediate disqualification from the tournament in question, and be subject to further action being taken by Management.**
- 9. Management reserves the right to refuse entry and service to any individual or department based on any reason/reasons deemed to be justifiable.**