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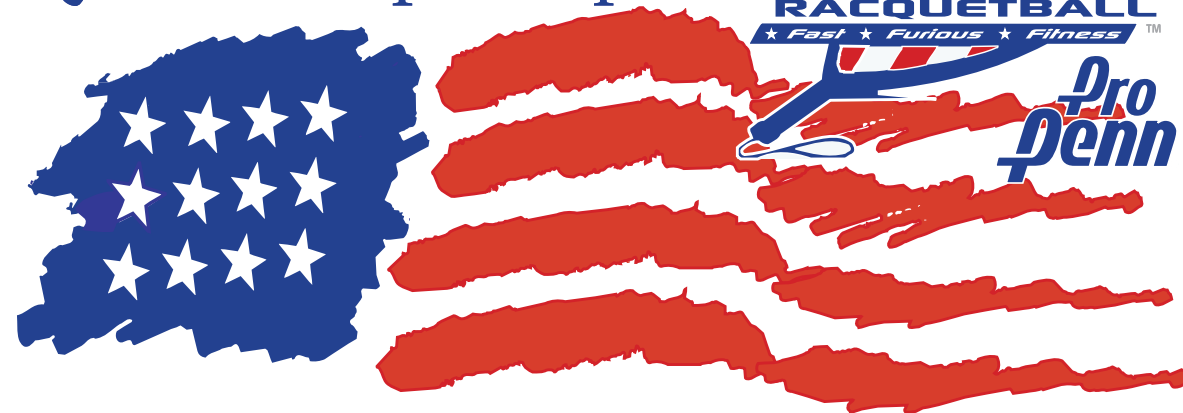
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**2009 NATIONWIDE ADULT/JUNIOR REGIONAL  
CHAMPIONSHIP QUALIFIER SERIES**

**APRIL 24, 25, 26**

*Hosted by:*  
*Bally Total Fitness, Beachwood*  
*Cleveland, Ohio*

**We Have Doubles Divisions!!**

# 2009 USA RACQUETBALL REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS Cleveland, Ohio APRIL 24-26, 2009

## TOURNAMENT INFORMATION

### LOCATION

Bally Total Fitness  
3600 Park East Drive  
Beachwood, Ohio 44122  
(216) 765-8085

### ENTRY FEE

1st Event..... \$ 48  
2nd Event..... \$ 24  
3rd Event..... \$ 20

### ENTRY DEADLINE

All entries must be postmarked by **THURSDAY, APRIL 16th**. Phone entries will be accepted through **MONDAY, APRIL 20th** with an additional \$4 service charge and a major credit card by calling (614) 890-6073. No refunds will be given after the deadline as financial commitments have been made. You can enter online at [www.r2sports.com](http://www.r2sports.com)

### USA RACQUETBALL MEMBERSHIP

USA Racquetball membership is required of all participants. At the time of registration entrants must present a current membership card, a receipt, or a cancelled check (indicating recent enrollment) as proof of membership. Memberships will be available at the tournament. The cost is \$50 per year for a competitive license or \$20 for a limited access weekend membership.

### EYEWEAR

Lensed eyewear manufactured for racquet sports is mandatory.

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### RULES AND AGE REQUIREMENT

USAR Official Rules will govern competition. For age division competition, players must meet the proper age requirement as of the first day of the tournament (April 24).

### STARTING TIMES

Players may obtain starting times after 4 p.m. Wednesday, **April 22nd** by checking on-line at [www.r2sports.com](http://www.r2sports.com) and clicking on this tournament. **Play may begin as early as 5 p.m. on Friday, April 24th.** An effort will be made to accommodate special starting times requested in advance, though they cannot be guaranteed. No changes will be permitted once starting times have been distributed to the players.

### SPECIAL NOTES

**You must play, not merely enter, an adult regional qualifier or your State Singles in order to play in the 2009 U.S. National Singles Championships in Houston, May 20 - 25.** Also, please note that in the Men's and Women's Open singles divisions, only one serve will be allowed in the Regionals and Nationals. Therefore, a fault serve will result in a side out.

### REFEREES

This Tournament will be run with no referees. All players will use the honor system when playing matches.

### OFFICIAL BALL

Pro Penn (Green)



### TOURNAMENT FORMAT

There must be four (4) entrants in a division in order to run the division. With less than four entrants, the tournament director will notify the entrant that he/she has a choice of: 1.) withdrawing from the tournament, or 2.) being combined with another division. Any division may be combined as deemed necessary by the tournament director. Where three (3) or less players enter a division, a playoff will be held to establish a winner. If only one player enters a division, the championship will be awarded to that entrant. **CONSOLATION BRACKETS WILL BE OFFERED IF COURT TIME IS AVAILABLE. IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT ALL PLAYERS ENTER AT LEAST TWO DIVISIONS.**

### ENTRY FEE INCLUDES

All players will receive a souvenir tournament shirt and **AWESOME** complimentary hospitality throughout the weekend. **THE REGIONALS IS KNOWN FOR GREAT FOOD!**

### AWARDS

High quality medals will be given to the top four finishers in each division (top 2 if less than 12 entrants in a division)

### SKILL LEVEL CERTIFICATION

Skill level entrants (A, B, C, D divisions) must be AmPRO certified at that level, OR have played in the same division for the three months prior to the event, OR be approved by the State Director or representative as being legitimately competitive in the entered skill division at the Regional level. The tournament Director will use these benchmarks to determine eligibility for skill competition and reserves the right to reclassify or disqualify players when/if they are improperly placed.

### ACCOMMODATIONS

The official tournament hotel is The RESIDENCE INN located next door to the club. The RESIDENCE INN offers comfortable sleeping rooms, a complimentary hot breakfast bar each morning, an indoor heated pool, free high speed internet, and a **special discount rate**. Players must mention the Regional Racquetball Championships for the special rate. It is strongly recommended that players use The RESIDENCE INN and make reservations as soon as possible. Rooms are limited.

### Residence Inn

3628 Park East Drive  
Beachwood, Ohio 44122  
(216) 831-3030

(NEXT DOOR TO THE CLUB!)

## ENTRY FORM

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone (day) \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone (night) \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Home Club \_\_\_\_\_

### Please check one:

MENS       WOMENS

### Players may enter a maximum of any three events: \_

SINGLES	SINGLES	DOUBLES
<input type="radio"/> Open/AA	<input type="radio"/> 24- A	<input type="radio"/> Men's Open
<input type="radio"/> Jr. Vets (24-)	<input type="radio"/> 24- B	<input type="radio"/> Men's A
<input type="radio"/> Jr. Vets (25+)	<input type="radio"/> 24- C	<input type="radio"/> Men's B
<input type="radio"/> Veterans (30+)	<input type="radio"/> 25+ A	<input type="radio"/> Women's Open
<input type="radio"/> Seniors (35+)	<input type="radio"/> 25+ B	<input type="radio"/> Women's A
<input type="radio"/> Vet. Seniors (40+)	<input type="radio"/> 25+ C	<input type="radio"/> Women's B
<input type="radio"/> Masters (45+)	<input type="radio"/> 35+ A	<input type="radio"/> Mixed Open
<input type="radio"/> Vet. Masters (50+)	<input type="radio"/> 35+ B	<input type="radio"/> Mixed A/B
<input type="radio"/> Golden Masters (55+)	<input type="radio"/> 35+ C	
<input type="radio"/> Sen. Golden Mast. (60+)	<input type="radio"/> 45+ A	
<input type="radio"/> Vet. Golden Mast. (65+)	<input type="radio"/> 45+ B	
<input type="radio"/> Adv. Golden Mast. (70+)	<input type="radio"/> 45+ C	
<input type="radio"/> Super Gold. Mast. (75+)	<input type="radio"/> 55+ A	
<input type="radio"/> Elite	<input type="radio"/> 55+ B	
<input type="radio"/> A	<input type="radio"/> 55+ C	
<input type="radio"/> B		
<input type="radio"/> C		
<input type="radio"/> D		
<input type="radio"/> Novice*		

**BOYS**       **GIRLS**

<input type="radio"/> 18 & under	<input type="radio"/> 10 & under
<input type="radio"/> 16 & under	<input type="radio"/> 8 & under
<input type="radio"/> 14 & under	<input type="radio"/> 8 & under (multi)
<input type="radio"/> 12 & under	<input type="radio"/> 6 & under (multi)

\*The NOVICE division is for players who have been playing racquetball for less than one year and have not participated in more than one sanctioned tournament. This division is for beginners only.

### PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE AND MAIL TO:

REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

6449 Lake Trail Drive  
Westerville, Ohio 43082

### Waiver Clause:

I hereby for myself, my heirs, executors, and administrators waive and release any and all claims that I may have against the Regional host site, USA Racquetball HEAD/Penn Racquet Sports, tournament staff, tournament sponsors or their respective agents for any and all injuries.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_