



KENNETH R. OLSON MIDDLE SCHOOL  
SCHOOL SPONSORED ACTIVITY PERMISSION SLIP  
iSTEM 9 Square Tournament for 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> Grade

Dear Parent/Guardian:

iSTEM will be sponsoring a **9 Square Tournament for 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> Grade** on Monday, March 11<sup>th</sup> from 2:30 to 5:00 pm. The cost of attending will be \$3 per student.

In order to ensure a positive, safe and secure social environment for our students, we have established the rules below:

Rules

1. Permission slips and payment must be returned to school prior to the day of the activity.
2. Activities are for Olson Middle School students only. No outside guests are permitted.
3. **Students are to be picked up at the school (by the gym) promptly at 5:00 PM.** No student will be permitted to walk home.
4. All arrangements for transportation from the activity must be made prior to the tournament.
5. The use of the telephone (Cell phones included) is prohibited.
6. Students not attending school on the day of the activity may not attend the activity.
7. All school rules must be followed. This includes dress codes and appropriate behavior or the student will not be permitted to attend future activities.

Student \_\_\_\_\_ Homeroom \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_

\*my signature indicates I have read and will abide by the rules set above

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

If a problem/emergency arises, and I cannot be reached, the following person(s) will be available and have permission to act on my behalf.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Please review these rules with your child, fill in the necessary information and return to school with payment as soon as possible.

\*\*Please return to Ms. Petersack

**Chick-Fil-A Order Form for 5th/6th Grade 9-Square  
Tournament**

(Monday, March 11th!!)

**Menu**

- Chicken sandwiches + chips -   \$6   -
- 8 count chicken nuggets + chips -   \$6   -
- Grilled 8 count chicken nuggets + chips -   \$6   -

**Amount of Chicken Sandwiches orders:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Amount of Chicken Nuggets orders:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Amount of Grilled Chicken Nuggets orders:** \_\_\_\_\_

**First and Last Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Grade:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Homeroom:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Price:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Due date: Thursday, March 7th**

**\*\*You MUST attend 9-Square in order to receive your Chick-Fil-A order\*\***

**\*Payments can be made in cash or check to Tabernacle Board of Ed\***

## HOW TO PLAY:

THE OBJECTIVE OF THE GAME IS IF IT COMES INTO YOUR SQUARE TO HIT IT BACK INTO SOMEONE ELSE SQUARE. YOU WANT TO MAKE YOUR WAY INTO THE MIDDLE OF THE SQUARE AND STAY IN THE GAME. THE PERSON IN THE MIDDLE SQUARE (THE KING SQUARE) WILL SERVE THE BALL BY HITTING THE BALL UP AND OUT OF THEIR SQUARE. WHEN THE BALL COMES INTO YOUR SQUARE SIMPLY HIT THE BALL UP AND OUT OF YOUR SQUARE INTO ANY OTHER SQUARE.

- IF THE BALL FALLS INTO YOUR SQUARE, YOU ARE OUT.
- IF THE BALL IS HIT OUTSIDE OF THE WHOLE GAME STRUCTURE, THE LAST PERSON WHO TOUCHED THE BALL IS OUT.
- IF SOMEONE DOUBLE HITS THE BALL, THEY ARE OUT.
- IF SOMEONE HITS THE GAME STRUCTURE, THEY ARE OUT.

WHEN SOMEONE GETS OUT, THEY MOVE TO THE BACK OF THE LINE. EVERYONE WHO WAS BEHIND THEM WILL ADVANCE FORWARD ONE SQUARE TO FILL IN THE EMPTY PLACE.

## RULES:

- NO DOUBLE TOUCH
- STAY IN YOUR OWN SQUARE
- NO SAVING IN OTHER PEOPLE'S SQUARE
- NO ARGUING WITH OTHER PLAYERS & REFS. (YOU WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE GAME)
- IF THERE IS A TIE ALL TIED PARTIES MOVE ONTO THE FINALS
- IF NEEDED, THE REMAINING PLAYER IN ALL 5 PRELIMINARY ROUNDS WILL BE RANKED AGAINST EACH OTHER TO DETERMINE WHAT PLAYERS WILL ADVANCE TO THE FINALS.

#### PRELIMS/ROUNDS:

- TIMED ROUNDS DEPENDING ON THE NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS.
- EACH PERSON WILL HAVE AN INDEX CARD, THEY WILL RECEIVE A HOLE PUNCH WHEN THEY GET OUT
- THE PERSON WITH THE LEAST AMOUNT OF PUNCHES WILL WIN
- 9 PEOPLE PER ROUND
- 9 ROUNDS → TAKE TOP PERSON FROM EACH ROUND
- 5-8 ROUNDS → TAKE TOP FROM EACH ROUND, RANK OTHERS TAKE THE TOP
  - 5 → TAKE TOP 4
  - 6 → TAKE TOP 3
  - 7 → TAKE TOP 2
  - 8 → TAKE TOP 1
- 4 ROUNDS → TAKE TOP 2 FROM EACH ROUND, RANK OTHERS TAKE THE TOP
- 3 ROUNDS → TAKE TOP 3 FROM EACH ROUND
- 2 ROUNDS → TAKE TOP 4 FROM EACH ROUND, RANK OTHERS TAKE THE TOP
- 1 ROUND → ENDS WITH ONE WINNER

#### FINALS:

- NEW "PUNCH CARDS"
- TIMING BASED ON # OF PARTICIPANTS

#### PRICE:

- \$3 - STUDENTS
- \$5 - TEACHERS