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NAKID 101: All you need to know to play NAKID

## Meet the Fall 2009 NAKID Teams

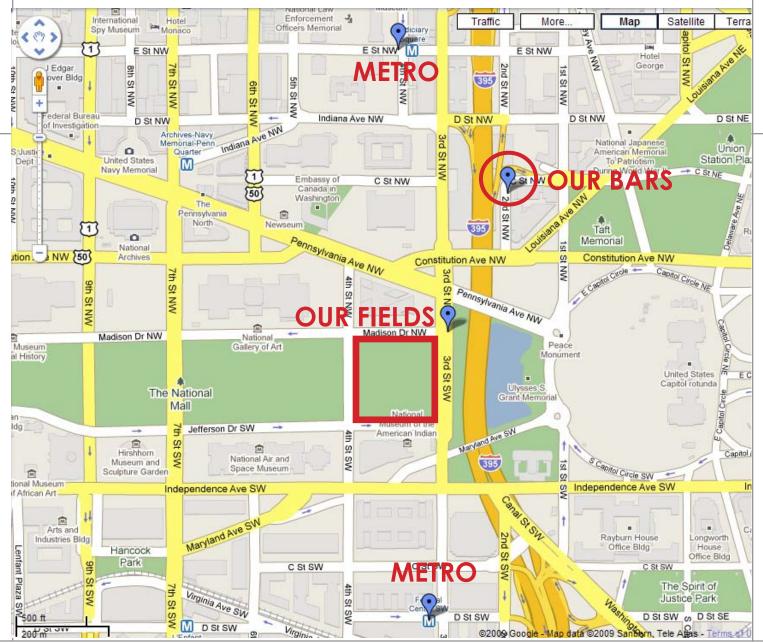
### Welcome to the Fall 2009 Kickball Season!

re you ready? Think you can handle the drinking, flipping, jello-shooting debauchery that is NAKID kickball? We hope so, because this is going to be the biggest, baddest, and best NAKID season yet!

This fall NAKID's social calendar is packed with fun, exciting events that will keep you busy and, we hope, very inebriated! On August 15th we're bringing back Beer Bingo, an old favorite that includes chugging beers and fun prizes! This is NOT your grandma's bingo! The following weekend we're partnering with another Meetup group for an outing to Club Muse—get free entry and mingle with other young professionals in DC. A week later you can test your knowledge of useless trivia in NAKID's 3rd World Series of Pop Culture. Remember, these events are just the tip of the iceberg—join NAKID's <u>Meetup site</u> to see all that we have planned for you, and to RSVP.

Now, in case you came to play kickball a little, too, below is a map of our fields, bars, and the closest metro stops. Click on the map to enlarge it and get specific directions, and go to page 3 for NAKID 101: all you need to know about how to play NAKID.

Finally, **registration is open until August 15th!** We have space on Sunday, Tuesday, and Wednesday teams, so if you have friends, roommates, coworkers, relatives, casual acquaintances, or booty calls who would like to play, send them to our website to sign up!



## NAKID Fall 2009 Kickoff Party!

Get ready for the Fall 2009 kickball season kickoff party! All NAKIDs get to drink tons of **FREE BEER** for a few hours, and we're going to be running around with about 500 jello shots! The theme is 80's—so don your Madonna and Billy Idol outfits and be ready to party and drink!

Whether you're a NAKID veteran or NAKID newbie, if you're looking to meet some fun people, this is officially the first of many of our great social events this season, so you DON'T want to miss it! In addition to the beer and jello shots, we'll also have tables set up for flip cup, drunkball, and beer pong.

NAKID's first big party will be at our sponsor bars, My Brother's Place (a bar) and Hamilton's. They're at 2nd St NW and Constitution. The nearest metro stations are Judiciary Square or Union Station (red line) and Federal Center SW (orange and blue lines).

Please note, if you arrive too late, the beer will be gone—you don't know how well a few hundred NAKIDs can drink! Being "fashionably late" will only get you so far! This is FREE for Fall NAKID kickball players, \$5 for previous NAKIDs and friends, and \$10 for non-NAKIDs.

If you haven't signed up for NAKID's Meetup site yet, do it now by clicking here! It's free and you'll be the first to know about all our upcoming events! You can also RSVP to reserve your spot at events with limited numbers, and you can RSVP for parties so we know how many people to expect, and, more importantly, how much beer to buy!

#### Previous kick off parties . . .



## NAKID JDJ: What You Didn't Learn in 4th Grade

Kickballers are athletes not alcoholics. Kickballers are athletes not alcoholics.

For all of you who haven't played since you were picked last in gym class and for those of you who have been playing since but have forgotten the true meaning of kickball (BEER), we at The Weekly Brew have decided to do a preemptive strike and answer most of the questions that have been burning in your brain about NAKID. Hopefully our answers will help you be a better player—or at least not look totally lost this season:

#### How long are the games?

Kickball games are 7 innings. However, there is a one-hour time limit for kickball, so make sure you strike out quickly!



Payphones

still exist.

There's no

excuse for

not letting your captain

know you're going to miss

a game.

#### What if I can't make it to a game?

Let your captain know. All teams field five

men and five women each week and no-shows cause unneeded stress. If you don't have your captain's number, send smoke signals.



At home. We play on National Parks and Rec area, so **no alcohol**. If you are caught with it, you will be kicked out of NAKID and get a ticket or jailed. Everyone will claim to not know who you are, then we will follow you to jail and bail you out with pennies.

## I am short one guy and a hottie is walking by. Can we snag him for the game?

**NO**. You will have to start out the game down a run and take an out whenever that person would have come up. Instead, drunk dial the no-show all night—that'll teach him.

## Ok, the game's over and I need beer, where do I go?

My Brother's Place at 237 Second St. NW, or Hamilton's at 223 Second St. NW (right next door to each other!). Cheap beer, four floors and two outside patios. Just make sure you are wearing your NAKID shirt so you can get the specials.

#### I want to go to the bar. Why do I have to ref a game?

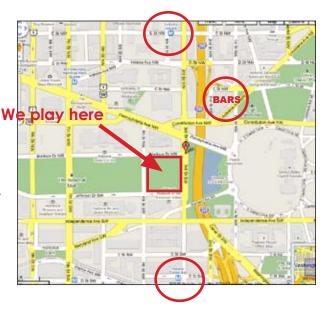
The team(s) that are not playing in a certain week are not off—you are our officials! We need each team to have at least 8 refs out who know the rules!!

Send out clueless umpires and you will get the same. For doing this, you get 5 free pitchers of beer! Hmm, 8 people, 5 pitchers—that's a good start on winning LOTW!

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#### Where do we play?

We play in front of the Capitol on the Mall, on 3rd St. and Madison Dr., three blocks from the bars. The closest metro stops are Union Station (Red), Judiciary Square (Red) and Federal Center SW (Blue/Orange). For those driving, your best bet is to park at the bars and walk over.



#### It's been a few weeks and I don't mesh with my team; they are not big drinkers and I carry a flask with me to AA. What can I do?

Talk to your captain about trading you to another team. Trades are allowed as long as shirts are swapped and everyone is okay with the moves.

How do I contact my captain? If you log into the website (middle of the homepage) you will see contact info for your captain as well as everyone else on your team. Happy stalking!



FYI, practices are what we call "happy hours."

## I played in other leagues and people didn't really socialize outside of their team, but I want to. Help!

Luckily, you joined NAKID. We encourage mixing with everyone; this is why people JOIN NAKID in the first place. Don't worry, except when at flip cup tables, people will be more than happy to chat you up—and maybe take you home.

## It's 2 p.m. on Tuesday and raining. Are we still gonna play?

Put this number in your phone book: 571-482-7743. That's the NAKID Hotline that you can call for weather updates. As a general rule, yes, we'll

play. If not, an e-mail will be sent to the league letting you know games are off 1–2 hours before game time. But don't fret—when games are called off, there is free beer at the bars (you **must** wear your NAKID shirt for the free beer), so come out and play flip cup!

#### Are there practices?

Well, it varies by team, but generally no. Some teams throw the ball around and kick a little right before their games, but no one organizes a specific time and place to do it. Fields are usually set up an hour before game time, so you can practice then.

#### I have suggestions to make NAKID better. Whom do I contact?

Just send your brilliant plans to nakid2009@gmail.com

#### Questions? Comments? Bored at work?

Send questions and comments to nakid2009@gmail.com. Or get yourself on the NAKID message board to discuss. Don't rely on just the Brew, occasional e-mail announcements or your captain to keep you informed. Visit NAKID's message board to chat about the upcoming events, ask questions or just talk about anything. Sign up for an account and chat away.

Here at the Brew, we understand that there is a lot of confusion out there about which team is which color, a problem that can cause game delays as you search for your opponent, or hookup delays as you search for the hot chick your buddy told you about on W.A.D. So, in an effort to eliminate these situations, we offer you this handy guide to the NAKID team colors.

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## Early Sunday





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## Flicup

For the new NAKIDs, and any veterans who like to conveniently forget, here are the NAKID rules on official flip cup games: 6 v 6, no backboards, best of 7, no subs during these games. That's it. 10 v 10 games don't count, so keep those to a minimum. If you lose, you leave the table. If you refuse, your team will be last in the rankings.

In the tournament there will be a no-spillage rule and beer will be measured, so you can play now however you like but keep that in mind.

Each week, preferably the day after your game, send your flip cup game results to weeklybrew@gmail.com, including your team name, the names of the teams you played, and who won. If you don't send your results, you won't get ranked high, and complaining won't help.

For NAKID veterans: Please remember that flip cup is supposed to be FUN. We know that you play it like it's your job and thus are the best but don't get upset at new people for talking in between rounds or losing focus when drunk. It's a game!

