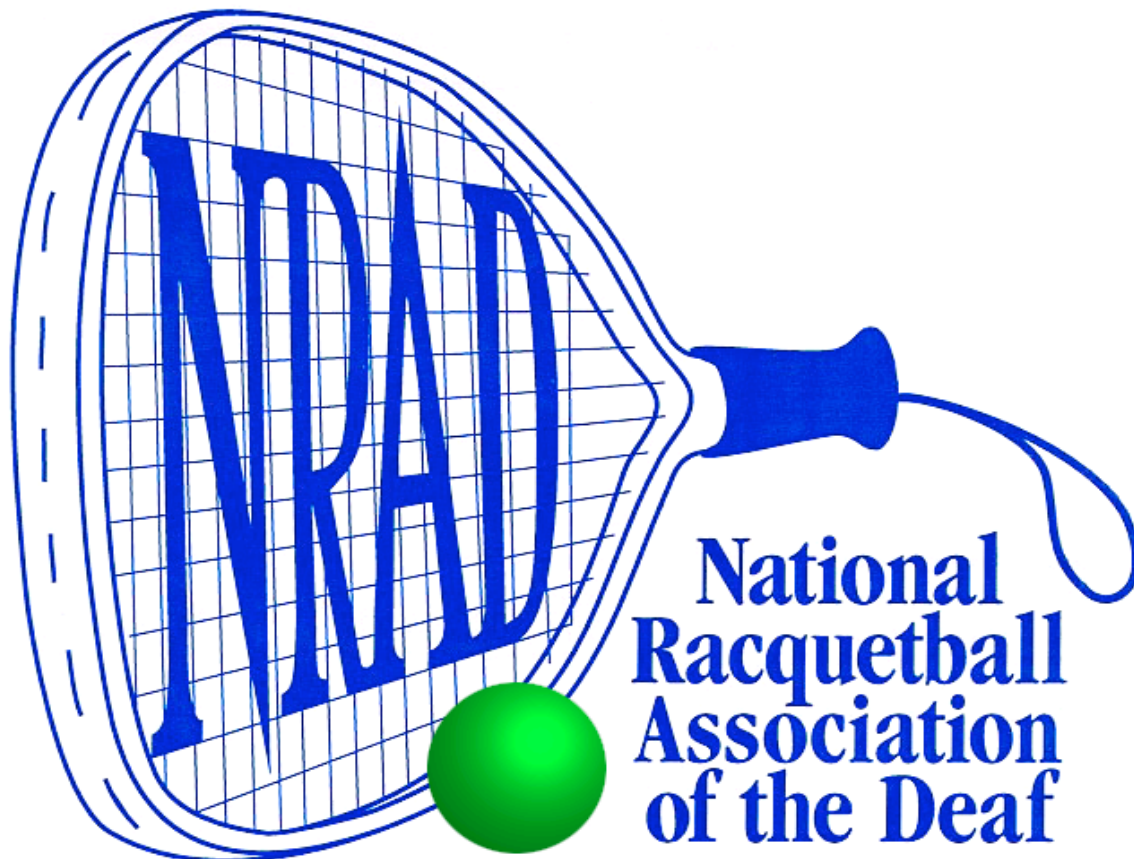


# XXVII Annual NRAD Racquetball Championships



April 27-29, 2012

Severna Park Racquetball and Fitness Club

Millersville, Maryland 21108

[www.sprfc.com](http://www.sprfc.com)



**Please enter me in:**

<b>Singles</b>	Men's Division	Women's Division
Open	{ }	{ }
A	{ }	{ }
B	{ }	{ }
C	{ }	{ }
Novice	{ }	{ }
35A	{ }	{ }
35B	{ }	{ }
35C	{ }	{ }
45A	{ }	{ }
45B	{ }	{ }
45C	{ }	{ }

**Doubles**

Group 1	{ }	{ }
Group 2	{ }	{ }
Group 3	{ }	{ }
Mixed Group 1	{ }	{ }
Mixed Group 2	{ }	{ }
Mixed Group 3	{ }	{ }

See Below for Double Rules instructions.

**Doubles Partner 1** \_\_\_\_\_

**Doubles Partner 2** \_\_\_\_\_

**NRAD Entry Form – Please print legibly**

**Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address** \_\_\_\_\_

**City** \_\_\_\_\_

**State** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip** \_\_\_\_\_

**Day Tel No. (VP/TTY)** \_\_\_\_\_

**Evening Tel No. (VP/TTY)** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email address** \_\_\_\_\_

**Birth date** \_\_\_\_\_

**Shirt Size:** S  M  L  XL  XXL

**FEES & PAYMENTS**

First Event (open) \_\_\_\_\_ \$55.00 \_\_\_\_\_

First Event \_\_\_\_\_ \$45.00 \_\_\_\_\_

Second Event \_\_\_\_\_ \$25.00 \_\_\_\_\_

Third Event (Doubles Only) \_\_\_\_\_ \$20.00 \_\_\_\_\_

NRAD Membership fee \_\_\_\_\_ \$10.00 \_\_\_\_\_ 10.00 \_\_\_\_\_

Entry Late Fee: \_\_\_\_\_ \$15.00 \_\_\_\_\_

Total Due: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please make check payable to: NRAD**

**Note: Doubles Rules for Men’s, Women’s and Mixed Events.**

- Group 1 – **Open** Players may **choose Open, A, B, C,** or **Novice** player
- Group 2 – An **A** player may **choose an A, B, C or Novice** player or a **B** Player choose another **A, B, C, or Novice** Player
- Group 3 – A **C** player may **choose a C or Novice** player or a **Novice** player choose another **Novice** Player

A change in playing partners may be made so long as the first match of the posted team has not begun. For this purpose only, the match will be considered started once the teams have been called to the court. The team must notify the tournament director of the change prior to the beginning of the match.

**Send Payments (payable to ‘NRAD’) and entry form to:**

Bill Milbach  
 c/o NRAD  
 4869 Avoca Ave  
 Ellicott City, MD 21043

**Waiver –I hereby, for myself, my heirs, executors, and administrators, waive and release any and all rights and claims for damages I may have against National Racquetball Association of the Deaf, Severna Park Racquetball & Fitness Club and their representatives, successors and assigns, for any and all injuries which may be suffered by me in connection with this tournament.**

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of parent if applicant is under 18

## Tournament Information:

1. Singles and Doubles matches are double-elimination.
2. Player will forfeit if the player has not checked at the tournament desk by scheduled playing time.
3. Tournament director has the right to deny or reclassify any entrant.
4. For age division competition, players must meet the proper age requirement as of January 1, 2012.
5. Divisions may be combined or eliminated if there are not enough entrants.
6. NRAD sanctioned tournament. A NRAD membership is required.
7. Modified USRA rules. Matches will be 2 games to 15 points, with a tiebreaker, if necessary, to 11 points. All games are won by one point.
8. NO SMOKING allowed in the club.
9. Stringer will be available throughout the tournament.
10. Certified referee will be available for questions throughout the tournament.
11. **LENSED EYEWEAR** manufactured for the racquet sports is **MANDATORY** in all events or violators will **FORFEIT** their match. **Protective eyewear must meet ASTM impact standards (F 803-XX) for racquetball, as specified in USAR Rule 2.5(a).**
12. All **winners** will be required to referee. Failure to referee will result in forfeit of the next match. It is your responsibility to find a replacement.

**Tournament Director:** Bill Milbach

## Host Site Information:

**Location:** Severna Park Racquetball and Fitness Club  
8514 Veterans Highway  
Millersville, MD 21108

**Accommodations:** Aloft Arundel Mills 7520 Teague Road, Hanover, Maryland 21076. Rate is \$99.00/night and shuttle bus will be available to/from hotel and club at no cost. Please visit [nrad.org](http://nrad.org) to get special code.

**Airport:** BWI - Baltimore Washington International Airport is about 15 miles away from the club.

**Starting Time:** Play may start as early as 9:00 am EST on Friday morning. Starting times will be available at the hotel on the evening of April 26, 2012 and online at [www.nrad.org](http://www.nrad.org).

**Entry Deadline:** All entries must be post-marked, with payment, by April 13, 2012. For online entries, the deadline is Monday, April 16, 2012 at 5:00pm EST. Late entries will be accepted up until Monday, April 23, 2012 by 5:00pm (Eastern Time) for an additional fee of: \$15. Please do not mail the late entry form. There will be **NO REFUNDS**. No exceptions!

**Entry Fee Includes:** Breakfast will be provided on Saturday and Sunday. Lunch will be provided on Friday and Saturday. Dinner will be provided on Friday and Saturday evening. On Saturday evening, there will be an announcement at a later time. Tournament souvenirs for all participants! Cash, medals, and prize awards will be given to all 1st, 2nd, and 3rd places. **A minimum of 8 entrants is required for full cash prizes in all divisions. Otherwise, cash prizes will be pro-rated based on the number of entrants.**

**Eligibility:** An athlete shall have a hearing loss of 55 dB or greater to compete in the NRAD tournament.

**Donations:** Participants, sponsors, fans, and friends are encouraged to make monetary contributions to NRAD. No amount will be too small to be accepted with deep gratitude. Such contributions will help NRAD to more effectively conduct its business and administrative affairs. Please contact the NRAD Treasurer, **Mark Heflin** at [mheflin@gmail.com](mailto:mheflin@gmail.com) about making a donation to NRAD. All donations to NRAD are tax deductible.

**For more information**, please contact Slemo Warigon, NRAD President at [nrad.president@gmail.com](mailto:nrad.president@gmail.com). Follow us on Facebook: [http://tiny.cc/FB\\_NRAD](http://tiny.cc/FB_NRAD) and Twitter: @NRAD\_RBALL . NRAD Board meeting will be held on Thursday evening (time to be determined later), April 26th at Aloft Arundel Mills Hotel. The NRAD General meeting will be on Saturday at 12:00pm at the club. Matches will resume at 1pm.