

2nd Annual Sig Tau Open Disc Golf Tournament

Presented by Sigma Tau Gamma

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Introduction

We are Sigma Tau Gamma, a national collegiate fraternity founded in 1920 by veterans of the First World War to be a fraternity of courageous and noble gentlemen who always endeavor forward. Our members dedicate themselves to a set of six principles: Learning, Integrity, Excellence, Leadership, Citizenship, and Brotherhood. With these principles we hope to encourage the growth of noble men on the UWL campus. Our mission as an organization is to develop better leaders of tomorrow. Sigma Tau Gamma is also a huge supporter of Operation River Watch. We founded Operation River Watch in 2006, a campus-based initiative in La Crosse, Wisconsin that seeks to prevent alcohol-related tragedies that result in accidental drowning in the Mississippi River. Furthermore, Operation: River Watch seeks to cultivate and promote a stronger sense of social responsibility and safety in La Crosse's drinking culture. Our national philanthropy is Special Olympics and our local philanthropy is SPI (Suicide Prevention Initiative).

What is Disc Golf?

Disc golf is like regular golf; however, instead of using golf clubs and balls aiming for a hole, disc golf players use golf discs and aim for a disc golf basket, a pole extending up from the ground with chains and a basket where the disc lands. The object of the game is to complete each hole in the fewest number of throws, starting from a tee area and finishing at the disc golf basket. Generally, a course is 9 or 18 targets long. Players start at "hole" one and complete the course in order, playing through to the last hole. The player with the lowest total cumulative score wins.

Details

We would like a second fundraiser disc golf tournament, the Sig Tau Open, to take place on September 20th at Pettibone Park from 8:15am-4:00pm. We will be playing one round of 27 holes. All holes will be a par 3 with all mandatories and out of bounds as per usual for the course. We expect at least 20 people and at most 50 people to participate in the tournament. We also plan to reach out to local businesses for sponsorship. We hope to raise funds through raffle items as well. We will be offering player packs for special divisions that include, but are not limited to, custom stamped

disc from Innova Discs. For this event, we would like to reserve Pettibone and the large gazebo for the occasion.

Purpose

The purpose of this event is to raise funds so we can give back to the community through Operation River Watch and La Crosse Area Suicide Prevention Initiative. Our goal is to bring awareness to Operation River Watch and raise funds for our organization's initiatives.

Conclusion

Sigma Tau Gamma strives to create young leaders of tomorrow. This event will help raise funds for our organization and help with community outreach specifically through Operation River Watch and our local/national Philanthropies. **We desire to use Pettibone Park to host our fundraiser and use the pavilion at the end of Riverview Dr. as our home base for the tournament on the date of Sunday, September 20th.**

Help us make this possible so we can better support the community! If you have further questions, please feel free to email us at sigtaudiscgolf@gmail.com, call Adam Schmeiser at (920)627-6038 or Sam Brodahl (309)840-6356. Thank you!