

**The Association of Airport Employees (AAE)
TABLE TENNIS TOURNAMENT**

Tournament Rules

1. The tournament is free to enter.
2. Only LAWA employees are allowed to play in the tournament.
3. Each player will be responsible to get in contact with his/her opponent to play their match.
4. Both players must agree if the match is going to be forfeited.
5. The tournament will start April 15, 2020.
6. There will be two winners: 1st Place trophy & 2nd Place trophy
7. The tournament will be a double elimination (winners and losers brackets).
8. There will be a tournament board placed in LAX maintenance lunchroom & Van Nuys maintenance lunchroom.
9. Games are played to 11 points.
10. Each player serves two serves each, alternating. Depending on table configuration, player on the westerly/northerly side of the table serves first.
11. If a game is tied at 10-10, a player must win by 2 points. In this situation, players serve one serve each, alternating.
12. Player that wins best of 3 (first to win 2 games) wins the match. The final/championship match will be played best of 5 (first to win 3 games).
13. The tournament will be held at LAX, in the maintenance lunchroom.

Serves

1. Ball must be thrown up straight, from a flat palm, at least 6 inches.
2. Toss and service contact must be behind the table surface (not over.)
3. The ball cannot be hidden from the ball toss to contact, with any part of your body.
4. Ball must first make contact on server's side of table.
5. If the ball hits the net and lands on the opponent's side of the table during service, it is a net, the point is replayed.
6. There is no limit or point deductions for net serves.
7. If the ball hits the net, but does not land on the opponent's side of the table during services, the server loses the point.

Interested participants must complete the below and submit signed form to **Jimmy Sparks** by hard copy or e-mail (jsparks@lawa.org) by **March 31, 2020**.

Name _____ **Date** _____

Work Location: _____ **Phone** _____

Signature _____

NOTE: LAWA is not liable for the payment of workers' compensation benefits for any injury which arises OUT OF AN EMPLOYEES'S VOLUNTARY PARTICIPATION IN ANY OFF-DUTY RECREATIONAL, SOCIAL, ATHLETIC, CHARITABLE OR FUNDRAISING ACTIVITY WHICH IS NOT PART OF THE EMPLOYEE'S WORK-RELATED DUTIES.