1. All players must play the first week of competition as follows: Position 1 vs. 2, 3 vs. 4, 5 vs. 6 and on through each ladder. After this first match you can challenge someone who is one or two steps above you on the ladder. If there is an odd number of participants in a ladder, the bottom player can challenge either of the top two players above him/her.

2. The game rules will follow the **2014 USAR Official Rules of Racquetball**. These are available at [http://www.teamusa.org/USA-Racquetball/How-To-Play/Rules](http://www.teamusa.org/USA-Racquetball/How-To-Play/Rules)

3. The match ball will be any one agreed upon by both players.

4. **CHALLENGING**: First, the challenger obtains the name and telephone number of the player (one or two steps above) they wish to challenge. Then call and agree upon a match time within three days. A list of all participants’ names, phone numbers, and e-mail addresses are posted on the Intramural bulletin board and are available at the Intramural Office.

   The match must be played within three (3) days of the challenge or the challenger takes the position of the challenged.

   Racquetball court reservations must be made by the players. For reservations telephone 487-2761.

5. All ladders are posted in the showcase across from the Physical Education Office. The ladders will be constantly updated.

6. Winner is determined by winning two (2) of three (3) games. Games one and two will be played to 15 points. The third game (a tiebreaker), if necessary, will be the first player to score 11 points.

7. Please announce the score before every serve.

8. Replay any disputed call or play.

9. After each match, E-mail the final scores to "Amber Leonard" <alleonar@mtu.edu>. The match score must be reported by the winner before positions on the ladder are changed.

10. Players are encouraged to play at least once per week.

11. There will be a three (3) day waiting period before a return challenge can be made. This will allow an opportunity for other players to get in a challenge during this time.

12. Ladder play will last approximately three weeks (Friday, April 13). The top four players (this may vary depending on how many in the ladder) in each ladder will then play a single elimination tournament to determine the championships (separate ladder champions in each class). Check the IM bulletin board for all dates and information. The Single elimination tournament will begin on Monday, April 16. (dates are subject to change)

Any problems or questions should be referred to Amber Leonard, Room 202, SDC, telephone 487-2929 or e-mail <alleonar@mtu.edu> or Craig Pellizzaro, Room 202, SDC telephone 487-3040 or e-mail <crpelliz@mtu.edu>.