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ATHLETIC AGREEMENT FOR TOURNAMENT

This Agreement made and entered into on Wednesday, June 25, 2025, by and between the authorities of Basketball Travelers, Inc. of 300 Admiral Way, Suite 214, Edmonds WA 98020 (hereafter BTI) and the Miami University (hereafter MU) stipulates:

Section One -- Description

Agreement is for the Paradise Jam Reef, Island, or Ocean Tournament. These are three separate and distinct "Qualifying Regular Season Multi-team Event" (MTE), 2-game tournaments (hereafter TOURNAMENT). You will be placed in one of the tournaments in late spring of 2025.

The pairings in the TOURNAMENT will not be determined until the spring of 2025. Pairings will largely be determined by NET or RPI, but maybe adjusted for regional or broadcasting concerns. The dates for the event are November 25 - November 30, 2025. The tentative game dates are November 27, 28, and 29, 2025. Games are to be conducted under NCAA rules with 3 NCAA officials for each game.

Section Two -- BTI Responsibility

BTI will provide a guarantee of \$35,000 and the following for MU Women's FINAL TRAVEL PARTY:

- 1. Ground transportation to and from St. Thomas airport, games, practices, and hotel.
- 2. The Westin Beach Resort & Spa at Frenchman's Reef or similar hotel property, double occupancy.
- 3. No meals are included. A TOURNAMENT reception may be included.
- 4. Gift to all participants.
- 5. Suite upgrade for head coach.
- 6. Tickets for the team party to all games.
- 7. A practice time for each full day at the TOURNAMENT.
- 8. All TOURNAMENT and game fees and costs.
- 9. Catamaran Snorkel Tour, weather depending.

Section Three -- MU Responsibility

MU is responsible for:

- 1. Air travel to St. Thomas
- 2. Payment for the TOURNAMENT package to BTI.
- 2. Providing or obtaining all necessary visas, passports, and/or identification. The US Virgin Islands are a US Territory, but proof of citizenship is required for US citizens and passports and visas may be required for Non-US citizens.
- 3. All incidentals including, but not limited to, phone calls, laundry, shopping, parking, tolls, and additional sightseeing.
- 4. Meals that are not included.
- 5. Airline baggage fees.
- 6. Any extras that MU requests. This could include, but is not limited to, single occupancy hotel rooms, extra tour days, and additional or specifically requested sightseeing.

MU will obtain insurance that will cover all participants and staff during the TOURNAMENT:

- 1. Medical Insurance, basic and catastrophic injury coverage.
- 2. Comprehensive general liability for bodily injury and property damage.

Such insurance shall be primary to any insurance carried by BTI. Where applicable, MU shall name BTI as an additional insured.

Neither party to this agreement shall be responsible for personal injury or other loss except that resulting from its own negligence and/or willful misconduct or the negligence and/or the willful misconduct of those acting within its control, and each shall hold the other harmless from any and all liability to their persons for such negligence and/or willful misconduct of such persons.

In the event of a situation beyond the control of BTI that entails MU staying additional nights on the tour and/or modifying their flight itinerary, MU is responsible for the additional charges.

Section Six-- Boosters

MU shall promote BTI as the sole provider for MU boosters to accompany the team to the TOURNAMENT.

- MU will be receive \$250 per person for each MU fan that books a Paradise Jam package with BTI (for example....150 sold packages is \$37,500), payable at the conclusion of the TOURNAMENT towards the cost of the TOURNAMENT or for NIL.
- BTI will produce a promotional flyer
- MU will distribute flyer and other relevant information at a booster club meeting and in mailings
 to season ticket holder and include a letter from the Head Coach inviting fans and alumni to join
 MU at the TOURNAMENT.
- MU will email event information to the booster club, parents and alumni.
- MU will put an advertisement (banner ad, splash page, or similar) with hyperlink to the TOURNAMENT website by January 1, 2025, or within one month of Agreement execution if after that date.
- The TOURNAMENT will be promoted at one home game which could include distribution of a flyer, PA announcements, program ad or flyer insert into program.

Section Seven -- NCAA Guidelines

MU and BTI agree to adhere to NCAA guidelines necessary in participating in a TOURNAMENT.

Section Eight -- Due Dates

June 26, 2025 - Return signed Agreement

June 26, 2025 - Estimate of MU travel party number (hereafter

TENTATIVE TRAVEL PARTY)

July 15, 2025 - Pay amount due for TENTATIVE TRAVEL PARTY

October 1, 2025 - All team information submitted for TOURNAMENT program

- FINAL TRAVEL PARTY names and pay any balance due

Payments must be by check, wire, or ACH bank transfer. Credit cards are not an acceptable form of payment.

Section Nine -- Penalties

After June 26, 2025, there is a \$30,000.00 per game cancellation penalty if MU should choose to cancel its participation in the TOURNAMENT. The parties agree that exact harm is difficult to estimate, but that the amount stated herein is reasonable. The amount must be received within seven days of cancellation or MU's right to cancellation has been abrogated permanently.

Section Fourteen - Notices

A. All notices and other communications in connection with this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be deemed given if delivered personally, sent via email (with confirmation), mailed by registered or certified mail (return receipt requested) or delivered by an express courier (with confirmation).

Please sign and return the enclosed copy of the Agreement. This must be signed and returned by **June 26, 2025**. After this date, the above terms may no longer apply. BTI, however, does retain the right to accept any other university prior to receipt of your signed and dated Agreement. BTI's acceptance of another university team from MU's conference or the filling of the TOURNAMENT will terminate the consideration of MU from participating in the TOURNAMENT.

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Athletic Director:	Mark TaylorDocuSigned by:
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Date:	6/27/2025
Organization:	Basketball Travelers, Inc.
Name:	Nels Hawkinson
Signature:	14/5
Date:	JUE 25, 2025