UT Tyler Rec Sports IM Battleship
Rules and Guidelines

I. TEAMS
- Teams may consist of 2, 3, or 4 members
- Teams may be all male, all female, or co-rec
- Participants may only be on one team

II. EQUIPMENT
- Canoes will be provided by Campus Recreation
- Participants must provide their own buckets, shields, etc.
- One piece of equipment per participant

III. PLAY
- 4 canoes in the pool at a time
- On the starters whistle, teams will attempt to flood the opposition’s boats by splashing and dumping water into their boats
- Participants MAY NOT BAIL OUT OF THEIR OWN BOATS with their hands, buckets, or shields.
- Participants MAY NOT steady their boat using the sides of the pool or other boats
- Participants MAY NOT attempt to tip opponents’ canoes by grabbing the canoe or the opponents themselves
- The canoe is considered sunk when the entire boat is submerged under water
- The last team whose canoe is still floating wins that round

IV. FORMAT
- Opening round pool play - top team will advance to next round automatically
- Loser’s Bracket - remaining teams will have to compete for a chance to return to winners’ side of the bracket
- Elimination Rounds - top team of each heat will advance to next round, for as many rounds as necessary (determined by the number of entries)