



**2018
Team Handbook**

What is Bronco Cup?

Bronco Cup is a series of team events taking place during homecoming week to promote campus spirit and is a great way to build community with friends, students, faculty and staff.

Bronco Cup features different events each day throughout homecoming week where teams will have the opportunity to receive points or just participate for fun.

You earn points by attending and performing well at each event listed on the following pages. The team with the most points at the end of the week will be champions of the Bronco Cup! They will have their team name engraved on a traveling trophy, receive a grand prize for their teammates, and be honored at the homecoming football game.

Alcohol, Dress Policy, & Respect

Anyone who has been consuming alcoholic beverages will not be permitted to participate or watch any Bronco Cup event. Bronco Cup is a week of fun-filled events that can be experienced without any type of drug or substance. If a person is visibly intoxicated, they will be nicely asked to leave the venue.

Proper attire will be expected out of every participant and attendee at any Bronco Cup event. Anyone dressing inappropriately will be asked kindly to leave the venue. Dressing up for certain events is more than welcomed, especially theme-related costumes.

Respect will be expected out of every participant and attendee at any Bronco Cup event. Disrespectful behaviors, inappropriate comments, and/or rude comments will not be tolerated. Bronco Cup is a fun experience with the sole purpose of celebrating Homecoming week at Boise State University. Be proud of being a Bronco and show that pride respectfully to other members in the community.

Who is Coordinating Bronco Cup?

Bronco Cup is put together by the Student Involvement and Leadership Center Programming Assistants. If you have any questions or concerns regarding Bronco Cup, please contact Sarah Buchanan by emailing sarahbuchanan@boisestate.edu

Team Formation and Registration

Team Formation:

- Teams must have a designated Captain register the team.
- Teams should have 4-8 individuals at each Bronco Cup event.
- Substitutions are allowed in the case that the same participants cannot attend all events.
- There is no requirement as to gender ratios.
- Teams may consist of current students, faculty, staff, and/or alumni.

Registration:

- Open - Monday, Oct. 8
- Close - Friday, Oct. 26
- To register follow the links on the Bronco Cup page of the homecoming.boisestate.edu website or click the [REGISTRATION LINK](#)

Team Captains

Each team must designate a Team Captain. Team Captains must attend one informational meeting for an explanation of the Bronco Cup rules, point system, event details and a physical copy of this handbook. All meetings will take place in the Student Involvement and Leadership Center on the 2nd floor of the Student Union. Informational meetings will last about 20 minutes on the following dates:

- Monday, Oct. 22nd at 3PM, 4PM
- Tuesday, Oct. 23rd at 5PM, 6PM
- Wednesday, Oct. 24th at 2PM, 3PM
- Thursday, Oct. 25th at 6:30PM

If the Team Captain cannot attend one of the informational sessions, then they must send a representative from the team. Please be prepared to indicate which info session you can attend when [registering your team](#).

Substitutions & Large Organizations

Organizations with more than 8 members are welcome to form multiple Bronco Cup teams. However, organizations are also allowed to substitute different participants for each event in Bronco Cup. Organizations with less than 4 members are still eligible to receive full participation points as long as they participate in the event. If one organization decides to host multiple teams, they are required to make **one parade float as an organization**. Each team represented by that organization will receive the participation points for their team. For all the other events of Bronco Cup, teams will be judged individually.

Point System

There are two types of points that teams can earn during Bronco Cup.

Bonus Points: Points are awarded to the winners of the individual events. The maximum number of points a team can receive from an individual event is 100. Below is a table showing how points are awarded.

Participation Points: Teams can earn participation points by attending and participating in Bronco Cup events. Each event will be worth 100 participation points.

POINT SYSTEM TABLE

EVENT NAME	DATE/TIME/LOCATION	Possible Participation Points	Possible Bonus Points	Total Possible Points
BRONCO TRIVIA	Tuesday 10/30 7:00pm start Student Union, Dining Area	100	1 ST PLACE - 100 2 ND PLACE - 50 3 RD PLACE - 25	200
BUBBLE SOCCER TOURNAMENT	Wednesday 10/31 7:00pm start Caven Williams	100	1 ST PLACE - 100 2 ND PLACE - 50 3 RD PLACE - 25	200
LIP SYNC BATTLE	Thursday 11/01 Check in at 6:45pm Special Events Center	100	1 ST PLACE - 100 2 ND PLACE - 50 3 RD PLACE - 25	200
HOMECOMING TWITTER CHALLENGE	Friday 11/02 9:00am - 9:00pm Twitter	100	1 ST PLACE - 100 2 ND PLACE - 50 3 RD PLACE - 25	200
PARADE	Saturday 11/03 Time TBD Liberal Arts Parking Lot	100	100- 1 st Place 50- Most Spirited 50- Most Creative	200
	TOTAL	500	500	1,000

Tie Breaker

In the event that two teams end up with the same exact overall total, the team with the most participation points will be deemed the champion of Bronco Cup.

Posting of Points

Points will be posted in the morning on the Student Involvement & Leadership Center's Instagram (@getinvolvedbsu) and Twitter (twitter.com/getinvolvedbsu) through Friday, Nov. 2nd.

Champions Announcement

The final tally of Bronco Cup points will not be revealed until the Champions Announcement at the Homecoming Game on Saturday, Nov. 3rd.

Bronco Trivia: Tuesday, Oct. 30, 7PM

Bronco Feud will take place at 7 pm in the Student Union Dining Area. Bring your team to show off your general trivia knowledge. This will be a Jeopardy-styled trivia game, where everyone will have the chance to answer every question!

Event Notes: Participation points will be given to those who attend. Bonus points will be given to the top 3 placing Bronco Cup teams.

Points Possible

Participation	100
<u>Bonus</u>	<u>100</u>
Total Points	200

Bonus Points

1 st PLACE - 100
2 nd PLACE - 50
3 rd PLACE - 25

Bubble Soccer: Wednesday, Oct. 31, 7PM; Check In at 6:45PM

The perfect mix of bumper carts and soccer! In this event, your team will play soccer wearing giant bubbles with the aim of doing whatever it takes to score a goal. Please check in at 6:45PM at Caven Williams Sports Complex next to Albertsons Stadium to see when and who you will be playing! The tournament begins promptly at 7PM. 5 players from each team will be allowed on the field at a time, and each team can have up to 8 players.

Event Notes: Participation points will be given to those who attend. Bonus points will be given to the top 3 placing Bronco Cup teams.

Points Possible

Participation	100
<u>Bonus</u>	<u>100</u>
Total Points	200

Bonus Points

1 ST PLACE - 100
2 ND PLACE - 50
3 RD PLACE - 25

Lip Sync Battle: Thursday, Nov. 1, 7PM

Each team participating must provide at least one member to perform. Each team may pick their own non-explicit song. *****Please email your song choice and team name in the subject line to sarathomas854@boisestate.edu by Friday, October 26.**

Bring your dance moves, acting skills, costumes, and jazz hands as you battle against other student teams! There will be a panel of judges selecting the winner based off the following criteria: choreography, creativity, enthusiasm, and entertainment quality. Time parameters for performance: 2-4 minutes.

Event Notes: Participation points will be given to those who attend. Bonus points will be given to the top 3 placing Bronco Cup teams.

Points Possible

Participation	100
<u>Bonus</u>	<u>100</u>
Total Points	200

Bonus Points

1 st PLACE - 100
2 nd PLACE - 50
3 rd PLACE - 25

Homecoming Twitter Challenge: Friday, Nov. 2, 9AM-9PM

Take a picture with your team anytime during Homecoming Week and on Friday, Nov. 2nd post it on Twitter using the #BRONCOSHOM and tagging @getinvolvedbsu and @boisestateuniversity between 9:00 am and 9:00 pm. Encourage your friends to share your photo, as the winners will be determined by the most likes and retweets. Photos will also be judged on appropriateness and creativity. All photos must elicit and represent Boise State University.

Event Notes: Participation points will be given to those who post a photo. Bonus points will be given to the top 3 placing Bronco Cup team photos.

Points Possible

Participation 100

Bonus 100

Total Points 200

Bonus Points

1st PLACE - 100

2nd PLACE - 50

3rd PLACE - 25

ASBSU Float Decorating Party: Friday, Nov. 2, 1PM - 6PM

ASBSU will host a Parade Float Decorating Party on Friday, Nov. 2nd. The Float Decorating Party is an opportunity for your team to decorate your float. Whether you've registered to use a provided golf cart or are making a float of your own, stop by with your team starting at 1pm in the Lincoln parking garage, 2nd floor adjacent to Lincoln Ave. Bronco Cup teams and Student Organizations that have registered for a golf cart will be provided with decorating supplies (if applicable) to help your team get creative.

Event Notes:

No points will be provided for participating in the decorating party, however if your team is participating in the parade this will be the only opportunity for you to have access to decorating a reserved golf cart. Final adjustments to your golf carts can be made during the parade staging time.

Please email Michael Gentile at calebgentile@u.boisestate.edu with specific questions regarding the golf carts and decorating party.

Homecoming Parade: Saturday, Nov. 3, Staging TBD

The Homecoming Parade is the culmination of the week's Bronco Cup events and is your team's last opportunity to receive points. The winner of the parade will be announced at the Homecoming Football Game, along with the winner of Bronco Cup.

- **Grand Prize Award (Most Overall Points) \$500**
- **Spirit Award (Most Points in Spirit Category) \$250**
- **Creativity Award (Most Points in Creativity Category) \$250**

Points Possible

Participation 100

Bonus 100

Total Points 200

Bonus Points

1st PLACE - 100

2nd PLACE - 50

3rd PLACE - 25

Event Notes:

Parade Registration: Parade registration is separate from the Bronco Cup team registration form. [REGISTER FOR THE PARADE HERE](#)

After submitting your Parade registration, your Team Captain will be emailed a confirmation of your entry as well as some additional information your group will need in preparation for the parade. If you have not received an email by Monday, Oct. 29th please contact Mikayla Mitzel (mikaylamitzel@boisestate.edu) to ensure that your registration has been received.

Schedule of events:

- Staging Time: TBD
- Bronco Cup Champion & Float Awards Announcement: At Homecoming Game
- Parade Time: TBD

How do I make a float?: First, register your team for the parade using [this link](#), which can also be found at homecoming.boisestate.edu. Create a float of your own or reserve a golf cart provided by the Student Involvement and Leadership Center and ASBSU to decorate as your float. Golf carts can be reserved by your team captain during registration. Once registration is complete, more information will be sent out via email about the golf carts.

Why should we create a float?: It's your team's final chance to show off your Boise State spirit and receive participation points towards winning Bronco Cup.