



## The Networking Games

*Lake Norman's 1<sup>st</sup> annual networking festival + team competition*

### What it is

The Networking Games brings eight local networking groups together for a single-day festival. Each group fields one team and competes across ten fast-moving competitions (brackets + challenges). The day is designed to be fun, watchable, and networking-heavy—like a community sports day built for business.

### Why groups participate

- A rare chance to connect multiple groups in one place, one day
- Built-in reasons to talk (teams, brackets, cheering, vendor zone)
- Easy for members to invite prospects—festival vibe + shopping
- A signature annual tradition that can grow year over year

### Quick facts

**Teams:** 8 networking groups (1 team each)

**Competitions:** 10 total (mix of skill, strategy, and pure fun)

**Scoring:** 1st=5 pts, 2nd=4 pts, 3rd=2 pts, 4th=1 pt (5th–8th=0)

**Spectators:** Spectators are welcome even if a member isn't competing, they'll be networking.

### Location:

772 BrawelySchool Rd, Mooresville, NC 28117

May 9th, 2026

12:00-5:00pm

### Tournament Style Competition (10 total)

Each competition is run as a bracket or structured challenge with clear rules, quick pacing, and a crowd-friendly setup.





## Competition descriptions

Designed to be competitive, fast to run, and fun to watch

### Corn-hole Tournament (2v2)

- 16 teams tournament (2 teams per group)
- Single-elimination bracket
- Standard corn-hole rules

### Ping-Pong (Singles)

- 16 player tournament (2 per networking group)
- Single-elimination bracket
- Games to 21, alternate 5 serves, win by 2

### Darts (2v2) — 301

- 16 teams tournament (2 teams per networking group)
- Teams of 2
- Race from 301 down to 0; teammates alternate turns

### Mini Football Toss & Catch (2-person team)

- 8 teams play simultaneously
- Teams of two
- Egg-toss style elimination

### Blindfolded Relay Challenge (team relay)

- Inspired by our blind massage therapist Katelyn
- Funny, inclusive, spectator-friendly tasks
- Exact station list finalized closer to festival day

### HORSE Basketball (2v2)

- 16 teams total (2 teams per group)
- Single-elimination bracket
- Classic HORSE format; teammates alternate attempts

### Chippo Golf (Chipping Game)

- 16 player tournament (2 per networking group)
- Singles Event
- Golf version of Corn-hole

### Grass Volleyball (2v2)

- 8 team tournament (1 team per group)
- Teams of 2
- Standard grass volleyball rules

### Giant Jenga (2-person team)

- 8 team tournament (1 team per networking group)
- Single-elimination bracket
- Standard Jenga rules (giant set)

### Tug-of-War (5-person team) — Finale

- 8 teams total (1 team per group)
- Single-elimination bracket
- Best-of-3 pulls; loud finish to close the day

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