# Appropriate Food Choices for Tournament Day 

## ${ }^{* *}$ Choose foods that do not have Negative Effects on your stomach**

 Pay attention to Serving SizesWater
Gatorade, Vitamin Water, Milk, Fruit Juices (1/day, almost none of you will have a need for the added calories)
Flavored calorie-free drink mixes (you can use the ones with caffeine, just don't overdo it)
Any fruit
Any veggie (Some Ranch is okay, not a bucket of Ranch!!)
Crackers; and yes you can add Cheese/Peanut Butter (just go easy on the cheese and PB)
Baked potato (not with bacon and a bucket of butter/sour cream!! Again some is ok)
Baked Chips (low fat)/ Pretzels
Almonds/Cashews and other nuts; a serving size is $1 / 4-1 / 3$ cup (not chocolate covered nuts...)
Pickles (in moderation; the sodium will be good if you are a 'sweater')
Cold Cut/Tuna/Chicken Salad type sandwiches (easy on mayo).
Only eat 6in at a time; you won't have time for a foot-long to digest.
PB\&J (is okay...)
Bagels (cream cheese in moderation)
Granola Bar
Cereal Bar
Pasta salad (with limited oils/fatty sauces)
Most soups
Meal replacement shakes
Protein bar
**If in doubt, ask or choose something better

## Inappropriate Food Choices for Tournament Day

**If you are consuming these I will not be pleased and it may affect your playing time**
Save it for AFTER you are finished with the tournament.

Soda (It's dehydrating and leaves you with a Sugar Down)
Energy Drinks (same as above, and too much caffeine which ends with an energy drop; and no diet ones either!)
Coffee/ Cappuccino/ Tea (It's dehydrating and generally ends with an energy drop)
Chocolate/Candy Bars/Candies
Fried Chips/Cheetos, etc.
Cookies, Cakes, Brownies/Puppy Chow, etc.
Ice Cream
Hot Dog/ Chili Dog
Hamburger/ Cheeseburger
Fried Chicken/ Fried Fish sandwiches
Nachos/Chicken Strips/Pizza/French Fries
Taco Bell, McDonalds, fast food (while delicious, not during tournament day!)
Donuts/ Sticky Buns/ Pop Tarts etc.
Sugary Cereals
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