Exhausting Tournament reveals Hoover-Ball Champions

WEST BRANCH, IOWA – Aug. 5, 2014 – The 27th Annual National Hoover-Ball Championships were a success as teams battled it out on Saturday, August 2nd in West Branch.

The traditional traveling trophy found a new home in the men’s division with the Marshmallow Pterodactyls. The Marshmallow Pterodactyls competed against The Original Hoover Huckers in the championship game. The Pterodactyls played hard in their last games, one lasting over an hour, to reach their place at the top. The team consisted of three members: Clay Cook, Cole Cook and Sam Perkins.

The four-pound women’s tournament didn’t stray far from the usual as last years winners claimed the trophy for the fourth year in a row. The team consisted of four members: Kelley Trimble, Kelli Vaughan, Paige Donohoe and McKenna Sexton. The team played against Haley’s Heaver’s in the championship game.

Winners were given the honor of the traveling trophy, individual trophies and a $100 cash prize. All who participated in the tournament were given a 2014 National Hoover-Ball Championship Tournament t-shirt.

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Caption: Hoover-Ball champions collect cash and hardware after an all-day battle on the Hoover-Ball courts in West Branch, IA