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Dear <recipient name>,

On Saturday, August 6th, I will be participating in the annual MUDD Volleyball tournament to benefit the March of Dimes. I am going to get VERY dirty to help improve the health of Colorado moms and babies. Will you help me?

MUDD Volleyball is one of summer's most anticipated events. You have to see it to believe it! In its 28th year of fun, MUDD is also an important fundraiser for the March of Dimes Colorado chapter, Raising more than \$200,000 annually. Funds support March of Dimes programs of research, services, Education and advocacy. These aim to help mothers have healthy pregnancies and give all babies a healthy start.

This is an important cause. For instance, did you know that premature birth is the leading cause of newborn death and a major cause of many lifelong disabilities? One in eight babies is born prematurely. In many cases, we don't know why. Fighting this crisis is a March of Dimes priority.

With your help, the March of Dimes can continue its important work of preventing birth defects, premature birth and infant mortality. You can help make a difference by sponsoring me. It's easy: simply write a check to the March of Dimes and mail it back to me.

<your name here>  
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Please join me to help moms have healthy pregnancies and give all babies a healthy start. I thank you in advance for your consideration!

Sincerely yours,

<your name here>

**PS: To learn more about MUDD Volleyball and to sign up yourself, visit [marchofdimes.com/colorado](http://marchofdimes.com/colorado).**

