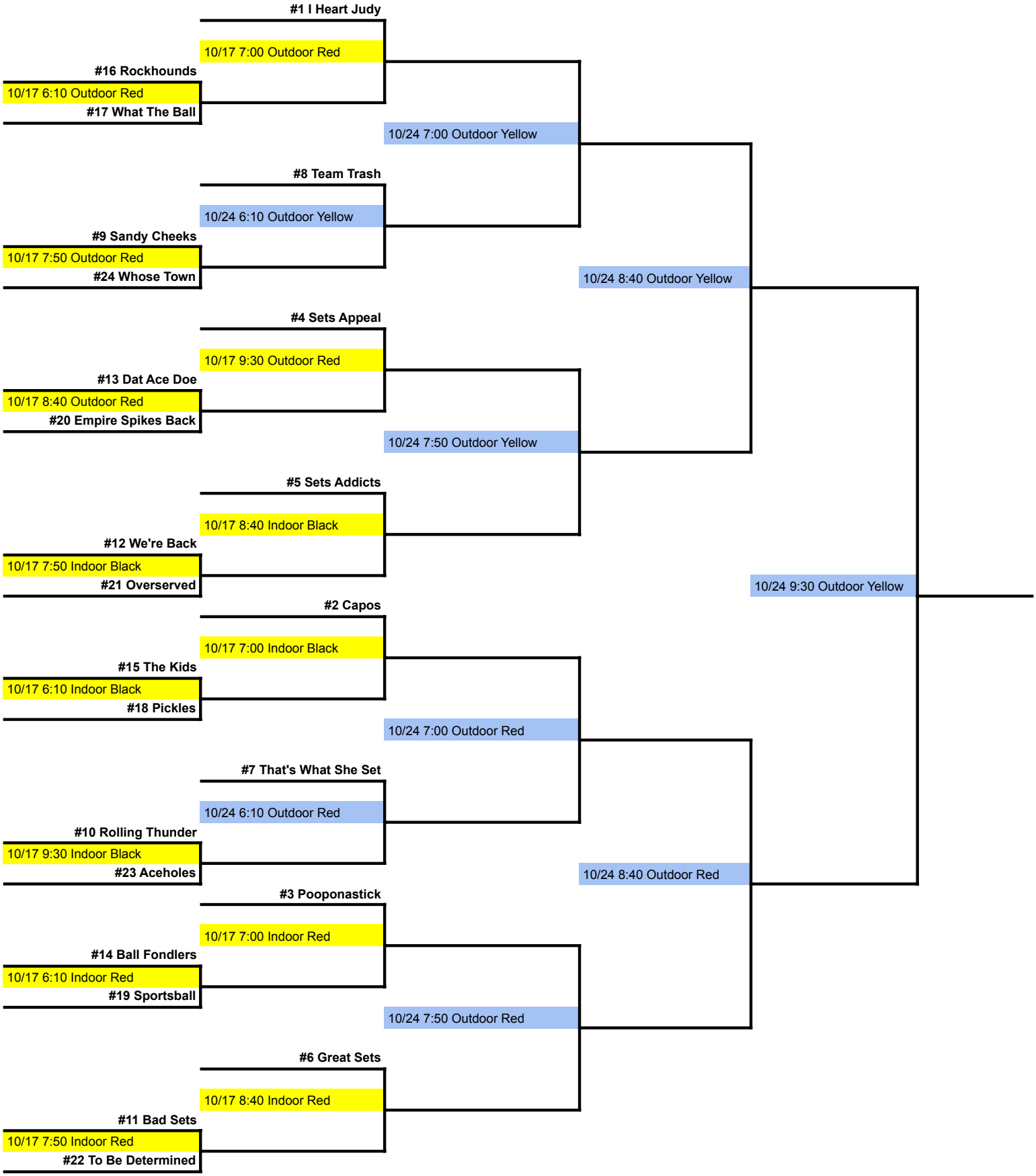THURSDAY EARLY D (10/17 & 10/24)