

Ohio Youth Basketball

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Rules and Regulations

Game Rules Are On A Separate Page

1. Entry Form, along with money order or cashiers check, must be received 10 days before start of tournament.
2. Roster must be turned in before start of first game before each tournament.
 - (A) Players may not be added to roster after playing first game without approval of OYB Office
3. A player may only play for one team in the same grade division.
 - (A) If a player appears on two or more rosters in the same grade division, he is committed to play for the team that he plays his first game with. He is then ineligible to play for the other team.
 - (B) If a player plays for two teams in the same grade division, the second team he played for must forfeit the game in question
4. A player may play on another team in a different grade division. Call OYB office for limitations.
5. For a grade division to be held, at least three teams must be entered. The following scheduling procedure and awards are listed below.
 - (A) Twenty four teams or more - These divisions will be considered a 3D tournament and the 1st, 2nd and 3rd place teams in each pool will advance into their own championship divisional tournament. Individual Medals will be given to each player for the Championship and Runner Up team in each division.
 - (1) This procedure will be followed except in State Championship Tournaments where the top two teams in each pool will advance to one Championship Round.
 - (B) Nine to Twenty-three teams - These divisions will have at least three teams to a pool with the top two teams from each pool advancing to the championship tournament. The 3rd place teams in each pool will advance to play in a Consolation Tournament which will be call a Shoot Out. Individual Medals will be given to each player for the Championship and Runner Up team. Individual medals will be given to the Championship team of the Shoot Out.
 - (C) Six to Eight teams - These divisions will have at least three teams in a pool with the top three teams from each pool advancing to the championship tournament. Individual Medals will be given to each player for the Championship and Runner Up team. There will be no Shoot Out with this amount of teams.
 - (D) Five teams - These divisions will have all five teams in the same pool with each team playing two games. All teams will advance into the championship tournament and be seeded according to records.* Individual Medals will be given to the Championship and Runner Up teams.
 - (E) Four teams - These divisions will have all four teams in the same pool with each team playing each other. The top two teams will advance into the championship tournament. Individual Medals will be given to the Championship and Runner Up Teams.
 - (F) Three teams - These divisions will have all three teams in the same pool with each team playing each other twice. Individual Medals will be given to the Championship and Runner Up teams, which will be decided by the best overall records.
6. Tie Breaking Procedure
 - (A) Please check the tie breaking procedure on the web site and at the tournament. If you are involved in a three way tie it is the coach's responsibility to contact OYB to make sure of proper seeding. DO NOT take the word of a site manager.
7. Reporting Scores
 - (A) It is the responsibility of each coach to check the board at the main gym site to make sure scores were called in correctly. mistakes can be made when they are called in. If you find an error contact OYB immediately.
8. Dunking
 - (A) Players are permitted to dunk the basketball during the games, although pulling on the rims will be strictly enforced.
 - (B) During warm-up, at halftime and after games, NO DUNKING will be permitted. The site director and/or game officials may assess a technical foul for any violation of this rule. If violation occurs after a game, technical foul will be administered before the start of that teams next game.
9. Site/Game Time Changes
 - (A) The Tournament Director has the right to change a game site or game time at his/her discretion. Please Re-Check OYB Website each day for any updates. On game days, make sure to check the main gym site for any changes.
10. Suspensions
 - (A) Any player or coach that is ejected from a game, must sit out their next scheduled game.
 - (B) The tournament director or site director has the right to remove from the tournament any player, coach or fan that displays improper behavior.
 - (1) Any player, coach or fan that refuses to leave when asked will result in the team forfeiting the game.
11. Tournament Refunds
 - (A) If for any reason, including but not limited to power outages, tournament has to be canceled or cannot be completed, a \$50.00 processing fee will be held to cover expenses, plus \$75.00 per game played by your team. Any team playing three games will be considered participating in a completed tournament.
 - (B) If a team has to drop out of a tournament that they have payed to play in, that fee can be transferred to another OYB tournament. No refunds will be made due to team dropping out.