

CLERMONT BROWN YOUTH BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION



2009-2010

Officers:

President- Tanya Courts

Vice-President- Dianna Fischer

Treasurer- May Carrington

Secretary- Mike Sullivan

Admission:

Adults- \$2.00

Students-\$1.00

Children under 5- Free

Seniors 62+ - Free

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MISSION STATEMENT: This association was formed to teach the basic principles and fundamentals of basketball and good sportsmanship to the students in the fourth, fifth, and sixth grades. This is a non-competitive recreational league. The CBYBA reserves the right to govern and regulate rules so that the status and integrity of the recreational league may be maintained.

ENTRY & FEE: The entry fee will be \$200.00 for each team. All fees must be paid to the treasurer by November 1st, 2009. All franchise information, including the grade, gender of teams, proof of insurance, coach's name and phone number, gym time and availability for games, are due to the CBYBA before the first draw on Sunday, October 18, 2009. The second draw will be on November 1, 2009. No additions or changes may be made after November 1st, 2009. The CBYBA reserves the right to decline a team or franchise from participation in the league. Only at a CBYBA meeting, can players be added or deleted to a roster.

ROSTERS: The roster cutoff date is November 1, 2009, with the drawing for rosters to be completed at this time. The only exceptions to this date will be if a new student joins the school district after the cutoff date of November 1, 2009, and the district rep approves it. All draws and player placement will be conducted by CBYBA officers. Rosters will be filled out at this time with copies for both the franchises and CBYBA. New players will be added as follows: All efforts will be made to preserve a previous team, by forming new teams with new players, adding new players to existing teams or new draw with all players' names in the draw.

AGE: A player may play up one year or grade, providing a team in their age bracket is not available and with the approval of the league. All players must play in their grade. Failure to do so will result in expulsion of the player from the league.

RESIDENCE: All players must play for the school district that they attend. With the following exceptions: If a player moves after the roster deadline, the player will be able to continue playing for the team that they originally signed up with. Children who are home schooled or attend religious schools may play for the school that they would normally attend. **OTHER TEAMS:** Any player may play for any other teams outside of CBYCA, but only for one team inside the league. Violation of this rule will result in the expulsion of the player from the league, as well as other possible team related consequences.

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COACHES: No more than two non-playing people are permitted on the bench. This number includes the coaches. Violation of this rule will automatically result in a bench technical foul. Coaches must be 18 years old and may only coach one team. No junior high school coaches may coach in the CBYBA league. Only the Head can stand with a 14 foot coach's box marked on the floor.

CONDUCT: Each coach must control his or her own players, spectators, and themselves. A coach or player receiving two technical fouls will be ejected from the game, gym and grounds. A third technical foul called on the same team will result in an automatic forfeit of the game. A bench or spectator technical will be two shots and the ball out of bounds to the opposing team. Abusive language or harassment by anyone will result in their automatic ejection from the gym, grounds, and possible technical foul. The referee will inform the coach and gym supervisor. They will be responsible for the removal of the offensive fan, player or coach. Play will not resume until this person(s) has left the gym and grounds. Any refusal to leave will result in the offending team's forfeiture of the game. Any coach receiving two technical fouls will not be able to coach or attend the following game. Information regarding a coach's ejection needs to be forwarded to the CBYBA President and the appropriate reps by the rep where the infraction took place so that proper action may be taken. The CBYBA board has the authority to approve, dismiss or rule ineligible: any player, coach, or spectator for inappropriate action such as fighting, abusive/foul language or any other inappropriate activity that goes against the rules of this organization.

All players and coaches must demonstrate good sportsmanship during and after the game. All those who fail to shake hands at the end of the game will be suspended for the following game. It is the duty of any of the following officials; which include gym supervisor, the district representatives, clock and book keepers, as well as referees to witness the handshake and determine the infraction. They will make a notation in the official scorebook and notify the gym supervisor.

PRACTICE: Practice time is unlimited.

FLOOR SAFETY: There will be no shooting on the floor before, during half time, or after the game by anyone other than the players scheduled for that game. No sharp objects are to be worn during the game by any player. All jewelry and earrings must be removed.

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PLAYING TIME: All players must play one full quarter, failure to do so will result in a forfeit of the game. The team with the smallest number of players will determine the number of new players opposing team has to start in the 2nd quarter.

If a player is injured during their mandatory quarter, the substituted player will still have to play their mandatory quarter. Players that have played their mandatory quarter may be substituted freely for the other players that have played their mandatory quarter.

1 st Quarter:	5 Players start and play the full quarter
2 nd Quarter:	5 new Players or as determined above play the full quarter
3 rd Quarter:	Free substitutions after quarterly requirements are met
4 th Quarter:	Free substitutions

PLAYING RULES: The Ohio High School Athletic Association rule will be used with the following exceptions/additions:

1. The game ball will be provided by the CBYBA and will be youth size 28.5
2. Both man to man and zone defenses will be allowed
3. Full Court Press is permitted in:
 - a. The last 2 minutes of 4th grade games
 - b. Fourth quarter of 5th grade games
 - c. Second half of 6th grade games as subjected to paragraph 3a.
 - i. 3a states: if either team in 4th, 5th, or 6th grade is ahead by 20 points *neither* team may full court press unless fewer than 20 points separate them again. During the rest of the quarters, players may pick up their defense at the over and back line.
4. Six minute quarters with a stop and go clock
5. A three minutes overtime period will be played until the game is determined. One additional timeout per overtime will be given to each team.
6. Four one-minute timeouts will be given to each team per game.
7. Half time will be 5 minutes
8. Foul line will be as follows:
 - a. 4th Grade: 4 feet closer than regulation
 - b. 5th Grade: 3 feet closer than regulation
 - c. 6th Grade: Regulation line
9. 5 Personal or two technical fouls per player per game. The one on one bonus begins at 7 team fouls per half. The double bonus starts at 10 team fouls in a half.
10. During foul shots, the players nearest the baseline must have both feet in the box; except 6th Grade teams will move up one block.

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11. The jump ball will only be used at the start of the game and overtime periods. Alternative possession will be used in all other jump ball situations, including the start of the third quarter.
12. The three point shot is in effect for all teams.

GAME TIMES: the CBYBA Board will schedule all game times and sites. If a team does not show within 10 minutes of the scheduled time the game will be forfeited. Any team that fails to forfeit, 24 hours prior to game time, and does not show up will be responsible for the officials, clock's, and book's payroll for that game. It is a team once five players and a roster coach are present. Weather conditions will be taken into consideration by the board. Only reps can reschedule games. If a game is rescheduled, the away team would have first option to play at their gym before a game is cancelled.

FORFEIT: Two forfeits eliminate a team from the remainder of the season and tournaments. Depending on the reason, it may result in eliminations from the following season. Cancelled games will be considered a forfeit unless a school function causes the cancellation, or is mutually agreed by both coaches. Any forfeit for unsportsmanlike purposes will remove a team for the remainder of the season and tournaments.

OFFICIALS: The official scorekeeper, timekeeper, and two officials will be paid by the league, but must be provided by each franchise. No one but the official scorekeeper, timekeeper, and each team's scorer may sit at the scorer table. Officials must view the handshake at the end of each game. For tournaments, officials may call no more than five games per day.

PROTESTS: Protests will be decided by a protest committee, which will consist of 2 representatives from teams in the same classifications and 2 board members. A \$25.00 fee must be paid and enclosed with the written protest from the coach. This fee will be returned if the protest is upheld. Only rules, not official judgments may be protested. Protests must be filed within 24 hours of the protested game. All protests must be turned into the league officer.

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UNIFORMS: Uniforms must have a legal number on both front and back of the jersey. In case of uniform conflict, the home team will wear pennies.

RECORDS: First and second place league and tournament will receive T-shirts. The number of losses, due to byes, will determine tournament placements.

TOURNAMENTS: Trophy T-Shirt bids will be accepted at the January 10, 2010 meeting. These will be sealed bids. Admission for the tournaments will be the same as regular league admission fees: Adults: \$2.00, Students: \$1.00, Children under 5 and Senior Citizens 62 + are free. League representatives will be admitted free to all games.

For FINALS: All reps will bring the names of 2 OHSA certified officials for the league to choose the officials, book, and clock for finals. All positions will rotate with no one calling more than 3 games. The finals will be held in a high school gym and all players names will be announced prior to the game. Reps will attend all Tournament Finals. Reps will be required to do book and clock unless the district has adults they prefer.

CHEERLEADERS: all cheerleaders must follow the guidelines set up by their franchise and the CBYBA. They must remain at their home court, except for tournament games. They must pay to get into tournament games. They may in no way hinder the period of league games.

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