



2024-2025 YOUTH COED BASKETBALL GENERAL INFORMATION

REGISTRATION DATES?

Registration for Youth Basketball will run through Monday, December 2nd. (Registration after December 2nd is limited to spaces available in each league.) <u>Registration is accepted at the following locations:</u>

> West New Bern Recreation Center (1225 Pine Tree Drive) Monday – Thursday: 8:00 am – 9:00 pm Friday: 9:00 am – 5:00 pm Saturday: 10:00 am – 2:00 pm Or You can register online (24/7) at our parks and recreation page at: www.newbernnc.gov

LEAGUES OFFERED & ELIGIBILITY

The child's age on December 31st of this year determines the division of play.

<u>7U League</u> - ages 5/6/7

<u>10U League</u> - ages 8/9/10

12U League - ages 11/12

15U League - ages 13/14/15

All leagues are coed.

HOW MUCH WILL IT COST TO REGISTER MY CHILD?

The cost for registering is based on the current residence of the participant. City Resident of New Bern: \$40.00 Non-Resident of New Bern: \$70.00

A discount does apply to families with multiple children involved. A \$10.00 discount may be issued if another child is participating in New Bern Parks & Recreation Basketball Program.

Cash and Check are acceptable forms of payment in person. Online registration will accept credit cards. Note: There is a \$25.00 service charge on all returned checks. Those who have outstanding balances or who fail to return issued equipment from previous seasons will not be eligible to register until your account is in good standing.

WHAT CAN MY CHILD EXPECT TO RECEIVE?

Each child will receive a game jersey and a medal for participation.

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WHAT EQUIPMENT DOES MY CHILD NEED FOR PRACTICES/GAMES?

Parents are responsible for providing the following: Game shorts, practice shorts, T-shirts and Proper Athletic Shoes (*Non-Marking Tennis* Shoes <u>ONLY</u>).

WHEN & WHERE IS THE SKILLS ASSESSMENT?

All Skills Assessments will be held at West New Bern Recreation Center, located at 1225 Pinetree Drive. Games will be played at Stanley White Recreation

Participants must register before attending any assessment. **Participants that are new to the league or participants who are moving up to a new age group are required to attend both sessions.**)

	SKILLS	ASSESSMENT	TEAM	DRAFT
Ages 5 – 7	Tuesday, November 19th	6pm – 7pm	Saturday, December 7th	9am – 10am
Ages 8 - 10	Thursday, November 21st	6pm – 7pm	Saturday, December 7th	10am - 11am
Ages 11 - 12	Tuesday, November 19th	7pm – 8pm	Saturday, December 7th	11am - 12 noon
Ages 13 - 15	Thursday, November 21st	7pm – 8pm	Saturday, December 7th	12 noon – 1pm

WHEN WILL PRACTICES BEGIN?

The first practice will be held on the following dates. Your coach will provide a practice schedule for the rest of the season.

Ages 5 – 7 Practices:Tuesday, December 3rd (6pm – 7pm)Ages 8 –10 Practices:Thursday, December 5th (6pm – 7pm),Ages 11–12 Practices:Tuesday, December 3rd (7pm – 8pm),Ages 13 –15 Practices:Thursday, December 5th (7pm – 8pm),9pm),9pm),

WHEN WILL GAMES BEGIN?

Games will begin on or about January 6th. Games will be held at either Stanley White Recreation Center.

- Ages 5-7 will play during the Saturday mornings.
- Ages 8-10 and 11-12 will play on Saturdays.
- Ages 13 -15 will play on weeknights as well as Saturdays.
- Schedules will be available Monday, December 16th.
- Regular season games will end by March 1st
 (Game dates and times are subject to change depending on number of teams and gym availability)

HOW DO I FIND OUT IF GAMES HAVE BEEN CANCELED OR POSTPONED?

- Visit us at our Parks and Recreation page on-line at www.newbernnc.gov.
- Follow us on Facebook @NewBernPR
- Parents will be emailed any changes in the schedule.

WHO DO I CONTACT FOR SPECIFIC QUESTIONS ON BASKETBALL?

Taurance Williams, Athletic Supervisor, is responsible for the Youth Basketball Program. He can be reached at (252) 639-2903 or by email at <u>williamst@newbernnc.gov</u>.