



TOURNAMENT EXPECTATIONS

Check-In

On the first day of the tournament you and your team need to arrive *at least 30 minutes early*.

When you first arrive, all teams and coaches will come in through the front entrance. We will have a team check-in area set up in the shooting lab. Here, you will receive a team packet with information, tickets, and coaches bands included. You will also be checking in your team, turning in finalized rosters, and verifying that you have all eligibility documentation for the tournament. After completing check-in, you will then proceed to your playing area. There are court number signs posted at each court; we will have signs and tournament staff in place to help direct you where to go if you are still unsure.

It is strongly suggested that you and your teams come dressed to play in order to eliminate the hassle of having to change into your uniform once here. We will have locker rooms open for teams to change in if necessary. The locker rooms are not available for storing any belongings.

*****Note: Coaches, please make sure you have the latest report card available for each of your players.**

Tournament Schedule

The tournament schedule is as follows:

Friday:	5:30 PM – 9:00 PM
Saturday:	9:00 AM – 9:00 PM
Sunday:	9:00 AM – 3:00 PM

Individual team schedules will be sent out to all tournament coaches the week of the tournament. All scheduling restrictions and parameters will be taken into account where possible. If by chance there is a scheduling conflict, you need to contact the Tournament Coordinators at (864) 949-5861. If you wait to notify the Coordinators until the tournament has already started, we will be unable to make adjustments to the schedule.

Admission

The tournament admission will be \$5.00 for Friday, \$10.00 for Saturday, and \$10.00 for Sunday.

Things to Remember

We expect that all coaches, team representatives, and attendees conduct themselves in a first-class and respectful manner. Any coaches, players, or team representatives acting in an unsportsmanlike fashion (i.e. fighting, berating officials, making a scene, etc.) will be asked to leave the tournament with no re-admittance. We are here to have a positive, not negative, impact on the players and show them what sportsmanship, character, and Playing with Purpose is all about.

Coaches, we will be using Tourney Machine to manage the tournament.

There will also be a Coaches hospitality area open throughout the tournament. It is located upstairs just outside our round room in the center of the building. Your coaches band will get you in to enjoy some drinks and snacks.

We are so very excited and privileged to be hosting you and your teams as a part of the Upward Star Center Tournament Series. We look forward to the opportunity of serving you and creating a tournament experience you won't soon forget! Again if there is anything we can do for you, please don't hesitate to contact us at (864) 949-5900.