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**YOUTH SPORTS
LINCOLN, NEBRASKA**

**38th Annual
Midwest
Invitational
Tournament**



March 9 & 10, 2019

38th Annual MIT Basketball Tournament

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Divisions	Boys/Girls Teams – Grades 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th and 10th
Team Rankings	<u>Competitive team:</u> Any team that plays 10 or more games in a season plus tournaments. Team is coach/parent select or tryouts. <u>Non-Competitive team:</u> Any team that plays less than 10 games in a season and a few tournaments. Team is assigned randomly (YMCA), by other organizations or by school.
Players	Teams must have a roster with a minimum of 8 players. No team will be accepted with fewer than 8 players. Players can compete in their grade level or above, and the team must compete at highest grade level. Player information must be correct. If incorrect information is submitted, player/team may be ineligible. Players cannot play on two teams in the same grade level. A player may play on 2 teams in different grade levels if they are listed on both rosters.
Registration	Registration fee for all teams is \$150 plus \$5 per player beyond 10 players. Entry forms must be completed and submitted to the Lincoln YMCA Youth Sports Office. No Refunds. A \$75 fee will be retained if the tournament is cancelled due to weather. Special pricing available for organizations registering multiple teams.
Registration Deadline	Registration deadline is Friday, February 15, 2019. If the registration fee is not submitted with the entry form, the fee must be received prior to deadline. The YMCA reserves the right to refuse any player/team/coach. This refusal may be dependent on behavior of player/team/coach in previous YMCA tournaments/leagues.
Rules	Rules to be aware of include: 1. Two 20 minute running clock halves. Clock Stops in the last minute of each half on all whistles. 2. All teams must have numbered jerseys on at least the front or back. 3. A team may only full court press or fast break up to a 20 point lead. 4. 3rd grade teams will only be allowed to full court press in the final minute of the game. 5. 3rd grade will play on a 9ft hoop. 4th-10th grades will play on a 10ft hoop. 6. 3rd grade teams will play with a Junior size ball. 7. Boys grades 4th-7th and Girls grades 4th-10th will play with an Intermediate size ball. 8. Boys grades 8th-10th will play with a Regulation size ball. 9. No bouncing of balls in hallways.
Sites	Game sites include: Lincoln High, Northeast High, Pius X, Southeast High, Southwest High, Speedway Village Basketball Facility
Game Times	Game times are Saturday between 9:00 a.m.-6:30 p.m. and Sunday between 9:00 a.m.-6:30 p.m. The YMCA finds it necessary to schedule games on Sunday morning. Lincoln offers a variety of churches with convenient times and locations. We want all teams to be aware that some games will be scheduled on Sunday morning.
Officials/Scorekeepers	Two registered officials will be provided for all games. Each team will be required to provide a volunteer scorekeeper/timer. Electronic scoreboards will be used for all games.
Admission	Daily admission for Adults will be \$6 or a \$10 Adult Weekend Pass can be purchased. Daily admission for Seniors will be \$4 or a \$6 Senior Weekend Pass can be purchased. Daily admission for Child (5-15 years old) will be \$3 or a \$4 Child Weekend Pass can be purchased. Child (4 years old and under) is free admission. Admittance for player is free with laminated player pass. Player (in uniform) without a laminated player pass will be charged \$1 per day. Admittance for two coaches and one scorekeeper is free with laminated coach/scorekeeper pass.
T-Shirts	Official tournament T-Shirts with addition of name and number on back of shirt will be available.
Awards	8 Team Brackets = 4 Team Awards (1st, 2nd, 3rd, Consolation) 6 Team Brackets = 3 Team Awards (1st, 2nd, 3rd) 4 Team Brackets = 2 Team Awards (1st, 2nd) Awards for 1st and 2nd place coaches in each bracket (2 coach awards per team)
Pairings Information	All teams will be scheduled for 3 games. MIT tournament information (schedules, rules, site locations, etc.) will be available online Wednesday, February 27, 2019. MIT tournament will be using tournemachin.com for schedules. A link will be posted on ymcalincoln.org All laminated passes will be mailed out to coaches on Friday, March 1, 2019.
Hotel Information	Sleep Inn & Suites 2803 Folkways Blvd. Special rate with rate code LYMCA. Book online or call 402-477-0645.
Tournament Director	Todd Johnson, Executive Director of the YMCA Youth Sports Branch Phone: 402-434-9217 Email: tjohnson@ymcalincoln.org
Return Entry Form	YMCA MIT 570 Fallbrook Blvd. Suite 210 Lincoln, NE 68521-9026 Online registration is also available at ymcalincoln.org/youth



2019 MIT Entry Form

Please print clearly and complete all information on this page.

Team Name: _____
 Coach Name: _____
 Primary Phone: _____
 Secondary Phone: _____
 Coach Email: _____

Passes and information mailed on March 1 should be mailed to:
 Name: _____
 Address: _____
 City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
 How many miles from Lincoln is your team? _____

Indicate your team's level

Competitive team
 Any team that is coach select or tryouts or a team that plays 10 or more games in a season and some tournaments.

Non-Competitive team
 Any Team that is assigned randomly and plays less than 10 games in a season and a few tournaments.

Circle your team's strength:

(Weak) 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 (Strong)

Did this team participate in the 2018 MIT? **Yes / No** If yes, last year's team name? _____

How was this team put together? **Try-outs** **Coach Selected** **School/Grade** **Friends**

What league(s) will this team play in? _____

How many players return from last year's team? _____

How many practices per week? _____

Is this team better this year? _____

How many games will this team play together this season? _____

This team usually scores _____ points per game.

How many tournaments will this team play in? _____

This team holds opponents to _____ points per game.

My team is NOT available for a Saturday 9am or 10am game. **Not Available**

I coach more than one team (no conflicts on first game only) **Yes / No** If yes, team name(s) _____ Grade(s) _____

Our high school boys could qualify for the state tournament. **Yes / No** If yes, school/team name _____ Class _____

Other conflicts (No guarantees on specific requests) _____

*** Minimum number of 8 players is required on all rosters.**

**** Extra \$5 per player over 10 players.**

Player Name (Minimum of 8 players)	Grade	Parent Signature (Permission and Release Statement is below)
1. _____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____
4. _____	_____	_____
5. _____	_____	_____
6. _____	_____	_____
7. _____	_____	_____
8. * _____	_____	_____
9. _____	_____	_____
10. _____	_____	_____
11. +\$5 _____	_____	_____
12. +\$5 _____	_____	_____

Team Permission and Release:

We release the Lincoln YMCA and its staff from all claims of any injuries which may be sustained by my team while participating in the 2019 YMCA MIT Basketball Tournament. I also grant permission for the use of photos/videos of my team for promotional materials. I will communicate to my players that a player pass is required or there will be a \$1 charge each day.

FINAL DEADLINE FEBRUARY 15, 2019

Payment must be either one (1) check, cash or credit card.

Mail: YMCA Youth Sports
 570 Fallbrook Blvd., Suite 210
 Lincoln, NE 68521

Fax: 402-434-9208

Online: ymcalincoln.org

Card Number _____ Exp. Date _____

Card Holder's Signature _____

Coach Signature: _____



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