

Carolina Waves Invitational Tournament Rules:

TEAM CHECK-IN

Teams, please have your head coach check in a minimum of 45 minutes prior to your scheduled game. At check-in, you will receive your team packet with coach's passes (2 total provided) and any other pertinent details. One pass in each packet MUST go to the head coach (even if coaching multiple teams).

The official Check-In location will be at your first game site.

All roster & info of eligibility should be handed in upon arrival to your first game. Only two coaches are included in registration. All other team personnel are required to pay admission. Along with rosters, please include each player's respective school and grade. No participant is eligible to play on multiple TEAMS. This assists us maintaining ethical practices of our participants. Please note: No adjustments or additions to roster will be accepted. Therefore, if there are concerns, please let the tournament director know immediately. Once your roster is verified by tourney personnel, your roster remains FINAL. Players must have bands for entry into the gyms as well. Please remind your TEAM to gather all belongings before leaving the changing area. The Carolina Waves or affiliates in no way assume responsibility for missing or damaged items, so we ask you to please emphasize that your players bring minimal personal belongings into the gym.

VENUES – REFRESHMENTS & SOUVENIRS WILL BE OFFERED.

Knightdale High School 100 Bryan Chalk Lane, Knightdale, NC: Robert Foster Head Director
Knightdale Baptist Church: 15 Main Street, Knightdale, NC - Trina Simpson- Co Director
Southeast Raleigh High School: 2600 Rock Quarry Road, Raleigh, NC - Erica Quillet - Co Director

All games will consist of the following:

GAME MANAGEMENT

All teams are to report at least 45 minutes prior to game time. Forfeits are strongly enforced, to cut down on delays. If something unforeseen does transpire, please be courteous and contact tournament director Robert Foster immediately.

Starting Lineups and Rosters must be provided to the Official Scorer at least 4 minutes prior to the start of the game.

PROTESTS :None allowed.

HOME TEAM

The top (first) team listed on the game schedule is the HOME team and shall wear white/light colored jerseys. Teams should bring BOTH light and dark jerseys. The home team will sit to the

right of the scorer's table (facing the court), and the guest will sit to the left. The home team will provide an official scorekeeper. There will also be a volunteer to help with scorekeeping if necessary.

BALLS

The Home Team will supply the Official Game Ball for the Games.

4 timeouts per game full(2)/:20 sec(2)

GAME RULES

All Rules (for Boys & Girls) will be NFHS Rules (National Federation of High School) Running clock begins after one team gains a lead of 20 points or more on opposing team, the clock will not be stopped until the trailing team brings the point difference to 15 points or less. No Full Court or Half Court Trap/Pressing (AAU Mercy Rule) is permitted if game has a running clock.

If a game is tied at the end of regulation play, one overtime period of 2 minutes will be played with clock being stopped. Each team will be extended one additional timeout (for each overtime period) and all of the timeouts carried over from regulation. If the game is still tied, the second and final overtime period becomes sudden death (no clock), with the first team to score becoming the winner.

Each TEAM should provide their own scorekeeper to assist in the accuracy of each contest. In the event of staff shortage, you may be asked to supply a clock keeper as well. You will also be required to provide your own warm-up balls for your pre-game warm-ups.

Ties in Pool play will be decided by head to head, thereafter will be how you did against the higher seed, next will be point differential, in then there's no decisive factor, we will result in a coin flip for placement into bracket play.

Each TEAM will have 3 games (GUARANTEED) however 1 of the games may be bracket play.

The head coach is responsible for medical emergencies of his/her players in the event of accident, injury or illness. The Carolina Waves assume no responsibility for any accidents, injuries or illnesses. However an Athletic trainer will be on staff at each facility to help with injuries.

Proper game etiquette is necessary. Please be informed unsportsmanlike conduct toward officials, coaches and other players will not be tolerated. There is a no tolerance rule, towards fighting, cursing or any other acts that may bring harm toward our participants and spectators. Any infractions that do occur will result in a verbal warning and up to disqualification from the event. Penalties will be at the discretion of the tournament officials and director.

After your games' conclude, we ask that you be so kind to assist in making sure the bench areas are properly maintained. So please make sure all the floors are clear of liquids and trash, and chairs straightened. We want to make this a clean, safe and productive environment for everyone however; we will need your help. So let's take this opportunity to enjoy the competition, enjoy the fellowship, and have a successful weekend. If there are any questions, please do not hesitate to ask. Let me know if there is anything, we can do to assist you. Again, we appreciate your participation in the Carolina Waves Invitational Basketball Tournament

CONDUCT

The head coach listed on the team is responsible for the behavior of the team, its players and its fans. The Tournament director, site director or referees will eject any coach, player team or fan whose actions interfere with the conduct of the tournament. If a coach is ejected from a game, he/she is not required to sit out the next game. Two ejections from the same tournament would result in an automatic one game suspension. If a parent or adult in the bleachers is ejected from the game, the athlete of relation to the individual is automatically disqualified from the remainder of that game. If a parent ejection were to occur in the 2nd half of a game, the athlete of relation must then sit out the 1st half of the next game.

TOURNAMENT FORMAT

3 game guarantee. Each Division will have each individual tournament however each team is guaranteed 3 games. Some Divisions play Bracket play the entire time. Others will have pool play and bracket play. Please refer to Tournemachin.com to view your teams schedule.

IN CASE OF A TIE IN STANDINGS: TIEBREAKER ORDER

1: Head to Head

If only two teams are tied, head to head result is the first tiebreaker. If no head to head result, then tiebreaker moves to Point System (#2).

If there is a three or more way or tie, the tiebreak automatically becomes the point system (#2) and, if necessary Defensive Points (#3). Head to head results are not counted in a three or more way tie due to the likelihood of uncommon opponents.

2: Point system

A point differential system will be used. Teams receive a maximum of 13 points for a win and a maximum of -13 points for a loss. The team with the most positive points will be first followed by the next most positive point total.

3: Defensive Points

If two teams remain tied, we revert to a Defensive Point System – A total defensive point system will be used in case of a tie between 2 or more teams. Example: Team A is 2-1 with wins of 45-32 & 49-45 and a loss of 56-64. Total defensive points determined are 141. Repeat the same procedure for the remaining teams. The team with the lowest points allowed will determine the teams' order of placement.

At www.carolinawaves.org , you will find up to the minute game results posted and tournament announcements thru Tourney Machine App.

ADMISSION FEES

\$12 Saturday–April 6, 2019

Children 4 and under are admitted free.

*Admission Bands MUST remain on throughout the duration of the tournament. We cannot accept bands that have been cut off or otherwise removed, and anyone who has removed their band will be charged a daily admission.

Bands will only be attached to an individual's' wrist (No Purses/Bags, etc)

TOURNAMENT Organizers

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