



# Kings & Queens of the Court Youth Basketball Tournament

## Tournament Rules and Game Play

- Intermediate size balls will be used in all divisions except 8A Boys Division (men's basketball)
- Games will consist of two 18-minute running clock halves
  - Clock will stop under 1 minute of the 1<sup>st</sup> half
  - Clock will stop under 2 minutes of 2<sup>nd</sup> half within a 15 point margin
- Full court press is allowed up to a 15-point lead
- Three timeouts per game (3 full - 60 second timeouts)
- 3 minute break at half time as time allows
- Overtime: First OT is 2 minutes - (Each team will have 1 timeout in overtime)  
Second OT - sudden death – no timeouts/no timeouts carry-over
- Technical fouls - 2 points and the ball out of bounds
  - If two technical fouls are awarded to the bench, the head coach must leave the game
  - If two technical fouls are awarded to the same player, that player is ejected from the game
- Intentional fouls - 2 points and the ball out of bounds
- A player may play for more than one team, but cannot play in same grade division. A player can only play "up" a grade level.
- Teams will shoot bonus @ 7 team fouls and double bonus @ 10 team fouls per half.
- Each team must supply either a score keeper or a time keeper per game
- Please have team ready to play 15 minutes prior to scheduled start time
- All teams must have a basketball and uniforms with properly numbered jerseys
- Teams need to supply their own basketballs for warm-ups.
  
- NO PROTESTS ALLOWED. Game officials' calls are final.
  
- **Unsportsmanlike behavior from coaches, players, or fans will not be tolerated and may result in immediate removal from the game/premises.**

*Championship Hoodies will be awarded to 1<sup>st</sup> place teams in each division.*