

School & Draft League 1st session

There will be a 3rd-4th, 5th-6th, and 7th grade division. (This is based on school year 21-22)

1. All teams' players MUST attend the same school.
2. Players may play up they cannot play down.
3. If teams tie for any position, we will go as followed.
 - a. Head-to-head
 - b. Point differential (up to +15 per game)
 - c. Points allowed
 - d. Points Scored
 - e. Coin Flip
4. 28.5 ball will be played in all divisions (6th grade boys) if both mutually agree a boy's ball may be used.
5. All divisions will play 2 (15) minute halves with running clock until the last 2 mins of the game. (If a court gets behind on time the games can be moved to (12) minute running clock.
6. (3) timeouts per game (1) extra in overtime.
7. (3) sec in lane will be called on grades 5th and up – 4th and lower will have (5) sec in the lane
8. Pressing is allowed in grades 5th and up – 3rd- 4th will be able to press the last 5 mins of the game. 1st-2nd no pressing can pick up at half court, Kindergarten must play below the red line(2nd and lower must play man to man no zone defense)
 - We have encouraged our officials even in the younger grades to call all fouls.
 - (k) – 2nd grade the official will encourage not to double dribble the ball up to the line where defense can play. If they pick the ball up and dribble again it will be called. If they run with the ball, it will be called. Slight movement of pivot foot or possible extra step will be tolerated at the discretion of the official.
9. If a team is leading by 20 points or more neither team is allowed to press
10. Mercy rule – if a team is up by 20 points the clock will not stop except on timeouts.
11. Only 2 coaches allowed per team (1) coach may stand the assistant coach must stay seated.
12. 3rd & 4th grade will use a 12ft line for free throws and may land on the line. 5th and up may not cross the line. 1st/2nd grade uses 10ft line, and kindergarten is 8ft line
13. Coaches and fans must appreciate the fact we have officials, that is getting harder and harder to get. **(NO TOLERATION FOR ARGUING CALLS)** MOVE ON NEXT PLAY. Fans should understand and recognize they are spectators and should not and will not be part of any negative atmosphere. (They will be asked to leave)
14. Covid protocols – currently we do not require a mask – We do recommend following all CDC guidelines to help keep everyone safe.

ALL OTHER RULES WILL FOLLOW NFHS NATIONAL BASKETBALL RULES