- 1. Two 18-minute running clock halves. Clock will only stop in the last 2 minutes of the <u>Second</u> half if game is within 10 points. EBC will supply professional clock people for all events.
- 2. Each team will get 4 time-outs (1 full, 3 30-second) and 1 additional timeout per OT period. Time-outs will carry over into overtime.
- 3. Free throws (one and one) will be shot on the 7th team foul of each half. All free throws after the 7th team foul will result in a "one and one" situation. There will never be a "two shot" bonus situation.
- 4. 2- minute warm up period before each game and a 2- minute halftime.
- 5. Overtime will be 2 minutes with stopped time. Games will be played with two normal overtime periods. If the game is still tied after the second overtime, then a sudden death overtime will begin and the first team to score will win.
- 6. Any coach or player receiving two technical fouls will be ejected from the game as well as for the following game. The on- court officials have total control of their court and therefore have final say in all activity and ejections on their court. Neither EBC personnel nor the tournament director will overrule an official. Any punches thrown will result in ejection from the tournament.
- 7. Players will be disqualified after committing their 5th foul.
- 8. Home teams are listed first on the schedule. Home teams are responsible for supplying the game ball and providing the official book for their game. Home teams will wear the lighter color jersey in the game.
- 9. Pressing is permitted for boys and girls in all age groups unless lead reaches 20 points. Pressing is not permitted until lead is cut back down under 15 points.
- 10. If two teams are tied in the standings, head to head competition between the two teams will determine the winner. If more than two teams are tied in the standings or the teams did not play each other than a point differential will be used. Point differential will be calculated after each game for seeding. The third tiebreaker system will use total points against. The fourth tiebreaker system will use total points scored. The fifth tiebreaker system will be a coin flip. Forfeit games will be scored 40-20
- 11. Players are only allowed to play for one organization. They can play on 2 teams in the same organization if they meet the age requirements.
- 12. A player can NOT be older than the max age for a division. For example: an 11 year old player is NOT allowed to play in the 10u division. Teams have to play in the division of their oldest player.
- 13. Any challenge of a player's age from the opposing team must be done prior to the game starting. Once the game begins no challenge will be accepted. Only head coaches are allowed to challenge a player's age. Challenges must be made to the tournament director. The referee's, scorekeepers, event staff or any other staff member cannot authorize any challenges of a player's age. All teams must bring and keep with them at all time, proper documentation (ex. Birth certificates, driver's license) for their players. Any challenge that is found to be incorrect will result in a technical foul on the head coach that initiated the challenge and the game will begin with 2 free throws and the ball for the opposing team. IF ANY CHALLENGE OF A PLAYERS AGE IS MADE AND THE TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR DETERMINES THAT THE PLAYER IS INELIGIBLE BECAUSE OF HIS/HER AGE THE ENTIRE TEAM MAY BE DISQUALIFIED FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE TOURNAMENT. IT IS THE COACHES RESPONSIBILITY TO ENSURE THAT ALL OF THE PLAYERS MEET THE AGE REQUIREMENT FOR THE DIVISION THAT THEY ARE PLAYING IN.

- 14. Any protests from each game must be communicated to the tournament director once the game is completed. Neither EBC personnel nor the tournament director will overrule any referee as they have complete control over their court.
- 15. All players must wear a numbered uniform that resembles the uniform worn by their teammates.
- 16. Each team is fully responsible to clean their own bench upon completion of the game.
- 17. Please arrive at least 30 minutes early for each game. If games are running behind, we will begin the next game immediately after the previous game. There will only be a 5- minute grace period after the official start time of the game. After the 5- minute grace period, if a team is not at their court, then the officials or tournament director will declare a forfeit.
- 18. In all situations that aren't specified in these rules the high school federation rules will apply.
- 19. All players must have proof of age. Only 2 coaches will be allowed in the event free of charge
- 20. No outside food or drinks are permitted at any facility. Please make all coaches, players and spectators aware of this.
- 21. All coaches and spectators will be required to wear a wristband provided by EBC to be in the facility of each event. Admission cost is \$20 with kids 11 and under free.