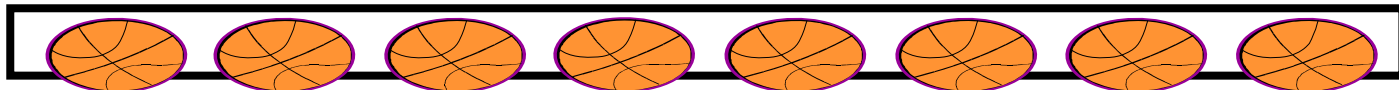
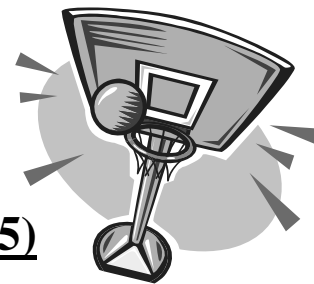


YOUTH BASKETBALL LEAGUES

For boys and girls in grades 3 - 6

Registration Fee: \$15 (Deadline October 15)

Late Registration Fee: \$20 (October 18 - 22)



- » **FOUR SEPARATE DIVISIONS WILL BE OFFERED.** 3rd & 4th Girls; 3rd & 4th Boys; 5th & 6th Girls and 5th & 6th Boys. The 3rd & 4th grade divisions will be played on 8.5' goals.
- » **Practices** will be one hour in length, twice a week before the season starts, Monday thru Thursday, between 5:30 – 8:30pm at one of the elementary school gyms **or on Saturday mornings, 9:00am - 1:00pm or Sunday evenings, 5:00-8:00pm at the Joe Thornton Rec Center.** Once games start, practices will be held once a week. Siblings in the same age group will be placed on the same team, unless otherwise requested.
- » **Games are played on Saturday mornings.** 3rd & 4th grades play at the Joe Thornton Rec Center and 5th & 6th grades play at the WIS Gymnasium. All teams will play 8 games.
- » Following the registration period, kids will be placed on teams and contacted by their coach. Once the kids are assigned to a team, they will not be allowed to switch to a different team. We ask for the parents' cooperation in this matter.

» **VOLUNTEER COACHES** are needed to conduct this program. Head Coaches are required to become certified with the National Youth Sports Coaches Association.

» **TEAMS WILL BE LIMITED TO ONE COACH UNTIL AFTER THE TEAM DRAFTS.** ASSISTANTS CAN THEN BE CHOSEN FROM THE PARENTS OF THE DRAFTED PLAYERS. COACHES CANNOT CHOOSE THEIR ASSISTANTS BEFORE THE DRAFT (Unless the assistant does not have a child playing).

Please make a special note of the following dates:

October 15	-	Registration Deadline
October 18 – 22	-	Late Registration (Add \$5)
October 25	-	Coaches Meeting & Draft (3 rd & 4 th)
October 26	-	Coaches Meeting & Draft (5 th & 6 th)
October 27	-	*NYSCA Coaches Clinic
6:00pm	-	Introduction to Coaching Youth Sports
7:15pm	-	Sports Specific "Basketball" Video
November 1	-	Practices Begin
November 20	-	Scheduled Games Begin, Turkey Shoot & Team Pictures



* 1st year Coaches must attend both sessions in order to become certified. Coaches already certified thru NYSCA in another sport only need to attend the Sports Specific session.

ENROLLMENT TAKEN AFTER OCTOBER 22nd WILL BE PLACED ON A WAITING LIST TO BE UTILIZED IF PLAYERS ARE NEEDED TO KEEP TEAMS AT OPTIMUM NUMBERS. ANY INDIVIDUAL SIGNING UP AFTER OCTOBER 22nd WILL NOT BE GUARANTEED PLACEMENT ON A TEAM.



Enrollment Form

(Please print clearly & return by October 15th with the \$15 fee to the WRC, 624 College!)
Make sure you fill in all blanks – Forms with empty blanks will not be accepted.

Name _____ School _____ Grade _____

Address _____ Phone: Work _____ Home _____

Gender: Male _____ Female _____ Birthdate: _____

Whom to contact in emergency: _____ Phone _____

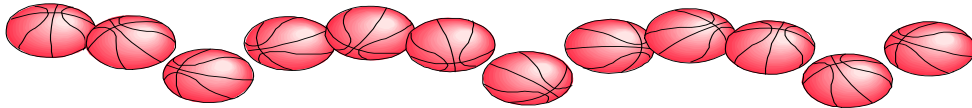
T-shirt size (circle one): YM YL AS AM AL AXL

PARENTS CONSENT AND RELEASE

I, the undersigned, hereby consent to my child enrolling and participating in the above Winfield Recreation Commission Youth Program. I also am aware that there are physical risks and hazards involved in the conduct of the program and hereby release, indemnify and hold harmless this organization from any liability as a result of any accident which may occur in conjunction with said participation and result in bodily injury to my child.

Parent and/or Legal Guardian

Date



COACH'S INFORMATION:

NYSCA VOLUNTEER COACHES CERTIFICATION CLINIC – October 27

Again this year, all teams must have at least one coach that is NYSCA certified. Thanks to the support of the Winfield Recreation Commission, coaches will receive this training **FREE OF CHARGE** (a \$20 value). Once you complete the 3 hours of training, you will receive \$500,000 in liability insurance coverage. Mark down October 27 on your calendar. **Clinic is from 6:00-9:00pm** at the WRC office, 624 College.

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* _____ Yes, I will be the head coach of my child's team, Please send me a coaching application.

I will attend the NYSCA coaches clinic on October 27, as well as the coaches meeting and draft of my child's grade division. (Head coaches will be determined on a first come basis, with priority being given to those that are NYSCA certified and have a coaching application on file.)

* _____ Yes, I am willing to assist the head coach of the team my child is on, Please send me a coaching application.

Name: _____ Address: _____ Phone: _____

