

PINEVILLE PARKS AND RECREATION

YOUTH BASKETBALL INFORMATION SHEET 2024-2025

AGE GROUPS:

All dates base on year 2024

6U cannot turn 7 before September 1 and must be 5 by September 1

8U cannot turn 9 before September 1

10U cannot turn 11 before September 1

13U cannot turn 14 before September 1

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- A. For the purpose of being fair to all participants and coaches, players in their assigned age group will go through a draft/evaluation (Except 5-6). ALL players will be placed on a team.
- B. **The draft will be held as follows:**
 - **6U will receive an email by November 22 about team/practice information.**
 - **8U: Saturday November 16 at 8am @ Belle Johnston Center Gym**
 - **10U: Saturday November 16 at 10am @ Belle Johnston Center Gym**
 - **12U: Saturday November 16 at 12pm @ Belle Johnston Center Gym**
 - **Players need to be at the draft ready to practice and run drills.**
- C. **HEAD COACHES only meeting:** Tuesday 11/12: 6U at 6pm, 8U at 7pm; Thursday 11/14: 10U at 6pm, 13U at 7pm.
- D. Exemption(s): **Carpooling exemptions are not allowed for 8U and older age divisions.**
 - Head coach's child.
 - Sibling(s)
 - Relative that is the reason a coach is coaching (ex. An uncle is coaching for his nephew)

FEES

- A. The registration fee is \$75 for Pineville Residents (must show proof of residency) and \$95 for Non-Residents per player.
- B. Fees cover the player's shirt, shorts, officials, equipment, gym usage, and any maintenance. **NO REFUNDS** will be given after the registration date has expired. If a player drops after this point, then all items will be forfeited.

PLAYER EQUIPMENT

- A player shall not wear anything that is dangerous to another player as ruled by the officials.
- The players must wear non-skidding basketball or tennis shoes.
- Recreation Dept. will supply several balls.

PRACTICES/GAMES

- Practices will start the first week in December.
- Practices and games will be held at the Belle Johnston Community Center or Pineville Elementary.
- Games will start Saturday, January 11th. Games may be played on any day of the week. Once games start there could be limited practice time.
- Season will end March 1st.

Please help us keep the Gym/Parks clean by picking up trash after the practices and games.
If you have any further questions, please call 704-889-2400 or visit www.pinevillenc.gov.

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