



Grade Six 4-on-4 Basketball Tournament

Friday, December 11, 2015 from 6:00-8:00 PM
Saddletowne YMCA

Tournament Rules

Player Eligibility

Players are limited to Calgary Flames Grade 6 Members of the Calgary YMCA; no participants may be outside of the age range of 10-13 years.

Team Composition

Teams will consist of 4 players on the court at one time, with a minimum of 3 players required to start a game. Teams will be chosen at random by the Youth Coordinator/Director. To account for time constraints of the tournament, there are currently 12 teams (48 players) in total.

Playing Area and Equipment

AREA: All games will be played in the gymnasium at the Saddletowne YMCA using regulation size basketballs.

SHOES: All players must wear indoor running shoes.

Tournament Format

BRACKETS: There will be 2 brackets consisting of 6 teams. Each team will play 3 games in a round-robin format. Games will be played full court using half of the gym with boundaries designated by the blue lines.

FINALS: The 2nd place team from each bracket will play for 3rd place following the round-robin games. Following the game for 3rd place, the finals will be played by the 1st place team from each bracket. Games will be played full court using the full gymnasium with boundaries designated by the thick black lines.

Timing

LENGTH OF GAME: Each match will consist of 1 period, 5 minutes in duration with the clock running continuously during the round robin. Finals will run 10 minutes in length consisting of 2 periods. There will be no time outs.

OVERTIME: There will be no overtime during the round-robin portion of the tournament. During the finals, overtime will be played as a sudden death format, where the first basket scored by either side is declared the winner.

Playing the Game

STARTING: Games will start with a jump ball at centre court.

FOULS: Regulation basketball rules will be followed with fouls called by the referee.

BASKETS: Each basket will count as 2 points, there will be no 3 point shots scored.

All team representatives, players, coaches, spectators, and other representatives are subject to these rules