



3V3 Coed Basketball Tournament Rules

5 players to a team. Separated by age group: Middle school ages 11 through 13, 14-15, 16-18, 19 through 29, and 30 plus...

All games will be played to 15 points by 1's and 2's. There will be a running clock set at 15 minutes. 1st team to get to 15 points or above wins. If we don't have a team to reach 15 points or higher before the clock expires the team with the highest number of points wins. If the score is tied after the clock expires. The 3 players last on the court from each team once the clock expires will go to the free throw line. Each team will alternate free throw shots until one team misses and the other team makes it. The 1st team that makes the shot while the other team misses, the team that made the shot will receive the win.

A team must have at least 3 players on the court to start the game.

Players must have a copy of their Birth Certificate or some form of ID to prove their age in order to participate. (Driver's License, Passport)

Both teams will open in prayer before the coin flip.

A coin flip will determine which team will start with the ball. The winner of the coin toss can choose to defer the ball to the other team. If that happens the winner of the coin toss gets to choose to shoot first or have the other team shoot first in an overtime shoot out situation.

Both teams will warm up simultaneously and have 2 minutes before the game will start.

Normal Basketball Rules will apply.

Any falsified documentation by a player; the team caught cheating will be automatically disqualified. And all remaining games will be forfeited. All disqualified teams will result in a 0 score for the remainder of their games.

All fouls will be shooting fouls. (Clock will only stop during the shot, timeouts, or referee stoppage. (Referees are the only ones who can add time to the clock.)

(3) Fouls in any one game by one player he or she is fouled out for the remainder of that game.

Max team fouls before shooting one and ones is (5). So the 6th foul you will go to the free throw line for one and ones. Free throws will be awarded to the player who is fouled. If the player makes the 1st shot he will be given a second shot to add another point. On the 8th team foul the player will be awarded 2 shots for 1 point each. Double bonus will start on the 8th team foul. This includes offensive fouls.

Technical fouls are an automatic point awarded to the other team and plus the ball. (2) Technical fouls given to one player he or she will not be allowed to play in any game forward. If this should happen, the whole team can be held responsible and made to forfeit all remaining games. Depending on the reasoning why the technical foul was given it's up to the director if he or she will not be allowed back on the church grounds.

Technical fouls will be given to anyone using profanity, arguing with the Referee's calls, ANY CONDUCT WE THINK THAT MIGHT BE DETRIMENTAL TO THE TOURNAMENT OR IT'S HELP.
Fighting you will be removed permanently.

No alcoholic beverages, tobacco products, vaping, or any drugs ever allowed on the premises. This will result in automatic team forfeits of remainder of games plus possible charges and arrests depending on the substance.

Each team will have a designated captain that is responsible for all of his or her players. Please choose your players wisely. All conduct will affect not just the player but the entire team. So if one player is caught breaking these rules the whole team can and most likely will be disqualified from participating.

Please encourage your players to follow these guidelines. There will be no excuses and these rules have been posted, it's up to the team to read them and follow these rules.

The team with the most wins for their group will move on to the finals. If there are 2 teams with the same number of wins the winner will be decided by score differential from all combined games. The team with the most points in total differential will move on to the final tournament. (head to head wins doesn't matter.)

Thank you for participating. Feel free to contact me with any questions.

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