

BEAUFORT COUNTY PARKS AND RECREATION
BASKETBALL LEAGUE
4-6 year old
BASKETBALL RULES

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PLAYER ELIGIBILITY:

1. The participant must meet the age classifications stated above.
League age prior to September 1, 2021.
Participants may play in only one age division.
2. No player may be added to the roster after a team's third game, unless it is to prevent a team from forfeiting. This decision must be made by B.C. Parks and Recreation.
3. Once a player has been placed on a team, the player will not be allowed to switch to another team. Any exceptions must be made by B.C. Parks and Recreation.

TEAM SELECTION:

1. Roster Size: Maximum of 8 players
Minimum of 6 players
The game may be played 4 on 4 if a team doesn't have enough players

RULES OF THE GAME:

1. Length of Quarters: 5 minutes*
*The clock will run continuously, except under the following conditions: a time out is called by a player, coach, or referee/there is an injured player on the court. The game will start on time. (5+1+5+2+5+1+5=24 Minutes) **You may borrow a player from the other team in the event that a team does not have enough to begin.**
2. Substitutions: After each quarter.
3. One coach from each team is required to officiate the game. Assistant coach needs to maintain control of subs.
4. There is no pressing allowed. Teams need to set their defense close to the basket until the opposing team comes across half court.
5. Teams must place all of their defenders within the defensive box.
6. Throw-in will take place at midcourt to begin each quarter

UNIFORMS:

1. Numbered jerseys will be provided by BC Parks and Recreation. Numbers will be on the backs of the shirts. The High School Rules on acceptable numbered jerseys does not apply to the Parks and Recreation league. Undershirts can be of any color for the league.
2. Shorts must be worn over the hips, and must have the jersey tucked firmly in the shorts. A player will not be allowed to wear sweat pants or shorts with pockets in them. No belts are allowed. Compression shorts may be worn under the shorts.
3. **No jewelry or hair beads are allowed! No Exceptions!!!!!!!!!!!!!!**
4. The home team will wear the white side. The visiting team will wear the dark side.

5. Only shoes with rubber soles on them will be permitted on the floor. Street shoes are not allowed.
6. No bandanas or hats are allowed to be worn on the floor. Head-bands are acceptable.

8. Uniforms may not be altered or have names added. Only uniforms issued by Park and Recreation are permitted in league play. Any player is subject to not being allowed to play without the proper uniform.

EQUIPMENT:

INTERMEDIATE BALL (27.5):

GOAL HEIGHT:

6 Foot Goals (4 Co-Ed)

6 Foot Goals (5-6 Boys and 5-6 Girls)

MISCONDUCT/ UNSPORTSMANLIKE BEHAVIOR: PARKS AND RECREATION CODE OF CONDUCT APPLIES TO ALL PARTICIPANTS, COACHES AND SPECTATORS