

C.Y.O. HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL LEAGUE RULES

1. NO TEAM WILL PLAY UNTIL THEIR ENTRY FEE HAS BEEN PAID.
2. EACH TEAM MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN ADULT (21 YEARS OR OLDER).
3. **ANY PLAYER WHO IS ON A HIGH SCHOOL ROSTER AS OF DECEMBER 1st IS DEEMED INELIGIBLE FOR C.Y.O. LEAGUE PLAY. ANY TEAM IN VIOLATION OF THIS RULE WILL BE EJECTED FROM THE LEAGUE IMMEDIATELY!!**
4. Each team will pay one referee \$30.00 BEFORE THE GAME STARTS. If only one referee officiates the game, the referee shall receive \$20.00 from each coach (\$40.00 per game).
5. Each Game will consist of two, 15 MINUTE halves. The clock will stop on free throws and time outs, until the LAST 2 MINUTES OF THE GAME, when the clock will stop on every whistle. If a team leads by 15+ points, the clock will not stop (2nd half ONLY). Teams get FOUR time outs per game. The "NO PRESS" rule is applied if a team has a 15 point lead at any time during the game. **BONUS** occurs on the SEVENTH and SUPER BONUS on the TENTH team foul. General rules apply at all other times (see current I.H.S.A. rule book).
6. **OVERTIME**: Two minute period, running clock, until the LAST MINUTE of the PERIOD, when the clock will stop on every whistle. Teams will receive an extra time out. **SUDDEN DEATH** (regular season ONLY) - If the game is still tied after the Overtime period, the first team to lead by 2 points wins. In the Playoffs, Overtime periods will be used until one team wins the game.
7. **Forfeit time is fifteen (15) minutes** after the scheduled game time. Each team must start the game with five (5) players. Exceptions may be made in cases of extreme weather. Once teams receive 2 forfeits, they will be ejected from the league and the fees WILL NOT be refunded.
8. The upper age limit for the **Prep division** is sixteen (16) years old and the player must be a Sophomore. Otherwise, they must play in the Varsity division. G.E.D. students must be 15 yrs or younger to play in the Prep Division. Grade school youth are INELIGIBLE!
9. In the **Varsity & Girls Divisions**, players must be eighteen (18) yrs old or younger AS OF DECEMBER 1st. Players must be in high school, NOT grade school nor college.
10. **Players may only participate** and be listed on the roster for **ONE C.Y.O. TEAM per season**. Each player must be listed in the official score book BEFORE the start of the game.
11. **NO NEW player(s)** may be added to any roster(s) **AFTER THE FIRST GAME**.
12. **COPIES of the team roster(s) & permission/medical forms** must be completed and faxed or emailed **to the CYO office** (NOT your game site) **by December 1st**. Failure to do so will result in **FORFEITURE OF ALL REFUNDABLE TEAM FEES (\$50.00 per team)**.

13. **Players from OUTSIDE the parish** may participate, provided one of the following conditions is met:
 - a) The player's parish does not have a team for his/her age group.
 - b) If the player's parish has a team for his/her age group, the player must obtain written permission from the coach of that team. This document must accompany the roster of the team with whom the player will play. The player must **ONLY** be listed on that roster.
14. **Game shirts** with large, visible numbers must be worn **by the SECOND game**. Starting at the 3rd game, **a bench technical foul** will be assessed **for each player without a game shirt**. **NO TEAM will compete in the Playoffs without game shirts.**
15. Contact your **Commissioner** (see your schedule) if you need **to cancel/reschedule a game**. Advance notice must be given (at least 48 hours) to accommodate schedule changes.
16. **NO DUNKING IS ALLOWED!!!** Any player in violation of this rule will be ejected from the game and/or the league upon review of the incident by the C.Y.O. office. The coach will receive a warning. After the 3rd incident, the entire team will be ejected from the league.
17. On order to participate in the Playoffs, a player must have played in at least three (3) regular season games. **ANY TEAM WHO DOES NOT TURN IN A COMPLETED ROSTER TO THE C.Y.O. OFFICE WILL BE INELIGIBLE FOR THE PLAYOFFS.**
18. The penalty for **falsified rosters** or violations of player eligibility will mean **IMMEDIATE EXPULSION** from the league.
19. ANY PLAYER OR COACH WHOSE **CONDUCT WARRANTS EXPULSION** FROM A GAME **MAY BE BANNED FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE LEAGUE**, DEPENDING ON THE SERIOUSNESS OF THE INFRACTION. THE JUDGEMENT LIES WITH THE C.Y.O. OFFICE. THIS RULE ALSO APPLIES TO SPECTATORS.
20. All complaints on referee conduct will be handled by C.Y.O. & the Site Commissioners.
21. PROTESTS will be heard regarding **C.Y.O. rule interpretation and eligibility ONLY**. The referees must be notified of the protest at the time of the incident. Protests must be submitted in writing and accompanied by a \$25.00 fee, no later than 48 hours after the game. No fee is required for protests regarding eligibility. **NOTE:** A referee's call is not a rule interpretation.
22. **SPORTSMANSHIP** is a key ingredient at all C.Y.O. events. All players, coaches, spectators, etc. are expected to behave appropriately **AT ALL TIMES**.
23. Contact **Kim Williams** at the C.Y.O. office, if you have any questions regarding the C.Y.O. league rules, **(312) 491-3534, fax (312) 491-3531, Email williamsk4@maryvilleacademy.org**
24. **HAVE A GREAT TIME!**

PARENTAL / LEGAL GUARDIAN AUTHORIZATION - Required for ALL Participants

I hereby give permission for my child _____ to participate in the **Catholic Youth Organization High School Basketball League** from December 3, 2011 – May 28, 2012. (I understand that this event includes running, jumping, and other skills.) There is an inherent risk in basketball. Injuries include but are not limited to sprained ankles, muscle pulls, injury to joints, bones, ligaments & tendons, neck & back injuries and even death. In an effort to make the event run more safely, it is vital that all athletes follow the directions given.

I hereby release and indemnify the Catholic Youth Organization, its Basketball program, staff, volunteers, _____, Maryville Academy, and the

(Fill in your Parish / Team Name)

Catholic Bishop of Chicago, a corporation sole, from any and all liability arising from claims of any kind or nature whatsoever from my child's participation in this program.

Participant's High School _____

PRINT Name of Parent/Legal Guardian _____

Participant's Age _____

SIGNATURE of Parent/Legal Guardian _____

Female _____ Male _____

FULL Address (City, State, ZIP CODE) _____

<u>PLAYER'S</u>	
Birth Date: _____	Grade: _____
E-Mail: _____	

(_____) _____

PARENT/ LEGAL GUARDIAN Cell Phone _____

PARENT/ LEGAL GUARDIAN Email Address _____

MEDICAL PERMISSION AUTHORIZATION ** This section must be completely filled out

I grant permission for the administration of first aid to my child, _____ BY THE PEOPLE IN CHARGE OF THE CYO LEAGUE and those transporting my child to and from the program as their judgment deems advisable. I grant the people in charge of the event the permission to make the necessary referrals to qualified physicians for treatment of illnesses or accidents of a more serious nature. I understand that I will be promptly notified in the event of any serious illness or accident and prior to any major surgery, except when a delay in such communication would endanger life. In case of a medical emergency, I understand that every effort will be made to contact the parent/legal guardian of the participant. In the event I cannot be reached, I hereby grant permission to the physician selected by the adult staff to hospitalize, secure proper treatment for, and to order injection, anesthesia or surgery, if deemed necessary, for my child.

Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian: _____ **Date:** _____

Family Physician: _____ **Phone** (_____) _____

INSURANCE INFORMATION ** This section must be completely filled out

Policy in the Name of: _____

Insurance Company: _____ **Policy Number:** _____

For St. Norbert Parish:

Please make checks payable to St. Norbert Church in the amount of
\$80.00 prior to 10/25/11, \$90.00 after 10/25/11,
and submit completed forms and payment to:

St. Norbert Church
Attention: Maggie Bruce
1809 Walters Avenue
Northbrook, IL 60062

No forms will be accepted after November 18, 2011.

If you have any questions,
contact maggiebruce@sbcglobal.net
or call Maggie Bruce at (847)687-7696.