



# 3<sup>RD</sup>-8<sup>TH</sup> GRADE YOUTH BASKETBALL LEAGUES

Experience the fun and excitement of playing basketball! Youth basketball emphasizes the development of fundamental basketball skills and positive youth sports values such as teamwork, respect and sportsmanship. The program consists of one 1 hour week night practice and one Saturday game each week. Equal playing time is one of the goals of the program.

## SCRIMMAGE/EVALUATION NIGHT

Your child is expected to participate in a Scrimmage/evaluation night at Brunswick Rec Center Gym on the date listed below. Players will be placed in groups and scrimmage in order for Recreation staff to assess the experience and skill level of players as they attempt to form balanced teams. Participation is important for the creation of fair and evenly balanced teams!

## TEAM PLACEMENTS

You will receive communication from your child's coach regarding team placement and schedule prior to your first practice. Please indicate during registration if there is a potential conflict in your family's schedule that needs to be considered for team placement! Teams are put together based on careful evaluations to make them fair & balanced. Unfortunately, we cannot accommodate requests to change teams—once a player is placed on a team, there will be NO changes allowed.

**Registration:** Registration will remain open until November 28<sup>th</sup>!

**Scrimmage Evaluation Nights Brunswick Rec Center Gym:**

3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> Grade- November 16<sup>th</sup>    **Scrimmage times: 3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> Girls -5:30-6:15pm**    **3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> Boys- 6:30-7:15pm**

5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup> Grade- November 17<sup>th</sup>    **Scrimmage times: 5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup> Girls -5:30-6:15pm**    **5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup> Boys- 6:30-7:15pm**

7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> Grade- November 18<sup>th</sup>    **Scrimmage time: 6-7pm**

**Coaches Meeting:** Tuesday, November 22<sup>nd</sup> at 5:30pm

**Team Placement:** You will be notified by Wednesday, November 23<sup>rd</sup>

**First Week of Practices:** Week of November 28<sup>th</sup>

**Practice and Game Schedules:** Will be provided by coaches

**First Game:** Saturday, December 3<sup>rd</sup> (No games Dec. 24 & 31. Games will be played through Saturday, January 28th)

### **Basketball League for Grades 3/4**

**\$65 Brunswick Residents/ \$86 Non-Residents**

Children in Grades 3-4 will play in separate gendered divisions and will have one 1 hour weekday practice and one Saturday game. Players will receive a reversible Jersey prior to the first day of games.

### **Basketball League for Grades 5/6**

**\$80 Brunswick Residents/ \$106 Non-Residents**

Children in Grades 5-6 will play in separate gendered divisions and will have one 1 hour weekday practice and one Saturday game. Players will receive a reversible Jersey prior to the first day of games. If there are insufficient numbers to support two leagues, we will combine to form a coed league.

## **TEAMS IN THIS LEAGUE WILL COMPETE AGAINST REC TEAMS FROM BATH AND FREEPORT**

### **Basketball League for Grades 7/8**

**\$80 Brunswick Residents/ \$106 Non-Residents**

Children in Grades 7-8 will be placed on combined teams and will have one 1 hour weekday practice and one Saturday game. Players will receive a reversible Jersey prior to the first day of games.

Scan the QR Code to  
Register Online!



**COVID-19 GUIDELINES WILL BE CONSISTENT WITH BRUNSWICK SCHOOL DEPARTMENT PROTOCOLS THAT ARE IN PLACE AT THE TIME OF THE PROGRAM SESSIONS**

The Parks and Recreation Department encourages individuals with disabilities to register for this program. Should you desire further information, contact the Recreation Department at 725-6656. To view our refund policy, see our current program offerings or register online, visit us online at [www.brunswickme.org/parks-recreation](http://www.brunswickme.org/parks-recreation).

### 2022-2023 BASKETBALL LEAGUE VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Youth Basketball relies heavily on volunteers and we need your help! We need volunteer coaches, adult and high school student referees, timers, and scorekeepers. Please assist if possible! A referee training session will be offered (Date and time TBA). There are also some paid student positions available—Apply at the Recreation Center, 220 Neptune Drive, Brunswick, if interested!

#### TRAINING AND CERTIFICATION FOR COACHES

The Brunswick Parks & Recreation Department will conduct mandatory training and certification for all volunteers coaching in the program. The National Youth Sports Coaches Association (NYSCA) certification program focuses on the psychology of coaching youth sports, organizing fun and interesting practices, and first aid and safety. Contact the Recreation Department for more information at 725-6656. Training and certification will be done online through NYSCA certification program.

*Please let us know if you are willing to help in the following areas. Check the appropriate box if you can help:*

Officiate    Coach    Assistant Coach   What division are you willing to help? \_\_\_\_\_  Boys    Girls

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Child's name you wish to coach: \_\_\_\_\_

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#### YOUTH BASKETBALL LEAGUE 2022-2023 TEAM SPONSOR

Sponsor Name\*: \_\_\_\_\_

*(\*Please print name as it should appear on the jersey. Depending on the length of the name, we may have to shorten or abbreviate the name of your organization for screen printing purposes.)*

Contact person: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone number: \_\_\_\_\_

- Grade 3/4 Girls Division                      \$150
- Grade 3/4 Boys Division                      \$150
- Grade 5/6 Girls Division                      \$150
- Grade 5/6 Boys Division                      \$150
- Grade 7/8 Coed League                      \$150

Total Sponsorship Amount: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

If your child or the child of any employees would like to play on your sponsored team, please list their name(s) and grade(s). We will do our best to place the child on your company team. **If this section is not filled out completely, we cannot guarantee placement.**

Name and grade (as of Sept. 2022):  
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- Total included \$ \_\_\_\_\_ payable to "Town of Brunswick"
- Please bill us.

**Please return this portion to:**  
Brunswick Parks & Recreation Department  
220 Neptune Drive  
Brunswick, Maine 04011

