

REC LEAGUE FAQS

1. What is included in the REC league fee?

Your son will participate in an 8-game season. The fee also includes a Hoover Vikings reversible jersey and covers gym space/rentals and official's fees.

2. How do I pay my fees?

REC fees are due at registration or the day of evaluations/tryouts. ***Please note, your son may not participate in any games or receive his jersey until all fees have been paid.***

3. Why are there evaluations for the REC League?

Our goal is to create balanced teams. Therefore, all players will have their skills evaluated by Head Coach, Mike Bluey and staff. All players will make a team regardless of their skill level. ***Evaluations will ONLY be for players in 2nd thru 4th grade.***

4. Do K-2 players have to be evaluated?

No. K-2 players will participate in skill sessions only with Coach Bluey.

5. How many players per team?

This will vary. Our goal is to have 8 per team, but the total number of players and coaches will dictate that number. Last year team size ranged from 7-10 per team.

6. We have twin boys, will they be on the same team?

Yes. We will place brothers, in the same grade, on the same team.

7. When are practices?

There will be 2 practices per week. They are generally Monday thru Thursday with some Sundays. Practice days/times are based on gym availability as well as the coach's availability. Practice times last 0:45 - 1:00.

8. Can I see a list of the rules?

Yes, please click [HERE](#)

9. What days are games played?

Games will be played on Saturdays and/or Sundays.

10. Please describe playing time.

Each player in the REC league will receive the same amount of playing time. Each coach is REQUIRED to fill out a rotation sheet that will dictate a player's time on the floor. The goal of the REC league is to promote a fun-filled atmosphere for all levels of players.

11. Will games be officiated?

Yes, all games will be officiated by Ohio officials. Grades 4-6 will have two officials, while grades 2-3 will be officiated by one official.

12. How do I become a coach?

We are glad to hear that you are interested in becoming a coach. With well over 20 teams in the REC league finding enough coaches is a challenge. On the registration form please select "I'M

INTERESTED IN BECOMING A COACH.” We will then select coaches from the list of interested parties. If you are not selected to lead a team you can always be an assistant coach for a team.

13. If I coach will my son be on my team?

Yes.

14. Is there a coach’s meeting before the season begins?

Yes. This meeting will be led by Coach Mike Bluey and/or the Director of Hoover Youth. They will lay out the guidelines for the upcoming season.

15. My son has other activities that he participates in during the week. Can I request a specific day of the week for him to practice?

We will try our best to accommodate any other scheduling conflicts. However, we cannot guarantee to meet all requests.

16. What size basketball is used for this age group?

We use the 28.5 size basketball.

17. For grades 2-3, will they play on a 10’ hoop?

Yes, all REC games will be played in our gymnasiums with the regulation hoops.

18. What time do games start?

If a game is scheduled for a Saturday it could start as early as 8am? If games are scheduled for a Sunday we will TRY not start before noon. Our scheduling is based on gym availability.