

UNLEASH PRIDE

Unleash the Pride!!! Basketball Tournament Rules Sheet

Boys December 2, 2023 & Girls March 2, 2024

The SDHSAA rules governing the game of basketball will be followed with these additions or exceptions:

- No protests will be allowed. Game referees control the game.
- Intermediate size balls will be used in all divisions.
- No zone or press in 3rd, 4th grade games. 5th -8th zone & press allowed
- 5th – 8th: Full court press is allowed to a 15-point lead. After 15 points, no press is allowed.
- Games: 16-minute halves with stopped clock under 2 minutes of second half. (after a 20 pt. lead the clock will continue to run without stopping)
- Three-time outs per game (One minute each).
- 4-minute break at half time as time allows.
- Technical fouls are scored 2 points and the ball out of bounds.
- First overtime - two minutes. Second OT - sudden death. 1 Time-out in OT.
- A player can only play on one team in a division.
- Each team must supply either a score keeper or a timekeeper per game.
- Please have team ready to play 15 minutes prior to the start of your game in case of early start.
- All teams must have a basketball and uniforms with properly numbered jerseys. • Teams need to supply their own practice balls.

Unsportsmanlike behavior from coaches, players, or fans will not be tolerated and may result in immediate removal from the game/premises.