

## 2019

## Coaches,

We are thrilled to announce that we have eliminated the Coaches Registration this year. We will be doing a new check in process right in the Coaches Meeting. Our goal is to save you time and keep it simple.

I want to remind you that the coaches meeting is mandatory. It is about this time every year that we start getting inquiries as to what mandatory coaches meeting means. It is pretty straightforward: we mean mandatory in the literal sense. The only flexibility we have is that you can have an assistant coach or parent sit in for you if you can't be there to get the information. This doesn't mean one person for your program's five teams. There needs to be one person for every team at Nationals.

Please don't ignore this. There are a tremendous amount of moving parts this year with the format changes, and if you miss something it could cost your team. You have worked too hard and spent too much money to get here to have something that you didn't understand clearly cost your team, just because you were too busy to get to the coaches meeting.

See next page for Meeting times.

## **Coaches Meetings:**

- Sunday, March 10, 2019 at 9:00 PM
  - Oasis Convention Center
    @2546 North Glenstone, Springfield, MO 65803 Click for Directions
    Boys 18u D1 & D3, Girls18u, Boys 16u, Boys 14u, Girls 14u, Boys 12u
- Monday, March 11, 2019 at 6:00 PM --
  - Hammons Student Center, Missouri State University 661 S. John Q
    Hammons Pkwy

\*It is best to enter from the southeast entrance - Click for Directions

All coaches who didn't attend Sunday's Coaches' Meeting

 Since Girls 10u and Girls 12u games begin on Wednesday morning we are willing to do a Coaches Meeting Tuesday, March 12, 2019, at 7:30 PM. If this interests you please send an email to <a href="mailto:cheryl@flattmail.com">cheryl@flattmail.com</a> We'll see what response we get and go from there.

One piece of information that you will need at the Coaches Meeting to check in: The name of your team's hotel and how many rooms per night your team's families are using. The Springfield Convention and Visitors Bureau is requiring us to gather this information. We'll talk about the WHY in the meeting.

Safe travels, NCHBC Staff



## Dear Coach,

We are excited that you have brought your team to Springfield for the 28th Annual National Christian HomeSchool Basketball Championships. For the 11 years Nationals has been in Springfield, Elliott Lodging has been a proud sponsor of the NCHBC. This year, we wanted to provide a couple of special coach's gifts for you to show our appreciation for all that you do in coaching your team. Please enjoy these gifts during your time at the NCHBC Nationals and beyond.

We encourage you to check out the many Elliott Lodging properties in Springfield for your future tournaments. These properties can be found on the NCHC website NCHClive.com. Elliott Lodging is proud to have the National Christian Homeschool Basketball Championships here in Springfield, and we hope to see the NCHBC for another 10 years to come! Thanks for being here! Good luck!

Sincerely,

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