

AppleFest 2022

3 vs 3 Basketball Rules

Registration & Team Requirements

- All players must check-in onsite as a team, no earlier than one hour prior to their first scheduled game. Player verification may be requested at check-in.
- As a rule, teams are split into male and female divisions. Co-ed teams will automatically be scheduled in a male division based on age. (Divisions may be combined if there are not enough teams registered by the tournament date.
- A minimum of 3 teams is needed per division. If the minimum is not met, teams will have the option to play in a higher division or receive a refund.
- To ensure proper placement of the team, all four (5) players must fit within the established age category. If a player does not meet the age requirement, your team will be placed into the category of the oldest player.

Bracket Information

- Each division will follow a bracket style tournament
- Each division will feature a double-elimination winner/losers bracket
- Each Division will have a payout based on team entries.
- Junior and women's divisions may play up or across divisions if there are not enough registered teams. All rules apply.

Game Rules

- There are always 3 players on the court from each team. Teams without the minimum number at the start of the game must forfeit the game. Teams may finish a game with a minimum of two (2) players if injury occurs.
- Teams are allowed one (1) timeout per game. Timeouts will last no longer than one (1) minute. Timeouts do not stop the running clock and only one (1) possession may occur after time has expired.
- Points will be calculated by one (1) and two (2) point denominations. One (1) point awarded for any shot taken inside the arc. Two (2) points for any made shot beyond the arc.
- Games are played first to fifteen (15), and a team must win by two (2) points or greater with sudden death at twenty-one (21) points
- All games will have a thirty (30) minute time limit. The team with the most point at the end of regulation will win. A second round "first to five (5)" points will be played for ties.
- Each bracket game will have one (1) referee. The championship game will have two (2) referees.
- Referees will oversee the calling of all penalties and fouls. Referees have the final say on all calls. Disputing calls or harassing any referee, or tournament official may result in forfeiture of the game.
- Championship games will be scored to twenty-one points with no "win by two (2)" rule and will not have a time limit.
- Champion awards will follow directly after all games are completed.

NO REFUNDS WILL BE GIVEN FOR ANY REASON AFTER AUGUST 31ST!