

# **ALBERTA SHOOTING STARS SHOWCASE**

## **PROSPECTS ALL-STAR GAME INFORMATION PACKAGE**

**March 22-23, 2024**

### 1. [AFFILIATION](#)

The SHOOTING STARS is an independent organization dedicated to showcasing, promoting and developing girls' basketball in Alberta. We are members of AYBC and Basketball Alberta.

### 2. [CONFIRMING PARTICIPATION](#)

To confirm your participation in the PROSPECTS ALL-STAR GAME, you must complete the registration process and pay the participation fee. You must register in the following way:

**You must register and pay on-line!!**

If there are special circumstances with registering on line let us know.

### 3. [ATHLETES COMMITMENT](#)

All athletes accepting the invitation to participate in the all-star game are expected to commit to all events:

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| a) Friday 3 on 3            | b) Friday Awards of Excellence |
| c) Saturday Picture session | d) Saturday practice           |
| e) Saturday game            |                                |

If there is a special problem or conflict please let me know as soon as possible and we will work something out.

### 4. [PARTICIPATION FEE](#)

All participants in the Prospects Showcase will be charged a \$125 fee to cover the cost of staging this event. It is important that everyone understands that we have little sponsorship money available to support this event.

We have reduced the fee this year as we are not doing a full sit down Awards Banquet.

You are encouraged to get a sponsor to help pay your fee. We have included a letter that you can give to potential sponsors. If you cannot get a sponsor then you must pay the fee.

For the \$125 fee the athlete will receive the following:

- a) Participation in Game.
- b) Game shirt with crest and number.
- c) A sub sandwich of your choice on Friday
- d) 3 on 3 tournament
- e) Team picture.
- f) A souvenir item commemorating participation in the game.
- g) Sack pack with gift items
- h) ID Tag

5. **GAME UNIFORM**

On the registration form please indicate your preferred uniform number. If more than one person requests the same number, one player will be given an alternative number.

6. **GAME SHORTS**

Please wear black shorts during the game. Shooting Stars shorts are available for purchase at the admissions desk or supply your own.

7. **TRANSPORTATION/ ACCOMMODATION**

Transportation and accommodation are the responsibility of each athlete and family.

8. **REGISTRATION**

Please register at Bearspaw Christian School prior to the Awards of Excellence event. Registration is from 5:00-5:30 for Grades 8-10 and 5:30-6:00 for Grade 11's. You will also have your picture taken for your ID badge.

9. **ITINERARY**

Make sure that you check your itinerary for all events and starting times. It is essential that you are on time for all events. The itinerary is subject to change; changes will be posted on the website.

10. **EVENTS LOCATION**

All events for the weekend are at Bearspaw Christian School. BCS is located at 15001, 69 St. NW, Calgary.

11. **AWARDS OF EXCELLENCE**

The SHOOTING STARS ALL-STAR AWARDS OF EXCELLENCE will take place from 6:00-7:00 on Friday, March 22<sup>nd</sup>.

You will sit with your team in the bleachers. Team rosters will be available on-line and at the door.

In your package you will have a ticket for a sub sandwich which you can redeem at any time on Friday. When you register on line you will have a choice of which sub you want.

Parents and guest are welcome to attend the Awards Night. There is no charge for this.

12. **GAME AWARDS**

A three-point contest will be held at half-time at each of the PROSPECTS games. The winner will be presented with a trophy.

Immediately following each game, an MVP award will be presented to a player from each team.

13. **GAME VIDEO**

We will be professionally filming all games. All games will available on line after the event. More details on this TBA. We also plan to live stream the games again this year. We will send this link prior to the event.

14. **TEAM PICTURES**

Team pictures will be taken just prior to your game. Each player will receive a team picture. Your picture will be e-mailed to you the week after the event.

15. **SKILLS/CONDITIONING**

It is extremely important for you to be working on your skills and conditioning. We want to showcase your skills and see you play at your best. There will be a number of college and university coaches in attendance, so it is important that players are in their best condition. It is in your best interest to be in the best shape possible.

16. **PRACTICE**

Please make sure that you have proper practice gear for your practice. Please be on time as practice time is limited this year.

17. **3 on 3 TOURNAMENT**

All participants will be placed on a 3 on 3 team and compete for their division championship. Awards will be presented to the division champions. Please bring a reversible jersey or a light and dark t-shirt for your 3 on 3 tournament.

18. **JERSEYS TUCKED IN!!**

During the game, all players are asked to keep their jerseys tucked in. We want this to be a first-class event and do not want you to look sloppy. We ask for your co-operation with this.

19. **ATHLETIC TRAINER**

An athletic trainer will be available at practices, the games and 3 on 3 tournament. The trainer will be available prior to the game and practices to tape the athletes. Please be early if you need to be taped. Ice will be available at the game and practice sites.

20. **BEARSPAW CHRISTIAN FACILITY**

Thanks to Bearspaw Christian for their support of this event. We appreciate the use of their excellent facility.

21. **SOUVENIR ITEMS**

A number of souvenir items will be on sale on Saturday throughout the day. We sell shorts, hoodies and half zip tops as well as some sale items.

22. **INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY**

In case of inclement weather, we are not able to give refunds. If a player is unable to travel to the event we will send her the award and souvenir items that the other players received. Regardless of weather, our event will not be cancelled.

23. **REFUND POLICY**

Our refund policy is that we will give refunds up until two weeks prior to the event, if we can replace the player. Refunds will not be given if a player pulls out in the two weeks leading up to the event, for any reason. In case of a late sickness or injury the player may still participate in the event or we will send them their awards and souvenir items, but are not able to give a refund.

#### **24. COLLEGE EXPOSURE**

One of the benefits of playing in the game is the exposure from Alberta college/ university coaches. In the past many of the five Alberta University coaches and college coaches have coached in the games. In the past we have had numerous college scouts attend games.

#### **25. PLAYING TIME**

All participants will receive equal playing time.

#### **26. BASKETBALL ALBERTA MEMBERSHIP**

All participants must have a current Basketball Alberta Membership. If you currently don't have one you may purchase one on the Basketball Alberta web-site. This ensures that we are properly sanctioned and that all participants are properly insured.

We look forward to hearing from you and hope that you are able to participate on our event.

Sincerely,

*Brian Utley*

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