

ALBERTA SHOOTING STARS SHOWCASE

PROSPECTS ALL-STAR GAME INFORMATION PACKAGE

March 28-29, 2025

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 and pay online. If there are special circumstances with registering online 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 Awards Gala | b) 3 on 3 Tournament |
| c) Saturday Picture session | d) Friday or 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 \$140 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.

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 \$140 fee the athlete will receive the following:

- a) Participation in Game.
- b) Game shirt with crest and number.
- c) Awards Gala Banquet Ticket
- d) 3 on 3 tournament
- e) Team practice
- f) Individual and Team photo
- g) A souvenir item commemorating participation in the game.
- h) Sack pack with gift items
- i) 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. The uniform tops are in girls' sizes.

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. **CHECK IN**

Please check in at Bearspaw Christian School prior to the Awards Gala. Check in is from 5:30-6:00 for Grades 8-10 and 6:00-6:30 for Grade 11's.

8. **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, based on final numbers of participants. Revised itinerary will be posted on the website and we will send notifications.

9. **EVENTS LOCATION**

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

10. **AWARDS GALA**

The SHOOTING STARS ALL-STAR AWARDS GALA will take place at BCS starting at 6:30 on Friday, March 28th.

You will sit with your team at the GALA.

We are doing a catered buffet this year for the Awards Gala. Your ticket is included in your participation fee.

The menu for the meal is: Toasted Sesame Slaw, Steamed Jasmine Rice, Teriyaki Shredded Beef, Sweet Chili Diced Chicken, Mixed Steamed Veggies, Texas Chocolate Cake, Coffee/ Tea, Ice Water, Mixed Berry Punch.

If you have one of the following dietary restrictions let us know please:
a) dairy b) gluten c) vegetarian d) vegan. You can indicate this on your online registration.

Parents and guests are welcome to attend the Awards GALA. GALA tickets are \$30. Extra tickets must be ordered and paid for by Monday, March 24th.

11. [GAME AWARDS](#)

A three-point contest will be held at half-time at each of the PROSPECTS games. The winner will be presented with an award and a gift card.

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

12. [GAME VIDEO](#)

We will be professionally filming all games. All games will be available online 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.

13. [TEAM PHOTOS](#)

Individual and team photos will be taken just prior to your game. Each player will receive a team and individual photo. Your picture will be emailed to you the week after the event.

14. [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.

15. [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. 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 website. This ensures that we are properly sanctioned and that all participants are properly insured.

27. SOCIAL MEDIA

Our social media is as follows:

Instagram @albertashootingstars

Facebook Alberta Shooting Stars Basketball

You Tube @albertashootingstars

We will be updating our social media starting February 1. All social media platforms can be accessed through our website.

28. PHOTOGRAPHY/ MEDIA

By taking part in our event the participant grants Alberta Shooting Stars permission to capture and use photos and/ or videos of the participant for promotional purposes, including but not limited to the club's website and social media platforms.

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

Sincerely,

Brian Utley

Alberta Shooting Stars

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