Registration for the 2021-2022 Fall/Winter season is Opens August 5th !

Welcome Back Parkland Families!

Parkland Basketball League is a community-based volunteer organization dedicated to providing personal and technical growth opportunities through flexible basketball programs that are conducted in a safe rewarding environment fostering a commitment to team and community.

Registration will NOT be confirmed until fees are PAID. If you or anyone you know is struggling to pay fee's post COVID, please do not hesitate to contact our Treasurer @ <u>treasurer@parklandbasketball.ca</u> to discuss payment arrangements and financial aid programs such as Kid Sports and Jump Start. Parkland Basketball welcomes any sponsorship that will allow us to subsidize members in need.

Financial Aid Programs:

- Kidsport takes 2-3 days approval must be received with confirmation prior to registration. To apply for kidsport funding, use this link: http://kidsportcanada.ca/alberta/parkland/applyforassistance/
- If you choose the e-transfer option and do not complete a transfer or contact our treasurer via e-mail to make payment arrangements within 5 (five) working days, your registration will not be confirmed. (treasurer@parklandbasketball.ca)

PROGRAMS	BIRTH YEAR	FEE'S	PROGRAM LENGTH
Jr.NBA U7 Co-ed (Offered Throughout Year)	2015-16	\$150.00	10 -12 SESSION
U9 Boys & U9 Girls	2013-14	\$220.00	September -Feb / March
U11 Boys & U11 Girls	2011-12	\$300.00	September - March /April
U13 Boys & U13 Girls	2009-10	\$350.00	September - March /April
U15 Boys & U15 Girls	2007-08	\$350.00	September - March /April
U18 Boys & U18 Girls (Fall Season) Open to All	2004-06	\$225.00	September - November
U18 Boys & U18 Girls (Winter Season)	2004-06	TBD	December – March
Can't be Playing on a Senior H.S Team			
Volunteer Coaches will receive a full refund of their child's fee's Upon Seasons Completion			

Athletes will be required to pay a \$17 ABA Membership fee during the registration process.

NOTE: There is a \$50.00 non-refundable fee for withdrawals. This covers transaction, administration, and website fee's we do not have control of.

Evaluations:

Evaluations dates are dependent on registration numbers and gym availability. Most likely last week of August or 1st week of September.

We will continue to evaluate our athletes prior to team and program placement. This will ensure our members will develop in a safe appropriate environment that fosters a positive experience for all. EYBA league play provides various divisions of play to suit all athletes needs from beginner to advanced. **Advanced players will be placed on our tier 1 and 2 Parkland Elite Teams.** Moving forward all other team programs will be referred to as Parkland Pride whether they are participating locally or in the EYBA.

Entry level programs such as Jr. NBA, and our U9 3x3 and league play, will be on a first come first serve basis. Jr. NBA & U9 programs will be local and will not be expected to travel outside of Spruce Grove & Stony Plain. We are hoping we will have the numbers to have U11 local options as well.

Team Programs & Games:

Post Covid Parkland Basketball hopes to continue to provide our House league local games. However, gym availability and registration numbers will determine our ability to do so. Therefore, we are asking all registrants of U11, U13, U15, and U18 programs must be prepared to participate in EYBA league games in Edmonton and the surrounding area. Games are weekday evenings for Tier 1 and 2, formerly A & B divisions. Weekends for all other divisions. **Practices for all programs will be local.**

IMPORTANT NOTE<mark> WHEN REGISTERING MAKE SURE YOU HAVE <u>NOT</u> DECLINED THE OPPORTUNITY TO RECEIVE EMAILS FROM US. OTHERWISE, YOU WILL NOT BE KEPT UP TO DATE THROUGHOUT THE SEASON.</mark>

Skills Camps, Tournaments & Exhibition Play:

There may be various opportunities for additional training and game play. Members will be notified through coaches, social media, and league emails.

Coaches & Officials:

WE NEED COACHES & OFFICIALS ! If you or anyone you know is interested in coaching or learning how to officiate please contact us: <u>info@parklandbasketball.ca</u>

New This year we are looking to mentor young coaches. Please contact the same email above.

Practices:

We have not received our gym schedules from the City of Spruce Grove and or Town of Stony Plain therefore we do not know what nights practices will be. Practices may take place any day of the week and each team's practice day will be dependant on gym availability and Coaches preference. Weekday practices are between the hours of 5:30 pm-9:30pm, with younger divisions getting priority on earlier slots. Athletes on U15 and U18 teams may have 2 practices per week, dependant on gym availability. Practices are between 60 & 90 minutes long for most teams. Jr.NBA and U9 programs will be 60 minutes / session.

Player and Team Requests:

While we do our best with requests, we will not guarantee they will be honoured. Parkland does everything in the best interest of the teams and the athletes involved. We ask our members to respect

the process that is required to help best develop your child. Requests will be reviewed on a case-by-case basis.

If you have any questions or concerns that are not answered in this document, please feel free to contact us @ <u>info@parklandbasketball.ca</u>

We look forward to seeing you all out there!

Sincerely,

Parkland Basketball