

KERRY ROBERTS BASKETBALL

LEAGUE RULES

3rd & 4th Grade

1. All divisions will be played with an intermediate (28 1/2") size ball on 10 foot baskets.
2. All games will consist of two, 20 minute halves. The clock will run continuously except for time outs and in the last two minutes of the game. Then the clock will stop in accordance with the National Federation of State High Schools Association rules, except when one team has a 15 point or more lead.
3. Each team receives two-30 sec. time outs per half. Unused first half time outs do not carry over to the second half.
4. Overtime periods will be two minutes each. Each team will receive one time out per overtime period, no carry over from the second half. After the second overtime, the third overtime is a "sudden Death" overtime. A regulation clock will be in force during overtimes.
5. All players must play in both halves of each game. Failure to comply with this rule results in a Forfeit of the game.
6. No players will be allowed to wear hats, jewelry, or shoes that mark up the floor.
7. Each team will furnish a person to sit at the scorer's table and keep the score sheet.
8. Free throws will be shot only on "In the Act of Shooting" fouls and Technical Fouls until a team reaches 10 fouls in a half, at that time the two shot bonus will be in effect.
 - 8a. 3rd & 4th grade girls will shoot free throws from 12 feet and must remain behind the line until the ball hits the rim.
 - 8b. 3rd & 4th grade boys will shoot free throws from 15 feet and be allowed to go over the free throw line after release.
9. Concerning Full Court Defense:
 - DIVISION B** (Boys & Girls): Absolutely **NO** defense will be allowed in the back court. If the defensive team gets a rebound, the opposing team must retreat down the court. If a team violates this rule they will receive one warning and will be assessed a technical foul for every succeeding violation.
 - DIVISION A** (Boys & Girls): Teams will be allowed to play full court defense only in the last 4 minutes of the game and full overtimes, unless their team has a 15 point or more lead. Prior to the last 4 minutes if the defensive team gets a rebound, the opposing team must retreat down the court. If a team violates this rule they will receive one warning and will be assessed a technical foul for every succeeding violation.
10. Except as stated above all games will be played in accordance with the National Federation of State High Schools Association rules.