

2013 AAU Yakima Valley Early Fall Basketball League

- National Sanction:** Inland Empire District of the Amateur Athletic Union of the U.S.
- Contact:** Shannon Springer, YVSA Event Director / PO Box 9757, Yakima, WA 98909
509-453-2696 or 509-388-1722 / Email: Shannon@ieaaau.org
- Dates:** **Game Days (SUNDAYS):** September 22, 29, October 6, 13, 20, 27 November 3
Teams will play on **6 of the 7 days** of league play.
- Game Times:** All games on Sundays: 12:00pm, 1:15pm, 2:30pm, 3:45pm, 5:00pm, 6:15pm
- Divisions:** Boys: 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th Same School, 7th Open, 8th Same School, 8th Open, 9th, JV, Varsity
Girls: 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th Same School, 7th Open, 8th Same School, 8th Open, 9th, JV, Varsity
- Entry Fees:** Early Registration Fee: \$220 received **IN OUR OFFICE** by Monday, September 9.
Late Registration Fee: \$270 received **IN OUR OFFICE** by Friday, September 13. **NO ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER SEPTEMBER 13!! NO EXCEPTIONS!! SIGN UP EARLY!**
AAU Membership fees are **NOT** included in the entry fee. Any checks that are returned NSF will be charged a \$35.00 fee. **No entry fees refunded after the deadline date.** Payments made with VISA or MasterCard will be charged a \$10 convenience fee.
- AAU Membership:** **2014 AAU cards will be used for the league: Player \$14.00 Coach \$16.00.**
Memberships must be purchased online: www.aausports.org. All players and coaches must have an AAU Card. **REMEMBER: Membership cards don't get you into the game for free.**
- The Lystedt Law** Washington State has passed a law requiring youth coaches, athletes and parents/guardians complete certain criteria regarding the recognition and treatment of head injuries during sporting events. **ALL PARTICIPATING TEAMS must complete the attached form and return it to the Inland Empire AAU office with the league entry form. We only need 1 form per team per year!**
- League Rules:**
1. Teams 9th grade and older must be made up of players from the same school. No exceptions.
 2. A player may play for only **ONE** team during league play.
 3. Girls cannot play on boys teams and boys cannot play on girls teams.
 4. Entry fees will not be refunded after the deadline if you drop from the league.
 5. Players cannot wear jewelry of any kind during games, even if it is taped and/or covered up.
 6. Players must be enrolled in Kindergarten or older. **NO PRE SCHOOLERS.**
 7. Players cannot switch teams once games have started.
 8. We reserve the right to refuse a team's entry into our events.
 9. Scorekeepers – each team is to have one person to keep the individual score sheet that is provided at the score bench. One scorekeeper per team will be allowed into the game free of charge.
Please leave scoresheets with the gym supervisor after your game.
 10. Coaches – Only one coach per team is allowed into the game free, but more than one may coach.
 11. Admission – The gyms are run by clubs – the proceeds from admissions goes back to their clubs for youth activities. ADULTS - \$3.00 STUDENTS - \$2.00 - PLEASE INFORM YOUR PARENTS!
- Rules of play:** 2013-2014 High School Rules will be played, with the following exceptions.
1. No shot clock.
 2. 1st thru 3rd grade boys and girls divisions will use the junior size basketball (27.5"). Boys 4th thru 6th grade and girls 4th grade thru high school divisions will use the women's size basketball (28.5"). Boys 7th grade and up will use the men's size basketball (29.5").
 3. Quarters: 1st - 4th grade: 6 minutes / 5th – 8th grades: 7 minutes / All other divisions: 8 minutes
 4. Overtime 2 minutes.
 5. NEW Press Rule: 1st Grade – 8th Grade: 15 points / 9th Grade and above: 20 points. No full court press once your team is up by more than 15/20 points. Your team must retreat back inside the 3 point arc until opponent crosses the center line with the ball, then you are allowed to play defense. The offense has the option to cross the center line at any time, however the 10 second backcourt count starts when the defensive team is behind the 3 point arc.
 5. Technical or Intentional fouls – 2 points awarded and ball out of bounds.
One technical foul on a coach or fan and he/she is ejected from the gym. One technical on a player, the player sits on the bench for the remainder of the game. Officials and Gym Administrators have the right to eject a fan, player or coach. Coaches and fans must leave the entire gym. **Two technical fouls in the season on a player or a coach, they are removed completely from the league. NO EXCEPTIONS!**
 6. Forfeit time – Game time. Officials MAY run a shortened game (2 20 minute halves).
- Division Awards:** The first place team in each division will receive championship t-shirts. Please fill out the t-shirt sizes on the Registration Form. We will order shirts the day after league ends, so the sizes we have on file for your team at that time are FINAL and exchanges cannot be made.

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 September 22-November 3, 2013. **All Games played on Sundays.**

Office Use Only
Date Rec'd: _____
Amt Paid: _____
Ck #: _____

<p>Check One: ___ 2nd Grade ___ 3rd Grade ___ 4th Grade ___ 5th Grade ___ 6th Grade ___ 7th Grade Same School ___ 7th Grade Open</p>	<p>___ 8th Grade Same School ___ 8th Grade Open ___ 9th Grade ___ Junior Varsity ___ Varsity</p>	<p>Check One: ___ Boys ___ Girls</p>
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Team Name: _____	AAU Club Name/Number (Required): _____
Contact Person: _____	Coach: _____
Address: _____	Phone: Cell (____) _____
City/State/Zip: _____	Email Address: _____
E-mail Address: _____	Coach AAU Card Number: _____
Phone: Home(____) _____	Asst Coach Name: _____
Phone: Cell(____) _____	Asst Coach AAU Number: _____

Scheduling Request (**LIMIT 1 PER TEAM – must have request by the league deadline date!!**):

Name (First Last)	13-14 Grade	School	2014 AAU #	T-shirt Size* Circle Youth or Adult Sizes: S, M, L, XL, XXL
1. _____	_____	_____	_____	Y A _____
2. _____	_____	_____	_____	Y A _____
3. _____	_____	_____	_____	Y A _____
4. _____	_____	_____	_____	Y A _____
5. _____	_____	_____	_____	Y A _____
6. _____	_____	_____	_____	Y A _____
7. _____	_____	_____	_____	Y A _____
8. _____	_____	_____	_____	Y A _____
9. _____	_____	_____	_____	Y A _____
10. _____	_____	_____	_____	Y A _____
11. _____	_____	_____	_____	Y A _____
12. _____	_____	_____	_____	Y A _____

***Championship t-shirts will be given to the first place team in each division.**

Return this page with an entry fee of \$220 by September 9, 2013 / \$270 by September 13, 2013 (\$35.00 fee will be charged on NSF checks)
 Mail to: **Yakima Valley Sports Authority, PO BOX 9757, Yakima, WA, 98909.** / Fax with a credit card for payment to: **509-457-0931**

Check one: ___MC ___VISA Card #: _____ - _____ - _____ - _____ EXP DATE: _____
Convenience Fee of \$10 is added to Visa/Master Card Request.

Signature _____ Date: _____

Club Compliance Form

CONCUSSION LAW REQUIREMENTS

Club Compliance Statement

HB1824, otherwise known as the Zachery Lystedt Law, was signed into law on May 14, 2009. It requires, as of July 26, 2009, that additional steps be taken regarding concussions in private non-profit youth athletic programs using school district facilities.

This bill requires training and documentation which AAU Member Clubs must adhere to. AAU players and their parents/guardians must meet these minimum requirements:

1. All AAU member coaches will have to take training on the nature and risk of concussions and head injury including continuing to play after a concussion or head injury.
2. On a yearly basis, a concussion and head injury information sheet shall be signed and returned by the youth athlete and athlete's parents/guardian prior to the youth athlete's initiating practice or competition.
3. All athletes suspected of suffering a concussion or brain injury will be removed from practice or competition and not returned to play until cleared in writing by a licensed health care provider trained in the evaluation and management of concussions (Medical Doctors, Doctor of Osteopathy, Advanced Registered Nurse Practitioner, Physicians Assistants, and **Certified** Athletic Trainers).

Yakima Valley Sports Authority, AAU Event Operator

Compliance Statement for HB1824

Youth Sports-Head Injury Policies

This page must accompany each Tournament Entry form. Participation in AAU Sanctioned Events will not be granted until this page is returned and requirements of this application are complete and approved by the Yakima Valley Sports Authority, an AAU Member Club and event operator.

Team: _____ Grade Level: _____ Circle One: Boys Girls

Club _____ Club Number: _____

Coach Name (Printed): _____

I verify all coaches, athletes and their parent/guardian have complied with mandated policies for the management of concussions and head injuries as prescribed by HB 1824, section 2.

Signed:

AAU Club Contact

Position with AAU Club

Date signed