



Tri-Cities Hoopstastic Basketball Tournament

- Dates:** March 18 – 19. (Friday & Saturday)
All teams are guaranteed 4 games.
- Format:** All teams will be guaranteed four (4) games. Tournament is run in pool play.
Games start Friday 5:00 p.m. & Saturday 8:00 a.m.
Games will consist of two 20 minute halves.
- Location:** Southridge High School & Horse Heaven Hills MS.
- Contact:** Event Director
Robert Wirtzberger (509-205-9659)
PO Box 6282 Kennewick WA 99336
3citieshoops@gmail.com
- Entry Fee:** \$200.00 (make checks payable to 3 Cities Hoops)
Registration Deadline: March 12th 2016
AAU membership is not included in the price of the entry fee. Any checks that are returned NSF will be charged a \$35 fee. No entry fees will be refunded after the final deadline date.
- Refunds:** If there is a team on the waiting list to fill your team's vacant spot and you request a refund prior to March 12th - you will be issued a refund minus a \$20.00 processing fee.
- Cancellation:** If there are less than 5 teams in a division, the tournament will be canceled for that age bracket. In this case, full refunds will be issued.
- Game Times:** Friday: 5:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.
Saturday: 8:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.
- Divisions:** Boys & Girls: 3rd grade – 8th grade
- AAU Membership:** This event is sanctioned by the Amateur Athletic Union of the U.S., Inc. All participants must have a current AAU membership before the event begins. Participants must visit the AAU website (www.aausports.org) to obtain their membership. BE PREPARED! Adult and Non Athlete memberships are no longer instant. Please allow 10 days for adult memberships to be processed.
- AAU Membership Fees: Player \$14 / Coach \$16**
All players and coaches must have an AAU Card. If it is found that a player is participating without a current AAU card, your team will be subject to forfeits of games with no refund of tournament fees paid. **REMEMBER: Membership cards don't get you into the game for free. Only players that are playing are allowed into the game 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 tournament entry form.

Tournament Rules:

1. A player may play for only ONE team during tournament play.
2. Players cannot wear jewelry of any kind during games, even if it is taped and/or covered up.
3. Players cannot switch teams once games have started.
4. We reserve the right to refuse a team's entry into our events.
5. Scorekeepers – each team is to have ONE person to keep the individual score sheet that is provided in your coaches' packet. One scorekeeper per team will be allowed into the game free of charge. Please leave scoresheets with the gym supervisor after your game.
6. Coaches – Only ONE coach per team is allowed into the game free, but more than one may coach.
7. Admission – The gyms are run by clubs and the proceeds from admissions goes back to their clubs for youth activities. Friday: Adults \$3, Students \$2. Saturday: Adults \$4, Students \$3. PLEASE INFORM YOUR PARENTS!

Rules of play:

2015-2016 High School Rules will be played, with the following exceptions.

1. No shot clock.
2. Running clock. The clock will be stopped on timeouts and the last 1 minute first half and 2 minutes in second half.
3. Overtime 1:00; 2nd overtime sudden death
4. 3 minute half-time.
5. 5 minute warm-up between games.
6. Four 30 second timeouts per game
7. Press Rule: 3rd grade – 8th grade: 15 points. No full court press once your team is up by more than 15 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.
8. 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 tournament on a player or a coach, they are removed completely from the tournament. NO EXCEPTIONS!
9. Forfeit time – Game time.
10. Event of Tie? For seeding in tournament.
 - a. Head to head
 - b. Point difference (max per game is 10 points)
 - c. Least amount of points against
 - d. Total points scored

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Check One:		
<input type="checkbox"/> 6 th grade	<input type="checkbox"/> 3 rd grade	<input type="checkbox"/> boys
<input type="checkbox"/> 7 th grade	<input type="checkbox"/> 4 th grade	<input type="checkbox"/> girls
<input type="checkbox"/> 8 th Grade	<input type="checkbox"/> 5 th grade	

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: _____

STRENGTH OF TEAM: WEAK AVERAGE STRONG

<u>Name (First Last)</u>	<u>15-16 Grade</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>2016 AAU Membership #</u>
1. _____	_____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____	_____
4. _____	_____	_____	_____
5. _____	_____	_____	_____
6. _____	_____	_____	_____
7. _____	_____	_____	_____
8. _____	_____	_____	_____
9. _____	_____	_____	_____
10. _____	_____	_____	_____
11. _____	_____	_____	_____
12. _____	_____	_____	_____

Return this page with an entry fee of \$200 by March 12th 2016 (\$35.00 fee will be charged on NSF checks)

Mail to: 3 Cities Hoops PO Box 6282 Kennewick WA 99336
OR
 Register Online at www.3citieshoops.com

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).

3 Cities Hoops, 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 3 Cities Hoops, an AAU Member Club and event operator.

Team: _____ Grade Level: _____

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