

To: Salem Youth Basketball Coaches

From: Matt Marziale (Salem Parks & Recreation)

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RE: Youth Basketball information



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1. **Uniforms** will be delivered to your 1st practice in January. Uniform sizes will be listed on your team roster. Sizes are requested at the time of registration. Please make sure to hand out the size ordered to the player listed.
 2. **Team Pictures** will be taken on **January 22nd** at Salem Hills High school. This date will be for 5th grade through 12th grade teams. **January 29th** pictures will be taken at Foothills Elementary for 3rd and 4th grade teams. Teams should plan to arrive one hour prior to their scheduled game time for team pictures.
 3. **BYU Tickets:** Each coach should have received 14 tickets for his team and a few parents at the draft. Coaches are encouraged to go and redeem the vouchers prior to the date that your team desires to go. Coaches are also strongly encouraged to not transport the team to the game. It is best to arrange for parents to drop off players at the Marriott Center or to attend the game as well.
 4. **Standings and schedules:** All league schedules will be posted on line at www.salemcity.org For league where standings are kept; they will also be posted here. **Schedules** will be posted on line at www.salemcity.org on December 29th.
 5. **Season Tip Off:** Most leagues will play their first game on Saturday, January 8th. 9th to 12th boys will play a week day night game prior to the 8th. 3rd & 4th grade leagues will play games at Foothills Elementary. All other leagues will play games at Salem Hills High School. High School aged league will play some games in Payson and Spanish Fork.
 6. Coaches are requested to only allow players on their team roster to play in games. All players should play at least half of every game. This league is not the place to win the "most winning" coach award. Each player must **sit out one complete quarter** (not half of one quarter and half of another) the best players on the team need to be among the first four that sit. If you do not know who your best players are, ask the opposing coach.
 7. **Background Checks:** Each coach's is required to fill out a background check. Please sign front and back. A Drivers License will also be required.
 8. **Post season tournaments:** League from 7th/8th grades and above will participate in post season tournaments. Tournaments will include teams from Spanish Fork & Payson. Tournaments will be played at the conclusion of the season; **End of Feb – Start of March.**