



YOUTH BASKETBALL LEAGUE & PRE-SEASON CLINICS

The Tri-Cities Family YMCA is proud to have been participating in YBL for over thirty years. Through our youth basketball program, young basketball players have an opportunity to develop a love for the game and learn the fundamentals in a healthy competitive spirit that encourages teamwork and sportsmanship. Girls and boys in Young 5's through 6th grade will be divided into teams which will have one practice during the week and one game on the weekend. The YBL season runs from January through March. In order to prepare for the season, we offer pre-season clinics in the fall.

YBL EARLY REGISTRATION

OCT 12 - OCT 31

MEMBERS: \$60 NONMEMBERS: \$90

YBL REGULAR REGISTRATION

NOV 1 - NOV 30

MEMBERS: \$70 NONMEMBERS: \$100

YBL LATE REGISTRATION

DEC 1 - DEC 13

MEMBERS: \$80 NONMEMBERS: \$110

**** REGISTRATION ENDS DECEMBER 13TH ****

EVALUATION DAY

Every child in grades 3-6 must attend an evaluation for team placement. See website for dates and times.

LEAGUE PLAY

Practices begin the week of January 11, 2016. Games take place on Saturdays, with an occasional Sunday afternoon game, beginning January 16 and run through March 14, 2016. No games played over Winterfest weekend, January 23rd.

GRADE LEVEL DIVISIONS

DINKY DUNKERS	BOYS & GIRLS CO-ED	Y5'S & KIND.
ROOKIES	BOYS	1ST-2ND
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WINNERS	BOYS	3-4TH
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CHAMPIONS	BOYS & GIRLS CO-ED	5-6TH



PRE-SEASON CLINICS:

FALL 1: SEPT 14 - NOV 1 & FALL 2: NOV 2 - DEC 20

The best time to work on your game is before and after the season. This program offers skill development drills and the opportunity to apply them in different situations of play. Kids learn and play using interactive games & drills to improve their skills. See Program Guide for details on basketball clinics.

For further information on any of our basketball programs, please contact Ellie or Tori Holman at: 616-842-7051 Ext. 255 or youthsports@tcfymca.org

VOLUNTEER COACHES

We depend on volunteers to coach our YBL teams and many are parents and past participants that simply want to give back and stay involved in this great community venture. Each coach will be required to complete a volunteer coaching application which can be found at www.tcfymca.org or visit the Welcome Center at the YMCA!

YBL OFFICIALS

We are looking for high school aged or college aged students to help referee and teach the game of basketball to our youth. All officials must have knowledge of all the rules. Please email youthsports@tcfymca.org by December 1st, 2015 if you are interested.

YBL SPONSOR INFORMATION

Here's a great way to advertise your business in the community, as well as help us purchase team shirts for all of the youth basketball players. Each team has business sponsor on back of team shirts, and each business will receive a team plaque. With over 400 youth in the Youth Basketball League, your business will surely get noticed! We offer various sponsorship levels ranging from \$175 to \$1000. The highest sponsorship level also receives space for a business logo on a YMCA backboard as well as a reserved parking space on YBL Saturdays!