

2009 Pius XI Summer League 5-8th Grade Rules and Notes

1. Coaches need to put their player's numbers in the score book at the scorer's table before each game.
2. Each team must provide a timer or scorer for each game.
3. Two 20-minute halves, running clock. The clock will stop in the last one minutes of each half. Each game will have two officials.
~~Two time outs per half.
4. Pressing Rules:
 - 5th grade: No pressing at anytime.
 - 6th grade: No pressing until the last two minutes of the game.
 - 7th grade: No pressing if your team is up by 15 or more points.
 - 8th grade: No pressing if your team is up by 15 or more points.
4. Three minute overtime. The second overtime will be sudden death, the first team that scores, wins. No time outs.
5. If teams have the same color uniforms, pinnies will be provided.
6. No forfeits are allowed, and NO schedule changes will be made unless approved by Mary Chnelich-Nellen
If your team is short players on any given night, see Mary Chnelich-Nellen for help.
7. Sportsmanship is a must. We will not tolerate yelling at referees or trash talking by anyone. Supervisors have the right to eject any coach, player, parent, or team who is abusive.
8. Please be on time for all games.
9. There will be concessions in the field house lobby during the games. Please do not bounce basketballs in the lobby area, and stay off blue mats in the gym area.
10. Please clean up the bench area after your game!
11. Enter the Pius XI Field house at the main entrance:
135 N. 76th St., two blocks south of Bluemound Ave.
12. Teams must provide their own warm-up balls.
13. There will be a \$2.00 admission charge for adults and \$1.00 for children.

****Note to coaches.**

I am not instilling a "must play man to man" rule, but highly recommend it. It is essential for any player planning to play at the next level to learn it, and it is your responsibility as a youth coach to teach it.... It is the cornerstone of any defense they will ever play! Please don't underestimate the ability of a girl to learn.

Respectfully,
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