



BISMARCK PARKS AND RECREATION DISTRICT

2021 Summer Basketball Program

GENERAL PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

The Summer Basketball Program meets twice a week, with each age group meeting for an hour each night. Program shirts and picture order forms will be distributed <u>the</u> <u>first week</u>. Although games are played, win-loss records are not kept and coaches are instructed to play each participant equally. Coaches provide all of the officiating during the games. Participants receive participation ribbons at the completion of the program.

GOALS OF PROGRAM

- To teach fundamentals of basketball
- Equal participation
- Development of skills
- ♦ Fun
- Safety of participant

AGE GROUPS SERVED

- This program is offered to participants in Grades 3-8 (grade entering this fall).
- Teams are coed and are split up by the following grades:
 - ♦ 3 & 4 5 & 6 7 & 8

LENGTH & LOCATION OF PROGRAM

- This is an eight-week program beginning June 1 and concluding on July 22.
- <u>No</u> summer basketball on July 1st.
- Program is located at World War Memorial Building, 215 North 6th Street.
- Participants meet on Tuesdays and Thursdays for one hour.
- Grades 3 & 4 from 6:00 pm-7:00 pm; Grades 5 & 6 from 7:15 pm-8:15pm; Grades 7 & 8 from 8:30pm-9:30pm.

TEAM INFORMATION

- Teams will be balanced equally and assigned each night.
- Pennies will be used for teams.

STAFFING

- This program is directed by Jeremy Dykstra, Facility Specialist with BPRD.
- Coaches
 - Hiring begins in late April, until all positions are filled.
 - Coaches receive a Coach's Manual and guidelines regarding program goals at a pre-season meeting.
 - Each coach is issued a Park District shirt to wear while coaching.

EQUIPMENT

- Comfortable clothing (shorts, sweats) should be worn.
- Non-marking shoes should be worn.
- Players must provide their own water bottles. THIS ITEM IS STRONGLY SUGGESTED!
- Junior size basketball (28.5) will be provided for program.
- Cones and first aid supplies are provided.

PHOTOGRAPHS

- Photographs are taken of each team and of every participant by Legacy Photography, (701) 321-2051. You will have the opportunity to purchase photos.
 - PICTURE DAY on <u>June 10</u> at World War Memorial Building.
 - Order forms will be handed out with shirts.