Basketball Tournament Rules

Games are: Two - 16 minute halves continuous clock until the last minute of the game.
2 minute half times
3 – 30 second time-outs per game

Overtime Rules: sudden death – first point wins – no time outs.
Championship Game – 1 minute overtime. Clock stops for each dead ball. No time outs

Pressing rules: 5th – 8th grade pressing allowed anytime as long as pressing team does not have a 15 point lead
3rd-4th grade – only during last two minutes of each half and OT as long as pressing team does not have a 15 point lead.

Defensive rules: No ½ court zone defenses for 5th grade and under unless team is behind by 15 points. Help/recover is considered man-man.

Balls used: Please bring warm-up balls. A 29.5" ball will be used for 7th grade boys and up.

Only the **HEAD COACH** may stand and coach within the coach's area. Assistant coaches cannot stand or talk to the referees during play.

A player may only play on one team during the tournament unless the two teams are from the same program. Permission from the tournament director is required.

Technical fouls - results in 2 points, 2 free-throws, and the ball out of bounds.
If a player or coach is ejected it is the discretion of the referees and tournament director the ejected player or coach may be allowed to watch.
If a spectator is ejected from a game they must leave the playing/spectator area for the remainder of the game. They may return to the next game at the discretion of the tournament director and referees.
Any profanity and taunting will result in an immediate technical foul. No warnings.
All other rules to follow the IHSAU and IGHSAU Each team to provide a scorekeeper/clock operator per game.

Rosters/Waivers must be submitted prior to the first game.

Tie breaker rules – head to head, defensive points allowed, offensive points scored, coin flip

For questions during the tournament please text first. Gary 563-370-2449. Include your name and team.

Please supervise your kids in each of the facilities when not playing. Please do not allow them to dribble in the hallways and throughout the facility.
No shooting on the courts during halftimes and time-outs other than by the teams competing in that particular game.