



TOWN OF HUDSON – DIVISION OF RECREATION

2021-2022 YOUTH BASKETBALL PROGRAMS

All Basketball Programs are open to Hudson Residents and/or children who attend Hudson Public Schools.

The success of our programs is due in large part to the commitment of our staff and volunteers. If you are interested in coaching or volunteering in any way, please contact Hudson Recreation.

These grade-based non-competitive programs are intended to promote fun, exercise, and most importantly the fundamentals of basketball. **PLEASE keep in mind, due to Covid-19, most players will not have played organized basketball in over a year.**

Player evaluations for Grades 4-8 will take place on Sunday, November 14th. Exact time and location TBA. There will be no evaluations for our Grade K-1 and Grade 2-3 programs.

Practice days and times will not be determined until team rosters and coaches are finalized. Weekday practices for Grades 2-8 could be held at any of the Elementary schools or Middle School and will last approximately 1-hour. No practices will start after 8:00pm.

Games for all divisions will most likely take place on Saturdays. Exact games schedules for all divisions will be provided during the first week of each program.

With the exception of the Kindergarten/Grade 1 program, the season will begin with practices as early as November 22nd and with games/clinics beginning on December 4th. The Kindergarten/Grade 1 program will begin on January 8th.

PROGRAMS

Coed Kindergarten & Grade 1

For kids currently in Kindergarten or 1st grade. Boys and girls will participate together in a 50 minute clinic each week, for 6 weeks. Exact schedules will be emailed out to participants in late December. Each week will consist of age appropriate drills and fun games, focused on learning and building on the fundamentals of basketball. Fee: \$65.00/player

Boys Grades 2-3 & Girls Grades 2-3

For kids currently in 2nd or 3rd grade. This level builds upon the fundamentals of our Kindergarten / Grade 1 program. Basic basketball skills and strategies will be introduced. Learning and building on the fundamentals are still the top priority of this level. Fee: \$100.00/player

Boys Grades 4-5 & Girls Grades 4-5

For kids currently in 4th or 5th grade. Starting at this level, players will take part in games, complete with scorekeepers and referees. Stats and scores are used for internal purposes only. No standings or game results are posted. Fee: \$100.00/player

Boys Grades 6-8 & Girls Grades 6-8

For kids currently in 6th thru 8th grade. At this highest level of Rec Basketball, players will take part in games and each season will conclude with playoffs. Standings may be posted for playoff purposes but individual stats and game results are not. Fee: \$100.00/player

Unified Basketball— Grades K - Young Adult

Hudson Unified Basketball is a collaborative team sport, composed of athletes (students with developmental challenges) and partners. The program is designed to offer all children a skill-based, competitive team sport plus an interactive social learning experience. It is open to children and young adults. Fee: \$50.00/player

Additional program information can be found on our web site.

HOW TO REGISTER

(ONLINE or in person at Hudson Recreation Office):

Registration Begins: Wednesday, October 27th
Registration Ends: Wednesday, November 10th

Registrations received after November 10th will be accepted only if space is available and a late fee of \$25.00 will be applied per participant.

Visit our website at www.hudsonrecreation.org to register by logging in to your account. If you, your child or another family member has not previously participated in a Hudson Recreation program, you will need to create an account before registering. Call Hudson Recreation for assistance or with any questions regarding online registration at 978-568-9642.

Requests for specific coaches, teams, days/times for practice or to be paired with other children cannot be guaranteed. If your child has a conflict after he/she is placed onto a team and you decide to withdraw from the program we will provide you with a full refund. However, refund requests must be submitted to the Recreation Office by November 24th.

Unless otherwise specifically requested during registration, siblings who play in the same division will be placed on the same team.

COVID-19 POLICY, as of 10/25/21 – In adhering to Hudson Public Schools' Covid-19 Policy, all players, coaches, referees, spectators, and staff will be required to wear a mask at all times while inside school buildings, including during play. No exceptions!