



## **Club1 School Team League Rules-Game Play-NE Middle School**

- I. Games
  - a. IHSAA Rules with the following exceptions:
    - i. Five minute Warm-up.
    - ii. 18 minute running clock halves. Clock will stop the last minute of each half.
    - iii. Five minute halftime (may be shortened if agreed upon by coaches).
    - iv. Sudden Death overtime with a 2 minute running clock limit or will result in a tie.
    - v. Free Throws will be shot as 1 shot for X amount of points depending upon whether it was a 2 pt or 3 pt shot attempt.
    - vi. Free throws will be shot in their entirety for actual points when the clock is stopped in the last minute of each half.
    - vii. Boys 3<sup>rd</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> grade and Girls 3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> grade can shoot free throws from the 12 foot line and the rebounders will be moved to the old FT lineup (ie. Below the block). If the shooter is allowed to shoot from the 12 ft. line then they should not cross it before the ball hits the rim. If the shooter has to shoot from the 15 ft. line then they should not cross that line before the ball hits the rim.
    - viii. Personal and team fouls will be kept and the Bonus will be used at the 7<sup>th</sup> team foul in both the first and second halves, but will be 1 shot for 2 points.
    - ix. Our NE Girls Middle School leagues will allow any defense to be played. These decisions are made by the high school coaches involved in our leagues and enforced by our officials.
    - x. There will be no full court press in the 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> grade league except in the last minute with less than a 10 point margin.
    - xi. No full court press with 20 point lead. Once the lead gets to 20 points there will not be pressing allowed again until the lead is under 10 points.
    - xii. Each team will have 1 full time out in the first half and 2 full timeouts in the 2<sup>nd</sup> half.
  - b. Games are to be played at scheduled times not before. Allow 50 minutes per game. The game will be a forfeit if a team is not ready to play 5 minutes after the scheduled start time.
  - c. Game Balls to be provided by the Home Team-4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, and 6<sup>th</sup> grades will use a women's size 28.5 ball. 7<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade will use the Men's ball.
  - d. Clock Operator to be supplied by VISITING TEAM. Scorekeeper by HOME TEAM.