

LYLE/PACELLI TOURNAMENT RULES

****Teams should be ready to take the floor at least 15 minutes before their scheduled game time.**

- 1. All teams should have uniform numbers on their jerseys/t-shirts.**
- 2. BASKETBALLS:** all game balls and warm-up balls will be provided. **DO NOT BRING YOUR OWN BALLS OR YOU WILL BE ASKED TO PUT THEM IN YOUR VEHICLE.**
- 3. $\frac{1}{2}$ court defense:** Zone defense will NOT be allowed for grades 4th - 6th grade. ALL defense is allowed for 7th grade teams.
- 4. PRESS:** no full court press allowed for 4-6th graders until last 2 minutes of the *second* half, unless ahead by 15 points. 7th grade teams can press unless ahead by 15 points.
- 5. 16-minute running halves for 4th and 5th graders
18-minute running halves for 6th and 7th graders.**

Clock will stop for the following:

- a. team time-outs and official time-outs**
 - b. all whistles during the last 2 minutes of the second half**
- 6. Warm-up time will be influenced by the starting time. If games are running behind schedule, a 5-minute warm-up will be used. There will be a 3-minute half time.**
 - 7. TIME OUTS:** 2 time outs per half (no carryovers).
 - 8. OVERTIME:** will be two minutes running time, **ONLY** stopping for free throws. Teams will be allowed one extra time out. If a second overtime is necessary a sudden victory will be determined by the first team who scores two points.
 - 9. FOULS:** players are allowed five fouls. Free throws will be shot after “shooting fouls” with the bonus in effect after the 7th team foul in a half. Two shots awarded after the 10th foul in a half.
 - 10. Lyle School is not responsible for lost articles or valuables.**
 - 11. SUPERVISION:** an adult must accompany the team.