NORTH ST. PAUL TRAVELING BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION

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North St. Paul Traveling Basketball Association Official Tournament Rules

- 1. Home team (team shown on top or first on bracket) supplies an official book at the score table.
- 2. Games will be played in two 14 minute halves, stop time for the entire game unless otherwise noted. If there is a point spread in the last 7 minutes of the game of 20 points or more, the clock will move to running time (the clock WILL stop on time outs), if the spread is lowered to 10 points, the game clock will revert back to stop time.
- 3. Intermissions will be 4 minutes at half time.
- 4. First overtime will be 2 minutes stop time. Second overtime is "Sudden Victory", first basket or free throws wins. Championship game only second overtime there will be one minute stop time until there is a winner (no timeouts in second overtime).
- 5. Three timeouts per game, which do not carryover. One timeout on first overtime (only).
- 6. A minimum of four minutes will be given for warmup. Be early in case we are running ahead of schedule.
- 7. Technical fouls will be awarded with two points and the ball out of bounds. The second Technical Foul will result in game disqualification and or ejection from the gym.
- 8. Bonus will be shot on the seventh foul of each half and two shot foul on the tenth foul of half.
- 9. No pressing will be allowed when lead is 20 or more points.
- 10. 4 grade level: No full court presses, zone defenses or half court traps. Person to person defense only. Help side defense permitted in the lane.
- 11. 5th 9th grade level: All defenses and presses are allowed.
- 12. Only two coaches admitted free per team, per day.
- 13. National Federation of State High School Association rules apply in all other situations.
- 14. Tie breakers for pool play: (in order)
 - O Head to head competition
 - o Fewest points allowed
 - O Point differential 15 point max
 - O Points scored
 - o Coin flip
 - o Forfeiture scored as 15 0 win
- 15. Awards: Maximum 10 per team, handed out in designed area in the hallway after the game.
 - O Four team pool play first and second will be awarded.
 - O Six or more teams; first, second, and third will be awarded.
 - O Eight or more teams; first, second, third, and consolation will be awarded.

PLEASE PRACTICE GOOD SPORTSMANSHIP!

GOOD LUCK AND HAVE A GREAT TOURNAMENT!

THANKS!