

Faribault Winter Blast

Tournament Rules

Grades 3rd-5th

All games will be played at the **Faribault High School**, 330 9th Ave SW, Faribault

All Games played MSHSL Rules with the following exceptions:

- Home team will provide official scorekeeper if one isn't provided by the tournament (we will make every effort to make this happen). Home team will be the first team/top team listed on the bracket. Timekeepers will be provided by the tournament.
- All games will be **20 minute running time halves**, with stop time the last 2 minutes of the game, unless a team is leading by 15 points or more. (Clock will stop during long delay i.e. injuries or at referees discretion).
- Each team will have a **5 minute warm-up**, **3 minute half-time** and will be allowed **3 (one-minute)** timeouts **per game**. One timeout will be given for overtime games (no carry-over).
- **3rd and 4th grade** will be able to step in front of the free throw line by a foot, ref's will use their discretion!
- Teams are expected to be there 30 minutes before game time as we will start early when possible. If a team is 10 minutes late, they will forfeit the game.
- Overtime will be **(1) two-minute** overtime with **stopped clock**. If the score is tied after one over-time period, the second over-time period will be sudden death. The first team to score a point wins.
- Technical fouls **will not** be shot (2pts awarded and the ball). A coach or player will be ejected from the game if 2 technical fouls (for misconduct) are issued. A coach ejected from the game will be required to leave the bench area. Should further problems persist, they may be removed from the gym. Note: MSHSL rules require a minimum of a 1 game suspension. Thus, the coach will not be allowed to coach the following game in the tournament.
- No protests. Referees and tournament officials will settle disputes on the floor.
- Man to Man defense only for grades 3-5.
- Pressing is only allowed in the **final 2 minutes of the game** for 5th grade.

OTHER:

- Doors will be open at 7:30 a.m.
- Players and coaches (2) admission free
- Please bring your own warm-up balls.
- Trophies awarded to 1st place teams. Medals awarded to 2nd, 3rd & Consolation place teams. 10 awards given per team.
- **PLEASE NO OUTSIDE FOOD OR COOLERS!!!** Our GREAT concessions will be available in the Cafeteria between the gyms with the usual fair, along with pizza, fresh fruit and sub sandwiches.
- Please check out the variety of vendors in the Cafeteria as well!
- Please respect that this tournament is our key fundraiser for our girl's basketball association.

THANK YOU FOR PARTICIPATING IN OUR TOURNAMENT!
WE HOPE ALL COACHES, PLAYERS AND PARENTS HAVE A GREAT EXPERIENCE!
GOOD SPORTSMANSHIP MUST BE FOLLOWED FOR EVERYONE TO ENJOY THE GAME. THOSE NOT ADHERING TO THIS WILL BE ASKED TO LEAVE THE BUILDING.