



OVER THE EDGE - November

□ Edge Basketball Monthly Newsletter



We're already one month in the books

Wow, does time fly by! Things aren't slowing down anytime soon, and November is shaping up to be another busy and exciting month. We kicked off the Fall Season on September 29th, and we're already four weeks in. All teams have competed in tournaments, and we've seen a ton of success across the board.

By now, everyone should have received their shooting shirt and backpack, and all new players should have been fitted for a uniform by Coach Caitlin. Additionally, all parents should be logged into SportsEngine and have access to features such as schedules, notifications, chat rooms, and team information. If you do not yet have access, please email me at admin@otehoops.com so we can get you set up.

Please make a note, clocks change Sunday, November 2nd.

It's shaping up to be an exciting season, see you in the gym!

The OTE SPECIALTY STORE IS NOW OPEN - SPONSORED BY NEW BALANCE! Orders will be guaranteed to arrive before Christmas!



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We're thrilled to announce that our Over The Edge x New Balance Team Store is officially live! Over the past few months, we've been working closely with

New Balance to create an enhanced, streamlined, and more efficient buying experience for our families. All items will come customized for Over The Edge, with discounts starting at 20% or more. New Balance has reaffirmed their commitment to our partnership and will unveil exciting news very soon. We're proud to be front and center as they continue to grow their basketball division.

[CLICK HERE TO ORDER FROM THE NEW BALANCE STORE](#)

REGISTRATION FOR WINTER TRYOUTS 2026



If you are new to the program and would like to try out for our 2026 Winter Session, registration is now open!

Tryouts will take place December 1–16 by attending one of our current grade-level practices. Coaches will evaluate players based on our existing fall rosters.

☐ **Tryout Dates: December 1–16**

Boys

- 4th Grade: 12/2, 12/4, 12/9, 12/11, 12/16 — 6:00–7:30 PM
- 5th Grade: 12/1, 12/3, 12/8, 12/10, 12/15 — 4:30–6:00 PM
- 6th Grade: 12/1, 12/3, 12/8, 12/10, 12/15 — 6:00–7:30 PM
- 7th Grade: 12/2, 12/4, 12/9, 12/11, 12/16 — 7:30–9:00 PM
- 8th Grade: 12/1, 12/3, 12/8, 12/10, 12/15 — 7:30–9:00 PM

Girls

- 4th Grade: 12/2, 12/4, 12/9, 12/11, 12/16 — 4:30–6:00 PM
- 5th Grade: 12/2, 12/4, 12/9, 12/11, 12/16 — 6:00–7:30 PM
- 6th Grade: 12/1, 12/3, 12/8, 12/10, 12/15 — 6:00–7:30 PM
- 7th Grade: 12/1, 12/3, 12/8, 12/10, 12/15 — 6:00–7:30 PM
- 8th Grade: 12/2, 12/4, 12/9, 12/11, 12/16 — 7:30–9:00 PM

To schedule your child's tryout, please email me at admin@otehoops.com with the exact date you would like them to attend.

Players should bring a basketball and a water bottle labeled with their name.

*If your child is already on a fall team and would like to continue playing in the winter, there is no tryout required. You'll simply need to register for the winter session, registration details will be shared soon.

We're looking forward to another great season!

[TO REGISTER FOR 2026 WINTER TRYOUTS CLICK HERE](#)

HIGH SCHOOL

Not only are we rolling with the grade school teams, but our high school teams are finishing up their short little 2 month season to help them prepare for thier high school tryouts! Good luck to all our high school players. We will be rooting you on as you go on to represent OTE and yourselves. Please remember, high school spring will restart mid-March.



High School Boys



High School Girls

WINNER WINNER!



8th Grade Boys



8th Grade Girls



7th Grade Girls





6th Boys



6th Boys

🏆 **Congrats to OTE 6 Burgundy – 6th Girls Division Champion at today's Hoop City Tipoff!**

🚤 **Next Event: Oct 25–26 – Hoop City Tip-Off (2–4 Games)**

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CONGRATULATIONS TO COACH EDDIE AS HE NOW HEADS OUR SOCIAL MEDIA: If you have anything you would like to share, please send to myself or Coach Eddie. Check out the work he is doing at

instagram: otehoops

TikTok: otehoops

YouTube: overtheedge4988

Facebook: Over the Edge



Tuesday, November 4th Election Day 2025



For the past few years we have been at the Northeastern Illinois University campus, the gym has been closed on Election Day. This is **NOT** the case this year. The gym will be **OPEN** and we will be having all practices as normally scheduled. Sports Engine is updated!

Tuesday, November 11th Veterans Day, 2025:



Please note, Tuesday, November 11th we **WILL** be having practices as normal. We would like to take a moment to thank all veterans for their courage, dedication, and service to our country. Your sacrifice and commitment protect the freedoms we enjoy every day.

From everyone at Over the Edge Basketball, we sincerely thank you and your families for all that you have given. We honor you today and every day. ☐☐



Happy Thanksgiving - from all of us to all of you!

OTE will be closing its gym for the Thanksgiving break. We will have practices as normally scheduled on Monday and Tuesday, but will be off on Wednesday the 26th and Thursday the 27th. Enjoy time with friends and family!

CALENDAR - LOOK AHEAD

November

- 11/2 - Day Light Saving Time Ends
- 11/4 - Election Day - Practices are on as scheduled
- 11/11 - Veterans Day - Practices are on as scheduled
- 11/15 - 3rd installment payment due
- 11/26 - No practices: Thanksgiving Break
- 11/27 - No practices: Thanksgiving Break
- 11/29 - No games: Thanksgiving Break
- 11/30 - No games: Thanksgiving Break

December

- 12/1-12/16 - Grade School Tryouts
- 12/17 - No practices: NEIU closed remodeling gym
- 12/18 - No practices: NEIU closed remodeling gym
- 12/21 - Fall Session ends

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