



Hutchinson Youth Basketball Association (HYBA)

Parent Meeting
2020/21 Season

November 4, 2020

Thank you!!!

- The HYBA would not exist without the support our families and the community provide.
- We will do our best to assure your child has an AMAZING experience, both on and off the basketball court!



Top Priority – health & safety

- Our overall top priority is the health and safety of our players.
- In addition to covid-19 safety (on next page), please let your coach know of any medical concerns/conditions your player has.

Covid-19 protocol

○ Practices:

- Players wear masks to/from practice.
- Coaches will scan the temp of each player before practice.
 - If temp is above 100.4° F, player cannot stay at practice.
 - Please do not just drop off your player in the event they have a fever and cannot stay. Either bring them in or have your cell phone on.
- Players wash their hands at the end of practice.

○ Tournaments:

- Each tournament will have their own protocol.
- Coaches will forward the information to the parents.

Covid-19 protocol (continued)

○ Opting out:

- If any player chooses to opt out of the season at any point due to covid-19 concerns, a refund will be given.
- Refund will be pro-rated based on team spending to the date the player opts out.
 - We do not plan to track spending to the player level (e.g. who attends each practice) as this would be too difficult to manage.

Covid-19 protocol (continued)

- HYBA plan if Covid-19 situation gets worse – decisions will be based on the 3 Hutchinson School District Models:
 - 100% in-person – HYBA season continues
 - Hybrid – HYBA season likely continues
 - Board will periodically review status of school and community infection rate and determine whether to continue or pause/cancel season
 - 100% distance – HYBA will meet weekly to discuss whether to continue or pause/cancel

Covid-19 protocol (continued)

- If a player contracts covid-19, the HYBA is following the guideline of the Hutchinson Schools:
 - Player must remain out of practices/tournaments for 10 days from the start of symptoms.
 - If someone is deemed to be at high risk due to potential contact with someone who has covid-19, they must remain out for 14 days from the date of exposure (determined by the school).
- Please follow this general rule, “When in doubt, keep them out!” This will keep our players and families as safe as possible.



Communication

- The HYBA website has a lot of information, including high level updates on the program, upcoming dates to remember, policies, contact information, etc.
 - www.hutchinsonyba.com
- The website is NOT the main form of communication though (see next page).

Communication

- Email is the main form of communication for important notices/dates/actions. If there are additional email addresses you would like added:
 1. Email your specific coach with the additional email address(es) to add
 2. Copy hybapresident@gmail.com on the email so the new addresses can be added to the master list.

- HYBA on social media:
 - Facebook: Hutchinson Youth Basketball Association
 - Twitter: @hutchyba
 - Instagram: hutchhyba

Message from the top

- The HYBA works closely with the Hutchinson varsity coaches to set direction for the program.
- Tim and Mike have emphasized numerous times that the HYBA's goal should be player development.
 - DO NOT solely focus on wins at these grade levels.
 - All players should be able to play at ANY position.

Equipment – who supplies what?

- HYBA supplies game jerseys and basketballs.
 - Date/time/location for jersey distribution will be emailed ahead of time.
 - If your player brings their personal basketball, PLEASE label it!
- You supply the shoes, shorts (game and practice) and shirt (practice).
 - Game shorts should be black and DO NOT need the Hutchinson Tiger logo (any black pair will do).

HYBA Apparel

- Purchase is NOT required.
- Store is hosted through a local Hutchinson business, Branded Solutions.
- Website for HYBA apparel store:
 - <https://www.brandedsolutionsstores.com/hyba2020/shop/home>
- Store is currently OPEN
 - Store closes on Sunday, November 8th at 11 pm.

Season Overview

- Practices – 90 min per practice, max # of practices per grade is:
 - 3rd grade – 16
 - 4th grade – 26
 - 5th grade – 36
 - 6th grade – 36
 - 7th grade – 24... due to MS season
 - 8th grade - 24... due to MS season

Season Overview

- Tournaments – max tournaments per grade:
 - 3rd grade – 3
 - 4th grade – 5
 - 5th – 8th grade – 7
- Coach for each team determines the dates/locations
- Goals are to minimize 2-day tournaments and distance from Hutchinson while choosing tournaments at the correct skill level.
 - Note: due to covid-19, tournament availability is tight this season. So the above guidelines may be difficult to follow.

Playing Time Policy

- Grades 4-6:
 - Comparable and fair playing time as situation allows and as determined by coach.
 - Distribution of playing time will be accomplished, if at all possible, in each game.
- Grades 7-8:
 - Competitive play with playing time determined by coach (no guaranteed playing time)
 - Playing time earned through work ethic and competitive play.

Inappropriate Behavior

“Un-earning” playing or starting time:

- Players may “un-earn” playing or starting time through their actions.
- Coaches should communicate with players and/or parents as appropriate in these situations.
- Examples:
 - Yelling obscenities or giving obscene gestures to referees, other players, parents, or coaches.
 - Unnecessary roughness or retaliation during practice or a game. Discrediting a teammate, on or off the court.
 - Absent from practice without notification to the coach.

Inappropriate Behavior

- HYBA board cannot be present at all practices/tournaments.
- We need all HYBA families to help identify any/all inappropriate behavior by players, coaches, parents, etc.
- Actions we ask all members to take in these situations:
 1. Talk with the person(s) directly (if you feel comfortable doing so)
 2. Talk with the coach
 3. Talk with a board member
 - All information will be kept confidential!!!

Coach and Player Support

- HYBA head coaches are not paid and do not have their child's fee waived.
 - They receive a max of \$200 for mileage reimbursement and their volunteer hours are met with their coaching obligation.
- The amount of time/effort they put in is tremendous*, so please be supportive!
Without coaches a team would not exist!
 - *Practices and tournaments alone are 70 hours, not counting prep-time!

Coach and Player Support

- Please remember these are children playing a sport and not the NCAA Final Four.
 - Although we hope to see HYBA players in the Final Four at some point!
- Support all HYBA players, HYBA opponents and their fans with good sportsmanship.
- Each player/parent will be asked to review and sign the “HYBA Code of Conduct” to this end.



Code of Conduct



Volunteer Hours

- HYBA relies on volunteers to help with our tournaments (and other activities).
- HYBA is hosting 3 tournament dates this year:
 - Jan 9, Jan 23 and Feb 6.
- These are the main opportunities for putting in your volunteer hours.

Volunteer Hours (continued)

- To assure we have sufficient man-power, volunteer hours will remain at 8 hrs/family.
 - Max is 8 hours per family, no matter how many players are in HYBA.
- HYBA will collect a check for \$200 per family for these volunteer hours.
 - Similar to other Hutchinson sports.
 - Collected when jerseys are handed out.
Date/time/location will be emailed ahead of time.
- Your check WILL NOT BE CASHED unless you do not fulfill your hours by May 1, 2021.
 - Check will be returned upon completion of your required hours.

Volunteer Hours (continued)

- Checks should be post-dated to 1/15/21.
 - Last season we had issues cashing checks due to covid-19 delays in wrapping up the season coupled with the fact that most banks will not cash checks older than 6 months.
- HYBA will assure ample opportunities to fulfill the required hours.
 - Main opportunities are the HYBA sponsored tournaments, previously mentioned.

Volunteer Hours (continued)

- Volunteer tasks will very likely be different this season due to covid-19.
- Some likely tasks include:
 - Temperature scanning for incoming teams, coaches and fans.
 - Sanitizing chairs between games.
 - Sanitizing basketballs periodically during games.
 - Handing out hand sanitizer to fans.

Volunteer Hours (continued)

- Why does the HYBA need so many volunteer hours?
 - The main profit generator for HYBA is the tournaments. Without volunteers, the profits would be much less.
 - Most, if not all, other activities DO NOT generate a profit.
- What do we do with the profits?
 - Host open gyms (up to \$90 per instance)
 - Purchase equipment/supplies: jerseys, basketballs, etc.
 - Host free skills clinics (none in 2020 due to covid)
 - Offset losses for other activities

HYBA Teams

- 3rd grade girls
 - Head Coach – Jeff Rudebusch
 - Assistant - No coach yet
 - Number of players (as of 11/3): 6

- 4th grade girls
 - Head Coach – Ryan Mackenthun
 - Assistant – No coach yet
 - Number of players (as of 11/3): 8

HYBA Teams

- 5th grade girls – team 1
 - Head Coach – Doug Briggmann
 - Assistant – Jarrett McAllister
 - Number of players (as of 11/3): 8
- 5th grade girls – team 2
 - Coaches – Dennis Eickhoff, Armando Flores & Mark Radke
 - Number of players (as of 11/3): 9

HYBA Teams

- 7th grade girls
 - Head Coach – Adam Bjorngjeld
 - Assistant – Dennis Eickhoff
 - Number of players (as of 11/3): 11

HYBA Teams

- 3rd grade boys
 - Head Coach – Tim Schlueter
 - Assistant - No coach yet
 - Number of players (as of 11/3): 6
- 4th grade boys
 - Coaches – Jon Carrigan & Janna Bjur
 - Number of players (as of 11/3): 7

HYBA Teams

- 5th grade boys
 - Coaches – Tony Kadlec, Adam Ament, Gary Ellis
 - Number of players (as of 11/3): 12
- 6th grade boys
 - Coaches – Randy Johnson, Ryan Mackenthun & Mark Hoeckstra
 - Number of players (as of 11/3): 15

HYBA Teams

- 7th grade boys
 - Head Coach – Russ Schlueter
 - Assistant – Tim Welsch
 - Number of players (as of 11/3): 8

- 8th grade boys
 - Head Coach – Randy Johnson
 - Assistant – Mark Radke, Mike Weisenberger
 - Number of players (as of 11/3): 13

HYBA Tournaments

- Here are the dates, locations and teams for the HYBA tournaments:
 - Saturday, Jan 9 at fairgrounds:
 - 7th grade girls, 7th and 8th grade boys
 - Saturday, Jan 23 at fairgrounds:
 - 5th grade girls (2 teams), 5th & 6th grade boys
 - Saturday, Jan 23 at Rec Center:
 - 3rd & 4th grade boys
 - Saturday, Feb 6 at Rec Center:
 - 3rd & 4th grade girls

HYBA Tournaments

- Volunteer hour sign-up sheets will be made available prior to each tournament in the form of a “SignUpGenius”.



- Email link will be sent out with instructions.

Dates to remember

- Jersey distribution
 - Date TBD – HYBA will work with teams to assure they have jerseys before their first tournament.
 - Remember \$200 check please!!
- Tuesday, January 5th – picture day at the fairgrounds
 - Team and individual pictures
 - More details to come as the date approaches

Corporate Sponsors

- Our long-term goal is to NOT increase player fees moving forward.
- How?
 - Increasing volunteer hours to maximize revenue at tournaments.
 - Corporate sponsorships
 - Please let us know of any individual/company/organization that might be interested in becoming a HYBA sponsor!!!

Board Members

- Please do not hesitate to contact any board member if you have questions/concerns!
- Email address links can be found on our website

hutchinsonyba.com/page/show/796212-board-members

Board Members

RANDY Johnson
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MIKE McGraw
Boys Varsity Head Coach - Ex Officio Member



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- We wish all teams the best of luck this season!!!
 - Thank you for putting your trust and support in the HYBA!!