

2026 Winter Youth Basketball General Information

Assessments

- 1. Pee Wee and Mighty Mite divisions will not participate in assessments or drafts.
- 2. All other registered participants **MUST** be assessed to be drafted to a team. If your child cannot attend player assessments, they will be considered a "Hat Pick" and be randomly placed on a team. Coaches select teams based on an open draft.
- 3. A separate email will be sent to your email on file when you can sign up for assessments.

Parents

- 1. A coach will notify you by Monday, December 16, 2025. Coaches' information will not be provided to parents before this date.
- 2. Special requests such as carpooling, coaches, friends, etc., will not be considered for any division except Pee Wee (ages 4-5) and Mighty Mite (ages 6-7) due to the drafting process. These requests are not guaranteed.
- 3. A full refund will be granted before the coaches' meeting. A \$14 fee will be assessed once teams have been formed. Refunds will not be granted after the second game of the season.

Coaches

- 1. Parents who are interested in coaching, please use this link <u>Coaches Application</u> to apply. All volunteer coaches are required to be fingerprinted.
- 2. Volunteers selected to coach will be notified before the coaches' meeting.
- 3. Pee Wee and Mighty Mite division selected coaches will have a mandatory coach meeting on Tuesday, November 11 2025, at 5:30 p.m.
- 4. Junior division selected coaches will have a mandatory coach meeting on Tuesday, November 11 2025, at 6:15 p.m.
- 5. Junior Girls, Minor Girls, Major Girls division selected coaches will have a mandatory coach meeting on Tuesday, November 11, 2023, at 7:00 p.m.
- 6. Minor division selected coaches will have a manatory coach meeting on Wednesday, November 12 2025, at 5:30pm.

- 7. Major and Senior division selected coaches will have a mandatory coach meeting on Wednesday, November 12, 2025, at 6:30 p.m.
- 8. Coaches will receive schedules, equipment, and jerseys, which will then be distributed to the participants.

Practices and Games

- 1. Assigned indoor practices are scheduled to begin the week of December 15, 2025.
- 2. Coaches may practice before the December 15, 2025 date; however, they will be responsible for finding their own court.
- 3. Practices will be held on weekdays as early as 4:00 p.m. All practice days and times are determined by the coach, therefore practice day and time requests cannot be accepted.
- 4. If your child is absolutely unable to attend the assigned practice time, you will be given a refund. We will not be able to switch your child to another team.
- 5. Games will be played on Saturdays from 8 a.m. to 9 p.m. beginning **Saturday**, **January 10**, **2025**. There may be an occasional weeknight game. The season will end approximately Saturday, March 21, 2025.
- 6. Game standings will be kept for the following divisions: Minor, Major, and Senior.
- 7. Uniforms will consist of a jersey only. You will be responsible for purchasing your child's shorts.
- 8. The wearing of any type of jewelry during participation is prohibited.

Covid-19 Procedures

1. **Please Read Carefully.** COVID-19 procedures are subject to change based on <u>Los Angeles</u> County Department of Public Health Reopening Protocol for Youth and Adult Recreational Sports Leagues: Appendix S.

If you have any further questions, please feel free to contact the Youth Sports office (661) 250-3756 or email youthsports@santaclarita.gov.