## YMCA Basketball Information 2017-18 Kindergarten and First Grade Boys and Girls

Divisions: With numbers permitting, the age divisions will be 2-4 coed and 5-6 coed. The age of the child on January 1,2018 will determine his or her division placement. If the birthdate of the child is in question, a birth certificate will be required.

Dates: Registration will end on November 13. No late registrations will be allowed. Return the registration forms to The Bright School. Do not sign up at the YMCA.

Teams will begin practice the week of December 11. The jamboree is December 16. Games will be held on January 6, 13, 20 and 27 and February 3, 10, 17 and 24. The tournament will be February 24.

Fees: Cost is $\$ 90$ for non-members of the YMCA and $\$ 65$ for members.
Teams: Teams will be made up of 8-10 players each. Special requests are not guaranteed.

Coaches: We always need coaches. All coaches are volunteers. If you are interested in coaching, please be sure to indicate that on your child's registration form. There will be a mandatory coaches' meeting at 6 p.m. on November 17 and December 1 at North River YMCA.

Site: Games may be held at the following locations: Bethel Bible Village, The Bright School, North River YMCA, Downtown YMCA, Hamilton YMCA and North Georgia YMCA.

Games: All regular season games will be played on Saturdays. Games will begin at 8 a.m. and last until each team has played its game for the week. Each team is guaranteed seven games during the season. The game schedule will be released the week of January 2.

Staff/Referees: In the 2-6 divisions, coaches will referee.
Uniforms: Each child will be given a YMCA Basketball jersey. Parents must provide shorts, socks and shoes.

Pictures: Team pictures will be taken during the season. Picture times are an hour before game time. Pictures are not included in the registration fee. Order forms will be available the day of pictures.

YOUTH SPORTS REGISTRATION FORM

## Date:

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Member \#: $\qquad$
Amount paid: \$ $\qquad$
Receipt \#: $\qquad$

1. Sport Registering For:

Branch: $\square$ Downtown $\square$ Cleveland $\square$ Hamilton $\square$ North Georgia $\square$ YMCA Healthy Living Center at North River
Please Check one: $\square$ spring $\quad \square$ summer $\quad \square$ Fall $\quad \square$ Winter
Uniform Size: $\square \mathrm{YS} \quad \square \mathrm{YM} \quad \square \mathrm{YL} \quad \square \mathrm{AS} \quad \square \mathrm{AM} \quad \square \mathrm{AL} \quad \square$ other
2. Volunteers Needed (please Check all that you might be interested in): $\square$ Coach $\square$ Assistant Coach $\square$ other Volunteer
3. Complete the personal information in the box below:

Parent Email address:
Please ensure that you include an email address (Primary form of communication).


## 4. How many years has your child played organized sports?:

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For the balance in forming teams, AT PLAY, your child is best described as:
Mark one (1-least aggressive to 5-most aggressive): $\quad \square 1 \quad \square 2 \quad \square 3 \quad \square 4 \quad \square 5$

## 5. Please list other previous sports experience:

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The YMCA considers all registrations without to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, or the presence of medical condition or handicap. However, the YMCA does reserve the right to refuse admission to any child who may require a level of attention beyond that which YMCA programs are designed to accommodate or who may require specialized training that may prevent YMCA staff from adequately meeting the needs of the child. I agree to abide by the rules and regulations as set forth by the YMCA staff. I will fully accept the decision of the YMCA staff regarding the placement of my child on a team. I will also conduct myself with a positive Christian attitude toward coaches, opposing team players, officials. And YMCA staff members during the course of the season. I understand that the YMCA does not provide insurance coverage for the above listed program participant and that I am responsible for my child's own personal coverage. I hereby give permission for the YMCA to use for promotional purposes any photos or videos taken of my child while involved in this program. By signing my name below, I am indicating that: this registration form is correct to the best of my knowledge and that child herein described has permission to engage in all prescribed activities expect those noted by me. I understand that YMCA activities have inherent risks and I hereby assume all risks and hazards incident to my participation in all YMCA activities. I further waive, release, absolve, indemnify and agree to hold harmless the YMCA, the organizers, volunteers, supervisors, officers, directors, participants, coaches, referees, as well as, persons or parents transporting participants to and from activities from any claims or injury sustained during my participation in YMCA activities.
Note: Refund requests must be made before the first game. No refunds will be given after the first game. If requesting a refund, there will be a $\$ 15.00$ administrative fee charged.

## STUDENT-ATHLETE \& PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN CONCUSSION STATEMENT

According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, a concussion is a type of traumatic brain injury that changes the way the brain normally works. Most concussions occur without loss of consciousness. Athletes who have, at any point in their lives, had a concussion have an increased risk for another concussion. Young children and teens are more likely to get a concussion and take longer to recover than adults. The new concussion law is an opportunity to make playing sports safer for Tennessee's young athletes. Must be signed and returned to school or community youth athletic activity prior to participation in practice or play.
The YMCA strives to keep children and adults safe in all of our programs.
For more information visit: http://health.state.tn.us/tbi/concussion.htm

## Must be signed and returned to YMCA prior to participation in practice or play.

Student-Athlete Name: $\qquad$
Parent/Legal Guardian Name(s): $\qquad$
After reading the information sheet, I am aware of the following information:

| Student-Athlete initials |  | Parent/Legal Guardian initials |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | A concussion is a brain injury which should be reported to my parents, my coach(es) or a medical professional if one is available. |  |
|  | A concussion cannot be "seen." Some symptoms might be present right away. Other symptoms can show up hours or days after an injury. |  |
|  | I will tell my parents, my coach and/or a medical professional about my injuries and illnesses. |  |
|  | I will not return to play in a game or practice if a hit to my head or body causes any concussion-related symptoms. |  |
|  | I will/my child will need written permission from a health care provider* to return to play or practice after a concussion. |  |
|  | Most concussions take days or weeks to get better. A more serious concussion can last for months or longer. |  |
|  | After a bump, blow or jolt to the head or body an athlete should receive immediate medical attention if there are any danger signs such as loss of consciousness, repeated vomiting or a headache that gets worse. |  |
|  | After a concussion, the brain needs time to heal. I understand that I $\mathrm{am} / \mathrm{my}$ child is much more likely to have another concussion or more serious brain injury if return to play or practice occurs before the concussion symptoms go away. |  |
|  | Sometimes repeat concussion can cause serious and long-lasting problems and even death. |  |
|  | I have read the concussion symptoms on the Concussion Information Sheet. |  |

* Health care provider means a Tennessee licensed medical doctor, osteopathic physician or a clinical neuropsychologist with concussion training.

Signature of Student-Athlete
Date

Physical exercise, training and related activities can be strenuous and may cause serious injury. The YMCA of Metropolitan Chattanooga, Inc. ("YMCA") urges every member to obtain a physical examination from a medical doctor before using any exercise equipment or participating in any exercise or training class, related activity or YMCA sponsored program event or before undergoing changes in diet including the use of food supplements, weight reduction and/or body building enhancement products.
I, the undersigned agree to follow all rules and regulations of the YMCA while in, upon or about the premises or while using or observing the premises or any facilities or equipment, and understand and agree that I may be expelled at any time, for failure to abide by such rules and regulations.
I, the undersigned, agree to ensure that my chil(ren), dependent(s), and/or other minors for whom I am responsible or for whose presence at the YMCA I am responsible follow all rules and regulations of the YMCA while in, upon or about the premises or while using or observing the premises or any facilities or equipment, and understand and agree that my child(ren), dependent(s) and/or other minors for whom I am responsible or for whose presence at YMCA I am responsible may be expelled at any time, with no refund of any monies paid, for failure to abide by such rules and regulations.
IN FURTHER CONSIDERATION OF BEING PERMITTED TO ENTER THE YMCA FOR ANY PURPOSE INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO OBSERVING OR USING ANY FACILITIES OR EQUIPMENT, OR PARTICIPATING IN ANY ON-SITE OR OFF-SITE PROGRAM, ACTIVITY OR CLASS AFFILIATED WITH THE YMCA, INCLUDING USE OF THE YMCA DAY CARE FACILITIES, THE UNDERSIGNED HEREBY AGREE TO THE FOLLOWING:

1. THE UNDERSIGNED, ON HIS OR HER BEHALF AND BEHALF OF HIS OR HER CHILDREN, HEREBY RELEASES, WAIVES, DISCHARGES AND COVENANTS NOT TO SUE the YMCA, its directors, officers, employees, and agents (hereinafter referred to as "releasees") from all liability to the undersigned or his or her children and all their respective personal representatives, assigns, heirs, and next of kin for any loss or damage, and any claim or demands therefor on account of injury to the person or property or resulting in death of the undersigned or his or her children, whether or not caused by the negligence of any person, the releasees or otherwise while the undersigned or his or her children is in, upon, or about the YMCA premises or any facilities or equipment therein or participating in any program, class or activity affiliated with the YMCA without respect as to location.
2. THE UNDERSIGNED, ON HIS OR HER BEHALF AND BEHALF OF HIS OR HER CHILDREN, HEREBY AGREES TO INDEMNIFY AND SAVE AND HOLD HARMLESS the releasees and each of them from any loss, liability, damage or cost they may incur due to the presence of the undersigned or his or her children in, upon or about the YMCA premises or in any way observing the use of or using any facilities or equipment of the YMCA or participating in any program, class or activity affiliated with the YMCA without respect as to location whether or not caused by the negligence of any person, the releasees or otherwise.
3. THE UNDERSIGNED, ON HIS OR HER BEHALF AND BEHALF OF HIS OR HER CHILDREN, HEREBY ASSUMES FULL RESPONSIBILITY FOR AND RISK OF BODILY INJURY, DEATH OR PROPERTY DAMAGE to the undersigned or his or her children whether or not caused by the negligence of any person, the releasees or otherwise while in, about or upon the premises of the YMCA and/or while observing the use of using the premises or any facilities or equipment thereon or participating in any program, class or activity affiliated with the YMCA without respect as to location.
The Undersigned, on his or her behalf and behalf of such children, specifically assumes all risks of personal injury, property loss, or damages whatsoever including risks associated with racquet sports, aerobics, yoga, fitness classes, fitness equipment, exercise, swimming, weights, locker room, sauna, parking, child care or in any program, class or activity affiliated with the YMCA without respect as to location. This assumption of risk also includes environmental, theft, and contagion risks in addition to risk associated with use of the YMCA's health and fitness advisory services.

## 4. IF THE UNDERSIGNED IS PLACING HIS OR HER CHILDREN IN A YMCA CHILD'S PROGRAM, ACTIVITY OR EVENT, THE UNDERSIGNED, ON

 HIS OR HER BEHALF AND BEHALF OF SUCH CHILDREN, HEREBY acknowledges that having his or her child or children participate in such activities may include inherent risks, hazards, and dangers that cannot necessarily be predicted or controlled. The Undersigned further understands that not all inherent risks, hazards and dangers can be eliminated, and that the inherent risks of the such activities can cause property damage, injury, illness, paralysis or death. Some of the activities such children may be involved with include, but are not limited to: wilderness travel and activities, bouldering, rock climbing, crafts, mountain biking, ropes challenge courses, archery, rafting, swimming, horseback riding, fishing, overnight camping, and other program activities.5. THIS RELEASE \& WAIVER SHALL BE GOVERNED BY AND CONSTRUED UNDER THE APPLICABLE LAWS OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE. THE UNDERSIGNED further expressly agrees that the foregoing RELEASE, WAIVER AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT is intended to be as broad and inclusive as is permitted by the law of the State of Tennessee and that if any portion thereof is held invalid, it is agreed that the balance shall, notwithstanding, continue in full legal force and effect.
THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE READ AND VOLUNTARILY SIGNS THE RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT, and further agrees that no one has made any oral representations, statements or inducement other than as set forth above in writing.

Print Name of Minor Child Participant
Date

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Print Name of Participant/Parent
Date

