

Hello Southside Deanery,

My name is Kevin Stafford, and I am coordinating the 2nd and 3rd grade boys basketball league through Holy Name again. Our goal is to have both leagues on the same day. I would like to have a deadline of teams entered by Friday, December 8th. This should give us enough time to put together a game schedule. The entry fees for the leagues are as followed and are due by Saturday, January 13th. Once, you have registered your team please have the coach of each team reach out to me with their email so I can communicate with them directly. I have a link below for you to fill out with your team information. If you have any questions, please let me know. Please pass this link along to anyone who would be interested in coaching. Each school is responsible for signing up their own players.

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1DFvPQfcFy1feam2wShstL1VLKiye0lccPgYW4R7yeLk/edit>

REGISTRATION FEES:

2nd Grade \$350.00 per team

3rd Grade \$350.00 per team

IF PAYING BY CHECK, PLEASE MAKE CHECK'S PAYABLE TO HOLY NAME ATHLETICS

Each team will be guaranteed 7 games. 6 regular season games and at least 1 tournament game. The 2nd grade league will begin at 9:00am and the 3rd grade will follow after 2nd games are complete.

The season will tentatively start on Saturday, January 13th. We will play on Saturday's, Tuesday for 2nd grade and Thursday for 3rd grade. The tournament will be a single elimination tournament held tentatively on Saturday February 24th and March 2nd (if needed) The goal is to have the schedules to the coaches before winter break.

Rules:

2nd Grade: will play on 9ft goals Will play 4 quarters with a 7 running clock only stopping for timeouts. There will also be 2 officials for the game. We are trying to use this as an instructional league for them to get them ready for the 3rd

grade league. Each team will be allowed to always have 1 coach on the court if wanted. The official will call more travels and double dribbles as the season goes along. Each team must play man to man (NO ZONE) and no full court pressing.

3rd Grade: will play on 10-foot goals with 4 6-minute quarters and will stop on each whistle. They will play with 2 officials. Each team must play man to man (NO ZONE) and will be allowed to press the final 30 seconds of the 4th quarter.

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NOTE: This is not a CYO sanctioned league and the St Jude Youth Athletic Board does not administer or fund teams in this league in any way. Team formation will depend on interested parents and / or coaches taking the initiative. There are no assurances that practice time in the St Jude gym will be available.