

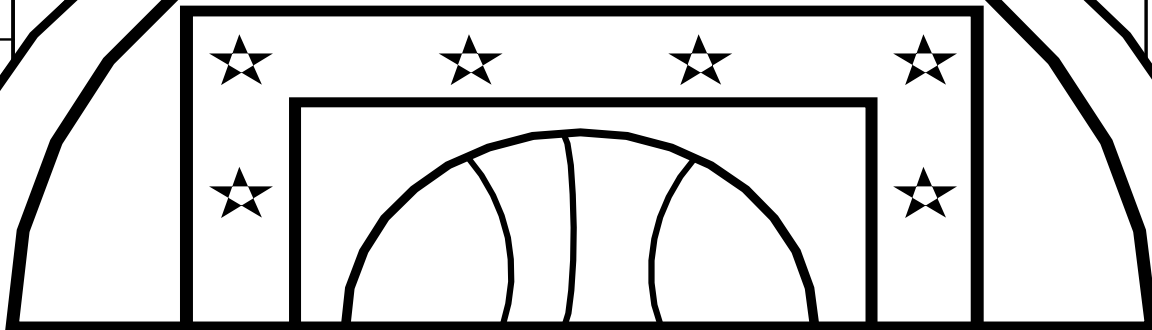


Minnesota Youth Basketball Association 30th Annual State Championships

Administered by the Minnesota Sports Federation



**2018 Youth Basketball Guide
Official Tournament Information**



Give it your best shot

Dear Coaches/Directors:

Introducing the 30th Annual **Minnesota Youth Basketball Association State Championships** administered by the Minnesota Sports Federation! Thanks to our cadre of volunteers, dedicated tournament hosts, and conscientious staff the MSF continues to provide wonderful opportunities for basketball players all across the state. The MSF prides itself on running high-quality state tournaments each year. Once again this season, we will continue our tradition of excellent events.

Again this season, the MSF will strive to use terrific facilities, quality registered officials, and helpful tournament staff, all at the lowest possible cost to the participants. The entry fee for **MYBA State Championships** is lower than others available and more games played with most teams getting at least four.

Tournament hosts of **MYBA State Championships** use the event as a fundraiser for their local program, as hosts retain all admission and concessions revenue. Weekend invitational tournaments that do not conflict with the State Championships may advertise their tournaments on the MSF website at no charge.

This year the MSF is working hard to make the youth basketball experience easier and more enjoyable for all participants. This year's guidebook features tournament dates, division distinctions, tournament locations, eligibility clarifications and past champions. Also, included in this book for the 2017-18 season is the inclusion of the **MYBA State Championships** Official Roster. The roster must be completed and sent in prior to or at the seeding meeting to be officially entered in the State Championships.

The MSF is excited to see your team at the **MYBA State Championships** this season. If you have any questions regarding the State Championships contact Dan at dan@msf1.org or (651) 451-3140.

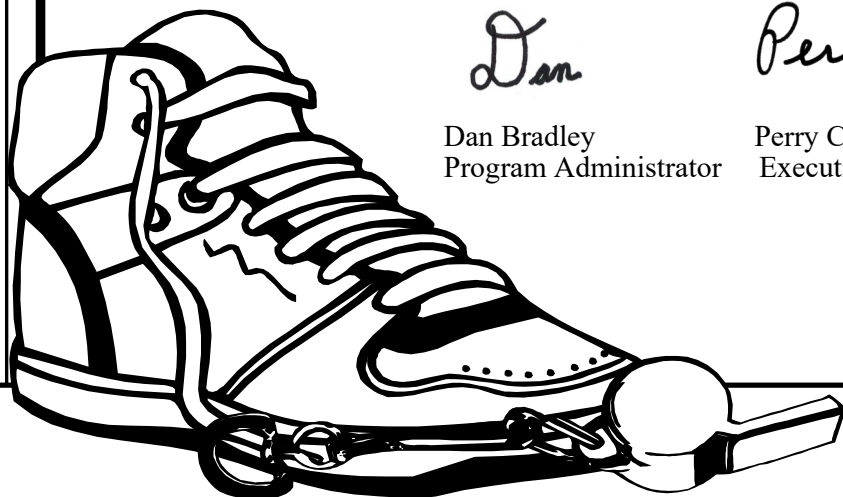
Sincerely,

Dan

Dan Bradley
Program Administrator

Perry

Perry Coonce
Executive Director



◆ The Role MSF Plays ◆

The Minnesota Sports Federation (MSF) is a non-profit, non-tax supported public service organization which solely conducts recreational-amateur sports activities in the state of Minnesota. Members of the Federation receive many valuable services which enable them to enjoy recreational-amateur sports to their fullest extent.

The MSF mission is to provide wholesome community based amateur-recreational sports opportunities that promote fitness, personal growth, good sports and the development of lifetime leisure skills.

Since 1982, the Sports Federation has become a major organizational force in planning and executing amateur sports events for over 200,000 youth and adults in Minnesota.

To implement and conduct a program of this magnitude, the MSF relies on individuals who dedicate many hours of their time to the benefit of recreational sports enthusiasts throughout the state of Minnesota.

The MSF serves as the local association of the National Softball Federation, Minnesota Youth Basketball Association (MYBA), USA Broomball and the National Sports Federation.

The MSF is governed by a 15-member board which is comprised of players, coaches, program administrators and officials active in the sports community.

League, association, team and player membership in the Minnesota Sports Federation is voluntary and conditional upon members adhering to established rules and regulations and acting in the best interest of the MSF program.

Through the union of all eligible leagues, organizations, groups and affiliations with organizations devoted wholly or partially to the promotion of recreational sports, the MSF hopes to expand programs and services in the future.

The MSF is committed to serving amateur sports enthusiasts in an effort to enhance the quality of life for all Minnesotans regardless of age, gender, race, economic status or handicap.

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◆ 2018 Youth Basketball ◆

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◆ General Information ◆

The rules and regulations contained in this guide are not intended to limit or restrict play, but to promote fair play and provide a more enjoyable experience for all. Representatives designated by the MSF are empowered to apply the rules found here and also render decisions on situations not specifically covered by rule.

These rules and regulations apply only to those sports communities/leagues sending representative(s) to tournament play. Sports communities/leagues who wish to send representatives to district and/or state tournaments shall adopt and abide by the rules contained in this guide. Sports communities/leagues may augment these rules and regulations with any special rules so long as these rules do not create conflicts which result in ineligibility for MSF play.

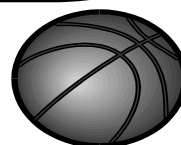
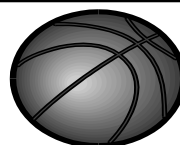
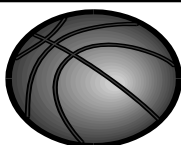
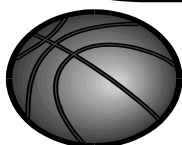
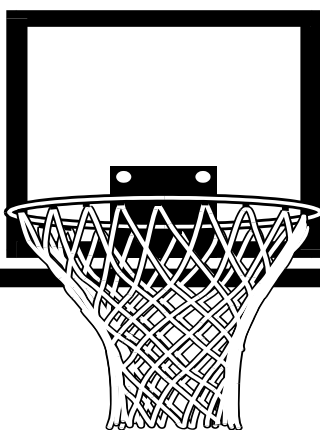
If questions arise concerning the rules and regulations contained in this guide, please contact Federation offices for assistance. Questions on playing rules should be directed to the state rules interpreter.

◆ MSF Board of Directors ◆

District One	Open
District Two	Open
District Three	Rich Rakness, South St. Paul, President
District Four	Open
District Five	John McRaith, Hutchinson Vice President
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District Seven	David Long, Detroit Lakes
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District VI Comm/UIC	Duke Weisbrod, Cambridge
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2018 MYBA STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS

DIVISION	DATE	SITE
Girls 4th Grade	February 24-25	Columbia Heights
Girls 5th Grade	February 24-25	Columbia Heights
Girls 6th Grade	February 24-25	Columbia Heights
Girls 7th Grade	February 24-25	Columbia Heights
Girls 8th Grade	February 24-25	Columbia Heights
Boys 4th Grade	March 2-4	Buffalo
Boys 5th Grade	March 2-4	Buffalo
Boys 6th Grade	March 2-4	Buffalo
Boys 7th Grade	March 2-4	Roseville
Boys 8th Grade	March 2-4	Roseville
Boys 9th Grade	March 2-4	Roseville



ENTRY FEE: \$290

FORMAT: *3 games guaranteed. The MSF uses a Pool Play/Championship Bracket format which is more liberal than other organizations use, in that it guarantees that 50% of the teams will play 4 or more games.*

ENTRY DEADLINES: Girls State Championship, 4th - 8th Grade **February 2, 2018**

Boys State Championship, 4th - 9th Grade **February 9, 2018**



CLASSIFICATION:	<p>Teams will be classified A, B, or C for the 2018 State Championships</p> <p>The Coaches Meeting will be held prior to the tournament to: 1) rank the teams and if more teams apply than can be accommodated, select the most qualified teams; 2) classify teams into divisions A, BB, B or C; and 3) rank teams within each division to determine pools for pool play. All decisions made at the Coaches Meeting concerning the selection, classification and seeding of teams are final! Teams are strongly encouraged to be represented - 1 vote per team. Please see additional information below regarding the coaches seeding meeting.</p> <p>Division A is for A level teams. Division B for B teams and C for C or non-competitive teams.</p>
COACHES' SEEDING MEETING:	<p>Seeding meetings are held to make sure that MYBA State Championships have the best competition within a division and 24 teams or less. To have a voice in the process, you must attend the meeting. Dates and times will be posted on www.msfl.org and noted in your confirmation letter.</p>
ROSTER:	<p>The Official Roster/Waiver form is included in this guidebook. The roster must be completed and submitted prior to or at the seeding meeting. Once a team's first game is started, no players may be added (15 players can be listed on one roster at the MYBA State Championships).</p>
PLAYING RULES:	<p>NFHS and MSHSL rules shall govern play with below modifications:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 14 minute stop time halves. Halftime is five minutes A 10 minute grace period shall be allowed on a team's first scheduled game in the tournament before a forfeit is declared. Game time is forfeit time for all succeeding games. Prior to a forfeit being declared, referees shall contact the Tournament Manager for authorization of the forfeit. A minimum of three minutes shall be allowed for warm-up prior to games. Home team shall be determined by a coin toss if teams cannot agree. Each team is allowed three timeouts per game. Each team will be allowed one timeout per overtime. Timeouts not used in regulation or in each overtime will be forfeited. In the <i>final seven minutes of the second half</i>, if the score differential is 20 points or more, the clock shall change to running time. If the differential becomes 12 points or less, the clock shall revert back to stop time. During running time, only injuries and legal timeouts stop the clock. If a team is ahead by 20 points or more at any time, they must fall back behind halfcourt. No pressing allowed in 4th grade except for the last two minutes of regulation and overtime. All types of defense are allowed for grades 5-9. Zone defenses are not allowed for 4th grade. Overtime(s) shall be 2 minute stop halves. A team's coach must sign the official score sheet at the conclusion of each game to verify the final score is accurate. Coaches who refuse to sign the score sheet as an unsportsmanlike act will cause the game to be forfeited and their team disqualified from further competition. A team is limited to the eligible players listed on the official roster, plus three non-players (coach, water person, scorekeeper, etc.).



Bench decorum rule: One coach may stand to give instructions to players. If any member of the bench receives a technical foul for an unsportsmanlike act, this privilege shall be revoked and the "seat belt" rule shall be imposed for the remainder of the game.

11. Any player, coach or bench personnel that is ejected from a game for unsportsmanlike conduct shall be disqualified from the *remainder of the tournament* and shall be considered a fan. Any fan who gets ejected must leave the building immediately and may not re-enter any tournament facility for the remainder of the tournament. Ejections must be listed on the official score sheet and the Tournament Manager must be notified following the game.
12. Games will not start early unless both coaches agree to start early.
13. There shall be no smoking or consumption of alcohol by participants, coaches, or fans in or near the playing facility. If violations are observed, report them to the tournament manager immediately.

Disqualification

A player/coach/team shall be immediately disqualified from an MSF program for any of the following acts:

1. Failure to comply with the eligibility set forth in these rules.
2. Commission of fraud, such as playing under an assumed name, falsifying a roster, giving false information to tournament officials or wrongful sports community classification.
3. Failure to provide 48-hour notice when forfeiting a contest. (Carries penalty of team/players ineligibility for tournament play the following year)
4. Unsportsmanlike conduct.
5. Tendering non-sufficient funds or stopping payment on checks.
6. Causing damage to playing facilities, equipment, or accommodations.
7. Possession of a controlled substance (law enforcement agencies will be contacted).

Reinstatement

Suspensions shall be immediate and remain in effect until such time that the suspended party appears before the MSF Sportsmanship and Eligibility Committee. Should the suspended party fail to appear, the original suspension shall continue in effect until such time that it expires.

Protests

1. A judgment call may not be protested. Protests on the interpretation of game rules shall be decided by the Supervisor of Officials. Decisions made by the Supervisor of Officials are final. If a coach wishes to protest during a game, he/she must make his/her protest clear to the officials, so the contest can be stopped and the protest can be recorded on the official scoresheet. Game time of protest, score, fouls. The game shall continue and the Supervisor of Officials will be summoned immediately for a ruling from the point of protest.
2. Eligibility Protests - A player's eligibility may be protested prior to or during a contest, but not after a game has been completed. The MSF reserves the right to investigate eligibility matters at any time, including after a game or tournament is concluded.
3. In the event a team is disqualified from tournament competition, it only affects the status of the last game the disqualified team played (and only if a protest had been filed prior to the completion of the game).
4. The Tournament Manager may rule on all aspects of the tournament not specifically covered in these rules. These decisions may not be protested.

Forfeits

All forfeits must be authorized by the tournament manager to be declared a forfeit.

1. In a three team pool where a "no-show" occurs, the two remaining teams shall play each other twice. If the teams each win one game, see tie-break information posted at the tournament site.



2. In a four team pool where a “no-show” occurs, teams shall play the remaining teams in the pool as scheduled.
3. A team which is a “no-show” for their first game has one hour to contact the Tournament Manager in order to play the remainder of their pool play schedule as **exhibition** games. If no contact is made within this one hour, team may not compete in remaining pool play games. Exhibition game scores will not count, and will not be included in seeding/tie-breaking. Teams that forfeit a pool play game may not advance to bracket play.

EQUIPMENT:

1. Each team shall supply one properly inflated official leather or composite game basketball in good playing condition for each game. Boys’ teams in grades 7, 8, 9 will use the men’s regulation size ball/ All girls’ divisions and boys teams in grades 4, 5, 6 will use the 28.5 size ball. If teams cannot mutually agree on the game ball and the referee determines both balls meet requirements, a coin toss shall determine the game ball.
2. Uniform Rules: Jerseys must be the identical color and have numbers (6” or larger) on the front and/or back (no temporary or tape numbers). Teams with two sets of jerseys available are asked to bring both sets in case of a color conflict. Illegally uniformed player(s) shall be withheld from competition until they become legal.

FIRST AID:

Teams must supply their own first aid kits. Trainers may not be present. If a serious injury occurs, a coach or parent should call an ambulance/paramedic.

OFFICIALS:

Registered MSHSL officials will be used on all contests.

ELIGIBILITY:

Please carefully review the eligibility section, as some changes may have been made from previous year’s requirements.

1a. Players must reside or attend school within Minnesota...

Exception: Minnesota border communities (i.e. Winona, Moorhead, etc.) are limited to no more than five players who reside or attend school in a neighboring state’s border community. These players must be original members of the team, not added to the roster for the tournament.

1b. Players must participate on the team nearest where they reside or attend school...

If a player fails to make the team nearest their residence or school, they may participate with the team next nearest their residence or school. To qualify for this exception, the player must first try out for the team nearest their residence or school. This exception only covers players who try out and do not make a team. This rule does not permit players who do not tryout to play somewhere else. Also, this rule does not apply to players who were dismissed by a team for disciplinary reasons. A player who has been released from a team for disciplinary reasons must petition the MSF to be placed on another team to be eligible for any MYBA tournaments. **Teams must be based on Community, School district or School attending.**

Exception: A player who resides in a community where no traveling team or association is present may play on the team next nearest to their residence or school.

2. Home-schooled players must participate on the team nearest to their residence or school district.
3. Open-enrolled students may compete on either the team nearest their school or residence but not both.



4. Player from split or joint custody homes can play for their residence or school nearest to either parent, but not both.
5. Players, teams, or coaches who have been disqualified by their local association for unsportsmanlike or other inappropriate acts, provided due process was provided, are not eligible for MYBA State Championship play.

The MSF strongly suggests that community based teams review these eligibility rules thoroughly. The MSF will not tolerate any attempts by any team to circumvent these published rules. Any circumstances not covered in these guidelines will be ruled on by the MSF offices, and all decisions regarding eligibility are final.

Prior to the MYBA State Championships, all participants must have competed in four games (league and/or tournament) with the team they are participating with...

Lack of four games played due to injuries is not an exception. For state championship play, it is permissible for associations with more than one team to combine teams if all players reside or attend school within the jurisdiction of the organizing body. If teams are combined, they must compete in a minimum of four games prior to the MYBA State Championships. The combined team must play at the highest class that either of the teams had played at throughout the season.

All players must meet one grade or age requirement...

Documents to verify either grade and age eligibility are required in order to participate. Documents are to be brought to team check-in located at tournament headquarters prior to the team's first game.

Simplified method: teams are encouraged to obtain a letter from the players' school(s) which lists all player names, grades and birth dates on school letterhead. This letter must be signed by a school official (superintendent, principal, attendance officer, etc.).

9th Grade

1. Players who were born on or after September 1, 2002.
2. Players who are 9th graders during the 2017-18 academic school year and born after 9/1/2001.

8th Grade

1. Players who were born on or after September 1, 2003.
2. Players who are 8th graders during the 2017-18 academic school year and born after 9/1/2002.

7th Grade

1. Players who were born on or after September 1, 2004.
2. Players who are 7th graders during the 2017-18 academic school year and born after 9/1/2003.

6th Grade

1. Players who were born on or after September 1, 2005.
2. Players who are 6th graders during the 2017-18 academic school year and born after 9/1/2004.

5th Grade

1. Players who were born on or after September 1, 2006.
2. Players who are 5th graders during the 2017-18 academic school year and born after 9/1/2005.

4th Grade

1. Players who were born on or after September 1, 2007.
2. Players who are 5th graders during the 2017-18 academic school year and born after 9/1/2006.



MSHSL RULES:

For complete set of MSHSL eligibility rules relative to non-school participation, please contact the Minnesota State High School League at (763) 560-2262. Violation of any MSF or MSHSL eligibility rules will result in the disqualification of the team and possible additional penalties.

MSHSL Rule: Students that have appeared on the roster of a high school's B-SQUAD, SOPHOMORE, JV or VARSITY basketball team at any time during the high school basketball season may not participate in the MYBA State Championships until the season of the team they participated on is over.

AWARDS:

<u># of Teams in Division:</u>	<u>Awards Go to:</u>
4-7	1st and 2nd Place
8-15	1st, 2nd and 3rd Place
16+	1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th Place

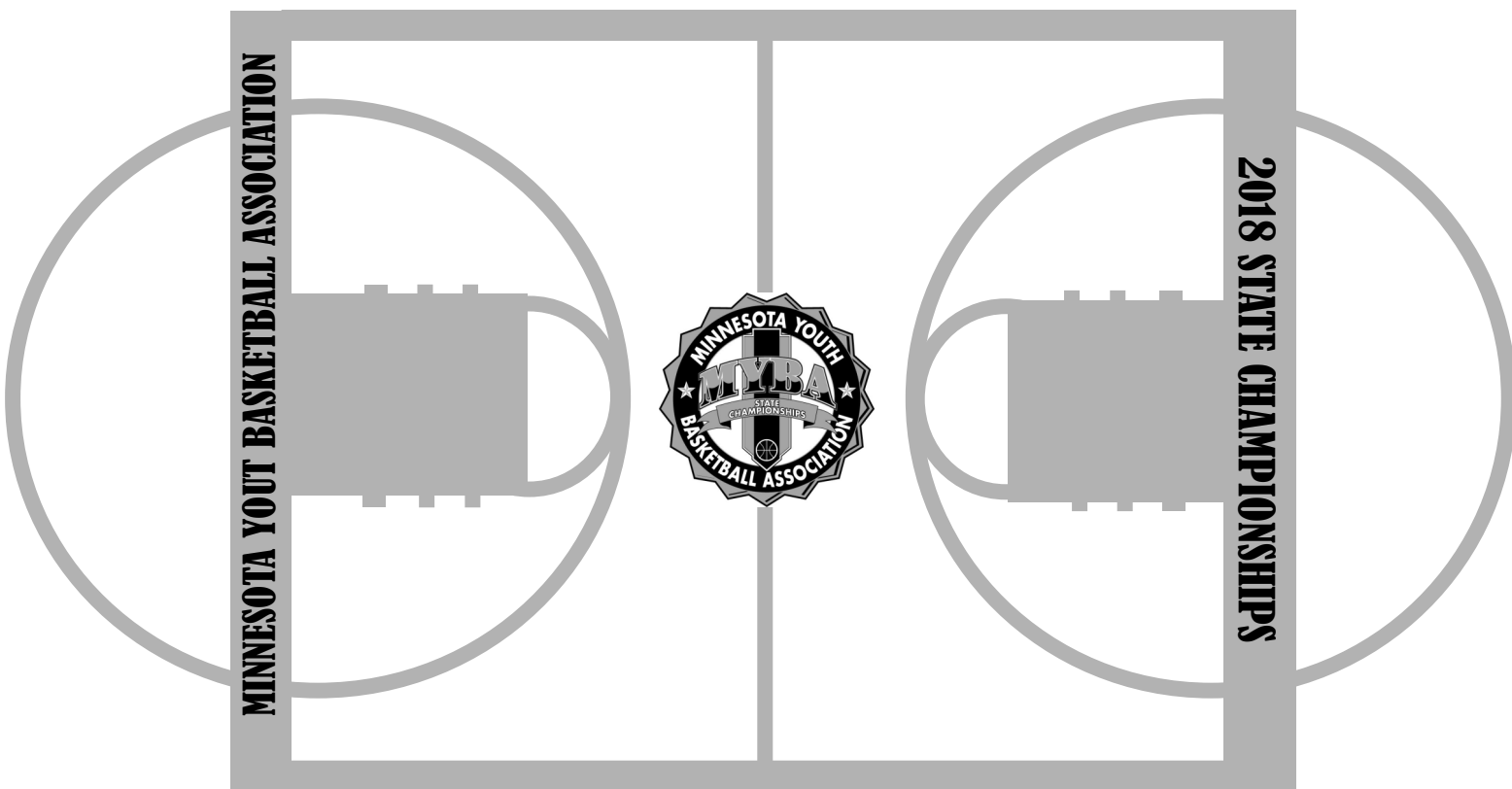
REFUSAL POLICY:

The MSF reserves the right to refuse entry to any team that has not exhibited good conduct throughout an entire season. This includes, but is not limited to, tournaments, league play and the 2016-17 State Championships.

REFUNDS:

A \$20.00 service charge will be assessed when a team cancels prior to the seeding meeting. Teams that cancel after the seeding meeting do not receive a refund.

Any team which desires to participate in the MYBA State Championships must complete the entry application on page 14 and must send it to the MSF offices along with the entry fee of \$290 by the entry deadline. Any team that wishes to enter after the deadline must submit the \$290 tournament fee, and will be put on a waiting list. If the team does not get selected for the tournament, they will receive a refund.





How to enter the 2018 State Championships

Before filling out the Official Roster Form please carefully read the information contained in this guidebook. It is very important that coaches are familiar with the eligibility requirements for the tournament.

In order to be officially entered into the 2018 State Championships, coaches must fill out and return the following items:

Entry form (page 14) & Official Roster (page 10). Both forms are also available at msf1.org. You do not need to hand-carry an additional copy of the roster to the tournament site. This roster must be completed and sent to the MSF to be entered in the tournament.

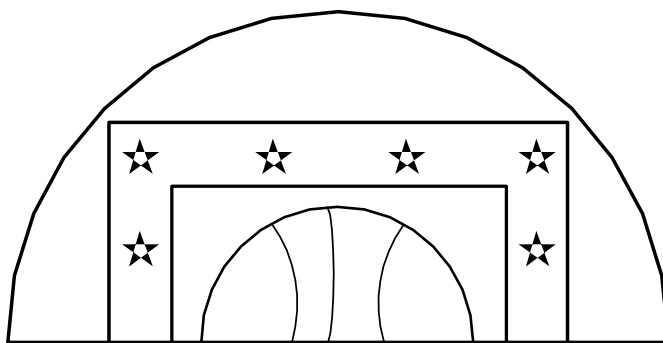
Team History form - If you are not able to attend the seeding meeting, please call the MSF office at 651-451-3140 or email to dan@msf1.org prior to meeting.

\$290.00 Tournament Entry Fee

Teams who have not completed the proper steps by the entry deadline may not be entered into the State Championships.

Important Note: Teams will be required to provide age and grade verification upon request at the tournament site.





Give it your best shot

2017-2018 Team History Form

(If not attending seeding meeting, please email to dan@msf1.org
or fax to 651-451-3140 prior to seeding meeting)

Team Name: _____ Coach: _____

Phone: _____

Gender: Girls Boys Grade: 4th 5th 6th 7th 8th 9th

2016-17 Class: A B C 2015-16 Class: A B C

2017-18 Record vs Competition: A _____ B _____ C _____ Overall Record: _____

2017-2018 Tournaments and place finished

#1 _____	Class of Competition: _____	Place Finished: _____
#2 _____	Class of Competition: _____	Place Finished: _____
#3 _____	Class of Competition: _____	Place Finished: _____
#4 _____	Class of Competition: _____	Place Finished: _____
#5 _____	Class of Competition: _____	Place Finished: _____

2017 Championship Review

Did you participate in the 2017 State Championships? Yes or No

2017 State Championship Finish: Grade: _____ Class: _____ Place Finished: _____



2018 MINNESOTA YOUTH BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS
PLAYER WAIVER, RELEASE OF LIABILITY, INDEMNIFICATION AGREEMENT AND OFFICIAL TEAM ROSTER
(To Be Entered All Must Be Filled Out)



Team Name: _____ Grade: 4th 5th 6th 7th 8th 9th Gender: Boys Girls

Division Designation: A B C Email: _____

Team Coach: _____ Phone Cell () Alt ()

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

PLAYER STATEMENT: Each player shall read the following statement before signing the roster. I am a member in good standing of the above team and I am eligible under local sports community and MSF eligibility rules to compete with this team in local sports community and MSF tournament play. I understand that my signature may appear on only one tournament roster in the same age division. I agree to abide by the rules and regulations established for local and MSF play.

HOLD HARMLESS WAIVER OF LIABILITY: I, the undersigned player, acknowledge, agree and understand that: 1. Voluntarily and of my own free will, I elect to participate as a member of the basketball team indicated above. 2. I understand that there are certain risks and hazards involved in participating in basketball that may result in injury or death to me or other players, including, but not limited to those hazards associated with playing conditions, equipment and other participants. 3. I understand that the very nature of the game of basketball is hazardous and risky, including, but not limited to, the acts of running, jumping, stretching, diving, and collisions with other players and with stationary objects, all of which can cause serious injury or death to me and to other players. Further, I, the undersigned player, agree that in consideration for the right to play as a member of the team designated above and in consideration for permission to play on the courts arranged for by the team: 1. I voluntarily elect to accept and assume all risks of injury incurred or suffered by me (a) while practicing or playing as a member of the team so designated, (b) while serving in a non-playing capacity as a team member during practice or play by other teams or by both players on my team, and (c) while on or upon the premises of any and all of the courts arranged for by my team for practice or play. 2. I release, discharge and agree not to sue the team designated above, the facility owner or other entity designated above, the Minnesota Sports Federation, or their owners, officers, agents, servants, associations, employees, or any person or entity connected with the team, Minnesota Sports Federation for any claim, damages, costs or cause of action which I have or may in the future have as a result of injuries or damages sustained or incurred by me from whatever cause including but not limited to the negligence, breach of contract or wrongful conduct of the parties hereby released.

Print or Type Player's Name	Parents or Legal Guardian's Signature	Residence Address	City	Zip	School	Grade in School	Birth date M / D / Y	Uniform Number
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Statement of Team Coach: I hereby verify that each player appearing on this MSF tournament roster qualifies under the eligibility rules outlined in the MSF program guide. I understand that a violation of MSF eligibility rules will result in automatic disqualification of the team and may result in probation and/or suspension of our sports community from future MSF participation.

Team Coach's Signature

*** TEAM COACH CHECKLIST FOR TOURNAMENT PLAY ***

- * Signatures of all players and parents/guardians must be on this official tournament
 - * Players appearing on this official tournament roster shall be prepared to prove their eligibility upon request of an MSF tournament representative.
 - * Age/grade verification requirements can be found in current Youth Basketball Guidebook
- All of the above requirements must be met at team check-in and throughout tournament play



MSF Champions



Boys 4A State Tournament

CHAMPION: Shakopee

2)	3)	4)
St. Michael-Albertville	Woodbury	Minneapolis Polars



Boys 4B State Tournament

CHAMPION: Shakopee

2)	3)	4)
Bloomington Kennedy	Prior Lake Navy	Prior Lake Gold



Boys 4C State Tournament

CHAMPION: Wayzata White

2)	3)	4)
Shakopee White	Sartell	Prior Lake



Boys 5A State Tournament

CHAMPION: Shakopee

2)	3)	4)
CLM Spartans	Wayzata	Annandale



Boys 5B State Tournament

CHAMPION: Shakopee

2)	3)	4)
North Polars	St. Michael-Albertville	White Bear Lake



Boys 5C State Tournament

CHAMPION: Wayzata Blue

2)	3)	4)
White Bear Lake	Shakopee	Prior Lake



Boys 6A State Tournament

CHAMPION: White Bear Lake Orange

2)	3)	4)
Wayzata	Bloomington Kennedy	Shakopee Black



Boys 6B State Tournament

CHAMPION: Shakopee

2)	3)	4)
Prior Lake Gold	Zimmerman	Wayzata



Boys 6C State Tournament

CHAMPION: Wayzata

2)	3)	4)
St. Michael-Albertville	Spring Lake Park	Stillwater





MSF Champions



Boys 7A State Tournament

CHAMPION: Shakopee

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| 2)
Spring Lake
Park | 3)
Edina | 4)
Prior Lake |
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Boys 7B+ State Tournament

CHAMPION: Brainerd

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|------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------|
| 2)
Stewartville
Maroon | 3)
White Bear
Lake Orange | 4)
Mayer
Knights |
|------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------|



Boys 7B State Tournament

CHAMPION: Wayzata White

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| 2)
Blaine | 3)
Benilde-
St. Margaret's | 4)
Woodbury
Royals |
|--------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|



Boys 7C State Tournament

CHAMPION: Shakopee

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| 2)
Woodbury
White | 3)
MLK | 4)
Prior Lake
White |
|-------------------------|-----------|---------------------------|



Boys 8A State Tournament

CHAMPION: Shakopee

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| 2)
Wayzata | 3)
Apple
Valley | 4)
Benilde-
St. Margaret's |
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Boys 8B State Tournament

CHAMPION: Pierz

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| 2)
Prior Lake | 3)
Wayzata | 4)
Shakopee
White |
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Boys 8C State Tournament

CHAMPION: St. Joe's

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|---------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------|
| 2)
Prior Lake
White | 3)
Bloomington
Kennedy | 4)
Shakopee
Silver |
|---------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------|



Girls 6B State Tournament

CHAMPION: Mounds View Green

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|--------------------|
| 2)
Lady Gambles |
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Girls 6C State Tournament

CHAMPION: Mounds View White

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|----------------|-----------------|-------------------------|
| 2)
Brainerd | 3)
Watertown | 4)
Lady
Hylanders |
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MSF Champions



CHAMPION: Stewartville Black

2) Sartell	3) Coon Rapids	4) City of Lakes
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CHAMPION: St. Francis

2) South Metro	3) Lady Gambles
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Concussion Management Guidelines

A concussion is an injury to the brain and any injury to the brain is serious. It is caused by a blow to the head or a blow to the body resulting in an injured brain. Even a seemingly minor blow or jolt can cause a brain injury.

All umpires and youth coaches in Minnesota who officiate or coach games in which 18-under players participate, must have undergone concussion training within the past three years at the website provided below. Umpires and coaches should print and keep their certificate of completion in their possession.

Common Concussion Symptoms

Headaches
Balance Off
Sensitive to Light
Numbness and Tingling
Difficulty Concentrating
Nervousness

Nausea
Dizziness
Sensitive to Sound
Visual Problems
Difficulty Remembering
Drowsiness

Vomiting
Fatigue
Ear Ringing
Mentally Foggy
Confusion
Slurred Speech

Return to Participation

Athletics should not return to play until:

Evaluation and clearance by Health Care Professional

Athletes must be symptom free at rest and during progressively demanding exercises.

Athletes must remain symptom free upon returning to practice/play.

Detailed Concussion Training is available at www.cdc.gov/headsup/youthsports/training/.

Additional resources available at www.mnata.com/resources/concussion-management/ or www.braininjurymn.org.



30th Annual MINNESOTA YOUTH BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION State Championships

Administered by the Minnesota Sports Federation

Girls State	Dates	Site
4th Grade	Feb 24-25	Columbia Heights
5th Grade	Feb 24-25	Columbia Heights
6th Grade	Feb 24-25	Columbia Heights
7th Grade	Feb 24-25	Columbia Heights
8th Grade	Feb 24-25	Columbia Heights



Boys State	Dates	Site
4th Grade	March 2-4	Buffalo
5th Grade	March 2-4	Buffalo
6th Grade	March 2-4	Buffalo
7th Grade	March 2-4	Roseville
8th Grade	March 2-4	Roseville
9th Grade	March 2-4	Roseville

Divisions Offered

Boys and Girls, 4th-9th Grade, ABC and as needed.

Format

Pool play into brackets, 3 games guaranteed, with many teams playing 4-6 games.

Seeding Meeting

Seeding meetings are held to make sure that the MYBA tournaments have the best competition within a division and 24 teams or less. To have a voice in the process, you must attend the meeting. Dates and times will be posted at www.ms1.org website and noted in your confirmation letter.

Game Officials

MSHSL Certified Referees, Trained scorekeepers.

Tournament Schedules

Tournament schedules will be posted on our web site 7-10 days prior to the tournament at www.ms1.org.

Directions/Hotel Accommodations

Directions/addresses to the playing sites and hotel options will be posted at www.ms1.org.

Declination Policy

The right is reserved to decline entry to any team that has not exhibited good conduct throughout the season. This includes, but not limited to: tournaments, league play and the 2016 MYBA State Championships.

Awards

8+ teams in division, top 4; 4-7 teams, top 2.

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2018 MINNESOTA YOUTH BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION State Championship Entry Form (Important - one team per form)

Team Name _____ Association _____

Head Coach _____ Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Cell Phone (_____) _____ Alternate Phone H/W (_____) _____

Email Address _____

Circle Boys or Girls: Boys Girls Circle Grade: 4 5 6 7 8 9

Please circle the division you are applying for: A B C

2017-2018 Record (THIS SECTION MUST BE COMPLETED)

Record vs. A teams _____ Record vs. B teams _____ Record vs. C teams _____

Teams not providing their complete record will not be allowed to participate in state tournament play!!

TEAMS MAY ALSO ENTER USING PAYPAL OR CREDIT CARD AT MSF1.ORG

TOURNAMENT CONTACT

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ENTRY DEADLINES

Girls - Friday, February 2, 2018
Boys - Friday, February 9, 2018



**Register online or return entry form and \$290 to:
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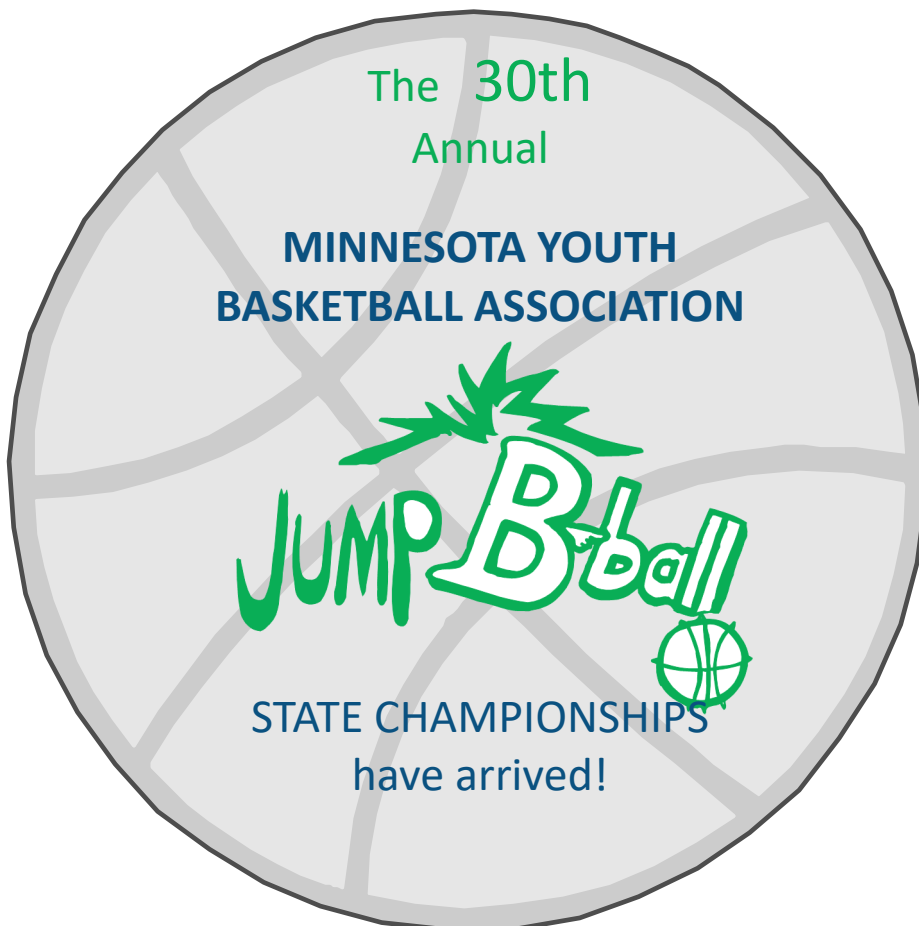
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