

**Platte County Parks & Recreation District (307)322-9254  
 93 Recreation Drive, Wheatland, Wyoming 82201  
 16<sup>th</sup> Annual Youth Basketball Tournament**



**Entry Form  
 February 24-25, 2018  
 \$180.00 Registration Fee  
 Registration due by 9:00 a.m. February 19, 2018**

You can register online at [www.plattecountyrecreation.com](http://www.plattecountyrecreation.com) but must mail a completed Entry Form and registration fee to the above address.

Team Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Division:      Boys    Girls  
 Sponsor Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: 4<sup>th</sup>    5<sup>th</sup>    6<sup>th</sup>    7<sup>th</sup>    8<sup>th</sup>  
 Coaches Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Roster:**

| Print Child's Name ( <u>clearly</u> ) | Parent Signature | Phone # | Uniform # | Grade |
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**WAIVER**

In consideration of your accepting my child's entry, I hereby, for myself, my child, my heirs, executors, and administrators, waiver and release any and all rights and claims for damages I or my child may have against Platte County Parks and Recreation District, Platte County School District #1, its representatives, successors, and assigns for any and all injuries suffered by myself or my child in any activity sponsored by these groups.

**Spectator Admission:**

- Admission is for the entire weekend.
- \$5.00/Adult
- \$3.00/Child (12 & under)
- Admission is good for every gym.
- Two (2) coaches per team are allowed admission without pay.
- No others are allowed to attend without payment of admission.

**State High School Bench Decorum Enforced:**

- One (1) coach is allowed to stand and communicate with officials. Coaches box will be enforced.
- One (1) Assistant coach will be allowed on the bench. The assistant coach is to remain seated and refrain from communicating with the game officials.
- Two (2) technical fouls by head coach in any one game will result in current game suspension. Any coach having three (3) technical fouls in the tournament will be suspended for the remainder of the tournament.
- Two (2) unsportsmanlike technical fouls by an individual player will result in removal from current game plus next game suspension for that player.

**Parents/Spectator's Code of Conduct State High School Guidelines Enforced**

- No verbal abuse of officials by parents/spectators will be tolerated – spectators may be removed (without warning or refund) from the facility for the remainder of the day and possible suspension from all tournament sites. Meeting with tournament director will be required prior to re-entrance into any tournament site.
- Continued spectator unsporting behavior may result in: technical foul(s) assigned to team, team forfeiture of game and/or team forfeiture from tournament without refund.
- Parents/spectators are not allowed to approach site directors with game concerns and must address concerns through their head coach.

**Rosters:**

- Team rosters must be submitted prior to the tournament. All rosters will be verified at team check-in, prior to each game, and each day. Any violation of rosters, adding players, misinformation, etc., may result in team forfeit from game and/or tournament.

**General Rules of Play:**

- ***Each team must provide a scorebook keeper or a person to run the clock.***
- Tournament format will be determined by number of teams registered in each division. Typical format is for 2 game pool play on Saturday and single elimination bracket play on Sunday. Three (3) game guarantee.
- All teams must be matching uniform shirts with visible numbers on the back. Teams must have available a light and dark colored jersey. Numbers on the front are recommended, but not required.
- ***Head coaches are responsible for all of their players, coaches, and fans.***
- Team classification will be determined as follows: Grade level will be determined by the highest-grade level of any player. Mixed gender teams will play in the boy's division.
- Players may compete on one (1) team only.
- Pick up players will not be allowed after rosters have been submitted except at the discretion of the tournament director. Questions regarding pick up player's eligibility should be directed to Steve Pollock, Tournament Director at the office: (307) 322-9254 or cell: (307) 331-0576. If a player is played and not approved or rostered, team will forfeit

that game. We will not go back and check any other games, opposing coach must catch the illegal player. The rosters will be available for every coach to check at all games.

- Each team must supply their own warm up balls.
- ***Teams must be accompanied by an adult at all times.***
- Non-marking shoes must be worn. Street shoes will not be allowed on the court.
- Games will be played at the Wheatland High School, Old Wheatland Jr. High School, Wheatland Middle School Main gym and All Purpose Room gym and West Elementary.
- Awards will be given to Champions and Runners Up in each division. Limit twelve (12) per team.
- Players are allowed five (5) personal fouls. Bonus free throws will be awarded on the seventh team foul in each half, with the (2) shot bonus starting on the tenth team foul.
- Substitutions are allowed on dead ball situations only.
- 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, and 8<sup>th</sup> grade divisions may play zone or man-to-man defense
- 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> grade divisions may ***only*** play man-to-man defense.
- 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, and 8<sup>th</sup> grade divisions may press during the duration of the game.
- 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> grade divisions may ***only*** press the last two (2) minutes of the game.
- No pressing is allowed when there is a twenty (20+) point advantage.

#### **Game Format:**

- Running clock – stopped for free throws and time outs only.
- Two (2) sixteen (16) minute halves.
- Halftime will be three (3) minutes.
- Each team is granted three (3) one (1) minute timeouts per game.
- If the score is within ten (10) points for all divisions, the clock will stop the last two (2) minutes of each half on every whistle.
- Overtime period will be two (2) minutes with the clock stopping on all whistles. Teams will have one (1) additional timeout. If the game is still tied at the end of the first overtime period, the second overtime period will be sudden death (first team to score wins.) **No timeouts will be allowed during the sudden death period.**

#### **WHSAA High School Federation Rules** will apply except for the following:

- Be on time and ready to play - Game time is forfeit time. Teams may start and play with four (4) players.
- Intermediate (28.5) ball size will be used in all divisions.
- 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> grade divisions may only play man to man defense. (Teams will be called for playing a zone when a defensive player is more than six (6) feet from his/her opposing offensive player and defending player's feet are in the "paint". Teams will receive one warning per game for playing illegal defense. Second warning will be a two (2) shot technical.)
- Help man defense is legal. No trapping or double teaming in 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> grade divisions.
- Switching on the pick/screen is allowed.
- 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> grade divisions may only full court press the last two (2) minutes of the game.
- No pressing is allowed when there is a twenty (20+) point advantage.
- The three (3) point shot will be used in all games with the exception of games played at West Elementary.
- 4<sup>th</sup> grade will use a short free throw line.
- 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, and 6<sup>th</sup> grade divisions must start behind the free throw line but may finish across the line.