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Mon.-Fri. 7:30-5:30

**“Where the emphasis is on **Your** child”**



## PHILOSOPHY

The FBA Summer 3-on-3 league is a league **for the players**. Our league’s key focus is FUN! This is an opportunity to develop basketball skills in a fun, low-stress environment. We encourage healthy competition in which kids play hard and play to win, but not at the expense of belittling opponents or displaying poor sportsmanship. We ask that players conduct themselves appropriately and exhibit good sportsmanship. We ask the same of parents and others who come to watch. Adults, please set a good example for the players. We know sometimes it is difficult to refrain from “coaching” the teams during play. Let the kids play and figure out some things on their own. This will benefit them in the long run, helping players to work together, develop confidence and individual leadership skills. We have found that most players just want to play basketball without all the stress and structure. The smaller team size increases offensive and defensive opportunities for each player through basic fundamental team play (give and go’s, back door cuts, pick and rolls, etc.). The intent of this format is to provide a fun, competitive learning environment for all players. We will call for substitutions throughout the game to make sure all players play.

**Coaching:** This league is **NOT** intended to have teams being coached. Parents may help with substitutions or rule explanation for beginning or younger players during the first night, but should refrain from “coaching”. The uniqueness of this league is that kids are allowed to run their own team.

**Information, Rules and Registration on following pages.**

## Information:

- You are responsible for forming your own 3-on-3 league team (suggest 4-6 players/team) and ensuring that at least 3 team members show-up for their scheduled games. On the Registration form, parent signatures and shirt sizes can be turned in later.
- The league will run from June 18th thru August 2nd, so that we finish before the fall sports start practice. In years past, we had many nights where teams did not provide enough players, and that is not fair to the teams who payed to play 2 games per night. Each team will play for 6 weeks, one night a week, 2 games per night for a total of 12 games. We will not hold any games the entire week of July 4th.
- Games will be played on Mon, Tue, Wed or Thur starting as early as 5:15 and ending as late at 10:00 pm depending on the number of teams registered for each division. Final playing schedules will be sent out by June 11th.

- The divisions will be: **FULL** - 5th-6th grade girls (Mon. evenings)
- Updated: 5/22**                    **FULL** - 5th-6th grade boys (Mon. evenings)
- If you are interested**       **1 Left** - 7th-8th grade girls (Tue. evenings)
- in a league that is**           **FULL** - 7th-8th grade boys (Tue. evenings)
- already full, please**         **FULL** - 5th-6th grade girls (Wed. evenings)
- call us, as it may be**       **FULL** - 5th-6th grade **Girls** (Wed. evenings)
- possible to add more**
- teams.**

**Sign-up early,  
some divisions will fill up fast!**  
If your division is already full, we will contact you immediately to let you know. We are not able to accomodate any requests for time or day changes due to baseball or any other conflicts.

- **Based on the grades for the 2018-2019 school year.** Players may play up a division, but not down.
- Cost is \$300 per team (6 player maximum per team). **Full fee must be paid to secure a spot in the league.**
- **You may collect your parents signatures and shirt sizes at a later date on another form, so you can register sooner.**
- Every player on your roster will receive an FBA 3-on-3 summer league t-shirt.
- There will always be at least 1 FBA instructor at the Academy overseeing the 3-on-3 league games.

## Rules:

- Rock Paper Scissors to see who gets the ball first, other team gets it for second half.
- 12 minute running clock halves.
- Substitutions are only allowed after made baskets.
- Players call fouls, either Offense or Defense can call a foul.
- Any disputes over calls will be settled by the FBA instructor.
- Pinnies will be provided for teams. Boys can go skins and shirts if they so desire.
- Check the ball at the top of the key to start the game.
- All made baskets count for 1 point.
- Shooting Fouls are 1 point.
- Defense gets all jump balls (tie-ups).
- Not make it take it.
- Avoid more than 3 seconds in the lane. Instructors will issue warnings. Excessive violations will result in turn-over.
- A defensive rebound must be taken past the arc (this includes air balls). There are no “free-backs”.
- Teams keep score themselves.
- Ties are broken by sudden death game to 1.
- Rock Paper Scissors to see who gets the ball in the sudden death overtime.
- At the end of the games, it is good sportsmanship to shake hands with your opponents.
- Help keep the facility clean. Please, pick up your bottles and any garbage you may have left at the end of the game.
- Please no coaching. Cheering, however, is encouraged.

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## Team Registration & Waiver Form

Complete at least top portion of form and mail or drop off the form and registration fee to:

Fargo Basketball Academy  
5409 53rd Ave S, Fargo ND 58104

Team Name \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Parent's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

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(May turn in additional player's names, shirt sizes, and signatures later by May 25th)

**Updated: 5/22**

Player's Names: (suggested 4-6 players, max. 6)	Shirt* Size:	Parent/Guardian Signature:
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

- Division Level:  
(Grade for the 2018-2019 school year)
- ~~5th-6th grade girls (Mon. evenings)~~
  - ~~5th-6th grade boys (Mon. evenings)~~
  - 7th-8th grade girls (Tue. evenings)
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**\*Shirt sizes: youth (YL) adult (AS, AM, AL, AXL, AXXL)**

**\$300 Team Fee Enclosed** - Check # (s) \_\_\_\_\_

**Release:** Acceptance of entry in this 3-on-3 league is without responsibility of any kind by the Fargo Basketball Academy. I do hereby, for and on behalf of myself and my heirs and legal rep., and or legal guardian, by signing this sheet do hereby agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Fargo Basketball Academy from any liability which may occur to the participant during this league.

Should pictures and/or video be taken during any event, I do hereby give permission for myself or my child/children to be included in picture(s), likeness, image and/or voice in a videotape or publication promoting the Fargo Basketball Academy. I also understand that I and/or my child/children will not receive any additional compensation for said photos and/or video.

I acknowledge that I have carefully read this Waiver and Release and fully understand that it is a waiver and release of liability.