

Jr. Northstars Girls Basketball Program

2020-2021

Mission Statement

The purpose of the Jr. Northstars Girls Basketball Program (WNGBC) is to allow student athletes the opportunity to learn, practice, and apply basketball fundamentals in various game situations.

Student athletes will also learn lifelong traits such as dedication, respect, and teamwork.

The Jr. Northstars Girls Basketball Program is designed to build a basketball passion in all our girls and to prepare our Jr. Northstars athletes for competition at the high school level at Waukesha North.

PARTICIPATION

- Practices running October through March
- Gym fees for practice facilities
- League fees
- Admission to select girl's Varsity basketball games at Waukesha North
- Tournament fees
- Programs with the high school coaching staff
- Special recognition at a Northstar girl's basketball game
- Post-season banquet

TRYOUTS (Jamboree)

Day 1: Sat, **Sep 14**th at *Waukesha North HS*2nd/3'rd, 4th, 5th grades: 1000a-noon (Court #3)
6th, 7th, 8th grades: 1000a-noon (Courts #1, #2)

Day 2: Thu, **Sep 19th** at *Butler MS*2nd/3rd, 4th, 5th grades: 500p-600p (Gym)
6th, 7th, 8th grades: 600p-700p (Gym)

- Players are encouraged to attend both days.
- An Informational Meeting for **new parents** will be held at the start of the session on Sep 14th. Come with questions!

REGISTRATION

- Registration is completed online through TeamSnap: https://go.teamsnap.com/forms/199374
- Registration is recommended to be completed prior to Tryouts.
- Deposit or Full Payment is required at the end of the Registration form.

ANNUAL PLAYER FEES (Registration Fees)

\$250 for 2nd/3rd grade teams \$275 for 4th, 5th, and 6th grade teams \$300 for 7th and 8th grade teams

PAYMENTS

- A minimum \$75.00 *Deposit* is due upon Registration. Full *Payment* is acceptable.
- 100% refund of Payment/Deposit available before Oct 01, 2019.
- Shooting Shirts are included in the Annual Player Fee. A \$15 Shooting Shirt charge is non-refundable after Oct 01, 2019.
- Full Payment or Installment payment plan is due by Nov 01, 2019.
- Payments are setup & accepted online through TeamSnap during the Registration process.
- Offline payments (cash/check) will be considered with approval. Contact the WNGBC Treasurer for authorization.
- Checks payable to: Waukesha North Girls Basketball Club
- Remit payments to: WNGBC Treasurer 3307 Ridgeline Dr Waukesha, WI 53188

UNIFORMS

- All new players will need to purchase a uniform. Returning players may purchase new or reuse their existing uniforms.
- Uniform Fee is \$60 per player (\$25 for 2nd/3rd grade) in addition to the Player Fee.
- A uniform consists of a reversible Jersey & Shorts (2nd/3rd grade uniform consists of only a reversible mesh Jersey, no Shorts).
- Uniforms should try to be sized to get two years of use.
- Uniforms will not be ordered unless payment/deposit is received by Oct 01, 2019.
- Uniform Fee is non-refundable after Oct 01, 2019.
- All purchased uniforms do not need to be returned at the end of the season.
- Uniform/Shooting Shirt sizing & Jersey number selection can be submitted at: https://forms.gle/yNesXy2apo5Ethox7

TEAMS

- All student athletes will participate at their current grade level.
- The WNGBC hopes to have enough interest to create two teams at each grade level. If this occurs:
 - o **2**nd/**3**rd **and 4**th **grades**: teams will be divided equally.
 - o 5th, 6th, 7th, & 8th grades: an "A" (Purple) and a "B" (White) team will be formed, based on the Tryout evaluations.
 - o Splits are dictated by the League structure.

PRACTICES

- Practices are held two to three nights a week, based on grade level, at area schools.
- Practices begin in October and run through March.
- Coaches will distribute a practice schedule with school black-out dates, when known.

LEAGUES

2nd/3rd grade

- WNGBC League
- · One game per weekend
- Saturdays
- Summit View Elementary
- www.WNGBC.org.

4th grade

- Mukwonago League
- Two games per weekend, season ending league tourney
- Sundays
- Mukwonago HS/MS
- www.MukwonagoGirlsBball.com

5th and 6th grade

- "A" level team (compete at like skill levels & experience)
- Youth Girls Select Basketball League (YGSBL)
- Two games per weekend, season ending league tourney
- Sundays
- Waukesha South HS
- www.eteamz.com/YGSBL

5th and 6th grade

7th and 8th grade

- "A" level team (compete at like skill levels & experience)
- Youth Girls Select Basketball League (YGSBL)
- Two games per weekend, season ending league tourney
- Sundays
- Waukesha West HS
- www.eteamz.com/YGSBL

- "B" level team (compete at like skill levels & experience)
- Lake Country Girls Basketball Association (LCGBA)
- Two games per weekend, season ending league tourney
- Sundays
- Kettle Moraine HS
- www.eteamz.com/LCGBA

7th and 8th grade

- "B" level team (compete at like skill levels & experience)
- Lake Country Girls Basketball Association (LCGBA)
- Two games per weekend, season ending league tourney
- Sundays
- Kettle Moraine HS
- www.eteamz.com/LCGBA

TOURNAMENTS

- Tournament times & locations are decided by each team's coaches and is dependant on the number of players on each team.
- A portion of the fees collected are intended to cover tournament fees for approx. three to six tournaments per season, depending on the grade level.

EXPECTATIONS

The Jr. Northstars Girls Basketball Program is designed to provide basketball skill development through practices and games in preparation for high school basketball at Waukesha North. Parents/families are expected to make the commitment to have their child at all practices and games throughout the season. Parents should communicate effectively with their daughter's coaches related to any absences due to illness or other circumstances for each missed practice and/or game. Player and Parent Code of Conduct sheets must be signed before the season and adhered to throughout. These deal with attitude and actions while playing or being a fan. All families are required to fulfill a **4 hour per player minimum** time commitment to help volunteer during our annual Tournament.

FACILITIES

Practice facilities in the School District of Waukesha are difficult to secure due to high demand by multiple organizations. To ensure that our club maintains our positive relationship with the schools we use for practice, parents and siblings are asked to stay in the gym based on the individual coaches rules. Absolutely no playing in the halls, balconies, stairs, or other sections of the schools or playing with equipment that does not belong to the Jr. Northstars Girls Basketball Program. We have a permit for the gym only!

APPAREL

 WNGBC partners with KM Sports for all our Spirit Wear items! Please visit our store at: https://www.kmsportsusa.com/welcome-waukesha-north-basketball/

FUNDRAISING

The Jr. Northstar Girls Basketball Program will host one tournament called the "Shoot for the Stars" Tournament held in February 2021 – PLEASE SAVE THE DATE. This is one of our only forms of fundraising, so **ALL families are expected to help 4 hours** in this tournament with admissions, concessions, set-up, and clean up. Each team will also be asked for **two parent volunteer representatives** to be part of the Tournament Committee. This is an important group which will meet multiple times October through January to plan our annual Tourney. Money raised from this Tournament will be used towards gym time, extra tournaments, special training sessions, practice uniforms, as well as warmup shooting shirts for all grades.

CONTACTS

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For additional information or questions, please contact the following:

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It's A Great Day For BASKETBALL !!!

Welcome to the Northstars family! We're looking forward to working hard and having fun!