



2017 Thanksgiving Tip-Off Classic Tournament Rules



Tournament Dates: November 24, 25, and 26

1. Each team guaranteed three games. Format will depend on number of teams in each bracket. Schedule will be posted three days before the tournament begins.
2. Six minute quarters with regular clock stoppages for all levels. Five minute halftime.
3. Two timeouts per half (no carry over); one full, one 30 second. One timeout in 1st overtime.
4. First overtime will be two minutes; second overtime will be sudden death.
5. Zone defenses are allowed. **NO FULL COURT PRESS UNTIL THE LAST 2 MINUTES OF THE 4TH QUARTER!**
6. Free throws; 15 feet for fifth /sixth grade; 13 feet for fourth grade.
7. Three point shots allowed for all grade levels.
8. Second technical foul on player results in disqualification for remainder of tournament.
9. Second technical foul on coach and he/she will be asked to leave the building.
10. Games will start on the hour. Warm-up time may be limited depending on length of previous game.
11. The visiting team on the bracket will provide a game ball. The home team on the bracket will provide an official scorekeeper. (A clock keeper will be provided)
11. All other rules covered by the OHSAA.
12. It is the responsibility of each coach to know and understand the above rules. Questions prior to the tournament should be addressed to the directors. (Aaron Lawson)

Guys our main goal is to provide a good experience for each of your teams. We have done our best to place teams in the proper brackets to ensure the most competitive games possible. In spite of that, there will likely be a mismatch or two somewhere during the tournament. In those situations we ask that you be considerate of your opponent by calling off the dogs as best you can in a sportsmanlike manner. Also please understand that the head coach is responsible for your parents. Please understand that this is a fundraiser and we are working hard to manage our cost.