

# PARENT INFORMATION PACKET

## PRACTICE SCHEDULE

The night of the coaches meeting, each coach will assign team practice days and times. The coach will keep those days and times until the games begin. If there are any problems or conflicts with the practice days the coach chose, the coach will have a list of all the coaches in the appropriate age group to try and trade a day with other coaches. Until games begin, practices will be scheduled Monday - Saturday with each team getting one practice during the week and one practice on Saturday. Practices may begin as early as 5:30 p.m. during the week and 9:00 a.m. on Saturdays. Practices are one hour. After games begin, there will be very few practice nights available. Practice nights and times are strictly up to the coach. If you have any conflicts with those times, you must discuss the conflicts directly with your child/children's coach.

## GAME DAYS

The Pickens County Parks and Recreation Department makes all the game schedules.

ADDITIONAL DAYS AND TIMES MAY BE NEEDED, ACCORDING TO THE NUMBER OF TEAMS, AND ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE. THE TENTATIVE DATES FOR GAMES ARE AS FOLLOWS:

4-6 Instructional	Saturday
7/8 Boys	Mon, Tues, Thurs, Friday, Saturday
7/8 Girls	Mon, Tues, Thurs, Friday, Saturday
9/10 Boys	Mon, Tues, Thurs, Friday, Saturday
9/10 Girls	Mon, Tues, Thurs, Friday, Saturday
11/12 Boys	Mon, Tues, Thurs, Friday, Saturday
11/12 Girls	Mon, Tues, Thurs, Friday, Saturday

## Basketball Important Dates To Remember

<b>Skill's Evaluation</b>	Oct. 25 <sup>th</sup>	7/8 Girls & Boys	5:30 PM
	Oct. 26 <sup>th</sup>	9/10 Girls & Boys	5:30 PM
	Oct. 28 <sup>th</sup>	11/12 Girls & Boys	5:30 PM
<b>Coaches Draft</b>	Oct. 25 <sup>th</sup>	7/8 Girls & Boys	6:30 PM
	Oct. 26 <sup>th</sup>	9/10 Girls & Boys	6:30 PM
	Oct. 28 <sup>th</sup>	11/12 Girls & Boys	6:30 PM
<b>Practices May Begin</b>	November 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2021		
<b>Games Begin</b>	December 4 <sup>th</sup> , 2021 (tentative)		
<b>Picture Day</b>	December 5 <sup>th</sup> , 2021		
<b>Season Ends</b>	February (tentative)		

## **Registration fee includes:      You will need to provide:**

Participation Fee	Socks
Team uniform:	Appropriate shoes
T-shirt only (ages 4-6)	Any needed under shirt
Jersey & shorts (ages 7-12 only)	Shorts (ages 4-6 only)

## **PCRD REQUEST POLICY**

No child will be moved from one team to another after the draft has taken place.

The only children who are guaranteed to play on the same team will be siblings or children who live in the same household.

If you have a legitimate "hardship request" you would like to make, it must be made in writing on a PCRD Request Form, when you register your child. Hardship requests will then be considered by the Pickens County Recreation Director and staff along with the Pickens County Recreation Board "Request Review Committee." If the request is deemed a verified request, it will then be presented at the draft for final approval by the coaches in that age group.

If you do not want your child to play for one particular coach, the request must be made in writing, before the day of the draft.

To be eligible for GRPA postseason play, your child must either attend school in or be a permanent resident of Pickens County.

There will be no exceptions to these rules.