

TIGER SHOWDOWN 3 ON 3 BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT RULES

- 1.** All games are played at Canton High School & Culver Stockton College indoors. Gyms are roughly one mile apart from one another. Report to your game on time. The coach must report to the court no less than 3 minutes prior to game time to complete a score sheet for the team. A representative of the winning team is responsible for carrying the score sheet at the end of each game to the bracket table in the cafeteria for completion of the main brackets. Please bring this to the bracket table as soon as the game is completed.
- 2.** Scoring: made baskets inside the arch count as 1 point. Made baskets outside the arch count as 2 points. No free throws. Fouled in the act of shooting, inside the arch, results in one point or, outside the arch, two points will be awarded to the offensive team on a missed attempt. One additional point is awarded to the offensive team on a made attempt. The team charged with the foul is then awarded the ball to resume play. Non-shooting fouls: offensive team retains possession of the ball with the exception of a team's 6th foul. On 6th and subsequent fouls 1 point is awarded to the offensive team for each non-shooting foul and the ball is awarded to the team charged with the foul.
- 3.** The game ends when one team reaches 15 points or the clock runs out after 12 minutes, whichever comes first.
- 4.** One 30 second timeout is allowed, however, the clock keeps running no matter what. A time out may not be called in the last two minutes of the game.
Jump balls: are awarded to the defensive team
- 5.** The defensive team must clear the ball beyond the three-point arch before attacking the basket. This includes the rebounding of an "air" ball. The offensive team may attack the basket immediately on offensive rebounds.
- 6.** No dunking at any time. No court warm-ups: be stretched and ready to play as soon as the game preceding your game is finished. A coin flip will determine possession to start the game. There will be 3 minutes between each game. Teams should wear the same color jerseys/shirts.
- 7.** Boy's grades 7th-8th will use a boy's regulation size ball. PreK will use a size 5 basketball. All other ages will use a 25.8 womens regulation size ball.
- 8.** Each court will have a referee and a scorer assigned to regulate play. These people are volunteers so show good sportsmanship. Good sportsmanship is expected of all participants and fans. Play ball and have fun.
- 9.** Fighting, vulgar language and unsportsmanlike conduct will not be tolerated under any circumstances and could result in immediate ejection from the tournament.
- 10.** All balls to be inbounded will be done at the top of the court and offense must have the ball checked by the defense. After the ball is checked it can be put in play by a pass only.
- 11.** First possession will be decided by a coin flip. Overtime games will be sudden death.
- 12.** An adult representative of each playing team must be present at the scorer's table during each game to monitor their team's score by flip charts if we do not have a volunteer helping at that time. The Tiger Showdown score sheet will be considered the official score – not the flip chart.
- 13.** Any technical foul results in 2 points and the ball. Any one player or one coach who receives a technical foul during the tournament will automatically be ejected.
- 14.** Proof of age/grade by birth certificate/yearbook/ID Card required if disputed. (Age as of date of tournament) all age protests must be made the day of the tournament. If a player is found ineligible due to age/grade, all games that the player participated in will be forfeited.
- 15.** No spectators allowed on the gym floor. The coach for the team should be the only adult on the sidelines at all times.
- 16.** The Tiger Showdown committee is not responsible for lost or stolen items. Canton Lady Tigers committee reserves the right to restructure division or combine brackets if deemed necessary. All decisions by the tiger showdown committee are final.
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