

Youth Basketball

For Girls & Boys in Grades 3 – 6

Program Philosophy: To provide recreational opportunities for the participants in a program which encourages teamwork, sportsmanship, skill development, and FUN!

Program Structure: Teams are formed based on gender and school grade. The combined age groups are grades 3&4 and 5&6.

Coaching: The program relies on volunteer coaches. All coaches need is a general knowledge of the game and a desire to work with children to instill basic skills, teamwork and good sportsmanship. *Interested??* Please call 619-1303 for more information.

Mark your calendar!! Coaches meeting on Dec 2nd. Don't miss it!!

Practice: Each team will be assigned 2 one-hour practices a week. Practices will begin the week of Dec. 7th. All practices are scheduled in Ridgefield schools.

Games: All games will be played on Saturdays in Ridgefield and LaCenter gyms. Parents provide transportation to and from games and practices. Ridgefield Community Education will provide trained referees at our local game sites.

Important Dates: –

Oct 1	Registration Begins
Nov 21	Registration Deadline (Fee: \$70 after 11/21) Free Clinic with Jerry Moss @ RHS GYM
Dec 3/4	Notified by coach regarding team practices
Jan 8	Discounted tickets for Blazers vs Lakers <u>Limited tickets</u> available for the most popular (<i>and sold out</i>) game of the season! <u>Purchase information available upon registration</u> , register early to get your tickets!! Guaranteed to go fast!! Tickets include Early Entry to watch warm-up courtside.
Jan 9	Pictures
Jan 16	Games Start (Last game – Feb 27)
Feb 20	Family/Team Night w/ Globetrotters <i>Discounted tickets (\$15) available for the whole family!! Purchase information available at 1st practice.</i>

Player Fees: \$60.00 (Additional players in the same family pay \$55.00)
Each player receives a team shirt, and access to clinics and discounted game experiences

To Register: Complete the attached registration form and return w/payment to Ridgefield Community Education. Mail to 510 Pioneer St., Ridgefield 98642

Questions?? Call Terri @619.1303 or email to terri.cochran@ridge.k12.wa.us

PLEASE, DO NOT send registrations to the schools! Thank You!!