**LK Sport Basketball League**

**Regulations & Guidelines**

1. All teams are to follow your schedules been posted on quickscores. Quickscores: https://www.quickscores.com/cityofliberal
   1. Regulation High School Activities Association rules will be followed with the following exceptions:
      1. **1-2 Grade 13-minute running clock except for the last 2 minutes of each half, unless one team is ahead by 15 points or more. In addition, the clock will stop on all technical fouls. Clock does not restart until it would in a normal dead ball situation.**
      2. **3-4 Grade 15-minute running clock except for the last 2 minutes of each half, unless one team is ahead by 15 points or more. In addition, the clock will stop on all technical fouls. Clock does not restart until it would in a normal dead ball situation.**
      3. **5-8 Grade 18-minute running clock except for the last 2 minutes of each half, unless one team is ahead by 15 points or more. In addition, the clock will stop on all technical fouls. Clock does not restart until it would in a normal dead ball situation.**
   2. **Teams are not allowed to press over half court with a 20 point or more lead. The first violation will be a warning, if it continues a technical foul may be assessed to the bench if the officials deem it intentional.**
   3. 28.5 Size Balls will be used throughout the league and tournament for 3rd-8th grade
   4. 27.5 Size Balls will be used throughout the league and tournament for 1st-2nd grade
   5. 8FT Goals 1st-2nd Division
   6. 5-minute half time and 5-minute pre-game warm-up.
   7. Game time is forfeit time.
   8. Jerseys or shirts need only have a number on the back with no number restrictions.
   9. 4 time-outs per game, no 20-second time-outs. One additional timeout per overtime.
   10. No locker rooms, balls & etc…will be provided by the schools.
   11. individual awards for 1st and 2nd place in each age group.
   12. Players may play on only 1 team within a tournament age group. Player’s eligibility will be checked by a current grade card, if requested. Players may play “up” in an older age group. This could mean a player plays in the 5th grade tournament and in the 6th grade tournament. But they cannot play on 2 teams in the same 6th grade tournament.
2. All games will be officiated by high school certified officials/middle school certified officials
3. Inappropriate behavior will not be tolerated!!! A referee may remove players from the game or tournament for inappropriate behavior. We are here for the kids. Do not allow or condone poor sportsmanship. This includes coaches and parents!!!
4. Referee may stop clock within reason. Intentionally wasting time to shorten the game can be punished by a technical foul. This does not mean a team cannot use a delay offense at anytime they choose.
5. Each tournament site will have a supervisor. Please direct all questions, comments, or concerns to this individual.
6. No food or drinks are allowed in tournament facilities, unless noted otherwise. No Speakers are allowed during warm ups.
7. Tiebreaker procedure is as follows. 1st criteria is head to head competition. If a 3 way tie exists and there is no head to head winner, a point differential system
8. Overtimes will be 2 minutes in length with regular clock operation. The clock stops on all dead balls. 1 additional time-out for each overtime.