

Grover Youth Basketball Association

Grover Youth Basketball Association (GYBA) is an educational organization dedicated to developing better citizens by providing properly supervised basketball competition for 3rd through 8th grade players.

The objective of the local association shall be to provide competitive basketball through the development and operation of a supervised basketball program for 3rd through 8th grade youth attending Oak Grove Lutheran School. This organization will seek to develop and promote the ideals of good sportsmanship, honesty, loyalty, courage and reverence in participants. The supervisors shall bear in mind that the modeling of future adults is of primary importance and attainment of exceptional athletic skill or the winning of games is secondary.

**Grover Youth Basketball Association* is an independent association and is not administered by the Fargo Park District or the YMCA.

Drug and Alcohol Policy

There will be no use of any tobacco products, alcoholic products, or illegal drugs prior to or during any GYBA practices or games. Violation of this rule will result in immediate dismissal from the organization. This rule applies to players, coaches and managers.

Player Registrars – Division Commissioners

Parents are reminded that if you have any concerns regarding registration, contact your Player Registrar. If you have concerns regarding the program at any time during the year, you are to contact the proper Board member. It will be their responsibility to discuss your concern with the Board of Directors as a whole and respond to you.

Parent's Code of Ethics

1. **Parents should:**
 - a. Remember that youth are involved in organized sports for their enjoyment, not yours
 - b. Encourage players to abide by the rules
 - c. Teach their children that honest efforts is as important as winning
 - d. Try to turn defeat into victory by helping their child work towards skill development and good sportsmanship
 - e. Recognize the value and importance of volunteer coaches
2. **Parents should not:**
 - a. Force an unwilling child to participate in sports
 - b. Publicly question an official's judgment or honesty
 - c. Ridicule or criticize a player for losing or any other reason
 - d. Condone physical or verbal abuse of players
3. If any parent/guardian is verbally or physically abusive to a coach, official, or player, his/her child may be suspended from the association. This decision will be made by the GYBA Board of Directors after a review of the situation.

I have read the parent's code of ethics and agree with and will follow the terms and conditions addressed within the information.

LIABILITY WAIVER

I understand that basketball is a physical game in which injuries can occur. To induce Grover Youth Basketball Association to accept registration and permit my child's participation, I, as parent or guardian, hereby give consent and agree to release, indemnify and hold harmless, its officials, coaches, officers and directors from any claim arising out of injury to my child. I further agree and consent to emergency treatment of my child or ward should such care be required.

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____



Join the fun and be a part of the
GROVER YOUTH
BASKETBALL
ASSOCIATION

Boys (Grades 3-8)
Girls (Grades 3-6)

Registration forms are now being
accepted for the 2021-2022 season!
Registrations accepted through
September 17
Registration fees are only \$125
NO FUNDRAISING REQUIRED

Welcome to Grover Youth Basketball Association!

Mission Statement:

The mission of the Grover Youth Basketball Association is to expand basketball opportunities for Oak Grove youth.

About the GYBA:

- Girls grades 3rd through 6th
- Boys grades 3rd - 6th; Players may be evaluated or participate in tryouts to determine A/B split if needed for grades 4th - 8th
- Scheduled gym time
- Games in and around the metro area
- Cost is \$125 per participant. **NO FUNDRAISING**

Practices for GYBA:

- Practice starts mid October
- Practices will be held at Oak Grove Elementary School for grades 3-5 and Gorder for grades 6-8
- Teams can expect to practice two nights per week. Due to limited space, practice times may move or be canceled

Game time:

- Parent volunteers will be needed for coaching. Please consider
- Games will tentatively start October 30 and are held throughout the day on Saturday, depending on gym availability
- Each player will receive a jersey for the season. These will be turned in at the conclusion of the season

PLEASE NOTE: All registrations will be accepted. If more than 10 players per team, a rotation order of eight players per game will be implemented. When registrations reach 14, teams will be split into two.



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Grover Youth Basketball Association 2021-2022 Registration Form



Please print clearly

Player's Name _____

Grade _____ Gender _____

Cell 1 _____ Cell 2 _____

Parent's / Guardian's Name _____

Address _____

E-mail 1 _____

E-mail 2 _____

Amount Enclosed _____ Check Number _____

Coaches will contact parent's approximately two weeks prior to starting

Remember to sign waiver on back page

***Registration forms and checks with registration fees can be sent to: GYBA, Attn: Kyle Card, 124 N Terrace, Fargo, ND 58102**

OR can be given to Coach Card at North Campus or to Coach Emily Card at South Campus