

# Facts for Wilbraham Summer Basketball League

**FOR THE 2023 SEASON WE WILL BE FOLLOWING BOYS SUBURBAN TEAM FORMATION RULES. ALL PLAYERS MUST PLAY FOR THE COMMUNITY THEY LIVE OR GO TO SCHOOL IN. These rules are designed to provide a fair playing field, to avoid recruiting and protect the interest of every team.**

Who: Open to boys and girls teams in grades 5-8. Based on the grade the kids are going into (Fall of 2023).

Divisions:

5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup> Grade Boys A and B  
7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> Grade Boys A and B

5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup> Grade Girls A and B  
7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> Grade Girls A and B

**\*We hope to have A and B divisions, minimum teams per division required\***

When: Season will run from June 18<sup>th</sup> - Aug 20<sup>th</sup>. Games will be played seven days a week. All teams qualify for the playoffs.

Where: Spec Pond in Wilbraham (Off of Route 20), other facilities as needed.

Registration: Teams will be accepted until June 2<sup>nd</sup>. To register please email Bryan Litz, [blitz@wilbraham-ma.gov](mailto:blitz@wilbraham-ma.gov).

(\*Or until league fills up, we are only accepting 48 teams for the 2023 season. Only a check covering the league fee will guarantee a spot in the league)

Uniforms: Teams must supply their own uniform tops. Uniforms must be same color and have a number on back.

Rosters: It is suggested everyone carry a roster size of at least 14 players, due to other commitments and vacations. New this year rosters must be submitted via a google document. Teams that are short a player or two league coordinator can place players off of the free agent list.

Rules: MIAA High School rules will be used in all divisions.

## WEATHER ADVISORY INFORMATION

### WE ARE AN OUTDOOR SUMMER LEAGUE!

The Wilbraham Summer Basketball League is accustomed to very hot and humid days in the summer.

Please make sure that your players hydrate prior to the game.

Make substitutions and use timeouts often. If additional water breaks or stoppages are needed, please communicate with the officials and opposing coach prior to the start of the game.

# Financial Breakdown

## League Fee:

- \$275 (made payable to “**Town of Wilbraham**”)
- Additional \$88 fee will serve as a forfeit fee and will be refunded to the team in the event that there are no forfeits during the season. **(\$88 must be made out in a second check)**

## Officials Fee:

Each team is responsible for bringing \$35 to each game. The money will be distributed as follows:

Each coach pays one official      \$35 per game

\$35 x 10 games = \$350

\*Playoffs will be covered by the Recreation Department.

\*\*Two certified I.A.A.B.O. officials will be used for each game.

## Grand totals:

Number of players	League Fee*	Officials fee**	Total	Cost per Player
8	\$275	\$350	\$625	\$78.13
9	\$275	\$350	\$625	\$69.44
10	\$275	\$350	\$625	\$62.50
11	\$275	\$350	\$625	\$56.82
12	\$275	\$350	\$625	\$52.08
13	\$275	\$350	\$625	\$48.08
14	\$275	\$350	\$625	\$44.64
15	\$275	\$350	\$625	\$41.67

\* Check for \$275 is sent to the Town of Wilbraham as a league fee.

\*\*The \$350 fee is for officials. \$35 is due each game. NO PAY, NO PLAY.

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