

2016-17 MYAS/WSS BORDRER BATTLE BASKETBALL TOURNAMENTS

General Information:

- The Minnesota Youth Athletic Services (MYAS) is a youth sports organization located in the Minnesota.
- The Wisconsin Sports Services, located in Madison, WI is a subsidiary of the MYAS.
- The MYAS and the WSS has partnered with multiple athletic associations in western Wisconsin to run one day Border Battle basketball tournaments.

Tournament Information:

- The tournaments are held for boys and girls in grades 4th-8th.
- The divisions of competition A (highest), B and C (lowest).
- The MYAS reserves the right to move teams up or down and to combine grades and/or divisions.
- The host will charge an admission fee at the tournament. All players and up to three coaches per team will be admitted free of charge.
- Teams are required to complete a roster and code of conduct (enclosed) and submit at their first tournament and keep it up to date for the rest of the season.
- Schedules can be found at www.myas.org. They will be posted 7-10 days prior to each tournament.

Format:

- Teams are guaranteed three games.
- Weekends with more than one date listed are two separated one day events.
- The number of teams that receive individual awards will be determined by the number of teams in each division.
- Playing rules can be found at www.myas.org.

How to contact the MYAS Border Battle Staff:

- Minnesota Teams: Kevin Wilson at 763-746-1712 or kevin@myas.org
- Wisconsin Teams: Dan Piehler at 608-210-1710 or DanP@wisportsservices.org



Player and Team Guidelines (complete guidelines can be found at www.myas.org):

Teams must be formed by a bona fide traveling program or school to be eligible to participate. No All-Star or Renegade teams will knowingly be permitted to play. Boys must play on boys' teams and girls must play on girls' teams.

Refund Policy:

- If a team drops out of a tournament prior to the entry deadline, a full refund will be issued.
- There will be **no refunds or transfers** issued after the tournament entry deadline.
- If a tournament should have to be cancelled due to unforeseen circumstances (i.e. weather, other) a prorated portion of your entry fee will be returned based on the number of games played.
- If a tournament is cancelled, with no games played, due to any of the above reasons, teams can elect a 75% refund of their entry fee or have 100% of their entry fee applied to a future MYAS/WSS event.

Forfeit Policy:

Any team forfeiting a game will incur a \$100 fine for each forfeited game. Forfeiting a game will also place a team on probation. Forfeiting a game on any subsequent weekend will result in a \$100 fine and immediate suspension from further MYAS/WSS participation.



2016 MYAS/WSS BORDER BATTLE TEAM REGISTRATION FORM



Team Name _____

Head Coach _____ E-mail Address _____

Address _____ City/State/Zip _____

Phone: H () _____ W () _____ Cell () _____

Entry Fee & Volume Discount Information:

• 1-3 Tournaments	\$200 per tournament	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any combination of teams and tournament dates will qualify for the Volume Discount. Must register for all tournaments at the same time to get discount.
• 4-5 Tournaments	\$185 per tournament	
• 6+ Tournaments	\$170 per tournament	

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Tournament Calendar			
Tournament Date	Location	Entry Deadline	Division(s) Circle all that apply. Register multiple teams & dates.
Nov 19	La Crosse, WI	Nov 4	Girls 5A, 5B, 5C, 6A, 6B, 6C, 7A, 7B, 7C, 8A, 8B, 8C
Dec 10	Grantsburg, WI	Nov 25	Boys 4A, 4B, 5A, 5B, 5C, 6A, 6B, 6C, 7A, 7B, 7C, 8A, 8B, 8C
Jan 7	La Crosse, WI	Dec 23	Boys 5A, 5B, 5C, 6A, 6B, 6C, 7A, 7B, 7C, 8A, 8B, 8C
Jan 7	Grantsburg, WI	Dec 23	Boys 4A, 4B, 5A, 5B, 5C, 6A, 6B, 6C, 7A, 7B, 7C, 8A, 8B, 8C
Jan 7	River Falls, WI	Dec 23	Boys 4A, 4B, 5A, 5B, 5C, 6A, 6B, 6C, 7A, 7B, 7C, 8A, 8B, 8C Girls 4A, 4B, 5A, 5B, 5C, 6A, 6B, 6C, 7A, 7B, 7C, 8A, 8B, 8C
Feb 11	Duluth, MN	Jan 27	Girls 5A, 5B, 5C, 6A, 6B, 6C, 7A, 7B, 7C
Feb 18	Unity, WI	Feb 3	Boys 4A, 4B, 5A, 5B, 5C, 6A, 6B, 6C, 7A, 7B, 7C, 8A, 8B, 8C Girls 4A, 4B, 5A, 5B, 5C, 6A, 6B, 6C, 7A, 7B, 7C, 8A, 8B, 8C
Feb 25	Chippewa Falls, WI	Feb 10	Boys 4A, 4B, 5A, 5B, 5C, 6A, 6B, 6C, 7A, 7B, 7C, 8A, 8B, 8C Girls 4A, 4B, 5A, 5B, 5C, 6A, 6B, 6C, 7A, 7B, 7C, 8A, 8B, 8C
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The MYAS & WSS use a check verification and recovery service. Maximum penalty will be assessed according to state law.

MYAS/WSS COACH AND PLAYER CODE OF CONDUCT

(MANDATORY)

- 1) I will not berate the officials or “trash talk” my opponent.
- 2) I will not use profanity.
- 3) I will encourage good sportsmanship by demonstrating positive support for all players, coaches, contest administrators and officials at every game.
- 4) I will place the emotional and physical wellbeing of my teammates and opponents ahead of my personal desire to win.
- 5) I will treat other players, coaches, fans and officials with respect regardless of race, gender, creed or ability.
- 6) I will demand a sports environment that is free from drugs, tobacco and alcohol and will refrain from their use at all MYAS/WSS sporting events.
- 7) I will do my best to remember that youth sports are supposed to be FUN and that winning and losing are part of everyone’s experience.
- 8) I will express my concerns through the proper channels in a dignified manner.
- 9) I will respect the volunteers who are assisting with the conduct of MYAS/WSS events.
- 10) I will respect and adhere to the rules governing eligibility and competition.

PENALTY

Any violation of the MYAS/WSS Code of Conduct may result in temporary or permanent banishment from any MYAS/WSS sponsored events.

PLEASE BEHAVE OR BE GONE. THANK YOU!

It is mandatory that all parents and coaches sign this Code of Conduct prior to their participation in any MYAS/WSS event. Persons refusing to sign will be withheld from competition.

