

## **7TH GRADE - BOYS**

**DISTRIBUTION:**

**171 Teams**

<b>A+</b>	<b>28</b>
<b>A-</b>	<b>15</b>
<b>B+</b>	<b>34</b>
<b>B-</b>	<b>32</b>
<b>C+</b>	<b>28</b>
<b>C-</b>	<b>34</b>

**RECOMMENDATION:**

<b>A1 Division</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>A2 Division</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>A3 Division</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>B1 Division</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>B2 Division</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>B3 Division</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>B4 Division</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>C1 Division</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>C2 Division</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>C3 Division</b>	<b>16/15</b>
<b>C4 Division</b>	<b>11/12</b>

# 2019 MYAS GRADE BASKETBALL STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS

## SELECTION & SEEDING GUIDELINES

The following guidelines are intended to assist the coaches in the selection and seeding process. These guidelines will not necessarily address every situation that may arise, but are intended as a blueprint for your actions. **The majority rules in all voting situations.**

1. **Eligibility:** If you believe that there is a team registered to participate that has illegal players on their roster, this must be addressed right now, prior to the tournament seeding. **Do NOT** call us tomorrow to question a team's eligibility. We are not private investigators.
2. **Voting Rights:** One vote per association per grade. If two or more persons from the same association/team are present, they must determine which one of them shall cast their vote/ranking.
3. **Order of Selection:** Always do the "A+" division first, followed by the "A-" division, the "B+" division, the "B-" division, the "C+" division, and finally the "C-" division (if applicable).
4. **Tournament Seeding:** Once you have selected the teams to compete in the top A division, the team representatives that are present should break off from the entire group and seed those teams for the tournament. Once the teams have been selected for each division, they should be seeded into the tournament based on the actual strength of teams. *Example:* If Grand Rapids and a team from Elk River wind up in the same division, the stronger of the two teams should be seeded higher. **\*THE ORIGIN OF THE MSHSL DOES NOT DETERMINE WHERE TEAMS ARE SEEDED! Please fill out the "master seeding" form, sign which team you are representing and return it to an MYAS representative.**
5. **"Strength of Team" Considerations:**
  - a. 2018-2019 tournament record
  - b. 2018-2019 league record
  - c. Strength of opponents
  - e. Margin of victory/loss

**If a team is not represented from your particular grade/class and you need additional information regarding that team's league and/or tournament record, please contact an MYAS representative to see if any additional information was sent with their team application.**

6. **All grades/classifications must be seeded no later than 9:00pm. If your particular group cannot agree on the seed of a particular team(s), all team representatives will vote. MAJORITY RULES!**
7. **THE MYAS WILL NOT FAX SCHEDULES TO ANYONE!**
8. **DO NOT CALL THE MYAS OFFICE TO SEE WHERE YOUR TEAM(S) WILL BE PLAYING!**
9. **DO NOT ASK MYAS STAFF FOR A SEEDED BRACKET. WE DO NOT HAVE COPIES OF THE FORMAT!**

All divisions and locations will be posted by **February 15 @ 5:00pm - Schedules by February 22**

All schedules/weather conditions will be posted on the MYAS website.

Treat your opponents, the Tournament Director, officials, scorekeepers and host with **RESPECT!**

## 2019 Youth 1st/MYAS Sportsmanship Initiative

The MYAS Grade State Basketball Championships have become the largest youth basketball tournament in the state of Minnesota and possibly the nation, with over 1,500 teams annually competing for the opportunity to call themselves champions! As our premier event, the MYAS wants the focus to be on the kids and competition, not the negativity of unsportsmanlike behavior of players, coaches, and spectators that tends to creep into youth events. In order to focus on sportsmanship, reduce conflict and increase team and game official retention, the MYAS has partnered with Youth 1st to create a Conduct 1st Environment at our Girls and Boys Grade State Championships.

Why are we implementing this initiative at our Grade State Championships and why are you being made aware of it as a youth basketball coach? According to the National Federation of State High School Associations, only 2 of every 10 officials return for their third year of officiating, creating a referee drain that has schools struggling to cover games and administrators trying to find ways to keep officials on the job.

We all know there is a shortage of officials – not just in Minnesota, but across the country. There are veteran officials retiring and not enough new officials coming in to replace them. **We believe one solution is to encourage parents, coaches and officials at the youth levels to partner together to make the environment more positive.** New officials most likely get introduced to officiating at the youth levels. It is important that we put them in a position to learn and succeed so they will want to continue to officiate in the future.

The Youth 1st Team Awards program emphasizes positive conduct and good sportsmanship from players, coaches, and parents. It is a simple – but significant – way to get everyone to:

- **Remember it's about the kids** (it is their game)
- **Keep competitive energies in check** (officials are human and not perfect, neither are you. As a coach, you are teaching your players and leading your parents by your conduct.)
- **Always respect officials and opponents** (coaches and the officials should partner to ensure the kids on both teams have a great experience.)

### Conduct 1st Environment Instructions for Coaches

WE NEED YOUR HELP! Please help us create a Conduct 1st Environment during the MYAS Grade State Basketball Championships by working with the MYAS Tournament Director and your Officials to implement these simple steps:

1. MYAS will be sending emails to each team prior to the Grade State Tournament, highlighting the emphasis on Conduct and Sportsmanship. Please share these emails with your coaches and parents, encouraging them to support this effort!
2. The referee will hand a Pocket Reminder card to the head coach from each team during the pre-game meeting, reminding them of the emphasis on Conduct and Sportsmanship. Please share the card with your coaches, parents and fans.
3. After EVERY GAME, the referees will vote on the official MYAS score sheet for the team or teams that display positive conduct and good sportsmanship. The referees may select one, both, or none for each game played.
4. Teams with exemplary scores for positive conduct and good sportsmanship will receive special recognition through the Youth 1st Team Awards program in the weeks following the tournament.

Thank you for coaching in the MYAS Grade State Basketball Championships! Thank you for your time and dedication to youth basketball!



## SAVE THE DATE

### FRIDAY, APRIL 5 • 10 A.M. - 5:30 P.M.

### FINAL FOUR® VENUE

The big game is close, like inches away close! Reese's Final Four Friday is the place to be and admission is entirely FREE for everyone. See the Final Four court, watch the teams in their final open practice before Saturday's national semifinal games. Be sure to stick around for the Reese's College All-Star Game in the afternoon.

There's always an exciting atmosphere during Reese's Final Four Friday. Bring your colleagues, your friends and family. We hope to see you there for some or all of the great events we have scheduled for you, including:

<b>10:20 a.m.</b>	<b>INFINITI Hardwood Heroes Game</b>
<b>11 a.m. - 2:50 p.m.</b>	<b>Open Team Practices</b>
<b>1 - 2 p.m.</b>	<b>Reese's College All-Star Team Autographs</b>
<b>3:35 - 5:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Reese's College All-Star Game</b>

FOR MORE INFORMATION AND A FULL SCHEDULE OF FINAL FOUR EVENTS VISIT:

**[NCAA.COM/FINALFOUR](http://NCAA.COM/FINALFOUR)**



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# 2019 Boys State Championships March 9-10 7th Boys A+ To Be Determined- MYAS

Team	Coach	A	B	C League
Apple Valley B71	Dave Chamberlain	6-6 A		
Armstrong 7 Red	Rafe Ronning	15-10 A		
Austin Packers 7th	Dan Ransom	5-5 A	3-0 B	
Burnsville 7A	Ernest Duberry	13-8 A		
Century Boys 7A	Mike Wills	5-5 A		9-1 League
Chanhasen 7Blue	Mike Rosolanka	16-9 A		
CLM Spartans 2024 Black	Jerome Williams	18-1 A		
Eagan 7B1	Clay Fandre	8-7 A		
East Ridge 7A	Sean Skinner	26-6 A		
Eden Praire 7-1	Tom Dixon	12-8 A	6-0 B	
FL Rangers Maroon	Mike Lukason	2-1 A	9-0 B	
HHYD B7B1	Michael Pettis	4-1 A	6-2 B	
Hopkins 7A Blue 2019	Jamal Davis	13-9 A		
Jefferson 7A	Jason Radford	12-10 A		
Lakeville North 7A	Matt Christianson	14-10 A		
Mayo 7A	Dana Grimsrud	16-8 A		
Mendota B7A	Aaron Macke	7-5 A		
Minnetonka 7A	Ben Siebert	13-7 A		
Mounds View 7A	Robert Roe	16-12 A		
MplsLakers B7A	Matt Bergren	9-9 A		
OMGBA 7-1	Derek Stendahl	9-1 A		
Pirates 7 Black	Sam Payne	N/R		
Rogers 7A Black	Colby Fuller	19-8 A		
Roseville 7 Black	David Stanley	18-6 A		
Shakopee B7A	Don West	N/R		
Stewartville 7B Maroon2018	Tim Malone	8-2 A		
Stillwater 7 Red	Mike Swenson	7-3 A	8-2 B	
Wayzata B7.1 Black	Chris Lash	26-3 A		

## 2019 Boys State Championships March 9-10 7th Boys A- To Be Determined- MYAS

Team	Coach	A	B	C	League
Byron 7A	Chad DeCook	3-7 A	3-0 B		
Chaska 7A	Nancy Boyle	3-16 A			
Coon Rapids 7Red	Jeremy Hettwer	3-15 A	2-1 B		
Cottage Grove - 7A	Steve Gremmels	3-15 A			
Delano 7th Black	Matt Connor	2-8 A	7-3 B		
Edina Boys 7A	Mike Donovan	14-10 A			
Farmington 7Black	AJ Dubek	7-8 A			
Lakeville South 7A	Alan Andersen	9-14 A			
Monticello B7A	Brian Disch	7-12 A	4-1 B		
Orono 7 Blue Boys	Bryan Buzard	3-13 A			
Owatonna B 7 Blue	James Dahlgren	1-7 A			8-2 League
Prior Lake	Steve Mays	5-16 A			
Rosemount B7A	Scott Arlandson	8-12 A			
STMA B7A	Erick Luster	12-15 A			
St Paul	Tony Bacigalupi	4-12 A			

## 2019 Boys State Championships March 9-10 7th Boys B+ To Be Determined- MYAS

Team	Coach	A	B	C	League
Becker Blue 2019	Hokan Bengtson	7-2 A	3-0 B		
BSM 7th Red Travel	Mark Snell	2-1 A	13-5 B		
Cambridge Isanti	Jeff Salo	1-2 A	5-1 B	3-0 C	
Century Boys 7B	Dan McFarlane		4-3 B	11-0 C	
Chanhassen 7Gold	Andy Seubert		11-8 B		
Chaska 7B	Ryan Nelson		11-8 B		
CLM Spartans 2024 Grey	JERRY WILLIAMS	13-5 A			

Coon Rapids 7B	Noble Rainville		12-9 B		
Dassel-Cokato Chargers	Tim Aamot	1-2 A	8-4 B	2-3 C	2-3 League
Denfeld Hunters 7th	Phill Homere		6-3 B	3-0 C	
Duluth B7B	Matt Lind		N-R B		
Eagan 7B2	Jeff Eckerle		8-6 B		
ESH Panther 7B Boy	Izell Scales	0-3 A			
Eastview 7B	Aaron Walters		N-R B		
Elk River 7B	Reed Caouette		8-3 B		
Esko Eskomos 2024	Jerod Gabel		8-4 B		
Grand Rapids 7	Seth Scheuerlein		N-R B		
Jordan Hubmen Maroon 2024	Wade Olsen	1-3 A	4-3 B		
KINGS 7th grade boys 2019	Catherine Smith		6-3 B	2-1 C	3-6 League
Lakeville North 7B	Dennis Olson		N/R		
Milaca Wolves 7	Jeff Kiel		4-2 B		
Minnetonka 7B	Bradley Veldboom		14-9 B		
MLK Mpls Boys 7th	John Johnson		12-4 B		
NSP 7B Gr. Bys Red 2018-19	Darren Harris		N-R B		
OMGBA 7.2	Troy Hagen		16-3 B		
Richfield Boys 7th	Michael Brown		8-4 B		
Rogers	Chad Mell		7-7 B		
Sauk Rapids-Rice Storm	Gary Posch		10-3 B		
Shakopee B7B	Mike Lindahl	1-8 A	8-1 B		
St Michael Blues	Joe Johnson		8-7 B		3-2 League
St. Louis Park 7B 2019	Vanessa Santana		14-12 B		14-12 League
UVA 7th Flowers	Damarco Flower		15-9 B		
Wayzata 7B Blue	Michael Voss	3-6 A	16-2 B		
Wayzata 7B Gold	Kevin Kaesviharn		10-6 B	9-1 C	

# 2019 Boys State Championships March 9-10 7th Boys B- To Be Determined- MYAS

Team	Coach	A	B	C	League
Annandale 7th grade	Wayne Jacobson		3-12 B		
Armstrong 7 B	Tim Brower		9-12 B		
Blaine 7B	Allen DeBoer		9-14 B		
Burnsville 7B2	Robert Schaefers		0-9 B	1-11 C	
Burnsville B7B	Rob Dineen		4-14 B		
CCA B7B	Christopher Dollar-Simmons		8-10 B		
Coon Rapids 7 Black	Jason Halvorson		5-10 B	9-2 C	
Cooper 7th	Thmaris Richardson		6-12 B		
Cottage Grove - 7B	Mike Lemke		7-13 B		
Eden Prairie 7B2	Corey Holtz		9-13 B		
Edina Boys 7B	Jack McGarry		8-13 B		
Farmington 7Orange	Kyle Hinrichson		6-12 B		
Fridley Tigers 7B1	Waylon Buggs		7-12 B	3-0 C	
Hopkins 7B Silver 2019	Treyvon Edwards		10-12 B		
Hutchinson Tigers - 2019	Jason Verhasselt		5-1 B	4-3 C	2-2 League
IGH Spartans 7Blue	Brad Hepper		4-6 B	4-2 C	
Jefferson 7B	Tim Nelson		1-3 B	18-2 C	
Lakeville South 7B	Chip Segna		9-13 B		
Mayo 7B	Jamal Khan	0-8 A	3-7 B	1-1 C	
Mpls Lakers B7B	Dan Queenan		9-11 B		
OMGBA B7.3	Peter Maracotta		8-13 B		
Owatonna B 7 Silver	Paul Smith		9-10 B		
Prior Lake 7B Gold	Bart Kons		9-11 B		
Prior Lake 7B Navy	Chad Meschke		6-10 B		
Rosemount B7B	Michael Atherley		5-11 B		



Roseville 7 Silver	Darrin Mix		2-9 B	9-7 C	
Saint Peter 7	Kurt Moelter		N-R B		7-10 League
Stewartville 7B Gold2018	Brent Picker		1-3 B	3-0 C	
Stillwater 7 Black	Brent Gustafson		4-8 B	3-0 C	
Stillwater 7 White	Dan Thury		3-16 B		
STMA B7B	Scott Weness		9-16 B		
Zimmerman 7th Grade-1	Sheldon Pool	0-3 A	6-8 B		

# 2019 Boys State Championships March 9-10 7th Boys C+ To Be Determined- MYAS

Team	Coach	A	B	C	League
Andover 7C - Castillo	Eli Castillo			11-10 C	
Armstrong 7C White	Mike Johnson			11-9 C	
Chanhassen 7White	Clint Egenes			19-7 C	
Chaska Hawks 7C	Kurt Theriault			10-9 C	
Coon Rapids 7 Gray	Jeremy Sample		3-1 B	13-6 C	
DaVinci 7th Boys 2018	Aaron Melander			5-4 C	
Eagan 7th Team 3	Patrick Schaber			17-6 C	
East Ridge 7C Gold	Aaron Curti			14-10 C	
Eastview 7C Silver	Kellie Johnson			12-5 C	
Eastview White 7C	Adrian Wagner			13-8 C	
Eden Prairie 7-3	John Tlusty		1-5 B	15-4 C	
Eden Prairie 7-4	Duane Fahning			11-7 C	
Jefferson 7C Blue	Scott Lecher		1-2 B	11-10 C	
MDB 7th Wht 18-19	Travis Dedina			5-4 C	
MHAA 7 Gold	Erik Amundson		0-9 B	3-0 C	
Minnetonka 7C Blue	Ben Rossow			16-7 C	
Minnetonka 7C Wh	Pete Stack			13-10 C	
MplsLakers B7C1	Christian Dean			10-7 C	
OMGBA 7.4	Todd Trembl			19-4 C	
OMGBA 7B5	Justin Kassulke			18-6 C	
Rockford 7C Green	Brandon Eenhuis		1-2 B	10-?(0) C	
Rocori B7C	Tina Pendergast			N-R C	
Rogers 7 White	Tony Gleason			18-6 C	
Shakopee B7C1	David Froats			11-5 C	
Shakopee B7C2	Ken Athman			10-3 C	
SSP Packers B7C	Terrell Aubert			16-5 C	
St Paul Boys 7 B/C	Nick Buri		2-1 B	15-4 C	
Wayzata 7C White	Tan Nguyen			13-8 C	

# 2019 Boys State Championships March 9-10 7th Boys C- To Be Determined- MYAS

Team	Coach	A	B	C	League
Apple Valley B72	Paul Jones			4-8	
Becker Boys 7th c	Brad Miller			4-13	1-2
Byron 7C	Billy Miner			5-10	
Century Boys 7C	Derick Behrends			3-0 C	5-6 League
Cottage Grove - 7C - Green	Bill Arends			8-10 C	
Cottage Grove - 7C - White	David Bullert			3-15 C	
Eagan 7B4	Scott Schroepfer			5-16 C	
Edina Boys 7C Green	Shane Kline			12-10 C	
Edina Boys 7C White	Julian Scott			9-10 C	
Elk River 7C White	Blake Hawkinson			6-13	
Elk River Red 2019	Thomas Radtke			4-15	
Farmington 7White	Wade Hatch			7-11 C	
Holy Angels	Tom Lickteig			8-11 C	
Hopkins 7C White 2019	Todd Schachtman			9-14 C	
IGH Spartans B7C Red	Mikko Niemioja			10-14 C	
Jefferson 7C White	Brian Bjonfald			3-18 C	
Jefferson Jaguars C7 Black	Steven Olson	0-6		0-15	
JM Rockets 7 Red	John Eggers	0-10		1-6	1-9
Jordan Hubmen Gold 2024	Alberto Roman			6-7 C	
LCWM - Wells	Andy Born			N-R C	2-8 League
Mounds View 7C	Patrick Flanagan			8-17 C	
MplsLakers B7C2	Joe Davis	0-3 B		4-5 C	
NSP 7C Gr. Bys BLK 2018-19	Brian Giel			3-12	
Orono Boys 7 Red	Melissa Musgjerd	0-4 B		3-9 C	
Owatonna B 7 White	Troy Sommers			3-10 C	

PEM Bulldogs 2024	Adam Sanders		2-3 B		3-8
Prior Lake 7CWhite	Josh Veal			1-17 C	
Proctor	Titus Graden			1-2	1-12
Rosemount B7C	James Randle			7-9 C	
Roseville 7 White	David Michaelson			7-11	
Sauk Rapids	Michael Miller			7-8 C	
Stillwater 7 Gray	James Vacek			6-12	
STMA 7C	Thomas Hamilton			1-17 C	
Zimmerman 7th Grade-2	Rob Wefel			3-12	