



Basketball Programs

New* - Tiny B'Ball - *New

Intro & Youth Basketball League



Join us on the
Rec Center
court!

Our new Tiny B'Ball co-ed program for 3-5 yr olds and their parents along with our Intro to Basketball co-ed program for Grades K-1 are great ways to become introduced to the sport and learn basic skills. Our Youth Basketball program for Grades 2-12 emphasizes fun, team play and sportsmanship, as well as skills development. Please be sure you are committed to the program prior to signing up. If you drop out after teams are formed, it will effect the entire team.

Groupings and days subject to change

Tiny B'Ball *co-ed*

Dates: Nov 5-Dec 17 *No program 11/26

Time: Sat 9-9:45am

Early Bird Fees: C \$35 S \$60 N \$ 85

Fees after Oct 11: C \$60 S \$85 N \$115

Coaches Meeting: No meeting-Parent Child Class

Tiny B'Ball Coord: Wes Clark and George Parker

Intro *co-ed*

Dates: Nov 5-Feb 4 *No program 11/26, 12/14, 12/31

Time: Sat 9-10:30am

Early Bird Fees: C \$50 S \$ 75 N \$100

Fees after Oct 11: C \$75 S \$100 N \$125

Coaches Meeting: Tues, Oct 18th 7:00pm

Intro Coordinator: Ron Lewis, Head Coach

Boys League

Dates: Nov 5-Feb 11

*No program 11/26, 12/24, 12/31

Times: Wknights, 5:30-9:00pm

Saturday, 9am-8pm

Grades 2-3: Tues & Sat

Grades 4-5: Thur & Sat

Grades 6-7: Thur & Sat

Grades 8-9: Wed & Sat

Grades 10-12: Wed & Sat

*# Participants will dictate grade groupings

Girls League

Dates: Nov 5-Feb 11

*No program 11/26, 12/24, 12/31

Times: Wknights, 5:30-7:30pm

Saturday, 9am-12noon

Grades 2-3: Tues & Sat

Grades 4-6: Mon & Sat

Grades 7-12: Mon & Sat

*# Participants will dictate grade groupings

Girls and Boys League Coordinator: George Parker

Youth Basketball Coach since 1975

Early Bird Fees: C \$80 S \$100 N \$125

Fees After Oct 11th: C \$105 S \$125 N \$150

Intro Meeting: Tues, Oct 18th, 7:00pm

Coaches Meeting: Tues, Oct 18th

Gr 2-3 6:00-7:00pm Gr 4-12 7:00-8:30pm

Skill Evaluation: Sat, Oct 22nd

Gr 2-3: 12-12:45pm Gr 4-5: 1-1:45pm

Gr 6-7: 2-2:45pm Gr 8-9: 3-3:45pm

Gr 10-12: 4-4:45pm

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Volunteer Coaches Needed!

Basketball fanatics take note... Share your love of the game with our players! Join us courtside as a volunteer Coach.

Two Volunteer Coaches are needed per team.

Early Bird Registration Fee is waived on or before 10/11/16 for the child of each coach.

\$25 Registration fee will apply after 10/11/2016.



Join our
mailing
list!



2016-2017 Saratoga Springs Boys and Girls Recreation Basketball Program



Tiny B'ball



Boys and Girls B'ball

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Welcome to the Saratoga Springs Recreation Department boys and girls youth basketball program. Our program, which runs from Nov 5, 2016-Feb 11, 2017, emphasizes fun, team play, sportsmanship, as well as skills development. New this season is the addition of a program called Tiny B'Ball for parents and children 3 to 5 years old.

Our co-ed Tiny B'Ball and Intro programs (K/1st grade) will introduce participants to basketball fundamentals including dribbling, shooting, passing and defensive/offensive skills. These fundamentals are taught and put into play through interaction between coaches, players and parents. Boys and girls in grades 2-12 will practice, scrimmage and play games in accordance with local rules and guidelines established for each grade grouping. This season we have also rearranged the groupings in the boys and girls programs. Please see the new groupings along with the practice/game schedule on the front of this flyer.

***The grade groupings and days are subject to change depending on the number of teams.**

The Early Bird registration period is August 22, 2016-October 11, 2016. Please encourage your neighbors and friends to register on or before October 11th and save! The success of our program depends on community involvement, especially parents, relatives and friends. We are counting on volunteers to join our coaching staff to provide our youths with the best experience possible this season. The registration fee is waived for the child of each coach who volunteers on or before October 11th. Please sign up to be a coach!

There will be coaches meetings and skills evaluations at the Recreation Center for both boys and girls. Please note the date and time of the coaches meetings and the skill evaluations found on the front of this flyer.

The coaches meetings will be held in the Recreation Center Multi Purpose Room.

During the skill evaluations players will be evaluated in alphabetical order. Teams will be formed following the evaluation. Practice schedules will be given out by the coaches at the team's first practice. All practices and games will be held at the Recreation Center at 15 Vanderbilt Avenue. Please note that practices and games may still be held even if school is cancelled for that day. The coach will contact you if a practice or game is cancelled.

If you need additional information please call the Recreation Department at (518) 587-3550 ext. 2300.

We look forward to another positive and productive season!

George Parker and Staff



Rec Card

The **REC CARD** is a yearly agreement that allows participation in Saratoga Springs Recreation Department programs. Regardless of your residency, if you are registering for a program or participating in one of our daily programs, the **Rec Card** can benefit you!

Why get a Rec Card?

- 1) Program discounts for City and School district residents. Without a **REC CARD** or proof of residency at the time of registering or paying for a program you will be charged the highest rate.
- 2) Simpler registration and less paperwork for you. The **REC CARD** is good for one year and serves as your permission agreement for any recreation program. Simply include your **REC CARD** number on the registration form or show your **REC CARD** at the time of registration. This eliminates the necessity of completing permission agreement forms for every program you register for or are participating in.
- 3) Free Open Gym. **REC CARD** holders can participate in Free open gym. Non **REC CARD** holders must complete additional paperwork.

*All individuals who want to participate in Recreation Department programs, regardless of residency, should apply for a **REC CARD**.*

How do I get a Rec Card?

Bring your proof of residency, such as City or School tax bill, sewer/water bill, lease agreement, or any document with your section/block/lot number included on it, to the Recreation Center, 15 Vanderbilt Ave. Complete the **REC CARD** application at the front desk. Your picture will be taken and you will be given your new **REC CARD**. All individuals on the application will need to have a picture taken.

*If you live outside the School District, proof of residency is not needed but you should still obtain a **REC CARD** to participate in programming so you do not need to complete the additional paperwork each time you participate.*

Where to use your Rec Card?

- 1) **Programs**- When registering for a program (soccer, basketball, clinics) include your **Rec Card #** or show your card at the time of registration. You will not be required to complete the permission agreement forms and you will receive the appropriate discount. Participants without a **Rec Card** or proof of residency will be charged the highest rate.
- 2) **Daily Programs** (Adult Basketball, Racquetball, Drop-In Zumba, Pickleball)- All participants will be required to have a **Rec Card** to participate. All visitors and non **Rec Card** holders will be required to complete a permission agreement each visit and will be charged the highest rate unless proof of residency is provided each time.
- 3) **Ice Rink Programs** – Show your **Rec Card** at the window to receive the discount. All visitors and non **Rec Card** holders will be required to complete a permission agreement each time and will be charged the highest rate unless proof of residency is provided each time.
- 4) **Free Open Gym**- All participants will be required to have a **Rec Card** to participate. All visitors and non **Rec Card** holders will be required to complete a permission agreement each visit.

How do I renew my Rec Card?

All Rec Cards will expire a year after you receive your initial **Rec Card**. To renew your **Rec Card**, you will have to again show your proof of residency at the Recreation Center and complete the **Rec Card** Renewal Form.



City of Saratoga Springs' Recreation Department

Rec Card Application and Permission Agreement

Print Clearly

PRIMARY RESIDENT			
Last Name	First	Male Female	D.O.B / /
Street Address	City	State	Zip
Email		School District	
Cell ()	Home ()	Work ()	

Office Use Only
Card Number

ADDITIONAL RESIDENTS (must reside in same household as primary resident)					
Last Name (indicate if different last name)	First	M/F	D.O.B	Grade	School
1.			/ /		
2.			/ /		
3.			/ /		
4.			/ /		
5.			/ /		
6.			/ /		

Office Use Only
Card Number

EMERGENCY CONTACTS				
Last Name	First	Relationship	Cell Phone ()	Home Phone ()

MEDICAL AGREEMENT	
<p>I fully understand and acknowledge that there are inherent risks and dangers in my participation and/or my child's participation in the city's recreational activities and that my participation and/or my child's participation in said activities and use of any equipment related to said activities may result in injury, illness or death and damage to personal property. I understand other participants, accidents, forces of nature or any other causes may result in risks and dangers and I hereby accept those risks. In the event of an emergency, I hereby authorize treatment by Certified Emergency Personnel (i.e. EMT, First Responder, and/or Emergency Department Physician) and that I shall be responsible for the costs associated with that care. It is understood that reasonable efforts shall be made to contact the undersigned prior to rendering treatment, but that any treatments will not be withheld if the undersigned cannot be reached. I assume full responsibility for any medical treatment rendered.</p>	
Primary Signature	Date
Secondary Signature (All additional residents 18 and Over must sign)	Date

RECREATION AGREEMENT	
<p>Please consult your and/or your child's physician prior to you and/or your child's participation in any City of Saratoga Springs Recreation Program. If there are questions as to whether or not you or your child may be capable of participating in any activity sponsored by the City of Saratoga Springs Recreation Commission, please contact the City's Recreation Department at (518) 587-3550 extension 2300. In that you and/or your child have expressed a desire to participate in a City sponsored Recreation Program/Facilities, it is important that you and/or your child understand the goals and rules established for the Program. Each participant will have Rules of Conduct explained to him/her prior to the start of any activity. He/she must observe the rules as explained and accept the consequences of behavior modification if needed as outlined in the Recreation Handouts.</p> <p>In signing this agreement, I acknowledge that I fully understand there are inherent risks and dangers associated with my and/or my child's participation in Recreation sponsored activities. I also understand and acknowledge my and my Child's participation in these activities and use of any equipment related to such activities may result in injury, illness or death and damage to personal property. I understand other participants, accidents, forces of nature or other causes may cause these risks and dangers and hereby accept those risks. I understand that my child and/or I may be photographed or videoed and my and my child's name may be used for publicity purposes for the Saratoga Springs Recreation Program and its sponsors/donors.</p> <p>I hereby agree that my child and I will participate in City sponsored Recreation Program activities in accordance with the City's rules and regulations and acknowledge no physical or emotional issue which would prohibit me or my child from participation. I agree to indemnify and save harmless the City of Saratoga Springs from and against all claims, damages, losses and expense (including, but not limited to, attorneys' fees), arising out of my child and my participation in Recreation Commission sponsored events provided that any such claim, damage, loss or expense is not directly attributable to bodily injury, sickness, disease, or death, or to injury to or destruction of property caused by the negligent act or omission of the City, its agents or employees.</p>	
Primary Signature	Date
Secondary Signature (18 and Over)	Date

OFFICE USE ONLY	
Circle: City Resident or School District	Proof (tax bill, s/b/I number, lease agreement*, water/sewer bill) *page number in city street book Non School Resident



City of Saratoga Springs Recreation Department

2016-2017 Youth Basketball Registration

Early Bird Registration Period Aug 22-Oct 11

Please Print Clearly

Does the participant have a Rec Card? _____ Yes If **YES**, write Rec Card # _____ and complete this registration form.
 _____ No If **NO**, please complete attached Rec Card application.

If you do not have a Rec Card, you must provide proof of Residency with the registration to receive City/School District Rate.

How did you hear about us?

Brochure	Facebook	Flyer	Friend/Family	Newsletter
Newspaper (which one?)	Radio	Signs/banners	Website	Other

PARTICIPANT INFORMATION

Circle one: **City Resident (C)** **School District Resident (S)** **Non School District Resident (N)**

Last Name	First	Male Female	Current Grade	School	Birth Date	Age
Address		City	State	Zip Code	Primary Phone ()	
Parent / Guardian Name		First	Email			

Please list any allergies/medical problems, including those requiring maintenance medications. Attach additional sheets if necessary:

YOUTH BASKETBALL

Circle your child's skill level: Beginner Intermediate Advanced

Player's Jersey Size- Youth: S M L Adult: S M L XL XXL

Early Bird Registration Fees
Circle Level **Circle Applicable Fee**

C S N

Tiny B'Ball *co-ed* \$35 \$60 \$85

6PBWMC 6PBWMS 6PBWMN

Intro (K/1st *co-ed*) \$50 \$75 \$100

6PBWMC 6PBWMS 6PBWMN

Boys Basketball

Grade 2-3

Grade 4-5 \$80 \$100 \$125

Grade 6-7 6PBWMC 6PBWMS 6PBWMN

Grade 8-9

Grade 10-12

Girls Basketball

Grade 2-3 \$80 \$100 \$125

Grade 4-6 6PBWFC 6PBWFS 6PBWFN

Grade 7-12

Fees after Oct 11th

Circle Applicable Fee

C S N

\$60 \$85 \$115

6PBWMC 6PBWMS 6PBWMN

\$75 \$100 \$125

6PBWMC 6PBWMS 6PBWMN

\$105 \$125 \$150

6PBWMC 6PBWMS 6PBWMN

\$105 \$125 \$150

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Volunteering

Shirt - Adult: S M L XL XXL

Your Name

Level Volunteering For (ie. Intro to BBall, Grade 2-3, etc...)

- Must Complete Volunteer Application

Before Early Bird Registration Fee: Free

Fee after Oct 11: \$25

OFFICE USE ONLY

City/School District Proof (tax bill, s/b/l number, water/sewer bill, lease agreement)

Cash Amount:	Check #:	Total Amount:	Date:	Batch #:	Staff Initials:
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There will be no reminder phone calls about the clinics/programs, please keep the calendar of dates! Please make checks payable to the Commissioner of Finance.