

AAU GIRLS BASKETBALL 11TH & 12th GRADE DIVISION I, II & III NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

BOO WILLIAMS SPORTSPLEX $JULY 5^{TH} - 8^{TH}, 2014$

DEADLINE: FRIDAY, JUNE 20, 2014

- This event is licensed by the Amateur Athletic Union of the U. S., Inc.
- All participants must have a current AAU membership.
- AAU membership may not be included as part of the entry fee to the event.
- AAU membership must be obtained before the competition begins except where the event operator has a laptop available with an internet connect. Participants are encouraged to visit the AAU web site www.aausports.org to obtain their membership.



IMPORTANT

NCAA CERTIFIED EVENT!

The 11th & 12th Grade Div. I & II National Championship is a NCAA Certified Event. If your team(s) are participating in this event you MUST complete the following:

- In order to participate in this event, your Team Roster(s) and Coaches need to register on the NCAA website. <u>Coaches who are not certified by</u> <u>the NCAA will not be allowed to sit on the bench.</u>
- Visit www.aaugirlsbasketball.org and click on the icon for Rules tab and look for NCAA Certification or CLICK HERE
- You will be able to find quick links to the NCAA Coaches Certification
 Process and for Registering your Team Roster on the NCAA website.
- Upon completing the roster on the NCAA Site, you <u>MUST SELECT THE</u>
 <u>EVENT</u>. To select an event please scroll to the bottom of the page. Please make sure you check the box next to AAU 11th Grade Div. I National Championship or AAU 11th & 12th Grade Div. II National Championship.
- Also you will be able to check on your coaching status. Remember, coaching certification is only good for two (2) years. If you are not sure please check prior to tournament check-in.

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HOSTED BY: BOO WILLIAMS SUMMER LEAGUE & HAMPTON CVB BOO WILLIAMS SPORTSPLEX – HAMPTON, VIRGINIA

COACHES INFORMATION

DATES: JULY 5TH – JULY 8TH, 2014

FACILITIES: Boo Williams Sportsplex – 5 Armstead Pointe Pkwy, Hampton, VA 23666

ENTRY FEE: Division I, II & III - \$670.00

EARLY BIRD SPECIAL - \$570.00 if registration is completed by TUESDAY, APRIL 15TH, 2014.

*Once a team enters the tournament refunds will not be given.

ENTRY DEADLINE: All materials must be RECEIVED via Online Registration by FRIDAY, JUNE 20TH, 2014.

All participating teams must have a roster submitted online at www.aaugirlsbasketball.org

Entry fees must be submitted via Online Roster System.

SPECTATOR ADMISSION: Daily admission will be available for \$13.50 per adult, \$11.00 per youth (ages 6-14), 5 and under

free. A Length of Event pass will also be available for \$45.00 per adult, \$35.00 per youth (ages

6-14).

OPENING CEREMONY: No Opening Ceremony will be held.

REGISTRATION: SATURDAY, JULY 5TH, 2014 – 10:00 AM – 4:00 PM at Boo Williams Sportsplex. Your registration

time will be assigned and posted along with the schedule on www.aaugirlsbasketball.org. ALL

COACHES & ATHLETES MUST BE AT REGISTRATION AT ASSIGNED TIME.

COACH VERIFICATION: All bench personnel must be present and show government issued photo ID in order to receive

credentials. NO EXCEPTIONS

COACHES' MEETINGS: First coaches' meeting: SATURDAY, JULY 5TH, 2014 - During Registration at Boo Williams

Sportsplex.

Second coaches' meeting: SUNDAY, JULY 6TH, 2014. The second coaches meeting will be held in the tournament office 45 minutes after the last game concludes in your pool. The Head coach from each team is required to attend BOTH meetings. Penalty for failure of the Head Coach to attend

is a one game suspension. Suspensions do NOT include forfeited games.

ELIGIBLE TEAMS: Only teams that have qualified through AAU Qualifying Procedures will be eligible to compete in

the National Championships. (See 2014 Girls' Basketball Handbook at www.aaugirlsbasketball.org

and click on Rules).

RULES OF PLAY:

This National Championship will be played under 2013-2014 NCAA Women's Basketball Rules, except where amended by the AAU Girls Basketball Handbook. Please visit

<u>www.aaugirlsbasketball.org</u> and click on the Rules/Info tab, then Rules/Handbook.

SCHEDULES/RESULTS:

Schedules and results will be posted at www.aaugirlsbasketball.org and will be emailed to each team that provides a valid email address in the Online Roster System.

GAME FORMAT:

Two (2) 16 minute halves – 5 minute halftime/warm-up – 4 minute overtime.

TOURNAMENT FORMAT:

July 5 – Registration/Pool Play July 6 – Pool Play/Bracket Play

July 7 – Bracket Play

July 8 - Conclusion of Bracket Play

BENCH RULES:

The home team will sit on the left side of the official scorekeeper, facing the table from the floor. A team may have on its bench only eligible players in uniform and four non-players. Violation of this rule shall result in a two shot technical foul. The violator will be removed from the bench. **At least one person age 18 or older must be on the bench at all times.**

MERCY RULE:

A running clock will be used in the second half when a team is behind by 30 or more points. Regular rules will return if at any time the spread falls below 30 points. The losing coach may opt to ignore this rule at any time.

AWARDS:

11th **Grade:** Each athlete and registered coach on the top ten finishing teams in the Championship Bracket will receive a finalist medal and a team trophy. Each athlete and registered coach on the top four finishing teams in the Classic Bracket will receive a finalist medal and a team trophy. **Division III only**: Each athlete and registered coach on the top four finishing teams in the Championship Bracket will receive a finalist medal and a team trophy.

<u>12th Grade:</u> Each athlete and registered coach on the top four finishing teams in the Championship Bracket will receive a finalist medal and a team trophy. Each athlete and registered coach on the top four finishing teams in the Classic Bracket will receive a finalist medal and a team trophy. <u>Division III only</u>: Each athlete and registered coach on the top four finishing teams in the Championship Bracket will receive a finalist medal and a team trophy.

ROSTER:

All athletes and non-athletes allowed on the bench must hold a current AAU membership. A team that qualifies for a National Championship Tournament may add a maximum of seven (7) players to its District Roster for the purpose of participating in the National Tournaments.

Pick-up/replacement players listed on the roster are subject to the following restrictions:

These players must have been able to satisfy all eligibility requirements (regarding grade, age, residence, etc.) unless approved by the Eligibility Committee. Teams may not add players from the rosters of other teams advancing to the National Championship Tournament. A team advancing to a Division I National Championship may not add a player from another team advancing to a Div. I National Championship in the same age group without the written permission of the Eligibility Committee.

For further clarification, please refer to the 2014 AAU Girls Basketball Handbook at www.aaugirlsbasketball.org (click on Rules/Info).

GRADE DETERMINATION:

11th **Grade** - An athlete must be in the 11th grade as of October 1, 2013 and <u>cannot</u> turn 19 prior to September 1, 2014. If an athlete wishes to play down a grade division, please verify if they are eligible based on the criteria in the Rule Book.

12th **Grade** - An athlete must be in the 12th grade as of October 1, 2013 and <u>cannot</u> turn 20 prior to September 1, 2014. If an athlete wishes to play down a grade division, please verify if they are eligible based on the criteria in the Rule Book.

ELIGIBILITY:

Any questions pertaining to the eligibility of a player or team shall be directed to the National Chair or his designee in attendance. No member of the local Tournament Committee shall have the authority to rule on eligibility. The AAU Girls' Basketball Eligibility Committee will handle all of these matters.

TEAM DOCUMENTATION:

Each team MUST present "ELIGIBILITY MATERIALS" for review. The "ELIGIBILITY MATERIALS" must contain:

- 1. Copy of the team AAU Online Roster to be used at the event.
- Copy of each athlete's Proof of Grade.
- Copy of each athlete's Proof of Age.

The "ELIGIBILITY MATERIALS" will be collected at your assigned registration time for review by a member of the AAU Tournament Staff. All collected materials held for review will be returned to the team at the 2nd Coaches Meeting. Failure to have proper documentation at registration or during the event may result in athlete or team disqualification. Acceptable documents can be found at www.aaugirlsbasketball.org in the Rule Book.

PROTESTS:

For National Championship play, any eligibility protest that is turned in the first day of competition by 6:00 pm will be reviewed by the eligibility committee, and a decision will be made prior to bracket play. Any eligibility protest that comes after the first day of competition will be reviewed at the Eligibility Committee's discretion. All non-eligibility protests will be reviewed by the Eligibility Committee at their discretion.

A fee of \$100.00 cash (refunded if protest is upheld) must accompany all protests. Protests must come from a non-athlete member listed on the official online roster for the event. The <u>written</u> protest must be submitted to the National Commissioner-in-Charge. All decisions of the Eligibility Committee shall be final.

CODE OF CONDUCT:

Players', coaches' and spectators' conduct should be above reproach, on and off the court. Misbehavior or misconduct may result in disqualification from the tournament. Coaches listed on the official team roster are responsible for the conduct of their players and any damages incurred to the hotel or facilities used by the players. If a coach or a player is suspended during a game, the suspension does NOT include forfeited games. The suspension will be for the next game played

MISBEHAVIOR/EJECTIONS

- 1. Any coach ejected for fighting will be ineligible for the remainder of the tournament.
- 2. Players ejected for fighting are ineligible to participate in the team's next game. Additional penalties, up to exclusion from the tournament, may be imposed by the National Eligibility Committee.
- 3. If a coach or player is ejected from a game for unsportsmanlike behavior (not fighting), he/she will be ineligible to participate in the next scheduled game. The head coach may appeal the penalty by submitting a written request for appeal to the Tournament

- Headquarters within two (2) hours of the conclusion of the game. A Commissioner shall consider the appeal. The Commissioners ruling is final.
- 4. If a coach or player is ejected a second time, he/she will be ineligible for the remainder of the tournament.
- 5. Coaches or Players who leave the bench to engage athletes or coaches on the playing floor may be suspended by the National Eligibility Committee for any period up to the duration of the tournament.
- 6. The National Eligibility Committee may impose suspensions or other penalties for misbehavior which occurs at any time and at any location during the event.
- 7. Coaches and Athletes who engage in misbehavior are subject to additional disciplinary action from the AAU Girls' Basketball National Infractions Committee. Penalties may include suspension from AAU events in future years.

UNIFORMS:

The top team on the bracket or the first team listed on the pool play pairings shall be the **home** team and shall wear **WHITE**. Players' jerseys must have numbers on both the front and back. Numbers can be 00-99. Minimum size of numbers shall be 2" on the front and 4" on the back. **Teams competing in National Championship tournaments must have WHITE and DARK jerseys**. Violation of this rule shall be penalized by a two (2) shot technical foul for each illegal jersey, to be assessed at the time the player with the illegal jersey enters the game.

COACHES' ATTIRE:

All non-uniformed persons on the bench shall wear dress shorts, long pants, shirts with collars and sleeves and dress shoes or tennis shoes during play at the National Championships. Jeans, jean shorts, sweat pants, mesh shorts, tee shirts, hats and open-toed shoes are not permitted. Any non-athlete on the bench will be removed until properly attired. Violation of this rule shall result in a two shot technical foul. The violator will be removed from the bench.

COACHES EDUCATION:

The PCA Coaches Education Course is MANDATORY and FREE for all AAU Non-Athletes. Please visit www.aausports.org and click on PCA Button in order to enter and take the MANDATORY AAU/PCA coaches educational course. Membership may be revoked from Non-Athletes who do not complete course prior to competition.

WARM-UP & GAME BALLS:

Basketballs are provided during warm-up sessions. Rawlings, the official ball of AAU Girls Basketball, shall provide basketballs for warm-ups and games. **DO NOT** bring basketballs to games.

HOTEL/MOTEL POLICY:

Upon approval by the National Sport Chair, a National Championship Host may designate certain hotel/motel properties not to be used by teams participating in a National Championship Event. The exact name and address of each property must be provided to the National Sport Chair. The AAU Girls Basketball Committee may reject entries of teams who reserve rooms in these designated properties. Once the National Championship Event begins, team(s) can be required to vacate the designated property in order to continue to participate in the event.

HOTEL INFORMATION:

See following page for a list of AAU approved hotels.

STATEMENT OF IMPORTANCE

The AAU can not and does not guarantee the appearance and/or participation of specific participant(s) and/or teams (as applicable) in this event. The AAU has sanctioned (approved) this Event as an official AAU Event (competition), but the AAU is not and shall not be responsible for any participant's or spectator's expenses related to this Event (nor reimbursements for same) in case of dissatisfaction of any participant, friend, family, or spectator, this includes, but is not limited to all travel, hotel (lodging), food, entry fees and/or any other expenses related to the event.

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:

WILLIE BROWN 757-637-7300 (PHONE) WEKPBROWN@AOL.COM

AAU Basketball (as of April 1, 2014)

Property Name		Rate	Address	Phone #	Fax #		Breakfast	Pool	Wi-Fi		
Hampton Hotels	Contact			Area Code (757)	Area Code (757)	Email				Parking	Int/Ext rooms
Courtvard by Marriott	Dee Garland	\$119.00	1917 Coliseum Dr., Hpt. VA 23666	329-0608	838-6387	Dee.Garland@marriott.com	Ala Carte	Outdoor	Free	Free	Interior
Country Inn & Suites	Niray Patel	119-129	1551 Hardy Cash Dr., Hpt, VA 23666	224-9994	224-9989	niravdpatel26@gmail.com	Free	Indoor	Free	Free	Interior
Crowne Plaza	Netti Fulton	99-109	700 Settlers Landing; Hpt, VA 23664	727-8912	723-7278	Netti.Fulton@cphamptonmarina.com	Charge	Outdoor	Free	Free	Interior
Days Inn	Brionna Tate	\$60.99	1918 Coliseum Dr., HPt, VA 23666	826-4810	827-6503	Daysinn_sales@hotmail.com	Free	Outdoor	Free	Free	Exterior
Embassy Suites Hotel	Brandon Ball	\$139.00	1700 Coliseum Dr., Hpt, VA 23666	827-8200	827-8010	brandon.ball@igh.com	Free	Indoor	\$9.95/day	Free	Interior
Extended Stav	Marleen Boyd	\$89.00	1915 Commerce Dr., Hpt, VA 23666	896-3600	896-0514	COL@extendedstav.com	Grab & Go	No	Free	Free	Interior
Hampton Inn	Vibha Madan	119-129	3101 Coliseum Dr., Hpt, VA 23666	838-1400	951-3598	vibha.madan@shaminhotels.com	Free	Indoor	Free	Free	Interior
Hilton Garden Inn	Kelly White	119-129	1999 Power Plant Pkwy., Hpt, VA 23666	310-6323	310-6324	kwhite@ltdhospitality.com	Charge	Indoor	Free	Free	Interior
Holiday Inn Express	Robin Ryan	\$119.00	1813 W Mercury Blvd Hpt, Va 23666	838-8484	0.000	RRyan@HIEhampton.com	Free	Indoor	Free	Free	Interior
Ambassador	Swati Barol	\$99.00	2138 W. Mercury Blvd., Hpt, VA 23666	827-8680	827-5906	LQ0633GM@Laquinta.com	Free	Outdoor	Free	Free	Exterior
Savannah Suites	Angela Farmer	79-89	2134 Mercury Blvd., Hpt, VA 23666	951-1050	951-1052	afarmer@savannahsuites.com	Full Kitchen	No	No	Free	Interior
Springhill Suites	Chris Taylor	129-139	1997 Power Plant Pkwy., Hpt, VA 23666	310-6333	310-6334	ctaylor@ltdhospitality.com	Free	Indoor	Free	Free	Interior
Suburban Extended Stav Hotel	Michelle Massey	\$82.99	1616 Hardy Cash Dr., Hpt. VA 23666	719-4031	951-2001	mmassev@generationcompanies.com	Full Kitchen	No	Free	Free	Interior
Newport News Hotels											
Best Western	Karan Shah	\$91.99	500 Operations Drive, NN, VA 23602	952-1182		bestwestern71@cox.net					
Courtyard	Kelli Lantz	\$139.00	530 St Johns Road, NN, VA 23602	842-6212	842-6213	klantz@ltdhospitality.com	Charge	Indoor	Free	Free	Interior
Comfort Inn	Austin Bryant	\$75.00	12330 Jefferson Avenue NN VA 23602	249-0200	249-4736	abryant@commonwealthlodging.com	Free	Outdoor	Free	Free	Interior
Comfort Suites	Lori Leib	\$99.00	12570 Jefferson Ave., NN, VA 23602	947-1333	947-1330	lleib@excelmanagementgroup.com	Free	Indoor	Free	Free	Interior
Country Inn & Suites	Stephen Barger	\$94.00	1069 J. Clyde Morris Blvd NN, VA 23602	327-0722	327-0723	stephen.barger@countryinns.com	Free	Indoor	Free	Free	Interior
Quality Inn	Stephen Barger	\$68.00	945 J. Clyde Morris Blvd NN, VA 23602	358-3672	327-0723	stephen.barger@countryinns.com	Free	No	Free	Free	Interior
Hampton Inn	Maureen Coon	109-139	12251 Jefferson Avenu NN, VA 23602	249-0001		maureen.coon@hilton.com	Free	Outdoor	Free	Free	Interior
Holiday Inn Suites	Joyce Byington-Clark	\$109.00	943 J Clyde Morris Blvd, NN, VA 23601	596-6417		Byington-ClarkJ@gfhotels.com	Free + grat	Indoor	Free	Free	Interior
Holiday Inn Express	Joyce Byington-Clark	\$109.00	16890 Warwick Blvd, NN, VA 23603	838-3000		Byington-ClarkJ@gfhotels.com	Free	Outdoor	Free	Free	Interior
Jameson Inn & Suites	Alcina Phipps	84.99-109.99	21 Old Oyster Point Road, NN, VA 23602	951-1177		newportnews.va@pmghotels.com	Free	Indoor	Free	Free	Interior
Point Plaza	Erin Goodman	\$99.00	950 J Clyde Morris, NN, VA 23601	952-0116	952-1017	erin.Goodman@GFHotels.com	Free	Indoor	Free	Free	Both
Residence Inn	Jaclyn Lester	109-139	531 St. Johns Road, NN, VA 23602	842-6214	345-8999	iaclyn.lester@shaminhotels.com	Continental	Indoor	Free	Free	Interior
Magnuson Hotel	Kimberly Wycoff	\$84.99	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,								
Yorktown Hotels											
Courtvard Yorktown	Tiffany Joyner	119-124	105 Cybernetics Way Yorktown, VA 23693	746-2313		tiovner@cvvorktown.com	Ala Carte	Indoor	Free	Free	Interior
Days Inn		65									
Suffolk Hotels											
Hilton Garden Inn		139	5921 Harbour View Blvd Suffolk, VA 23435	484-9001							
Courtyard	Pamela Perry	119	8060 Harbour View Blvd Suffolk, VA 23435	483-1144		pamela.perry@crestlinehotels.com					
Comfort Suites	Taryn Boone		5409 Plummer Blvd. Suffolk, VA 23435	215-0700		tboone@comfortsuitessuffolk.com					
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