



Rockford Showcase

Basketball Tournament Rockford High School and Field house

Minnesota State High School League Rules will apply with the following modifications:

Game Length: 4th grade – 2-20 minute running time halves until last two minutes of game.
5th and 6th grade– 2-20 minute running time halves; clock will stop during all free throws and on whistle in last two minutes of game.
7th and 8th grade - 2-14 min stop time halves.

Overtime: 2 minute stop time. If a third overtime is necessary, it will be sudden death.

Half Time: Five minutes will be allowed at half time for all games. If games fall behind scheduled start times, half time lengths may be shortened.

Running Time: If a team is ahead by 20 or more points - with 10 minutes left in a 20 minute half, or 7 minutes left in a 14 minute half, running time shall begin. Lead must be reduced to 10 points before running time stops.

Time Outs: Each team is awarded 3 one-minute timeouts, with one additional for each overtime period.

Warm-up Time: A minimum of 5 minutes shall be allowed for warming up.

1. Teams must have 5 players to start a game. A five-minute grace period from the scheduled start time shall be allowed before a forfeit is declared. Also may be determined by tournament manager.
2. The three-point line will be in effect for all levels.
3. Teams must have uniforms with visible and readable numbers.
4. Repeated un-sportsmanlike conduct by players, coaches, parents, or fans shall not be tolerated and the individual will be asked to leave the gym. Coaches are responsible for the conduct of their fans. If a spectator refuses to leave, the game will be forfeited by the offending team.
5. Fouls:
 - a. Players foul out with five fouls
 - b. Bonus free throws shall be shot on the seventh foul
 - c. On the tenth foul, teams will be awarded two free throws
 - d. Technical fouls: Automatic two points and the ball. Two technical fouls on any player or coach will result in ejection from the game.
 - e. If a team has only 5 players left in the game, no player shall foul out of the game after the fifth foul on a player. Subsequent fouls on the player will result in the fouled team being awarded two points and the ball, as in technical fouls.
6. The intermediate (28.5) size ball will be used for 4th, 5th and 6th grade. Full size ball for 7th and 8th grade.
7. Dribbling or ball handling in the concessions, commons and hallway areas is prohibited.
8. Referees will not tolerate abuse from coaches, players, and/or spectators. If such incidents occur, they will be strict in assessing technical fouls.
9. No protests are allowed. All disputes will be settled by the game officials or Supervisor officials
10. Spectators exhibiting unsportsmanlike conduct will be asked to leave the building.

Defense: Teams may not full court press if ahead by 15 points.
4th grade - No zone or pressing in 4th grade
5C - Person to Person press allowed in last 2 minutes of game, otherwise no zone or pressing
5B - Person to Person press allowed in last 10 minutes of game in 5B division, otherwise no zone or pressing.
Regular MSHL rules apply for all 6th, 7th and 8th grade divisions.

Non rule items:

- Each team is responsible for providing their own warm-up basketballs, first aid supplies, water bottles, tape, etc. Ice will be provided.
- Please have your teams clean up the bench after each game.
- **NO TRAINERS OR MT's will be on site.**
- All teams will play in the Rockford High School Gym and Fieldhouse. Teams and fans must use the Game Entrance doors. Located at the Northeast Corner. PARK IN EAST parking lot. Please DO NOT go into the community center doors. That is for community fitness members only.
- Concessions will be available during the entire tournament.
- Individual trophies will be awarded. (Up to 10 per winning team)
- Rockford Athletic Association is not responsible for any lost/stolen items.