

West Zone Basketball

Grade 8 Boys and Girls Basketball Schedule

Welcome to the Grade 8 Kamloops Basketball season.

League Game Results should be email to Ashley Shannik at ashannik@sd73.bc.ca by host school.

This is a full round robin league with each game counting for the overall standings

****Playoff dates are Round #1 Monday February 12th, Round #2 Tuesday February 13th, and Thursday February 15th will be the finals, location based on league play.**

Guidelines: Grade 8 is a participation-oriented year and teams should include as many players as possible; however you are encouraged to create a strong competitive experience for your players.

Playing Time: While you are not mandated to provide all students with equal playing time at this level, most of your players should be given the opportunity to compete throughout the season, especially if your players are positively committed to team expectations. Factors that might influence decisions regarding playing include but are not limited to injury, illness, missed practices, poor attitude, poor attendance at school, low academic effort, ability, and school and team playing philosophies.

Each team/coach is responsible to play within the spirit and intent of the Guidelines, Rules and Understandings. Positive and respectful sporting behaviour and fair play must be demonstrated at all times. It is strongly suggested that your play everyone equally for the first three quarters.

Rules:

1. **Game:** 4 quarters. 8 minutes long. 3 minute overtime if needed. 8 min half time.
2. **Start Times:** 5:00pm for Girls and 6:30pm for Boys.
3. **Ball:** Size 6. The one used by high school Girls at all levels.
4. **FIBA:** The game is officiated according to the FIBA Rules with high school modifications permitted by our governing body BC Basketball Officials Association (BCBOA)
5. **Defence:** All defences are allowed, however, for player development man to man defense is strongly encouraged.
6. **Press Allowed:** Except by a team if they are leading by 20 points or more.

Escalation

- If a team presses when they are ahead by 20 points or more, the other coach needs to remind that team's coach of the correct rule. This should resolve the matter immediately.
- If the same team continues to press, even after the other coach asks, please finish the game and bring this incident to the attention of Grade 8 Commissioner, Ashley Shannik within 24 hours of the game. It will investigate and apply the necessary consequence management.
- League Commissioner Ashley Shannik can be reached at 250-320-7321.

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Teams

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|-------------------|--|
| 1. Brocklehurst | 2. Westsyde |
| 3. Merritt | 4. SaHali |
| 5. South Kamloops | 6. St Ann's |
| 6. Valleyview | 8. Barriere (Girls) / SaHaliRed (Boys) |

Standard League game times are 5:00pm for girls and 6:30pm for boys.

Monday Dec 11th	Brock at Barriere /SaHali Red *bus p/u SaHali at 3pm; Brock at 3:15 SaHali at SkSS Valleyview at Westsyde St. Ann's at Merritt
Monday Dec 18th	St. Ann's at Brock Westsyde at SaHali Barriere/Sahali Red at SKSS **part of triple game : 4pm and 5:30pm *bus p/u Barriere at 2:30 pm Merritt at Valleyview
Monday Jan 8th	Brock at Valleyview Merritt at SaHali SKSS at Westsyde Barriere/Sahali Red at St. Ann's *Barriere Bus at 3:30
Monday Jan 15th	Brock at Westsyde St. Ann's at Sahali Valleyview at Barriere /Sahali Red *Sahali bus @ 3:15, Vview @ 3:30 Merritt at SKSS
Monday Jan 22nd	Merritt at Brock SaHali at Valleyview SkSS at St. Ann's Westsyde at Barriere/ SaHali Red *Barriere bus at 3:30
Monday Jan 29th	SkSS at Brock Barriere/SaHali Red at SaHali *Barriere bus at 3:30 Merritt at Westsyde Valleyview at St. Ann's
Monday Feb 5th	SaHali at Brock Merritt at Barriere/ Sahali Red *Barriere bus @ 3:30 SkSS at Valleyview Westsyde at St. Ann's

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Playoffs

Grade 8 Girls West Zone Championship Tournament - Dates TBD							
			Ranked 1st				
			2:00 PM				
			Ranked 8th				
	9:00 AM			12:00 PM			
			Ranked 4th				
			3:30 PM				
			Ranked 5th				
3:00 PM					4:30 PM		
			Ranked 2nd				6:00 PM
			5:00 PM				
			Ranked 7th				
	10:30 AM			1:30 PM			
			Ranked 3rd				
			6:30 PM				
			Ranked 6th				

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Backdoor Challenge Games if required based on number of births to Invitational Championships will be determined asap.

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			Ranked 1st				
				11:00 AM			
			Ranked 4th				
			3:30 PM				
			Ranked 5th				
					3:30 PM		5:00 PM
			Ranked 2nd				
	2:00 PM		5:00 PM				
			Ranked 7th				
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Invitational Provincials for Grade 8 @ Pitt Meadows Dates TBA

<http://www.marauderhoops.com/grade-8-provincials>

Good luck, Have a great season!