

# Oskaloosa Youth Basketball 2007 -2008 Youth Tournaments Boys & Girls Traveling Basketball Tournament

Saturday, November 3, 2007 \*\*\* Saturday, December 1, 2007  
Saturday, February 2, 2008

We totally filled last year's tournaments!!! We'd love to have your team join us in 2007- 2008!

**Three Different Tournaments  
3 games Guaranteed**

5<sup>th</sup> grade boys & girls  
6<sup>th</sup> grade boys & girls  
7<sup>th</sup> grade boys & girls  
8<sup>th</sup> grade boys & girls  
Divisions Offered

REGISTRATION FORM  
OSKALOOSA YOUTH BASKETBALL

TEAM NAME \_\_\_\_\_ COACH \_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ CITY \_\_\_\_\_ ST \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_  
HOME PHONE ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ WORK PHONE ( ) \_\_\_\_\_  
E-MAIL \_\_\_\_\_

( ) Yes, please enter my team in the Totally Hoops Basketball Tournament on **November 3, 2007**. I understand all teams are guaranteed 3 games.

( ) Yes, please enter my team in Totally Hoops Basketball Tournament on **December 1, 2007**. I understand all teams are guaranteed 3 games

( ) Yes, please enter my team in the Totally Hoops Basketball Tournament on **February 2, 2008**. I understand all teams are guaranteed 3 games

CHECK-OFF DIVISION ENTERED: ( ) 5<sup>TH</sup> ( ) 6<sup>TH</sup> ( ) 7<sup>TH</sup> ( ) 8<sup>TH</sup>  
DIVISION ENTERED: ( ) BOYS ( ) GIRLS

AMOUNT ENCLOSED: \_\_\_\_\_ PAYABLE TO OSKALOOSA YOUTH BASKETBALL

MAIL TO: TOTALLY HOOPS TOURNAMENT  
C/O/ AL CARLSON, TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR  
1709 EDMUNDSON DRIVE  
OSKALOOSA, IOWA 52577

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DIVISIONS  
5<sup>TH</sup>, 6<sup>TH</sup>, 7<sup>TH</sup> & 8<sup>TH</sup> grade boys & girls

**\$125 Entry Fee  
per team  
per tournament**

REGISTRATION DUE DATE:  
Entries Due Two Weeks Prior to Tournament Date

Entries Taken on a First Come  
Basis

### **ENTRY FEES**

The entry fee for 2007-2008 Totally Hoops Tournaments will be \$125.00 per team per tournament. Teams are not officially registered until the entry fee is paid in full and an email confirming your entry is mailed back to you. **Please include an email address in your entry form.** This tournament is open until two weeks prior to the tournament date or when the division is full (8 teams).

### **FORMAT**

4 – 8 teams per division. All teams are guaranteed three (3) games.  
15 player roster.

Each team is REQUIRED TO PROVIDE ONE (1) QUALIFIED SCOREKEEPER AT EACH GAME. THIS REQUIREMENT MUST BE MET OR THE TEAM WILL FORFEIT THE GAME.

### **FACILITIES**

Games will be held at the Oskaloosa Senior High, Oskaloosa Middle School Community Schools and Oskaloosa YMCA facilities.

### **AWARDS / TOURNAMENT INFORMATION**

Medals will be awarded to the top three teams in each division provided the tournament bracket is full.

Schedules, maps and rules will be e-mailed and hard mailed one week prior to the tournament date.

Registration Due Date: Two Weeks Prior to the Tournament or until tournament is filled on a first come basis.

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**Coaches,**

**I'm somewhat amused at all the winter tournament announcements lately. They come in waves of emails and also through snail mail. What amuses me is that they want you and your team to travel a long ways, stay 2 days, sometimes 3 days, all to play a total of 3-4 games! I've brought 3 of my own children through over 1,000 games and know what quality tournaments look like. Those spread-out tournaments usually means you turn into team baby-sitters and your parents fork out lots of money in food and hotels. Stop the non-sense and listen to what we offer in our one day tournaments in Oskaloosa!**

**We again will be holding our Totally Hoops Tournaments in Oskaloosa this year for 2007-2008. Oskaloosa is centrally located in Iowa and is easy to reach. We have three tournaments on the calendar. These will be Saturday only tournaments and will take place on November 3, December 1 and February 2. Each of these tournaments will be for boys and girls in grades 5th-8th grades.**

**We have run tournaments for over 25 years now. We have an experienced staff and our trademarks for our tournaments include having large tournament brackets posted for your team and fans to follow, a wide variety of homemade baked goods and full service concessions, and a scheduled designed so that you don't have to spend your whole day at our tournament. Generally, we try to schedule your team to play every other hour so that you don't have long waits in between your games.**

**Our tournament also offers certified high school officials. We bring in a very seasoned crew of officials who have done our tournaments for several years now and your comments over the years have been very positive regarding the job that they do. Our officials teach as they make the calls. This team of officials will again be joining us in 2007-2008 at each of our tournaments.**

**Oskaloosa is a 4A class school and we use the high school, middle school and YMCA for our gym facilities. We guarantee 3 games to all teams and accept the 48 teams on a first come basis. High school rules apply to all games with the exception of 20 minute continuous half clocks with three time-outs per game; Clock stops on all whistles the last two minutes of the game.**

**We again would be thrilled to have you and your players join us in Oskaloosa for our Totally Hoops tournaments. Attached is an entry form for our tournaments. We also have more information on our tournament on our [www.iowalightning.com](http://www.iowalightning.com) website under the "Totally Hoops" icon.**

**Best regards,**

**Al Carlson  
Totally Hoops**