

2019 HOOPS FOR THE HOLIDAYS

DATE: Friday, Dec. 27

TIME: 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. (best estimate)

LOCATION: Gayle & Tom Benson Arena (Jesuit High School)

CONFIGURATION: Will use sideline goals for full court games except for finals in each division, which will use full arena goals.

PARTICIPANTS: For inaugural year, limit participants to current students. Consider adding young alumni and prospective student divisions in future years.

DIVISIONS: (5) seniors, juniors, sophomores, freshmen, pre-freshmen

TEAM SIZE: Each team will consist of a minimum of seven players. The maximum number of participants per team will be limited to 15.

REGISTRATION & COST: The cost to register is \$100 per team and is due at the time of registration. **Due date to register is Friday, Dec. 18.** Registration sheet will include the name of the team, name of team captain, team captain's cell number, and list of all eligible players. Registration sheets may be dropped off in the President's Suite (Room 342) located on the 3rd floor of the administration building. Matt Orillion is emailing electronic copy of sign-up sheet.

FORMAT: Five-on-five. Each team is guaranteed at least two games. Divisions will be broken into pool play. One team will emerge from each pool to compete in championship round. In this round, winners move on and losers are eliminated. Point differential will decide ties in pool play and for seeding purposes. Teams are encouraged to arrive at least 15 minutes before a scheduled game. Any team not arriving by tip-off will be assigned a loss in that game. A shortened game that does not count in the standings may be played if both sides agree to do so.

NUMBER OF TEAM: In this inaugural year, the senior division will be limited to 12 teams. For time purposes, all other divisions will be limited to 8 teams.

LENGTH OF GAMES: Games will consist of two 8-minute halves (running time). Halftime will run four minutes.

START & END OF GAMES: All preliminary games (two per time period) will begin and end at the same time at the sound of the buzzer. Time for all games will be kept on the scoreboard clock. A coin flip will decide the first possession. The second half will open with the opposing team having the ball.

SCORING: Will be kept by volunteers using manual score card system on sideline tables.

FOULS: If a foul is called by a referee, the player who is fouled will shoot ONE free throw. If the free throw is made, his team will be awarded two points. If the foul takes place during a shot, a made free throw will count for a single point. Rebounds are not allowed. Opposing team takes possession from out of bounds. Under tournament rules, referees are allowed to disqualify a player for rough play after the issue of a warning. Any disqualified player may return in future games.

UNIFORMS: Uniforms are to be supplied by participants. Tasteful creativity is encouraged. Matching shirt colors are encouraged.

REFEREES: Young alumni and adult volunteers will officiate games. All decisions made by referees are final. Borrow referee shirts and whistles from Student Council Office.

CONCESSIONS: Available at the Arena Concession Stand, which will be run by members of the Jesuit Jayettes. All proceeds will benefit the donation from the tournament.

CHAMPIONSHIP GAMES: Will be played on full arena court using two main goals, full scoreboard, and will include three point shots.