

*Welcome to*



*Junior Cardinals*



## Mission



**Fond du Lac Youth Basketball Club provides support, instruction and organization of the youth basketball program for boys and girls in grades 3-12. Player skills and fundamentals will be developed while encouraging sportsmanship, competition and fun in a team environment.**



# Board Members



## Executive Board

Dan Ferguson - President

Tricia Hanrahan - Vice President, Boys Liaison

Laurie Moore - Treasurer

Ashleigh Rodriguez - Secretary

## General Board Members

Liz Schreiter - Hoops Mania, Girls Liaison

Kris Thome - Tournament Director, Equipment Manager

Brenda Krzykowski - Concession Director

Ben Spittel - Web Manager



# Girls Basketball



## Head Coach

Jeff Bell

## Social Media

Facebook Page - Fond du Lac Girls Basketball

Twitter - @fondyball

Instagram - fondyball

## Upcoming Items

Youth Clinic - October 17th - November 7th



# Boys Basketball



## Head Coach

Nick Ford

## Social Media

Facebook Page - FondyHoops

Twitter - @fondybasketball

## Current / Upcoming Events

Youth Camp - October 17th - November 14th



## Player Fees



Grades 3-7: \$180.00 per participant - FEE \$130 + HOOPS MANIA \$50

Grade 8: 305.00 per participant - FEE \$130 + HOOPS MANIA \$50 plus \$125.00 deposit for uniform and volunteer hours

**These fees cover approximately 1/2 of the cost of your child playing in tournaments. The other 1/2 comes from money we make through fundraising.**



# Deposit Checks



## GRADE 8 ONLY

You are required to write a check for \$305.00 which will be cashed. This price is in lieu of us holding a check of \$125 for the entire year. We will have a turn in date after the season where you will receive a refund if applicable.

After the season in complete, money will be returned if:

- Volunteer hours are satisfied
- Uniform is returned cleaned and in good condition



## Player Fees

**No child will be turned away because of money!!!**

If you are only able to pay a portion or you are not able to pay at all, please fill out the following form ([Financial Aid Form](#)) explaining your situation and the board will work with you so your child can play.

**SPONSOR A PLAYER:** if you are blessed financially and you would be willing to sponsor a child, please send an email to [pres@fdlyouthbasketball.com](mailto:pres@fdlyouthbasketball.com) expressing your interest in helping out a family.





# Registration Information



- 1) **ALL registration will be done online**
  - a) You will need to set-up an account with SportsEngine (<http://www.fdyouthbasketball.com>)
    - i) If you have an account for SportsEngine for another sport, you can use the same name/password
  - b) Most, if not all, coaches communicate via email or the Club Website so if you do not have an email you will have to make other arrangements for communication. The club sends out mass emails to get information out to all of you.
  
- 2) Please read the forms before you sign them on the registration  
--Concussion, Parent & Player Codes of Conduct and Bullying

**NO ONE CAN PRACTICE OR PLAY UNTIL YOU HAVE REGISTERED, PAID AND SIGNED A WAIVER FORM**



# FUNDRAISING



1. **HOOPS Mania tickets:**
  - Each family sells 5 tickets
  - Club makes \$7 per ticket sold
2. **Tournaments (BY FAR our biggest source of revenue):**
  - Parent/Guardian/Family member work hours are key to the success of the club
3. **Amazon Smile:**
  - 0.5% of every purchase goes to Fondy Youth Basketball
  - <https://smile.amazon.com/ch/39-1499422>
  - this link is shared on FDL Youth Basketball Website & Facebook
4. **HuTerra App:**
  - Download, select Fondy Youth Basketball, find businesses, scan receipts



**Because of the current, fluid situation with the pandemic, we are currently monitoring. Although we plan to host Home Tournaments, if the situation does not improve those plans may change. If we do move forward with tournaments, volunteer hours will be required as in past seasons.**



# Volunteer Hours



## Home Tournament Jobs

- Entrance Sales
- Concession Stand
- Set up and Clean up
- Hours will be assigned by Club
- Each family is expected to work approximately **4-5 hours at each tournament your child plays.**

## What do my volunteer hours do for me & my child?

- Lower registration fees
- New equipment for youth teams and high school program



## Tournament Schedule



Saturday, January 9, 2021  
Sunday, January 10, 2021

**BOYS Grades 5-6(B), 7-8(A)**  
**GIRLS Grades 5-6(B), 7-8(A)**

Saturday, January 23, 2021  
Sunday, January 24, 2021

**"B Level" BOYS Grades 5-8**  
**"B Level" GIRLS Grades 5-8**

Saturday, February 6, 2021  
Sunday, February 7, 2021

**"A Level" BOYS Grades 7 & 8**  
**"A Level" GIRLS Grades 7 & 8**

Saturday, February 27, 2021  
Sunday, February 28, 2021

**"B Level" BOYS Grades 3-6(B)**  
**"B Level" GIRLS Grades 3-6(B)**



# Coaches



**Coaches are volunteers** and work hard to develop our children into skilled, hard working, disciplined basketball players.

Please keep that in mind as the season gets going.



## Wisconsin Youth Basketball League



- WYBL--**
- \*Boys “A” Level Teams Grades 6-8**
  - \*League begins November (Subject to change)**
  - \*2 Games are played every other Sunday**
    - 16 League Games will end Late February**
    - League championship will be early March**
  - \*ALL of our games will be away**
  - \*Team Rosters are due later October**
- TRYOUTS** for players interested in playing in this league will take place at each level and scheduled at a later date



## Wisconsin Youth Basketball League



**WYBL-- cont'd**

**Players not interested in this league or do not make the WYBL team will still have a team to play with and tournaments to play**

**WYBL league will count for 5 tournaments of the total tournaments the team is allowed**

**Teams not in WYBL will play their full slate of tournaments**

**Grades 3-4 up to 8 tournaments**

**Grades 5-8 up to 10 tournaments**





## Lakeshore Basketball League



### **Girls Teams Grades 3-6**

**\*League start TBD**

**\*2 Games are played**

**\*Games are primarily in the Sheboygan**

**Details are still being worked out.**



**LBL-- cont'd**

**Players/Teams not interested in this league will still have a team to play with and tournaments to play**

**LBL league will count for 3 tournaments of the total tournaments the team is allowed**

**Teams not in LBL will play their full slate of tournaments**

**Grades 3-4 up to 8 tournaments**

**Grades 5-8 up to 10 tournaments**



# Team Philosophy



## **Teams at each Grade Level:**

- Teams Grades 3-5 will be split evenly
- Teams Grades 6-8 will be created based on Skill Level
  
- Players of similar skill will play together and coaches will enter the team in tournaments that most closely match skill level.

**WE NEED PARENTS / VOLUNTEERS TO COACH**

**Each Coach will schedule their own tournaments and coach the games**



# PLAYER PRIORITIES



1. **FAMILY first:** Respect your parents/guardians and tell them you love them for letting you play basketball
2. **SCHOOL:** Your education is what will take you places.

## SCHOOL ACCOUNTABILITY FORMS:

- a. ALL players are required to get signatures from ALL teachers every week
  - b. Teachers will let us know of missing work or poor behavior
  - c. Form not turned in or chronic (more than once) poor choices will result in lost playing time  
Playing time will decrease with each successive miscue
  - D. Form is on Youth Basketball website and the middle schools also have the forms in the office
3. **BASKETBALL:** During the basketball season



# Playing Time



**Grades 3-5** - All players will get similar playing time

**Grades 6-8** - Playing time will be earned

## **TOP FACTORS TO DETERMINE PLAYING TIME:**

**EFFORT      ATTITUDE      COACHABILITY      ATTENDANCE**

**Basketball skill and knowledge** are considered after the above criteria have been met.



## Team Representation



Our goal is to continue to grow our board to be able to provide our kids the best opportunities to play basketball at the highest level.

What being on the board means:

- Meet one day a month
- Help run tournaments - concessions or director
- Make decisions about all aspects of the club
- Reduced players fees
- Reduced volunteer hours at your child's tournament



## QUESTIONS

Please also refer to the [www.fdyouthbasketball.com](http://www.fdyouthbasketball.com) website, scroll down to the Registration and Financial Aid question links.



# Coaches



## Boys

3rd TBD

4th Toby Eeg

5th Dave Michalkiewicz

6th Grant Monroe

7th Jason Brenner, Nick Hahn

8th Zach Groelle, Chad Guell





# Coaches



## Girls

3rd	TBD
4th	Julie Zielger
5th	Jackie Lorbach
6th	Kevin Braatz
7th	TBD
8th	Aaron Chase