



# FORT ATKINSON BOYS BASKETBALL

## BUILDING A CULTURE

### 2018-2019 FORT ATKINSON BOYS BASKETBALL YOUTH PROGRAM

#### K through 8<sup>th</sup> Grade

The enclosed information details the various basketball opportunities available for K through 8<sup>th</sup> grade boys for the upcoming basketball season. Our main goal in developing this program is to teach our youth how to play the game of basketball and to give each child the opportunity to fill a variety of roles.

Coach Hintz and the FBBA Board of Directors

**Registration: On-line @ [www.fortboysbasketball.com](http://www.fortboysbasketball.com)**

**Mandatory parent meeting Sunday October 14<sup>th</sup> 7:00 PM @ Fort HS**

**Coaches and board members will be available to answer questions  
and discuss the upcoming season!**

Late registrations will be accepted, if you can't attend please contact Coach Hintz ASAP.

If you would like to send your registration form in, please complete the requested info and send with payment by October 15<sup>th</sup> to:  
FBBA, PO Box 491 Fort Atkinson, WI 53538

#### Badger Developmental League

Fort Atkinson Boys Basketball will be entering year 5 of the Badger Developmental league (BDL). This year the BDL will have close to 500 teams in the league from the following communities: Waunakee, Mt Horeb, Deforest, Stoughton, Oregon, Sauk Prairie, Milton, Monona Grove, Lake Mills, McFarland, Middleton, Jefferson, Sun Prairie, Madison LaFollette,, Madison Memorial, Madison West, Marshall, Madison East, Beaver Dam, Lodi, Verona, Portage, Columbus, Randolph, and Monroe. Each community can have up to 2 equally split teams per division for grades 3-5 in the Badger Division with additional teams in the Bucky Division. Grades 6-8 are split into A, B, C divisions. Teams will play games on six dates, and all games will be completed in the morning or afternoon depending on final schedule.

#### Badger Developmental League Divisions this year

Rec/beginner divisions in grades 3<sup>rd</sup> through 5<sup>th</sup>,  
6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade A, B and C divisions.

#### Benefits of the Badger Developmental League

- Simplify the time commitment required for families while allowing for a **positive** basketball experience.
    - Minimize the cost to the overall program while maintaining a **quality** basketball experience.
  - The ability for our boys to play against other community teams promoting a **competitive** basketball experience.
- If your son has a passion for basketball, we strongly encourage you to join our program for the 2018-2019 basketball season.

#### League Dates and Sites

Each grade will play **one of the dates each weekend** ½ day on site maximum.

- Dec. 1/2<sup>nd</sup> -BDL pre-season warm-up
- Dec 8<sup>th</sup> and Dec. 9<sup>th</sup> ---Week 1
- Dec 15<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup>, 29<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup> ---Week 2
- Jan 5<sup>th</sup> and Jan 6<sup>th</sup> @ --Week 3
- Jan 12<sup>th</sup> and Jan 13<sup>th</sup> @ --Week 4
- Jan 26, 27 or Feb 2, 3 @ --Week 5
- End of season tournament will be one of these dates depending on grade  
Feb 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> @ Waunakee/TBD



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## K through 8<sup>th</sup> GRADE OPPORTUNITIES

All registrants will receive an official 2018-2019 Fort Atkinson Boys Basketball T-shirt

- **K-1** Lil Dribbler program ---\$60---12 dates and includes Lil Buck program
  - Lil Dribbler performance for grades K-1—2 times(1 at each a boys and girls varsity basketball game)
- **Grades 2-8**--3 on 3 and Skills work---\$75.00 (this is offered to boys looking for skills training but do not wish to join a BDL team). Will run Dec, Jan and Feb 2 times a week. 30 min skill work—45 min 3 on 3  
Fee includes Lil Buck program.
- **BDL Team Fees**—  
 \$285\* for grades 4<sup>th</sup>,5<sup>th</sup>, Grades 6<sup>th</sup> through 8<sup>th</sup> Badger White and Bucky teams  
 \$225\* for 3<sup>rd</sup> grade  
 \$325\* for grades 6<sup>th</sup> through 8<sup>th</sup> Badger Red State teams and

\*\*\*\*\*Fundraisers to reduce your fees: Basketball ball drop, pizza sale and/or work concession stand for BDL events hosted in town(FBBA is hosting 8 dates this year)

BDL team Fees includes all of the following dates as well as all season expenses listed below:

- Evaluation clinics run by Fort Atkinson High School coaching staff: Dates listed below
- BDL league games
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade - 12 games in Badger Developmental League
  - 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Grade - 17 games in Badger Developmental league
- 3 tournaments—Dates and times TBD---State teams play 2 extra tournaments
- 1 ticket to Milwaukee Bucks game Wed Dec 19 vs New Orleans Pelicans---Lil Buck program
- 1 Milwaukee Bucks logo winter stocking hat—Lil Buck program

Your BDL fees pay for evaluations, skills clinics, league and tournament fees, program insurance, jersey costs, website fees, program technology and other equipment as needed. Each participant will also receive a Fort Atkinson shooting shirt hoody, the 2018-2019 official Fort Atkinson Boys Basketball t-shirt AND one item from the following 4 choices: basketball, backpack, 2018-2019 sweatshirt or hat combo (stocking cap and fitted NIKE hat).

\*The FBBA does provide partial scholarships for families in need. Please contact Coach Hintz for scholarship requests.

**\$50 deduction for families registering more than 1 child for a BDL team in grades 4 through 8**

## Skills/evaluation clinic dates(Teams announced week of November 1<sup>st</sup>):

<u>3<sup>rd</sup> grade</u>	<u>4<sup>th</sup> grade</u>	<u>5<sup>th</sup> grade</u>	<u>6<sup>th</sup> grade</u>	<u>7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade</u>
October 11, 18, 22, 23, 29 and Nov 1	October 11, 18, 22, 25, 29 and Nov 1	October 11, 18, 22, 25, 29 and Nov 1	October 8, 15, 22, 23, 29 and Nov 1	October 8, 14, 15, 21, 28, Nov 4 and 11

**Sunday practices are at Middle School 5 to 6:30 pm**

**Monday practices are at high school 6:30 to 8:00 pm**

**All other practices at high school 5:45 to 7 pm**

**Players not scheduled on a specific night are more than welcome to attend to shoot around on the side on their own.**

Teams will practice 2 times a week. Dates, times and sites will be announced when teams are announced week of Nov. 1

PLEASE REGISTER ON-LINE AT [WWW.FORTBOYSBASKETBALL.COM](http://WWW.FORTBOYSBASKETBALL.COM) if you are unable to register on-line please register in person at one of the Skills/Evaluation clinic dates. If you have any questions regarding the FBBA Youth Basketball program please contact Coach Hintz at [fortboysbasketball@gmail.com](mailto:fortboysbasketball@gmail.com) or call 608-395-5311.