

KMGBC Player/Parent Meeting

2020-21 Season



KMGBC Mission Statement

The mission of the KMGBC is to teach fundamental, sound basketball skills in a safe and positive atmosphere and at the same time encouraging players to confident and conduct themselves with integrity and respect, in order to represent the Kettle Moraine Community in a positive manner. It is the goal of the club to serve the community by developing prepared athletes who will be an asset to the high school program and the community. We work closely with the Kettle Moraine High School coaching staff to develop and prepare our players for the KM High School program.

Board Members

Scott Brisk	Program Director	Apr. 2022
NEW - Tracy Sanicola	Tournament Director	Apr. 2022
Jim Twet	Coaching Director	Apr. 2022
Debbie Vosburg/ Meghan Lodes	Co-Event Directors	Apr. 2022
Vaughn Torres	Secretary	Apr. 2021
Corinne Vertz	Treasurer	Apr. 2021
Luke Zuchowski	League Director	Apr. 2021
Kelly Donaldson	Community Ed Liaison	Non Expiring
Todd Hansen	Girls Varsity Head Coach	Non Expiring

We are looking for new Board members next April. Opportunities to shadow existing members are available immediately. Please consider joining our dynamic team.

<https://www.kmgbc.com/board>

Monthly Board Meetings

- Bylaws provide expectations of the Board and all those participating in the club (can be found on the website)
- LOCATION: Laser Room at KMHS or via Google Meet
- SCHEDULE: Third Monday of every month at 6:30pm
- All meeting dates and times are posted on the website: www.KMGBC.com
- Meetings are open to the public

Even if you're not on the Board, we appreciate ongoing and constructive feedback about how to make the program the very best for our kids and the district.

Expectations

The KMGBC endorses and supports the principles of the Kettle Moraine School District Code of Conduct.

- Players are expected to attend all practices and games.
- We expect everyone to prioritize basketball over other sports during the season (November - March).
- Players must notify their coach of an absence or late arrival.
- Be supportive of your team and respectful toward teammates, coaches, referees and opponents.
- Be respectful of the equipment provided for your use by the program.
- We expect each player to work at being positive and to embrace the team attitude.
- At the end of the game, always line up and congratulate the other team and thank the referees.
- A successful student-athlete is a successful student first.

A Word from Varsity Coach Todd Hansen



Volunteer Requirement

- We need volunteers to help out at our Lake Country Basketball League and the Sweetheart Tournament.
- These are the two main sources of income for our Club that allow us to keep the annual fees low and don't require us to do any fundraising!
- Volunteer opportunities include:
 - Shifts in the concessions at the LCGBA games on any League Sunday
 - Shifts at the Sweetheart Tournament in February
- Volunteering for *either* event will fulfill your volunteer requirement for KMGBC.
- Approximate volunteer hours is 4-5 hours (per family/per player).

Practice and Game Schedules

- Players are required to be at practice and games dressed and ready to go (15-30 min early).
- Practice will be communicated via your coach or Team Parent (2x per week).
- 3rd & 4th Grade in Mukwonago League on **Sundays**. Starts End of November.
- 5th & 6th Grade in YGSBL at Waukesha South on **Sundays** - Starts End of November.
- 7th & 8th Grade in YGSBL at Waukesha West on **Saturday/Sundays**. Starts End of November.
- 5th-8th Grade in LCGBA at Kettle Moraine on **Sundays**. Starts End of November.
- Based on the team your daughter is placed on will determine which of the above leagues your daughter plays in.
- Each League will have their own Covid Protocols. We will abide by their rules.

Tournaments

- All KMGBC teams will play in the annual KMGBC Sweetheart Tournament in February.
- 5-6 tournaments per 5th-8th grade teams, not including Sweetheart Tournament
- 3-4 tournaments per 3rd-4th grade teams, not including Sweetheart Tournament
- All Leagues have a year-end 2 game tournament near the beginning of February.
- Tournaments will be selected and communicated by your coach or Team Parent.
- State Tournament and Badgerland Tournament are options for any team.

How do I Handle a Concern?

- Have your child try to resolve the issue with her coach.
- If that does not resolve the issue, call the coach to discuss but follow the 24 hour policy.
- If you cannot come to a mutual solution to the issues or concerns, then please contact Scott Brisk, Program Director sbrisk@gmail.com at 262-408-1204.
- Any other concerns related to KMGBC may also be addressed by Scott and the Board.
- We would rather take care of any concerns early rather than waiting until they get worse.
- Communicate and provide feedback. We can't help if we are unaware of an issue.

Financials

Revenue

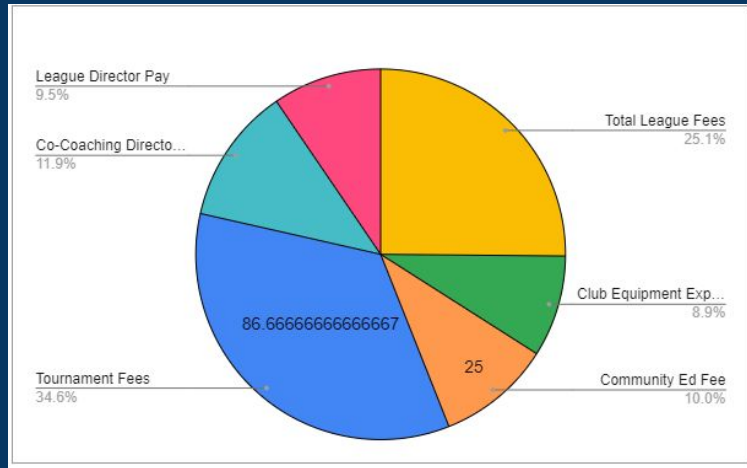
- Registration Player Fees \$23,000
- Sweetheart Tournament Profits \$14,000
- Lake Country League Profits \$17,000

Expenses

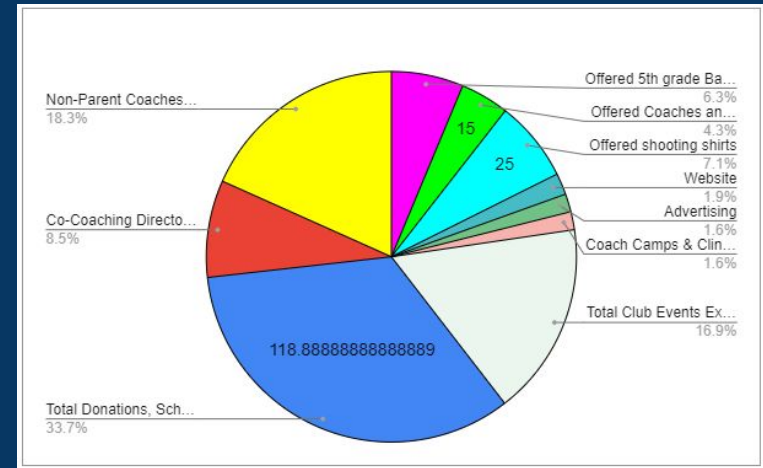
- Operating Expenses [\$27,000]
- Events & Perks [\$16,000]
- Club Donations [\$11,000]

Ending Account Balance \$60,000

Club spends about \$600 on each player a year



Core Expense per player paid for by
player registration fee: \$250



Bonus Expense per player paid for by
our league and tournament: \$350

High School Program and KM Community Outreach

Mutually beneficial relationship between KMGBC and the High School Basketball program:

- High school players donate time at concession stands for our league and provide scoring at Sweetheart tournament.
- High School coaches donate their time to help youth players and coaches development.
- High School coaches give KMGBC Advisory Board input.
- Annually KMGBC donates to KMHS:
 - Girls' High School Basketball Program
 - KMGBC Scholarship Fund - \$500 per rewarded scholar
 - Senior Night
- In 2019 KMGBC donated to the high school locker room improvements
- Annually the 8th grade team will sponsor a community project.

Events & Experiences

- Spirit Wear – Opened October
- KMGBC Homecoming Parade - Covid Hold *
- 10K Shot Club
- Bucks Night – Covid Hold *
- Laser Youth Night/Ice Cream Social – Covid Hold*
- Sweetheart Tournament - February 14th
- 8th Grade Community Service Project
- EOY Banquet - Covid Hold *
- The season ends the week of Spring Break.
- Summer Open Gyms and Basketball Camp offers - TBD *
- 5th graders receive a new (*indoor use only*) basketball to bring to practices and games now through 8th grade. No replacements paid for by the club.
- 5th graders receive a new team backpack to only be used for basketball practices and games now through 8th grade. No replacements paid for by the club.

KMGBC website will be updated as details are determined.

KMSD Covid Return to Play Guideline

The Kettle Moraine School District will continue to work in collaboration with state, and local guidance that focuses on mitigation so that students/ community members may return to play/ performances in a safe manner as it is relative to COVID-19. The district believes it is essential to the physical and mental well-being of student athletes/ community members to return to organized and community supported physical activities, co-curriculars and performances. It is important that as we return to play/ performances that we take the utmost care and direction to make sure that our athletes, co-curriculars and performances are able to prepare in organized activities safely.

Per WIAA/ DPI guidelines each member schools athletic/ activities department will operate with the approval of their school leadership in moving forward throughout any and all return to play/performance with guidance from the CDC, Wisconsin DHS, Waukesha County Health Department, NFHS and the WIAA throughout the summer and fall. All activities/ performances will be reviewed by the community education and athletic/ activities directors office to ensure that proper mitigation requirements are met.

Being Safe about Covid

COVID-19 guidelines seem to be constantly changing as new data is discovered. KMGBC will be following and enforcing the Kettle Moraine School District's guidelines and policies as they adapt throughout the season.

We will keep the club up to date on what our latest policy is. There are other leagues and tournaments that will be abiding to their own policies, and all KMGBC teams will abide and respect those league and tournament policies, even if they differ from our own.

Our goal during this period is to have the players learn new skills, have a good experience, and play basketball as safe as possible.

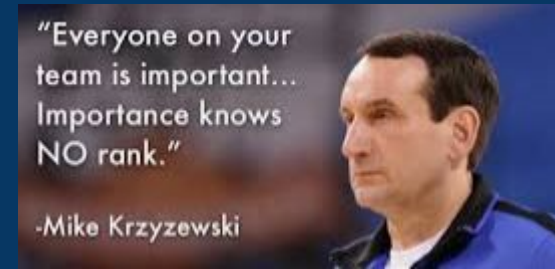
Refunds with Covid

KMGBC will suspended/move/postpone practices, events and games if it's unsafe due to Covid. If teams are not able to play in the expected number of tournaments or attend the expected number of practices, we'll determine an appropriate prorated refund/credit.

If practices, games and tournaments are still occurring and you feel it's unsafe for your daughter and your family, and need to step away, players will not be suspended from their team. Players are welcome back whenever they feel comfortable and safe to return to play. There will not be any penalties or repercussions by their team. However, no refunds or credits will be given to individual players who leave the club during the season and do not return while club play is still occurring. If at a later date, a refund or credit is given to all players because teams weren't able to attend the expected number of practices and tournaments due to Covid, all players will receive the same refund/credit even if you withdrew earlier due to your concerns about your own safety.

If you have any other questions or concerns, don't hesitate to email or call.

2020-2021 Coaches



3rd Grade Black– Coach Frank Cuda/Scott Voight

4th Grade Navy – Coach Steve Kohl/Dan Mowbray

4th Grade Gold – Coach Jon LoDuca/Bryn Feyen

5th Grade Navy – Coach Matt Lodes / Jesse Grutz /

Shayne Hudson

5th Grade Gold - Coach Leah Cuda/Marty Vosburg/Norm Kukuk

6th Grade Navy - Coach Cali Twet / Aleigha Sigafus/ Lisa Kowalski

6th Grade Gold – Coach Pete Schuster/ Katelyn Schuster

7th Grade Navy – Coach Ryan Tomczyk/Rico Torres/Mike Olson

8th Grade Navy – Coach Meghan Lewis/Sam Lewis

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Thank You!!!

Thank you to all the parents for supporting your daughters and KMGBC!!

We couldn't do it without all of you!

