

BAC BOYS IN HOUSE BASKETBALL

High School League Team Formation Explained

The BAC In House Basketball High School league (Grades 9-12) allows players to form their own teams. While the majority of players look forward to this feature after years of having BAC form their teams, it tends to be confusing, at least for the first year. We will try to explain it here.

- Determine who will be in charge of submitting a roster form (next page). One player needs to take charge of getting a team together. Teams may be made up of players from any grade, 9-12. The most straightforward roster submittal would have a full team of 10 players. You can have more than 10 players if you think someone will always be missing. Just understand that equal participation is still a requirement; therefore, if you roster more than 10 players, everyone will not get 4 segments of play. You can submit a roster with less than 10 players. In that case, BAC will likely fill in your empty slots with players who have registered independently and unaffiliated with a specific team. You have your chance to be in control of your team make up by submitting a roster of 10.
- Please remind your teammates that they themselves need to get a signed registration form submitted in a timely manner to the BAC to be allowed to play. Being listed on a roster doesn't mean that you're registered. If players are not cooperating with this, you may want to consider how reliable they will be as teammates.
- Each team must have an adult (21 years or older) attend practices and games as a responsible representative for the team, including disciplinary actions if they arise. Usually, the adult is the coach. Decide whether you want to be coached so that the adult is clear on expectations. Most teams practice and play seriously under the guidance of a coach (recommended and encouraged). Some teams prefer to gather for scrimmaging and for games with no greater objective than recreation, likely playing in the bottom league.
- High School League teams are organized into a two-tier league by the High School League coordinators after an evaluation period. The roster form asks you to indicate your assessment of your team's skill level and proposed league placement (top, middle, or bottom).
- PLEASE submit your roster no later than **January 18th**. BAC coordinators need to make many arrangements in order to make the basketball season play out as orderly as possible. Late roster submittals are extremely disruptive to that organizing process.
- No new teams may be formed after the start of the season; however, because some school team players' circumstances may make some players eligible for BAC In House play, High School rosters may change up to Game 4. No roster changes will be allowed after Game 4.
- Questions? Email: kenq.bacsports@gmail.com



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High School Team Organization Form

(NOTE: All players must fill out individual registration forms and pay their individual fee)

This form allows High School players to form their own team. A complete team includes:

1. A coach and assistant OR two or more monitors (all must be 21 years old or older). Either the coach or monitor **MUST** attend all practices and games. If a team only has one coach or monitor, that person must attend all practices and games.
2. Ten or more players. Teams with fewer than 10 players may be submitted; but the BAC reserves the right to add additional players to the team. Teams may be a mix of 9th, 10th, 11th, and 12th graders.
3. E-mail to: kenq.bacsports@gmail.com

Organizer: _____ Organizer's phone & email: _____

IMPORTANT NOTE: Team organizer is responsible for obtaining verbal agreements from all team members that they wish to be part of the listed team.

Coach/Monitor 1: _____ Phone & email: _____
 Coach/Monitor 2: _____ Phone & email: _____
 Coach/Monitor 3: _____ Phone & email: _____

<u>Name/grade/phones</u>	<u>Name/grade/phones</u>
1 _____	7 _____
2 _____	8 _____
3 _____	9 _____
4 _____	10 _____
5 _____	11 _____
6 _____	12 _____

All players, coaches and monitors listed have verbally agreed to be members of this team.

Signature _____
(team organizer)

Optional: Initial league placement level requested (circle one) Top Middle Bottom

IMPORTANT:

- **High school players do not need to sign up with a team!**
- **If you sign up as an individual, BAC BIHBB will place you on a team.**
- **A player signing up individually can still find and request a team later.**