

**美國中華體育聯誼會**  
**第七屆中華青少年籃球聯盟賽**  
**CAAA Youth Basketball League**

**Rules and Regulations**

[www.caaausa.com](http://www.caaausa.com)

**I. REGISTRATION**

**1. Purpose**

To promote sports participation and the cooperative spirit of the Chinese community in the United States.

為倡導學生課外體育活動及身心健康，切磋籃球技藝，聯繫校際情誼及促進華裔團結為宗旨

**2. Organizers**

主辦單位：Chinese American Athletic Association (CAAA)

美國中華體育聯誼總會 --負責獎牌杯及意外保險報名等

贊助單位：National Council of Associations of Chinese Language Schools (NCACLS)

全美中文學校聯合總會 --負責指導等

指導單位：Southern California Council of Chinese Schools (SCCCS)

南加州中文學校聯合會 --負責球賽監督

協辦單位：Chinese Culture Association of Southern California & Affiliated Cerritos Chinese School

南加州中華文化協會附屬喜瑞都中文學校 --負責球場及報名等

林肯中文學校 (Lincoln Cheetahs Chinese School) --負責賽程編排

**3. Divisions**

Divisions	Birthday
Age 10 (10 & under)	Boy or Girl born on or after 12/2/1996
Age 12 (11 - 12)	Boy born on or after 12/2/1994 (Girl born on or after 12/2/93)
Age 14 (13 - 14)	Boy born on or after 12/2/1992 (Girl born on or after 12/2/1991)
Age 16 (15 - 16)	Boy born on or after 12/2/1990 (Girl born on or after 12/2/1989)
Age 18 (17 - 18)	Boy born on or after 12/2/1988 (Girl born on or after 12/2/1987)

#### 4. Eligibility

##### A.

- 1) All teams can have two (2) Non-Asian players maximum.
- 2) Players with good health conditions and/or have physician's release to participate.
- 3) Each participant shall assume full responsibility for all of his/her injuries occurred in the tournament.
- 4) Co-Educate players/Girl players are welcomed.
- 5) Any Community High School Team has more than two(2) Non-Asian players, play exhibit only.

##### B. Top 3 teams advance to International Youth Basketball Championship in each Division.

#### 5. Team Rosters

Maximum of 12 players are allowed per team.

#### 6. Entry Deadline

2/12//2008

#### 7. Entry Locations

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#### 8. Entry Procedures

- a) Complete entry form
- b) Sign waiver release statement
- c)報名費每隊 \$380.

#### 9. Date of Tournament

**MARCH 1 through April 6, 2008**

#### 10. Sites of Games

- a) Cerritos High School Gym: 12500 East 183 RD St., Cerritos, CA 90703 & Bloomfield/183<sup>RD</sup> St. Cross Street
- b) Whitney High School Gym: 16800 S. Shoemaker Ave., Cerritos, CA 90703 & Artesia/166RD St. Cross Street

c) The CAAA Youth Basketball League Commissioners reserve the right to change to other Gyms.

#### 11. Official Website

- a) All schedules will be posted 1 week before the actual game time
- b) Team scores and rankings will be posted 1 week after the game time

#### 12. Method of Scheduling

- a) Time preference shall be declared on entry form. All scheduled games are final. A \$50 fee will be assessed for any changes made after the posting of the schedule on our website.
- b) Number of games and method of elimination are based on the number of teams in each division. Methods include double round robin, sub-division round robin, and others.

#### 13. Method of Placement

- a) Upon identical records, the outcome of the game played between the 2 determines placement.
- b) Upon identical records of 3 or more teams, the net spread from games among the teams in question determines placement.
- c) Group playoff records are counted toward division playoff records.

#### 14. Awards

Team trophies and individual medals will be given to the top 3 teams in each division.

#### 15. Amendments

- a) Teams are required to register players' names and numbers to the scorekeeper 15 minutes prior to game time. A technical foul will be given for noncompliance.
- b) Among similar divisions with alphabetical classification, the champion of each division is promoted to the next high classification.
- c) Players registered under divisions with age limitations can participate with 3 teams among different divisions.
- d) Players registered under divisions with age limitations must carry proper identification for verification at the first game. Players are prohibited from participating without proper identification.
- e) Age's division players must provide proper age identification with entry form.
- f) Divisions with less than 4 teams participating will be combined with other divisions by tournament organizers.
- g) Players list after First Game will be FINAL ROSTER.

#### 16. Special Regulations

To follow the purpose of the tournament and to uphold sportsmanship, the tournament shall permanently ban participants who initiate bodily harm to any individual involved with the tournament.

#### 17. Protest Procedures

- a) If game rules specifically apply to a disagreement, the referee's decision is final. If

game rules possess similar interpretation, the protest is prohibited. If a disagreement is not game rule related or cannot be interpreted, organizing officials will review the written protest, and their decision is final.

b) Team representatives shall present proper protest in writing with a \$40 fee; if the protest is considered improper, the \$40 fee will be donated toward award funding.

c) Protest regarding player eligibility is to be formally declared to the organizing official prior to competition.

d) In addition to oral protest of competition related disagreements, protest requirements are to be completed within 30 minutes after declaration of game outcome, the protest is void otherwise.

e) Players and staff members are prohibited from questioning referees during competition.

## II. EQUIPMENT

A. Uniforms will be either T-shirts or basketball shirts. Shirts must have a number to identify the players. Numbers must be on back and front with a minimum 4 or 6 or 8" on front and 6 or 8" on back. Uniforms must be uniform within team.

### B. Basketballs

1. Synthetic leather or leather basketballs may be used on the approval of both coaches. If there is no agreement, the rubber basketball will be used.
2. 10 & Under will use the 28.5" rubber/synthetic basketball.
3. 11-12 and older will use a regulation(standard) basketball.

## III. PLAYING RULES

\*\*\*\*\* C.A.A.A. BASKETBALL LEAGUE RULES 1/2008 \*\*\*\*\*

National High School Basketball Federation Rules are used with the following modifications:

- A team may start and play the whole game with FOUR players.
- A team is allowed a 5-minutes grace period.
- A game consists of 5 quarters of 8-minutes(was two halves of 20-minnutes) running-time each. There will be 1 minute between quarters.  
The last " 15 seconds" of the 4<sup>th</sup> quarter is stop-time  
Each player will play 2 quarters min. and 4 quarters max.
- The last " 2 minutes" of the 5<sup>th</sup> quarter is always stop-time, if THE SPREAD OF THE SCORE IS 15 OR MORE, THEN THE RUNNING CLOCK.  
A game will have TWO over-time periods of 2-minutes stop-time each if needed.
- The THIRD over-time period is "sudden-death" – the team that scores the first point(s) wins.
- Each team is allowed 4 time-outs per game including the over-time periods. This means no extra timeout in any of the over-time periods.
- 1-and-1 free-throws start at the 7<sup>th</sup> team fouls in each half.
- 2 free-throws start at the 10<sup>TH</sup> team-fouls in each half.

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\*\*\* SOME RECENT CHANGES FOR HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL RULES \*\*\*

- A " technical foul" is also counted toward a " personal foul" and toward a " team foul".

- All “intentional fouls” carry a penalty of 2 free-throws, and the ball is awarded to the offended team at nearest the foul.
- A player commits a violation if he while being “closely guarded “anywhere” in his front court holds the ball for five seconds or dribbles the ball for five seconds.
- The ball must leave inbounder’s hands in less than 5 seconds.
- No free throws for double technical fouls or simultaneous technical fouls by opposite opponents.

\*\*\*\* NEW RULES BEGINNING 1997-1998 SEASON \*\*\*\*

On free-throws, ALL players must not penetrate the free throw lane area until the ball touches the rim.

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#### **IV. CONDUCT AND PLAYING TIME RULES**

##### **A. Suspensions**

##### **1. Player Suspensions**

- a. Fighting.
- b. Undue abuse against a CAAA official by player or his/her parents.
- c. Unauthorized team jumping.

##### **2. Coach Suspensions**

- a. Unbecoming conduct contrary to the aims and purpose of the CAAA program as outlined by the CAAA Board.
- b. Unauthorized player raids.

##### **3. Player/Coach Ejections**

- a. If a coach or a player is ejected from a game/gym due to conduct or via two (2) technical fouls, a minimum of a one (1) game suspension will be assessed.