I-270 YOUTH SPORTS ASSOCIATION, LLC.

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Frequently asked Questions

Q. Is I270 a year round league?
A. No. I270 is a winter league with games typically starting the second weekend in November and going through mid-February.
Tryouts typically start the first week of October and are posted on the website.

Q. Is I270 an AAU league?
A. No. I270 is a very competitive league and has been for over 35 years and although many of our players also play on AAU teams I270 is not an AAU league.

Q. Are there tryouts?
Yes. Tryouts are held by each area and begin each fall on or about the last week of September/ first week of October. Tryout dates will be posted on the I270 website or you can contact your area director for specific dates. Contact information for the area directors is posted on the website under Contact info.

Q. Where are games played?
A. The games are played on weekends (Saturday and Sunday) and played at local Middle Schools in Montgomery county.

Q. How many games are in a season?
A. There are 16 regular season games followed by a single elimination playoff. All teams qualify for the playoffs and are seeded according to their regular season standings.

Q. Is my child eligible to play?
A. I270 is a feeder league into the local high schools. There are 3 divisions:

- Bantams: up to 10 years old as of September 1
- Juniors: up to 12 years old as of September 1
- Seniors: up to 14 years old as of September 1

If you have a child who is 14 but turns 15 after September 1 they are eligible to play in the Senior division. Also if you have a 8 year old they are eligible to play for the Bantams.

Players must tryout for the team that aligns to their HS cluster. If you are not in one of the 10 HS clusters listed below you are still eligible to play in I-270 on an exception basis.
The HS Clusters that each team aligns to can be found at: https://i270basketball.teamsnap.site/resources
There are 10 areas:

- Bethesda
- Clarksburg
- Darnestown
- Germantown
- Gaithersburg
- Olney
- Potomac

- Redland
- Rockville
- Silver Spring

Q. I'm not sure what cluster my child is in?
A. Cluster information can be found on the MCPS website:
http://www.montgomeryschoolsmd.org/departments/clusteradmin/clusters/index.aspx

Q. My child does not attend public school, ie he is home schooled or attends private school is he still eligible to play?
A. Yes. Your child can try-out for the team in the cluster he would attend if he were in public school.

Q. How much does the league cost?
A. The cost is minimum $300 for the season. An area can request to charge more per player but no more that $350 per player. The fee includes 16 regular season games plus playoffs, new uniforms which they keep, weekly practice time and if selected and all star game and 3pt shooting contest at the end of the season.

Q. Is there an admission fee for games?
A. Unlike many other competitive leagues I270 does not charge an admission fee for games, regular season or playoffs.

Q. How many players are allowed on a team?
A. The maximum roster size for a team is 15 players. But the actual number of players on a specific team will depend on the coach.