



## VALLEJO KNIGHTS TOURNAMENTS

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### Frequently Asked Questions

#### **What level or tournament should we play in?**

Level I – Elite teams, teams looking for the top competitions.

Level II – Teams that are competitive.

Level III – Teams that are recreational. (Special rules – no pressing for the first half of the game)

The Tournament Director has the right to move teams or combine Divisions.

#### **Are AAU cards required?**

All players, coaches and bench personnel must have AAU Cards. In order to get a tournament pass, each coach must show his or her AAU Card. NO Exceptions. AAU Cards can be purchased at the door!

Please get your cards on-line prior to the tournament.

#### **What proof of age or grade do we need?**

Coaches are responsible for having their team's proof of Age/Grade. The information should be carried with them at all times. All Players must have current AAU Cards. Players can not be added to a roster after team check-in without the Tournament Director's approval.

#### **What days will the tournament games be played on?**

Teams should prepare to play on Saturday and Sunday.

#### **When will the games start on those days?**

Games will start at 9:00am on Saturday and 9:00am on Sunday.

Games will be done Sunday at 3:00pm.

#### **What is the tournament format?**

Based on the number of teams in each grade division. There may be over 2-4 grade teams in the each Division. We will try and split them up by groups.

#### **When and where is team check-in?**

The coach must check their team in prior to their first game. There is a designated check-in area. Check-in will start Saturday at 8:30am. This is the best time to register. You will avoid long lines.

#### **What if I want to protest the grade of someone?**

You must put up a \$100 non-refundable fee to protest. If they did not turn in the proper credentials or players grade/age, they will forfeit the game. The coach may also be banned from the event and reported to AAU Nationals. In order to protest, the person protesting must show their credentials first. We take playing in the wrong Divisions seriously.

#### **When will the brackets and schedules be available?**

All scheduling information will be available 7 – 10 days prior to the tournament. It is the coaches' responsibility to check for updates and changes.

#### **Who is the Tournament Director?**

**Nathan Bailey, Jr.** is the Tournament Director. He is the Boys and Girls Basketball Sports Director. Nathan is the Founder and Director of Vallejo Knights Basketball Organization. He has been running Tournaments for over 5 years. We will have experienced and knowledgeable staff assisting with the tournament. The Pacific District Tournament Director will be at the tournament to act on behalf of the Pacific District Governor.

**See Tournament Rules for questions about the tournament.**