

2009 AAU 8:UNDER/2ND GRADE NATIONAL BOYS' BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

To AAU Coaches, Players, and Parents:

The Youth of Memphis Competitors Association Inc. and the Southeastern District of the Amateur Athletic Union Inc. are please to host the 8:Under/2nd Grade 2009 AAU National Boys' Basketball Championship from June 27, 2009 though July 5, 2009. We pledge our efforts to make this a memorable and pleasant experience for all.

Special activities will include a **FREE** hour of Putt-Putt for players and coaches. This activity will take place at The World's Largest Putt-Putt Golf and Games Family Park, 5484 Summer Ave. and must be concluded no later than 5:00 p.m. on any tournament day. Activities include: batting cages, golf driving range, video games, bumper boats, go-kart racing center, laserTron, lasertag and rollercoaster simulator. Coaches must call make a reservation by calling Tom Uphold or Joseph Butler at 901-386-2992.

Other Memphis attractions are: Graceland, Memphis Zoo, Pink Palace Museum, Memphis Queen Line Riverboats, Memphis Belle, Licterman Nature Center, Mud Island, National Civil Rights Museum, Beals Street, Peabody Place, and the Children's Museum of Memphis. Please go to Memphistravel.com for additional information on places of interest in Memphis.

To assist your team financially, **discounted rates** have been arranged with the following official Motels and Hotels. Please check the completed listing under Hotel and Motel. All of these are within minutes of the playing venues. To receive the discount you must ask for the "AAU Basketball Tournament Rate". All of our rooms will be held till May 29, 2009. You are encourage to make your reservation early as four large conventions will be in Memphis during this time.

The YOMCA, Inc. will provide an "Official AAU Coaching Vest or 4 AAU National Championship T-shirts for any Coach whose team and parents/supporters have registered with any of the "Official" motels and hotels listed on the hotel and motel list. To be eligible for a vest or t-shirts, a coach must have five rooms for five nights or more. Additional vests or t-shirts will be awarded based on room nights over the required minimum using the same formula. Coaches must submit copy of motel or hotel bills for this promotion, including those of parents, supporters, and team members to determine the number of vests or t-shirts they can receive.

For safety reasons, we are requesting all parents and teams to use these motels and hotels and use the parent's registration form available June 28, 2009. This form will allow us to locate the appropriate person in event of an emergency.

Player's Registration and Souvenir items such as T-shirts, Shorts, Caps, Jerseys, Golf Shirts and Jogging Suites will be located at Wooddale High School only. First Coaches Meeting will be held at Wooddale High School Located 5151 Scottsdale Ave., Sunday, 4:30 p.m. June 28, 2009. Second Coaches meeting will be held at Wooddale High School located 5151 Scottsdale Ave., Wednesday July 1, 2009 during the day. Exact times will be announced during the fist coaches meeting.

Special Rental Rates for your Transportation needs have made with **Avis Rent A Car** 2520 Rental Rd. To receive your special rate Call **1-800-331-1600** ask for Avis Worldwide Discount # your discount # is "**T760099**".

The final game, closing ceremonies and award presentations will conclude no later than 4:00 p.m. on July 5, 2009. We look forward to you visiting our city, and wish you the best. For additional information call 901-362-3009.

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday June 28, 2009:

Team registration and check in-----Wooddale High School
Player Certification-----Wooddale High School
Souvenir Picture (wear uniform)-----Wooddale High School
Parents Registration and Information-----Wooddale High School
Official Tournament Souvenir Sales-----Wooddale High School
Tournament Pass and Program Sales-----Wooddale High School
Opening Ceremony Ticket Sales-----Wooddale High School
Practice Sessions-----Various Sites
1st Coaches Meeting-----Wooddale High School

Monday June 29, 2009:

Opening Ceremonies – Monday Morning-----Wooddale High School
First Round of Pool Play-----As Assigned
Official Tournament Souvenir Sales-----Wooddale High School

Tuesday June 30, 2009:

Second Round of Pool Play-----Wooddale High School
Official Tournament Souvenir Sales-----Wooddale High School
Complete Athlete Seminar-----Wooddale High School

Wednesday July 1, 2009:

Third Round of Pool Play-----Wooddale High School
Official Tournament Souvenir Sales-----Wooddale High School
Complete Athlete Seminar-----Wooddale High School
2nd Coaches Meeting –As assigned-----Wooddale High School

Thursday July 2, 2009:

Championship Play & “Classic” Tournament Begins-----As Assigned
Official Tournament Souvenir Sales-----Wooddale High School
Eligible Coaches Pick up Vest and T-Shirts-----Wooddale High School

Friday July 3, 2009:

Second Round of Play and “Classic” Tournament-----As Assigned
Official Tournament Souvenir Sales-----Wooddale High School
Eligible Coaches Pick up Vest and T-Shirts-----Wooddale High School

Saturday July 4, 2009:

Quarter Final, Semi Final & “Classic” Tournament-----Wooddale High School
Official Tournament Souvenir Sales-----Wooddale High School
Eligible Coaches Pick up Vest and T-Shirts-----Wooddale High School

Sunday July 5, 2009:

Final Games-----As Assigned
Closing Ceremony & Awards Presentation-----As Assigned
Official Tournament Souvenir Sales-----Wooddale High School
Eligible Coaches Pick up Vest and T-Shirts-----Wooddale High School

The World's Largest Putt-Putt Golf And Games Family Park
5484 Summer Ave, 901-386-2992
Free 1 hour Putt-Putt for all players and coaches
(Must call and make advance reservation)
FREE PUTT-PUTT FREE

COACHES!

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PROGRAM FOR MORE DETAILS**

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