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GIRLS BASKETBALL SKILLS AND DRILLS

PROGRAM INFORMATION SHEET

Hello and welcome to our "Girls Basketball Skills and Drills" Sports Program. This sheet contains all the information that you will need to know to prepare yourself for this program. If you still have a question, please give us a call at 587-1040 or email recreation@northamptonma.gov.
Please note that state regulations do not allow for scrimmages or games for basketball. This program will work on individual skills and drills.

DETAILS

Days:	Tuesday - Thursday
Dates:	August 4 - 6
Times:	9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Parents will need to check in their child at start of program each day, and sign out child at end of program each day.

LOCATION

Arcanum Courts, North Maple St.

WHAT TO BRING

Make sure anything that is brought to the program has your name on it.
The following should be brought to the gym:

- Wear comfortable clothing and sneakers
- Lots of water
- Basketball

Turn over ⇨

LATE FEE

A supervision fee will be imposed for any child who is picked up late. A ten minute grace period will be extended. Following this time a fee will be assessed. First time offenders will be warned and the fee will be assessed only for repeated incidents. The fee will be $5.00 for every ten minutes of waiting time. The fee must be paid within 48 hours of the incident. Failure to do so will result in the suspension of the participant until paid. We understand sometimes incidents such as traffic, etc. occur. Please try to call the office to let them know if you are late. Chronic lateness may result in suspension from programs. The Police Department will be notified if your child is not picked up within an hour of the scheduled time and no call has been received.

TOBACCO USE

The City prohibits is that tobacco use on City property.

RAINY DAYS

Please check our cancellation hot line 587-1044 or the website, www.northamptonma.gov/recreation, click on cancellations. There is no rain location available for this program. If a day has to be cancelled, it will be made up on Friday. If this is not possible you will receive a prorated refund for the missed day(s).

SPECIAL ARRANGEMENTS

If there are any special things that we should know about your child (medical, allergies, etc.) please see the Program Director on the first day.

BEHAVIORAL POLICY

All program participants are expected to behave appropriately. If behavior becomes a problem, we will work, if possible, with parents and instructors to improve the behavior.
If behavior problems persist it may result in removal from the program, and no refund will be given.

NORTHAMPTON PARKS & RECREATION
587-1040

Northampton Parks & Recreation Department Letter to Participants Utilizing City Facilities during Phase 2

Please be aware of the following regulations and guidelines for recreation programs in Massachusetts Phase 2.

The main focus will be providing safe, physically distanced activities. Activities requiring contact will not be allowed.

1. Please contact Northampton Parks & Recreation via email if you have had any symptoms of COVID-19.
2. There will be staggered usage of facilities.
3. Participants will have a designated time to arrive at the facility. Times will be staggered and no one is allowed to linger in the parking area. Limit your time, drop off/pick up and leave.
4. All will be required to check in with designated Northampton Parks & Recreation Staff member.
    a. At check in you must self-certify as to COVID-19 symptoms. You will be asked:
        i. In the last 24 hours you have had no signs of the symptoms.
        ii. If you have had no close contact with a person diagnosed with COVID – 19 NOTE: "close contact" includes living in a household with a person or caring for a person who has tested positive for the disease; being within 6 feet of a person who tested positive for 15 minutes or longer; or coming in contact with the secretions of a person who tested positive (being coughed or sneezed on, using shared utensils, etc.)
        iii. You have not been asked to self-quarantine by a doctor or public health official
    b. You must wash your hands at arrival.
5. There are no changing facilities available so arrive prepared to play.
6. Participants cannot high five, hug or have any contact with participants or staff.
7. There are no water refill stations. Participants must bring their own water and sharing is not permitted.
8. EVERYONE is required to wear a face covering when physically distancing themselves of 6 feet is not possible and/or when off the playing field.
9. Only groups of no more than 12, which includes staff and kids.
10. Nonessential visitors are not allowed at programs. Visitors must wear face coverings and practice social distancing. There should be only 1 adult chaperone per participant.
11. Participants must maintain 6 feet distance at all times, and no contact between players. ALL PARTICIPANTS NEED TO BRING A FACE COVERING.
12. Hand sanitizer will be available onsite and must be used frequently.
13. Equipment will not be shared or be limited, this includes sports and equipment, water bottles, and personal items. All participants are required to bring their own balls and water bottles. If you cannot provide these items please email John Knowles (jknowles@northamptonma.gov) to let him know.