# Baller City Basketball

Summer League
Tournament Rules and Regulations

## 1. Introduction:

A. Baller City Summer League will consist of four Divisions:

12 and under division (can not turn 13 before August 1, 2016) Two (2) Twelve (12) minute half's

14 and under division (can not turn 15 before August 1, 2016) Two (2) Fourteen (14) minute half's

17 and under division (can not turn 18 before August 1, 2016)

Two (2) Sixteen (18) minute half's

19 and under division (can not turn 20 before August 1, 2016) Two (2) Eight-teen (20) minute half's

# **League Site:**

A. Games will be played at: 1315 Amsterdam Avenue (Basketball Court behind the building) New York, NY 10027, otherwise Commissioner will inform coaches of any change in location in advance.

### **Rosters:**

- A. Completed Rosters and all proper qualifying and or necessary qualifying documents (Example: Birth Certificate) must be received before the team's first scheduled game.
- B. Players will not be allowed to play until proof of identification is verified
- C. Rosters are frozen after the conclusion of team's 2nd game. Players can not change teams.
- D. Each player must play in at least two regular season games to be eligible to play in the playoff games.

## **Uniforms:**

- A. A Baller City league jersey will be distributed to each team, and must be worn without any alterations
- B. All players must wear basketball shorts during all scheduled games.
- C. Players without basketball shorts will not be allowed to play, any player without a Baller City jersey will be assessed a technical foul before the start of the game.

## **Sign In Sheet:**

A. Sign -In sheet will be given to each team before the start of their scheduled game. All coaches are responsible for their players signing in. A technical foul will be accessed to any player that has not signed in, upon an attempt to enter the game. A player arriving late may enter the game as long as he/she signs in before he/she enters the game.

#### **Forfeits:**

- A. 15 minutes forfeit clock will begin to run after the scheduled start of the game. A \$50 forfeit fee will be accessed to all teams that arrive after the 15-minute courtesy time. NO Exceptions!
- B. All teams are allowed to forfeit two games; any teams that exceed the two game forfeit limits will be expelled immediately from league play.

#### **Protest:**

- A. All protest regarding ineligible players, league rules, or referee must be registered during or immediately following the game. Protest is to be made in writing at the official scorer's table with the league director or other Baller City officials. Referee judgment calls cannot be protested.
- B. There will be a \$50.00 protest fee. If you win your protest, your fee will be refunded. If team loses the protest the fee will be forfeited to the league.

## **Playoffs:**

- A. The top teams in the divisions will make the playoffs
- B. In the event of a tie, the tie breaking deadlock will be decided in the following order: Best head-to-head record Pre-playoff game

# **Championship:**

- A. The qualifying teams from the east and the west will participate in the championship
- B. Individual and team awards will be given to the first and second place winners in each division.
- C. M.V.P., and Most Outstanding Player for each division will also be rewarded.

## **Rules and Conduct:**

- A. Absolutely no physical, verbal, and or mental abuse towards referee, players or staff will be tolerated. There will be a \$10 technical foul fee accessed to said person (player or coach). Fees must be paid by player/team before the start of the following game. Said person will be ejected from the venue and possibly the tournament.
- B. Any player or coach involved with fighting will be immediately ejected from the game and possibly the remainder of the tournament.
- C. All teams must be accompanied by a coach to play any scheduled game, if not said team will be assessed a loss and that will count as one forfeit.
- D. The conduct of the bench is solely the responsibility of the coach. Only two coaches and 10 players are allowed to sit on the bench.
- E. Any player, or coach ejected from the game must leave the game site immediately and is not permitted any contact with team members for the duration of the game. Ejected person must have a meeting with league directors prior to participating in another B.C.B. event.

**Closing:** The Baller City staff would like to thank you in advance for your interest in our summer league classic.