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# 2009 National Tournament Registration Packet

**Girls' National Tournament**  
**U9, U10, U11, U12, U13, U14, U15, U16**  
**June 12-14, 2009**

**Boys' National Tournament**  
**U8, U9, U10, U11, U12, U13, U14, U15, U16, U17**  
**June 19-21, 2009**

# **Midwest Youth Tournaments**

## **National Tournament Information**

### **I. National Tournament Dates**

**Girls' National (U9, U10, U11, U12, U13, U14, U15, U16) – June 12-14, 2009**

**Boys' National (U8, U9, U10, U11, U12, U13, U14, U15, U16, U17) – June 19-21, 2009**

**Note: Tournament play will begin Friday morning and conclude by approximately 6:00pm on Sunday.**

### **II. Tournament Sites**

**MidAmerica Sports Center  
1906 Watterson Trail  
Louisville, KY 40299**

**Local High School, Grade School, Middle School, College and Municipal gymnasiums will also be used. Locations will be provided with schedule information.**

### **III. Qualification**

**Teams eligible to participate must have placed in the top four (4) of their respective age or grade division in any Midwest Youth tournament during the 2008-2009 tournament season.**

**Club Teams that have qualified multiple times, may award additional qualification(s) to other teams within that Club Team's organization. Qualifications passed on to other teams within the organization may be applied to any age group or gender.**

**Note: Midwest Youth Tournaments reserves the right to award "At Large" bids to teams that have entered tournaments during the 2008-2009 season, but were unable to participate due to cancellation of an age division or to teams from areas where qualifying tournaments were not held. Teams that wish to participate should contact Midwest Youth Tournaments for approval before entering.**

### **IV. Entry Fee**

**\$300 per team**

**\$225 per team for teams that were Champions of tournaments designated as "Super Regional"**

### **V. Tournament Format**

**Each team is guaranteed a minimum of four (4) games.**

**Teams will play three (3) Pool games with all teams advancing to a Seeded Single Elimination Tournament.**

## VI. Registration Requirements

**Intent to Participate:** Qualified teams or teams accepted as “At-Large” entrees, must register on-line at <http://www.midwestyouthtournaments.com> by dates indicated below to show “Intent to Participate”. Roster information within the on-line registration **Does Not** need to be submitted at this time.

Tournament	Date	Intent to Participate Due
Girl’s National	June 12-14	May 22, 2009
Boy’s National	June 19-21	May 29, 2009

**Final Registration:** The following information must arrive by no later than dates indicated below.

- Entry Fee (Payable to Midwest Youth Tournaments) \$300 or \$225 for Champions of “Super Regional” tournaments. Please send Cashier’s Check or Money Order.
- Roster Form
- Copies of player Birth Certificates
- Grade Exception Form (Only needed for players designated as a Grade Exception)

**Note: Players may NOT be added to roster submitted.**

Tournament	Date	Final Registration Due
Girl’s National	June 12-14	June 3, 2009
Boy’s National	June 19-21	June 10, 2009

**Mail to:**  
**Midwest Youth Tournaments**  
**1906 Watterson Trail**  
**Louisville, KY 40299**  
**Attn: Fred Hale**

## VII. Additional Information

Age Division Requirements, Game Rules, etc. can be reviewed on the Midwest Youth Tournaments website at <http://www.midwestyouthtournaments.com>

Daily Admission: \$5 Adults, \$4 Students 7-18, \$2 Ages 4-6, 3 & under FREE

Players and two coaches admitted Free

Teams should bring basketballs for warm-up.

Clock Keepers will be provided.

Each team should provide a Score Keeper. The team designated as the Home Team (light jersey) will be the official book. If only one team provides a Score Keeper, that team’s Score Keeper will serve as the official book. If neither team provides a Score Keeper, the Clock Keeper will keep only fouls and timeouts. The clock will serve as the official book.

## VIII. Hotel Information

The following hotels are host hotels for the Midwest Youth National Tournaments. All are located within ten (10) minutes of MidAmerica Sports Center.

### Host Hotels

Baymont Inn & Suites  
Drury Inn & Suites  
Hilton Garden Inn Louisville East  
Holiday Inn Hurstbourne  
Hyatt Place Louisville East  
Jameson Inn Louisville East  
Louisville Marriott East

To receive discounted group rates at one of our Host Hotels, please contact our Travel Coordinator.

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## IX. Schedule Notification

Schedules will be communicated via e-mail and posted at the Midwest Youth Tournaments website at <http://www.midwestyouthtournaments.com> and the MidAmerica Sports Center website at <http://www.midamericasportscenter.com>

Schedules will be communicated and posted approximately one week prior to each tournament.

## X. Contacts / Information

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## Basketball Tournament Registration Form

<b>Team Name:</b>	<b>Coach/Contact:</b>
<b>Address:</b>	<b>City:</b>
<b>State:</b>	<b>Zip:</b>
<b>Work Phone:</b>	<b>Home Phone:</b>
<b>Cell Phone:</b>	<b>Fax:</b>
<b>e-mail:</b>	
<b>Tournament Entering:</b>	<b>Date:</b>
<b>Tournament Site:</b>	
<b>Age / Grade Division</b>	
<b>Boys:</b>	<b>Girls:</b>

### Age Division Rules & Registration Requirements

- Age requirements for tournaments designated as 8U – 17U.

#### Boys

Eligibility to participate is based first on the age determining date. The grade of the athlete is **not** a consideration if the athlete meets the age determining date. An athlete who does not meet the age determining date may qualify under the **Grade Exception Rule**. There is **No Limit** on the number of grade exception athletes for any division.

<b>8U/2<sup>nd</sup> Grade</b> – born on or after September 1, 2000 Grade Exception: A player who is in the 2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade and who was born on or after Sept. 1, 1999 can participate in the 8U/2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade Division.	<b>13U/7<sup>th</sup> Grade</b> – born on or after September 1, 1995 Grade Exception: A player who is in the 7 <sup>th</sup> Grade and who was born on or after Sept. 1, 1994 can participate in the 13U/7 <sup>th</sup> Grade Division.
<b>9U/3<sup>rd</sup> Grade</b> – born on or after September 1, 1999 Grade Exception: A player who is in the 3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade and who was born on or after Sept. 1, 1998 can participate in the 9U/3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade Division.	<b>14U/8<sup>th</sup> Grade</b> – born on or after September 1, 1994 Grade Exception: A player who is in the 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade and who was born on or after Sept. 1, 1993 can participate in the 14U/8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Division.
<b>10U/4<sup>th</sup> Grade</b> – born on or after September 1, 1998 Grade Exception: A player who is in the 4 <sup>th</sup> Grade and who was born on or after Sept. 1, 1997 can participate in the 10U/4 <sup>th</sup> Grade Division.	<b>15U/9<sup>th</sup> Grade</b> – born on or after September 1, 1993 Grade Exception: A player who is in the 9 <sup>th</sup> Grade and who was born on or after Sept. 1, 1992 can participate in the 15U/9 <sup>th</sup> Grade Division.
<b>11U/5<sup>th</sup> Grade</b> – born on or after September 1, 1997 Grade Exception: A player who is in the 5 <sup>th</sup> Grade and who was born on or after Sept. 1, 1996 can participate in the 11U/5 <sup>th</sup> Grade Division.	<b>16U/10<sup>th</sup> Grade</b> – born on or after September 1, 1992 Grade Exception: A player who is in the 10 <sup>th</sup> Grade and who was born on or after Sept. 1, 1991 can participate in the 16U/10 <sup>th</sup> Grade Division.
<b>12U/6<sup>th</sup> Grade</b> – born on or after September 1, 1996 Grade Exception: A player who is in the 6 <sup>th</sup> Grade and who was born on or after Sept. 1, 1995 can participate in the 12U/6 <sup>th</sup> Grade Division.	<b>17U/11<sup>th</sup> Grade</b> – born on or after September 1, 1991 Grade Exception: A player who is in the 11 <sup>th</sup> Grade and who was born on or after Sept. 1, 1990 can participate in the 17U/11 <sup>th</sup> Grade Division.

#### Girls

Age Group	Birth Date		Grade Exception – No Limit
8U/ 3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade	Born Jan. 1, 2000 or after	or in the	3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade born Jan. 1, 1999 or after
9U/ 4 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Born Jan. 1, 1999 or after	or in the	4 <sup>th</sup> Grade born Jan. 1, 1998 or after
10U/ 5 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Born Jan. 1, 1998 or after	or in the	5 <sup>th</sup> Grade born Jan. 1, 1997 or after
11U/ 6 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Born Jan. 1, 1997 or after	or in the	6 <sup>th</sup> Grade born Jan. 1, 1996 or after
12U/ 7 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Born Jan. 1, 1996 or after	or in the	7 <sup>th</sup> Grade born Jan. 1, 1995 or after
13U/ 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Born Jan. 1, 1995 or after	or in the	8 <sup>th</sup> Grade born Jan. 1, 1994 or after
14U/ 9 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Born Jan. 1, 1994 or after	or in the	9 <sup>th</sup> Grade born Jan. 1, 1993 or after
15U/ 10 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Born Jan. 1, 1993 or after	or in the	10 <sup>th</sup> Grade born Jan. 1, 1992 or after
16U/ 11 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Born Jan. 1, 1992 or after	or in the	11 <sup>th</sup> Grade born Jan. 1, 1991 or after

- Grade based tournaments (i.e. 2<sup>nd</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> Grade) are based solely upon the grade of participating players.
- Teams must submit roster with all required information before beginning tournament play complete with parent signature.
- Coaches should have **Birth Certificates and current Report Cards** available should a protest occur concerning a player's eligibility.
- Teams electing to protest eligibility of a player or players on a team must do so prior to the start of a game accompanied by a **\$75 cash deposit**. Protest will not be accepted once a game begins. If the player is found to be ineligible, or if proper documentation cannot be produced, the \$75 cash deposit will be returned.
- If a player is found to be ineligible, or if proper documentation cannot be produced, that player will be disqualified from further participation in the tournament. The player's team may continue in tournament play without the player.
- Tournaments designated as "School Team", must consist of players attending the same school or players that all feed into the same high school. Players must be in the grade (or lower) for the division that they are participating in.

**Mail Registration, Roster and Entry Fee (Cashier's Check or Money Order Payable to Midwest Youth Tournaments) to:**

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**1906 Watterson Trail**  
**Louisville, KY 40299**  
**Attn: Fred Hale**



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## Team Roster Form

Team Name:	Team Gender:	Age/Grade:
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	Player Name	Age	Birth Date	Grade	School	Parent/Guardian Signature
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**Medical Waiver and Release of Liability** (This form must be signed by the parent/guardian of each player before player is eligible to participate in tournament ) I, the above signed, hereby authorize any first aid, medication, medical treatment or surgery deemed necessary in case of an emergency for the above player **Midwest Youth Tournaments** tournament play. I, the above signed, in consideration of the players participation in **Midwest Youth Tournaments** tournament, intending to be legally bound, do hereby ourselves, executors, and administrators waive, release, and forever discharge any and all rights and claims for damages, including any claims for loss, damages or injury to our persons or property arising out of the above player's performance or failure of performance from the **Midwest Youth Tournaments**, their agents, representatives, successors and assigns.

As Coach/Team Representative, of the (Team Name) \_\_\_\_\_

I certify that the information within is correct to the best of my knowledge. I understand that should a protest arise concerning the eligibility of any players participating on my team, that it will be necessary that proper documentation (i.e. Birth Certificate, Report Card) be made available verifying the player's eligibility in the age group in which that player is participating. It is understood that should one of my players be found ineligible, that the player will not be able to continue participating in the tournament. I understand that the team I represent is responsible for proof of insurance coverage.

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



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## Boy's Grade Exception Form

This form must be completed and attached to each player's birth certificate that is competing under the Grade Exception Rule. An administrator of the player's school must sign the form.

Note: AAU Grade Exception forms will be accepted.

Team Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Age / Grade Division: \_\_\_\_\_

Player Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Player Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Player Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

School Attending 2008-2009: \_\_\_\_\_

School Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

School e-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

This is to certify that as of 3/01/09 \_\_\_\_\_ was attending the  
school listed above and was in the \_\_\_\_\_ grade.  
Player Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
School Administrator Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Position



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## Girl's Grade Exception Form

This form must be completed and attached to each player's birth certificate that is competing under the Grade Exception Rule. An administrator of the player's school must sign the form.

Note: AAU Grade Exception forms will be accepted.

Team Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Age / Grade Division: \_\_\_\_\_

Player Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Player Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Player Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

School Attending 2008-2009: \_\_\_\_\_

School Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

School e-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

This is to certify that as of 3/01/09 \_\_\_\_\_ was attending the  
school listed above and was in the \_\_\_\_\_ grade.  
Player Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
School Administrator Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Position