

# **Pee Wee Basketball Rules**

## **2022-2023**

- No Tobacco Use at any time.
- Coaches are responsible for the conduct of their fans. The coaches are to display good sportsmanship at all times. All discussions need to be away from the fans and players. If a coach is unable to control his/her team's fans, the official has the right to remove the fan as a spectator or forfeit the game.
- If a coach continues gestures of dislike and criticism to the stands concerning the officials or showing total lack of sportsmanship, the Commissioner will replace the coach.
- One person may not act as the Head Coach for two different teams, unless there is a shortage of coaches and approved by the Commissioner.
- **If you cancel a practice, please make arrangements with other coaches to keep the gym open.**

### **1st and 2nd (Combined Boys/Girls), 3rd and 4th grade (Girls and Boys)**

- **The National Federation of State High School Associations will be in effect with the following exceptions:**
  - **Game time is forfeit time**
  - **Both girls and boys will use a girl's ball (28.5)**
  - **8:00 minute quarters, clock will run continuously (except for free throws and time outs)**
  - **One overtime- 3 minutes- running clock**
  - **Teams will play with 5 players on the court**
  - **Each player must play a total of 8:00 minutes over the course of the game or one full quarter**
  - **No full court defense allowed (may pressure once player passes half court), no defensive player is allowed in the backcourt**
  - **Players will foul out with 5 fouls**
  - **7 team fouls equal 2 free throws, no 1 and 1 (free throws may be shot 1.5ft in front of foul line)**
  - **Each team has two timeouts per half, only one timeout in overtime**
  - **Games will be played on an 8'6" goal**
  - **1st/2nd grade: will shoot free throws at half time. Each player gets 1 shot. Shot made =1pt added to score.**

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### **5th and 6th grade (Girls and Boys)**

- **The National Federation of State High School Associations will be in effect with the following exceptions:**
  - Girls ball: 28.5 Boys ball: 29.5**
  - **Game time is forfeit time**
  - **Boys will play with a regulation boys basketball**
  - **6:00 minute quarters, clock will operate normally**
  - **One overtime- 3 minutes- running clock**
  - **Each player must play a total of 6:00 minutes over the course of the game or one full quarter**
  - **If a team falls behind by a total of 15 points or greater, there will be no full court press defense allowed for the team that is in the lead.**
  - **Each team has two timeouts per half, only one timeout in overtime**
  - **Players will foul out with 5 fouls**
  - **Seven team fouls equals 1 and 1 free throws, ten team fouls equals 2 free throws**