



# NEASSA 3A Zone Basketball Tournament Fort McMurray, Alberta March 8 and 9, 2024

## **NEASAA 3A Boys and Girls Zone Basketball Tournament Information**

## Date:

Friday/Saturday, March 8 and 9, 2024

## Venue:

Boys @ Holy Trinity Catholic HS - 230 Powder Drive, Fort McMurray

Girls @ Westwood Community HS - 211 Tundra Drive

## Fees:

**\$375** per team and makes cheques payable to **NEASAA**. Cheques can be brought to the tournament or mailed ahead of time to:

Lee Woodward c/o JR Robson High School 5102 46St Vermilion, AB T9X 1G5

## **Tournament Contact:**

Boys Side

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Girls Side

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### Coaches/Officials Room:

There will be a coaches/officials room at both venues.

Westwood - Room 189 - by gym entrances

Holy Trinity - Across from the Gymnasium in the Food Lab. Officials room will be in the PE Office next to the main gymnasium.

#### **Other Information:**

Please make your players/parents aware of the following information:

- a) Please keep all food and non-water drinks out of the gymnasium.
- b) Smoking/vaping is not allowed in the school or on school property.

c) Please help us keep our school clean by wiping wet shoes thoroughly and placing garbage in the garbage cans provided.

d) Players are asked to clean their bench and remove all water bottles after their game.

e) Please supervise your players throughout the school. No basketballs allowed to be used in hallways or common areas.

f) Holy Trinity Will have a concession for the tournament. However, there is a grocery store across the street (Independent) as well as a KFC, Booster Juice, Taco Bell, and Quiznos nearby.

g) At Westwood, Uncle Bill's store is directly across the street and we are a two minute drive away from a Save-On and various fast food outlets.

h) We expect spectators to respect the game, players, coaches and officials and cheer appropriately. Anyone being disrespectful will be asked to leave the premises.

i) Teams on top of the draw will wear white. If they would like to wear a different colour they must check with the other team and officials to see if there is enough of a contrast.

#### **Tournament Format:**

Teams will be given a minimum 12-minute minimum warm-up and a 10-minute half time. Our gymnasium change rooms will be available for teams playing until the end of halftime at which point the following game teams will be allowed to enter them. The team at the top of the bracket will have the

We have scheduled the games with a 1:45 time slot; please be prepared to take the court so we can stay on schedule.

#### Accommodations:

Fort McMurray has many hotel options for out of town teams. A fifteen minute drive will get you anywhere you need to go for the weekend! All options are pretty good at decent prices. Ask for team rates and most hotels will give you incentive or lower rates!

Our newest hotels are right at the edge of town - the Microtel and the Towneplace Suites.

#### <u>Rankings:</u>

If there are any issues with the rankings please reach out to the Basketball commissioner Ashley Fullarton at <u>afullarton@lcsd.ca</u>

#### <u>Draws:</u>

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Please be aware - As game B in both brackets has two local teams playing, they will be the first game at 2:45 to ease the burden of travel for out of town teams.

#### Provincial 3A Basketball Championships - March 14-16, 2024

**Boys - Strathmore** 

**Girls - Sturgeon**