

# McKinleyville Girls Basketball

## Our Foundation

Providing a place for girls to continue developing their basketball skills was the initial goal established by the late Brad Warze nearly ten years ago. As women's basketball has continued its growth and popularity the program has grown to meet the demands, not only of our high school athletes, but that of the middle school athletes that want to strive for continued success well into high school; a desire instilled to many through Coach Warze's commitment to being your best, on and off the court.



McKinleyville Girls Basketball practices an inclusive policy; offering the chance to grow and develop in a basketball community disregarding ethnic, economic, religion, and athletic ability. All we ask is your commitment to giving your best and program support

## Age of Athletes

- 5th grade through High School

Graduating 8th graders must make a High School attendance selection upon graduating for CIF and North Coast Section regulations

## Program Objectives

Our **primary** objective is to provide an environment, in McKinleyville, for girls to learn the skills, the game and understand the commitment to become a better player under successful and willing coaches.

**Secondary**, to enable the girls the opportunity to test those skills locally in the CR Spring League, against fellow female athletes in Humboldt County.

**Thirdly**, to provide an opportunity to further test those skills and team work developed in a highly competitive AAU environment outside the local boundaries. A true test to see where the athletes are and where they need to be.

In all, the program provides expanded opportunities for young ladies to develop character, sportsmanship and enjoyment for the game of basketball.

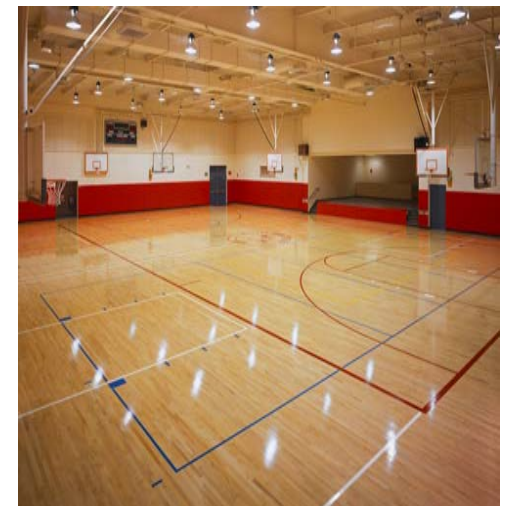
## Program Cost per Athlete

- AAU Membership \$14.00 (Added Benefit pkg.)
- Practice/Game Spirit Pack \$40.00
- Your ability to sell 5 or more dinner tickets, and donate or get donated 2 or more auction items for our Annual Fundraiser Dinner in June
- Parent volunteer time
- No tournament fees; **athletes are responsible for travel costs and primary medical insurance**

## Past League and Tournament Play

- College of the Redwoods Spring League
- Chico Blazin' Heat Tournament
- Shasta Magic Tournament
- Reno "Jam-On-It" Tournament
- Oroville Stunners Tournament
- McKinleyville Summer Shoot-Out
- Cal Berkeley "Jam Fest" Tournament
- HSU Summer Tournament
- And others.....

Tentative Start Date for 2009: **March**  
Please call for updates or visit our Website



## Club Structure & Organization

The McKinleyville Girls Basketball subscribes to all AAU (Amateur Athletic Union) player eligibility, age, and roster requirements. Players will be required to obtain their membership for the year of participation in the program.

This club is staffed by **unpaid** volunteer coaches and administrators.

## Insurance

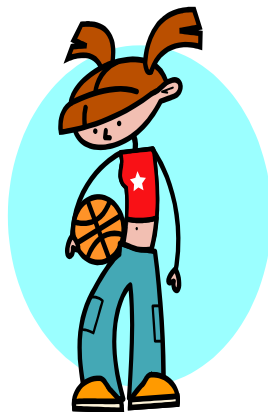
The membership in AAU provides gym liability and secondary medical insurance under specified conditions for AAU sanctioned practices, games, and tournaments. Athletes (or family) must provide primary medical insurance.

## Club Expectations

The full cooperation and participation of players, parents, coaches, and supporters is necessary to assure a quality experience for all. Participation in club activities also brings important responsibilities to all involved with the McKinleyville Girls AAU Basketball program

## Parent/Player Responsibilities

- Agree to and promote the Player Rules of Conduct.
- Treat players, officials, coaches, spectators, supporters, and opposing teams with the utmost respect.
- Positive encouragement at all times
- Volunteering with fundraising activities
- Travel expenses
- Conduct ourselves in ways which enhance the stature and positive reputation of McKinleyville AAU Girls Basketball and our Community.



## 2009 Coaches

**Dustin Dutra**, MHS Varsity Girls Basketball and Boys Varsity Baseball Head Coach

**Sarah Warze**, MHS Junior Varsity Girls and MMS 8th Grade Girls Head Coach

**Macky McCullough**, MHS Varsity Girls Basketball Assistant Coach

## 2009 Administration

Merritt Ford, President

Leslie Abbott McBroom, Vice-President

Cheryl Johnson, Secretary

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Wendy David

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John "Grondo" Grondalski

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