**2025 CYBA Youth Basketball Tournament Rules**

**Equipment:** 28.5” basketball

**Clock:** 18-minute running time; stops on timeouts and during the last 2 minutes of the 2nd half if the point differential is 10 points or less.

**5th, 6th, 7th Grade Boys & Girls**

**Red (A) Divisions Only** All full court presses and defenses are allowed. No full court press by either team is allowed if the point differential is 20 points or greater.

**Defensive Rules for all White (B)**

**Divisions and 3rd - 4th Grade** Full Court Pressing only allowed during the last **2 minutes** of the game. A full court man to man press is allowed in the final 2 minutes of the game if the score is within 20 points. **No double teaming. Help and recover defense allowed.**

**Fouls** A player will be disqualified from the game after a combination of 5 personal and/or technical fouls.

2 free throws and possession awarded to opposing team after a technical foul. Any player or coach receiving a 2nd technical will be disqualified from the current game. Coaches will need to remain seated after the first technical and leave the gym after the 2nd technical.

**Free Throws:** Bonus awarded on the 7th team foul of each half. Double Bonus on the 10th foul.

3rd/4th Grade-Players can jump over the line. 3rd Grade Girls can move up to 12 feet. Line will be marked with tape.

 All Other Grades-Normal free throw rules apply.

**Timeouts:** Two 60 second timeouts per game (no carry over to overtime – Each team will have one 30 second timeout in overtime)

**Overtime:** Elam ending will be utilized in overtime with the first team to score 5 additional points (5-7th grade). 3-4 grade overtime games will be sudden death with the first team scoring a point declared the winning team. Both teams are automatically in the Bonus to start Overtime. All Overtimes will be untimed.

**NDHSAA /**

**Players** All NDHSAA rules apply where not specified above. Players are only allowed to play on one team per division. Players are allowed to play on multiple teams if in separate divisions. Players must compete in their own grade or above. Teams in violation of this policy are subject to game forfeiture.

**Code Of Conduct** CYBA strives to provide a competitive and quality atmosphere for players, coaches, parents & fans. A code of conduct will be enforced by our officials, site supervisors, and tournament director(s).