



## 2019 Jodie Harrison Basketball League Important Information

Thank you for registering for the 34th season of the JHBL! The Community House is proud to offer this longstanding, community based league in which the focus is learning the game and good sportsmanship.

Please visit [www.thecommunityhouse.org/jodieharrison](http://www.thecommunityhouse.org/jodieharrison) for up to date information throughout the season

### League Philosophy:

*The purpose of The Community House youth basketball program is to provide young players with an opportunity to participate in athletics in a fun and educational environment. We believe balanced athletic competition in a team environment promotes sportsmanship, cooperation, leadership skills, and the bene-fits of exercise and hard work. These are attributes displayed not only by elite athletes, but also by good students, conscientious citizens, and successful professionals. We expect the same good character to be displayed by players, coaches, and spectators this season.*

### **Please refer to this information if you have any questions regarding the league:**

Each team will play 8 games and practice one time per week  
*Practice day/time will depend on the coach and are TBA*

**ALL TEAMS WILL BE FORMED BY THE RECREATION SUPERVISOR.**

Consideration is given to form teams with children from the same school however,  
**THIS IS NOT GUARANTEED** due to the 900 + participants in the league.

**Placement requests may be submitted during the registration process but, not guaranteed.**

To receive member pricing, your membership must be valid on the start date of the league, January 7.

**All refunds will be charged a 50% processing fee after December 24.**

**Refunds will NOT be given after January 2, 2019**

This date allows parents to know the practice/game schedule and determine if their child can participate in the league

**VOLUNTEER COACHES ARE NEEDED AT ALL LEVELS!!** Please fill out a coach's application at The Community House. Anyone can be given the tools to be a successful mentor.

Games/practices will be at The Community House and other District 181 schools

Games will be played at any point in the given time frame and game times listed below are TENTATIVE.

2nd Girls-Saturdays	8:00 am - 7:00 pm	3rd Girls-Saturdays	8:00 am - 7:00 pm
2nd Boys-Saturdays	8:00 am - 7:00 pm	3rd Boys-Saturdays	8:00 am - 7:00 pm
4th Girls-Sundays	11:00 am - 7:00 pm	5th/6th Girls- Sundays	11:00am-7:00pm
4th Boys-Saturdays	8:00 am - 7:00 pm	5th/6th Boys-Sundays	11:00am-7:00pm
7th/8th Girls-Sundays	11:00 am - 7:00 pm	7th/8th Boys-Sundays	11:00 am-7:00pm

**For more information contact Kelci Bednar, Recreation Supervisor, at 630-323-7500 ext. 237**

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# Important Dates and Events *(Save this!!)*

*Dates/Times subject to change*

- November 11      4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade player tryouts\*
- December 6      4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade player tryouts\*
- December 12      Coaches Meeting, 6:30 pm — Coaches should have signed up to coach by this team
- December 19      Teams & Practice Schedules posted on website  
[www.thecommunityhouse.org](http://www.thecommunityhouse.org) by 8:00 pm  
(click the link to the JH Basketball website)
- January 4      Game Schedules posted on website by 8:00 pm
- January 7      First week of practice
- January 2      Last day for any participants to receive a refund
- January 19/20      Week 1 of games! Player's jerseys/t-shirts available at 1<sup>st</sup> week of games
- March 16/17      Last week of games...trophies handed out!

## **\*4<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> Grader Player Tryouts**

### **Presented by Chicago Bulls Academy**

4<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> graders are **REQUIRED** to attend **ONE** player tryout session (11/11 @ TCH **OR** 12/6 @ TCH) to help in the fair distribution of teams. Players not present at one of the player tryouts will be placed on teams after those who attended tryouts.

#### Sun, November 11 @ TCH

4<sup>th</sup> Girls-12:00pm  
4<sup>th</sup> Boys-12:45pm  
7/8 Girls- 1:30pm  
5/6 Boys- 1:45pm  
5/6 Girls- 2:30pm  
7/8 Boys- 3:10pm

or

#### Thurs, December 6th @ TCH

4<sup>th</sup> Girls- 4:00pm  
4<sup>th</sup> Boys-4:45pm  
7/8 Girls- 5:30pm  
5/6 Boys- 5:45pm  
5/6 Girls- 6:30pm  
7/8 Boys- 7:10pm

## Team Sponsorships

Be a Jodie Harrison Superhero! Now you can sponsor a team in the Jodie Harrison Basketball League. Sponsorships are visible to the 900 players and thousands of family and friends that see games or check our website throughout the season. The Community House, is a 501C3 charitable organization and your team sponsorships helps us make a difference in the lives of thousands of people each year.

Please contact Dan Janowick at 630-323-7500 ext. 254 / [djanowick@thecommunityhouse.org](mailto:djanowick@thecommunityhouse.org)

*Thank you for your support of The Community House and have a great season!!*

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