



TEXAS AMATEUR ATHLETIC FEDERATION
MEN'S 45 & OVER STATE BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

April 6 - 7, 2019

Hosted by the City of Hurst



- TOURNAMENT DATES: April 6 - 7, 2019
- ENTRY FEE: \$200 per team
- MAILING ADDRESS: City of Hurst
Attn: Jennifer Kashner
700 Mary Drive
Hurst, TX 76053
- ENTRY DEADLINE: Friday, March 29, 2019
Cash, Credit Cards, Cashier Checks or Money Orders only. No personal checks accepted. **Please make payment to City Of Hurst.** Please call 817-788-7320 to register with a credit card.
- TOURNAMENT FORMAT: Single elimination with a consolation bracket
- TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR: Jennifer Kashner– City of Hurst
jkashner@hursttx.gov
817-788-7320
- TOURNAMENT SITE: Hurst Recreation Center
700 Mary Drive
Hurst TX, 76053**
- TOURNAMENT RULES: Games will be played under current Men's NCAA playing rules, with some exceptions made by TAAF specifically for TAAF regional and state basketball tournaments (see rules portion of this packet).
- GAME TIMES AVAILABLE: Tournament bracket will post on-line at www.teamsideline.com/taaf after 5:00 pm on Wednesday, April 2. Teams may call for first game time **only**, 817-788-7320.
- ROAD CONSTRUCTION: While the majority of construction is completed in our area, bear in mind that other construction projects coming into the DFW area may slow you down. Please plan accordingly.
- INCLEMENT WEATHER: In the event of inclement weather, tournament information will be updated online at www.teamsideline.com/taaf
- ROSTERS: Rosters must be complete and submitted on an official TAAF roster (attached). Additionally, rosters must be verified by the team's local TAAF representative. Rosters are due at first game check-in.

PLAYER CHECK-IN: Check-in begins 45 minutes prior to the first game. Team must check-in at least 30 minutes before their first game and **all players must present a valid Texas Driver's License PRIOR to playing in any game.** A driver's license is needed to verify age. Any player that does not check-in prior to playing may be ejected from the tournament.

AWARDS: Team trophies are awarded to: State Champion, State Runner-up, State Semi-finalists and Consolation Champion. Individual t-shirts for state champion and runner-up teams will be awarded. We ask all teams remain in uniform for trophy presentation and pictures.

ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS: Please call or email Jennifer Kashner or Madison Bass, 817-788-7320, Jkashner@hursttx.gov, Mbass@hursttx.gov

GENERAL REMINDERS: Players must have jerseys with the same base color. Jerseys must have a permanently affixed, non-duplicated number on the front AND back. Jersey numbers must be one or two digit numbers between 0 and 99.

Teams must turn-in a completed, official TAAF roster before or at check-in. Rosters should have TAAF representative's signature.

Players must present a valid Texas driver's license prior to their first game to be eligible. No picture ID=No play. Players who fail to present ID prior to playing, may be ejected from the tournament.

Please read this packet carefully. Failure to prepare necessary items is not an exception. If you have additional questions or need clarification, please call Jennifer Kashner or Madison Bass 817-788-7320 or email jkashner@hursttx.gov Mbass@hursttx.gov .

HOTEL INFORMATION: Hampton Inn & Suites
1600 Hurst Town Center Drive
Hurst, TX 76054

Holiday Inn Express & Suites
280 Thousand Oaks Drive
Hurst, TX 76054

Hyatt Place
1601 Hurst Town Center Drive
Hurst, TX 76054



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Hurst Recreation Center
Hurst, TX
TOURNAMENT RULES

- ROSTERS:** Official T.A.A.F. Rosters, 12 players maximum.
- RULES:** All games will be governed by the 2018 NCAA Rule Book and the 2019 T.A.A.F. Cavalcade of Sports with the following exceptions:
- OFFICIAL GAME:** An official game shall consist of two (2) twenty minute halves with a running clock for the first eighteen (18) minutes of each half. A running clock stops only for free throws and time-outs. An NCAA regulation clock will be used the last two (2) minutes of each half. A regulation clock will stop for all whistles the last two (2) minutes of each half and each successful field goal in the last one minute of the second half or overtime period.
- FORFEIT TIME:** The official game clock is located in the Recreation Center Office. Each team must have five eligible players on the floor at game time. Time outs may be used to allow for players to arrive. Timeouts are taken in their entirety (30 seconds or 1 minute); partial timeouts are not allowed. Officials will have the authority as to when a forfeit will be called and their decision shall be final.
- HALF TIME:** A five (5) minute half-time will be observed.
- TIME-OUTS:** Teams will be allowed four (4) one (1) minute time-outs and two (2) thirty second time-outs per game.
- OVERTIME:** Each overtime will consist of a three (3) minute period with the clock stopping for all whistles during the entire period. Each team will be given one (1) extra time-out.
- JERSEYS:** Players on each team must wear jerseys that are identical in the base color of the jersey and must a six (6) inch number on the back and a four (4) inch number on the front. Numbers must be permanently affixed to the jersey, not taped or pinned to the jersey. Numbers that are handwritten in pencil, marker or any type of ink pen will not be allowed.
- GAME BALL:** The City of Hurst will provide game balls. Teams should bring and use their own balls for warm-ups.
- POINT RULE:** A point ahead rule of twenty (20) points will be used in all adult basketball games. If a team is up by twenty (20) points, the clock will not stop except for injuries and time-outs until the team ahead is ahead by less than twenty (20) points. Like the rest of the game, the clock can be stopped by a time-out.

- SHOT CLOCK:** **The five second closely guarded while dribbling violation will be in effect for all T.A.A.F. Adult Basketball State Tournament basketball games as a result of the absence of a shot clock for T.A.A.F. Championship play.**
- EJECTIONS:** Any player or coach ejected from a game during the tournament for unsportsmanlike conduct will not be allowed to play or coach for the remainder of the tournament and must leave the facility. The Tournament Committee reserves the right to adjust suspensions at their discretion, if circumstances warrant.
- TECHNICAL FOULS:** Two (2) technical fouls on any one (1) player for unsportsmanlike conduct constitutes an **EJECTION** of that player from the game. **Three (3) technical fouls for unsportsmanlike conduct on any one (1) team constitute a forfeited game.**
- LINE-UPS:** Line-ups must be recorded in the official scorebook **TEN MINUTES** before the scheduled game. Line- ups should include each players' first and last name and their jersey number.
- IDENTIFICATION:** **Team Check-in will begin 45 minutes prior to the first game of the day. Each team will need to check in, turn in roster and pick up shirts.** Each player must be able to produce a valid driver's license or official picture identification at any time during the tournament. Players must turn 45 or older in 2018.
- RECREATION CENTER:** The Hurst Recreation Center is open to patrons during the tournament. We ask all players and spectators to be respectful of this. Players/spectators are not allowed to utilize the facility unless they are members or pay the daily rate.
- PHONE NUMBER:** Hurst Recreation Center (817) 733-7325



PARTICIPANT'S RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY

I ("The Participant"), in consideration of my participation in the Texas Amateur Athletic Federation ("T.A.A.F.") Championship Competition hereby grant to T.A.A.F. the right to record, broadcast and otherwise exploit in any and all media throughout the world my performance in the T.A.A.F. Championship Competition and to use my name, likeness, voice and biographical information concerning me in connection therewith.

I assume all risks associated with my participation in the T.A.A.F. Championship Competition, and on behalf of myself, and my heirs, executors and administrators, in consideration of my participation in the T.A.A.F. Championship Competition, I hereby waive all claims against and release and hold harmless T.A.A.F., the sponsors of the T.A.A.F. Championship Competition (the "Sponsors"), and the host municipalities ("Hosts"), and their respective directors, officers, employees, agents, attorneys, successors and assigns, from and against any and all claims, damages, liabilities, causes of action, losses, costs and expenses, including reasonable attorneys' fees, arising out of or in connection with my participation in the T.A.A.F. Championship Competition, including without limitation, death, any personal injuries or loss of, damage to or loss of use of property, which I may incur as a result of my participation in the T.A.A.F. Championship Competition, including any death, personal injuries or loss of, damage to or loss of use of property which may be the result of negligence on the part of T.A.A.F., and/or a Sponsor and/or the Hosts. I warrant that I am of legal age and that I have read and fully understand the foregoing terms.

TEAM MANAGER'S GUARANTEE

I represent and warrant that I am the Team Manager for the Team named on Page 1, that I am of legal age and that I depose and say that all of the information supplied on Page 1 is correct to the best of my knowledge and that all of the players signed the roster in their own handwriting and that they are eligible to compete with my team in the T.A.A.F. Championship play and agree to be bound by the rules and regulation of T.A.A.F. as contained in the Cavalcade of Sports.

REQUIRED GUARANTEE FOR CHURCH DIVISION

I represent and warrant that I am familiar with the membership roles of the church which this team represents and that all of the players on this roster (on Page 1) are actively involved in the religious endeavors of the said church and to the best of my knowledge each of the players are eligible to compete in the Church Division of T.A.A.F. championship play according to the rules and regulations of T.A.A.F. as contained in the Cavalcade of Sports.

Certified by Church Representative

Date: _____

Title: _____

Phone: () _____

REQUIRED GUARANTEE FOR INDUSTRIAL DIVISIONS

I represent and warrant that I am familiar with the personnel records of the company which this team represents and that all of the players on this roster (on Page 1) are full time employees of the said company and to the best of my knowledge each of the players are eligible to compete in the Industrial Division of T.A.A.F. championship play according to the rules and regulations of T.A.A.F. as contained in the Cavalcade of Sports.

Certified by Church Representative

Date: _____

Title: _____

Phone: () _____