

2010 MAC Registration Packet

The Inaugural Midwest Armenian Basketball Championships was created to bring together Armenians from around the Midwest!

2010 Dates: September 24, 25, 26

Location: St. John Armenian Church, 22001 Northwestern Highway, Southfield, Michigan, 48075

There will be Two (2) Divisions of play in 2010:

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| a) High School Boys Division | Participant must be 18 years old or younger
High School ID, Drivers License, or Alternate ID Required |
| b) High School Girls Division | Participant must be 18 years old or younger
High School ID, Drivers License, or Alternate ID Required |

The Team Fee is \$150.00 per team with discounts available for multiple entries.

Deadline for Registration is September 13, 2010.

Each team will be responsible for its own housing. The committee will provide hotel information if requested.

Each team is guaranteed at least 2 games. Prior to the start of the weekend, teams will be notified of the starting time for their 1st game.

All games will be played at one site, St John's Armenian Church. Address listed above.

The tournament will conclude on Sunday afternoon, at which time awards will be presented.

In conjunction with the annual Church Festival at St. John's there will be food, games, activities, music, and more available in the Church hall during the entirety of the weekend.

There will be a zero tolerance behavior mandate for the entire weekend. Any unsportsmanlike or inappropriate behavior is grounds for dismissal from church grounds.

Eligibility, Team Registration, Playing Rules, Code of Conduct

1. Teams must complete all registration information and return to the MAC committee by September 13, 2010.

Please send all forms to:

MAC Basketball
Attn: Daniel Dardarian
5879 Shillingham
West Bloomfield, MI 48322

2. Player registration is contingent upon completed personal information form and a signature on the waiver. A parent or guardian's signature is required for participants under the age of 18. It will be assumed that the release has been read and understood based on a signature.
3. In order to participate, athletes must be active members in their Armenian parish and youth programs.
4. Each team must have a minimum of seven (7) players pre-registered on a team roster. A minimum of six (6) must be present for on-site registration.
5. Each team must have one (1) coach and a captain. Only those designated people will be allowed to talk to officials.
6. All teams must have uniforms with numbers. There will be no exceptions to this rule.
7. Individuals are eligible to participate on one team only.
8. The committee reserves the right to limit entries, however all entries will be considered on a basis of earliest postmark.
9. All participants will be governed by the code of conduct. All disciplinary actions, protests, and other disputes will be handled by the tournament committee.
10. On-site registration (Friday at the Church) will include confirmation of name, birth date, and team affiliation. Schedules and team packets will be delivered to coaches and/or team managers.

Each game will consist of two (2), twenty (20) minute halves. The clock will be stopped in the last two (2) minutes of each half on free throw attempts and on all whistles. Overtime will consist of four (4) minutes and the clock will stop in the last minute of the overtime period on any whistle and all free throws. All other necessary overtimes will be conducted within the same guidelines.

The alternating possession rule will be applied to all jump balls.

Players will be allowed to enter the lane on a free throw attempt after the ball has touched the rim.

All technical fouls will count as personal fouls. Five (5) personal fouls will result in disqualification. Two (2) technical fouls in the same game will result in ejection from that game and suspension from the next contest.

Teams will be awarded single bonus free throws upon the seventh (7th) team foul assessed to the opposing team in each half. Ten (10) team fouls will result in double bonus.

Each team is allowed four (4) timeouts per game. An additional timeout will be awarded for each overtime period.

All games will be played under Michigan High School Athletic Association (MHSAA) rules unless otherwise noted.

In addition, the tournament committee reserves the right to rule on all controversies and incidents.

- Coaches and/or managers will ensure that teams arrive on time to games.
- Coaches and/or managers will be required to fill in the book at the scorer's table with names and numbers prior to game time.
- At no time will a coach and/or manager berate an official, scorer, player, or allow fans to do the same. Participants will abide by this same code of conduct.
- Facilities have been reserved for the right of all to enjoy with good faith. It will be everyone's responsibility to clean up after their team following a game. This includes the bench, bleachers, and locker room area.
- Smoking is NOT allowed inside of facilities at any time. No person under the age of 18 is allowed to smoke.
- Only athletic sneakers will be allowed on the playing floor. The committee encourages players to wear an alternate pair of shoes outside, and then change in to their athletic shoes once inside the gym.
- Violations of the facility rules may result in cancellation of the privilege of use.

If necessary, the above can be altered by the committee, but will not be done so without prior notification to all participating teams.

TEAM REGISTRATION

DIVISION OF PLAY: __ HIGH SCHOOL BOYS __ HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS

TEAM NAME: _____ UNIFORM COLOR: _____

PARISH/ORGANIZATION: _____

CITY/STATE: _____

COACH(ES): _____

CONTACT: PHONE NUMBER: _____ E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____

<u>TEAM ROSTER (PLEASE DENOTE CAPTAIN WITH A STAR):</u>	<u>Birth date</u>	<u>Signature</u>
PLAYER NAME 1 _____	DOB	SIGNATURE
PLAYER NAME 2 _____	DOB	SIGNATURE
PLAYER NAME 3 _____	DOB	SIGNATURE
PLAYER NAME 4 _____	DOB	SIGNATURE
PLAYER NAME 5 _____	DOB	SIGNATURE
PLAYER NAME 6 _____	DOB	SIGNATURE
PLAYER NAME 7 _____	DOB	SIGNATURE
PLAYER NAME 8 _____	DOB	SIGNATURE
PLAYER NAME 9 _____	DOB	SIGNATURE
PLAYER NAME 10 _____	DOB	SIGNATURE
PLAYER NAME 11 _____	DOB	SIGNATURE
PLAYER NAME 12 _____	DOB	SIGNATURE
PLAYER NAME 13 _____	DOB	SIGNATURE
PLAYER NAME 14 _____	DOB	SIGNATURE

NOTE: The deadline for all registration material is September 13, 2010.

PATICIPANT REGISTRATION AND RELEASE FORM

Participant Name: _____

Date of Birth: / / Last Name First Name M.I.

Address: _____

City: _____ State/Province: _____ ZipCode: _____

Home Phone Number: (____) _____

Cell Phone Number: (____) _____

Your Current Age: ____ Male: ____ Female: ____ E-Mail: _____

(Parent e-mail **required** for participants under age 18)

Name of Parents/Guardian (if under age 18): _____

Church Name: _____

Location: _____

RELEASE FORM

In consideration of St. John's Armenian Church (S.J.A.C) permitting the above named person to participate in the **2010 Midwest Armenian Basketball Championships**, I hereby release St. John's Armenian Church and any other facility utilized for activities, their employees, representatives, agents, officers, successors and assigns from responsibility for any claims arising from injury or death as a result of my participation in an S.J.A.C-organized event.

I understand that basketball can be a physical game and there are certain risks of injury inherent in the game; I also release the above mentioned entities, persons, and groups from these types of injuries. I further release the above mentioned entities, persons and groups from any intentional or grossly negligent acts with respect to the gymnasiums and other facilities, maintenance, condition, placement of equipment, design and other safety features.

In the event the above named participant is a minor, I hereby certify that I am his/her parent or legal guardian. In that capacity, I hereby release St. John Armenian Church and any other facility utilized for activities, their employees, representatives, agents, officers, successors and assigns from responsibility for any claims arising from injury or death as a result of participation in a S.J.A.C organized event. Such release is also effective for any claims of the above named participant's parents, guardians, trustees, administrators, heirs or executors.

I hereby indemnify St. John Armenian Church and any other facility utilized for activities for any damages or costs they incur as a result of any injury or death covered by this release. I acknowledge I understand that medical insurance is the sole responsibility of event participants. I also certify that the above named participant is in good physical health and is able to participate in the physical activity. I understand that in the event any of these paragraphs are held to be not valid by a court, the remainder of the contract is still valid.

Participant's Signature_____
Date_____
Parent or Legal Guardian (if participant is under age 18) Date*** PLEASE INCLUDE ONE FORM, FOR EACH PARTICIPANT, WITH YOUR REGISTRATION MATERIAL ***