

The Little Hoops Clinic will be postponed to January 22nd for the K and 1st Graders.

Below is the temporary Protocol for Saturday's at the Hesse Center at 55 South Avenue, Atlantic Highlands, NJ. All players have been drafted from 2nd through 8th Grade. The guidelines and suggestions below are how we are going to do it in the Hesse Center for this week. You will be getting an email from your coach. For this week, every team will have a brief practice in the AM and a game in the afternoon. Jersey's are in and will be handed out at the morning practice. Please have patience with the guidelines. The goal is to get the kids playing. We expect to get towards a more normal schedule shortly. If you are uncomfortable with your child starting, that is OK too. Please let your Coach know.

Any questions, feel free to give me a call at 732-768-4047.

Saturday Safety Rules:

Due the uptick in cases, the league will be following the same guidelines as the NJSIAA for are Saturday Games. These guidelines will also be posted at the door of The Hesse Center.

- **If you anyone feels ill, stay home**
- If a player is in The Protocol at school, that protocol applies to Basketball.
- All persons must wear a mask when entering the building.
- All those in attendance must wear a mask, except those individuals ACTIVELY involved on the court.
- Players on the bench are asked to wear a mask and bring their own water.
- No outside basketballs on game day. We will be sanitizing the basketballs often.
- For the first few weeks, no food. We expect the "Snack Bar" to be up and running in a couple of weeks, but, for now, we are going to put it on hold.

The above are the rules, the below are some requests for the first few weeks and observations:

- For the first couple of weeks, please only parents/guardians at the games, instead of extended family to limit the crowd. If brothers and sisters are at the game too, they will be required to sit with the parent/guardian group and not roam or cluster with other children.
- Familial pods are requested to distance themselves in the crowd. There is seating on both sides of the court this year.
- The most crowded time will be the changeover time in between games. Please have your child do their best to find their coach when entering 5 minutes before game time. Parents are requested to take seats, immediately, or wait outside until game time.
- If a player wishes to wear a mask on the court, that is okay too.