

### FORMAT

- Full-court 4-on-4 basketball (if shorthanded, teams must have at least 3 people on the court to not forfeit).
- All matches consist of 2 teams in head-to-head play.
- An official game ball will be provided at the start of every match. For warm up purposes, bring your own ball.



### GAME LENGTH

- Each game is played with a 25-minute running clock, so two games are played over the course of a 60-minute schedule block.
- Clock does not stop when players shoot free throws.
- There is an unwritten 30-second shot clock.
- Clock stops in last minute of the game if the score is within 5 points or less

### STANDINGS

- Since each team plays two games during a match, they will end the night with a two game record (for example: 2-0, 1-1, 0-2 or with ties 0-0-2, 0-1-1, 1-0-1)
- For each win, a team receives 3 points in the standings.
- For each tie, a team receives 1 point in the standings.
- No points are awarded for a loss.
- Forfeits are -1 points in the standings for the team that forfeited.

### SCORING

- Each regular field goal is worth 2 points.
- A successful shot from behind the 3-point arc is worth 3 points.
- Foul shots are worth 1 point

### REFEREES and FOULS

- Teams will provide two referees for all games. Teams will provide 1 scorekeeper. They will keep the game time, call all fouls, and keep score.
- Players will shoot (2) free throws if they are fouled in the act of shooting at any point during the game. A foul will be called if the player shooting free throws does not shoot within 7 seconds of getting the ball at the line.
- Players will shoot (1) free throw if they are fouled in the act of shooting and a basket is scored.
- Starting with the 10th team foul, teams will shoot 2 foul shots with change of possession on a made 2nd shot or a live ball on a missed 2nd shot. If the 10th foul occurs on a made shot, the individual will receive 1 foul shot.
- If a team has committed less than seven (7) fouls with 60 seconds or less remaining in the game, they will be permitted only one more foul before the other team shoots foul shots. If the first foul in the final minute is the 10th team foul, free throws will result as normal.
- Any unsportsmanlike behavior may result in that player/team being suspended/removed from participating in all RARA leagues.