

Beaumont Little Dribblers Basketball

Tournament Team Information

Tournament Teams

Beaumont Little Dribblers Board of Directors, at its option, may elect to sponsor Tournament Teams representing any or all League(s) as provided by National Little Dribblers current regulations. Tournament participation by Beaumont Little Dribblers Tournament Teams shall be in accordance with all current National Little Dribbler regulations.

Tournament Team Manager

Any active member of Beaumont Little Dribblers may self-nominate to their League Player Agent be a Tournament Team Manager. The selection of Tournament Team Manager(s) will be chosen from the pool of self-nominated candidates by the BLDB Board of Directors based on the following criteria, which includes, but is not limited to:

- Ability
- Character
- Desire to Coach the Tournament Team
- Experience
- On-Court Behavior
- Treatment of Parents, Players, Referees, and the League
- Current Standing in the League
- Volunteerism with BLDB

The Team Manager is responsible for all aspects of a Tournament Team. This includes securing gym time, uniforms, and all documentation required by Little Dribblers Inc. All expenses except the Little Dribblers Charter fee will be paid by the Tournament Team(s) participants. Expenses include, but not limited to, uniforms, gym rentals, travel, and practice tournaments' entry fees.

Once selected as Team Manager, that person must submit to the Beaumont Little Dribblers Board Of Directors the names, if any, of all coaches and assistants for approval by the board. Tournament Team Managers may serve, and most likely will, as the head coach of the team.

Player Selection

Player selection will be in keeping with the following process:

- The Coaches of each respective league will vote for 12 players in their league (which may include players on their own team).
- Players are to be ranked from 1 to 12 on the Coaches' ballots based on skill level, ranking the most skilled player #1 and working down. Players will accumulate points based on each coaches' ranking with 12 pts for #1, 11 pts for #2 continuing through to the final position, #12, receiving 1 pt. Any ballot with less than 12 different players listed will be considered invalid and will be discarded.
- The 6 players whose names appear on at least 50% of ballots and receiving the highest accumulative total points will automatically be asked to participate with the Tournament team. In the event of a tie for the 6th player, Tournament Team Manager will be allowed to select player(s) to break tie. Should an automatically selected player choose not to play on the Tournament Team, the next player not receiving an automatic invitation but receiving the highest accumulative total points will be asked to play. For example, if the #1 point total decides not to play then the #7 point total will be asked. If they choose not to play then the #8 point total will be asked, etc.
- The Team Manager will select the necessary number of additional qualified players to complete the roster.
- Should a player choose NOT to accept selection to a Tournament Team, said player SHALL NOT participate with any other BLDB-sponsored Tournament Teams.
- All Tournament players must be certified to play in the Westbrook Attendance Zone as defined by the Beaumont Independent School District.

Additional Tournament Teams

BLDB Board of Directors, at its' option, may sponsor multiple teams from any/all leagues in accordance with current National Little Dribblers Tournament Rules and the following:

- BLDB Board of Directors will approve the Team Manager and Coaches of additional Tournament Teams provided previously for selection of Tournament Team Manager.
- The players of an additional Tournament Team will be comprised of those players not previously selected.

BLDB reserves the right to NOT sponsor any or all Tournament Teams.

TOURNAMENT TEAM BALLOT

Please Print

League: _____ Team: _____

Coach: _____

Please vote for 12 Post-Season Tournament players which may include players from your own team.

- 1 _____
- 2 _____
- 3 _____
- 4 _____
- 5 _____
- 6 _____
- 7 _____
- 8 _____
- 9 _____
- 10 _____
- 11 _____
- 12 _____

You MUST vote for 12 players. Any ballot with less than 12 different players will be invalid and discarded.

Ballots must be turned in no later than 6:00 PM on the second Saturday in February .

Please give (or email) your ballot to your player agent.

If you wish to self-nominate yourself to be the Tournament Team Manager, you must submit your name to your player agent before the second Thursday in February.