

BASKETBALL LEAGUE RULES 2017/18

Small schools league: schools with < 49 students eligible (3rd to 6th)

Intermediate schools league A: schools with 50-75 students eligible. (3rd to 6th)

Intermediate schools league B: schools with 76-124 students eligible. (3rd to 6th)

Large schools league: schools with > 125 Students eligible (3rd to 6th)

1. 10 players or more if you wish per team, not necessarily the same 10 players for every game.
2. For large and intermediate sized schools you must play 5 on, 5 off for the first two quarters. This means you play 5 players in the first quarter and a different 5 players in the second quarter. For the last two quarters you play whoever you wish and sub on and off as often as you wish to. If you don't have 10 players you will have to forfeit the game.
3. All games will consist of 4 quarters at 7min per quarter.
4. Must play half court man-to-man defence (no zone). Press or full court defence allowed for last quarter of game.
5. Violations such as travelling and double dribble to be fully enforced. No backcourt violation. No 3 pointers.
6. Every game begins with a jump ball. After that all jump ball situations have been replaced by alternate possession (alternate teams inbound from the sideline).
7. Team fouls must be recorded along with score. Once a team commits 4 team fouls in a quarter each foul after that will entitle the opposition to 2 free throws.
8. When shooting into 10 foot rings free throws should be taken from the broken circle inside the key.
9. Sidelines and baselines on the court must be clearly marked.
10. Home teams must supply a referee (with knowledge of the rules of basketball) and away teams are encouraged to bring a referee with the team.
11. Reports with scores must be furnished to Joe O'Connor (0863705488) or 045-432446(S)) by the manager of the winning team not later than 7 days after the game. In the past several teams have not bothered to phone in results thus leading to confusion.
12. Any games not played before semi-final date will not be considered. The side unable to field a team will forfeit the game.
13. Semi-finals will be played on a home and away basis: best combined score wins.(team that wins their section will have home advantage for the second leg of semi final)
14. The 8 finals will be played on the same day at a neutral venue. The date for the finals will be furnished by Cumann na mBunscol when the league commences.
15. The last minute of matches, the clock stops for free-throws only.
16. The same rules apply for the blitz as for the league with the following amendments:
 - a) 3-4 mins per quarter.
 - b) Once a team commits 3 team fouls in a quarter each foul after that will entitle the opposition to two free throws.
 - c) On the day of the blitz all teams must be at the venue 15 mins before the first game starts.
 - d) A fee of €20 for payment of referees must be paid on the day.

BBall Referees list (most of these refs are only available at certain times due to college and work commitments)

Sasha	0868633172	Ellen Garvey	0863820298
Mohamed	0858295536	Joe Keenan	0857735833
Sanusi Jinadu	0857140141	Louise Foster	0876134057
Gonzale	0877844511		

BASKETBALL BLITZES 2018

SMALL SCHOOLS GIRLS BASKETBALL BLITZ COMPETITION

Date: **Tuesday 27th February**

Venue: **Scoil na Mainistreach Celbridge**

All teams to be present at venue at 10.00am. Bring €20 towards expenses. Any team unable to travel on the day please contact Brian Sweeney (0876482285) before the above date.

Participating teams:

Suncroft

Kilberry

Moone

Cadamstown

Curragh

Tiermahon

St. David's Naas

Staplestown

Ballymore Eustace

Kilshanroe

Two courts will be available

Final at 2.00pm approx.

SMALL SCHOOLS BOYS BASKETBALL BLITZ COMPETITION

Date: **Monday 26th February**

Venue: **Scoil na Mainistreach Celbridge**

All teams to be present at venue at 10.00am. Bring €20 towards expenses. Any team unable to travel on the day please contact Brian Sweeney (0876482285) before the above date.

Participating teams:

Kilberry

Ballysax

Suncroft

Tiermohan

Ballymore Eustace

St. David's Naas

Moone

Cadamstown

Kilshanroe

Two courts will be available

Final at 2.00pm approx.

INTERMEDIATE SCHOOLS A

GIRLS BASKETBALL BLITZ (50 – 75)

Venue: **Scoil na Naomh Uilig**

Date: **Tuesday 27th February**

All teams to be present at venue at 9.40am. Bring €20 towards expenses. Any team unable to travel on the day please contact Joe O'Connor (045-432446) before the above date.

Participating teams:

Kilmead

St Patrick's

Two Mile House

Ardclough

Rathcoffey

Robertstown

Milltown

Two courts will be available

Final at 2.00pm approx.

INTERMEDIATE SCHOOLS A

BOYS BASKETBALL BLITZ (50 – 75)

Venue: **Scoil na Naomh Uilig**

Date: **Wednesday 28th February**

All teams to be present at venue at 9.40am. Bring €20 towards expenses. Any team unable to travel on the day please contact Joe O'Connor (045-432446) before the above date.

Participating teams:

St Patrick's

Ardclough

Kilmead

Rathcoffey

Two Mile House

Milltown

Robertstown

Two courts available. Final at 2.00pm approx.

INTERMEDIATE SCHOOLS B: GIRLS BBALL BLITZ (76 – 124)

Date: Wednesday 7th March

Venue: Scoil Ui Riarda, Kilcock

All teams to be present at venue at 10.00am. Bring €20 towards expenses. Any team unable to travel on the day please contact Paddy Cullen (0858658250) before the above date

Participating teams:

Gaelscoil Cill Dara Scoil na Naomh Uilig Rathangan Straffan Prosperous
Scoil Ui Riarda St. Conleth's and Mary's Castledermot Crookstown Newbridge Educate Together

Two courts available. Final at 2.00pm approx.

INTERMEDIATE SCHOOLS B: BOYS BBALL BLITZ (76 – 124)

Date: Thursday 8th March

Venue: Scoil Ui Riarda, Kilcock

All teams to be present at venue at 10.00am. Bring €20 towards expenses. Any team unable to travel on the day please contact Paddy Cullen (0858658250) before the above date

Participating teams:

Gaelscoil Cill Dara Scoil na Naomh Uilig Prosperous Newbridge Educate Together Dunlavin
Scoil Ui Riarda Straffan St. Conleth's and Mary's Castledermot

Two courts available. Final at 2.00pm approx

LARGE SCHOOLS GIRLS BASKETBALL BLITZ

Date: **Thursday 1st March**

Venue: Kilcullen Community Centre

All teams to be present at venue at 10.00am. Bring €20 towards expenses. Any team unable to travel on the day please contact Siobhan Murphy (045-481428) before the above date. *Participating teams:*

Maynooth Kildare Ballymany Scoil Mochua
Athy Monasterevin Kilcullen Sallins
Scoil Naomh Brid Celbridge Caragh Kill
Scoil Bhríde Naas Naas

Two courts available. Final at 2.00pm approx.

LARGE SCHOOLS BOYS BASKETBALL BLITZ

Date: **Monday 26th February**

Venue: Kilcullen Community Centre

All teams to be present at venue at 10.00am. Bring €20 towards expenses. Any team unable to travel on the day please contact Siobhan Murphy (045-481428) before the above date. *Participating teams:*

Clane Athy
Scoil Mochua Kill
Ballymany Scoil Bhríde Naas
Sallins Caragh
Kildare Naas
Kilcullen Monasterevin

Two courts available. Final at 2.00pm approx.

BASKETBALL LEAGUES 2017/18

SMALL SCHOOLS (<49)

GIRLS BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Section 1	Section 2
A. Kilberry	St. David's Naas
B. Moone	Kilshanroe
C. Curragh	Tiermohan
D. Suncroft	Kilashee
E. Ballysax	Bye
F. Bye	Bye

Fixtures

Round 1: Week Commencing 5th November B v A, D v C, F v E.
Round 2: Week Commencing 12th November A v F, C v B, E v D
Round 3: Week Commencing 19th November D v A, B v F, E v C.
Round 4: Week Commencing 26th November A v C, E v B, F v D.
Round 5: Week Commencing 3rd December B v D, A v E, C v F.

NOTE: ALL MATCHES IN LEAGUE TO BE PLAYED BEFORE CHRISTMAS 2018

Semi-Finals: home and away games January 2019

Week Commencing 14th January: Runners up of Section 1 v Winners of section 2

Week Commencing 14th January: Runners up of Section 2 v Winners of section 1

Week Commencing 21st January: Winners of Section 2 v Runners up of Section 1

Week Commencing 21st January: Winners of Section 1 v Runners up of Section 2

Final: Date to be arranged

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BOYS BASKETBALL LEAGUE

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A. Kilberry	St. David's Naas
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C. Bye	Tiermohan
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Final: Date to be arranged

**INTERMEDIATE SCHOOLS A (50 -75)
GIRLS BASKETBALL LEAGUE**

	Section 1	Section 2
A.	Rathcoffey	St. Patrick's
B.	Robertstown	Two Mile House
C.	Milltown	Kilmead
D.	Bye	Bye

Fixtures

Round 1: Week Commencing 5th November B v A, D v C.

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Final: Date to be arranged

INTERMEDIATE SCHOOLS B: GIRLS BB LEAGUE (76 – 124)

	Section 1	Section 2
A.	Scoil Ui Riarda	Castledermot
B.	Prosperous	Gaelscoil Cill Dara
C.	Scoil na Naomh Uilig	Newbridge Educate Together
D.	Rathangan	Athgarvan
E.	Bye	Crookstown
F.	Bye	Bye

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Final: Date to be arranged

LARGE SCHOOLS (>125)
GIRLS BASKETBALL LEAGUE

	Section 1	Section 2
A.	Kilcullen	Maynooth
B.	Kildare	Scoil Naomh Brid Celbridge
C.	Naas	Scoil Bhride Naas
D.	Ballymany	Sallins
E.	Monasterevin	Scoil Mochua
F.	Kill	Caragh

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B.	Kildare	Naas
C.	Bye	Scoil Bhride Naas
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PLEASE NOTE:

All games to be played on or before due date as any games outstanding after the final round will result in both teams losing the points.

