



Thunderbird Basketball Sign-ups for 2011-2012

The Lakota ThunderBird Youth Basketball Organization kicks off the 2011-2012 season with sign-ups for boys & girls in grades 2-6 on Saturday, **September 17th at Liberty Jr. High** (7055 Dutchland Parkway). A skills-assessment will be held as follows:

	<u>Girls</u>	<u>Boys</u>
6 th Grade	8:30-9:15 am	11:30-12:30 pm
5 th Grade	9:15-10:00 am	12:30-2:00 pm
4 th Grade	10:00-10:45 am	2:00-3:30 pm
2 nd & 3 rd Grade	10:45-11:30 am	3:30-5:00 pm

If you cannot make your specified time, please come at another time slot on Saturday. For those who cannot attend on Saturday, a smaller sign-up session will be held on Sunday, **September 18th at Liberty Jr. High** as follows:

<u>Girls</u>	1:00 – 2:00 pm	2-6 grade
<u>Boys</u>	2:00 – 3:00 pm	2-4 grade
	3:00 – 4:00 pm	5-6 grade

Sign-ups for grades 7-8 will be held in November.

Key Changes for this year:

- **2nd grade instructional teams are being added this year**
- **Participation fee of \$135 per player will be due at time of signups**
- **Cash, check or major credit cards will be accepted**
- **Early registration is available online. See TBird website for details. Attendance at in-person signups still required to run through gym drills**

Boys & girls who are interested in signing up for a ThunderBird team are **required** to attend one of the skills assessment sessions. All participating boys & girls should wear attire appropriate for playing basketball. Do NOT bring a basketball.

If you have any questions or would like to volunteer as a coach or division coordinator, please contact: **Mark Kaiser Boys 2nd & 3rd** 860-0414, **Kevin Martin Boys 4th** 509-5597, **Mike Goldman Boys 5th** 607-9152, **Matt Lykins Boys 6th** 777-8931, **John Noyen Boys 7th & 8th** 777-6033, or **Jim Williams Girls Coordinator** 703-7735. You can also check out our Web Site for additional information at www.TBirdHoops.org

There will be a **coaches' meeting** on Wednesday, **September 7st at Hopewell Jr. High** cafeteria from 7:00 – 9:00 pm (8200 Cox Rd). Any individual interested in coaching a team is asked to attend. **We Need Coaches.** Key dates, player eligibility, team distributions, and other general information will be reviewed.

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