



# LEWIS & CLARK BASKETBALL

Greetings!

Our coaching staff would like to invite all returning players to be a part of Lewis and Clark Summer Basketball.

Summer basketball will begin with our **first practice on May 28<sup>th</sup>**. During the first few practices, 2-3 teams will be selected by our coaching staff. Depending on your son's team, their summer basketball schedule will include practices, weeknight league games, and/or weekend tournaments. Please see the attached tentative schedule.

**There will be a parent meeting to go over all summer basketball information Tuesday, April 30<sup>th</sup> at 5:30pm in the LC Auditorium.** If you intend to try out for summer basketball, please plan to attend this meeting!

Our focus for summer basketball is to improve each player's skill level, continue to develop our system of play, and build team chemistry for the upcoming season, which will all help in our success next winter in a tough Greater Spokane League. Our biggest expectations for you this summer is to play with **GREAT ATTITUDE AND GREAT EFFORT!** We are only looking for players who are willing to commit to our June/early July schedule. These are not "show up when you feel like it" teams. We support multi-sport athletes, and we are flexible in working with those schedules; however, players need to communicate with our coaches on when they will be gone for another sport.

**In addition**, our coaching staff is very excited to be taking our Varsity and JV summer teams to the Boise State University Team Camp over the weekend of June 13-15. We plan to depart early on the morning of the 13<sup>th</sup> and return on the evening of the 15<sup>th</sup>. Players and coaches will travel in vans driven by the coaching staff. Once there, we will stay in the dorms, eat in the campus cafeteria, and play our games in the arena! Please be aware that your child will need to be excused from the last two days of school! This will be a great opportunity to bond as a team and compete against some of the top high school programs in our region!

**Also**, we ask that our returning players serve as a coach/counselor at our youth summer camp during June 17-20 at LCHS. This is always a fun and memorable experience for our players, while also giving back to the young hoopsters of our community!

**The cost for summer basketball will be the same for all incoming 10<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> graders - \$200.** This money goes strictly towards tournaments, summer league, and travel fees – this is not a fundraiser, nor do we pay our coaches for summer basketball. On top of that, we are covering a majority of these overall costs with fundraised monies. We never want cost to be a barrier for players. Therefore, if this fee is an issue, please speak with a coach. **Please pay by the end of our first week of practice - Friday, May 31<sup>st</sup>.** Checks need to be made out to **“WaHoops.”**

In basketball,

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