

## FAQ Boys Basketball - Winter

- The Optimist Club of Mustang (OCM) is a member of a League called Northwest Basketball Association. This league includes Yukon, Satellite, Piedmont and El Reno. This league provides competition from competitive to recreational. The proper level is determined by a series of pre-season scrimmages.
- League will run from Mid-November through the first week of March
- Games will be on Friday nights, Saturdays, and Sunday afternoons. Game locations will be determined based on the home towns in your skill division. Horizon and Canyon Ridge Intermediate schools are the main gyms however we could use others as needed. Away games will be at participating gyms in the locations listed above. The season will consist of 12 league games. Each team will generally have one game per weekend
- The league will take Christmas and New Years weekends off.
- Practices are held at 7 of the Mustang Public School Districts elementary schools between 6pm and 9pm on Mon, Tue, Thur and Fri nights
- Base fee is \$50 per child. The Optimist Club does rent practice gyms from Mustang Public Schools. If your team uses one of these gyms add \$25 per child to the base fee. All fees will be collected by assigned coaches once teams are formed. Checks should be made out to OCM. **DO NOT MAIL ANY MONEY.** Should we not get volunteer coaches teams will not be formed.
- Uniforms are NOT included in the signup fee.
- Coaches will need a Birth Certificate for any boy who has not played Basketball through the OCM previously. These will be returned once dates are verified against rosters
- The use of Mustang Public Schools practice gyms is under very strict rules including only ONE parent for each child is allowed in practice, NO siblings are allowed. These practice gyms do not have sitting areas, they are classrooms for PE teachers at the school. To limit damage and allow coaches to coach without distraction, these rules are strictly enforced.
- There is a Gate Fee at all games.
  - Adults \$5 per game, Under 16 free, Seniors \$2 per game
  - If you have two games in one day, at different gyms, you will have to pay at each gym.