



**4yrs - 4<sup>th</sup> GRADE BASKETBALL  
Winter 2024  
Iddy Biddy, Biddy, and Youth**

**Registration Deadline November 13, 2023 ----- Coaches Meeting November 16, 2023 7 P.M.**

**All games will be played on Saturdays for 5 weeks**

| <b>Age Divisions</b>                                       | <b>Game Dates</b> | <b>Fees</b>                 |
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| * <b>Iddy Biddy</b> - Age 4(by Jan. 6, 2024) to K          | Jan 6 - Feb 3     | Member \$35/Non-Member \$70 |
| * <b>Biddy</b> - 1 <sup>st</sup> & 2 <sup>nd</sup> Graders |                   |                             |
| * <b>Youth</b> - 3 <sup>rd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Graders |                   |                             |

**PLEASE RETURN REGISTRATION FORM WITH PAYMENT TO THE YMCA BY MAIL OR IN PERSON.**

Long Branch Area YMCA: 1304 S. Missouri St. Macon, MO 63552 Phone: 660-385-1818

An attempt will be made to place those players from communities outside of Macon on a team from their area. However, final player selection for all teams will be determined by the YMCA Program Director.

**YMCA Mission: To put Christian principles into practice through programs that build healthy spirit, mind and body for all.**

**Character Values: Faith, Caring, Honesty, Respect and Responsibility**

**PLEASE DETACH AND KEEP THE TOP FOR YOUR INFORMATION**

**YMCA 4yrs-4<sup>TH</sup> GRADE BASKETBALL**

Circle appropriate division -      Iddy Biddy      Biddy      Youth

Player's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_ Sex \_\_\_\_\_  
(Last)      (First)      Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Special Health needs/requests \_\_\_\_\_

T-shirt size:    YS      YM      YL      AS      AM      AL      AXL

YMCA Member:      Yes      No

The applicant above has my permission to participate in this activity. I/we hereby agree to hold harmless the YMCA officers, directors, employees and volunteers from any and all claims, damages or liabilities for personal injuries or property damage, loss/theft of personal items or articles of any nature whatsoever, arising out of or in any way connected with the use of YMCA facilities, regardless of the cause of any such claim, damage or liability.

I give my permission for the YMCA to use, without limitations or obligation, photographs, film footage, or tape recordings which may include my image or voice for purposes of promoting or interpreting YMCA programs.

I support the YMCA philosophy, which is based on Christian principles, participation, fun, physical fitness and health, skill development, teamwork, fair play, family involvement, and volunteer leadership.

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**I will volunteer in support of this program by:**

**(Circle one or more):**

**Coaching**

**Assistant Coaching**

**COACHES NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ Shirt Size \_\_\_\_\_**

**--See reverse side for important Child Abuse Prevention information--**

To: Parents of YMCA Participants

From: Jessy Stephenson, Fitness & Program Director

Re: "Child Abuse Prevention"

Child abuse is a serious national problem. YMCAs are especially vulnerable to the possibilities of child abuse because of the large number of children that pass through our programs on a daily basis. Because of this, the YMCA has a strong moral, legal and financial obligation to protect the children in our care from abuse. Given the nature of who we serve, our organization is especially appealing to potential child abusers. It is important that we be as rigorous as possible in screening out potential offenders, and that we train and supervise staff and volunteers to eliminate occurrences of abuse.

The safety of the children we serve must be our primary concern. For this reason, the Long Branch Area YMCA will be conducting various screening activities, such as: criminal background checks, reference checks, signed code of conduct, and child abuse prevention training, for volunteers who work with children.

The YMCA also will keep written documentation evidencing successful completion of the Child Abuse Prevention Training in each of our staff member's personnel file who works with children.

The YMCA hereby advises and notifies parents of youth participants that we have a staff code of conduct, and that parents should report any suspicious activity to the Program Director or Executive Director.

Our coaches meetings will now be mandatory, as each volunteer coach must view the Child Abuse Prevention pamphlet and sign authorization for a criminal background check at the coaches meeting. Coaches will not receive their official team shirt until these two requirements are met. We recognize that this may be a small inconvenience for you; however, the payoff of protecting our children is worth the effort.

And, as parents, we can feel more assured that the YMCA is taking a proactive effort to protect our young people. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at the YMCA. A meeting with the Program Director to review our Child Abuse Prevention information, at a time convenient for you, can also be scheduled at the YMCA.