

Arlington County Department of Parks and Recreation

Polar Outdoor 3v3 Basketball League

Frequently Asked Questions

Registration Questions

Q: When is Registration for the Arlington Polar Outdoor 3v3 Basketball League?

A: Regular Registration opens 12 AM on Wednesday January 6th, 2021 through Sunday January 24th, 2021

Registration Closes 11:59 PM January 24th, 2021

Q: Where can I register?

A: The link for online registration can be found [HERE](#). Walk-up registrations are currently unavailable. You may call 703-228-4747 for registration assistance.

Q: Do I need to create an account?

A: Many of you may already have an account from the old Stack Sports system and might just need to activate it from your email. Those that don't, will need to register as a new user and have an email to verify it upon registration.

LINKS ON HOW TO NAVIGATE SPORTS CONNECT

[League Registration Guide for Parents](#)

[Navigating Your Account](#)

******THESE LINKS DO NOT WORK IN INTERNET EXPLORER******

Payment Questions

Q: What is the fee for playing in the league?

A: The registration fee is \$20.00. There are no jerseys or trophies provided for this season.

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Q: How can I pay for the league?

A: Debit/Credit Card OR

Check made payable to

Treasurer, Arlington County. Memo: Youth Flag. Mailed or dropped off to:

Arlington County Sports Leagues

3700 Four Mile Run Drive Arlington, VA

22206

The building is closed to the public, but you can use the drop box on the S. Nelson St. Entrance. Mail is being checked once per week, so there may be some delay in processing.

Q: Do fee reductions apply to the Arlington Outdoor Polar 3v3 League?

A: Yes, Income-Based fee reductions are available for Arlington residents in all Arlington County

programs, including Financial Hardship Rates. Details are available [here](#). Call 703-228-4747 to get further help if needed.

A fee adjustment needs to be done over the phone, so please call before processing pay.

League or Schedule Questions

Q: How long is the season?

A: Regular season games begin February 13th, 2021

The season ends the weekend of March 13th and 14th

Q: Do we play on holiday weekends?

A: Yes, we play on President's Day weekend.

Q: Where are the games and practices? How many times do we play per week?

A: There are no practices. Games take place at Drew Park, Gunston Park, High View Park, Thomas Jefferson Park, and Virginia Highlands on Saturdays and Sundays

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Q: How many games are in a season?

A: The regular season consists of 4 weeks of back-to-back double headers (8 games total) and is followed by a single-elimination game playoff tournament that ends no later than March 13th and 14th.

Player or Team Questions

Q: I've never played in an outdoor basketball league; how do I join a team?

A: Players are assigned to teams by school affiliation. You can also request to play with friends, request coaches or teams in the "Special Request" section on the online registration form. You can also have a coach form a new team and request to be placed on that team.

Q: Will we get jerseys for this season?

A: No, the registration fees do not include jerseys. Players need to bring have a light and dark shirt ready for each game with the home team wearing white.

Q: I've played Arlington Basketball in the past, will I be placed on the same team?

A: You have an option to request your coach by name, however with smaller rosters than traditional 5 v 5 basketball- returning to former team is not guaranteed. If a request is not indicated on your registration form, you will be assigned to a team based on school affiliation.

Q: Is the Arlington Polar Outdoor 3v3 Basketball League open to non-Arlington residents?

A: The Polar Outdoor 3v3 Basketball League is open to Arlington County residents-only.

Q: What age is the league for?

A: It is for players currently enrolled in Grades 5th-12th. Players can play up 1 grade division, but not down a division.

Q: How many players are on one team?

A: Rosters cannot exceed 6 players per team to ensure maximum playing time for all players.

Q: How long are Basketball games and practices?

A: Polar Outdoor 3v3 Basketball League will have no practices, due to limited court availability. Games consist of 24-minute continuous clock or 25 points (whichever comes first)

Volunteer or Other Questions

Q: I would like to coach this year. What do I need to do?

A: Awesome! And Thanks. Coaches will need to login/create an account and access the volunteer tab on their account page. Please make sure to select the correct grade division you'd like to volunteer with. You can also [sign-up here](#).

Q: I can't coach, can I help in another way?

A: We are looking for managers, COVID-Coaches, assistants, and other roles that you can help make this community better.

Q: Who can I contact with further questions?

A: The 3v3 basketball league has two Commissioners:

- Grades 5-7: Patrick Leonard, 703-228-1818, pmleonard@arlingtonva.us
- Grades 8-12: Tyler Remerow, 703-228-1808, tremerow@arlingtonva.us