

Wells Parks & Recreation

Travel basketball information 2023-2022

- **MUST PREREGISTER FOR TRYOUTS** at www.wellsrec.org

If you did not preregister or cannot make tryouts, you may not be considered for the team

- **No sharing of water or snacks.** Players should bring their own water bottle with a name on it.
- If you are feeling sick stay home; please contact coaches or Rec.
- **Tryouts** – Will be held at the Wells Elementary School
 - 3/4 girls - ?Dec?
 - 3/4 boys - ?Dec?
 - 5/6 girls – Fri. Oct 27 @ 6:00-7:30pm & Sun. Oct 29 @ 9:00-10:30am
 - 5th boys – Mon. Oct 30 @ 5:00-6:00pm & Wed. Nov 1 @ 6:00-7:00pm
 - 6th boys – Mon. Oct 30 @ 6:00-7:00pm & Wed. Nov 1 @ 5:00-6:00pm
- Tryouts will be done to choose players; only 10-12 players per team, some players may be cut.
- **League & Season dates:** XL Sports league – begins Nov 1, 2023 and goes until Feb 2024; games on weekends at XL Sports in Saco. Additional tournaments go into March 2024.
- **Cost:** \$150 per player; includes league fees and practice jersey. (Additional fees may be charged for tournaments; TBA)
- **Practices:** will be 2-3 times a week.
 - 5/6 Girls on Mondays & Wednesdays @ 6:30-7:45pm at the Jr High gym
 - 5/6 Boys on Tuesdays & Thursdays @ 6:30-7:45pm at the Jr High gym
 - 3/4 team practices are TBA right now but will be at the Elem gym @ time TBA.
- **Games:** 5/6 games will be played at XL Sports in Saco against other teams/towns in the league, additional games against local teams may be added midweek. 3/4 teams may not be playing at XL Sports and instead will play other local teams at home or away, most weekends and some weekdays.
- **Uniforms:** A game jersey will be provided to you from the Rec Dept. To be returned at the end of the season. *The practice jersey, which is included in your program fee, is yours to keep.

- This is a competitive program, where teams will compete against other town's competitive teams for regular season games and tournaments.
- **3/4 team note**: Other town's teams are usually made up of all older players; even though we offer this as an option for 3rd graders, most teams are made up of mostly 4th graders with a few 3rd graders. 3/4 teams shoot at a 10' hoop using a women's size basketball. Most 3rd graders are just learning and getting strong enough for the high hoops and larger ball.
- ***Youth basketball for grades 1-5** will be offered starting in November. This is a learn to play, everyone makes a team program. Teams practice once a week at either 4:00-5:00pm or 5:00-6:00pm, game are played at home each Saturday against other Wells teams. Look for more information on our website, emails, and flyers soon.