



December 31, 2014

Dear Director:

I would like to invite you to our 13th Annual Invitational 5-6th grade Basketball Tournament held on March 7 and 8 for boys and girls. Games will be played at Mattanawcook Jr. High School and Mattanawcook Academy. The fee is \$125.00 for each team entered and payment must be enclosed with registration. In order to attend, you must send in the team roster and application by February 22nd. There will be no refunds issued after February 22nd. A copy of this year's player eligibility and rules is enclosed. All the proceeds raised will benefit the Lincoln Community Recreational Center Trust Fund and the Sponsor a Child Fund.

Each team will be guaranteed a minimum of three games. There will be individual trophies for 1st and 2nd place. Various other awards will also be handed out. Please make checks payable to Town of Lincoln, 63 Main St., Lincoln, ME, 04457 ATTN: Recreation Dept.

Enclosed you will find a roster form and tournament information. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to call either;

Jeremy Weatherbee 290-0722, 794-6548 and email: recreation@lincolnmaine.org

Nancy Guiod 794-5556 and email: njguiod@hotmail.com

We look forward to hearing from you and hope your team decides to enter our tournament.

Sincerely,

Jeremy Weatherbee
Recreation Director

Lincoln

5-6 Tournament Rules

- ❖ **Saturday** games will consist of two 20 minute halves, running time except for the last two minutes of each half. Any games going into overtime will be five (5) minutes in length and will start with a jump ball.
- ❖ **Saturday** games will be a Round Robin format. This is a great chance to **play all players** and each team will play 2 games on Saturday.
- ❖ **Sunday** games will be 16 minute halves, stop time. Any games going into overtime will be five minutes in length and will be started by a jump ball.
- ❖ **Sunday** play will be a single elimination. Brackets will be posted on Saturday so coaches and players will know their schedule for Sunday ahead of time.
- ❖ **Saturday** games will have no 1 and 1. This will preserve more playing time for each team by minimizing the amount of time the clock is running during foul shots.
- ❖ 3 time outs per team per game...If you use all three in the first half, you have no more time outs.
- ❖ No pressing in the first half. Pressing is allowed in the second half unless a team is up by more than 10 points.
- ❖ Defense: Open play with all defensive schemes allowed.
- ❖ In the event we run slightly ahead of schedule, please try and be at your scheduled game 20 minutes prior to game time.

