



Season Update

We have been receiving a number of inquiries regarding schedules and tryouts. Hopefully this update will address most of your questions.

Historically, most of our basketball programs have occurred in school gyms. At the present time, school gyms are not available as the Avon Maitland and Huron Perth Catholic boards work to develop protocols for community use. This has left us with challenges in finding sufficient gym times to run our programs. We continue to work with City of Stratford staff and other user groups to access additional gym time.

It is our plan to run both our travel program (Stratford Revolution) and our house league program (Hoops for Fun) this year.

Travel teams have begun holding tryouts. Those teams who typically have a later start to their season (U15 and above) will be holding tryouts very shortly. Players that have registered for tryouts will be notified once dates have been confirmed. Unfortunately a regular practice schedule cannot be set at this time as we work to equitably utilize the gym time that we do have.

Hoops for Fun will begin on Wednesday November 3. The vast majority of this program will be run on Wednesday evenings. Players registered for Hoops for Fun will be notified of times via email. Evaluation schedules will also be posted on the [website](#). Some divisions **may** have games scheduled on Friday evenings until we get access to school gyms.

COVID-19 has presented all of us with many challenges and we appreciate that the uncertainty around schedules is challenging. Please be assured we are doing our best to provide a strong basketball program for our players and their families. As we gather more information, updates will be posted on the website and through social media.

If you continue to have questions, please feel free to contact me at the email below.

Thank you for your patience and understanding.

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