

## SWBC Rules

The SWBC will follow WIAA game rules with the exception of the following:

We will play 2 - 20 minute halves with running clock till the last 2 minutes of each half. 3 time outs per team. If we have an Overtime Game it will be a 2 Minute Overtime with stop clock on each whistle. Each team will get an additional time out. If the game is still tied at the end of Overtime, we will play a sudden death, 1st team to score wins. No Time outs in Sudden Death.

No Full Court Press with a 15 point Lead or greater. Running Clock in last 2 minutes if a team has a 15 point or greater lead.

Man to Man Defense only at the 4th & 5th Grade levels. No Full Court Press at 4th & 5th grade until the last 2 minutes of each half. Referees will warn if the Referees deem not playing man to man then it will be a 2 point technical foul. Help side principles will be in effect. Also as a referee, if you station 2 offensive players near mid court and their respective defenders sag into the lane, they are not going to call that an illegal defense. If you send a cutter through lane to ball side and defender does not go with him that will be called. If you send a 2nd guy to double ball, that will be warned. If a dribbler dribbles himself into a double team and man is there to help, that would be looked at as help side defense. Referees will have discretion on this matter. So let's do the right thing and teach our young kids proper ball handling and help side principles on Defense.

We will play with the big ball at 6th grade.

We expect all involved, Coaches, Referees, Players and Spectators to exhibit both good sportsmanship and behavior.

Let's have a great season!