

# BASKETBALL 3 ON 3 TOURNAMENTS RULES AND REGULATIONS

## I. AIMS AND GOALS

1. To motivate youth to participate in sport activities;
2. To increase youth occupation through physical activity;
3. To popularize basketball 3x3 among youth.

## II. ORGANIZERS

4. Lithuanian Centre of Non-Formal Youth Education; Lithuanian Students Sports Association; Sport and Health Centre of Lithuanian Sport University; Kaunas University of Technology.

## III. TIME AND PLACE

5. **Date:** 29<sup>th</sup> of September 2020;
6. **Time:** 6.30 pm; (Registration-confirmation 5:30 pm);
7. **Team registration till 5:00 pm, 25<sup>th</sup> of September, 2020;**
8. **Form online:** <https://www.formlets.com/forms/M3o5P9mH9rCU4wpD/>
9. **Place:** Kaunas University of Technology (outside courts), Radvilėnų pl. 19, Kaunas.

## IV. TEAM ELIGIBILITY & REQUIREMENTS

10. Teams consist of min 3, max - 4 players (man, women or mix teams);
11. Two groups: 1. Schoolchildren; 2. Students.
12. All Students, who can prove their student status;
13. Those who are registered in LKL\*, NKL\* and professional players for 2019-2020 season – can't participate in the tournament.
14. All participants are responsible for their own health.

\* LKL – Lithuanian Basketball League; NKL – National Basketball League;

## V. MAIN RULES

15. Organizers have the right to change regulation considering to the number of registered teams;
16. Playing time is 10 minutes without stopping time;
17. Playing system double elimination;
18. Ball size – 6;
19. A coin flip shall determine which team gets the first possession. The team that wins the coin flip can either choose to benefit from the ball possession at the beginning of the game;
20. The first team to score 21 points or more wins the game;
21. Every successful shot inside the arc shall be awarded 1 point. Every successful free throw shall be awarded 2 points; If the score is tied at the end of playing time, an extra period of time will be played till first team shoot 2 points successfully; Ball goes to that team who started Game in defense;
22. Fouls during the act of shooting inside the arc shall be awarded 1 free throw, whilst fouls during the act of shooting behind the arc should be awarded 2 free throws; Fouls during

- the act of shooting followed by a successful field goal shall be awarded 1 additional free throw;
23. Team fouls 7, 8 and 9 shall always be awarded with 2 free throws. The 10<sup>th</sup> and any subsequent team foul as well as technical and unsportsmanlike fouls will be always awarded with 2 free throws and ball possession.
  24. Before each Game, team will have 2 minutes for warm-up;
  25. The Games must start with three players on the court;

### **VI. Game- Caravan**

26. All participants line-up. Two balls for one group. After start, first in line throw the ball from marked line. Second in line can throw the ball once the first throw the ball (first participant doesn't have ball in hands). If second participant shot (score) and first didn't, so the first participant lose the game (kicked out), he passes the ball to the third participant and leaves court.
27. Participant who shot (score) passes the ball to the next participant in-line and he runs to the back of the line and continue to play.
28. Winner is the one who is last on court and goes to the next stage.
29. Depending on the number of participants- there will be groups of 10 participants, only 1 winner from the group goes to the next stage.

### **VI. AWARDS**

30. First three teams and to a maximum of 4 players of the team will be awarded with medals and prizes.
31. The winner of Schoolchildren and Students groups will be awarded separately.

### **VII. ENTRE FEE**

32. There are no entry fee. The tournament **is free of charge**.
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