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83rd Annual PRCUA National Basketball Tournament Saturday, March 18, 2017-Big Rapids MI

The 83rd annual PRCUA basketball tournament will be held on Saturday, March 18, 2017 in Big Rapids, MI, hosted by St Rita's #1368. The committee, chaired by Jason Losinski has finalized the events as follows:

HOTEL ACCOMODATIONS: Holiday Inn Big Rapids
1005 Perry Ave
Big Rapids, MI.

For reservations please call (231) 796-4400 by February 27, 2017 and mention code PRCUA. The tournament room rates per night is \$109 plus Tax.

SPORTS VENUE: Crossroads Charter Academy
215 N State St
Big Rapids MI.

Directions will be provided with a handout at the hotel.

GAME DIVISIONS: Men's Open
Women's Open (5 on 5)
Women's (3 on 3)
Men's Over 50 (3 on 3, Must be over age 50).

HOSPITALITY GATHERING: Friday, March 17, 2017 at the hotel from 7pm-10pm.


AWARDS BANQUET: The Eagles
7230 Stanwood Drive,
Stanwood, MI 49346.

Immediately following the tournament.

MASS: St Mary's, 1009 Marion St. Big Rapids, MI. Saturday 5PM & Sunday 9AM.

Enclosed is the entry form that must be completed and returned to the home office, together with \$50.00 entry fee per team. All players must be PRCUA members in good standing. Each player may only sign one roster. Players must agree to abide by the PRCUA rules and regulations of good sportsmanship and fair play on and off the court. Make your check payable to PRCUA or use the Paypal option on the website (prcua.org). Be sure to get the entry postmarked by February 25, 2017.

New PRCUA players welcomed and encouraged to join in the fun. If there are any question please call the Fraternal Department: 1 800 772-8632 x2601.


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PRCUA NATIONAL BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

RULES OF PLAY as of 2017

1. All games will be played in 20 minute running clock halves, with regulation stop-clock for the final 2 minutes of last half.
2. Game time is forfeit time.
3. Overtime periods will be 3 minutes long. The final minute of the overtime period will be regulation stop-clock.
4. Two time-outs are allowed per half. They do not carry over to the second half or to overtime periods. An additional time-out will be granted for each overtime period.
5. A jump ball will be used to start the game. Thereafter, the alternate possession rule will be in effect.
6. Teams will be in the bonus free-throw situation on the 7th team foul.
7. Technical fouls will count towards a player's personal fouls.
8. In all other situations, official high school rules will be followed.
9. Team members must wear the same color jersey with numbers on the back.
10. Each team must supply a spotter to assist the official scorekeeper.
11. Final decisions will be made by the tournament committee.
12. The tournament format uses a "pre-tourney" round to split teams into divisions of play. First round competition will place losers into a "B" division double-elimination tournament, and winners into an "A" division double-elimination tournament.
13. Both division winners and runners up will receive awards. All-Stars and MVP's will be selected for both divisions.
14. All teams must be listed on the final roster.
15. Substitutions of new players will not be allowed after the start of the tournament.
16. Each player may only sign one roster.
17. All tournament participants must sign a Waiver of Liability prior to the start of the tournament.

