

SWOB SCHEDULE CONFLICT POLICY

This has been more than a trying year for everyone especially our kids. Between all the quarantining, lack of gym time due to schools remaining closed, Ky gyms closed during December (and not knowing if they were going to open back up), and statewide curfew getting almost 2500 games scheduled has been a challenge. I personally have spent over 120 hours the last two weeks finalizing schedules. Every team has at least 10 games scheduled with the exception of 3. Over the 25 years SWOB has great flexibility working with teams on scheduling issues, but this year I have ZERO room to move games at this point. Because issues like COVID positives, quarantines and so on will come up we have come up with the only way to handle schedule conflicts.

Southwestern Ohio Basketball has adopted the following schedule conflict policy for the 2020-21 winter league:

If your team cannot make their game email us ASAP and we will try to fill your game. We will not reschedule your game, but you will have an opportunity to fill in on a game later in the season more than likely. DO NOT CONTACT THE OTHER TEAM TO CANCEL!!!

We will ask for teams to pick up games each weekend as teams cancel. It will count toward your record and you will be responsible for paying the refs. It may be against a team from a separate division but at least your kids are playing.

Please do not cancel due to missing a player or two, other tourneys, other social gatherings - your team will be fined \$50 if we find out so and excluded from the post season tourney.

Each week I will send out an email asking for teams wanting to pick up games. There will be no science on how we fill them, just making sure the game happens.

SWOB can only guarantee that you will be scheduled for ten (10) games per session. We cannot guarantee that your team will play all 10 of your games, but we sure hope you do. We will do everything to our ability to make sure your kids have a season this year!