



**COMMUNITY
RECREATION
FOUNDATION**

THE COMMUNITY RECREATION FOUNDATION
AND CASPER RECREATION DIVISION
PROUDLY PRESENT THE



36TH ANNUAL

CASPER YOUTH BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT



March 7-8, 2026

Team Fee \$255

3-Game Guarantee

Registration Deadline: February 15, 2026



**RAMKOTA
HOTEL**
& CONFERENCE CENTER

Stay at the Ramkota Hotel and get a discounted rate! Book today, (307) 266-6000! Just mention the "Casper Youth Basketball Tournament Block"!

Register online at: www.activecasper.com
or mail to:

Casper Youth Basketball Tournament
1801 E 4th St. Casper, WY 82601
Check Payable to: City of Casper

All tourney info will be emailed to coaches. Schedules posted on teamsideline.com/casperwy.

Team Name _____	Grade Level _____ Boys' Team _____ Girls' Team _____
Coach Name _____	Coach Email _____
Home Phone _____	Cell/Work Phone _____
Mailing Address _____	City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Did your team play last year? Yes No If so, under what name? _____	

Please Rate your team's competitive level: 1 Most Competitive, 4 Least: 1 2 3 4



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by **February 15, 2026**



3-Game Guarantee

Divisions: Grades 3-8 boys,

Grades 3-8 girls

Separate divisions for each grade level

Entry Fee: \$255 per team

Gate admission: \$10 with wristband

for entire weekend, 12 & under free

Web Links:

Tourney Website: www.teamsideline.com/casperwy

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- Tournament play is a **3-game guarantee** with **modified bracketing** and in some cases offering a **consolation** and/or **super consolation bracket**.
- **NFHS registered officials** are used for **all** tournament games.
- Annually, teams from **Wyoming, Nebraska, Colorado, Montana, & South Dakota** participate in the Casper Youth Basketball Tournament, making it one of the **largest** and best tournaments in the region.
- Division brackets may be split to equitably distribute teams.
- Most games played at WYO Sports Ranch. Some additional facilities may be used for overflow.

Questions

Call (307)233-6605

bhellmuth@casperwy.gov



Casper Info: www.visitcasper.com

NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL FEDERATION RULES WILL BE USED WITH THE FOLLOWING EXCEPTIONS:

1. Each team must supply one adult score keeper at the scorer's table for each game that team is scheduled. Teams not supplying an adult score keeper will forfeit that game.
2. Games will consist of 4, 10-minute quarters with a running clock. The clock will stop on time-outs and injuries only. If the lead is 10 points or less, the clock will stop during last two minutes of game on all whistles.
3. Teams will be granted 3 time-outs per regulation game.
4. Overtime periods will be 2 minutes using a stopped clock. Teams will be granted one time-out in OT. If an additional OT is required, it will be sudden death with no time-outs allotted.
5. Game time is forfeit time. Teams must have 5 players to start.
6. Half-time will be a minimum of 3 minutes. Quarter Breaks will be 1 Minute.
7. The 3-point shot will be allowed for all divisions.
8. Teams in all divisions with a 15+ point advantage in the second half may not press
 - A. 3rd, 4th, and 5th Grade division will not be allowed to press outside of the last two minutes of the game.
 - B. 3rd and 4th Grades may shoot from the 12' Line. (these courts will be marked)
9. An intermediate (28.5) ball will be used for all divisions except Boy's 8th grade - they will use a regulation men's ball.
10. All teams must have matching uniform shirts with visible numbers on the back. Numbers are recommended for the front. Must have the option to use a light and dark color jersey. The top team listed on the Bracket will wear Light /White Color Jersey.
11. Players must compete in their own grade classification. Exception: Players in a lower grade may participate in an older division. Players may play on one team only. Or as permissible by tournament director.
12. Substitutions are permitted on dead ball situations only.
13. Each team foul after 5 team fouls in the quarter will result in double bonus free throws. Team fouls reset each quarter. Players will foul out on their fifth personal foul.
14. Positive sportsmanship is a requirement. Any coach or player who receives 2 unsportsmanlike technical fouls during the tournament will be ejected for the remainder of the tournament. Spectators ejected will not be permitted to attend any remaining tournament games.
15. Pickup players will not be allowed once the tournament has begun without the consent of the tournament director. Questions about player eligibility should be directed to the Recreation Supervisor at (307) 233-6605.
16. Team coaches must keep their players off the court during games in which they are not involved (Do not allow players to shoot around during timeouts, half time, etc.). The tournament does not provide basketballs for team warm-ups.
17. The shoes worn into any facility cannot be worn on the gymnasium floors. Shoes must be clean and non-marking.
18. Adult coaches must supervise their team's players. Access within school is limited to the gymnasium area.
19. Games may be played at various gymnasiums throughout Casper.
20. Admission is \$10.00 for an all-tournament pass for ages 13 and over. Ages 12 and under are admitted free.
21. Awards will be given to champions and runner ups in each division.
22. All championship games are final. There will be no 'IF' games in championship rounds.