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City of Pensacola Parks and Recreation Offers Winter Basketball Programs for Youth

The City of Pensacola Parks and Recreation Department is offering several options for youth basketball this winter, including leagues and a boot camp.

The City's recreation basketball league at Vickrey Resource Center is for players ages 5 to 14 and will run January through February 2017. Registration is going on now and continues through November 28. All teams U6-U15 will be co-ed. The cost to participate is \$72 for city residents and \$83 for non-city residents. Participants can register in person at the Vickrey Resource Center, or mail registration to the Athletics division at Exchange Park, 3200 East Lakeview Avenue, Pensacola, FL 32503. Registration forms are available online at PlayPensacola.com.

Cobb, Fricker and Woodland Heights have partnered to offer a Youth Basketball Training League for ages 5 to 10. Registration begins November 1st and participants can register through the end of December at any of those locations. The league will run January through February 2017. The cost is \$25 for ages 5-7 and \$35 for ages 8-10.

The Fricker Resource Center will also offer a competitive youth basketball league for U12 to U14 beginning in January. Register at Fricker Resource Center December 1-January 7. The cost is \$350 per team or \$50 per individual player.

To prepare your child for the upcoming basketball season, Fricker Resource Center will offer a Basketball Boot Camp for ages 4-17. The camp lasts four weeks with each age group training one night a week, starting November 7-29. The cost is \$10 for city residents and \$20 for non-city residents. For more information please call the Fricker Resource Center at (850) 436-5195.

For more details about these and other recreation opportunities offered by the City of Pensacola Parks and Recreation Department please visit PlayPensacola.com.

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