2024 Winter Session WHITNEY BOYS BASKETBALL CLUB

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Sunday November 5th, 2023

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*<u>There will be a \$20 Tryout Fee</u> (covers both days of tryouts) for each participant due the day of the tryout. This fee covers gym time and insurance costs for the players. This fee will be paid through <u>http://www.paypal.com/paypalme/whitneybasketball</u> Please arrive at least 15 minutes early to your son's tryout!

> **ALL TRYOUTS WILL TAKE PLACE IN THE <u>WHITNEY HIGH MAIN/AUX GYM'S</u> 701 WILDCAT BLVD. ROCKLIN, CA 95765



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The **purpose** of the Hustlin' Wildcats Basketball Club is to provide an opportunity for children to improve their skills and knowledge of the game in a fun, competitive environment. This program is for children in grades 3rd-8th that live in the **Whitney High School Attendance Area**. Hustlin' Wildcats works closely with **Head Varsity Coaches Nick French, Chris Purdy, Shawn Andrews, Greg Williamson and Jashon Lewis** to teach the philosophy and system of the Boys Basketball program at Whitney High School.

The **Hustlin' Wildcats AAU** youth club is an extension of the **Whitney High School Boys Basketball Program**. It is our goal to have **ALL** the boys that participate in our club be interested in playing <u>Boys</u> <u>Basketball at Whitney High School someday</u>.

The Hustlin' Wildcats Program will teach:

- How to work hard and be a **GREAT** teammate
 Offensive skill development
- 3) The Whitney Boys Basketball Off and Def systems
- 4) Defensive fundamentals the "Whitney Way"

Our plan is to select <u>10-12 players per team or select 16-25 (2 separate teams) players in each grade</u> <u>level</u>, depending on the number of kids that try-out and the skill level of the players in that age group. This will allow us to enter 1 or 2 teams in each tournament. If there are two teams in a grade level, they will be separated by ability and experience levels.

The Winter Session will run from <u>January 2024 to Early March 2024</u>. All teams will practice at local RUSD elementary, Junior High or High School campuses. Games will be played in tournaments on <u>BOTH</u> <u>SATURDAYS AND/OR SUNDAYS</u> at Hardwood Palace (Rocklin) as well as other venues in the Sacramento area. <u>Players are expected to attend all practices and games to be on a team.</u>

The Hustlin' Wildcats program is led by experienced coaches, under the supervision of Whitney High School Varsity Boys Basketball Coach Nick French. Coach French brings over 20 years of high school and youth basketball coaching experience and has led the Whitney Boys Basketball Program the past 10 years. Along with Coach French, each team will be coached or assisted by members of the Varsity, JV and Freshman coaching staff at WHS.

The cost to participate in the Hustlin' Wildcats program is **estimated to be \$350-\$400**. This fee includes a club fee, tourney fees and a district utility fee. Jerseys will also be available to purchase on our website when they come available.

Players should try to attend ALL try-out sessions (if possible) so that the coaches can effectively evaluate their skill level. If a player can't attend one or both days of try-outs, **please let the coach know**.

Please arrive at tryouts 15 minutes early to fill out the registration form and get your son checked in. Players/Parents will be contacted by email in early December to let them know if they made the team.

**If you have any questions, please email Coach French at <u>coachfrench33@gmail.com</u> or visit our website <u>hustlinwildcats.com</u>