



REMUERA
INTERMEDIATE
SCHOOL
RELIABILITY INTEGRITY SERVICE

2024 YEAR 7 & 8 BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

In 2024, Remuera Intermediate is offering a basketball programme in collaboration with Swished On. This includes a coaching session run by Coach Blake that teaches skills, improves their game as well as fostering a passion for basketball. Students are also placed in a team by RI and they will play in a competition with other schools. Games are held either at St Kent's on a Wednesday or Barfoot & Thompson stadium on a Thursday between 4 and 7 pm. Teams play in A, B, C or Social grades.

Trials Info:

Boys trial: Monday 19 February 7.30 am - 8.30 am

Girls trial: Wednesday 21 February 7.30 am - 8.30 am

We may run an additional trial on Friday 16 February after school from 3.15 - 4.15 pm

Trials are run by Swished On Basketball coaches and you will need to complete the registration form here to trial. <https://www.swishedon.basketball/registration-form/>

Please note this is an external form managed by Swished On Basketball.

Team Training Info & Fees:

Once trials are done and players will be selected for either A, B or C grade, training will commence from Week 5 of Term 1. Payments are due **Monday 26th Feb, payable directly to Swished On Basketball**. Please note pricing is per player 'pp'.

RI A/B Boys + Competitive Girls Group Monday 26 February 7:30 am - 8:30 am

Annual fee = \$313pp (Coaching Fee Only)

RI C Boys Group Wednesday 28 February 7:30 am - 8:30 am

Annual fee = \$353pp (Coaching Fee Only)

RI Social Group Boys and Girls Friday 1 March 3:15 pm - 4:15 pm

Annual fee = \$333pp (Coaching Fee Only)

The termly fee for this group only = \$95pp

The sessions will continue weekly from that time(s) during the term. All sessions run regardless of wet weather as we have off-court and indoor session plans. Please check the sports noticeboard for your training time.

Payment needs to be made to **Swished On Basketball's** account, **38-9001-0049405-05**. Reference is "*Child's name + School Code, example is "SarahB RISG"*". All payments are due by **Monday 26 February 2024**.

Your child will need to wear PE gear, appropriate footwear (sports/basketball shoes), a water bottle & mouth guard. They will be expected to change back to school uniform once the session has finished.

Competition Games and Teams

All students enrolled in coaching will be invoiced by the school, a team game registration fee. This is due by **Friday 8th March**. Teams will be allocated after this date. If a child has not paid by this date, they will not be allocated a place in the team. All fees are non-refundable. Players registering for the social group may prefer the coaching only option and may not wish to join a team. Competition details and fees will be confirmed once the final numbers are in. Last year the fee was \$65 per term and is paid annually. This is an indicative cost and we will do our best to keep it similar but costs set by the game organisers may rise due to inflation.

Each team will need a manager in order to play. The manager will be responsible for communicating game times with the team, ensuring there are no last minute updates and managing the subs on the court. Teams without managers will not be entered into competitions and all players will miss out on playing. Managers may wish to visit the coaching sessions too. The coaches are only providing a coaching programme and will not be in attendance at the games. The parent manager will be providing courtside support and will be responsible for subbing players on and off as necessary.

For the games, players need to wear a RI Basketball singlet, PE shorts and mouthguard.

New players are to purchase their RI Basketball singlet from The School Uniform Centre, and a mouthguard, separately to the registration fee. There are some second hand singlets available to borrow. These will be allocated on a first-come, first-serve basis.

One of the A grade teams will also go and play at Central Zones later in the year. They will be entered into the St Kents 5x5 competition. It is held on Wednesday evenings starting Term 2 and venues will be confirmed once teams are finalised. Boys games are 40 minutes long at scheduled varying times between 4.30 pm and 8.30 pm each week.

The Barfoot & Thompson competition is held on Thursday evenings, starting Term 2. Games are 40 minutes long at scheduled varying times between 4.30 pm and 8.00 pm each week. This year the game is a 3x3 competition. This option is more suitable for players in the social group.

Depending on numbers, some teams may be entered into the next level basketball 5x5 league at Dilworth, held on Thursday evenings. This is a 5x5 competition.

Please direct any questions or queries to Miss Jenni Brookes at sportscoordinator@remint.school.nz

We look forward to seeing you on the court soon.

Ngā mihi,

Jenni Brookes

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