

Coaches, Parents, Athletes:

We want you to participate; top notch awards are given at this event. Games in Spokane will be played at The Warehouse Athletic Facility – 800 North Hamilton Street and off sites as needed. Games in Yakima will be held in the City of Yakima Area.

The best tournaments ran in the northwest are held in Yakima and Spokane. This is the 31st year that we have run the AAU basketball program. At this time we have over 600 individual age/grade level events in the sport of basketball. This effort is shared by all that run AAU events. You make it happen!

**Other Yakima Valley Sports Authority Events**

18th Annual Sunnyside Sunshine Classic	April 18-20, 2008	Boys 2nd – 8th Grade
16th Annual Zillah Spring Fling	April 18-20, 2008	Girls 2nd – 8th Grade
22nd Annual Best In The West Championships	May 9-11, 2008	Girls 2nd Grade – High School
22nd Annual Best In The West Championships	May 16-18, 2008	Boys 1st Grade – High School
7th Annual Prosser Girls Championships	May 23-25, 2008	Girls 2nd – 8th Grade

Yakima Valley Sports Authority  
PO Box 9757  
Yakima, Washington  
98909  
[www.ieaaau.org](http://www.ieaaau.org)



**31st Annual Inland Empire District Championships  
Sites in Spokane and Yakima**

April 17-19, 2009: Yakima  
April 24-26, 2009: Spokane



## 31st Annual Inland Empire District Basketball Championships Inland Empire Division II Basketball Championships

- National Sanction:** Inland Empire District of the Amateur Athletic Union of the U.S.
- Local Sponsor:** Yakima Valley Sports Authority
- Contact:** Shannon Springer, YVSA Event Director / 509-453-2696 or 509-388-1722  
Email: [Shannon@ieaau.org](mailto:Shannon@ieaau.org)  
PO Box 9757, Yakima, WA 98909
- Yakima Tournament:** **April 17-19, 2009** – Deadline Postmark by April 3, 2009  
Division II Girls: 8-U, 9-U, 10-U, 11-U, 12-U, 13-U, 14-U, 15-U, 16-U/Junior, Open  
Division I Boys: 8-U/2nd Grade, 9-U/3rd Grade/ 10-U/4th Grade, 11-U/5th Grade,  
12-U/6th Grade, 13-U/7th Grade, 14-U/8th Grade, 15-U/9th Grade,  
16-U/10th Grade, 17-U/Juniors, 19-U/Seniors
- Spokane Tournament:** **April 24-26, 2009** – Deadline Postmark by April 10, 2009  
Division I Girls: 8-U, 9-U, 10-U, 11-U, 12-U, 13-U, 14-U, 15-U, 16-U/Junior, Open  
Division II Boys: 8-U/2nd Grade, 9-U/3rd Grade/ 10-U/4th Grade, 11-U/5th Grade,  
12-U/6th Grade, 13-U/7th Grade, 14-U/8th Grade, 15-U/9th Grade,  
16-U/10th Grade, 17-U/Juniors, 19-U/Seniors
- Entry Fee:** \$180.00. Teams are guaranteed 4 games. AAU membership fees are NOT included in the entry fee. Any checks returned NSF will be charged a \$35.00 fee. No entry fees refunded after the deadline date. Make checks payable to: **Yakima Valley Sports Authority (YVSA)**
- Game Times:** Friday: 5:30pm, 6:45pm, 8:00pm, 9:15pm  
Saturday/Sunday: 9:00am, 10:15am, 11:30am, 12:45pm, 2:00pm, 3:15pm, 4:30pm,  
5:45pm, 7:00pm
- AAU Membership:** All players and coaches must have a 2009 AAU Card. Costs are: **Player \$12.00 Coach: \$14.00. NOTE:** Anyone that coaches the team from the bench must also have an AAU card. AAU cards are valid through August 31, 2009. **REMEMBER:** Membership cards don't get you into the game for free. Only players that are playing are allowed into the game free. **Memberships can be purchased online:** [www.aausports.org](http://www.aausports.org).
- Roster:** The roster established at the time of the first game must be used throughout the entire tournament. Players must have cards purchased in advance to participate.
- Inland Empire players must come from Eastern Washington and Idaho.  
\*Boy's and Girl's teams are allowed to pick up a total of three (3) players from Oregon, Utah, Alaska, Pacific, Pacific Northwest, Wyoming and Montana Districts. There are rules that you must follow in order to pick up these players. All of this must be done before the deadline. No out-of-district additions are allowed after the deadline date in the girls division only. Check the rules at the web sites for each at [www.aauboysbasketball.org](http://www.aauboysbasketball.org) or [www.aagirlsbasketball.org](http://www.aagirlsbasketball.org)  
Coaches are responsible for all rules.
- Rules:** 2008-2009 High School Federation Rules.
- A. Special Rule: Any technical or intentional fouls result in an automatic 2 points and the ball awarded out of bounds.
  - B. All girls divisions and boys 8-U, 9-U, 10-U, 11-U, 12-U will use the 28 ½ inch women's ball.
  - C. Quarters: Boys 8-U, 9-U, 10-U, 11-U, 12-U and Girls 9-U, 10-U, 11-U, 12-U will play 6 minute quarters. Boys 13-U and 14-U and Girls 13-U and 14-U will play 7 minute quarters. All other age divisions will play 8 minute quarters.
  - D. Overtime for all games is 2 minutes each.
  - E. All age divisions must use the normal free throw line.
  - F. Scoresheets will be provided for each team in their coaches packet provided at your first game site. These scoresheets MUST be given to the gym supervisors after each game.
  - G. All brackets and schedules will be drawn at the Yakima AAU office. Local host is only responsible for the running of the individual gym sites and forwarding results to the AAU office throughout the day. Results will be posted throughout the tournament on [www.ieaau.org](http://www.ieaau.org).
  - H. Please check your coach's letter for additional tournament information and rules.

# 31st Annual Inland Empire District Championships AAU Tournament 2009 Team Registration Form

**Office Use Only**  
 Total Paid: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Check #: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date Rec'd: \_\_\_\_\_

**YAKIMA TOURNAMENT: April 17-19, 2009 (Circle one):**

**Division I Boys:** 8U/2nd Grade 9U/3rd Grade 10U/4th Grade 11U/5th Grade 12U/6th Grade  
 13U/7th Grade 14U/8th Grade 15U/9th Grade 16U/10th Grade 17U/Juniors 19U/Seniors

**Division II Girls:** 8U 9U 10U 11U 12U 13U 14U 15U 16U/Junior Open

**SPOKANE TOURNAMENT: April 24-26, 2009 (Circle one):**

**Division II Boys:** 8U/2nd Grade 9U/3rd Grade 10U/4th Grade 11U/5th Grade 12U/6th Grade  
 13U/7th Grade 14U/8th Grade 15U/9th Grade 16U/10th Grade 17U/Juniors 19U/Seniors

**Division I Girls:** 8U 9U 10U 11U 12U 13U 14U 15U 16U/Junior Open



Team Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_

Coach: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Coach Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Coach: AAU Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: Home(\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: Work(\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: Home(\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: Cell(\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: Cell (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Asst Coach Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_ Asst Coach: AAU #: \_\_\_\_\_

Name (First Last)	Birthdate	08-09 Grade	2009 AAU Card Number	Lives Outside IE District	
				Yes	No
1. _____	_____	_____	_____	Yes	No
2. _____	_____	_____	_____	Yes	No
3. _____	_____	_____	_____	Yes	No
4. _____	_____	_____	_____	Yes	No
5. _____	_____	_____	_____	Yes	No
6. _____	_____	_____	_____	Yes	No
7. _____	_____	_____	_____	Yes	No
8. _____	_____	_____	_____	Yes	No
9. _____	_____	_____	_____	Yes	No
10. _____	_____	_____	_____	Yes	No
11. _____	_____	_____	_____	Yes	No
12. _____	_____	_____	_____	Yes	No

Return this page completed with an entry fee of \$180.00 by **April 3 (Yakima) and April 10 (Spokane)**.  
 Mail to: **Yakima Valley Sports Authority, PO Box 9757, Yakima, WA, 98909. FAX 509-457-0931**

Check one:  Master Card  VISA Card #: \_\_\_\_\_

Expiration Date: Month: \_\_\_\_\_ Year: \_\_\_\_\_

**Convenience Fee of \$8.50 is added to Visa/Master Card Request.**

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## **Boys National AAU Rules:**

Limit the roster to 15 players. See the boys basketball rules at [www.auboysbasketball.org](http://www.auboysbasketball.org). The coach is responsible for all rules set down for tournament play.

<b>Boys Age Determining Date:</b>	September 1, 2009 shall be the determining date for the age of the competitor and shall hold true from District through the National Championship.
8 and Under / 2nd Grade	Born on or after September 1, 2000. Exception: A player who is in the 2nd Grade and who was born on or after September 1, 1999 can participate in the 8-Under/2nd Grade Division.
9 and Under / 3rd Grade:	Born on or after September 1, 1999. Exception: A player who is in the 3rd Grade and who was born on or after September 1, 1998 can participate in the 9-Under/3rd Grade Division.
10 and Under / 4th Grade:	Born on or after September 1, 1998. Exception: A player who is in the 4th Grade and who was born on or after September 1, 1997 can participate in the 10-Under/4th Grade Division.
11 and Under / 5th Grade:	Born on or after September 1, 1997. Exception: A player who is in the 5th Grade and who was born on or after September 1, 1996 can participate in the 11-Under/5th Grade Division.
12 and Under / 6th Grade:	Born on or after September 1, 1996. Exception: A player who is in the 6th Grade and who was born on or after September 1, 1995 can participate in the 12-Under/6th Grade Division.
13 and Under / 7th Grade:	Born on or after September 1, 1995. Exception: A player who is in the 7th Grade and who was born on or after September 1, 1994 can participate in the 13-Under/7th Grade Division.
14 and Under / 8th Grade:	Born on or after September 1, 1994. Exception: A player who is in the 8th Grade and who was born on or after September 1, 1993 can participate in the 14-Under/8th Grade Division.
15 and Under / 9th Grade:	Born on or after September 1, 1993. Exception: A player who is in the 9th Grade and who was born on or after September 1, 1992 can participate in the 15-Under/9th Grade Division.
16 and Under / 10th Grade:	Born on or after September 1, 1992. Exception: A player who is in the 10th Grade and who was born on or after September 1, 1991 can participate in the 16-Under/10th Grade Division.
17 and Under / Juniors:	Born on or after September 1, 1991. Exception: A player who is in the a junior and who was born on or after September 1, 1990 can participate in the 17-Under/Junior Division.
19 and Under / Seniors:	Born on or after September 1, 1990 and can't participate beyond the summer of his high school graduation.

<p><b>Grade Confirmation:</b> Players participating under the grade eligibility exception must present birth certificate and confirmation of grade level from the school administrator. <b>NOTE:</b> Grade level is determined by players' grade on March 1, 2009. <b>Only three players per team are allowed with the grade exception in the 9U/3rd through 14U/8th Grade.</b> Grade confirmation information must be sent in with entry. No limit for grades 15U/9th Grade through Senior Boys.</p>
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**Grade Exception:** In age groups 9U/3rd grade through 14U/8th Grade, each team roster is limited to a maximum of three (3) players who qualify under the grade exception rule. (This limitation includes pick-ups from other Districts under Rule III.D.)

- Boys' Participation:**
1. Only males may participate as players.
    - a. A player may not participate later than the summer following his class graduation from high school or prep school.
    - b. A player may participate in a maximum of three (3) age/grade divisions of the AAU Boys' Basketball program for which he can qualify. Players that compete in more than one age/grade division must compete with the same AAU club.

Go to [www.auboysbasketball.org](http://www.auboysbasketball.org) for dates and sites of National Championships.

## **Girls National AAU Rules:**

Limit the roster to 15 players in Inland Empire Championships. For every player over twelve (12), you will be limited to the number of players that you would be allowed to pick up if you advance to a National Championship. Players must be at the District Championships to participate in the National Finals. Any player under 18 who has attended college or junior college is eligible to play in this championship, except for NCAA Division I or II athletes. College Athletes must have a letter from the Athletic director in order to participate in the District Championships.

### **Girls Age Determining Date:**

July 1, 2008. **New Date in 2008**

\*Date is set by national committee. We don't have any options to change (There are NO EXCEPTIONS to this rule).

8U Born on or after – July 1, 1999, 9U Born on or after July 1, 1998, 10U Born on or after July 1, 1997, 11U Born on or after July 1, 1996, 12U Born on or after July 1, 1995, 13U Born on or after July 1, 1994, 14U Born on or after July 1, 1993, 15U Born on or after – July 1 1992, 16U/Jr Eligible – Born on or after January 1, 1991 – No Change, Open Born on or after July 1, 1989

### **Girls Participation:**

Must participate in only ONE age division and be at the District Championship to advance.

Go to [www.augirlsbasketball.org](http://www.augirlsbasketball.org) for dates and sites of National Championships.

## 2008-2009 AAU Tournament Motels - Yakima Area

### **Yakima AAU Host Motel**

Best Western Ahtanum Inn – Ask for Dale  
2408 Rudkin Rd.  
Union Gap, WA 98903  
509-248-9700 / 1-800-348-9701  
Complimentary Breakfast  
Outdoor Swimming Pool

#### **Additional Motels:**

Best Western Lincoln Inn  
1614 N. 1st Street  
Yakima, WA 98901  
1-800-834-1649  
Comp. Breakfast  
Indoor Pool

Clarion Hotel & Conference Center  
1507 N. 1st Street  
Yakima, WA 98901  
509-248-7850 / 1-800-896-7966  
Outdoor Pool  
Free Hi Speed Internet  
[www.yakimaclarion.com](http://www.yakimaclarion.com)

Comfort Suites  
3702 Fruitvale Blvd.  
Yakima, WA 98902  
509-249-1900 / 1-866-423-8960  
Comp. Breakfast  
Indoor Pool  
[www.choicehotels.com](http://www.choicehotels.com)

Oxford Suites  
1701 Terrace Hts. Drive  
Yakima, WA 98901  
509-457-9000 / 1-800-404-7848  
Comp. Breakfast  
Indoor Pool  
[www.oxfordsuitesyakima.com](http://www.oxfordsuitesyakima.com)

Oxford Inn  
1603 Terrace Hts. Drive  
Yakima, WA 98901  
509-457-4444 / 1-800-521-3050  
Comp. Breakfast  
Outdoor Pool  
[www.oxfordinnyakima.com](http://www.oxfordinnyakima.com)

Cedars Suites  
1010 East A Street  
Yakima, WA 98901  
509-452-8101 / 1-866-952-8100  
Comp. Breakfast  
Free wireless internet  
[www.cedarssuites.com](http://www.cedarssuites.com)

Days Inn  
1504 N. 1st Street  
Yakima, WA 98901  
509-248-3393 / 1-800-DAYS INN  
Comp. Breakfast  
Outdoor Pool  
[www.daysinn.com](http://www.daysinn.com)

Economy Inn  
510 N. 1st Street  
Yakima, WA 98901  
509-457-6155 / 1-888-925-6633  
Comp. Breakfast  
Outdoor Pool  
[www.economyinn.info](http://www.economyinn.info)

Fairfield Inn & Suites  
137 North Fair Ave.  
Yakima, WA 98901  
509-452-3100 / 1-800-228-2800  
Comp. Breakfast  
Indoor Pool  
[www.marriott.com/fairfieldinn](http://www.marriott.com/fairfieldinn)

Hilton Garden Inn  
401 E. Yakima Ave.  
Yakima, WA 98901  
509-454-1111 / 1-877-STAY HGI  
Indoor Pool  
Free Hi Speed Internet  
[www.hiltongardeninn.com](http://www.hiltongardeninn.com)

Holiday Inn Express  
1001 East A Street  
Yakima, WA 98901  
509-249-1000 / 1-877-410-6667  
Comp. Breakfast  
Indoor Pool  
[www.hiexpress.com](http://www.hiexpress.com)

Howard Johnson Plaza  
9 N. 9th Avenue  
Yakima, WA 98901  
509-452-6511 / 1-800-446-4656  
Outdoor Pool  
Free Wireless Internet  
[www.hojo.com](http://www.hojo.com)

Quality Inn  
12 E. Valley Mall Blvd.  
Yakima, WA 98903  
509-248-6924 / 1-800-510-5670  
Comp. Breakfast  
Free Wireless Internet  
[www.qualityinn.com](http://www.qualityinn.com)

Ramada Limited  
818 N. 1st Street  
Yakima, WA 98901  
509-453-0391 / 1-800-2 RAMADA  
Comp. Breakfast  
Outdoor Pool  
[www.ramada.com](http://www.ramada.com)

Red Lion Yakima Center  
607 E. Yakima Ave.  
Yakima, WA 98901  
509-248-5900 / 1-800-RED LION  
Outdoor Pool  
Free Wireless Internet  
[www.redlion.com](http://www.redlion.com)

Sun Country Inn  
1700 N. 1st Street  
Yakima, WA 98901  
509-248-5650 / 1-800-559-3675  
Comp. Breakfast  
Outdoor Pool

Super 8 Motel  
2605 Rudkin Rd.  
Union Gap, WA 98903  
509-248-8880 / 1-800-800-8000  
Indoor Pool  
Breakfast  
[www.super8.com](http://www.super8.com)

Ledgestone Hotel – **NEW 2008!**  
107 N. Fair Avenue  
Yakima, WA 98901  
509-453-3151

## 2008-2009 AAU Tournament Motels - Surrounding Areas

### **ZILLAH** (appr. 20 min south of Yakima)

Comfort Inn  
911 Vantage Valley Parkway  
Zillah, WA 98953  
509-829-3399 / 1-877-424-6423  
Indoor Pool  
Comp. Breakfast  
[www.comfortinn.com](http://www.comfortinn.com)

### **SUNNYSIDE** (appr. 30 min south of Yakima)

Best Western Grapevine Inn  
1849 Quail Lane  
Sunnyside, WA 98944  
509-839-6070 / 1-800-915-6070  
Indoor Pool  
Comp. Breakfast  
[www.bestwestern.com](http://www.bestwestern.com)

Country Inn & Suites  
408 Yakima Valley Highway  
Sunnyside, WA 98944  
509-837-7878 / 1-877-896-7878

### **ELLENSBURG** (appr. 35 min north of Yakima)

Best Western Lincoln Inn & Suites  
211 W. Umptanum Rd.  
Ellensburg, WA 98926  
509-925-4244 / 1-866-925-4288  
[www.bestwesternellensburg.com](http://www.bestwesternellensburg.com)  
Indoor Pool  
Comp. Breakfast

Comfort Inn  
1722 Canyon Rd.  
Ellensburg, WA 98926  
509-925-7037 / 1-877-424-6423  
Comp. Breakfast  
Indoor Pool  
[www.comfortinn.com](http://www.comfortinn.com)

Super 8 Hotel  
1500 Canyon Rd.  
Ellensburg, WA 98926  
509-962-6888 / 1-800-800-8000  
[www.super8.com](http://www.super8.com)

Days Inn  
901 Berry Road  
Ellensburg, WA 98926  
509-933-1500  
[www.daysinn.com](http://www.daysinn.com)  
Indoor Pool  
Comp. Breakfast

### **TOPPENISH** (appr. 20 min south of Yakima)

Best Western Lincoln  
515 S. Elm Street  
Toppenish, WA 98948  
509-865-7444 / 1-800-780-7234  
Indoor Pool  
Comp. Breakfast  
[www.bestwestern.com](http://www.bestwestern.com)

Rodeway Inn  
3209 Picard Place  
Sunnyside, WA 98944  
509-837-5781 / 1-877-424-6423  
Indoor Pool  
Comp. Breakfast  
[www.rodewayinn.com](http://www.rodewayinn.com)

Inn at Goose Creek  
1720 Canyon Road  
Ellensburg, WA 98926  
509-962-8030 / 1-800-533-0822  
[www.innatgoosecreek.com](http://www.innatgoosecreek.com)  
Comp. Breakfast

Quality Inn - Ellensburg Inn  
1700 Canyon Rd.  
Ellensburg, WA 98926  
509-925-9801 / 1-800-321-8791  
[www.ellensburginn.com](http://www.ellensburginn.com)

Holiday Inn Express  
1620 Canyon Rd.  
Ellensburg, WA 98926  
509-925-1222 / 1-877-410-6667  
[www.hiexpress.com](http://www.hiexpress.com)

**FOR MORE YAKIMA AREA LODGING INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL THE  
YAKIMA VISITOR AND CONVENTION BUREAU AT 1-800-221-0751 or go to [www.visityakima.com](http://www.visityakima.com).**

# 2008-2009 WAREHOUSE ATHLETIC FACILITY TOURNAMENT LODGING INFORMATION

\*\*When requesting room reservations, be sure to ask the motel for information  
on group or team rates.\*\*

<b><u>HOTEL NAME</u></b>	<b><u>PHONE</u></b>	<b><u>EMAIL</u></b>	<b><u>ADDRESS</u></b>
Holiday Inn-Spokane Airport (ask for Warehouse Athletic Facility team rate)	(509) 838-1170	<a href="mailto:sales2@hispokane.com">sales2@hispokane.com</a>	1616 S. Windsor Drive
Fairfield Inn By Marriott	(509) 747-9193 (800) 228-2800	<a href="http://www.fairfieldinn.com">www.fairfieldinn.com</a>	311 N. Riverpoint Blvd.
Courtyard by Marriot	(509) 456-7600	<a href="mailto:melanie.hayes@marriott.com">melanie.hayes@marriott.com</a>	N 401 Riverpoint Blvd.
Holiday Inn Express Downtown	(509) 328-8505 (800) 465-4329	<a href="http://www.ontherockexpress.com">www.ontherockexpress.com</a>	801 N Division St.
Oxford Suites Downtown Spokane	(509) 353-9000 (800) 774-1877	<a href="http://www.oxfordsuitesspokane.com">www.oxfordsuitesspokane.com</a>	115 W North River Dr.
Red Lion Hotel At The Park	(509) 326-8000 (800) RED-LION	<a href="http://www.redlion.com">www.redlion.com</a>	303 W North River Dr.
WestCoast Ridpath Hotel	(509) 838-2711 (800) 733-5466	<a href="http://www.WestCoastHotels.com/Ridpath">www.WestCoastHotels.com/Ridpath</a>	515 W. Sprague Ave
Red Lion River Inn	(509) 326-5577 (800) RED-LION	<a href="http://www.redlion.com/riverinn">www.redlion.com/riverinn</a>	700 N. Division St.

Gonzaga University Dorm Lodging: (Please note: GU lodging is only available May-July 2008).  
Please contact Stuart Davis by phone: (509) 323-6850 or email: [daviss@gem.gonzaga.edu](mailto:daviss@gem.gonzaga.edu)

For Additional Lodging Information, Call Spokane Regional Convention & Visitors Bureau  
(888)-SPOKANE or [www.visitspokane.com](http://www.visitspokane.com) or  
contact Katie, [katie@warehouseathletics.com](mailto:katie@warehouseathletics.com).