



## SHARK BITES

Thursday, January 3, 2008

### **PRACTICE TIMES**

**Practice schedule will continue as normal**

#### **Lefler Middle School**

Thursday

East Gym      West Gym

6:00-7:00      4<sup>th</sup> Boys      5<sup>th</sup> Boys

7:00-8:00      7<sup>th</sup> Girls      8<sup>th</sup> Boys

#### **Dawes Middle School**

Wednesday

Court 2

6:30-8:45      7<sup>th</sup> Boys

### **Pictures are available**

We will be handing pictures out to parents at practice tonight, 1/3/08, if you did not pick up your pictures, they will be available at the next practice. Pictures will only be released to parents/guardians. If you didn't get your order placed and still want pictures, we will be accepting orders until 1/10/08.

### **Apparel orders**

Apparel orders will be ready to be picked up at practice next week. Orders will only be released to parents/guardians, so please make arrangements to pick up your order at practice.

*Youth athletes have a special ear for their parents' voices. Realize this during games, and make sure what they hear from you is not conflicting with coaches' instructions and intentions.*

Tip from Positive Coaching Alliance for Responsible Sport Parents

### **PRACTICE MAKES PERFECT**

While we make the most of our practice sessions, practicing one time a week is not enough to fully develop your basketball skills. The serious athlete will set aside time to practice on their own to perfect their game.

Pick up a ball while you are on school break and practice your dribbling and shooting skills. You can work on the same dribbling drills we do at practice in your own driveway. We also recommend jumping rope; this is something that you can do on your own that will benefit your performance.

**Coaches will call teams if there will be a cancellation for a practice. To find out if a game is cancelled, call the YMCA Cancellation Line at 434-9211.**

### **Game Schedule for 01/06/2007**

4<sup>th</sup> grade boys- vs – Crusaders - Lux 3 - 2:00 (1/5/2007)

5<sup>th</sup> grade boys- vs - Waverly Vikes - LH 1 - 12:45

7<sup>th</sup> grade boys- vs – Jets – NS 5 – 5:00

8<sup>th</sup> grade boys- BYE

\*\*8<sup>th</sup> grade girls- vs – Lightening White- LH 4 – 2:45

\*\*8<sup>th</sup> grade girls- vs – RC Mustangs – LH 4 – 4:00

Remember to be at the game site 30 minutes prior to game time in full uniform.

\*\* - indicates 2 games the same day

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We would like to thank our Shark Fans and Family members for continuing to display outstanding sportsmanship