

National Junior Basketball League (NJB) is a non profit organization founded in 1984 by Dennis Murphy Jr, a former coach at Garden Grove High School in Orange County. Dennis had a vision of a youth basketball league based on sportsmanship and player development. His goal was to create a league where boys and girls would develop basketball fundamentals while stressing good sportsmanship and fair play. Today NJB has over 25,000 players playing in 6 states. The motto of NJB is “Everyone Wins, In NJB”.

In the Silicon Valley Section, there are over 4,000 boys and girls playing NJB basketball. In the Gilroy-Morgan Hill Chapter, we have over 300 boys and girls playing NJB basketball.

### **Programs offered**

**Division Leagues** - Developmental/Competitive Cost \$225

3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> Grade for both Boys & Girls

5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup> Grade for both Boys & Girls

7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> Grade for both Boys & Girls

The Division teams will play 8 season games, followed by the Silicon Valley section Championship Series tournament.

**All-Net leagues** - Competitive Cost \$275

5<sup>th</sup> Grade for both Boys & Girls

6<sup>th</sup> Grade for both Boys & Girls

7<sup>th</sup> Grade for both Boys & Girls

8<sup>th</sup> Grade for both Boys & Girls

All Net teams will play 10 season games, followed by the Silicon Valley All Net post-tournament. Teams formed based on interest and talent.

**High School** - Competitive Cost \$275

JV (9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup> Grades) for Boys only

Varsity (11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> Grades) for Boys only

High School teams will play 10 season games, followed by the Silicon Valley post-tournament. Teams formed based on interest and talent.

**Rookie Program** - Basic skills development Cost \$125

1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Grades for Boys & Girls (co-ed)

The Rookie Program will meet Sunday mornings at Gilroy High School for skill development and scrimmages.

### **League Schedule**

All season games are played on Sundays, starting in December and ending in February. There are no games scheduled during the Christmas and New Years holiday weekends. The game schedule will be available in late November.

If you have interest in your son(s) or daughter(s) participating in our league, please use the registration link to provide your information. You can also contact the Gilroy-Morgan Hill NJB Board of Directors by emailing us at [gilroynjb@hotmail.com](mailto:gilroynjb@hotmail.com).