

Regulations Basketball Klagenfurt

The United World Games Basketball Tournament will be played according to the official rules of the International Basketball Association FIBA, except for the rules specifically mentioned in the following points:

Most Important Rule - FAIR PLAY

It should be needless to say but we expect fair play from all teams! Please respect your opponents as well as the decisions of the referees and try to play as fair as possible.

1. Age Groups & Playtime

Male:

<i>Categories</i>	<i>Deadline</i>	<i>Playing time Prelims.</i>
U 18	01.01.1993 and younger	2 x 18
U 16	01.01.1995 and younger	2 x15
U14	01.01.1997 and younger	2 x15

Female:

<i>Categories</i>	<i>Deadline</i>	<i>Playing time Prelims.</i>
U 18	01.01.1993 and younger	2 x 18
U 16	01.01.1995 and younger	2 x15
U 14	01.01.1997 and younger	2 x15

Mixed:

<i>Categories</i>	<i>Deadline</i>	<i>Playing time Prelims.</i>
U12	01.01.1999 and younger	2 x15

**Playing time is "stop time"!
2 Min. half time break!**

Due to different deadlines of the European basketball federations exceptions may be issued. Motions must be handed over in written form to the organizing committee. Players must not be older than six months above age limit. Maximum 2 players per team.

A list of all participants must be submitted by the respective team officials. Every player mentioned on the squad list of a team and complying with the official age regulations is eligible for the concerning category. The same players can be part of various teams of the same Basketball club, however not in the same age-group.

2. Match Regulations

- 5 personal or 2 technical fouls (the second technical foul results in a disqualification).
- With a disqualification foul, a player is suspended for the remainder of the game.
- After 8 team fouls per half every team control foul will be sanctioned with free throws.

- One time-out during 1st half, two time-outs during 2nd half
- Time-out needs to be requested at the game table first
- 24-second-rule will be considered by the referees
- Sudden death periods start with a jump ball
- All other periods start with possession arrow
- There can be differences between the European and American foul and traveler rules
- The U12 category will play with ball size 6 on regular baskets
- The age group U12 and U14 plays with a man-to-man defense
- Age groups U16, U18 are playing with a free defense

3. Games, Points & Play-Off

During the preliminaries the teams will be divided into groups.

The ranking will be decided by points:

Win	2 points
Loss	1 points
N.A., break-off	0 points

After the preliminary round a table reflects the order of the teams. This ranking derives from:

- a) the number of points in the group
- b) direct duel
- c) in case of equal points, only the games between the affected teams will be taken into account
- d) score
- e) score quotient

In case of a tie:

In case of a tie there will be an overtime of 1 x 3 Min. If the tie persists after overtime, there will be a "sudden death": first point wins!

Exception: Finals and Semi finals – Overtime for three minutes recurring until decision.

4. Walk over (w.o.)

A team that fails to present itself on the court without any reported valid reason (decision if valid is made only by the tournament director) automatically loses the match 0:20 (w.o.).

Delayed teams will be waited for 5 Minutes

5. Sport halls

Entering the sports halls is only allowed with indoor sport shoes.

It is not allowed to bring any food or drinks into the sports halls.

6. Ball size & Teamoutfits

Male U16 and U18: size 7

Male U12, U14 & all female age groups: size 6

All uniforms must include a number on the backside. All teams are advised to bring spare uniforms in a different colour. If the colours of the uniforms are too similar to the discretion of the referee.

the team that is listed first in the game schedule will have to change to colours distinctive from their opponent.

7. Tournament Jury

The tournament jury consists of 3 people who handle any possible complaints and send offs. Protests must be reported to the jury by the responsible coach within one hour after the objected match. The fee for the protest is € 100, - and will be refunded in case the protest was accepted.

8. Match report

10 Minutes before each game all coaches have to hand in the completed squad sticker to the organizing committee. The same players can be part of various teams of the same basketball club, however not in the same age-group.

All players must prove their identity with legal photo identification.

9. Insurance

It is up to the responsible authorities and coaches of each team that their players and all the participants are insured for the days of the tournament during the United World Games. The organizers do not assume any kind of liability in case of illness, accidents or theft.

With his participation the athlete accepts the disclaimer of warranty for any kind of damage. No claims can be asserted against the organizing committee, the event sponsors, the community of Vienna, real owners or their representatives regarding damage or injuries. Every athlete has to make sure, that he is fully physically capable of participating without any medical objections.

Do not leave any valuable things and/or expensive clothing and/or shoes in the locker rooms.

10. Final remark

The organizers of the United World Games are at the understanding that each participant and teamleader knows all the items as mentioned in these regulations.