



About Virginia Select

*The mission of the **Virginia Select Basketball Organization** is to stimulate, promote and develop leadership, sportsmanship, and athletic excellence while providing mentorship and stressing educational excellence. Our goal is to improve opportunities for amateur boys and girls basketball competition in the Northern region of Virginia and the surrounding areas.*

At this time both our boys and girls teams will range from 11yrs to 17 yrs. Our goal is to have teams range from ages 9yrs to 18yrs and to have a positive impact on their lives. Our team will be participating in the following levels of organized basketball AAU, USBA, YBOA, Big Shots and recreational/developmental leagues.

Our boys and girls are excellent basketball players and being in our program will afford opportunities to gain prominence as outstanding scholar athletes. It should be noted that being in an organized basketball program enhances their chances of being noticed by high school, all divisions of college, and perhaps even professional personnel.

Our coaches are dedicated in developing their players and teams in preparing them for district, state, and national competition. They are prepared to have their team travel to various locations within the connecting States to gain the experience and confidence needed to qualify for national competition and represent our area and the State of Virginia.

- ***Team Concept*** – *There may be multiple team in any given age group as long as there are enough players to keep the team competitive. Players can be moved between the teams as long as the Coaches agree. The General Manager of Basketball Operations will mediate any disagreements on player movement.*
- ***Playing Time*** – *Playing time for each player is strictly a coach's decision. There are no must play rules in AAU/USBA/YBOA/Big Shots basketball. If*



you're unhappy about your child's playing time, please set up an individual meeting with the coach.

- **Parent and Fan Conduct** – *Unruly and /or disrespectful conduct towards coaches, referees, players, parents or tournament officials from the parents and/or fans of the **Virginia Select Basketball Teams** will not be tolerated and may result in your child being removed from the team.*
- **Volunteers** – *During the season, there will be times when parent will be asked to volunteer to help the team or the organization during an event (i.e. clock person, book person, team administrator, association tournaments etc.) If you sign up for an event please keep your word and show up on time as scheduled.*
- **Team Meeting** – *Coaches will hold team meetings as they deem necessary. Some meetings will be inclusive of parent and player while others will be for parent only. At any time, a parent can request a meeting with the coach for their child's team.*

Fundraiser

We will use fundraisers (i.e. Shoot-A-Thons, car washes, raffle tickets, popcorn sales, shoe donations, etc.) to help off-set the cost that each team member will be required of.

Sponsors

Parents and player may also go out in the community and solicit businesses to sponsor their team.