



Welcome to
**SUMMER
MADNESS HOOPS
CLASSIC**

Presented by: MyIsland Ballers Inc.

Sanctioned by: USSSA

July 26-28, 2024

St. Thomas, USVI

About

On the island of St. Thomas, USVI, MyIsland Ballers Inc. will host the Summer Madness Hoops Classic. This United States Specialty Sports Association "USSSA" sanctioned tournament will comprise of 5th through 8th grade boys to include teams from the United States, BVI, USVI, Puerto Rico, and other Caribbean islands. Amateur basketball, also known as Grassroots basketball, has been the cornerstone of many professional athletes. It has been the starting point and a foundational aspect that allows athletes to learn the game, develop the skill, and compete at high levels. And what better way to compete in competitive basketball than on a beautiful tropical island with ear-to-ear smiles and the joy of the people that make the island a must-see and experience.

Event Scope

The Summer Madness Hoops Classic's focus is to bring untapped exposure and opportunity to the Virgin Islands while enhancing skill development of all athletes. The intent is to bring together coaches and players from various locations with unique backgrounds and different levels of expertise with one common goal: the overall well-being of players mentally, emotionally, and academically.

All the athletes will have an opportunity to make memorable connections with their basketball peers, while coaches' network and build long-lasting relationships. The basketball community extends outside our small territory with individuals just as passionate who are always willing to assist.

Fan travel packages and weekend passes will be sold later so you can follow your team to paradise. For more information leading up to the tournament, check out the Summer Madness Hoops Classic on social media, and our website www.summermadnessusvi.com.



Tentative Schedules

- Thursday, July 25, 2024
- Team Check In 8am – 12pm
- Meet and Greet Starting at 1pm
- Friday, July 26, 2024
- Games begin at 9am
- Saturday, July 27, 2024
- Games begin at 9am
- Sunday, July 28, 2024
- Championship Games at 9am
- Award Ceremony following games

Registration Information:

Entry Fee is **\$375**

Register at www.summermadnessusvi.com
or www.usssa.com

Package Includes:

- Transportation for visiting teams to and from the games. (Note: Teams are responsible for activities outside of the tournament schedule)
- All participants (coaches and players) will be registered in the USSSA database.
- All teams competing will qualify to compete in the upcoming USSSA Nationals on the mainland.
- All teams will be insured entirely through USSSA.
- Medals for 1st and 2nd place finalists in each Division
- Trophy for the champions from each Division

Accommodations:

More information to come. Stay up to date by checking the website for more information on accommodations www.summermadnessusvi.com

Hotel: Stay Options

- Margaritaville Vacation Club by Wyndham – St. Thomas
- Secret Harbour Beach Resort
- Windward Passage Hotel
- Bluebeard's Castle
- Limetree Beach Resort
- Westin Beach Resorts & Spa at Frenchman's Reef
- Sapphire Resort
- Emerald Beach Resort

Airlines: Airlines Servicing Cyril E. King Airport St. Thomas (Airport Code: STT)

- American Airlines
- Delta Air Lines
- Frontier
- JetBlue
- Spirit Airlines
- United Airlines
- Cape Air
- Silver Airways

Direct Flights from:

- Miami
- Orlando
- Atlanta
- New York
- Washington
- Houston



Summer Madness Hoops Classic Code of Conduct and Rules

- All players and coaches will demonstrate good sportsmanship to all participants, fans, officials, and staff.
 - No drugs or alcohol will be permitted on the grounds of any event or facility.
 - No team(s) or coach(s) will receive a refund if you cancel less than two weeks prior to the event or if the team does not show up for their scheduled game time.
 - Coaches will be held responsible for the conduct of their players and fans. Any fans removed because of misconduct will not be allowed back in for the remainder of the tournament.
 - The roster is set once registration forms are received by event coordinators. No additions to the rosters will be permitted once received.
 - All players and coaches should make sure that their team is in good health prior to participating in the tournament.
 - All players and coaches will treat players, other coaches, officials, event staff, and fans with respect regardless of race, sex, and ability.
 - All players and coaches will refrain from vulgar, lewd, or obscene language or gestures while participating in tournaments or watching any games or tournament events.
 - All players, coaches and their fans will not deface and part of the facilities or property where any event affiliated with the MyIsland Ballers is held.
- Summer Madness Hoops Classic would appreciate the following coaching attire:
 - Collared shirts
 - Khaki Slacks/Khaki Style Shorts
 - following exceptions.
 - All games will be played as follows:
 - Middle and High School (Grades 7 through 12) will consist of two sixteen-minute halves and will use a regulation size basketball.
 - Grades 3 through 6 will consist of two fourteen-minute halves and will use the 28.5 intermediate size ball.
 - No game will start before the scheduled time unless both coaches agree. There will be a minimum of a 5-minute warm-up period. Halftime will be 5 minutes unless both coaches agree to start earlier.
 - Timeouts will be awarded under NHSF rules (3 Full / 2 Thirty Second)

Overtime:

- 3 minutes for Grade School (Grades 3 thru 6)
 - 4 minutes for Middle and High School (Grades 7 thru 12)
 - The clock will stop for all whistle stoppages.
 - Two (2) direct technical fouls during a game on a player, coach, or team representative will result in their ejection from that game and the next game of the tournament. Fighting and gross unsportsmanlike behavior can be more than one game and is at the discretion of the Tournament Director and/or State Director.
 - Suspensions from USSSA sanctioned activities shall be governed by the USSSA Constitution.
 - Each team is responsible for their warm-up and game balls and or any other items brought into the game. MIB is not responsible for lost items.
 - If a team forfeits two games by not participating, the team will be disqualified from the event and cannot participate in bracket/tournament play
- The mandated coaching attire presents a professional appearance. Please refrain from coaching in basketball shorts, jeans, open toe shoes, tank tops, hats, sweatpants, etc.

Dress Code Will be Enforced

Summer Madness Hoops Classic Team Rules

1. The National High School Federation Rules and Regulations (NHSF) will apply to all USSSA games with the
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