## Sprague Basketball Summer 2024 Parent Letter



Dear Parent/Guardian,

Congratulations! Your son has made the Sprague Basketball program for Summer League 2024. I would like to take this time to introduce myself and give you some pertinent information regarding our Summer basketball season.

My name is Jordan Graneto and I am entering my 7th season as the Varsity Boys Basketball Coach at Sprague High School. I expect this summer league to be a great opportunity for us as a program to improve and each player to improve individually as well.

The cost for summer league is \$230 (for varsity players attending Gonzaga Team Camp) and \$75 for anyone that is not attending the Gonzaga Team Camp. Payment is due before the first summer league game and can be made through check (make the check out to Sprague Boys Basketball) or cash. Your son can simply give the check or cash to their head coach anytime before the first game (June 1st).

Being a part of the Sprague summer league program includes: practices, league games, tournaments, the Gonzaga Team Camp (Varsity Only), and skill development workouts throughout the course of July.

We know that there are a lot of things going on during the month of June (Baseball, Football, Vacations, etc.) We are simply asking your son to communicate to their coach when they are going to miss something in advance so that we are aware of the amount of players that we will have at practices and in games. It is crucial this communication occurs in advance.

On the back of this letter is more information regarding each element of summer league. If you go to **spraguembb.com** this will have updated information on schedules, games, our Sprague record board, and much more. Attached to this letter is an up to date schedule, game times that have been released up to this point, and information on the Gonzaga Team Camp. I need to know right away if your son is planning on attending Gonzaga team camp so that I can get them registered for dorms through the Gonzaga University - please fill out player registration form with your medical insurance information and have your son give it to Coach Graneto.

Summer league is crucial for the development of our basketball program and we hope this is a great summer - thank you for your time.

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## Sprague Summer League 2024

- \* Note: Attached to this letter is a detailed summer league schedule. Some game times have not been provided to Coach Graneto yet however, these game times will be provided to players as soon as the information is made available. Players also may be asked to play for more than one team in order to get more games depending on <a href="https://numbers.org/numbers">numbers</a> this will be communicated to your son ASAP.
- \* Note: It is your child's responsibility to communicate with the head coach of his team regarding missing events throughout the summer. It is vital that communication occurs in advance!

Summer League Cost: \$75 No Gonzaga Team Camp (JV/JV2) or \$230 Varsity attending Gonzaga Team Camp.

\* Checks can be made out to Sprague Boys Basketball and are due Saturday June 1st (Or before).

This summer can be broken up to 6 different events which will be described and explained below:

- **1. Salem Summer "League" Games:** These are league games that we will play against teams in the Salem Area for the 2nd 5th week of summer league. (Times and Locations for these games are TBA)
  - Varsity Games: Will be on Tuesdays
  - JV Games: Will be on Thursday Nights
  - JV2 Games: Will be on Wednesday Nights
- **2. Tournaments:** Throughout the first two weekends of Summer League we will play against teams from all over the state of Oregon in tournaments at various sites.
- **3. Junior Oly Youth Basketball Camp:** This is a youth camp designed for youth basketball players in the Sprague community. It is expected that each player signs up to help work a morning session or an afternoon session of camp.
- **4. Practices:** This is a great chance for players to get used to what we are trying to accomplish as a basketball program. Please have your son communicate the dates he will be missing.
- **5. Gonzaga Team Camp (June 21st June 23rd):** This will be a Varsity only event this summer. Coach Graneto will invite 10-12 athletes to compete at the Gonzaga Team Camp. We will leave the morning of June 21st (Time TBA), stay the night in the dorms on June 21st and June 22nd and arrive back at Sprague in the evening of June 23rd. We will play a total of 6 games and play 1 game on the Gonzaga's Main Court. We will be eating every meal in the cafeteria and the meals are included in the price of team camp. We will stop on the way to camp in the Tri-Cities for breakfast and have one night where we go bowling in Spokane so please have your son bring around \$40 for that.
- **6. Skill Development Workouts (July):** Throughout the course of July there will be 9 skill development workouts that will be held at Sprague High School (Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Fridays). The times and dates are attached to the calendar. Individual skill development in the summer is a vital component of improving for next season.
- \* If you have any clarifying questions regarding summer league please do not hesitate to contact Coach Jordan Graneto through phone or email.

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