

Hello Everyone!

Can you believe that basketball season is upon us already! If like us you are starting to develop your teams and look out for some games, this will come as a nice invite.

Our friends at Hauser Fieldhouse in Hope In, are willing for us to use the gym again on January 27, 2018 to play up to 3 games at once on the floors there. We are working on officials for the games. We should be able to start scheduling the games at 9 am on each of the courts and continue with the last games being able to start by 4. That's a lot of games going on.

We are looking to schedule 3-on-3 teams – both men's and women's (BBJ has one of each) and men's 5-on-5 Level 3 teams. That is of course for selfish reasons to get our games done. But we are also hoping to get some of our friends in and playing too and help get their games done too. So while we are going to be looking at teams that help us fulfill our needs, we are also wanting to watch some good basketball teams from all around. We will also be looking at registering some skills players too. We hope to have an hour set aside on one court or maybe in the other gym to get some scores. We do not have any awards available but we hope to have a great time for everyone.

To coordinate games and ensure everyone gets at least two games, registrations are being held until January 13. Please fill out the registration form so that each team will have a fair shot at having some great games. There is no cost to our invitational again this year. We ask that you use the concession stand for most of your refreshment needs. As a reminder no open containers will be allowed in the gym area. This is a Special Olympics event, so there is absolutely no smoking or alcohol on grounds.

Send me your registrations soon! We fill up fast! Ellen_norfrey@att.net