



# GCBA 2011-12



## START-UP INFORMATION & PRE-SEASON SCHEDULE

### WELCOME TO THE 2011-12 GCBA BASKETBALL SEASON

PRE-SEASON: SEP 07 - OCT 07

HOUSE LEAGUE SEASON: OCT 11 - MAR 03

WOLVERINES SEASON: SEP 10 - MAY 28 (depending on level played)

SPRING LEAGUE SEASON: MAR 24 - MAY 15

**\*\*\*PLEASE NOTE\*\*\* IF YOU RECEIVED THIS LETTER BY EMAIL....  
YOU ARE ALREADY REGISTERED!**

And...IF you did NOT receive this newsletter by Email  
Then you need to attend our...

### OPEN REGISTRATION FOR 2011-12 SEASON

FOR ALL INTERESTED PLAYERS WHO ARE NOT PRE-REGISTERED

on **WEDNESDAY 07 SEP 2011**

@ SIR WILFRID LAURIER CAFETERIA 7:00-9:00 PM

\*All future newsletters will be by electronic mailout or posted to our website.  
To CONFIRM your registration and insure we have an email address on file for you, please send an email with the player's name, sex, and YEAR of Birth to: [gcba.registration@yahoo.ca](mailto:gcba.registration@yahoo.ca)

\*ALL REGISTERED players will be notified by a coach/convenor of the time of their first HL Eval Session or WOLVERINE TRYOUT.

### VOLUNTEER COMMITMENT: WE NEED YOUR HELP!

All players and their parent(s) must be prepared to Time or Score 1-2 games during the season as part of your GCBA membership\*\*

### VOLUNTEERS URGENTLY REQUIRED...

House League Coaches/Asst Coaches : (commitment: 2.5 hours/week for 18 weeks) **ALL LEVELS**

House League Convenors: (commitment: 2-3 hrs weekly for 18 weeks) BOYS(2): Midget + JUVENILE

\*PLEASE NOTE: If we are unable to secure a volunteer convenor for your division a Supervisory Surcharge of \$25/player may be applied to cover additional costs of running the division.

**\*\*House League Timers & Scorers** (commitment: 1.5 hrs weekly for 18 weeks) **ALL** players [+ parent] required to Time/Score a minimum of 1 game per season as a condition of GCBA membership.

### FURTHER INQUIRIES???.CONTACT US

Please check our website.... [www.gcba.ca](http://www.gcba.ca)

OR

contact us by email at: [g\\_cbasketball@yahoo.ca](mailto:g_cbasketball@yahoo.ca) (to contact any of the EXEC please use this address)

OR

To leave a voice mail - call the **G.C.B.A. HOTLINE @ 613-834-2178**

(Press #1)

For **REGISTRATION** inquiries [REGISTRAR]...Judy Pate

(Press #2)

For **HOUSE LEAGUE** inquiries [VP OPS HL]...Chantale Da Costa

(Press #3)

For **WOLVERINE** inquiries [VP COMPETITIVE OPS]... Randy Godfrey

## GCBA 2011-12 PRESEASON SCHEDULE

DATE	EVENT	PLACE	TIME	NOTES
<b>Sep 03-05</b>	<b>LABOUR DAY WEEKEND – NO BASKETBALL EVENTS SCHEDULED</b>			
<b>WED 07 SEP</b>	OPEN REGISTRATION - Bring your chequebook!	SIR WIL - CAF	7:00-9:00	
<b>SAT 10 SEP</b>	<b>1ST (GIRLS) WOLVERINE TRYOUTS - OPEN</b>			Pre-Registered GCBA Players who indicated an interest on their REG Form will be notified of Tryouts by Wolverine Coaches prior to the first Tryout
	MAJOR-ATOM GIRLS (10-11 YRS)	SIR WIL GYM	8:00-10:00	
	MAJOR-BANTAM GIRLS (12-13 YRS)	SIR WIL GYM	10:00-12:00	
	JUNIOR GIRLS (U19) 16-17-18 YRS	SIR WIL GYM	12:00-2:00	
	MAJOR-MIDGET GIRLS (14-15 YRS)	SIR WIL GYM	2:00-4:00	
<b>SUN 11 SEP</b>	<b>1ST (BOYS) WOLVERINE TRYOUTS - OPEN</b>			
	MAJOR-ATOM BOYS (10-11 YRS)	SIR WIL GYM	8:00-10:00	
	MAJOR-BANTAM BOYS (12-13 YRS)	SIR WIL GYM	10:00-12:00	
	MAJOR-MIDGET BOYS (14-15 YRS)	SIR WIL GYM	12:00-2:00	
	JUNIOR BOYS (U19) 16-17-18 YRS	SIR WIL GYM	2:00-4:00	
<b>SUN 11 SEP</b>	<b>HL COACHES ORIENTATION/START UP MTG</b>	SIR WIL - CAF	7:00-9:00 pm	
<b>SAT 17 SEP</b>	<b>2ND WOLVERINE TRYOUTS (BOYS)</b> Atom 8:00am, Midget 10:00am, Bantam 12:00pm, Junior 2:00 pm.	SIR WIL	8:00-4:00	
<b>SUN 18 SEP</b>	<b>2ND WOLVERINE TRYOUTS (GIRLS)</b> Midget 8:00am, Junior 10:00am, Bantam 12:00pm, Atom 2:00 pm.	SIR WIL	8:00-4:00	
<b>SUN 18 SEP</b>	<b>LATE REGISTRATION - OPEN</b>	<b>SIR WIL CAF</b>	<b>12:00-2:00</b>	<a href="http://www.gcba.ca">www.gcba.ca</a>
<b>SEP 19-21 MON-FRI</b>	3 <sup>RD</sup> & 4 <sup>TH</sup> WOLVERINE TRYOUTS	VARIOUS GYMS	TBA	By invitation ONLY
<b>SAT 24 SEP &amp;/OR SAT OCT 01</b>	<b>HL PLAYER EVALUATIONS: for NOVICE, ATOM, BANTAM &amp; MIDGET LEVELS ONLY</b>	VARIOUS GYMS	TBA	No call from convenor? Check <a href="http://www.gcba.ca">www.gcba.ca</a> for details (after Sep 19)
<b>SAT OCT 01</b>	<b>WOLVERINE CLOTHING SALE DEADLINE FOR ORDERS: OCT 05</b>	SIR WIL CAF	TBA	
<b>OCT 7-10</b>	THANKSGIVING * NO BASKETBALL			
<b>OCT 11-14 TUES-FRI</b>	<b>PRACTICES BEGIN</b> SHIRT DEPOSITS - \$25 POST DATED CHEQUE PAYABLE TO: GCBA DATED FOR: MAR 03, 2012	VARIOUS GYMS	TBA	SHIRT HANDOUTS NO DEPOSIT...NO SHIRT! NO SHIRT...NO PLAY!!
<b>SAT 15 OCT</b>	<b>HL REGULAR SEASON GAMES BEGIN</b>	VARIOUS GYMS	TBA	
<b>SAT 05 NOV</b>	<b>GCBA CLOTHING SALE</b>	<b>TBA</b>		ADIDAS SHOES \$59.95 TAX INCL
	<b>NCCP LEVEL 1 COACH COURSE</b>	<b>CAPITAL COURTS</b>	<b>TBA</b>	

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## 2011-12 HOUSE LEAGUE OPERATIONS:

### HOUSE LEAGUE PRE-SEASON EVALUATION SESSIONS

Begin @ VARIOUS GYMS ON SATURDAY 24 SEP 2011  
and/or SATURDAY 01 OCT 2011

Players *will be contacted by a volunteer* after SEP 15<sup>th</sup> & prior to Sat. 24 SEP with details of time and place for their first session.

If you have NOT received a phone call by SEP 23<sup>th</sup>.  
please CHECK the website! [www.gcba.ca](http://www.gcba.ca)

Details will be posted on our **GCBA WEBSITE** @ [www.gcba.ca](http://www.gcba.ca) by SEP 17<sup>th</sup>  
OR

Email: [g\\_cbasketball@yahoo.ca](mailto:g_cbasketball@yahoo.ca)

### SHIRT DEPOSITS:

A refundable shirt deposit of \$25 is required for all players.  
Deposits will be by **POSTDATED CHEQUE ONLY** ....Sorry... **NO CASH!**

Please make cheques payable to: **G.C.B.A.**  
or...**GLOUCESTER-CUMBERLAND BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION**

\*Postdate to: **03 MAR 2012** [include **PLAYER'S NAME** on the bottom of the cheque]

**SHIRT DEPOSITS** will be COLLECTED at first **HOUSE LEAGUE PRACTICE**  
or first **HL GAME** - OCT 11-14

**NO SHIRT** will be issued to a player **WITHOUT A SHIRT DEPOSIT!**  
**REMEMBER: NO SHIRT...NO PLAY! & T-shirts** worn under league shirts  
**MUST MATCH** the jersey. White/white and Green/green.

\*\*\*\*Green/White T-shirts and Other GCBA CLOTHING will be available for purchase at the following:  
GCBA Clothing SALE (NOV 05) – Online after SEP 30<sup>th</sup>.

### DISTRIBUTION OF HOUSE LEAGUE PLAYER EQUIPMENT

**BALLS & SHIRTS:** will be issued by **COACHES** @ **FIRST HL PRACTICES** or **GAME OCT 11-15**  
**PLEASE** have **SHIRT DEPOSIT** ready at this time.

### FURTHER HOUSELEAGUE INQUIRIES???

1. Please check our website.... [www.gcba.ca](http://www.gcba.ca) ....or for a quick response (*within 1 day*)
2. Contact us by email at: [g\\_cbasketball@yahoo.ca](mailto:g_cbasketball@yahoo.ca) ...or...
3. Call the **G.C.B.A. HOTLINE** @ 613-834-2178 - Ext 2 & leave a message.

**NOTE: Response time on phone messages may be delayed as phone lines are only checked on an occasional basis, as time permits.**



## COMPETITIVE OPERATIONS (WOLVERINES)

**OPEN TRYOUTS:**  
**For BOYS & GIRLS WOLVERINE TEAMS (ALL LEVELS)**  
**BEGIN - SEP 10 & 11 @ SIR WILFRID LAURIER - GYM**

Everyone is welcome to try out!  
There is a **\$20 non-refundable TRYOUT FEE.**

Visit <http://www.gcba.ca/our-programs/wolverines.aspx>  
for information on the tryout process.

All previous Wolverine players OR those indicating a desire to tryout on the February pre-registration form will be contacted with tryout information. The tryout schedule will also be posted at this location on our website.

### MEET THE COACHES FOR THE SEASON:

Once again this season, GCBA Wolverines are fortunate to have a highly qualified coaching staff. Here is the coaching roster for this season.

**Junior U19 Boys:** Eric Lavergne  
**Maj-Midget Boys #1:** Martin Gauthier

**Maj-Midget Boys #2:** tbc  
**Maj-Bantam Boys #1:** Merrick Palmer  
**Maj- Bantam Boys #2:** tbc  
**Maj-Atom Boys #1:** Carlos Blizzard

**Junior U19 Girls:** Murray Shoup  
**Maj-Midget Girls #1:** Fabienne Blizzard/  
Shen Higgs  
**Maj-Midget Girls #2:** tbc  
**Maj Bantam Girls #1:** Mike Scotten  
**Maj Bantam Girls #2:** tbc  
**Maj-Atom Girls #1:** Brad Strong

### Want to Know More About Wolverines?

<http://www.gcba.ca/our-programs/woverines-faqs.aspx>

OR Contact  
VP COMPETITIVE OPERATIONS - **RANDY GODFREY** at:

[g\\_cbasketball@yahoo.ca](mailto:g_cbasketball@yahoo.ca)  
or leave a voice message on the **G.C.B.A. HOTLINE**  
@ 613-834-2178 Ext. 3.