**STERLING REC BASKETBALL IMPORTANT DATES 2025-2026**

**DIVISION I**– Co-ed; Grade 1. Instructional with skill work coordinated by instructor. Saturday mornings
**Saturday, November 1** - late fee for Divisions I, II, IIIB, IV

**Tuesday, November 4–** **Play Night for Division IIIB @ Chocksett Gym**(Child **MUST attend ATLEAST one** Nov. 4th or the Nov. 6th)

· Grade 4 5:30-6:00 Last Name A-L 6:00-6:30 Last Name M-Z

· Grade 5 6:30-7:00 Last Name A-L 7:00-7:30 Last Name M-Z

**Wednesday, November 5–** **Play Night for Division IV @ Chocksett Gym**

· Grade 4-8 Girls 5:30-6:00 Last Name A-L 6:00-6:30 Last Name M-Z

**Wednesday, November 5 –Play Night for Division II at Houghton Gym**

· Grade 2 5:30-6:00 Last Name A-L 6:00-6:30 Last Name M-Z

· Grade 3 6:30-7:00 Last Name A-L 7:00-7:30 Last Name M-Z

**Thursday, November 6 – Play Night 2 for Division IIIB @ Chocksett Gym**

(Child **MUST attend ATLEAST one** Nov. 3rd or the Nov. 6th)

· Grade 4 6:00-6:45 · Grade 5 6:45-7:30

**Wednesday, November 12 -** Team draft at 6:00pm for **Division IIIB** @ Rec Office

**Wednesday, November 19**-Coaches meeting, Roster distribution and “How to run a practice” at 6:00pm for **Div II & Div IIIB & Div IV**@ Houghton Elementary

**November 26-28 closed for Thanksgiving break**

**Week of December 1 –** Division I, II, IIIB, IV season begins

**Monday, December 1-** Late fee for Divisions V

**Wednesday, December 3-** **Play-Night for Division V @ Chocksett Gym**

(Child **MUST attend ATLEAST one** December 3rd or December 4th)

· Grade 6 6:00-6:45 · Grades 7 & 8 6:45-7:30

**Thursday, December 4 – Play-Night 2 for Division V @ Chocksett Gym**

(Child **MUST attend ATLEAST one** December 3rd or December 4th)

· Grade 6 6:00-6:45 · Grades 7 & 8 6:45-7:30

**Monday, December 8 – Coaches meeting, draft & team assignment at 6:30pm for Div V @** Rec Office

**Thursday/Friday December 11/12-** Division V practices start

**Saturday, December 13 –** Pictures for Divisions I, II, IIIB (times to be announced)

**December 24 – January 2 –** Christmas Break – school closed

**Monday, January 5–** Program Resumes

**Thursday, January 8 –** Pictures for Divisions IV, V (times to be announced)

**Week of February 9-** Last week for Divisions II, IIIB – schedule for parent/child games TBD

**February 16-20–** School Closed for Winter Break

**Week of March 9 –** Play-offs and Division V Championship, Player vs. Parents & Awards TBD

**DATES SUBJECT TO CHANGE DUE TO INCLEMENT WEATHER, BUILDING USE, & COACH AVAILABILITY**

**Players MUST attend at least one play night to be placed on a team. Exceptions are at the discretion of the Recreation Director and Recreation Committee.**

 **Any player registration and team placement AFTER play night is at the discretion of the Recreation Director and Recreation Committee.**