

2011 JOHN WALKER MEMORIAL FALL GIRLS/BOYS BASKETBALL LEAGUE
Renegades, 858 Street Road, Southampton, PA 18966 (mailing address for checks and registrations)
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****League starts the weekend of Fri, Aug. 26th, please plan on attending****

****Note: No games will be played on following Labor Day weekend****

All games are played at Renegades Kelly Bolish Gym, 2950 Turnpike Dr., Hatboro, PA 19040

Walker League Schedule and Rosters will be posted at www.renegadesbasketball.com by Weds. Aug. 24th.

You must check website in order to know when your first game will be played.

If you are unavailable for your 1st game please let us know by e-mailing the office at parenegades@comcast.net

The aausports.org insurance for 2011-2012 is not available until August 16th (see last paragraph below)

Once again in remembrance of John Walker and all that he did for youth sports in Southampton and specifically for what he did for basketball in the community, the summer/fall league will be held in his honor. This will be our 17th season. Anyone who has participated in this league in the past knows that this is a highly competitive league. Last year, there were over 650 participants.

We plan to have five divisions again this year for the girls. The first is for girls entering the fifth and sixth grades (may include inexperienced seventh graders as well). The second division is for those entering seventh & eighth (may include inexperienced 9th graders). Third division is 10th, 11th and 12th. Fourth division is a team division for HS JV consisting of 9th & 10th and the fifth division is a team division for HS Varsity made up of 11th & 12th. Again this year we will have four divisions for the boys. We will have a 5th and 6th grade division, a 7th and 8th grade division, a 9th and 10th grade division and an 11th and 12th division. Please state what grade your child is entering in Fall 2011 on registration form.

The registration form allows for each player to request to play with a few of their friends. All teams play nine games plus at least one playoff game. Each team will have either ten or eleven players. Every player must play at least one third of the game. The League will begin the weekend of 8-26-11. You must check our website on Aug. 24th (rosters and schedules will be posted no later than that date) to find out when your first game will be. The playoffs should be over by November 14th. 5th and 6th grade boys and 7th and 8th grade boys will play on Friday nights. The 5th and 6th grade girls (which may include some inexperienced 7th graders) will play at 7pm on Mondays, the middle school & JV HS girls will play early afternoon games on Sundays, and the HS girls will play in late afternoon to early evening on Sundays. HS boys will play on Sunday evenings. Please note that if the league needs to expand to a third day of games, we are planning on using Saturdays between 4pm and 9pm. We hope that Monday nights will work again for the 5th & 6th grade girls' division. All games will be played at our facility: Kelly Bolish Gym, 2950 Turnpike Dr., Hatboro, PA 19040.

Every player will be required to play in his or her appropriate division. The cost of registration for 2011 will be \$130.00. Any **Renegade** player wishing to participate in the Fall League must re-register with the club for the upcoming year (2011/2012) at this time by mailing in club registration form and fee. **Non-Renegade players do not have to pay a separate club registration fee.** If a player is capable & approved to play in the next older division an additional fee of \$100.00 will be required. Please forward a separate check for \$100.00 in case there is no room in the older division you wish to enter. Keep in mind if you request to play up in an older division, you must also play your own age. If a player plays in two divisions their primary responsibility is to play in their appropriate grade division and they will not be able to play in the older game if they fail to attend their own age game each week. The fee covers the cost of the gym rental, tank tops, referee fees, and team awards for 1st and 2nd place winners. Please make checks payable to **Renegades** and mail to: 858 Street Rd., Southampton, PA 18966. Please do not send a check without a Walker League form. You may use the registration form enclosed or print one off of the website: www.renegadesbasketball.com. Please note that each girl teams in the 5th & 6th and also the 7th and 8th grade divisions will be coached by two current high school players. All high school girls' divisions will be coached by non-parent adults. All of the teams in the boys' division will be coached by non-parent adults.

It is very important to fill in your child's height and basketball experience on registration form. We must have this info in order to place your child on a team. We try to make the level of all of the teams as even as possible so that the games are competitive.

Any player who does not play AAU basketball or plays AAU basketball with another club must register online at: **aausports.org**. When you register online, you must check off **AB** (added benefit) and you will be covered under the AAU supplemental insurance from 8/16/11 to 8/31/12. **This is not going to be available on the aausports.org website until August 16th.** This insurance covers the player not only for basketball but for any sport that the player participates in during the entire year and is well worth the \$14.00. This AAU insurance does not take the place of family health care coverage. Every Walker League player must have their own health care insurance. All Non-Renegades players must present their AAU insurance membership card prior to playing in their first league game. This will be strictly enforced due to the liability issues. If you have any questions please contact us at 215-919-0019. I look forward to seeing you this fall season and having each of you continue to work towards being the best that you can be.

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Checks payable to: **RENEGADES**, 858 Street Rd., Southampton, PA 18966

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Please register early by August 1st or by deadline of August 12th, 2011 (After August 15th add additional 25.00 late fee).

Sincerely, Steve Flynn-Director ~ Renegades Basketball