# 2023 Wachter 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Girls Basketball Basketball Team Tryout Information



Coaches:

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Teams will be tiered according to skill levels and divided into "A" and "B" teams. Each coach will have a team. Depending upon the number of athletes, 1 or 2 "B" teams will be formed.

## Tryout Dates and Times (In the New Gym):

Monday, October 23<sup>rd</sup> – 3:30 – 5:00 Try-Outs

Tuesday, Oct. 24<sup>th</sup> – 3:30 – 5:00 Try-Outs (Teams may be split into A/B following practice)

Wednesday, Oct.  $25^{th}$  – 3:30 – 4:30 A 4:00 – 5:00 B - Player's practice with A or B team.

Thursday, Oct. 26<sup>th</sup>: 3:30 – 5:00 A 4:00 – 5:30 B

Friday, Oct. 27<sup>th</sup>: **3:30 – 4:30 A** 4:00 – 5:00 B

\*\*\* All practices are closed practices. (Parents are not allowed to sit and watch practice.)

\*\*\* Players with more than two unexcused absences from practice will be removed from the team.

### **Process for Player Evaluation:**

All players will be evaluated by all coaches based on a variety of skills during practices. The skills to be evaluated include defense, ball handling, shooting, court movement, passing, rebounding, conditioning and teamwork. Each coach's evaluation will have equal weight, and all coaches will determine which athletes will play on each team. Each year the players will have to prove themselves. It is the desire of the coaches to place each athlete on the team where they will experience the most growth and success according to their ability and skill level during the season. Please make sure you have completed the online registration, uploaded your child's physical and payed your activity fee

#### Player's Responsibility:

- ✓ Each player must have a physical before they are allowed to practice **NO EXCEPTIONS**!!
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- $\checkmark$  Activity fees must be paid to the office by November 1st.
- ✓ Please bring proper clothing, athletic shoes and a water bottle to practice.
- ✓ Players should encourage ALL their teammates to help develop a "team" atmosphere.
- ✓ Inappropriate conduct during practice and/or games will not be tolerated.
- ✓ Players should have fun. Basketball is a game!!

As coaches, it is our philosophy that playing basketball for Wachter is a privilege. We look forward to seeing you the first day of practice and wish all of you the best of luck.

#### **WORK HARD AND DO YOUR BEST!!**

Coach Healy Coach Meier