



Inspiring Tomorrow's

Leaders



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Little Dribblers League

Our Little Dribblers program is designed for students in grades 1-3, to develop fundamental basketball skills while learning teamwork, strategy, and sportsmanship. Skills taught include passing, shooting, dribbling, and basic rules of the game. Players will develop their basketball skills, develop a joy for the sport, and become better people. Students will participate in games and drills meant to be fun and to make them better dribblers, shooters, passers, and defenders, as well as more coordinated and more knowledgeable about basketball. Values such as teamwork, hard work, and respect for others will be stressed at sessions.

Developmental League

The St. Louise Developmental girls' basketball program, while not actually sponsored by the Diocese, is under its auspices. 4th Grade girls are eligible to play in the Rookie League. Both 5th & 6th grade girls are eligible to play on the Prep League team. Over the years a list of grade specific goals and guidelines has been established that each developmental team member should try to master. The mastery of these fundamental basketball skills will hopefully enable players to succeed when they play for the school's competitive teams. There is no playoff system for the developmental league. However each developmental teams are permitted to participate in postseason tournaments.

Competitive League

The two competitive girls' basketball teams are the JV & Varsity teams. The St. Louise Athletic Board sponsors both the girls' JV & Varsity basketball programs, which are sanctioned by the Diocese. The Diocese puts together the various sections, schedules referees, and runs the playoff system. In fact, the Diocesan playoff system for Varsity basketball includes a state basketball championship playoff tournament.