



Thank you for your interest in our National Championship Circuit. This document was created to help provide information regarding both of our National Championship Events. Feel free to reach out if we haven't addressed any questions in this document – Evolution Staff

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*July 25<sup>th</sup>–27<sup>th</sup>, 2025 at the Wintrust Sports Complex, Bedford Park, IL*

**ENTRY:** This is an open registration for teams that wish to compete.

**TEAM FEE & GAMES:** The cost is \$495 per team for 6 – 9 games. There is a Loyalty Discount available which is \$100 off every team entry for any program that has 5 teams or more attend our Nationals.

**FORMAT:** Teams will play at least two games on Friday 7/25/25, Saturday 7/26/25 and Sunday 7/27/25. We offer Division 1 for strong teams and Division 2 for developing teams. Pool play begins on Friday 7/25/25 and ends Saturday 7/26/2025. The National Championship bracket is Sunday 7/27/2025.

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**AGE BASED ELIGIBILITY:** Players are eligible to play by receiving verification through our partner – Sports Thread. Players will individually get verified with Sports Thread prior to check in Friday, July 25<sup>th</sup>, 2025, the cost is \$15 for each player paid directly to Sports Thread. Here are the following items needed for a player to be verified and eligible to participate at our 2025 Evo Summer Nationals:

- o Head shot of the player, or school ID, drivers license
- o Copy of the birth certificate
- o Most recent report card
- o Player Eligibility Details use this link:

<https://evolutionbasketball.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/01/2025-Eligibility.pdf>

**TEAM ENTRY TO NATIONALS:**

<https://evolutionbasketball.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/01/2025FAQs.pdf>

**MVP SYSTEM:** We have a unique MVP system where the losing coach votes for the MVP on the winning team. As the tournament progresses, we tally the votes and the player with the most votes on the championship team will receive the National MVP Belt. We also post all the MVP pics and the National MVP on our IG:

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**HOTELS:** This is a Stay & Play event. This means teams must stay at one of the hotels on our list. Our travel partner is not only hired to provide discounted hotel rooms but also to monitor teams are in fact using our platform to book hotel rooms. If you have any questions, please reach out. Please visit our hotel partner's website at:  
<https://book.awayteamtravel.com/Hotel/Search?EventId=2363>

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**February 15<sup>th</sup>, 2025 MOSH Performance Center, Franklin, WI & Whitnall High School, Milwaukee, WI**

**ENTRY:** This is an open registration for those who wish to compete.

**TEAM FEE & GAMES:** The cost is \$235 per team for 3 games.

**FORMAT:** We offer Division 1 for Travel Teams & Strong Feeder Teams, Division 2 for developing Feeder Teams. We do reserve the right to move up younger level D1 teams to older level D2 divisions, with the permission of the head coach.

**MAKE UP OF TEAMS:** School, Feeder & Travel based teams will all compete in for the Evo Winter National Championship.

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**GRADE BASED ELIGIBILITY:** Players are eligible to play for their team based on what grade they are currently in. For example, if they are currently in the 7<sup>th</sup> grade for the 2024-2025 school year, they must play in the 7<sup>th</sup> grade division or higher. They are not eligible to play in the 6<sup>th</sup> grade division or lower. Please note, the head coach for each team is responsible for having the required documents on hand in case of a protest. If they are unable to provide this, they will forfeit their game and be out of the tournament.

The required documents are a copy of birth certificate and current report card. Head Coach should have this on hand in case of a protest.

For protest rules please visit our eligibility document.

<https://evolutionbasketball.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/01/2025-Eligibility.pdf>

**SCHEDULE:** Will be released no later than Monday, February 10<sup>th</sup>, 2025.

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