

2002 North American Indigenous Games Sport Technical Package  
**Basketball**

**DATE:**

The basketball competitions at the 2002 North American Indigenous Games are scheduled for: Adult age category: July 25 - 27, 2002  
Age group category: July 29 - August 4, 2002

**COMPETITION VENUE:**

The basketball competition at the 2002 North American Indigenous Games will be held at:  
University of Winnipeg (3 courts) finals  
Tec Voc High School (2 courts)  
Daniel Mac High School (1 court)  
Gordon Bell High School (1 court)  
General Wolfe Junior High School (1 court)  
Churchill High School (2 courts)  
Sisler High School – (2 courts)  
Grant Park High School – (2 courts)  
Kelvin High School – (1 court)  
RB Russell – (1 court)

**EVENT:**

The NAIG basketball competition consists of both male and female team competitions for the bantam, midget, juvenile, junior and senior age classifications.

**COMPETITION FORMAT:**

**See team format in NAIG Governing Rules**

**OFFICIALS:**

The chief official and referees will be designated by the Host Society and approved by Basketball Manitoba. The chief officials must have a minimum Provincials Level three (3) certification. The referees must have a minimum Provincial Level one (1) certification.

**PARTICIPANTS:**

**Number of Athletes:**

Each Province, Territory and State may enter a maximum of twelve (12) players per bantam, midget, juvenile, junior and senior teams, in both male and female categories.

**Number of Coaches:**

Each Province, Territory and State may accredit two (2) coaches and one (1) manager per female and male bantam, midget, juvenile and junior teams. One of the above staff must be of the same gender as the participating team.

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#### **GENERAL RULES:**

The 2002 or the most recent version of the FIBA rules will apply to the North American Indigenous Games basketball competition.

#### **Equipment:**

All equipment will comply with the FIBA rules as per Basketball Manitoba.

A ball size of 6 shall be used for bantam male age groups and bantam, midget and juvenile female age groups. A ball size 7 shall be used for all other age classifications.

The basketball players must supply their own equipment and it must comply with FIBA rules.

#### **COMPETITION RULES:**

An entire game for the NAIG basketball tournament shall consist of two (2) halves of twenty (20) minutes each with the thirty (30) seconds clock in effect. The three-point line shall be in effect for the NAIG basketball competition.

Modification of the fifteen (15) minutes halves for the midget and bantam age classifications will be done.

In a tie situation at the expiration of the second half, the game shall be continued with an extra period of five (5) minutes or with as many such periods of 5 minutes as are necessary to break the tie. In all extra periods the teams shall continue to play towards the same baskets as in the second half or fourth period. An interval of two (2) minutes shall be allowed before each extra period. Each extra period shall be started by a jump ball at the center circles.

Tie breaking format:

The final pool standings are to be determined by the best win/loss records of the teams. If the teams are tied, the tie will be broken by:

- 1) The results from the HEAD TO HEAD COMPETITION BETWEEN THE TIED TEAMS.
- 2) If still tied, the POINTS FOR/AGAINST RATIO BETWEEN THE TIED TEAMS; (formula (total points for with tied teams) minus (total points against with tied teams) = X the teams with the higher number will advance.
- 3) If still tied, the TOTAL POINTS FOR, ONLY IN THOSE GAMES BETWEEN THE TIED TEAMS;
- 4) If still tied, the TOTAL POINTS FOR, IN ALL TOURNAMENT/LEAGUE GAMES
- 5) A coin toss in the presence of the Tournament/League Convener and a representative from all the tied teams.