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P R E S S R E L E A S E

Parks, Recreation & Beaches Invites Youth Basketball Players to Play in Co-ed Summer League

New Bedford, Massachusetts- The New Bedford Department of Parks, Recreation & Beaches will be holding basketball sign-ups for the Youth United Summer Basketball League at the Andrea McCoy Recreation Center. Sign-ups will be held at the Buttonwood Park basketball courts from 10AM to 12 noon on May 21st, 22nd, 28th, and June 4th. Young athletes 6 through 18 years of age from New Bedford, Acushnet, Dartmouth and Fairhaven are invited to participate in the league. Minors must be accompanied by their guardian to sign up to participate. Players that are 18 years of age must provide photo identification.

The Youth United Summer Basketball League is a co-ed summer league which plays at Buttonwood Park on Mondays and Wednesday during the July-August season. Players are grouped by age: the instructional league includes ages 6-9, little league include ages 10-12, junior league includes ages 13-14, and senior league includes ages 15-18.

Between now and May 21, participants may register at the discounted rate of \$35.00. From May 22-July 9, participants may register for the regular rate of \$40.00. Upon registration, players will be provided with practice and pre-season meeting dates and shirt sizes will be recorded.

For more information regarding registration and league official job opportunities, please contact India Russell-Pena, Recreation Manager at india.russell@newbedford-ma.gov, or call (508) 991-6298.

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