

**Basketball Advisory Committee Recommendations – Winter 2023-24**

- \*\*\* 1. Recommend to change to the structure of the preseason jamboree for basketball to a length of each period to 8 minutes instead of 6 minutes. Each school shall now play a maximum total of 48 minutes instead of 36 minutes.  
~~have 2 options to the structure of a preseason jamboree for basketball. Option 1—keep current format OR Option 2—(4-team format) play a total of 12 minutes— one period or (3-team format) play a total of 18 minutes with one 18-minute period or two 9-minute periods.~~
- \* 2. Recommend the maximum allowable number of regular season games that a team can participate increases from 26 to 29.
- \*\*\* 3. Recommend, for the 2024-25 season, the implementation allowance for the use of a 35-second shot clock, in an experimental phase. The shot clock would only be used during regular season tournaments or shootouts and approved by the MSHSAA office per guidelines set.
- \* 4. Recommend the implementation of a 35 second shot clock for 2025-26 season for Classes 1-6 at a maximum or at a minimum Classes 4-6 based on the most recent survey results.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Recommend that in order to host a postseason basketball game, the court minimum requirements are 84'x50', which is the ideal measurements recommended by the NFHS for a high school court.
- \*\*\* 6. Recommend a minimum seating requirement be in place for all Sectional & Quarterfinal Games by gender and class set by the MSHSAA Office based on historical attendance data. If both schools agree to play at the host site even though the minimum requirement hasn't been met, it would be allowed. ***The MSHSAA Office shall have the authority to move a game to an alternate venue, based on historical data, if they find it necessary, even though that facility may meet the minimum required seating capacity.***

BOARD ACTION

*	DENIED
**	TABLED FOR FURTHER STUDY
***	APPROVED AS AMENDED
****	NO ACTION

ALL OTHERS APPROVED