



71st Annual Serb National Federation Basketball Tournament

April 30, 2010 — May 2, 2010

**Sponsored by SNF Lodge 170 and the St. Elijah Serbian Orthodox Cathedral of Merrillville, IN
in conjunction with the Serb National Federation**

Name of Team: _____

Division: *(Please CIRCLE one)*

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| 40 and Over | Senior Men | Women | Intermediate Boys | Junior Boys |
| Junior Girls | Pee Wee B | Pee Wee A | Wee Wee | |

	<u>Player Name</u>	<u>Date of Birth</u>	<u>Policy Number</u>
1			
2			
3			
4			
5			
6			
7			
8			
9			
10			
11			
12			
Coach			
Mgr.			

Chaperones for Intermediate Division and Below:

	<u>Name</u>	<u>Date of Birth</u>	<u>Cell Phone</u>
1			
2			
3			
4			

Team Manager Contact Information:

Name: _____
 Address: _____
 Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____
 E-Mail: _____

If Playing in the Junior Division or ABOVE: Number of Players: _____ x \$7 = _____ (Insurance Amount)

Amount Included with Entry Form: _____ + _____ = _____
Entry Fee (see attached) Insurance Amt. Total Amount Enclosed

I hereby agree that all information presented in this document is fair and accurate and that no changes may be made to this roster without the permission of the Basketball Director and the Director of Athletics. I also agree to adhere to the rules and regulations of the tournament on the attached page and understand that failure to comply with any of these rules will result in the disqualification of the affected player(s) and/or team(s).

 Signature of Team Manager _____
 Date

Important Information:

Membership Deadline: Monday, March 1, 2010
 Regular Entry Deadline: Friday, March 12, 2010
 Penalty Deadline: **Tuesday, March 16, 2010 (\$50 Late Fee)**
 Drawing: Thursday, April 8, 2010 at 5:30 p.m. at the Home Office

Please Submit Completed Entry Forms with a check payable to the **SNF Athletic Fund** to:
 Serb National Federation: 938 Penn Avenue, Fourth Floor, Pittsburgh, PA 15222
 Phone: 412-642-7372 Fax: 412-642-1372 E-mail: snf@serbnatlfed.org

Rules and Regulations:

1. Any Serb National Federation member may participate in the tournament, provided that participants are enrolled by the membership deadline (Monday, March 1, 2010). **This includes all coaches and managers.** This is also provided further that the Serb National Federation may disqualify any member player, if in the Federation's opinion, such member player's participation will adversely affect the success of the organization or injure the morale of the event.
2. A player must play for the team of his or her residence or the next nearest place of residence.
3. A player cannot be transferred from one team to the next nearest team, if his or her lodge is represented in the tournament, unless he or she has the approval of his or her team manager and the rules and regulations committee.
4. **Team rosters cannot be changed once the drawing has been made.**
5. The manager and coach of a team must assume full responsibility for the conduct of their team during their stay in the tournament city. Neither the SNF nor the local committee shall be responsible for any injuries sustained or any articles and equipment lost.
6. Each team shall assume the obligation for payment of its own hotel accommodations. Any hotel and/or arena damages perpetrated by any of the participating teams shall result in charges to be brought upon any guilty parties.
7. The entry fees are as follows:
 - Over 40, Senior Men, and Women divisions: \$150.00
 - Intermediate Division: \$125.00
 - Junior and Pee Wee Divisions: \$125.00
 - Wee Wee Division: \$35.00
8. **ALL SNF Basketball Players will be insured with secondary accidental insurance at this event. The cost is \$7.00 for all players, with the exception of the Pee Wee and Wee Wee Divisions, where there will be NO charge.**
9. Play will be governed according to the National Scholastic Athletic Association rules.
10. Teams must be on the floor ready to play ten minutes prior to the scheduled game time. A game will be forfeited if a team is not ready to play when ten minutes has elapsed after completion of the previous game or ten minutes after the scheduled start time of the game, whichever comes first.
11. Teams are limited to twelve (12) players, one (1) manager, and one (1) coach. Note: Wee Wee and Pee Wee teams may have an unlimited number of players on a roster. A minimum of five (5) players must be present at the start of the game or the game will be forfeited. **Four (4) chaperones per team must accompany all teams for the intermediate division and below.**
12. Any protest in respect to eligibility of any player must be presented at least three (3) hours prior to a scheduled game. Any decision rendered by the SNF must be accepted as final.
13. A player may only play in one division.
14. **Eligibility: The eligibility cutoff date for ALL divisions is June 1, 2010. Therefore, a player must not be over the maximum age of a division before this date in order to play in that respective division.**
 - a. **40 and Over Division: Must be age 40 by June 1, 2010.**
 - b. **Senior Men and Women Divisions: There is no maximum age.**
 - c. **Intermediate Boys Division: A player must not be age 19 before June 1, 2010.**
 - d. **Junior Boys: A player must not be age 16 before June 1, 2010.**
 - e. **Junior Girls: A player must not be age 17 before June 1, 2010. However, girls aged 16 will have the option to play up to the Women Division.**
 - f. **Pee Wee A: A player must be between the ages of 10 and 12 and must not reach age 13 before June 1, 2010. Girls participating in the Pee Wee A Division can remain in the division so far as they do not reach age 14 before June 1, 2010. Girls aged 13 will have the option to play up to the Junior Girls Division.**
 - g. **Pee Wee B: A player must be between the ages of 7 and 9 and must not reach age 10 before June 1, 2010.**
 - h. **Wee Wee: A player must not reach the age of 7 before June 1, 2010.**
15. If any player and/or manager is discovered falsifying any names or records in order to have a person participate in the tournament, they will be denied participation in any future SNF-sponsored event.
16. Any and all players from age twelve (12) and above (Junior Division and above) must have a valid **Photo ID** at **ALL GAMES** to verify name and eligibility. All coaches challenges will be done before a respective game begins. ID's include school IDs, health cards (Canada) or a state-issued drivers license. There will be **NO EXCEPTIONS** to this rule. Also, any game and/or player is subject to a random ID check by a SNF tournament official. Coaches and managers must be sure all players have their form of ID.