



## Baltic boys basketball league (BBBL) season 2018/2019

### AGE GROUPS

U-16 DIVISION (boys 2003)  
 U-15 DIVISION (boys 2004)  
 U-14 DIVISION (boys 2005)  
 U-13 DIVISION (boys 2006)  
 U-12 DIVISION (boys 2007)  
 U-11 DIVISION (boys 2008)  
 U-10 DIVISION (boys 2009)

### TOURNAMENT COMPETITION SYSTEM

regular season (3 stages, up to 15 games)  
 plus  
 final stage (5 games)

### RULES, FIBA RULES EXCEPT

	U-16 (2003)	U15 (2004)	U-14 (2005)	U-13 (2006)	U-12 (2007)	U11 (2008)	U10 (2009)
Game time	4 x 8 min	4 x 8 min	4 x 8 min	4 x 8 min	4 x 8 min	4 x 8 min	4 x 8 min
Overtime	3 min	3 min	3 min	3 min	3 min	3 min	3 min
Ball size	7	7	6	6 or 5 *	5	5	5
						small baskets	small baskets

*\*due to the different ball sizes in participant countries coaches before the game could agree which ball size will be used if coaches cannot agree then game should be played with the ball (size) which has been used in the host country*

## REGULATIONS & RULES

<b>Before Game</b>	<p>All teams must be ready at the field a minimum of 15 minutes before the jump ball. The team manager must make sure that his players are adequately insured. The teams are responsible for their supporters/fans conduct. Each team should submit a list of players (containing name, birthdate/birthplace, nationality) to the BBBL administration at least 2 working days before game stage.</p>
<b>Number of Players; Substitutions</b>	<p>One team may register an unlimited number of players in the tournament. Any of the registered players may enter a match, though no team may use more than 14 players in a single match.</p>
<b>Rules of the Match; Penalties</b>	<p>FIBA rules apply to all matches. Shot time will be taken (24 seconds). Players not wearing appropriate equipment will be asked to correct it. Insulting the opposition - with special regard - will result in immediate send-off.</p>
<b>Rules of the Game During Group Contests</b>	<p><b>Regular season –</b> The participant teams BBBL are divided into groups where all the teams will meet in a round robin series. Two points will be awarded for a win and one point for a loss. The team which has the most points will be the first in the group, the second highest points is the second and so on. Tie-breaker - win/loss %.</p>
<b>Play-off</b>	<p>TOP 16 ranking places will decide BBBL 2018/2019 champions in the final stage.</p>
<b>Walkover</b>	<p>Any team not appearing at the appointed time and place for a match without a valid excuse will be automatically declared loser by 0:20. If a team repeatedly fails to appear at the game, the team may be excluded from the tournament.</p>

**Referees**

Every match will be judged by two referees.

**Insurance**

Please make sure that all your players are insured both on and off the playing courts. BBBL does not carry any group insurance protecting participants in case of injury, illness, theft or damage to property. BBBL is in no way responsible for injury or economic loss which may arise during the tournament.

**Live game  
statistic**

All games are provided with FIBALIVESTATS statistics in tournament`s webpage [www.bbbl.info](http://www.bbbl.info)

**Live video  
streams**

Live video streams will be provided from BBBL stages in tournament YouTube channel.

**Special  
exceptions**

Each team has the right to add one player, who are one year older, if he is born in December.