



**TEAM INFORMATION & PRELIMINARY  
BUDGET 2022  
4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> Grade Teams**

**8 Tournament Season**

**\$625.00**

Fees include:

- Player's registration (AAU & YBOA) in 8 tournaments
- (2) Full Custom Uniforms, (1) Shooter Shirt & (1) Bag
- Participation in a minimum of 8 weekend tournaments, totaling approximately 18- 30 games
- Practice facility for 1 1/2 hours, 2 days a week from March - May (Cobb County area)  
**There will be no practice during the week of Cobb County Schools closures.**  
Spring Break (April 4th-8th) or any other days when the Cobb County Schools are closed.

**\*\*The \$625.00 registration fee will pay for only the items listed above.**

8 Tournaments

- The tournament schedule is to be determined by Eddie Wilkins and the Coach.
- Parents will also be notified of their practice days and times. Team Reach APP will be used for all team communication (details to download & use will be sent to each family once teams are selected).

**ELW Future Stars Kick-Off Tournament is March 18-20 in Cartersville.**

**Payment Schedule:**

February 21st - \$200.00 Deposit

March 14<sup>th</sup> - \$225

March 28<sup>th</sup> - \$200

**\*\*Contact ELW Director Talisha Stroud @ 716-816-9975 or [talishastroud@gmail.com](mailto:talishastroud@gmail.com) to make payments in person via cash, money order or check (payable to ELW Future Stars). To pay electronically via CashApp or PayPal, please use the following information:**

- **PayPal:** <http://www.paypal.me/ElwFutureStars>
- **CashApp:** \$Eddielee4545

**\*\*Payments should never be submitted to coaches or team managers.**

**ALL FEES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE.**

PLEASE NOTE: IF YOU OR THE TEAM INCURS ANY ADDITIONAL COST FOR ITEMS NOT LISTED ABOVE, ELW FUTURE STARS WILL NOT PAY FOR THAT COST.

Some examples of additional fees are:

- Elect to enter in more than 8 tournaments
- YBOA Nationals
- AAU Nationals
- Team Shoes & Socks
- Additional training

Players and parents must sign and submit the attached Player & Parent Agreement.



**ELW FUTURE STARS**  
**P.O. BOX 813531 SMYRNA, GA 30081-8531**

Parents and Players,

Welcome to the 2022 ELW Future Stars. We are looking forward to an exciting and rewarding season with you and the players. To ensure that we have an enjoyable season, we thought it would be important to set out, in writing, our expectations of you and what you can expect of us:

(a) During the season, we shall endeavor to provide your son with exemplary basketball instruction along with an enjoyable and memorable experience. However, we cannot do this without your help. First and foremost, our coaches will treat both you and your player with the utmost courtesy and respect. In return, you and your player shall treat our coaches with the utmost courtesy and respect. At all ELW Future Stars games, please understand that you and your player are representing the organization. Therefore, we ask that you deal with all tournament directors, referees, opposing coaches, opposing players and fans with the utmost courtesy and respect.

(b) For your enrollment fee of **\$625.00**, we commit to you that between March and May, our team shall play in no less than 8 sanctioned tournaments. **The entire payment must be received by March 28th.** ALL FEES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE. We offer a sibling discount if needed. In addition, players will receive from us (2) ELW Future Stars Uniforms, (1) Shooter shirt, and (1) Bag. If your player loses any of these items, you agree to promptly pay for the replacement of same item. Replacing a uniform will cost \$125.00 (w/o name) & replacing a shooter shirt will cost \$65.00. You also agree that you will pay any and all fees & costs associated with travel (where applicable), lodging and meals.

(c) Please understand that playing time on the ELW Future Stars is at the total and complete discretion of the coaching staff. Unlike recreational basketball, playing time in any game or series of games is absolutely not guaranteed.

(d) AAU basketball is a competitive endeavor that requires a significant commitment from its participants. The team will generally practice twice weekly and play games on many weekends (Friday through Sunday) between March and May. **There will be no practice during the week of Cobb County Schools' Spring Break (April 4th - 8th) or when the County Cobb Schools are closed.** As such, you agree that your player will attend no less than 90% of the team's practices and, with very few exceptions, all of

his/her team's games. If your player is going to miss a practice, please contact the head coach and at least one of the team's assistant coaches no less than two (2) hours before the practice. If your player is going to miss a game, please advise the head coach and at least one assistant coach no less than three (3) days prior to the game. Of course, if your player becomes ill in a short time frame than that which is proscribed herein, please advise us of the same as soon as possible.

(e) We consider all of the players in the ELW Future Stars system to be student-athletes. They are students first and athletes second. Accordingly, we expect all students to maintain an average of "B" or more. Any student that fails to maintain a "B Average" for any report card must meet with the team's head coach and an assistant coach to explain the reasons therefore. Only if there are extenuating circumstances (e.g. illness or otherwise) will the player be allowed to continue playing without maintaining a "B Average."

(f) As a member of the ELW Future Stars, each player is required to treat his/her teammates and member of other ELW Future Stars teams as he would treat his own sister/brother. Under no circumstances shall there be any bullying, name calling or any other action that separates any player or players from the group. All members of the ELW Future Stars shall conduct themselves in a positive manner at all times - in school, on social media (Twitter, Facebook, etc.) and otherwise.

(g) By no later than **March 15th**, you agree to provide us with a copy of your player's birth certificate and most recent report card.

**(h) Parents, relatives or guest(s) of the player must display good sportsmanship and conduct during tournaments and/or practices. Shouting and the use of profanity will not be tolerated at practices and/or tournaments. Anyone displaying this type of conduct will be removed.**

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PARENT

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PLAYER

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DATE

EVERYBODY LOVES WINNING FUTURE STARS