



2012

**5th Annual
"GIVE ME 5" Tip Off Classic**

February 11

(Citysports on 4 in Englewood, New Jersey)

THE BALL IS IN YOUR HANDS – HOOP SEASON IS FINALLY HERE. ASIANHOOPS.COM invites your team to play in the **5th ANNUAL "GIVE ME 5" Tip Off Classic**. The 2012 edition returns to Citysports on 4 (2 courts) in Englewood, New Jersey and will be played on Saturday, February 11th.

This year's tournament will feature three (3) divisions of play: **Boys 18-under, Boys 15-under, and Women's**. Players and teams of all abilities are welcome to participate in a division that's best suited for them. Each team is guaranteed to play in at least 3 games with teams that advance to the playoff round playing 4-5 games (certain divisions only).

So start assembling your team and hitting those courts for some practice time. The **deadline to register your team is Wednesday, January 25, 2012**. Only a limited number of spots are available and divisions are only limited to either 6 or 8 team format. Teams will be accepted to play on a first paid basis. Once divisions are filled – that's it. To sign your team up and for more information, please go to

www.asianhoops.com

You can also email me at rockits@asianhoops.com; Denny Lee.

DIVISIONS OF PLAY and TOURNAMENT DATES

Saturday, February 11, 2012
at Citysports on 4 in Englewood, New Jersey

BOY'S 18U (limit 6-8 teams) – exactly like it says – players aged 18 and under only. This division will feature players and teams that are on the rise in the Asian hoops scene.

BOY'S 15U (limit 6-8 teams) – exactly like it says – players aged 15 and under only. This division will feature players and teams that are on the rise in the Asian hoops scene.

WOMEN'S OPEN (limit 6 teams) – An opportunity for the Women/Girls to hoop it up.

SITE LOCATIONS

Citysports on 4 is conveniently located in Englewood, New Jersey on Route 4 East, only a few miles from the George Washington Bridge. It houses (2) full courts, concession stand, convenient parking and is close to restaurants and malls in the surrounding area. For more info, go to www.citysportson4.com.

How To Sign Up

Deadline: On a first come first paid basis till divisions are filled or Wednesday, January 25, 2012, whichever comes first.

COST: Boy's 18u, 15u, and Women's: \$285/TEAM

Checks for payment will only be accepted if received before February 1, 2012. Checks should be made payable to: New York Rockits Athletes In Action and sent to:
NY Rockits AIA, 36 Market Street, #3, NYC, NY 10002.

FASTEST WAY: Go to www.asianhoops.com. To guarantee or reserve a spot for your team before the divisions are filled, you can pay through paypal account or credit card here. *(please note that there will be a service charge of \$9.00)* After payment, please send an email to rockits@asianhoops.com with your team name so that I can reserve a place for your team. Your team is accepted to play after a confirmation email is sent to your team.

Teams interested in playing should also contact us via email: rockits@asianhoops.com or call us at 917-687-5876 (DENNY LEE-TOURNAMENT ORGANIZER) for confirmation or questions.

AWARDS: (11) Individual trophies or awards for 1st place and a Championship trophy. Team trophy for 2nd place.

TOURNAMENT FORMAT: Each team is guaranteed to play in at least three games in the tournament. Teams advancing into the playoff rounds may play a total of 4-5 games depending on the division they are playing in. *(Each division of six or eight teams will be divided into groups of three or four teams each for the round robin preliminary round. In an 8-team division, the top two from each group will advance to the playoff/championship round. For a 6-team division, all teams advance into the playoff/championship round. Format subject to change.)*

REFEREES: Certified I.A.A.B.O. referees and referees in training will make the calls for all games.

WHO CAN PLAY: The 5th Annual GIVE ME 5 Tip Off Classic is an invitational tournament and is open to all teams and players of Asian Oriental descent. Players must be at least 50% Oriental Asian to be eligible to play. Questions on ethnicity and eligibility should be brought to the attention of the organizer prior to submitting rosters to avoid any conflicts. The definition of a player of Oriental descent is as follows: at least one grandparent must be of 100% Oriental heritage. (Oriental nationalities are as follows: Chinese, Filipinos, Koreans, Vietnamese, Thai, Cambodian, Malaysian, Indonesian, and Japanese)

BURDEN OF PROOF: Organizers will request proof from all players that may be in question. Proper documentation will be required. Illegible copies will not be accepted. The burden of proof is on you to prove your ethnicity (*Playing in a tournament previously hosted by us does not mean you are eligible to play at this event*).

AGE RESTRICTIONS: Players participating in divisions that have an age limit must adhere to the following rules to be eligible:

1) Ex: playing in the boys 18u division, a player can not have attained his birthday by more than six months prior to the date of the tournament. (*Thus, a player that celebrated his 18th birthday on July 8th of 2011 is not eligible to play in the boys 18u division*)