



## HOWARD MATTOS FREE THROW SHOOTOUT 16-17

### Background:

Howard Mattos was a coach in Cupertino Hoops who tragically passed on during a 5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup> Boy's Division team practice. To remember Coach Howard, the league created a FREE THROW SHOOTOUT in his honor.

### How It Works:

Prior to Tournament day, coaches should conduct a free throw shooting contest for their respective teams. The winner of the team contest will represent their team at the shootout on tournament day.

- Mar 4<sup>th</sup>-5<sup>th</sup>: 45 Boys, 456 Girls, 678 Girls Rec, 678 Girls Comp
- Mar 11<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>: 678 Boys

On Tournament day, the representatives for each team will take part in the free throw shootout by division. Trophies are awarded to the top place finishers. The shootout rules are as follows:

- Each contestant takes 10 consecutive shots
- Best of 10 shots wins
- In the event of ties:
  - 1<sup>st</sup> Tie Breaker: 5 shots
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> Tie Breaker: 3 shots
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> Tie Breaker and On: 1 shot
- If a contestant is unable to attend the tournament shootout for any reason, the coach may choose to either have a backup or no representative.