

# MIDWEST ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION OF THE DEAF, INC.

**DATE:** December 30, 2019  
**TO:** MAAD Member Clubs Athletic Directors/Secretaries  
**FROM:** MAAD Executive Board  
**SUBJECT:** 2020 Basketball Registration Forms

Basketball is here again! It is time to fill out forms and get your team registered for the annual tournament! We are looking forward to having the tournament in Shawnee, KS on March 26-28, 2020!

The following list:

- MAAD Memo (this sheet),
- MAAD Basketball Flyer (via MAAD's website – [www.maad.org](http://www.maad.org))
- MAAD Team Registration Form (via MAAD's website – [www.maad.org](http://www.maad.org))
- MAAD Worksheet (via MAAD's website – [www.maad.org](http://www.maad.org))

**PLEASE read everything CAREFULLY!**  
**DEADLINE: SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 2020**

## **MAAD Team Registration Form and MAAD Worksheet:**

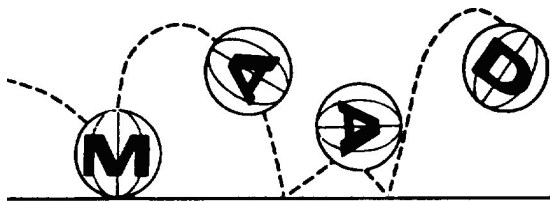
1) Fill out MAAD Team Registration form (see link in MAAD's website under Basketball Registration). This will be two pages (print on landscape or 11" x 8.5" paper)

- Print names CLEARLY.** MAAD will use the MAAD form to print names in the brochures, it's very important that the names are readable. Be sure everyone reads the USADB Code of Ethics and Basic Guidelines.
- Fill out carefully – player/coach/manager/scorekeeper is to be included in roster on MAAD Team Registration form. Use letters in "Type: column: player - "P"; Free Agent - "A"; Coach - "C"; Assistant Coach - "AC"; Manager - "M"; Statistician - "S"; Hearing – "H" (only on Women's Form)**
- Free Agent** – up to two male player allowed for men's team and unlimited female players allowed for women's team but only three former Olympic players (under 40 years old).
- CODA** – one female allowed for women's team (**NOT** FA) and **NO** CODA for men's teams.
- Coach** – Head Coaches are **REQUIRED** to sign on the bottom of the form, players are not required. When you sign the form, you must put full date. (I.E. 10/12/2017, not 10/12/17).
- Maiden Name** – All married players are required to put down their maiden name. Same rules applies if you are divorced or widower.

2) Fill out the MAAD worksheet for fee purposes.

- \*\* **Player's fee** - \$25.00 (Players/coach/manager/statistician are required to pay)
- \*\* **MAAD Team Fee** - \$75.00
- \*\* **USAB Fee** - \$30.00 (each team is required to register with USADB)

**MAAD strongly discourage not to cross-off, line-out, white-out, and removal of name or any type of errors on the registration forms. If happens, there will be a fine.**



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### **After Completing MAAD Team Registration Form and Worksheet:**

Mail **ORIGINAL completed worksheet and forms** with a **club's check or money order** payable to **MAAD** in the amount as shown on **GRAND TOTAL** to MAAD Treasurer Marti Herman by **Saturday, February 1, 2020** by priority mail with delivery confirmation.

*Suggestion: Make copies of all forms for your files, in case there is problem with mail. All mail must be mailed with a **tracking number**.*

### **Player Representative**

Each team send a selected representative to attend **Players' Council Meeting** on Thursday, March 26, 2020 at 7 p.m. Player representative may not serve as a Delegate however the Clubs' Delegate may sit in with the Player representative, with no vote or voice privileges.

### **New Players**

Any new players who has **NOT** participated in MAAD tournaments before **MUST** provide their audiogram with a hearing loss of 55 db or greater in the both ears, except for those that came from residential school for the Deaf with proof of audiogram and/or residential high school diploma, or former regional and/or Deaflympics players, including what year and which sport before registering.

**NOTE: Be sure to send copy of audiogram (without use of cochlear implant or hearing aid) or residential high school diploma directly to Tami Richardson-Nelson, MAAD Hall of Fame Director. Make arrangements as soon as possible.**

*Please do not register any **MALE hearing players** or they will result in either a fine or declared ineligible is determined by MAAD Executive Board. (Hearing person can be coach, manager or statistician.)*

**Additional Players** Additional players can be signed onto a team at Players Council with \$30 fee per player. Maximum number of players on a team is 12. Certain rules apply.

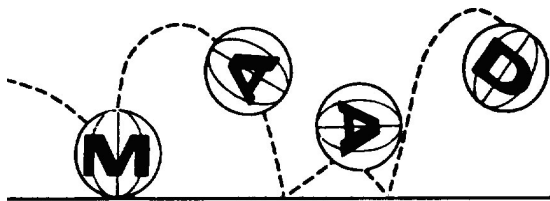
**Uniforms and Basketball Tournament Rules** Uniform guidelines and rules are outlined in the "MAAD Organizational Documents" under "General Tournament Rules and Regulations - Basketball".

Have questions, contact Greg Petersen, Tournament Director, or Amy Thompson, Vice-President.

### **~Want play in USADB Tournament in Birmingham, AL on April 16-18, 2020?**

**Team registration fee is \$400.00 and is due no later than 72 hours after MAAD Basketball Tournament.**

Fill out the USADB's Team Entry Fee Form (via [www.usadb.us](http://www.usadb.us)) and mail to USADB Treasurer.



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**Questions or Need Help**

Use the information below for help or questions.

**For general information:**

Greg Petersen MAAD Tournament Director

E-mail: [maatd@gmail.com](mailto:maatd@gmail.com)

**Rules & Regulation interpretation/information:**

Amy Thompson, MAAD Vice-President

E-mail: [maadvic prez19@gmail.com](mailto:maadvic prez19@gmail.com)

**For new players with audiograms and questions on minors:**

Tami Richardson-Nelson, Hall of Fame Director

E-mail: [maadhallfame@gmail.com](mailto:maadhallfame@gmail.com)

**For sending forms and check:**

Marti Herman, MAAD Treasurer

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