

Illinois Central Elite – ICE AAU Travel Teams are for players who want to improve their basketball skills and their basketball knowledge (IQ) on the court. Illinois Central Elite – ICE coaching staff has over 30 years of experience in coaching travel teams and training athletes to become better basketball players. Skill training along with an experience coaching staff is the right combination for your athlete to improve their game this season with Illinois Central Elite – ICE.

Coaching Staff: Coaches for the boys teams will be determined after tryouts are completed. All teams and coaches will be supervised by Octavius Parker & Brian Davis. All coaches bios can be found online at **www.illinoiscentralelite.com.**

The Season: All Teams will practice 1 time a week for 1.25 hours to 1.5 hours each practice. Teams that practice 2 times a week will have an additional practice fee. Practices will be from June through August. All Teams will play in 5 regional tournaments. Tournaments can be 2-Day Tournaments or 1-Day Shootouts on Saturdays or Sundays. Teams that play in tournaments outside the regional tournament/shootout play or in extra tournament/shootouts will have additional costs.

Practices: Days & Times TBD.

Possible Practice Locations:

Advocate Condell Centre Club-Gurnee, 1405 N. Hunt Club Rd., Gurnee, IL. 60031 - Canlan Sports-Libertyville, 1950 US 45, Libertyville, IL. 60048 - Warren Township High School, Almond Campus, 34090 Almond Rd., Gurnee, IL. 60031 - Warren Township High School, O'Plaine Campus, 500 N. O'Plaine Rd., Gurnee, IL 60031 - Waukegan Fieldhouse, 800 Baldwin Ave., Waukegan, IL. 60085

Possible Shootout/Tournament Dates: June 10th-11th, June 17th-18th, June 24th-25th, July 1st-2nd, July 8th-9th, July 15th-16th, July 22nd-23rd, July 29th-30th, August 5th-6th

Teams & Playing Time: ICE PLAYERS MUST PLAY FOR ONE AAU PROGRAM DURING THE SEASON!!!

Teams will be determined by players skills set at tryouts. We will have at least 2 teams at a grade level with 9 to 11 players on a team. Playing time is determined by each coach of the teams. All players will have an opportunity to play in every game but playing time will be decided on how a player is executing offensive and defensive concepts learned in practice and playing in each game.

Team Fees: \$30 Tryout Fee. 2nd-8th Grade Boys: \$850 / 2nd-8th Grade Boys Flex Players: \$425 (Flex players play in 2 tournaments) / 9th-10th-11th Grade Boys: \$1,050. Payment plans are available upon request. Team fees include 5 Tournament/Shootout Fees, 1 practice per week-court rental, insurance and coaches salary.

All New players must purchase ICE custom uniform package, includes custom ICE home & away sublimated uniforms and ICE Shooting shirt, ICE Hoodie, ICE Sweatsuit, ICE Backpack for \$250. Team fees are due at the first practice. \$30 tryout fee will go towards the cost of team fee once a player makes a team.

Additional Illinois Central Elite – ICE Gear & OP Gear will be available to purchase online.

Next Tryout Dates – Locations – Times:

2ND TRYOUTS: Sunday, June 4th

Woodland Middle School, 7000 Washington St., Gurnee, IL. 60031

7:00PM-8:00PM 2nd,3rd,4th,5th,6th,7th,8th Grade Boys 8:00PM-8:00PM 9th,10th,11th Grade HS Boys ICE 2nd-11th Grade Boys Teams will be announced on the ICE website (www.illinoiscentralelite.com) on each team page by Friday, June 9th after 8:00pm. Players must commit by Sunday, June 11th by 6:00pm.