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## NEWS RELEASE-

### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

**SUFFOLK, VA** – September 8, 2008 – Registration for Suffolk Parks and Recreation's 2009 Youth Basketball, Indoor Soccer and Cheering Leagues is underway. The following registration days and times applies to all leagues: Monday-Thursday, 5-7 p.m. and Saturdays, October 4, 11, 18 and 25, from 10 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

Participants may register in the region where they wish to practice. Practice sites are: Creekside and Northern Shores Recreation Centers (region 1) and Mack Benn Jr., Booker T. Washington or Kings Fork Recreation Centers (region 2). Soccer registration is being held at Oakland Recreation Center as well. Online registration is available from September 6-30 at [www.suffolk.va.us/parks/athletics](http://www.suffolk.va.us/parks/athletics).

Basketball registration will be held September 8-October 11; late registration is scheduled for October 13-18. The age groups are: coed novice 5-7, girls pee wee 8-10 and girls midget 11-14; boys pee wee 8-10, boys midget 11-12 and boys junior 13-14. A basketball league drafting process will be held on November 1 for pee wee and junior.

Soccer registration is scheduled for September 8-October 18; late registration will be held October 20-25. The age groups are: novice 5-7, pee wee 8-10, midget 11-13 and junior 14-15.

Cheering registration will be held September 8-October 18; late registration is scheduled for October 20-25. Age groups are: novice 5-7, pee wee 8-10 and midget 11-14.

This program will run from January 2 – February 28, 2009, on Fridays, from 6-9 p.m. and Saturdays, from 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Games will be held at Kings Fork and Creekside Recreation Centers. Soccer games will be held at Oakland Recreation Center.

Fees are \$55 for residents and \$65 for non-residents; money orders or cashier's checks will be accepted. A \$15 fee will be added to all late registrations. Proof age and residency required.

For more information, please call the Parks and Recreation Athletic Office at 514-7254 or 514-7265.

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