

Blue Suede Invitational Basketball Tournament  
Medina, Tennessee

Seeing a need for an end of the year basketball tournament for junior high schools in West Tennessee, the schools of Medina joined together to form and host the annual Blue Suede Invitational Basketball Tournament. This tournament was named to honor the music and philanthropic legacy of Carl Perkins, whose record, "Blue Suede Shoes," is regarded in music history as one of the all time greats. Along with the Jackson Exchange Club, Perkins established the Carl Perkins Center for the Prevention of Child Abuse, which currently has 18 centers in West Tennessee. The schools of Medina are partnering with the Exchange Club to raise awareness of child abuse everywhere. A donation will be made to the Center from proceeds of the tournament.

Information

1. Teams will be divided into divisions based upon enrollment.
2. Tournament will abide by TSSAA rules with TSSAA officials.
3. Interested in participating? Complete the school information form and return by mail, fax (731-783-1964), or email ([maloans@gcssd.org](mailto:maloans@gcssd.org)) by January 13 Please include schedule with up to date scores.
4. Entry fee is \$75 per team.
5. There will be tournament program with rosters and schedules.
6. Any questions, call 731-783-1962.

# Blue Suede Invitational Entry Form

School Name \_\_\_\_\_

School Address \_\_\_\_\_

School Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ Fax # \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Principal \_\_\_\_\_ Athletic Director \_\_\_\_\_

Teams Participating:                      Girls                      Boys                      Both

Coach (girls) \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ \*

Asst Coach (girls) \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ \*

Coach (boys) \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ \*

Asst Coach (boys) \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ \*

\*Due to the possibility of incimate weather we need more than one contact number

Best time to call \_\_\_\_\_

School Colors \_\_\_\_\_

Mascot \_\_\_\_\_

Managers \_\_\_\_\_

Bookkeeper \_\_\_\_\_

8th grade enrollment \_\_\_\_\_

Team Records                      Boys                      W-                      L-                      Girls                      W-                      L- \_\_\_\_\_

Scheduling requests \_\_\_\_\_

I am aware that my school has requested to play in the Blue Suede Invitational on January 21, 23, 26, and 28 in Medina, TN.

Our 8th grade enrollment listed above is correct.

Principal \_\_\_\_\_

