



Youth Basketball Free Throw Contest

Saturday January 13, 2024 – from 8:00 to 10:00 AM

St. John Evangelist school gym

Sponsored by the

St. John Knights of Columbus Council 12154

Who – All boys and girls ages 9-14 are invited to compete (age as of January 1, 2024)

What – K of C annual council free throw competition open to all St. John area youth

When – Saturday January 13, 2023 – from 8:00 to 10:00 AM

Where – St. John Evangelist school gym - 9400 Wicker Ave (US 41) in St. John

How – Just show up and see how many free throws you can make out of 15 attempts

The Details:

- Show up any time between 8:00 and 10:00 AM to compete
- Basketballs used for the competition are provided
- 12 competition brackets – boy/girl, ages 9-14
- Older boys (ages 12-14) will use a men's size basketball and will shoot from the regulation 15 foot line
- Older girls (ages 12-14) will use a women's size basketball and will shoot from the regulation 15 foot line
- Younger boys and girls (ages 9-11) may use a women's size basketball and may shoot from a 12 foot line, if desired
- After several practice shots, each competitor will shoot 15 free throws
- Highest number of baskets made wins the age bracket
- No cash prizes awarded, participants will receive a certificate, patch, or medal (if playing high school basketball, participants should check with their coach)
- Winners are invited to advance to the District level of the competition held on Saturday January 27, 2024 at St. John Evangelist gym to compete against the advancers from surrounding area K of C council free throw contests (a participant may compete in only one council competition)

Contact with any questions:

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SJE Students

A N.U.T Day will be awarded to every SJE student who shows up to compete on January 13.