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**Basketball New Brunswick**

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**Basketball New Brunswick is gearing up for the 2010 Provincial Elite Team Season with a call for coaches and announcement of open try-out dates.**

In 2010, there will be eight teams representing our province at different competitive events. The following is a list of teams that are available to apply for:

- U17 (Boys and Girls)
- U16 (Boys and Girls)
- U15 (Boys and Girls)
- U15 Development (Boys and Girls)

Interested coaches can submit their coaching resume and cover letter to Basketball New Brunswick via mail (880 Hanwell Rd., Unit 107; Fredericton, NB; E3B6A3), drop it off in-person, fax (506-455-4668) or e-mail it to [info@basketball.nb.ca](mailto:info@basketball.nb.ca). The application deadline is **March 15<sup>th</sup>, 2010**.

**The open try-out dates for the eight elite teams are as follows:**

Team	Eligibility	Open Try-out Date/Location	Location
U17 Girls & Boys	Born in 1993 or later	April 18 <sup>th</sup> , 2010	Fredericton - LHHS
U16 Girls & Boys	Born in 1994 or later	April 18 <sup>th</sup> , 2010	Fredericton - LHHS
U15 Girls & Boys	Born in 1995 or later	April 25 <sup>th</sup> , 2010	Fredericton - FHS
U15 Dev. Girls & Boys	Born in 1995 or later	April 25 <sup>th</sup> , 2010	Fredericton - FHS

All interested and age eligible players are welcome to attend the open try-outs in Fredericton. The top players from the U17/U16 open try-out and the U15/U15 Development open try-out will then be invited to the Showcase Tournaments held at UNB Fredericton in early-mid May. The Showcase Weekends will be used as the final selection process for the 2010 BNB Summer Elite Teams.

The goal for this season will be for teams to have opportunities to attend a variety of tournaments in Canada and the eastern United States. The 2010 National Championships will be hosted in Toronto (Girls) and Winnipeg (Boys) the week of August 1-8, 2010. BNB is pleased to have representation at both the U17 and U15 Boys and Girls Championships.

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