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MBA/AAU
"The Big One"
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Coaches, players and parents:

On behalf of the entire Midland Basketball Academy family, thank you for joining us for what we hope will be the first of many Big Ones to come. We're very thankful you chose to make the trip to Midland and take part in an amazing tournament experience. We encourage you and your families to take part in all 225,000 square feet of facility at the Midland Community Center and to enjoy all that Midland has to offer. We hope you have nothing short of the best tournament experience possible and that you're families have everything they need over the course of the weekend. We will have great staff on hand at all facilities to make sure your needs are met and your questions are answered. If, at any point, you or your family needs anything, please don't hesitate to let us know how we can make your time here in Midland that much more enjoyable. Below is a list of frequently asked questions we hope will help you this weekend. Again, thank you so much for joining the MBA family for the 2012 edition of the Big One. Happy hooping!

Sincerely,
The entire MBA family

FAQs:

Q: Can teams bring in outside food or beverage?

A: No. Outside coolers, food, crock pots or beverages are not permitted in any of the facilities. Beverages, hot food and snacks will be available at each location. The Midland Community Center will have a large cafeteria area with lots of healthy options for breakfast, lunch and dinner.

Q: Where can I find directions to my location?

A: Both high schools and middle schools can be located on this link: <http://www.mps.k12.mi.us/schools> Simply click on the school you need directions to and it will take you to a page with a map in the lower right hand side of the page. The MCC is located at 2205 Jefferson, Midland, MI 48640

Q: Will the MCC be available to my team?

A: Yes. The MCC will be available to anyone who pays admission into the event at any location. Everyone who pays will receive a wristband that will get you into any location games are being played and will also get you into the MCC Wellness Center, the Oasis featuring Spraytopia, climbing wall, racquetball courts and much more during available hours.



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Q: Is there an admission fee?

A: Yes. Admission is \$5 per person. Children under 5 and players and coaches do not have to pay. As previously mentioned, bands will get you into any facility, including the MCC.

Q: Where can I eat, sleep and play when my team is done playing?

A: Midland is full of great places to keep your belly full and the kids busy. Follow this link for information on all your eating, playing and sleeping needs: <http://www.visitgreatlakesbay.org/midland-6/>

Q: If I have questions at my location, will someone be there to help me?

A: Absolutely. There will be Site Supervisors and staff at each location this weekend. Site Supervisors will be wearing the bright orange MBA shirts and will be able to answer any questions you need at all. Other staff will be wearing either gray or royal blue MBA shirts and can help you, as well.