

# **16<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL AVOCA SUMMER CLASSIC**

## **3 on 3 Basketball Tournament**

### *In Memory of Frankie Rundell*

Frankie was a life- long resident of the Avoca area. He graduated from Avoca Central School in 1988 and was an avid basketball player, participating in the sport through his high school days. He was a member of the 1987-88 Avoca Basketball Team, which played in the semi-finals at the NYS High School Basketball Tournament in Glens Falls.

Frankie was tragically killed in an automobile accident in December 2001. In attempting to ease the pain of his loss, his friends are letting his memory live on through this basketball tournament, which is now in its 16<sup>th</sup> year. The proceeds of this event will help the children and young adults of our area achieve their goals through sports, whether it be youth leagues or high school.

Your generosity in donating or playing in this tournament is greatly appreciated. Proceeds from last years' event assisted local AAU basketball teams, sponsored a local basketball camp, local youths playing indoor soccer, a wrestling camp, and local community events. Once again a portion will be given to Frankie's kids to be used to further their education. A scholarship has been established at Avoca Central School for two graduating seniors per year.

The event will be held on Main Street in downtown Avoca on **August 5, 2017**. Check in will begin at 9:00am with games beginning at 10:00am. Bracket selection will be decided by drawing a number at the check in table on game day. Start times and court assignments for the first round will be posted by 10:00 am on game day. Teams should consist of 4 or 5 members and the cost is **\$35.00 per member**. No game day registrations will be accepted.

Age Brackets are broken down as follows:

Boys/Girls 10-12	Boys/Girls 13-14
Boys/Girls 15-16	Boys/Girls 17-18
Men/Women 19-15	Men/Women 36-50
Men/Women 50 & up	

Registration / Sponsorship forms are attached. We will only guarantee the shirt sizes if the forms and money are received by the deadline of July 22, 2017.

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT !!!!**