

St. Louis Senior Olympics

Basketball Around the World Rules

1. Contestants must use the official ball furnished by Senior Olympics.
2. The basket will be 10 feet in height.
3. Each shooter will get 5 practice shots (one from each of the 5 designated zones) and 15 official shoots (3 consecutively at each of the 5 lines on the floor).
4. The shooter must stand behind the line that will be 12, 15 and 18 feet from the basket. At no time will the shooter be able to touch or go beyond the line.
5. Each shooter will get only one chance to shoot their shots.
6. In case of a tie, the player with the most consecutive shots will be declared the winner. If a tie still remains, the player achieving the consecutive series earlier in the 15 throws will be the winner.
7. Women and Men 70+ will shoot 2 feet closer to the basket at each spot.