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TO:	Class B, A, 2A, and 3A State Tournament Teams
FROM:	Amy J. Cassell, Assistant
SUBJECT:	2017 Fast-Pitch Softball Classes B- A-2A-3A State Tournament Brackets and information
DATE:	October 2, 2017

The 2017 Fast-Pitch Softball State Tournament brackets for Classes B-A-2A-3A are listed below. Please check dates and times carefully. Be sure to give yourself ample time to reach your assigned play-off field. It is your responsibility to have your team at the assigned site and ready to play at the assigned time.

All games will be played at Hall of Fame Stadium in Oklahoma City, 2801 NE 50th Street.

Game times and field assignments are on the State Tournament Brackets.

### Additional State Tournament Information:

- There will be parking attendants on duty on Thursday to help with parking lot flow. Should the lot reach capacity; fans will be asked to park off-site. There may be a short walk to the stadium from over flow parking.
- The gates will open at 9:30 a.m. on Thursday
- Coaches should enter the entrance gate(s) with their teams. PLEASE BE COOPERATIVE IN IDENTIFYING TEAM MEMBERS TO GATE ATTENDANTS.
- For the state tournament, each team will be limited to twenty-two (22) suited squad members. Non-suited team members will be admitted free of charge.
- The team on the top line of the tournament bracket will occupy the third base bench area, and the team on the bottom line of the tournament bracket will occupy the first base bench area. A coin toss conducted by the umpire(s) assigned to your game will determine the home and visiting team.
- > Team buses may drop athletes at the front gate, and then follow the parking lot attendants instructions to bus parking.
- During the state tournament (all classes), no warm-up on the field will be allowed. All warm-up on all fields must be behind the outfield fences.
- Fences will be set at 200' and 220' in center.
- Batting practice will be allowed in batting cages. Teams that are playing in next game will have priority in using batting cages.
- Teams may use space behind the outfield fences for warm-up throwing.
- At the Hall of Fame Stadium you may not take ice chests, glass containers, or any type of food or drink through the gate. Please inform your fans of this.
- > No tobacco will be allowed in the bench or field areas.
- VIP lounge will not be open.

# BEFORE EACH GAME, PLEASE BRING UPDATED TEAM ROSTER TO PUBLIC ADDRESS ANNOUNCER ON YOUR RESPECTIVE FIELD.

Trophies will be awarded to the championship and runner-up teams of each class. Also, twenty-two (22) team members of the championship and runner-up teams will receive individual medals.

The umpires will be assigned by the OSSAA.

The OSSAA will provide balls for the tournament.

The 2017 fast-pitch state softball tournament will consist of three sessions. Tournament play on each day will be considered a session. The cost of each session will be \$7.00 for students and \$7.00 for adults. The 2017-2018 school year OSSAA Complimentary Pass will be the only pass honored.

If weather conditions are threatening, please call Amy Cassell at (405) 840-1116 (office), (405) 990-7752.

Attention Coaches: The OSSAA is offering State Tournament participation certificates to all participants of the Fast-Pitch State Tournament. Follow the procedure outlined below: Address email to: bjohnson@ossaa.com Subject line: Fast-Pitch certificates List Names in the body of email: NO ATTACHMENTS At the end of email: Include mailing address

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## 2017 Fast-Pitch State Championship Bracket

Bracket will be updated as soon as all Regionals complete

October 5-7, 2017

**Class B** 



TICKETS \$7.00 - ADULT AND STUDENT