TO: High School Principal

FROM: Amy J. Cassell, Assistant

SUBJECT: 2019 Fast-Pitch Softball Class 4A, 5A and 6A Regional Tournament Assignments and Additional Information

DATE: October 1, 2019

NOTE: Please review all this information carefully.

Below are the 2019 regional tournament assignments for Class 4A fast-pitch softball. The winner of each regional tournament will advance to the state championship tournament. Carefully check the dates and times of your assignment. If you find conflicts, immediately contact the regional tournament manager listed on your assignment bracket and through mutual agreement, work the conflicts out. Conflicts could result from football games or other school activities. Times and dates may be changed in order to avoid conflicts. We ask your complete cooperation in this matter.

ADDITIONAL FAST-PITCH SOFTBALL REGIONAL INFORMATION

1. UMPIRES - If you wish to have input regarding umpires, call the regional tournament manager immediately. In regional tournament play, two umpires are to be used in each game. The umpires should be eligible OSSAA fast-pitch softball umpires (have paid 2019-2020 school year enrollment fee, taken, and passed the current season National Federation Softball Test.) The umpires will be paid $50 per game plus additional amount as per the travel chart. The umpires should be selected from within a reasonable driving distance of the tournament site.

2. BALLS - For each game played in a regional tournament, a team shall furnish one official top-grade fast-pitch softball with a .47 COR. Wilson 9011 optic yellow, 12-inch polycore leather softball will be used exclusively throughout the play-offs. If for some reason the official Wilson softball is not available, the coaches may agree to use another 12-inch softball. All transactions must be approved by the umpire-in-chief.

3. HOME TEAM – The home team will be determined prior to each game by a coin toss.

4. TIE BREAKER – The tie breaker IS NOT to be used during play-offs.

5. RUN RULE - The ten-run rule will be in effect throughout the play-off series. (10 after 5 innings)

6. SUITED SQUAD MEMBERS - For the OSSAA play-off fast-pitch softball tournaments, each team will be limited to twenty-two (22) suited squad members.

7. AWARDS - Plaques will be awarded to the champions of each regional tournament. Regional tournament plaques will be sent to the host school from Midwest Trophy.

8. WEATHER - If weather conditions are threatening, please call the tournament manager before you leave home.

9. SUSPENDED GAME - If darkness, rain, or other causes interfere so that a play-off tournament game is called by the umpires before it is a regulation game, or a regulation game has a tie score, the game shall be considered a suspended game. A suspended game shall continue at a later date from the point of suspension with the line-up and batting order of each team the same as they were at the time of suspension.
10. **RESULTS** - At the end of regional tournament play each day, each regional tournament manager would call in the results to the Tulsa World (1-800-944-7529) or (918) 581-8355; or to the Daily Oklahoman (1-800-375-6397), and/or any other interested newspapers.

11. **RESULTS TO OSSAA** - When the regional tournament is complete, regional winners should call the Activities Association and notify Amy Cassell (405) 840-1116, ext. 132 or e-mail (acassell@ossaa.com). It is mandatory that Regional tournament results be posted to your team page at www.ossaarankings.com within 24 hours of the completion of each contest.

12. **ADMISSION** - In all regional tournament play, the charge shall be $5.00 for adults and $5.00 for students for each session. Each day of a regional tournament will be a session. The OSSAA will provide tickets which will be sent in care of the host school’s high school principal. The OSSAA playoff pass is the only pass that will admit the holder to a play-off event. At the top it reads: “OSSAA Pass”. A driver’s license must be shown with all passes.

13. **STATE TOURNAMENT** - The 2019 Classes 4A, 5A and 6A Fast-Pitch Softball State Tournament will be played at The Ballfields at Firelake, 18160 Rangeline, Shawnee, Oklahoma on October 17, 18, and 19.

14. **2019 FAST-PITCH SOFTBALL STATE TOURNAMENT PROGRAMS** - The 2019 fast-pitch softball state tournament program information should include a 300 dpi picture and a roster. Please email that to Rod Coulter at programs@vype.com. There is no charge to be included in the program. Please submit your program picture and roster by Wednesday, October 9.

If you have any questions, please call. Best of luck to participating teams.

**GAME OFFICIAL MILEAGE:**

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Site: Newcastle

Date: October 10th – 11th

Class: 4A

Manager: High School Principal

Admission: Students $5.00
            Adults, $5.00

NOTE: Regional Tournament Managers should notify the Activities Association of their tournament winners as soon as
      The tournament is complete. Office phone (405) 840-1116 or after hours call Amy Cassell at (405) 359-1073
      or e-mail (acassell@ossaa.com)
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(405) 840-1116  FAX  (405) 840-9559

2019 Regional Tournament
Fast-Pitch Softball
Regional 2
(Winner Only Advances)

Site: Lone Grove
Date: October 10th – 11th
Class: 4A
Manager: High School Principal

Admission: Students $5.00
            Adults, $5.00

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Site: Tuttle
Date: October 9th – 10th
Class: 4A
Manager: High School Principal

Admission: Students $5.00
Adults, $5.00

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Site: Purcell
Date: October 10th – 11th
Class: 4A
Manager: High School Principal

Admission: Students $5.00
Adults, $5.00

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2019 Regional Tournament
Fast-Pitch Softball
Regional 5
(Winner Only Advances)

Site: Muldrow
Date: October 10th – 11th
Class: 4A
Manager: High School Principal

Admission: Students $5.00
Adults, $5.00

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2019 Regional Tournament
Fast-Pitch Softball
Regional 6
(Winner Only Advances)

Site:  Hilldale
Date:  October 10th – 11th
Class:  4A
Manager:  High School Principal

Admission:  Students $5.00
            Adults,  $5.00

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Site: Oologah-Talala

Date: October 10th – 11th

Class: 4A

Manager: High School Principal

Admission: Students $5.00
Adults, $5.00

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2019 Regional Tournament
Fast-Pitch Softball
Regional 8
(Winner Only Advances)

Site: Skiatook
Date: October 10th – 11th
Class: 4A
Manager: High School Principal

Admission: Students $5.00
Adults, $5.00

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