



# OKLAHOMA SECONDARY SCHOOL ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATION

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TO: Academic Coach  
FROM: Todd Goolsby, Assistant Director  
RE: Academic Bowl - Area Assignment  
DATE: November 23, 2021

Congratulations to your academic team for advancing to the 2022 Area Academic Bowl Tournament! Enclosed you will find the tournament bracket. The area tournament will be held on Saturday, January 15, 2022, for all classes.

## I. GENERAL INFORMATION FOR ALL SCHOOLS

- A. Teams in Classes 4A, 3A, 2A, and A were seeded on the area tournament bracket based on their finishing place in the regional tournaments. Classes 6A and 5A were seeded on the area tournament bracket based on the scoring averages achieved by each team in the district seeding tournaments.
- B. Champion and runner-up teams will advance to the state tournament from each area tournament.
- C. Each school participating in the area tournament will provide a timer or a scorekeeper to work the tournament. If your school attends the tournament without a trained student or adult volunteer, the team will forfeit that round.
- D. A first-place plaque will be awarded to the area champion.
- E. Refer to the 2021-2022 OSSAA Academic Bowl Competition manual for further information.
- F. If your team advances to the state tournament, please email a copy of your roster and a 300 dpi photograph to [Rod.coulter@vype.com](mailto:Rod.coulter@vype.com) no later than Friday, January 21, 2022.
- G. The State Academic Bowl Tournament will be held on Saturday, February 5, 2022, at Rose State College in Midwest City.

## II. GENERAL INFORMATION - HOST SCHOOLS

- A. It is the responsibility of the area tournament site manager to employ chief judges and moderators. They, as well as the site manager, will be paid \$50.00 for the tournament by the OSSAA.
- B. Questions will be shipped via FEDEX on Monday, January 10, 2022. DO NOT open questions until the day of the tournament.
- C. **Please email [kdouglas@ossaa.com](mailto:kdouglas@ossaa.com) the result sheet and score sheets immediately after the competition.** Mail the area results, team records, and questions to the OSSAA office by Tuesday, January 18, 2022. Have your judges, moderators, and site managers address the enclosed envelopes and return along with the claim form for payment.

**NOTE: If the tournament manager changes the time schedule from what is shown on the bracket, he or she must have written confirmation from all schools involved concerning the time change.**

## ROOM SET-UP AND CHECK LIST

The rounds are labeled 1A, 1B, 1C and 1D. A, B, C, and D indicate a different room.

All "A" rounds will be played in room \_\_\_\_\_.

All "B" rounds will be played in room \_\_\_\_\_.

All "C" rounds will be played in room \_\_\_\_\_.

All "D" rounds will be played in room \_\_\_\_\_.

Competition Room \_\_\_\_\_

Moderator \_\_\_\_\_

Chief Judge \_\_\_\_\_

Buzzer system from \_\_\_\_\_  
(School)

\_\_\_\_\_ Score sheets - one for each round

\_\_\_\_\_ Paper - one per student per round (\_\_\_\_ rounds X 8)

\_\_\_\_\_ Pencils - one per student (8) plus 3 officials

\_\_\_\_\_ Masking tape - to secure name tags

\_\_\_\_\_ Copy of bracket and time schedule for officials

\_\_\_\_\_ Sign for each room, "Do Not Enter, Game in Progress"

DUPLICATE CHECK LIST FOR EACH ROOM

# SPORTSMANSHIP

The OSSAA's vision for sportsmanship is built on expectations. Expectations that the school community—administrators, teachers, coaches, students, and patrons strive for displaying only positive behavior and good sportsmanship in everything they do at all interscholastic contests.

As educators we have the unique opportunity to teach the value of discipline, dignity, integrity, fairness and respect to young people each day.

We encourage all school personnel to take advantage of the opportunity and make a lasting difference.



## **What about bad weather?**

**Postponing the tournament will be made much easier if a plan is made in advance!!!**

1. Have the tournament later in the day, after the roads have cleared.
2. Have the tournament on Sunday afternoon.  
Begin at 1:30 p.m. or 2:00 p.m.
3. Have the tournament on Monday afternoon, beginning no earlier than 1:00 p.m.
4. Set up a phone relay in case the tournament must be postponed. Communicate with the schools and officials beforehand.
5. Postpone ONLY if it is absolutely, positively necessary!!!!

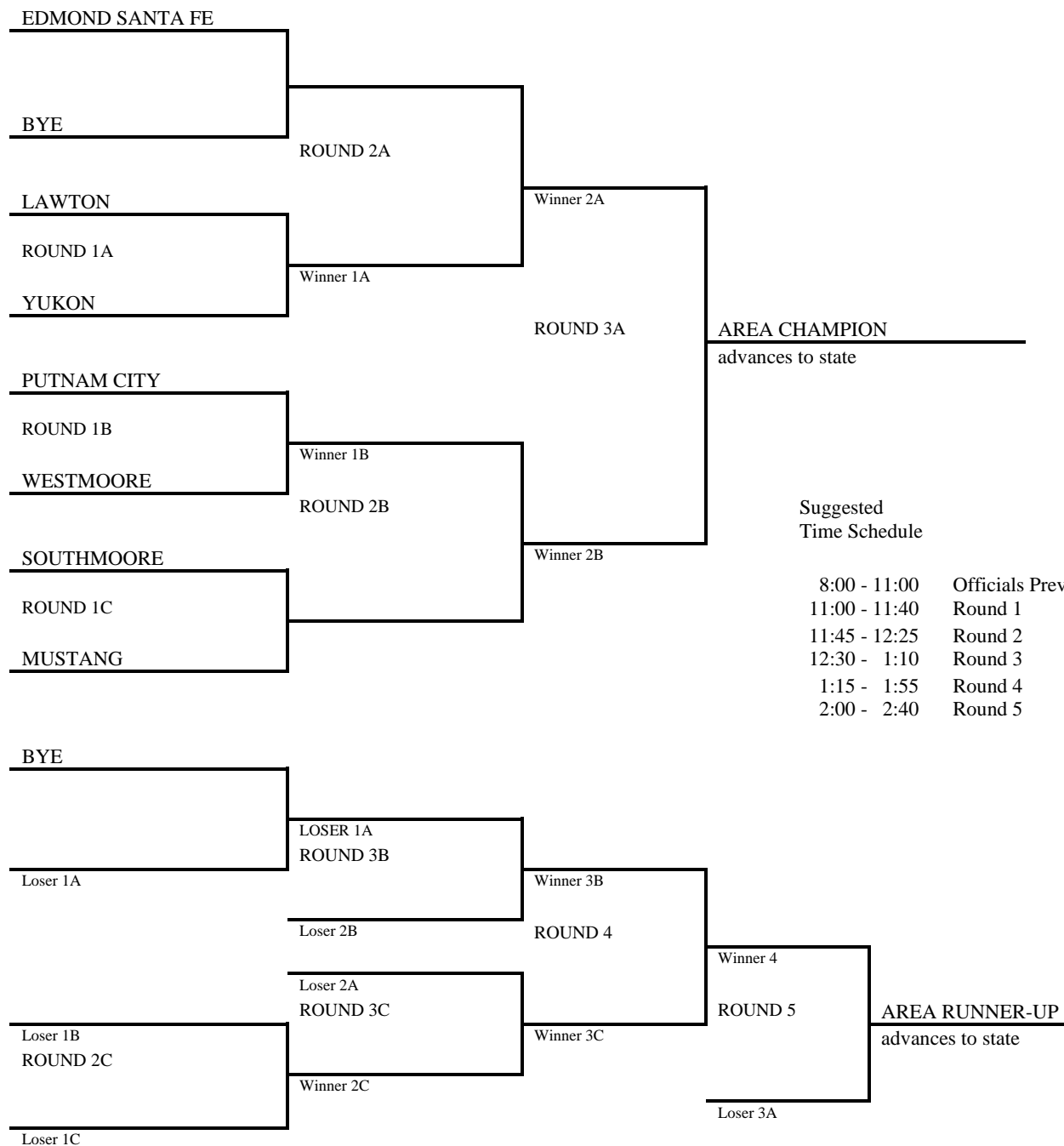


## **ACADEMIC BOWL COVID-19 RECOMMENDATIONS**

The situation surrounding COVID-19 is fluid and adjustments may need to be made. Coaches, participants and spectators should adhere to local school facility guidelines and restrictions. Communication is important. Please share with visiting teams those expectations or considerations in place for your facility. If participants have not been fully vaccinated, we encourage the wearing of mask while inside member facilities.

**AREA ACADEMIC BOWL  
JANUARY 15, 2022  
CLASS 6A**

**AREA I  
AT LAWTON  
MANAGER STEPHANIE HILLIARY – [stephanie.hilliary@lawtonps.org](mailto:stephanie.hilliary@lawtonps.org)**

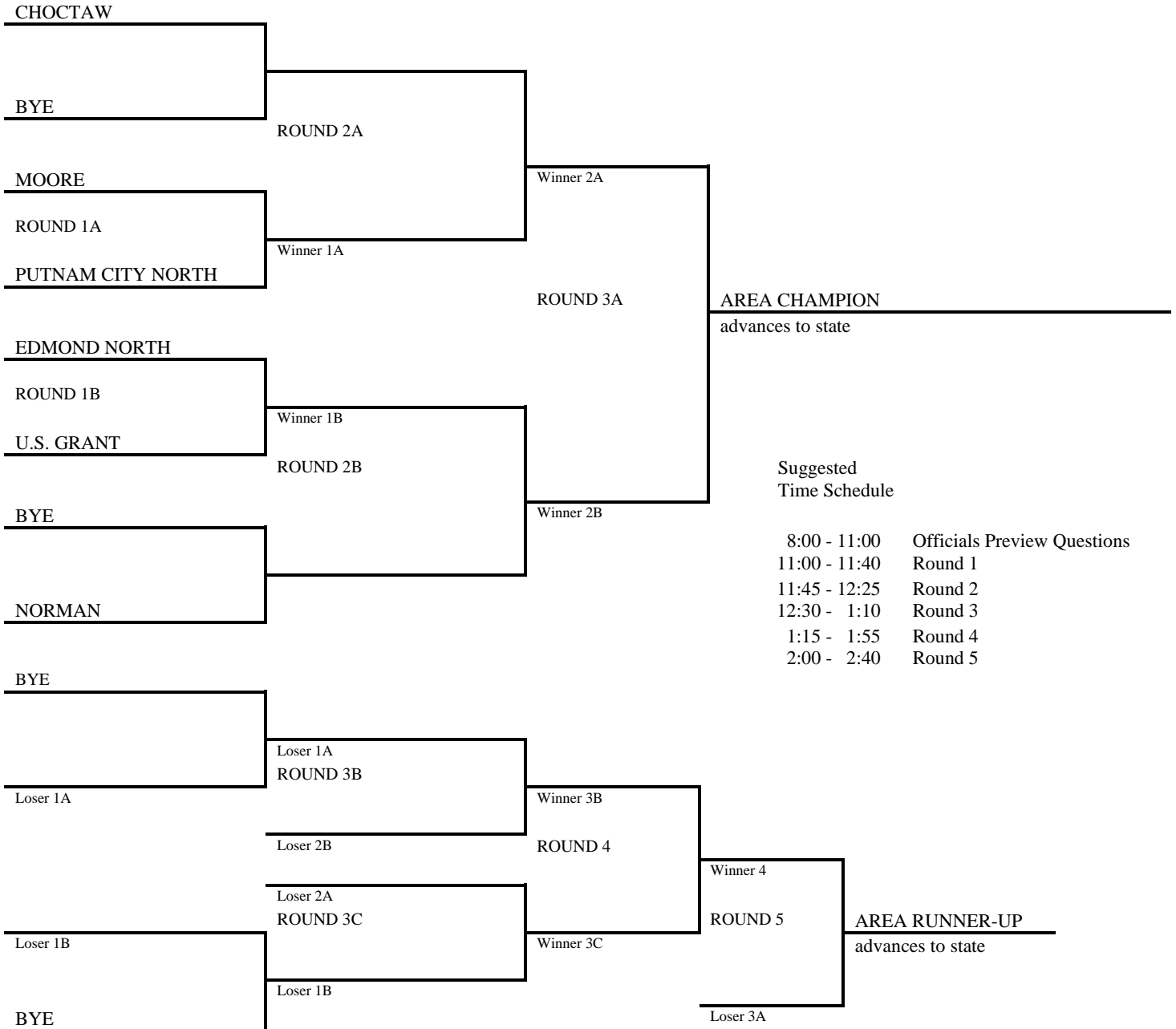


**Suggested  
Time Schedule**

8:00 - 11:00	Officials Preview Questions
11:00 - 11:40	Round 1
11:45 - 12:25	Round 2
12:30 - 1:10	Round 3
1:15 - 1:55	Round 4
2:00 - 2:40	Round 5

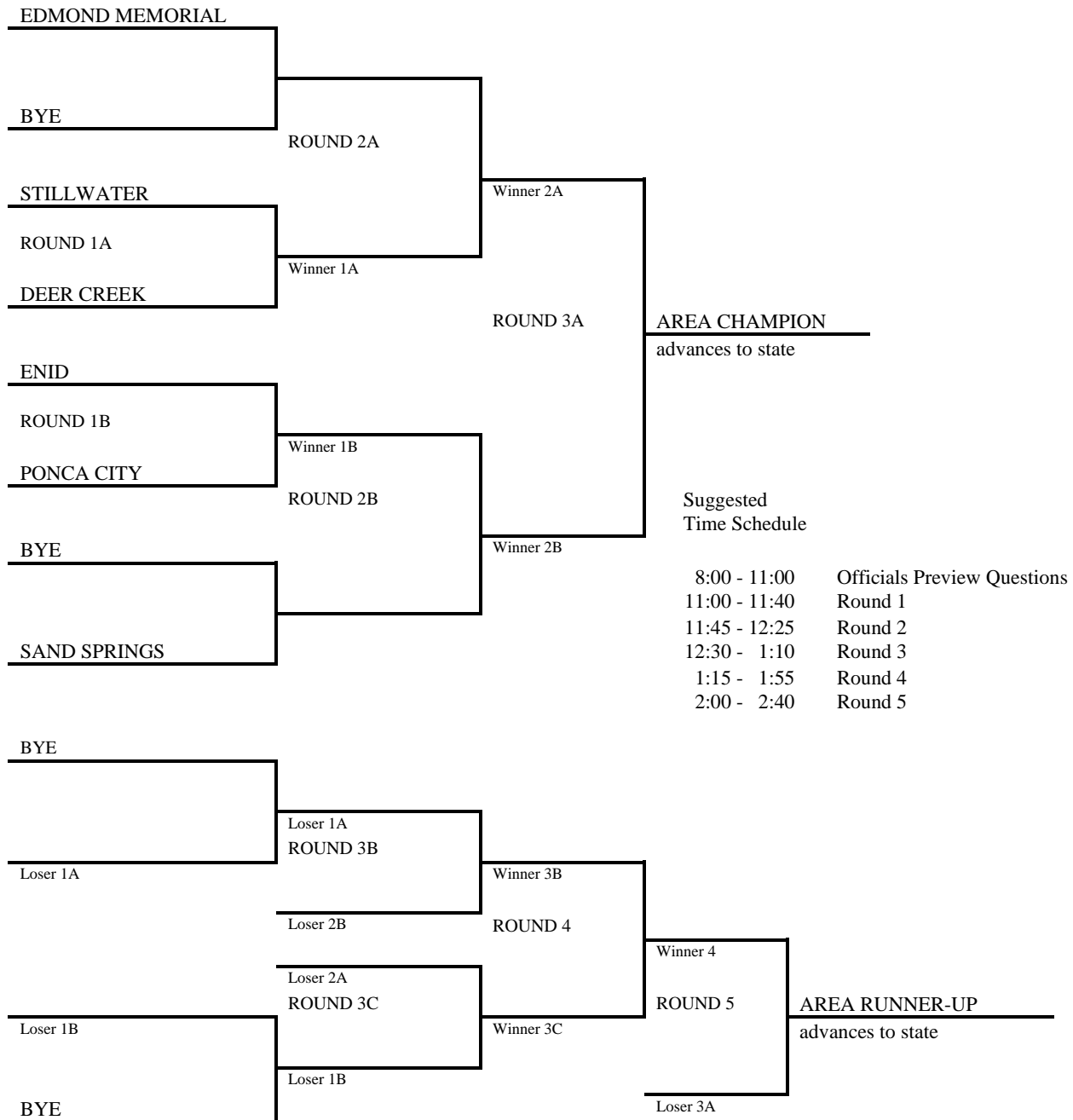
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CLASS 6A**

**AREA II**  
**AT NORMAN**  
**MANAGER DAVID POWELL – dpowell@norman.k12.ok.us**



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JANUARY 15, 2022  
CLASS 6A**

**AREA III  
AT STILLWATER  
MANAGER MATT NANCE – [jnance@stillwaterschools.com](mailto:jnance@stillwaterschools.com)**





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JANUARY 15, 2022  
CLASS 6A**

**AREA IV**  
**AT JENKS**  
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