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**TO:** Principals/Volleyball Coaches **FROM:** Todd Goolsby, Assistant

**RE:** 2021 Class 4A Regional Volleyball Tournament

**DATE:** September 28, 2021

1. The host site for each regional tournament will be the first school listed in each regional.

2. The regional tournament must be completed by Saturday, October 9, 2021.

- 3. The regional tournament chairman will be the principal or his/her designated representative of the first school listed in each regional. It is his/her responsibility to contact the other playing schools and by mutual agreement determine the date and time of the regional tournament.
- 4. The regional tournament chairman should schedule a regional tournament meeting no earlier than October 1 and no later than October 4. **This meeting may be conducted by telephone**.

In a four-team regional tournament, the regional tournament chairman shall draw the bracket:

In Class 4A Regionals, the top teams will be paired in the proper numerical sequence (1-16, 2-15, 3-14.etc).

The remaining teams will be seeded based on the following criteria:

- a. Head-to-head competition
- b. Common opponents
- c. Composite record
- 5. Select the date and plan in general for the tournament.
- 6. Teams will play each other in a three out of five single elimination match.
- 7. Games shall be played to 25 points, must win by two, with <u>no</u> cap. The fifth and deciding game shall be played to 15 points, must win by two, with <u>no</u> cap.
- 8. Teams assigned to a Regional should call the Regional host (athletic director, principal, or volleyball coach) immediately and give them your team's won-lost record and a telephone number or e-mail address where you can be reached. This will help expedite the bracketing of the Regional tournament.
- 9. During the prematch conference, a coin toss shall be conducted by the referee to determine who the home team is. **Host sites need to instruct the officials of this procedure since they will not receive this information.** State tournament will follow the same guidelines.
- 10. Tickets will <u>not</u> be sent for regional tournaments; however, the host school should charge admission to defray expenses concerning officials which the tournament chairman shall employ (admission is \$7 adults and students). **Two officials shall be selected from the list of eligible officials.** A list can be obtained on the OSSAA website (<a href="www.ossaa.com">www.ossaa.com</a>) under the Officials tab. The officials shall be paid \$50.00 per match, plus expenses as per the "OSSAA Travel Chart" for the driver only. Officials shall be selected from within a reasonable driving distance of the tournament site.

## ROUND TRIP TRAVEL

MILES CLAIMED	AMOUNT PAID
0 – 600 miles	\$0.35/mile
over 600 miles	\$0.25/mile
above scale is round trip	

11. PLEASE SEND OR FAX (405-840-9559) A COPY OF THE REGIONAL TOURNAMENT BRACKET WITH EACH TEAM'S WON-LOST RECORD TO THE OSSAA IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE REGIONAL MEETING.

- 12. Teams winning regionals are to notify Todd Goolsby at the Activities Association office (405-840-1116) or by email tgoolsby@ossaa.com no later than 8:30 a.m. on Monday, October 11. Please give record of wins and losses. Also, email to Rod Coulter at programs@vype.com A.S.A.P., team roster and respective uniform numbers, classification, coaches' names, athletic director, superintendent, principal, and school mascot. The roster information is needed for the state championship program.
- 13. The State Tournament for Class 3A will be played at Choctaw High School on Friday, October 15 and at Shawnee High School on Saturday, October 16. The State Tournament for Class 4A will be played at Shawnee High School on Friday, October 15 and at Shawnee High School on Saturday, October 16. State Tournament admission shall be \$10.00 for adults and students, tickets will be available online only through GoFan.
- 14. Teams are limited to fifteen players suiting up at the regional and state tournament. (Please include essential personnel only)

## 15. NOISE MAKERS

For indoor activities: Boom boxes or any type of devise that plays music, sounds, or voices, and noise makers of any kind such as air horns, cow bells, etc. will not be allowed to function/operate. This will also apply to pre-game/contest and post-game contest activities. This rule applies to both regular and post-season games/contest.

For outdoor activities: Noise makers are allowed at outdoor activities unless they interrupt the normal game/contest procedure of announcers, bands, cheer squads, drill teams or any other game/contest related activities. The game officials have the authority to stop the use of any noisemakers or disruptions that interrupt the normal game/contest procedures. This rule applies to both regular and post-season games or contests.

- 16. Only the following people shall be permitted on the floor during team warm-ups and on the bench during the regional and state tournament: coaches under contract by their school, fifteen uniformed players, and a maximum of three other school approved personnel.
- 17. The official vendor for OSSAA Championship Souvenirs Kukulski Brothers will be selling t-shirts and souvenirs at all State Championship venues. A variety of products will be available, including t-shirts, long sleeves, hoodies, caps, sweatpants, shorts, etc. Kukulski Brothers will also be offering on-site customizing with school names and numbers, etc. Team discounts are available and you can place your order in advance by calling Dan Kukulski at 602-769-0180 or Kukulski Brothers at 888-921-1975.
- 19. It would be appreciated if at the end of the regional tournament play, each regional tournament chairman call in the results to the Tulsa World (918-581-8355), the Daily Oklahoman (405-475-3313), and any other interested newspapers.
- 20. THE HOST SITE SHALL PROVIDE A LIBERO TRACKER.

## **VOLLEYBALL CLASS 4A REGIONAL PAIRINGS**

First team listed is the host school. Team that is underlined is #1 seed.

- 1. Regent Prep #1, Dewey #16, Locust Grove, Central (Tulsa)
- 2. <u>Victory Christian #2</u>, Christian Heritage #15, Seminole, Douglass
- 3. Verdigris #3, Skiatook #14, Wagoner, Daniel Webster
- 4. <u>Lincoln Christian #4</u>, Oklahoma Christian School #13, Blanchard, Harding Charter Prep
- 5. Holland Hall #5, Oklahoma Bible #12, Weatherford, Chickasha
- 6. <u>Inola #6</u>, Heritage Hall #11, Oologah-Talala, Berryhill
- 7. Catoosa #7, Bethany #9, John Marshall, McClain
- 8. North Rock Creek #8, Cache #9, Tuttle, Tecumseh