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Boys Basketball
Manual for Schools



ILLINOIS HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

### **BOYS BASKETBALL SCHOOL MANUAL**

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2015-16 Boys Basketball Series Terms and Conditions

In accordance with Section 1.450 of the IHSA Constitution, the Board of Directors has approved the Terms and Conditions governing the 2015-16 IHSA Class 1A, 2A, 3A, and 4A Boys Basketball Tournament Series.

### I. SCHOOL CLASSIFICATION

Competition in the IHSA Boys Basketball Tournament Series will be determined on an enrollment basis.

- **A.** The classification of a school shall be determined on the basis of its total student enrollment figure reported to the Illinois State Board of Education in its Fall Housing Report on September 30 of the preceding school year.
- **B.** For classification purposes, the total student enrollments for one-year high schools, two-year high schools, three-year high schools and high schools which enroll boys only or girls only shall be calculated as follows:
- 1. For one-year high schools, the total student enrollment figure reported shall be quadrupled.
- 2. For two-year high schools, the total student enrollment figure reported shall be doubled.
- 3. For three-year high schools, onethird of the total student enrollment figure shall be added to the total student enrollment figure reported.
- 4. For schools which enroll boys only or girls only, the total student enrollment figure reported shall be doubled.
- **C.** A multiplier of 1.65 will be added to all non-boundary schools.
- **D.** Schools participating in sports and activities operating under the four-class system shall be classified as follows:
- 1. Schools with enrollments of 275 and below will be Class 1A.
- 2. Schools with enrollments of 275.01-551.00 will be Class 2A.
- 3. Schools with enrollments of 551.01-1378 will be Class 3A.
- 4. Schools with enrollments of 1378.01-above will be Class 4A.

### II. DATES AND SITES

Class 1A and 2A: In each class, games at 32 Regional sites shall be held February 22-26, and the games at 8 Sectionals sites shall be held March 1, March 2, and March 4. The 4 Super-Sectional games shall be played on

March 8 and the semifinal and final games of the State Final on March 11-12.

Class 3A and 4A: In each class, games at 32 Regional sites shall be held February 29, March 1, March 2, and March 4 and the games at 8 Sectionals sites shall be held March 8, March 9 and March 11. The 4 Super-Sectional games shall be played on Tuesday, March 15, and the semifinal and final games of the State Final on March 18-19.

State Final Tournament games shall be played at Carver Arena, Peoria Civic Center.

The IHSA Office has selected all tournament sites.

## III. ON-LINE ENTRIES, WITHDRAWAL PROCEDURES, ELIGIBILITY, AFFIR-MATIVE ACTION

The policy for Original Entry Deadlines, Late Entries, and Late Withdrawals shall be the policies and procedures regarding entry for all IHSA-sponsored sport/activities included in the **2015-16** Entry **Polices and Procedures**.

#### A. On-line Entries

All member schools must enter their school into the state series competition through the IHSA School Center on the IHSA Website at www.ihsa.org. The deadline for entry is November 1. The 2015-16 Entry Policies and Procedures outlining the online entry procedures for all IHSA-sponsored tournaments can be found in the Schools Center on the IHSA website.

### B. Late Entries:

Any attempt to enter a sport or activity online after the established deadlines will be denied. Schools that wish to enter after the deadline will be considered late. To be considered for late entry, the Principal/Official Representative must contact the IHSA administrative officer in charge of that sport or activity. The penalty for late entry shall be a payment of \$100.00 for that sport/activity by the school.

### C. Breach of Contract By-Law 6.041 (Withdrawal Procedure)

To withdraw without penalty, the Principal must notify the IHSA Office, in writing, of the school's withdrawal from the respective sport prior to the seeding meeting date and/or the date the *List of Participants* is due for that sport

If a school withdraws after the seeding meeting date/List of Participants due date but before the first competition, the school will be charged a \$100 penalty and, if applicable, the

cost of game officials and the host school guarantee provided for in the Terms & Conditions.

If a school does not officially withdraw prior to the first competition and/or does not show up for competition, the school will be charged a \$100 penalty, the cost of game officials and the host school guarantee according to the Terms & Conditions for the respective sport.

### D. Eligibility

All member schools in good standing may enter one team under the provisions of IHSA By-law 3.054.

#### E. Affirmative Action

Only Boys shall be permitted to participate in the state series except as provided in the IHSA Affirmative Action Policy.

### IV. HOST FINANCIAL ARRANGEMENTS

### A. At Member School Sites:

- The host school must charge admission and will be eligible to receive funding as listed below, plus the cost of game officials.
- 2) In Class 1A & 2A Regional games the host school shall pay for all local expenses and issue checks to game officials. Each host school shall receive a flat guarantee fee of \$2,000.00 and shall be reimbursed the cost of the game officials (3 officials) included in Item XI. The host shall retain 20% of the net income and submit remainder to the IHSA. In case of a negative balance, the host shall be reimbursed for the entire deficit. In Class 3A & 4A Regional games, the host school shall pay for all local expenses and issue checks to game officials. Each host school shall receive a flat guarantee fee of \$2,000.00 and shall be reimbursed the cost of the game officials (3 officials) included in Item XI. The host shall retain 20% of the net income and submit the remainder to the IHSA. In case of a negative balance, the host shall be reimbursed for the entire deficit.
- 3) In Sectional and Super-Sectional games the host school shall pay for all local expenses and issue checks to game officials. Each host school shall receive a guarantee of \$770.00 for each night of competition and shall be reimbursed the cost of the game officials (3 officials) included in Item XI. The host shall retain 20% of the net income and submit the remainder to the IHSA. The IHSA will issue reimbursement checks to the participating schools for their team transportation expense.

#### B. Sites Other Than Member Schools:

1. When Sectional and Super-Sectional tournaments are held at sites other than IHSA member schools, the IHSA administrator in charge will determine the financial arrangements with the host using current financial arrangements as guidelines.

#### C. Admission Prices:

 The following ticket prices have been set by the IHSA Board of Directors. "In Advance" or "At the Door" admission shall be as follows:

> Regional \$4.00 Sectionals \$5.00 Super-Sectional\* \$8.00

\*At venues hosting two super-sectional games on the same evening, the ticket price shall be \$10.

#### D. State Final Admission Prices:

Tickets for the Class 1A, 2A, 3A, and 4A Boys Basketball State Final Tournaments at Carver Arena, Peoria Civic Center will be priced according to seat location. Location of seats set aside for followers of the teams advancing to the state final tournament(s) will be modified to reflect the ticketing arrangement. The price of tickets for seats will be at three levels. Season ticket packages will be made available for advance purchase first to IHSA member schools and then to the general public.

### E. Rights Fees for TV and Radio:

- Television Rights Fees to be charged by Local Managers and/or the IHSA are contained in the IHSA Television Policy.
- 2) Radio Fees which shall be charged are:
- a) Regional Contest = No Charge
  - b) Sectional Contest = No
- c) Super-Sectional Contest = \$50 (Regular)

Charge

- d) State Final = \$150 (Regular)
- Policy regarding media requirements for each Local Manager is contained in these Terms and Conditions.

### V. TOURNAMENT ASSIGNMENTS AND SEEDING MEETINGS

- A. Class 1A and Class 2A: In class 1A and 2A, all state tournament series will begin in Regionals with initial seeding done by sub-sectionals. Each sub-sectional will contain 2 regional sites. Seeding for the tournament series will be done by sub-sectionals. Each sub-sectional will be seeded with the #1 and #4 assigned to one regional and #2 and #3 assigned to the other regional. The remaining teams will be assigned by geography.
- B. Class 3A and 4A: All state tournament series will begin with a sectional complex

except where excessive travel is a factor. This is determined by the IHSA administration. Where this occurs the tournament series will begin with sub-sectionals. Each sub-sectional will contain 2 regional sites. Seeding for the tournament series will be done by sub-sectionals. Each sub-sectional will be seeded with the #1 and #4 assigned to one regional and #2 and #3 assigned to the other regional. The remaining teams will be assigned by geography.

- C. Tournament Series: The successive tournament series shall be designated respectively as regional, sectional, super-sectional and state final. The IHSA Office will select all regional, sectional and super-sectional host sites. All schools including the Chicago Public Schools entered in the state series will be assigned to a sub-sectional or sectional complex based upon geography.
- D. Class 1A/2A Seeding Meetings: All seeding meetings shall be conducted on-line through the IHSA Schools Center. Seeding will only occur at the regional level. Schools that complete the *Season Summary Form* by the established deadline of 10 a.m. on Wednesday, February 10, 2016 will have from 12 p.m. on Wednesday, February 10, 2016, until 12 p.m. on Thursday, February 11, 2016, to go on-line and cast one (1) seeding vote for their respective regional.
- E. Class 3A/4A Seeding Meetings: All seeding meetings shall be conducted on-line through the IHSA Schools Center. Seeding will occur at the regional or sectional complex level, depending on each school's first level tournament assignment. Schools that complete the Season Summary Form by the established deadline of 10 a.m. on Wednesday, February 17, 2016, will have from 12 p.m. on Wednesday, February 17, 2016, until 12 p.m. on Thursday, February 18, 2016, to go on-line and cast one (1) seeding vote for their respective regional or sectional complex.
- F. Season Summary Sheet: Schools entered into the Class 1A, 2A, 3A, and 4A state series will be required to submit a Season Summary Sheet on-line in the IHSA Schools Center. Class 1A and 2A schools will have until 10 a.m. on Wednesday, February 10, 2016, and Class 3A and 4A schools will have until 10 a.m. on Wednesday, February, 17, 2016, to complete this on-line form. Failure to do so by the designated time and date will result in a school forfeiting its opportunity to participate in the seeding process. The Season Summary Form can be found in the IHSA Schools Center.
- **G. Seeding Meeting:** Each school who completes the *Season Summary Form* by the established deadline shall have one (1) vote in the seeding process. No school shall vote for their own team. Seeding will occur at the

regional or sectional complex level, depending on each school's first level tournament assignment. For Class 3A and 4A sectional complexes, the high and low seeds will be dropped for each school in determining their seed.

- H. Sectional Pairings for Geographic Regionals: The sectional tournament bracket for those sectionals involving teams from geographic regionals will be based on the luck of the draw.
- I. State Series Pairings: The Class 1A and 2A pairings will be made by the IHSA and posted on the IHSA web site no later than Friday, February 12, 2016. The Class 3A and 4A pairings will be made by the IHSA and posted on the IHSA web site no later than Friday, February 19, 2016.

### VI. TOURNAMENT STRUCTURE AND TIME SCHEDULES

#### A. Names:

The successive series shall be designated respectively, Regional, Sectional, Super-Sectional and State Final.

#### B. Time Schedules:

### 1) Single-Game Session Time Schedule

- 6:40 p.m. (Approx.) -- Start 15-minute pregame warm-up on scoreboard clock
- 6:55 p.m. (Approx.) -- When 15-minute pregame warm-up clock strikes 0:00, National Anthem
- 6:57-7:00 p.m. (Approx.) -- At conclusion of National Anthem, introduction of players and coaches
- 7:00 p.m. (Approx.) -- Tournament Game Tipoff

### 2) Two-Game Session Time Schedule

- 5:40 p.m. (Approx.) -- Start 15-minute pregame warm-up for 1st game on scoreboard clock
- 5:55 p.m. (Approx.) -- When 15-minute pregame warm-up clock strikes 0:00, National Anthem
- 5:57-6:00 p.m. (Approx.) -- At conclusion of National Anthem, introduction of players and coaches
- 6:00 p.m. (Approx.) -- 1st Game Tip-off
- 7:00 p.m. (Approx.) -- 1st Game concludes
- 7:00-7:05 (Approx.) -- 5-minute break between games
- 7:05-7:20 p.m. (Approx.) -- Start 15-minute pre-game warm-up for 2nd game on scoreboard clock
- 7:20 p.m. (Approx.) -- When 15-minute pregame warm-up clock strikes 0:00, National Anthem
- 7:23-7:26 p.m. (Approx.) Introduction of players and coaches
- 7:27 p.m. (Approx.) Tournament Game Tipoff

### 3) Super-Sectionals:

- 6:40 p.m. (Approx.) -- Start 15-minute pregame warm-up on scoreboard clock
- 6:55 p.m. (Approx.) -- When 15-minute pregame warm-up clock strikes 0:00, National Anthem
- 6:57-7:00 p.m. (Approx.) -- At conclusion of National Anthem, introduction of players and coaches
- 7:00 p.m. (Approx.) -- Tournament Game Tipoff

#### 4) State Final Tournaments

### Class 1A & 2A Friday, March 11, 2016

(Semifinal Games)

### Afternoon Session (Class 1A semifinals)

Game 1-12:00 p.m.

Game 2—1:45 p.m. (Approx.)

### **Evening Session (Class 2A semifinals)**

Game 3-6:30 p.m.

Game 4—8:15 p.m. (Approx.)

### Saturday, March 12, 2016 Class 1A finals session

Game 5—12:00 p.m.—Loser Game 1 vs. Loser Game 2 (Third place)

Game 6—1:45 p.m. (Approx.)—Winner Game 1 vs. Winner Game 2 (Class 1A Championship)

#### Class 2A finals session

Game 7—6:30 p.m.—Loser Game 3 vs. Loser Game 4 (Third Place)

Game 8—8:15 p.m.—Winner Game 3 vs. Winner Game 4 (Class 2A Championship)

### Class 3A & 4A Friday, March 18, 2016

(Semifinal Games)

### Afternoon Session (Class 3A semifinals)

Game 1—12:00 p.m.

Game 2—1:45 p.m. (Approx.)

### **Evening Session (Class 4A semifinals)**

Game 3—6:30 p.m.

Game 4—8:15 p.m. (Approx.)

### Saturday, March 19, 2016 Class 3A finals session

Game 5—12:00 p.m.—Loser Game 1 vs. Loser Game 2 (Third Place)

Game 6—1:45 p.m. (Approx.)—Winner Game 1 vs. Winner Game 2 (Class 3A Championship)

### Class 4A finals session

Game 7--6:30 p.m.--Loser Game 3 vs. Loser Game 4 (Third Place)

Game 8--8:15 p.m.--Winner Game 3 vs. Winner Game 4 (Class 4A Championship)

### C. Sessions:

### 1) Class 1A, 2A, 3A, and 4A Regional Tournaments:

a) Class 1A & 2A

1) After the opening night has been determined, no team will be required to play on three successive nights.

2) The two semifinal games shall be played on the same night or as single games on succeeding nights.

### b) Class 3A & 4A

1) Regional quarterfinal games will be played on Monday.

2) The upper bracket Regional semifinal games will be played on Tuesday and the lower bracket semifinal games will be played on Wednesday.

3.)Regional managers may wish to play two (2) games on one (1) night. If a manager wishes to utilize this option, it is preferred that the two (2) games be played on Tuesday night. This is permissible if, in the opinion of the local manager, seating facilities are adequate to accommodate the spectators in two sessions. Prior to scheduling, the local manager must request permission from the IHSA office.

**2)** The Regional championship games will be played on Friday night.

### Class 1A, 2A, 3A, and 4A Sectional Tournaments:

- a) Sectionals will begin on Tuesday night, with single semi-final games being played on Tuesday and Wednesday nights.
- b) Sectional managers may wish to play two (2) games on one (1) night. If a manager wishes to utilize this option, the two (2) games must be played on Tuesday night. This is permissible if, in the opinion of the local manager, seating facilities are adequate to accommodate the spectators in two sessions. Prior to scheduling, the local manager must request permission from the IHSA office.
- c) The championship game will be played on Friday night.

### 4) Class 1A, 2A, 3A, and 4A <u>Super-</u>Sectionals:

 a) Class 1A & 2A Super-Sectional games will be played on Tuesday, March 8, 2016. Class 3A & 4A Super-Sectional games will be played on Tuesday, March 15, 2016.

Note: Every session in the Class 1A, 2A, 3A, & 4A tournament series shall begin with the National Anthem.

### D. Playing Schedules:

No local manager is authorized to change the order of games as determined by the system adopted and announced by the IHSA Office. Games must be played as listed from top to bottom on the official schedule unless otherwise specifically indicated or a change is approved by the Executive Director.

### VII. ADVANCEMENT OF WINNERS

A. Class 1A-4A: The winners of the thirty-two (32) regional tournaments shall advance to eight (8) sectional tournaments consisting of four teams each. The winners of the eight (8) sectional tournaments shall advance to four (4) super-sectional matches consisting of two

teams each. The winners of the four (4) super-sectional tournaments shall advance to the state final tournament.

### VIII. TOURNAMENT RULES

#### A. Tournament Officials

- 1. Officials for all tournaments will be assigned through the IHSA Office.
- 2. In all tournaments, the decisions of the officials shall be final. The Board of Directors will not review decisions of officials, whether alleged errors are due to faulty judgment or misinterpretation of the rules.

(**Note:** Detailed information regarding assignment of officials will be posted on the IHSA Schools Center to all schools that are hosting a tournament approximately one week in advance of the tournament's start.)

### **B.** Squad Designation:

It is recommended that team rosters be forwarded to the host school. It is not required to designate a roster of 15 players.

#### C. Players in Team Uniform:

In each of the tournament games, a participating school shall not have more than fifteen (15) eligible participants in uniform. This includes the warm-up for each game and at half-time.

#### D. Uniforms:

In order to avoid possible confusion, each participating school should have two sets of shirts of different colors for its team. One set should be white and the other a dark color. All uniforms must conform to the requirements given in Rule 3-4 of the National Federation Basketball Rules.

- 1) The teams listed on the top line of the single-game playing bracket shall wear white uniforms and will be considered the home team. The team listed on the bottom line shall wear dark uniforms and will be considered the visiting team. In the Super-Sectional games, the two teams will be listed according to the Sectional centers from which each has advanced.
- 2) Responsibility of Official Scorer and Head Coaches--The Official Scorer must secure from the head coach of each team in each game of the tournament series the head coach's signature in the official scorebook just prior to the start of each game, thus confirming that the official scorebook is correct regarding players' numbers.

### E. Unsportsmanlike Conduct:

Managers and officials have instructions to disqualify any player or coach guilty of profane or indecent language or of gross unsportsmanlike conduct.

IHSA By-Law 2.040 gives the Board of Directors complete authority to penalize a school or individual(s) for any unsportsmanlike

conduct on the part of the principal, the coach, players or any member of the faculty or Board of Education, or any other official representative of any participating school. This authority will definitely be exercised by the Board of Directors.

#### F. Balls:

The Wilson Evolution WTB0516 ball shall be used in the State Tournament games. Balls for the tournament series are being provided by the Wilson and only Wilson balls may be used.

### G. Rules of Play:

The Official Basketball Rules as published by the National Federation of State High School Associations are adopted as official for the tournament series.

- 1) In all tournament games, the local tournament manager shall determine the team benches prior to the team warm-up period. Pre-game practice and the first-half basket for each team shall be the one further from its assigned bench.
- 2) At the State Final Tournament, team benches will be assigned prior to the warm up period for each game.
- 3) If for any reason gymnasiums or other conditions seem to make any rule modifications desirable, the local manager must communicate with the IHSA Office before announcing such modification. Interpretations and modifications of existing rules as outlined in the various state-sponsored meetings shall be rigidly adhered to.
- 4) In all tournament games, the referee shall sign the official scorebook at the conclusion of the game at either the scorer's bench or in the officials' locker room. If in the officials' locker room, the signing must be done in the presence of the host manager or his/her designee and the official scorer.
- 5) In order to maintain the integrity of the playing surface and protect competitors, local managers of all tournament contests must create a safe zone along each baseline that will be devoid of any persons (such as cheerleaders or media personnel) or other obstructions. This safe area will extend three (3) feet from the baseline towards the facility's back wall, stage, or bleachers.

### H. State Final Game Time-outs:

For all televised games during the State Finals, three (3) 60-second time-outs and two (2) 30-second time-outs may be charged to each team during a regulation game. Each team is entitled to one additional 60-second time-out during each extra period. Unused time-outs may accumulate and may be used at any time.

#### IX. TOURNAMENT POLICIES

#### A. Presale Tickets:

- Host schools must provide presale tickets to schools competing in Regional finals, Sectional semifinals and finals, and Super Sectionals (if hosted by a member school), if requested to do so by a competing team.
- Competing teams are responsible for all of the presale tickets they are given. All unsold tickets must be returned to the host at least three (3) hours prior to game time.

Regional final: Requests for presale tickets at the Regional finals must be made by Monday, February 22 for Class 1A & 2A and Monday, February 29 for Class 3A & 4A.

Sectional semifinals and finals: Requests for presale tickets at the Sectional semifinals and finals must be made to the Sectional Manager by Friday, February 26, 2016 for Class 1A & 2A and Friday, March 4, 2016, for Class 3A & 4A.

3) See the ticket distribution plan for Super-Sectional information.

### B. All-Star Teams:

No officers of the tournament, game officials or anyone serving under the supervision of the Illinois High School Association may cooperate in any way in the selection of an all-star tournament team.

### C. Consolation Games:

In the Regional and Sectional tournaments, consolation games will not be permitted to determine third place winners.

### D. State Final Passes:

For the State Final Tournament games, each Super-Sectional winner will receive:

- 1) a maximum of twenty-two (22) passes for its players and other team personnel
- 2) twelve (12) passes for cheerleaders and one (1) for mascot upon request by member school in advance of the State Finals.
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- 4) one (1) state final event pass to properly licensed medical personnel for each team participating in the state final. The pass would be available for either a licensed (i.e., certified) athletic trainer or team physician. This individual must be listed on the school's State Final Program Information.

### E. Bands:

Schools hosting an IHSA State Series Basketball Tournament may invite their high school pep band to perform during the tournament. However, it should be noted that the host school band is performing as the official band of the tournament and must remain neutral at all times. Failure to comply with this provision

shall cause the band to be excluded from the remainder of the tournament.

Members of the pep band may be given free admission to the tournament. No band or performing groups other than the one from the host school shall be allowed to perform at the tournament.

#### F. Artificial Noisemakers:

All artificial noise-making devices shall be excluded from the gymnasium. The use of band instruments shall be limited as explained in "E" above. Refer to National Federation Rules Book Rule 1, Section 18.

Tournament managers should not permit spectators to bring megaphones into the gymnasium for cheering purposes. Cheerleaders may use megaphones for cheering purposes.

### G. Signs and Banners:

The display of signs, banners, placards or similar items at IHSA state series events is permitted, provided:

- 1) they are in good taste and reflect good sportsmanship in their message and use;
- they reflect identification and encouragement to participants and their school/community;
- they are not displayed on the field of play or in a manner which interferes with play;
- 4) they do not obstruct the view of participants or spectators; and
  - 5) they are not safety hazards.

### H. Cheerleader/Mascot:

A maximum of twelve (12) cheerleaders and one (1) mascot in costume may be on the floor at any state series contest.

### I. Damage to Property and Equipment:

If contestants or people from any school entered in a state series are found guilty of carelessness or maliciously breaking, damaging or destroying property or equipment belonging to the host school, such school shall be held responsible for costs incurred in replacing or repairing such property or equipment.

### J. Practice Sessions:

- 1) In the Regional, Sectional and Super-Sectional Tournaments, the host school shall not make its gymnasium available to the visiting team for practice sessions. When a part of the state series is played at a facility other than a member school's facility, none of the teams entered, including a hosting member school, shall be permitted to practice at the facility during the time of the state series.
- 2) However, schools competing in the State Finals will be permitted one (1) thirtyminute (30) practice session at Carver Arena as scheduled by the IHSA.
- 3) In the Regional, Sectional, Super-Sectional and State Final Tournaments, fifteen

(15) uninterrupted clock minutes shall be provided for pre-game warm-up. Players may not be on the floor for warm-up prior to the designated time. Floor officials must be on the floor when the pre-game warm-up period begins.

### K. Media Requirements:

### 1) Provide Space:

Space shall be set aside to provide for news media representatives covering the state series whether they are from newspapers, radio stations, commercial television stations and/or cable television stations.

### 2) Radio and TV Originators:

- It is the responsibility of the Local Manager to accept applications, approve requests to originate, collect proper rights fees payment (where required) and make cancellation refunds for television and/or radio play-by-play originations, according to the IHSA Television and/or IHSA Radio Broadcast Policy.
- a) Television Rights Fees for all levels of competition below the State Final level shall be paid to the host school and shall become part of the revenue to be shared by the member school(s) and the Association according to the financial terms stipulated in these Terms and Conditions.
- b) Radio Broadcast Rights Fees are not required for any level of competition in this series (except State Final). Local Managers shall permit radio play-by-play originations of the competition.
- c) Television and/or Radio Stations which do not apply in advance, or which do not pay required rights fees prior to the start of competition in each respective level in this state series, shall not be given credentials nor allowed access to the facility to originate. Sponsors of the originations for television and radio shall be only those so stipulated in the respective IHSA Television and Broadcast policies.

#### 3) Administrative Detail:

Reporting information to the news media and/or the IHSA Office, as stipulated in instructions to Local Managers, shall be the responsibility of each Local Manager and is required.

### L. Videotaping by Schools or Spectators:

Videotaping will be allowed provided the local manager has a comparable area for both competing schools to videotape. When one school requests the video space, then the local manager shall provide similar space to both competing schools. Non competing schools and spectators will be allowed to videotape games from the stands, provided they do not obstruct the view of participants and spectators.

### M. Tobacco/Liquid Nicotine Products:

The use of tobacco or liquid nicotine products in any competition area, either during a prac-

tice or while a contest is in progress, or affiliated property of any IHSA state series contest by any coach, player, any other person connected with a team, or fan shall be prohibited. State series hosts are required to make all state series contest sites and any affiliated property, including parking lots, fan accommodation areas, and other school or event venue property, tobacco/liquid nicotine free zones on the date or dates of any IHSA event being held at the site.

#### N. Use of inhalers:

A student with asthma may possess and use his/her medication during an IHSA competition, while under the supervision of school personnel, provided the school meets the outlined procedures of self administration in the Illinois school code.

### O. Alcoholic Beverages and IHSA State Series Events:

The possession, distribution, sale and/or consumption of alcoholic beverages are prohibited at the site and on any affiliated property of any IHSA state series contest. State series hosts are required to make all state series contest sites and any affiliated property, including parking lots, fan accommodation areas, and other school or event venue property, alcohol free zones on the date or dates of any IHSA event being held at the site. Violation of this policy by an event host will subject the host to a penalty for violation of IHSA By-law 2.020. Such penalty may include, but not necessarily be limited to, prohibition against subsequent event hosting assignments. Violation of this policy by a non-hosting member school will subject the school to penalty for violation of IHSA By-law 2.020. Patrons of any IHSA state series contest determined to be in violation of this policy will be removed from the premise, and law enforcement officials will be called as warranted. No ticket refunds will be granted in such cases.

P. Prayer at IHSA State Series Contests: Prayer at an IHSA state series contest that takes place over the public address system is prohibited.

### Q. State Final Team Reimbursements:

1) In the State Final Tournament, the teams participating in the tournament shall be allowed transportation expenses at the rate of \$5.00 per mile per team for the first 50 miles, and \$3.00 per mile per team for each mile beyond 50 miles to and from the site where the tournament will be played. In addition, each school will receive a reimbursement to cover some the costs incurred by schools at the State Final. The IHSA will reserve a block of rooms for teams competing at the state finals for their use if they so choose. Any expenses or costs associated or charged to the rooms will be at each school's expense.

Round Trip
Mileage to Flat Rate
State Final Site Reimbursement
0-150 miles \$2,500.00
151-300 miles \$3,600.00

- 301-over miles \$4,400.00

  2) Neither the State Association nor the tournament management will assume responsibility for unusual or extraordinary expenses. Individual schools entering the tournaments must be ready themselves to assume responsibility for unusual expenses due to accident, inclement weather, fire, theft or any other extraordinary cause.
- 3) The tournament management does not guarantee any portion of team expenses except as specified above. The payment of the above schedule of expenses is contingent upon adequate receipts in any individual tournament. Participating schools should be sure to take to the tournament adequate funds to meet all team expenses. Expense allowances cannot be paid to the schools until after the Executive Director has approved them.

#### X. AWARDS

- **A. Regional:** A plaque will be awarded to the winner in each Regional
- **B. Sectional**: A plaque will be awarded to the winner in each Sectional
- **C. Super-Sectional:** A plaque will be awarded to the winner in each Super-Sectional.

### D. State Final:

- 1. A trophy will be awarded to teams finishing first, second, third and fourth places in the State Final Tournament.
- 2. A total of twenty-two (22) medallions will be presented to the schools of the first four placing teams at the State Final Tournament. In addition, the superintendent, principal, the athletic director and a certified athletic trainer or team physician, provided one is listed on the school's State Final Program Information, will be presented with a medallion. No other trophies or awards of any kind may be presented in the tournament series. Only twenty-two (22) team/school representatives, the superintendent, principal, the athletic director and certified athletic trainer or team physician, may participate in the awards presentation.

These awards will be furnished by the State Association and are not an expense charge upon the individual tournament.

### XI. OFFICIALS

### A. Appointment and Fees:

1. Regional tournaments: Three (3) officials will be assigned to each tournament game. In tournament sessions where two (2) games are scheduled, the IHSA Office may assign an official more than one (1) game per session. Each official shall receive a fee of \$67.50 per game.

- 2. Sectional tournaments: Three (3) officials will be assigned to each tournament game. In tournament sessions where two (2) games are scheduled, the IHSA Office may assign an official more than one (1) game per session. Each official shall receive a fee of \$84.00 per game.
- 3. Super-Sectional games: Three (3) officials will be assigned to each tournament game. In tournament sessions where two (2) games are scheduled, the IHSA Office may assign an official more than one (1) game per session. Each official shall be allowed a fee of \$114.00 per game.
- 4. State Final Tournament: Each appointed official should receive a fee of \$150.00 per game plus up to three (3) nights lodging at a hotel designated by the IHSA Administrator and thirty cents (\$.30) per mile for each mile over 70 miles for one round trip. The Head Official will be paid \$125.00 per day and up to three (3) nights lodging at a hotel designated by the IHSA Administrator.

#### B. Mileage Reimbursement Policy

In the state series, to assist officials for out-of-pocket expenses, a voucher system will be used to compensate officials when they drive in excess of 70 miles round trip per contest. Payment will be made through the IHSA Office, after completion of the tournament series, at a rate of thirty cents (\$.30) per mile for all mileage in excess of 70 miles round trip. No compensation will be permitted for trips of less than 70 miles round trip.



#### I. CONTESTANT CLASSIFICATION

Each participant will compete in the Class 1A, 2A, 3A or Class 4A competition correlated to the classification of the contestant's school in the state tournament series as stipulated in the Basketball State Tournament Series Terms and Conditions.

### II. NAMES, DATES AND SITES

#### A. Names:

 The Three-Point Shooting Contest shall be named the Country Financial Three-Point Showdown.

#### B. Dates and Sites:

- 1) Qualifying rounds for Three-Point Shooting Contest will be conducted prior to the Regional and Sectional Championship games in the Boys state series.
- 2) The Class 1A and 2A Regional Championship shall be held February 26 and the Sectional Championship March 4.
- 3) The Class 3A and 4A Regional Championship shall be held March 4 and the Sectional Championship March 11.

### C. COUNTRY Financial Three-Point shooting at Carver Arena, Peoria Civic Center Class 1A and 2A

- 1) March 10 COUNTRY Financial Three-Point Shooting Preliminaries on Thursday at Carver Arena, Peoria Civic Center at 5:00 p.m.
- 2) March 11 Class 1A COUNTRY Financial Three-Point Shooting Finals on Friday at Carver Arena, Peoria Civic Center between Semifinal Games at approximately 1:45 p.m. (warm-up on Center Court of March Madness Experience Exhibit Hall from 1:15 p.m.-1:30 p.m.).
- 3) March 11 Class 2A Three-Point Shooting Finals in the COUNTRY Financial Three-Point Shooting Contest on Friday at Carver Arena, Peoria Civic Center between Semifinal Games at approximately 8:00 p.m. (warm-up on Center Court of March Madness Experience Exhibit Hall from 7:30-7:45 p.m.).
- 4) March 19 COUNTRY Financial Three-Point Shooting King of the Hill matching Class 1A, Class 2A, Class 3A and Class 4A winners on Saturday at Carver Arena, Peoria Civic Center at approximately 1:45 p.m.

### Class 3A and 4A

1) March 17 - COUNTRY Financial Three-Point Shooting Preliminaries on Thursday at Carver Arena, Peoria Civic Center at 5:00 p.m.

### 2015-16 Boys COUNTRY Financial Three-Point Showdown Terms and Conditions

- 2) March 18 Class 3A COUNTRY Financial Three-Point Finals on Friday at Carver Arena, Peoria Civic Center between Semifinal Games at approximately 1:45 p.m. (warm-up on Center Court of March Madness Experience Exhibit Hall from 1:15 p.m.-1:30 p.m.).
- 3) March 18— Class 4A COUNTRY Financial Finals on Friday at Carver Arena, Peoria Civic Center between Semifinal Games at approximately 8:00 p.m. (warm-up on Center Court of March Madness Experience Exhibit Hall from 7:30-7:45 p.m.).
- 4) March 19 COUNTRY Financial Three-Point Shooting King of the Hill matching Class 1A, Class 2A, Class 3A and Class 4A winners on Saturday at Carver Arena, Peoria Civic Center at approximately 1:45 p.m.

### III. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRIES

### A. General Eligibility:

- Only boys at IHSA member schools who have dressed for and occupied the team bench for a boys' varsity basketball game are eligible to participate in the Three-Point Shooting Competition.
- 2) To enter the skills competition, a boy must be eligible under all the eligibility rules and conditions of competition of the Illinois High School Association.
- All players on all teams (including those participating in the current year's State Final Tournament) may compete in the Three-Point Shooting Contest.
- 4) There shall be no substitutes or alternates in the Three-Point Shooting Contest.

### B. Entries

- 1) Each team entered in the boys' state basketball tournament series (Class 1A, 2A, 3A and Class 4A) may select and enter up to four (4) shooters.
- 2) The names of the four (4) shooters must be submitted on the IHSA Three-Point Entry Form to the Local Manager no later than 24 hours prior to the start of the shooting competition that begins at 5:30 p.m. on the Regional Championship night.
- 3) There shall be no substitution of any shooters in any round after the four (4) shooters have been designated by each school and participate in the Three-Point Shooting Contest at the Regional Championship.

### IV. FINANCIAL ARRANGEMENTS

#### A. Regional/Sectional

- Each participant will be responsible for his own expenses at the regional and sectional levels of the Three-Point Shooting Contest, except:
- 2) Access To Facility: Regional and Sectional tournament managers shall allow each shooter, on the night each shooter is scheduled to participate, the opportunity to be accompanied by up to four (4) persons to watch the shooter in the Three-Point competition. Each shooter's group will be admitted to the facility at no charge only for the time of the actual Three-Point competition. Once the competition is concluded, the shooter's group will be required to leave the facility.
- a) Shooter's group will be admitted at the pass gate and seated in the facility by game management. Once the competition is completed, the shooter's group will be escorted from the facility by game management. (Refer to the Three-Point supplement for suggested seating options.)

#### B. State Final

Each participant will be responsible for his own expenses at Carver Arena, Peoria Civic Center, except:

- 1) Each qualifier will be provided one (1) pass for access to Carver Arena to the respective 2016 Class 1A, 2A, 3A or 4A Boys Basketball State Final Basketball Tournament. (The pass provides for standing room only seating.)
- a) The four (4) qualifiers from the Thursday preliminaries for each of the Class 1A, 2A, 3A and 4A finals in the Three-Point Shooting Contest shall be provided with two (2) additional passes for access to Carver Arena. (The pass provides for standing room only seating.)
- b) Each of the qualifiers for the finals in the Three-Point Shooting Contest shall have the option to purchase two (2) additional session tickets.
- 2) The four (4) qualifiers from the Thursday preliminaries for Class 1A, 2A, 3A and 4A in the Three-Point Shooting Contest scheduled for Friday will have rooms for their respective state final provided by IHSA for Thursday. These rooms shall be issued only to an adult who is accompanying the qualifier, and who shall be responsible for the room, and who shall provide a major credit card when registering.

3) The Class 1A, 2A, 3A and 4A Three-Point Shooting King of the Hill Qualifiers will have a room provided by IHSA for Friday (March 20) of the Class 3A and 4A State Final. These rooms will be issued only to an adult who is accompanying the qualifier, and who shall be responsible for the room.

### V. CONTEST STRUCTURE AND TIME SCHEDULES

- A. Each regional tournament host school and each sectional tournament host school is required to conduct the Three-Point Shooting Contest according to these Terms and Conditions.
- **B.** Competition in the Three-Point Shooting Contest will be conducted at 5:30 p.m. on the night of the Regional Championship and at 5:30 p.m. the night of the Sectional Championship in the respective (Class 1A, 2A, 3A and 4A) boys' state tournament series.

### C. Regional and Sectional Time Schedule:

5:30 p.m.- All contestants draw numbers for their shooting order and group.

Ex. 7 teams in a regional each entering 4 shooters=28 total shooters.

Each shooter will draw a number out of hat 1-28. Shooters will be placed in groups of 8, the last group of shooters will not be a full group of 8. (Ex. Group #1-Shooters 1-8, Group #2-Shooters 9-16, Group #3 Shooters 17-24, Group #4 25-28).

5:35p.m. — Begin 3 minute warm-up for Group #1 Three-Point Shooters scheduled to compete on scoreboard clock. After 3 minutes when clock reaches 0:00, horn sounds, warm-up concludes.

5:38-5:46 p.m. (Approx.)—Three-Point Shooting Competition Group #1. All shooters will shoot at the same basket. (Shooters 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8).

5:47-5:50 p.m. (Approx.)—Begin 3 minute warm-up for Group #2 Three-Point Shooters scheduled to compete on the score-board clock. After 3 minutes when clock reaches 0:00, horn sounds, warm-up concludes.

5:51-5:59 p.m. (Approx.)—Three-Point Shooting Competition Group #2. All shooters will shoot at the same basket. (Shooters 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16).

6:00-6:03 p.m. (Approx.)—Begin 3 minute warm-up for Group #3 Three-Point Shooters scheduled to compete on the score-board clock. After 3 minutes when clock reaches 0:00, horn sounds, warm-up concludes

6:04-6:12 p.m. (Approx.)—Three-Point Shooting Competition Group #3. All shooters will shoot at the same basket. (Shooters 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24).

6:13-6:16 p.m. (Approx.)—Begin 3 minute warm-up from Group #4 Three-Point Shooters scheduled to compete on scoreboard clock. After 3 minutes when clock reaches 0:00, horn sounds, warm-up concludes.

6:17-6:21 p.m. (Approx.)— Three-Point Shooting Competition Group #4. All shooters will shoot at the same basket. (Shooters 25, 26, 27, 28). The top 4 overall shooters from the Regional Championship will advance to the correlated Sectional site regardless of what Group each shooter was in. The top 4 overall shooters from the Sectional Championship will advance to the State Final prelims.

6:25-6:35 p.m. (Approx.) – Three-Point Shooting awards and announcements.

6:35-6:40 p.m. (Approx.) — 5 minute break for coaches of shooters and competing teams to meet in dressing room for pre-game instructions.

6:40-6:55 p.m.(Approx.) — Start 15 minute pre-game warm up

6:57-7:00 p.m. (Approx.) — At conclusion of National Anthem, introduction of players and coaches.

7:00 p.m. (Approx.) — Game Tip-off.

### VI. ADVANCEMENT OF WINNERS

### A. Three-Point Shooting — Class 1A, 2A, 3A and 4A

#### Regionals

- All regional level competition shall be at the site of the host school for the tournament.
- 2) All shooters from a Regional site will enter the Three-Point Shooting Competition for the first time the night of the Regional Championship game, regardless if their team advances to the Regional Championship.
- 3) Shooting shall be conducted prior to the Regional Championship and advancement of the top four shooters from the Regional will advance to the correlated Sectional site and will shoot at 5:30 p.m. prior to the Sectional Championship game.

#### **Sectionals**

- All sectional level competition shall be at the site of the host school of the Sectional tournament.
- 2) All shooting shall be conducted prior to the Sectional Championship at 5:30 p.m. The top (4) overall shooters will advance to the COUNTRY Financial Preliminaries at Carver Arena, Peoria Civic Center.

### VII. CONTEST RULES

### A. Three-Point Shooting Contest:

 Each team entered in the boys' state tournament series may select and enter up to four (4) shooters. Only those shooters selected to compete in the competition the first time in the boys' state tournament series shall be eligible to compete and advance in the three-point competition. Shooters will compete individually in the competition and their participation in the competition is independent from the advancement of the shooter's team in the boys' state tournament series. There shall be no alternates.

- 2) The scoreboard and scoreboard clock shall be used as each shooter competes. The clock shall be set at 45 seconds and run down, while shots made shall be recorded.
- 3) All shooters will shoot at the same basket in each round. The local manager shall determine the basket to be used.
- 4) Begin each shooter's timing with the scoreboard horn and end each shooter's timing with the scoreboard horn.

### 5) Shooting Order:

- a) Regionals: There shall be a blind draw for shooting order conducted immediately at 5:30 p.m. prior to the Regional Championship Game. Any competitor(s) who is/are not in attendance for the draw will have a shooting number drawn for them by the contest manager. If a competitor(s) is/are not in attendance or ready to shoot when his/her turn is up, the competitor will be disqualified. Any competitor(s) who fail to show up on the night of the Regional Championship will not be allowed an alternative day or time to qualify. Competitors who show up late will not be given any additional warm-up time.
- b) Sectionals: There shall be a blind draw for shooting order conducted immediately at 5:30 p.m. prior the start of the Sectional Championship. Any competitor(s) who is/are not in attendance for the draw will have a shooting number drawn for them by the contest manager. If a competitor(s) is/are not in attendance or ready to shoot when his/her turn is up, the competitor will be disqualified. Any competitor(s) who fail to show up on the night of the Sectional Championship will not be allowed an alternative day or time to qualify. Competitors who show up late will not be given any additional warm-up time.
- c) State Final: The IHSA shall blind draw the shooting order for the respective preliminaries on Thursday once all the entries have been received. The order will be announced prior to the date of the preliminaries. Shooting order for each round after the preliminaries shall be in reverse (fewest made to most made) order of qualifying score.
- 6) A warm-up period of three (3) minutes will be provided before the start of each round of competition and one (1) minute warm-up period before each tiebreaker at the regional and sectional. By mutual agreement of the shooters competing in a tiebreaker, the warm-up period may be shortened or eliminated.
- 7) Each shooter will shoot one round consisting of three racks of five (5) balls (a total of 15 balls).

8) Beginning with Rack 1, shooters will compete in a round and rotate through the 3 racks as follows:

Rack 1 = right side of free throw line extended

Rack 2 = top of circle

Rack 3 = left side of free throw line extended

- a) Wherein possible, three different ball racks should be used. If three ball racks are not available, there should be at least two ball racks, with the ball rack used for position No. 1 moved to position No. 3 immediately after the shooter completes use of ball rack No. 1.
- b) It is the responsibility of the shooter to lift each ball from each rack. If the shooter requests, or if the ball rack being used cannot hold five balls, the first ball in a rack may be given to the shooter by a bench official.
- 9) Each made basket is worth one (1) point in the round.
- 10) There will be a time limit of forty-five (45) seconds per shooter each regular round. There will be a time limit of thirty (30) seconds per shooter each tiebreaker round. In the event a ball becomes lodged in the basket support during a contestant's shooting round, the clock shall be stopped, the ball removed, and then the clock will be restarted, allowing the shooter to complete his/her round.
- 11) Shooters with most points advance to next level of competition. Shooters advance in correlated bracket order from the Regional Championship to the Sectional Championship of the Boys basketball tournament series games regardless of the shooter's team advancement in the Boys basketball tournament series.

- 12) In the event two (2) or more shooters tie in points for the last advancing position(s), the tie will be broken with additional round(s). Ball will be shot from spot(s) in sequence as is outlined below.
- 13) Tiebreaker: This procedure will be used only to break a tie for advancement. (For example, if four shooters make 12 shots and the four others make 10, there will be no tiebreaker. If one shooter makes 12, another shooter 11, and three or more make the next equal amount, the tiebreaker shall be used to determine the two (remaining) advancing shooters. If the tie is not broken, shooters will repeat the tiebreaker procedure until the tie is broken. Each shooter will shoot two racks of five (5) balls (a total of 10 balls) on the following basis:

Rack 4 = right corner Rack 5 = left corner

### C. Uniforms:

- 1) All participants shall wear their official school team uniform, which shall be uniform jersey and shorts. Uniform color shall be at the discretion of the participant.
- 2) Shooters who appear at the competition not in school uniform shall be disqualified from the shooting contest.

#### D. Balls:

 The Wilson Evolution WTB0516 basketball shall be used in the Three-Point Shooting Competition at the State Final.

#### VIII. CONTEST POLICIES

All IHSA Boys Basketball Tournament Series policies will be enforced during both contests.

### IX. CONTEST AWARDS

- **A.** King of the Hill Champion: Awards will be presented to winner of the overall competition between the respective Class 1A, 2A, 3A and 4A winner in the Three-Point Shooting Contest.
- **B.** Winners of the competition between the respective Class 1A, 2A, 3A and 4A Three-Point Shooting Contest will receive an award and advance to the King of the Hill competition.
- **C.** Class 1A, 2A, 3A and 4A: Awards will be presented to the three finalists in the Three-Point Shooting Contest who do not advance to the King of the Hill competition.
- D. Awards at the regional and sectional level may be presented if secured by the local manager and/or in conjunction with the local COUNTRY Financial agent.

### X. OFFICIALS

#### A. Three-Point Shooting:

- Each host school will be responsible for appointing bench officials to officiate/administer the shooting. It is recommended that none of these be one of the game floor officials.
- 2) Bench Officials for the COUNTRY Financial Three Point Showdown shall be appointed by IHSA in conjunction with the Illinois Coaches Association (ICA) and the Illinois Basketball Coaches Association (IBCA).

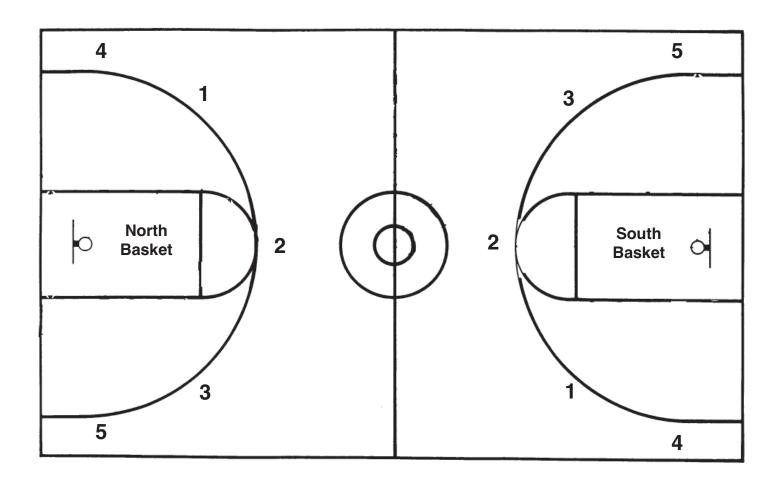
### **Three-Point Shooting Positions**

### **Prelims**

1A & 3A — north basket 2A & 4A — south basket

### **Class Finals**

1A - 4A — south basket King of the Hill — south basket



Racks 1, 2, 3 will be the positions used for each rack in preliminary and final round competition.

Racks 4 and 5 will only be used in case of a tie breaker.



### **Boys Basketball Information**



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To the Principal/IHSA Official Representative of Schools Entered in the 2015-16 IHSA Boys Class 1A, 2A, 3A, & 4A State Basketball Tournament Series:

<u>COACHES MEETING TO SEED TEAMS:</u> Schools entered into the Class 1A, 2A, 3A, and 4A state series will be required to submit a *Season Summary Sheet* on-line in the IHSA Schools Center. Failure to do so by the designated date and time will result in a school forfeiting its opportunity to participate in the seeding process. The *Season Summary Form* can be found in the IHSA Schools Center. Each school who completes the *Season Summary Form* by the established deadline shall have one (1) vote in the seeding process. No school shall vote for their own team. Seeding will occur at the regional or sectional complex level, depending on each school's first level tournament assignment. The highest and lowest seed will be dropped when determining seeds in 3A and 4A sectional complexes. Neither the super-sectional nor the state final shall be seeded. Once the seeds have been finalized, the IHSA will post those at ihsa.org. Managers and coaches are prohibited from releasing the results of their seeding meetings to media.

<u>TERMS AND CONDITIONS:</u> For a full statement of the specific Terms and Conditions under which your school will be participating, PLEASE READ CAREFULLY the Terms and Conditions printed in this manual.

<u>OFFICIALS ASSIGNMENTS</u>: Assignment of game officials shall be made by the IHSA based on the IHSA officials ratings system. Schools will not rate officials at the seeding meeting.

Sincerely.

Kurt J. Gibson

Associate Executive Director

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### **Entry Information**



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### **Entry Information**

The policy for Original School Entry Deadlines, Late Entries, and Late Withdrawals shall be the policies and procedures regarding entry for all IHSA-sponsored sport/activities.

#### Directions:

Login to the Schools Center using your User ID and Password. (Only administrators can access entries.) Click on the Sport & Activity Tracker icon.

Click the Entry Form link to add sports for the upcoming year. Sports Entry Deadlines are Sept. 11 (Fall), Nov. 1 (Winter) and Feb. 1 (Spring).

### **Online Rule Presentation Dates**

Officials: October 27-December 1

Coaches/Schools: October 27-December 1

Each participating school must have their head coach view and receive credit for the 2015-2016 Basketball rules interpretation video. Each participating official must view and receive credit for the 2015-2016 Basketball rules interpretation video. To receive credit, the head coach/official must view the presentation in their respective IHSA School/Officials Center. Once the deadline passes your school will be placed on probationary status if the online rules meeting presentation isn't reviewed by your coach. Schools that do not view the rules interpretation video for two consecutive years, will be placed on suspension for this sport. For probationary status to be lifted from your school you must:

Submit a \$50.00 penalty fee to the IHSA Office (Acceptable forms of payment are school checks payable to the IHSA or VISA, MasterCard, or Discover credit cards. Contact Tammy Craig or Brandi Waters to process credit card payments.) Upon receipt of payment, the Schools Center will be re-opened for your head coach to view the online presentation.

To view the Rules Video:

- 1) Go to www.ihsa.org
- 2) Click on "Schools and Officials Center login"
- 3) Enter your personal User ID and password
- 4) Click on "Sport & Activity Tracker" icon. Choose the Winter sports link.
- 5) Click on "view rules video" next to the respective sport under the Sport & Activity Tracker
- 6) View the online Rules Video to receive credit

This is a yearly requirement to compete in the IHSA State Series.

NOTICE: If you are a coach and an official, you must contact Laura Hennings at the IHSA Office. She will give you credit.

Below are options to assist you in viewing the Rules Meeting presentation once you have tried unsuccessfully.

- Try again on a different computer, preferably in a different location (home instead of school, etc.) Sometimes these files download badly. Going to a different computer/location is the easiest way to get a fresh start.
- •Go back to where you clicked on the link to start the presentation, and choose the link below to view the LITE version, which has no video content. Flash video can be an issue for some computers, and the LITE version does not contain flash.

## BOYS BASKETBALL IMPORTANT DEADLINES AND STATE SERIES DATES

### CLASS 1A & 2A SCHEDULE

Jan. 15 (Fri.)

Regional/Sectional Managers - Complete & Fax the Basketball Playing Schedules

Feb, 10 (Wed.)

Schools must complete and submit the Season Summary Form on-line by 10:00 a.m.

Feb. 10 (Wed.) View and/or Print Season Summary Forms

Feb. 11 (Thurs.) Submit Seeds On-line in IHSA Schools Center by 12:00 noon

Feb. 12 (Fri.) Class 1A & 2A Pairings Released by 4:00 p.m. Feb. 22-25 (Mon.-Thur.) Class 1A & 2A Regional Quarterfinals and Semifinals

Feb. 26 (Fri.) Class 1A & 2A Regional Finals
Mar. 1-2 (Tues.-Wed.) Class 1A & 2A Sectional Semifinals

Mar. 2 (Wed.) Class 1A & 2A Three-Point Shooting qualifiers photo & information form due to IHSA office

Mar. 4 (Fri.) Class 1A & 2A Sectional Finals

Mar. 5 (Sat.) Class 1A & 2A State Final Program Information due in IHSA office (Complete and submit on-line)

Mar. 5 (Sat.) Class 1A & 2A Program Pictures uploaded in Schools Center (See instructions in Manual)

Mar. 7 (Mon.) Class 1A & 2A deadline to withdraw from the Three-Point Shooting Competition

Mar. 8 (Tues.) Class 1A & 2A Super-Sectionals

Mar. 9 (Wed.) Class 1A & 2A Up-to-date Statistics completed and faxed to IHSA office – Due at 10:00 a.m.

Mar. 10 (Thurs.) Class 1A & 2A Country Financial 3-Point Showdown Prelims

Mar. 11 (Fri.) Class 1A & 2A State Final (Semifinal Games)

Mar. 11 (Fri.) Class 1A & 2A 3 Country Financial 3-Point Showdown Finals
Mar. 12 (Sat.) Class 1A & 2A State Final (Third Place & Championship Games)

### CLASS 3A & 4A SCHEDULE

Jan. 22 (Fri.) Sectional Managers - Complete & Fax the Basketball Playing Schedules

Feb. 17 (Wed.) Schools must complete and submit the Season Summary Form on-line by 10:00 a.m.

Feb. 17 (Wed.) View and/or Print Season Summary Forms

Feb. 18 (Thurs) Submit Seeds On-line in IHSA Schools Center by 12:00 noon

Feb. 19 (Fri.) Class 3A & 4A Pairings Released by 4:00 p.m.

Feb. 29 (Mon.)

Mar. 1-2 (Tues.-Wed.)

Mar. 4 (Fri.)

Mar. 8-9 (Tues.-Wed.)

Class 3A & 4A Regional Semifinals

Class 3A & 4A Regional Finals

Class 3A & 4A Sectional Semifinals

Mar. 10 (Wed.) Class 3A & 4A Three-Point Shooting qualifiers photo & information form due to IHSA office

Mar. 11 (Fri.) Class 3A & 4A Sectional Finals

Mar. 12 (Sat.) Class 3A & 4A State Final Program Information due in IHSA office (Complete and submit online)

Mar. 12 (Sat.) Class 3A & 4A Program Pictures uploaded in Schools Center (See instructions in Manual)

Mar. 14 (Mon.) Class 3A & 4A deadline to withdraw from the Three-Point Shooting Competition

Mar. 15 (Tues.) Class 3A & 4A Super-Sectionals

Mar. 16 (Wed.) Class 3A & 4A Up-to-date Statistics completed & faxed to IHSA office – Due at 10:00 a.m.

Mar. 17 (Thurs.) Class 3A & 4A Country Financial 3-Point Showdown Prelims
Mar. 18 (Fri.) Class 3A & 4A Country Financial 3-Point Showdown Finals

Mar. 18 (Fri.) Class 3A & 4A State Final (Semifinal Games)

Mar. 19 (Sat.)

Class 3A & 4A State Final (Third Place & Championship Games)

Mar. 19 (Sat.)

Class 3A & 4A Country Financial 3-Point Showdown King of the Hill

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# SCHOOL'S RESPONSIBILITY TO AN OFFICIAL PRIOR TO THE SEASON

- 1. Send a reminder card or email to the officials after you have them scheduled.
- **2.** Reminder should include date of contest, time, level, location and sport.

Even though many schools and conferences have assignment chairpersons, sending a reminder is highly recommended. When an official does not show, people in your community won't know who the assignment chairperson is, but they do know the athletic director. *Avoid embarrassment.* 

- 3. Have a standard wage scale set for your different sports and levels and a method in place to raise the pay periodically.
- **4.** If possible, let the working officials know who their partner(s) will be.
- 5. Hire police and security along with medical assistant or athletic trainer coverage for events whenever possible.
- **6.** Set a policy with your school board on fan, coach and player behavior.
- 7. Make sure all officials have a contract that is signed by your school—preferably by the principal or IHSA Official Representative.

# SCHOOL'S RESPONSIBILITY TO AN OFFICIAL PRIOR TO THE CONTEST

- 1. Prior to the contest, provide the officials with directions and inform them of any special activities that might be occurring (i.e., Homecoming, Senior Night, etc.)
- **2.** Give the official a number they can call in case of an emergency or postponement due to weather.
- **3.** Have competent workers assigned at all contests (scorers, announcers, chain crew, etc.). These people are of great assistance to the official during the contest.
- **4.** Have a host assigned to meet the officials as they arrive. The host should do the following for the officials:
  - **A)** Provide a reserved parking space.
  - **B)** Meet officials and take them to the dressing room.
  - **C)** Have refreshments available for halftime and postgame.
  - **D)** Ask for any additional needs.
  - E) Introduce the officials to those game workers pertinent to the contest (i.e., scorer, announcer, chain gang, etc.).
  - F) Get the proper pronunciation of officials' names so they are correct when given by the public address announcer.
- 5. Athletic director should discuss with the officials any special events, conference rules, national anthem time, etc. that would affect the game.
- **6.** Provide the officials with the name of the adult supervisor for that contest and where that person can be found in the event a challenging situation should occur.
- 7. Make officials aware of location of an athletic trainer or other first responders during the contest. Have a doctor on site when possible (especially at football contests).
- **8.** Make sure all bench personnel are properly attired.
- **9.** Do a check on game scoreboards and lighting systems prior to the game or contest.
- 10. Make sure the playing area is properly marked and meets National Federation guidelines for that contest.
- 11. Provide appropriate secured dressing area and hot water showering facilities.



# SCHOOL'S RESPONSIBILITY TO AN OFFICIAL DURING THE CONTEST

- 1. Insist coaches display good sportsmanship and are proper examples for your players and crowd.
- 2. Have your public address announcer or cheerleader read the IHSA sportsmanship statement and remain unbiased during contest.
- 3. Make sure the event supervisor understands the duties and responsibilities pertinent to that contest.
- **4.** Make sure the playing area is maintained during halftime of each contest. For wrestling, make sure the mat is properly cleaned and washed.
- 5. Help with adverse weather conditions; monitor accordingly.
- **6.** Make sure proper crowd control is visible and in place. Good administrative control can prevent difficult situations.
- 7. Observe the crowd during the contest and prevent any disturbances that may occur.
- **8.** Work with the official during the game regarding crowd control.
- **9.** Retrieve the game ball at the end of the contest.
- 10. Escort the officials back to the dressing room at halftime and at the conclusion of the contest.

# SCHOOL'S RESPONSIBILITY TO AN OFFICIAL AFTER THE CONTEST

- 1. Escort the officials safely back to the dressing room and parking lot.
- **2.** Do not allow unauthorized persons in the dressing room after the game. This includes coaches.
- **3.** Have refreshments available for the officials after the contest.
- **4.** Be sure to thank the officials for their time and effort, regardless of the outcome of the game.
- 5. Make sure arrangements for paying the officials have been completed. It is preferable to pay the official the day of contest.
- **6.** Ensure that officials are not confronted by anyone after the contest.





## Do What's Right! ➤ Sportsmanship ←

### **DWR! EXPECTATIONS**

- Represents their school and community well with positive interaction with opposing fans and players.
- Uses positive yells, chants, songs or gestures.
- Display modesty in victory and graciousness in defeat
- Respect and acknowledge the integrity/judgment of officials.
- Exhibit positive behavior with opponents and fans before, during and after the contest.

### Acceptable Behavior...

- During the National Anthem, students, participants and fans should remove any hats, face the flag, not talk, place
  the right hand on the heart, and remain still until the end of the anthem.
- Applause during introduction of players, coaches and officials.
- Players shaking hands with opponents while both sets of fans recognize player's performance with applause.
- Accept all decisions of the game officials.
- Spirit Participants lead fans in positive support.
- Handshakes between participants and coaches at the end of contests, regardless of the outcome.
- Treat competition as a game, not a war.
- Coaches/players search out opposing participants to recognize them for outstanding performance or coaching.
- Applause at the end of the contest for performance of all participants.
- Everyone showing concern for an injured player, regardless of the team.
- Encourage surrounding people to display sportsmanlike conduct.

### Unacceptable Behavior...

- Disrespectful or derogatory yells, chants, songs or gestures.
- Booing or heckling an official's decision.
- Criticizing officials in any way; displays of temper with an official's call.
- Yells that antagonize opponents.
- Refusing to shake hands or give recognition for good performances.
- Blaming the loss of the game on officials, coaches or participants.
- Laughing or name calling to distract an opponent.
- Use of profanity or displays of anger that draw attention away from the game.
- Doing own yells instead of following the lead of spirit participants.





### **IHSA Basketball Rules Adopted for 2015-16**

1. The Mercy Rule can only be used in regular season tournaments that wish to utilize it. *Regular season contests may not use the Mercy Rule under any circumstances.* For those tournaments that wish to use the Mercy Rule, tournament managers are asked to notify the participating schools and officials of their intention to use the Mercy Rule in advance of the tournament.

Tournaments shall use the following adoption for rule 5-5-3 **NOTE**:

A running clock shall be used in the fourth quarter games that have at least a 30 point differential score. Once a game reaches this differential and the clock starts running, it will continue running and stop only for one of the following:

- A team timeout
- An injury timeout or the removal of a disqualified player.
- The administration of a penalty for a technical foul
- An officials' timeout
- Correctable error situation

Please note this adoption applies only to regular season tournaments. It will not be used during the boys' or girls' state series.

- 2. The IHSA has adopted the use of a 14' coaches box for all regular and post season contests. Schools and officials are reminded that the use of the box is NOT a requirement. However, if the box is going to be used, it must be placed on the floor in accordance with rule 1-13-2. Schools and officials are also reminded that rule 10-4-4 and 10-5 clearly articulate the manner in which coaches can be off the bench within the confines of the box and the manner in which officials are to penalize the head coach or other bench personnel who violate the provisions of the coaches box rule.
- 3. Commemorative/Memorial patch: schools may wear one such patch on their jerseys provided it meets the requirements established by the NFHS. (NFHS Basketball rule 3-4-2c)

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### **Emergency Action Plan (EAP)**

In accordance with By-law 2.150, a school shall have on file for each student that participates (including practice) in interscholastic athletics a certificate of physical fitness issued by a licensed physician, physician's assistant or nurse practitioner as set forth in the Illinois State Statues not more than 395 days preceding any date of participation in any such practice, contest or activity. As this By-law addresses pre-participation certification only, there is not a guideline or By-law in place to address release to interscholastic activity following an injury, with the exception of head injury/concussion. With the understanding that schools throughout the state have different needs and services available to them, this document was produced to provide guidelines on an athlete's return to activity following an injury.

Each school should have a written Emergency Action Plan (EAP) in place to address medical emergencies among athletes, staff, officials, and spectators, regardless of severity, occurring during a practice or competition. The plan should also address sever weather, fire, electrical failure, bomb threat, criminal behavior, or other possible emergencies. This plan should be developed to address the unique needs of the individual sport and venue.

EAP's should consist of the following components:

- Personnel
- Communication
- Equipment
- Emergency Medical Care
- Player Medical Information
- Game-day Responsibilities (includes appropriate sideline preparedness)
- Catastrophic Incident Plan

While each school's sports medicine/medical service needs and availability are different, guidelines should also be developed to assist the coaching staff on what injuries should be allowed to return to competition without a medical release. It is not practical to identify every situation or injury; however the following guidelines should assist the school/coaching staff on determining if the athlete should be allowed to return to activity without a release.

- 1. No swelling or deformity.
- 2. No headache, nausea, blurred vision, tingling, numbness or sensory changes.
- 3. Symmetrical (equal to the other side) joint range on motion and strength.
- 4. Ability to bear weight, without a limp, if injury occurs to the lower body.
- 5. Ability to complete full functional sporting activities without compensation.

Please remember that the majority of high school athletes are a minor. If there is a question as to their injury and ability to participate, the parents/guardian should be consulted.

Athletes that are unable to meet the above criteria should be encouraged to seek medical treatment prior to return to interscholastic activity. Those athletes that seek medical treatment should be required to provide a written medical release indicating their ability to participate. Without obtaining this release, the school may assume legal liability if the athlete is allowed to participate in activities not permitted by their medical provider.

A proper plan establishes accountability, should be comprehensive, yet flexible, practical, and easily understood. The written EAP must be revised, approved, distributed, and should be rehearsed regularly prior to every athletic season. The athletic department, administration, and sports medicine team share the responsibility to establish, practice, and execute the EAP.

A sample venue-specific is included as a part of this document, which was developed from portions of the third and fourth editions of National Federation of State High School Associations Sports Medicine Handbook. Persons interested in purchasing this handbook can do so at the following location: http://www.nfhs.org/resources/publications/

Click to download and save typeable form: <a href="http://www.ihsa.org/documents/forms/current/Emergency\_Action\_Plan\_Form.pdf">http://www.ihsa.org/documents/forms/current/Emergency\_Action\_Plan\_Form.pdf</a>

### **Venue-Specific Action Plan**

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Open access gates

Designate individual to meet EMS at entrance

Venue	
Sport:	
Location:	
Location.	
<b>Emergency</b>	Personnel
Present:	
On-Call:	
Emergency	Equipment Location On-Site
Nearest AED:	
First Aid Kit:	
Items for proper	care of blood-borne pathogens:
Ice or chemical ic	re packs, water and towels:
Player Medical In	formation:
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### **IHSA Protocol for Implementation of NFHS Sports Playing Rule for Concussions**

"Any athlete who exhibits signs, symptoms, or behaviors consistent with a concussion (such as loss of consciousness, headache, dizziness, confusion, or balance problems) shall be immediately removed from the contest and shall not return to play until cleared by an appropriate health care professional."

The above language, which first appeared in all National Federation sports rule books for the 2010-11 school term, reflects a strengthening of rules regarding the safety of athletes suspected of having a concussion, but not a revision in primary responsibilities in these areas. Previous rules required officials to remove any athlete from play who was "unconscious or apparently unconscious." This revised language reflects an increasing focus on safety, given that the vast majority of concussions do not involve a loss of consciousness. However, the revised language does not create a duty that officials are expected to perform a medical diagnosis. The change in rule simply calls for officials to be cognizant of athletes who display signs, symptoms, or behaviors of a concussion from the lists below and remove them from play.

NOTE: The persons who should be alert for such signs, symptoms, or behaviors consistent with a concussion in an athlete include appropriate health-care professionals, coaches, officials, parents, teammates, and, if conscious, the athlete him/herself.

#### **Definition of a Concussion**

A concussion is a traumatic brain injury that interferes with normal brain function. An athlete does not have to lose consciousness (be "knocked out") to have suffered a concussion.

### Behavior or signs observed indicative of a possible concussion

- Loss of consciousness
- · Appears dazed or stunned
- Appears confused
- Forgets plays
- · Unsure of game, score, or opponent
- Moves clumsily
- · Answers questions slowly
- Shows behavior or personality changes
- · Can't recall events prior to or after the injury

### Symptoms reported by a player indicative of a possible concussion

- Headache
- Nausea
- Balance problems or dizziness
- Double or fuzzy vision
- · Sensitivity to light or noise
- Feeling sluggish
- Feeling foggy or groggy
- · Concentration or memory problems
- Confusion

This protocol is intended to provide the mechanics to follow during the course of contests/matches/events when an athlete sustains an apparent concussion. For the purposes of this policy, appropriate health care professionals are defined as: physicians licensed to practice medicine in all its branches in Illinois and certified athletic trainers.

- 1. During the pre-game conference of coaches and officials, the official shall remind the head coaches that a school-approved appropriate health care professional will need to clear for return to play any athlete removed from a contest for an apparent head injury.
- 2. The officials will have no role in determining concussion other than the obvious situation where a player is unconscious or apparently unconscious as is provided for under the previous rule. Officials will merely point out to a coach that a player is apparently injured and advise the coach that the player should be examined by the school-approved health care provider.
- 3. If it is confirmed by the school's approved health care professional that the student did not sustain a concussion, the head coach may so advise the officials during an appropriate stoppage of play and the athlete may re-enter competition pursuant to the contest rules.
- 4. Otherwise, if an athlete can not be cleared to return to play by a school-approved health care professional as defined in this protocol, that athlete may not be returned to competition that day and is then subject to the IHSA's Return to Play (RTP) Policy before the student-athlete can return to practice or competition.
- 5. Following the contest, a Special Report shall be filed by the contest official(s) with the IHSA Office through the Officials Center.
- 6. In cases where an assigned IHSA state finals event medical professional is present, his/her decision to not allow an athlete to return to competition may not be over-ruled.

Additional information regarding concussion has been made available to IHSA member schools and licensed officials and can be accessed on the IHSA Sports Medicine website at http://www.ihsa.org/Resources/SportsMedicine.aspx.

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### **Concussion Information**

### Return to Play (RTP) Policy

**Background:** With the start of the 2010-11 school term, the National Federation of State High School Associations (NFHS) implemented a new national playing rule regarding potential head injuries. The rule requires "any player who exhibits signs, symptoms, or behaviors consistent with a concussion (such as loss of consciousness, headache, dizziness, confusion, or balance problems) shall be immediately removed from the game and shall not return to play until cleared by an appropriate health care professional." In applying that rule in Illinois, it has been determined that only certified athletic trainers and physicians licensed to practice medicine in all its branches in Illinois can clear an athlete to return to play the day of a contest in which the athlete has been removed from the contest for a possible head injury.

**Policy:** In cases when an athlete is not cleared to return to play the same day as he/she is removed from a contest following a possible head injury (i.e., concussion), the athlete shall not return to play or practice until the athlete is evaluated by and receives written clearance from a licensed health care provider to return to play.

For the purposes of this policy, licensed health care providers consist of physicians licensed to practice medicine in all its branches in Illinois and certified athletic trainers working in conjunction with physicians licensed to practice medicine in all its branches in Illinois.

### **Mandatory Concussion Course for Coaches**

House Bill 5431 went into effect for the 2014-15 school year. The legislation requires ALL high school coaches and athletic directors to receive a certificate of completion every two years for an online concussion awareness and education program developed by the IHSA.

The program includes a presentation and other supplementary materials that ALL high school coaches and athletic directors need to review prior to taking a required exam over the curriculum. Individuals will be required to demonstrate proficiency on the exam by scoring at least 80% in order to serve as an athletic coach at an IHSA member school. The legislation also requires student-athletes to watch the association-developed video presentation portion of the over-all curriculum each year.

The program includes information on concussion awareness training, concussion recognition, best practices for avoiding concussions, return to play guidelines, and sub-concussive head trauma. Coaches will be able to access the program after logging into the IHSA Schools Center and clicking on the "CON" tab, which will be located under the 'Departments' heading on the Schools Center homepage.



### **Unmanned Aerial Vehicle (Drone) Policy**

### For IHSA Tournaments

### Effective February 18, 2015

The use of unmanned aerial vehicles ("UAV"), also known as drones, is prohibited for any purpose by any persons at IHSA tournament venues. Tournament management shall refuse admission or entry to anyone attempting to use a UAV; and if necessary, tournament management shall remove anyone attempting to use a UAV and/or confiscate the UAV until the event has been completed.

For purposes of this policy, a UAV is any aircraft without a human pilot aboard the device.

An exception to this policy may be made in specific cases for IHSA broadcast partners, provided the management of the tournament facility permits the presence of UAVs for broadcast purposes under the control of the IHSA.



### **Seeding Meeting Information**



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At their October 2008 meeting, the IHSA Board of Directors approved a recommendation from the IHSA Athletic Administrators Advisory Committee to implement on-line seeding in bracketed team sports effective with the winter sports season of the 2008-09 school term. The following is intended to provide an explanation of the process that coaches will follow in seeding the first level tournament assignment for their school.

Coaches are expected to take part in the seeding process with the highest standard of integrity and to ensure fairness and equity for all participants. One coach or an official representative from each school who has completed the *IHSA Season Summary Form* on-line will be allowed to vote. Schools who have not submitted the *Season Summary Form* will not vote or participate in the seeding process. (The *Season Summary Form* can be found in the Activity Tracker section of the IHSA Schools Center under the 'Required Data Forms' column for basketball.)

Coaches will not be allowed to vote for their own team. Coaches will determine their seeds based on these factors:

- Head to head victories against teams assigned to the first level tournament
- Record against common opponents
- The total win/loss record of schools in the tournament, and
- Team evaluation based on narrative provided by coaches
- These factors have not been prioritized. The IHSA reserves the right to review all submitted seeds and throw out ballots and adjust the seeds accordingly.

In the event that schools tie for a seed, the IHSA will use the following criteria to break the tie:

- Head to head competition between the tied schools (games played prior to the final release of seeds)
- Random draw (if more than 2 schools are tied for a seed)
- Coin flip (if 2 schools are tied for a seed and head to head competition can't break the tie)

Schools will be able to access all the seeds made by other schools assigned to their seeding meeting prior to the seeds being posted on-line through the IHSA website. Tournament assignments will then be posted by the end of the week during which seeding occurs. The time table that follows shows the dates for the 2015-16 school term.



# \*\*IMPORTANT\*\* SEASON SUMMARY FORM INSTRUCTIONS

Schools entered into the Class 1A, 2A, 3A, and 4A state series will be required to submit a *Season Summary Form* on-line in the IHSA Schools Center. Failure to do so by the designated date and time will result in a school forfeiting its opportunity to participate in the seeding process. **The Season Summary Form can be found in the IHSA Schools Center.** 

Boys Class 1A & 2A Seeding Deadlines				
Starting	Ending	Description		
	DEADLINE: Wed., Feb. 10 <b>10 am sharp</b>	Submit Season Summary Form	To be eligible to seed the teams in your regional tournament, <u>you must fill out the Season Summary Form</u> with your team's won-lost record and game-by-game scores prior to the deadline. You may also submit a comment about your team giving information that might not be obvious from looking at the scores. Providing complete, accurate information is the key to getting a fair seed.	
Wed., Feb. 10	DEADLINE: Thu., Feb. 11	View and/or print Season Summary Forms	Before submitting your seeds, you may review all the Season Summary Forms submitted by coaches in your sub-sectional complex. Take some time to familiarize yourself with the other teams and be sure to read the comments posted by other coaches.	
11 am	noon sharp	Submit seeds	After you have reviewed all the available information, you may submit your seeds. Be sure to seed every team in your sub-sectional.	
Thu., Feb. 11 2 pm	_	View all seeds	After the deadline for seeding has passed, you can review the seeds submitted by every coach in your sub-sectional complex. These seeds will be compiled by the IHSA Office and a single seed number will be determined for each team.	
Thu., Feb. 11 4 pm	_	View official seeds	Once the IHSA Office has reviewed all the seeds, they will be posted on IHSA.org.	
Fri., Feb. 12 4 pm	_	View pairings	Once the IHSA Office has completed the pairings, they will be posted on IHSA.org.	
Sat., Feb. 13	_	Submit Team Data Form	Once the seeding process is complete, you can begin work on the Team Data Form, which incorporates information already submitted on the Season Summary Form. The link for this form will be in Sport & Activity Tracker.	

### Boys Class 3A & 4A Seeding Deadlines

Starting Ending Phase		Phase	Description	
	DEADLINE: Wed., Feb. 17 <b>10 am sharp</b>	Submit Season Summary Form	To be eligible to seed the teams in your regional tournament, <u>you must fill out the Season Summary Form</u> with your team's won-lost record and game-by-game scores prior to the deadline. You may also submit a comment about your team giving information that might not be obvious from looking at the scores. Providing complete, accurate information is the key to getting a fair seed.	
Wed., Feb. 17	DEADLINE: Thu., Feb. 18 noon sharp	View and/or print Season Summary Forms	Before submitting your seeds, you may review all the Season Summary Forms submitted by coaches in your sub-sectional or sectional complex. Take some time to familiarize yourself with the other teams and be sure to read the comments posted by other coaches.	
11 am		Submit seeds	After you have reviewed all the available information, you may submit your seeds. Be sure to seed every team in your sub-sectional.	
Thu., Feb. 18 2 pm	I	View all seeds	After the deadline for seeding has passed, you can review the seeds submitted by every coach in your sub-sectional or sectional complex. These seeds will be compiled by the IHSA Office and a single seed number will be determined for each team.	
Thu., Feb. 18 4 pm	-	View official seeds	Once the IHSA Office has reviewed all the seeds, they will be posted on IHSA.org.	
Fri., Feb. 19 4 pm	-	View pairings	Once the IHSA Office has completed the pairings, they will be posted on IHSA.org.	
Sat., Feb. 20	_	Submit Team Data Form	I Form, which incorporates information already submitted on the Season	

Season Summary Sheet Instructions



# **Schools are Required to Submit State Final Program Information Online**

Dear Coach or Athletic Director:

As your team gets close to qualifying for the state final tournament, you will be required to complete the State Final Program Information form online. This form provides the IHSA with most of the information (everything except statistics) printed in the state final souvenir program. You are required to provide this information once you have qualified for the Boys' Basketball sectional tournament.

The link to the State Final Program Information form is located in the IHSA Schools Center, a password-protected area of the IHSA Web site.

To log in the Schools Center, go to the main IHSA Web page (www.ihsa.org) and click on the Schools & Officials Center Login link. Then use your personal ID and password to log in. On the main menu of the Schools Center, look for the "Sport & Activity Tracker" area. Find Boys' Basketball follow the row across until you find a link labeled "State Qualifier Data Form" in the column labeled "Online Forms". Click on the link and follow the instructions to fill out the required pages. Please complete all information.

The information you will provide online includes administration, coaching staff, coaching history, season record (including high scorers & high rebounders), and roster. **Up-to-date statistics must be submitted on the printed forms included in this manual and faxed to the IHSA office immediately after the Sectional contest prior to the state final.** 

You will also need to upload your photos while signed into the Schools Center. Instructions are provided on the following page.

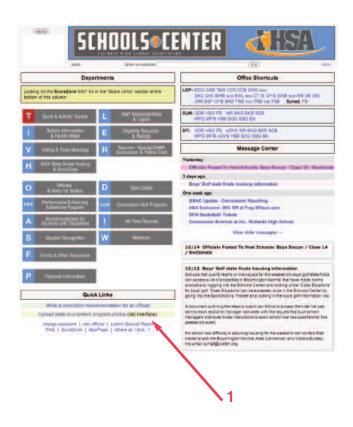
### Class 1A and 2A due March 5

Class 3A and 4A due March 12

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### **INSTRUCTIONS FOR SUBMITTING PHOTOS**

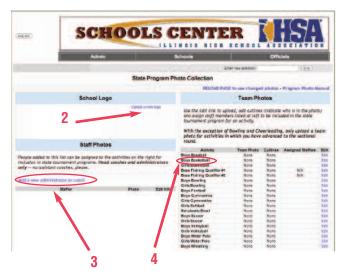
Submit your photos by uploading them in the Schools Center.



Sign into the Schools Center. Choose: <u>Upload state</u> tournament program photos here.
 NOTE: Only your administrative staff has access to this link.

If you have any questions, please call Laura Hennings – 309-663-6377 or email lhennings@ihsa.org.

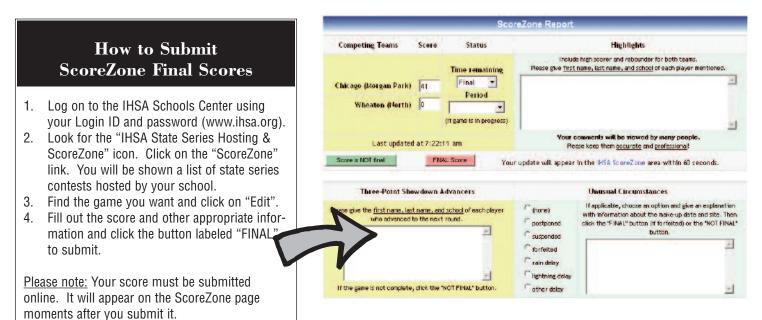
Photos are due
Saturday, March 5, 2016 for 1A and 2A
and
Saturday, March 12, 2016 for 3A and 4A.



- **2.** Upload School logo in .jpg format.
- 3. Add administrators and coaches. Choose: Add a new administrator or coach. You will want to do this before adding team photos. (If your sport/activity does not include administrators or coaches in the program, you can skip this step and start uploading your team photo.) Follow the step-by-step instructions, making sure that you save the photos and information. Do not use all capital letters.
- **4.** Upload your team photo. Choose: The <u>Edit</u> button that corresponds with your sport/activity.
  - a. Following the instructions upload your team photo. **Save changes.**
  - Assign staff members. Use the pull down menus to assign staff members to be included in this program. Save changes to staff assignments. (If no administrators or coaches are included in the program, you can skip this step.)
  - c. Add your cutlines. List individuals (first and last name) in each row. Do not use all capital letters. Do not include numbers, year in school, etc. Please use the following to designate supervisors in the photo: Head Coach John Smith, Asst. Coach Billy Bob, Mgr. Jane Doe. Save changes to cutlines.
- 5. Go to School Photos Menu. Check to make sure you have included all photos and cutlines for this sport/activity. If everything is correct, you can exit the Schools Center. Make sure that you have completed all other state final information for the program.

# ScoreZone Reporting Procedures for 2015-16

Managers: Please read the following page carefully. If you have any questions, please call Scott Johnson at the IHSA Office (309-663-6377).



A sample of the page in the IHSA Schools Center where you will submit Basketball scores.

## It is the responsibility of each tournament manager to:

- Submit the final score of each contest you host.
- Submit the final score as soon as possible after the conclusion of each contest.

For more information, check out the ScoreZone page at www.ihsa.org/scores

## Interactive ScoreZone means live updates!

Submitting scores online means being able to submit scores <u>during</u> the contest. Imagine being able to track scores from dozens of hot games around the state — as they happen. The technology is here. All we need now is your help.

## How to Submit "Live Updates"

- Log on to the IHSA Schools Center and find the contest you want to report (as outlined above).
- 2. Submit the score and the status of the contest (the inning, or the time remaining in the quarter or the half).
- 3. Submit the score as often as you like (including, of course, the final score).

<u>Think it's a great idea, but need help?</u> Remember, you can give the ScoreZone password to a trusted student or adult. The ScoreZone password gives access only to the ScoreZone area of the Schools Center. Live updates can be posted from the site of the contest, or even from home while listening to the radio.

<u>No obligation</u>: You are not required to submit "live updates" — but you just might want to!



### **Official Ball Information**



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To:Boys Basketball Manager/Host School Principal Addressed

Subject: Required "Official Ball" Use

This memorandum is accompanied by the "official ball" to be used in the **March Madness** tournament competition hosted by your school. It has been manufactured for the Illinois High School Association by Wilson.

The Wilson ball is required to be used in all boys state basketball tournament series games. There can be no substitution of a ball manufactured by another company.

The IHSA Official Ball Game Plan for boys basketball is reproduced below.

If you have any questions regarding "official ball" use, please contact the IHSA Office.

Class 1A/2A and 3A/4A Boys Basketball
Administrator: Kurt Gibson
Model Evolution WTB0516

Note: Each manager is required to use the Wilson Ball supplied by the IHSA for all games in the tournament series hosted by the local manager's school. Managers are encouraged to use Wilson balls in the Three-Point Shooting skills.

- 1) **Each Regional manager** will receive one (1) ball shipped from IHSA to the manager. The manager will give it to the Regional Winner upon completion of the Regional tournament.
- 2) **Each Sectional manager** will receive one (1) ball to be used at the Sectional site. The manager will give it to the Sectional Winner upon completion of the Sectional tournament.
- 3) **Each Super-Sectional manager** will receive one (1) ball to be used at the site and will give it to the winner of the Super-Sectional game.

**Delivery System:** Wilson ships all balls to the IHSA Office. Site allocations will be shipped from the IHSA Office by IHSA Staff. The Administrator in charge of the sport is responsible for delivery of State Final allocation.

## Boys Basketball Tournament Series Ticket Distribution Plan

Plans for distributing tickets for the 2016 Boys State Basketball Tournament Series have been approved by the Board of Directors and reflect date changes, price guidelines and distribution policies for all levels of the state series.

Distinct statewide prices have been set for tickets at all levels of the tournament series.

- Preference will continue to be given to IHSA member schools in the ordering of and location of season tickets for the State Final Tournament(s) in Peoria, if orders are postmarked on or before November 6, 2015.
- Location of seats allocated for sale to IHSA Basketball Season Ticket Holders, the news media, Board of Directors and other persons determined by the Board to have the opportunity to purchase advance tickets for the State Final Tournament(s) will continue to have next preference, if orders are postmarked on or before December 8.
- —-Only All-Session tickets may be ordered by mail, through the Peoria Civic Center, 201 S.W. Jefferson Ave., Peoria, IL 61602. Orders must be postmarked no earlier than December 2 and no later than December 26, 2015.
- —Beginning Jan. 5<sup>th</sup>, All-Session tickets ONLY will be sold to the general public by telephone (credit card purchases only) and over the counter at the Peoria Civic Center, Peoria.
- —Beginning Jan. 18<sup>th</sup>, single-session tickets, if available, will be sold to the general public by telephone (credit card purchases only) and over the counter at the Peoria Civic Center, Peoria.

Plans for distributing tickets for the Sectional, Super-Sectional and the Boys State Final Tournament(s) will continue to give schools which enter the tournament series the opportunity to purchase tickets for the advanced levels of competition in the tournaments, and will provide tickets for each of the schools actually participating in these tournaments.

### **Ticket Prices**

Standard statewide prices have been established for all boys tournaments. Tournament managers must charge the prices established by the Board of Directors. Local managers cannot set ticket prices that are different than those established by the Board of Directors.

Ticket prices for the 2016 series will be:

Regionals: \$4.00 Sectionals: \$5.00 Super-Sectionals\*: \$8.00

\*at venues hosting two super-sectional games on the same evening, the base ticket price shall be \$10

State Final: Season Ticket: \$44.00, \$34.00, & \$28.00

Session Ticket: \$11.00, \$9.00 & \$7.00

NOTE: Season Ticket Prices for Regional/Sectional Meets and Tournaments:

- 1) Local managers of Regional and/or Sectional tournaments in which two (2) or more sessions are conducted may sell season tickets along with session tickets. In the event a manager exercises this option, the season ticket price will be the session ticket price times the number of sessions.
- 2) In all Class 3A & 4A Regional games, visiting teams shall be given the opportunity to pre-sell 30% of the tickets available for the game. Unsold tickets must be returned to the host school at a time which will permit the host school a reasonable opportunity to sell remaining tickets to the general public.

NOTE: Presale tickets for Regional finals, and Sectional semifinals and finals:

- Host schools must provide presale tickets to schools competing in Regional finals, Sectional semifinals and finals, if requested to do so by a competing team.
- 2) Competing teams are responsible for all of the presale tickets they are given. All unsold tickets must be returned to the host at least three (3) hours prior to game time.

Regional final: Requests for presale tickets at the Regional finals must be made by Monday, February 22 for Class 1A & 2A and Monday, February 29 for Class 3A & 4A.

Sectional semifinals and finals: Requests for presale tickets at the Sectional semifinals and finals must be made by Friday, February 26 for Class 1A & 2A and Friday, March 4 for Class 3A & 4A.

### **Regional Finals and Sectional Distribution**

Tickets for the Sectional tournaments will be distributed as follows:

1) From the total number of seating spaces in each gymnasium, a reasonable number of spaces shall be reserved for the press,

radio, bench officials, players and other team personnel.

2) Subsidiary Regional Schools

Class 1A & 2A Tournaments: The local manager shall deduct the total number of seats reserved for the schools which participated in the Regional tournaments subsidiary to his/her Sectional tournament. Each school may purchase not more than ten (10) tickets for each session

Class 3A & 4A Tournaments: The local manager shall deduct the total number of spaces reserved for the school which participated in the Sectional Complex subsidiary to the Sectional tournament. Each school may purchase not more than sixteen (16) tickets for each session.

- 3) After providing for the allotment in (1) and (2) above, the host school may take twenty (20) percent of the remaining tickets. If the host school is one of the participating schools, these tickets shall be taken in addition to the allotment for participating schools described below.
- 4) From the remaining tickets, each of the schools participating in a given session shall, regardless of size, be permitted to purchase half (50%) of the remaining tickets.
- 5) Ordinarily, season tickets should not be sold since it is impossible to determine in advance the proper allotment for Friday's (championship) games. However, if the host school decides to issue season tickets, they must come out of and may not exceed the twenty (20) percent host school allotment described in (3) above.
- 6) Local managers of Sectional tournaments are instructed to devise plans whereby an equitable portion of the better seats will be made available to the followers of the teams competing in the games of the tournament.
- 7) The Sectional tickets for schools assigned to the subsidiary Regional tournaments, and referred to in (2) above, must be ordered no later than February 26 for Class 1A & 2A and March 4 for Class 3A & 4A. If orders are received after these dates, the local managers will not be obligated to provide tickets for any sessions of the tournament.
- 8) Local managers must sell tickets at the prices adopted by the Board of Directors. (See "Ticket Prices" on previous page.)
- 9) Local managers must provide presale tickets to schools competing in Regional finals, and Sectional semifinals and finals, if requested to do so by a competing school. (See "Ticket Prices" on previous page)

#### **Super-Sectional Distribution**

Because of the larger seating capacities at the Super-Sectional centers, tickets at each center shall be set aside at Super-Sectional sites to be distributed as follows:

- A reasonable number of spaces shall be reserved for the press, radio, bench officials, players and other team personnel.
- 2) The local manager shall deduct the total number of seats reserved for the schools which participated in the Regional tournaments subsidiary to the Super-Sectional game. Each school may purchase not more than twenty (20) tickets for the game.
- 3) After providing for the allotments in (1) and (2) above, the host school may have twenty (20) percent of the remaining tickets for sale to the general public.
- 4) From the remaining tickets, each of the schools participating in a given session shall, regardless of size, be permitted to purchase half (50%) of the remaining tickets.
- 5) The price of each ticket for all Super-Sectional games shall be as adopted by the Board of Directors. (See "Ticket Prices" on previous page.)
  - 6) Notifying Competing Teams:

Class 1A & 2A: The local manager of each of the eight Super-Sectional centers will telephone the principals or ticket managers of the two Sectional winners assigned to his/her center not later than 10:00 a.m., Saturday, March 5, and will notify them as to the number of tickets allotted to their schools.

At this time, arrangements also will be made for payment and delivery of the tickets.

Class 3A & 4A: The local manager of each of the eight Super-Sectional centers will telephone the principals or ticket managers of the two Sectional winners assigned to his/her center not later than 10:00 a.m., Saturday, March 12, and will notify them as to the number of tickets allotted to their schools.

At this time, arrangements also will be made for payment and delivery of the tickets.

### **State Final Distribution**

#### A) Advance Sale to Member Schools:

Boys State Final Tournament tickets will be distributed to member schools as follows:

1) All member schools will be able to access ticket ordering information by using their principal's password to enter the IHSA Schools Center and clicking on the "Boys Basketball Ticket" link located in the School Data section. Each member school ordering

tickets must return the order form(s) with proper remittance postmarked on or before November 7<sup>th</sup> to receive an allotment of tickets in the Guaranteed Section.

2) Each school ordering season tickets for either boys State Final Tournament (post-marked no later than November 7<sup>th</sup>) is guaranteed two (2) tickets in the lower bowl for the class tournament in which they participate and two (2) tickets for the other classes. The remainder of ordered tickets will be assigned in best available seating. Schools may order more tickets than the guaranteed. If tickets are not available at the price for which a school submits payment, the next lesser priced tickets will be sent and the overpayment will be refunded.

Ticket orders will be filled by the Toyota Box Office at the Peoria Civic Center based upon their date of receipt.

- 3) Member school ticket orders received postmarked after November 6<sup>th</sup> will be filled, but seats in the Guaranteed Section may not be available. The order will be filled with the best available tickets on the date the order is filled. Refunds may be necessary.
- 4) Season tickets will be set aside for each tournament for use by the IHSA Board of Directors, the press, radio and television personnel and other persons to be determined by the Board of Directors.
  - 5) Class 1A & 2A Tournament:

Each of the four schools participating in each session shall be guaranteed the opportunity to purchase a share of the tickets available to participants. This number may vary from session to session.

Season tickets will be available to member schools participating in the 2016 tournament series for purchase.

Note: Filled orders will be mailed from the Toyota Box Office at the Peoria Civic Center on or around February 13 (and not before).

### 6) Class 3A & 4A Tournament:

Each of the four schools participating in each session shall be guaranteed the opportunity to purchase a share of the tickets available to participants. This number may vary from session to session.

Season tickets will be available to member schools participating in the 2016 tournament series for purchase.

Note: Filled orders will be mailed from the Toyota Box Office at the Peoria Civic Center on or around February 13 (and not before).

### B) Sale of Session Tickets to Schools Playing in State Final:

The Tournament Manager at the site of each Super-Sectional game will personally give to the principal (or designee) of the school winning the game that school's allotment of tickets for the upcoming State Final Tournament at the Peoria Civic Center.

Price of these tickets will be \$11.00 and \$9.00 each with no distinction made between students and adults.

All unsold tickets must be returned to the Toyota Box Office at the Peoria Civic Center no later than 5:00 p.m. on Thursday preceding the State Final Tournament.

Single-session tickets returned by participating schools, and any other single-session tickets unsold in the advance sale will go on sale over the counter at the Toyota Box Office at the Peoria Civic Center each day of the State Final Tournament at the price of \$11.00 and \$9.00.

#### **General Public Sale**

### A) Advance Season Ticket Holder Sale

A portion of seats at the Peoria Civic Center has been set aside for the Boys State Final Tournaments as the IHSA Basketball Season Ticket Holder Section.

Persons who are identified as IHSA Basketball Season Ticket Holders for the tournament(s) shall have first priority to purchase tickets in this section for the tournament(s) for which they qualify. These persons qualified for the IHSA Basketball Season Ticket Holder list by purchasing tickets in the Ticket Holder Section the previous year(s). A maximum of four (4) season tickets per person per tournament qualified for may be purchased.

Should an IHSA Season Ticket Holder not order tickets for this year's tournament postmarked on or before December 7, 2015, the person will be dropped from the Season Ticket Holder list.

Note: Filled orders will be mailed from the IHSA Office on or around February 13 (and not before).

For persons who would like to be added to the basketball season ticket holder list(s): You must send your request in writing to the IHSA Office, 2715 McGraw Drive, Bloomington, IL 61704. The request must include your name, mailing address, phone number, email address, tournament preference (Class 1A & 2A, 3A & 4A, or all), and the number of tickets, up to 4, you are interested in purchasing.



Competing School:



# 2016 Country Financial Three-Point Regional School Participant Entry Form

	First Name	Last Name	Year	Uniform #
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Must be completed by AD or Head Coach and faxed to the host manager 24 hours prior to competition!

Substitution of participating athletes may occur 24 hours prior to competition.

Individuals advancing to the Sectional competition will be listed on the IHSA ScoreZone.

# **Boys' 2015-2016 COUNTRY Financial Three-Point Showdown Participant Instructions**

As a participant in the COUNTRY Financial Three-Point Showdown, we ask that you please review these instructions with your coach and family. We also would ask you to email a head and shoulder photo to be included in the official Boys' Basketball State Final Program. Please note the information and deadline for photos to be emailed to the IHSA Office below. You may want to email your photo prior to actually qualifying for the competition. If you have any question afterwards, please contact Associate Executive Director Kurt Gibson or Coordinator of Special Programs, Kayode Adegoke at the IHSA Office.

For the twenty-third time in the history of boys' basketball, as many as 256 more students will have the opportunity to come to the Peoria Civic Center at Carver Arena and experience a special part of **America's Original March Madness**. We hope you will learn from your competitive experience, and we hope you will have some fun doing it.

**Photo Deadlines:** Class 1A and 2A Three-Point – Saturday, March 5, 2016

Class 3A and 4A Three-Point – Saturday, March 12, 2016

Please use the following guidelines when emailing your photo: Save the file with a .JPG or .TIF extension. In the subject area of the email, please include the participant's name and school. This is very important as we will receive a large number of photos. Please email your photo to: kadegoke@ihsa.org

**General Information**: The Peoria Civic Center is located in downtown Peoria at 201 S.W. Jefferson (corner of Fulton and Jefferson Streets) Phone (309) 673-8900.

Class 1A and 2A Dates of Competition: Preliminaries for Class 1A and Class 2A in the COUNTRY Financial Three-Point Showdown will be conducted Thursday, March 10, 2016, at Carver Arena in the Peoria Civic Center. The Class 1A and 2A preliminaries are scheduled to begin at 5:00 p.m. with a group photo scheduled at 4:30 p.m. Four contestants in the Class 1A and four contestants in the Class 2A portions of the Three-Point Shooting Competition will qualify for Class 1A and Class 2A Finals on Friday March 11, 2016. The Class 1A and Class 2A champions will compete on Saturday, March 19, 2016, for King Of The Hill honors.

Class 3A and 4A Dates of Competition: Preliminaries for Class 3A and Class 4A in the COUNTRY Financial Three-Point Showdown will be conducted Thursday, March 17, 2016, at Carver Arena in the Peoria Civic Center. The Class 3A and 4A preliminaries are scheduled to begin at 5:00 p.m. with a group photo scheduled at 4:30 p.m. Four contestants in the Class 3A portion and four contestants in the Class 4A portion of the Three-Point Shooting Competition will qualify for Class 3A and Class 4A Finals on Friday, March 18, 2016. The Class 1A, 2A, 3A and 4A champions in each event will then compete on Saturday, March 19, 2016, for **King Of The Hill** honors.

**Transportation**: It is the responsibility of each contestant to arrange for transportation to and from Carver Arena. On Thursday, March 10 and Thursday, March 17, contestants should park in any available lot near the Civic Center.

Lodging: Rooms will only be provided by the IHSA Office, (at the Pere Marquette Hotel, 501 Main St., Peoria, IL 61602) to the four finalists who qualify on Thursday, March 10 for Class 1A and 2A and Thursday, March 17 for Class 3A and 4A in the Three-Point Contest. Contestants who do not qualify for the Finals of the Three-Point Contest on Thursday, March 10 for Class 1A and 2A and Thursday, March 17 for Class 3A and 4A will be responsible for their own lodging, and rooms will not be available through the IHSA Office. Each finalist using a room must be accompanied by an adult who registers for the room. These rooms will be available for Class 1A and 2A contestants Thursday night (March 10) and Class 3A and 4A contestants Thursday night (March 17). Finalists are not obligated to use housing provided through the IHSA Office.

### **Schedule For Thursday Preliminaries**

Class 1A and 2A – March 10 Class 3A and 4A – March 17

3:30-4:15 p.m. – All contestants are to report to Carver Arena at the Civic Center. Immediately upon entering Carver Arena, report to IHSA staff at tables on the concourse inside Carver Arena to pick up your Contestant Packet.

The Contestant Packet will contain a Participant Pass for the shooter, meal pass and other material. Packets will be given only to properly identified contestants.

3:45-4:15 p.m. – Contestants may warmup on the Caterpillar or Ameren Illinois Courts in the March Madness Experience, located in the Peoria Civic Center Exhibit Hall adjacent to the Carver Arena. 4:30 p.m. – Contestants in the Three-Point Shooting competition must assemble on the Carver Arena floor in uniform for the required group photo. Enter the Carver Arena floor through the seating area.

4:35 p.m. – Three-Point Shooter Group Photo on the Carver Arena Floor (Mandatory for all Contestants)

4:40 p.m (Approx.) – Group Photo of all Three-Point Shooting Judges on the Carver Arena Floor (Mandatory for All Judges)

Information on ordering group photos will be included in each contestant packet.

4:55 p.m. (Approx.) – Warm-ups begin for Class 1A and 2A Three-Point Shooting Groups No. 1 and No. 2 on Carver Arena Floor.

5:00 p.m. – Preliminary Round Three-Point Shooting in Carver Arena begins

5:55 p.m. (Approx.) – Preliminary Round Three-Point Shooting in Carver Arena ends

**Contestant Meal:** Three-Point Shooters may pick up their meal at Stand 9 behind Section 18 anytime between 5:00 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. The meal includes a pork burger sandwich, chips, gourmet cookie and medium drink

Contestant Ticket/Required Floor Pass: Each qualifier for the COUNTRY Financial Preliminaries will receive one (1) Boys' Basketball Participant Standing Room Only Tag to the respective Boys' Basketball Tournament. It is to be used for admission to Carver Arena on Friday and Saturday. Thursday after the completion of the preliminaries, the finalists will receive two (2) additional Boys' Basketball Three-Point Shooting Participant Standing Room Only Tags for their respective class. The contestant will need to use the Participant Tag on Friday for getting to and from the arena floor at the appropriate time.

Tickets For Others: The preliminary competition on Thursday, March 10, and Thursday, March 17, is free to everyone. In order to see the games of the tournament Friday and/or Saturday, or the Three-Point Competition Friday, a ticket of admission for the tournament will be required. It is anticipated each session will be sold out. If tickets are available, they will be on sale at the Civic Center box office prior to each session.

Contestant Uniforms: All contestants shall wear their official school team uniform, which shall be uniform jersey and shorts. Uniform color shall be at the discretion of the participant. Contestants who appear at the competition not in school uniform, shall be disqualified from the contest. A dressing room will be

#### **Boys COUNTRY Financial Participant Instructions**

available and is located on the Arena floor level on the West side of the building behind the stands where the scorer's table is located.

Personal Belongings: It is the responsibility of each contestant to make sure personal belongings are secure. We recommend contestants give them to a person (coach/parent) for safe keeping while competing. Neither the Civic Center nor IHSA will be responsible for your personal belongings. Shower facilities following each competition will be available. Contestants must bring their own soap and towel.

Class 1A Schedule of Competition: Three-Point Shooting Preliminaries begin at 5:00 p.m. On Friday, March 11, the four Class 1A finalists for the Three-Point Showdown are scheduled to warm-up on Center Court of March Madness Experience Exhibit Hall from 1:15 p.m. -1:30 p.m. The Class 1A finals of the Three-Point Shooting Contest will take place between the Class 1A Semifinal Games at approximately 1:45 p.m.

Class 2A Schedule of Competition: Three-Point Shooting Preliminaries begin at 5:00 p.m. On Friday, March 11, the four Class 2A finalists for the Three-Point Showdown Contest are scheduled to warm-up on Center Court of March Madness Experience Exhibit Hall from 7:30 p.m.-7:45 p.m. The Class 2A finals of the Three-Point Shooting Contest will take place between the Class 2A Semifinal Games at approximately 8:00 p.m.

Class 3A Schedule of Competition: Three-Point Shooting Preliminaries begin at 5:00 p.m. On Friday, March 18, the four Class 3A finalists for the Three-Point Showdown Contest are scheduled to warm-up on Center Court of March Madness Experience Exhibit Hall from 1:15 p.m.-1:30 p.m. The Class 3A finals of the Three-Point Shooting Contest will take place between the Class 3A Semifinal Games at approximately 1:45 p.m.

Class 4A Schedule of Competition: Three-Point Shooting Preliminaries begin at 5:00 p.m. On Friday, March 18, the four Class 4A finalists for the Three-Point Showdown Contest are scheduled to warm-up on Center Court of March Madness Experience Exhibit Hall from 7:30 p.m.-7:45 p.m. The Class 4A finals of the Three-Point Shooting Contest will take place between the Class 4A Semifinal Games at approximately 8:00 p.m.

On Saturday, March 19, the Three-Point King of the Hill competition is scheduled for approximately 1:45 p.m.

**Results of Competition**: Complete results will be posted on the IHSA web site after each different competition each day.

Required Press Interviews: The four qualifiers will be required to participate in an interview session with the press immediately following the conclusion of their preliminaries. The Press Interview Room is located on the east side lower level behind Section 1. Any other participant Thursday night may be interviewed with the media on the arena floor after the event competition. The media has been given the same instructions. On Friday, the four finalists are required to participate in a press conference immediately following the conclusion of their competition. The four finalists

Saturday night also will be required to participate in a press conference following completion of the **King Of The Hill** event. All formal press conferences will take place in the Press Interview Room. Your coaches are most welcome to join you for any and all of the formal press conferences. The King of the Hill competitors will also be interviewed on the court as part of the state tournament telecast following the conclusion of their competition Saturday.

### **Trophy Presentations:**

- (1) Plaques will be presented to the three finalists for Class 1A, 2A, 3A and 4A in the Three-Point Shooting Contest who do not advance to the King of the Hill competition.
- (2) Plaques will be presented to the winners of the overall competition between the respective Class 1A, 2A, 3A and 4A winners in the Three-Point Shooting Contest.
- (3) A King of the Hill champion award will be presented to winner of the overall competition between the respective Class 1A, 2A, 3A and 4A winners in the Three-Point Shooting Contest.

Autograph Session(s): The four contestants who qualify for the finals in the Three-Point Shooting Contest are to report in their warm-up uniform to the IHSA Store at the March Madness Experience in the Exhibit Hall (adjacent to Carver Arena) at 11:00 a.m. Friday, March 11, and Friday, March 18, for instructions concerning the autograph session involving them.

**Use of Photos**: Photographs supplied to the IHSA Office in advance by each contestant in the shooting competition will be used in the Official Program.

# 2016 COUNTRY Financial Three-Point Showdown Participant Information

To be completed by participants in the COUNTRY Financial Three-Point Showdown. Please print clearly and **email this form along** with a photo by the dates listed below:

	IMPORTANT DATES						
	Girls Class 1A & 2A Three-	Point: Saturday	, February 20				
	Girls Class 3A & 4A Three-	Point: Saturday	, February 27				
	Boys Class 1A & 2A Three-	Point: Saturday	y, March 5				
	Boys Class 3A & 4A Three-	Point: Saturday	y, March 12				
Please use th	ne following guidelines to e	mail your Parti	cipant Information an	d Photo:			
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SCANNED	PHOTOGRAPHS – Scan the	e photograph at	a <b>high resolution,</b> at	east 500 dots wide.			
Save the f	file with a .JPEG (.JPG) or .T	IF extension.					
E-Mail to: kadegoke@ihsa.org In the subject area of the email, please indicate the participants name and school.							
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This form can be scanned and emailed with your picture or include all the information listed above (name, school name, class, city and year in school) in the body of an email with your pictured attached.

#### 2016 IHSA March Madness Playing in Peoria **General Time Schedule**

Site: Peoria Civic Center (Carver Arena for Games, Exhibit Hall for March Madness Experience)

#### Class 1A and 2A Boys Weekend (March 10-12)

#### Class 1A and 2A March Madness Experience at Exhibit Hall, Peoria **Civic Center**

Thursday (March 10): 6:00 p.m. -9:00 p.m. Friday (March 11): 10:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m. Saturday (March 12): 10:00 a.m. - 6:30 p.m.

#### Class 1A and 2A Team Shootaround at Carver Arena, Peoria Civic Center (Thursday, March 10)

11:50-12:30 p.m. - Class 1A Game 1 Home Team (in uniform) Team Photo; Starting 5 Freeze Frame; Interviews (coach, 2 players)

12:30-1:00 p.m. - Class 1A Game 1 Home Team Shootaround on Carver Arena Floor

12:20-1:00 p.m. -- Class 1A Game 1 Visitor Team (in uniform) Team Photo; Starting 5 Freeze Frame; Interviews (coach, 2 players)

1:00-1:30 p.m. -- Class 1A Game 1 Visitor Team Shootaround on Carver Arena Floor

12:50-1:30 p.m. -- Class 1A Game 2 Home Team (in uniform) Team Photo; Starting 5 Freeze Frame; Interviews (coach, 2 players)

1:30-2:00 p.m. -- Class 1A Game 2 Home Team Shootaround on Carver Arena Floor

1:20-2:00 p.m. -- Class 1A Game 2 Visitor Team (in uniform) Team Photo: Starting 5 Freeze Frame: Interviews (coach, 2 players)

2:00-2:30 p.m. -- Class 1A Game 2 Visitor Team Shootaround on Carver Arena Floor

1:50-2:30 p.m. -- Class 2A Game 3 Home Team (in uniform) Team Photo; Starting 5 Freeze Frame; Interviews (coach, 2 players)

2:30-3:00 p.m. -- Class 2A Game 3 Home Team Shootaround on Carver Arena Floor

2:20-3:00 p.m. -- Class 2A Game 3 Visitor Team (in uniform) Team Photo; Starting 5 Freeze Frame; Interviews (coach, 2 players)

3:00-3:30 p.m. -- Class 2A Game 3 Visitor Team Shootaround on Carver Arena Floor

2:50-3:30 p.m. -- Class 2A Game 4 Home Team (in uniform) Team Photo; Starting 5 Freeze Frame; Interviews (coach, 2 players)

3:30-4:00 p.m. -- Class 2A Game 4 Home Team Shootaround on Carver Arena Floor

3:20-4:00 p.m. -- Class 2A Game 4 Visitor Team (in uniform) Team Photo; Starting 5 Freeze Frame; Interviews (coach, 2 players)

4:00-4:30 p.m. -- Class 2A Game 4 Visitor Team Shootaround on Carver Arena Floor

#### Class 1A and 2A COUNTRY Financial Three-Point Shooting **Preliminaries**

(Thursday, March 10)

#### Required Photo Session at Carver Arena, Peoria Civic Center

3:45-4:15 p.m. - Three-Point Warm-ups on MME Center Court(s)

4:45-4:56 p.m. -- Group Photo Session Three-Point Shooters

4:57-5:00 p.m. -- Floor Swept for Three-Point Shooting

#### Class 1A and 2A Three-Point Shooting Preliminaries at Carver Arena, **Peoria Civic Center**

5:00-5:03 p.m. -- 1A Group 1 Warm-up (South Basket)

5:00-5:03 p.m. -- 2A Group 2 Warm-up (North Basket)

5:04-5:11 p.m. -- 1A Group 1 Shooting

5:04-5:11 p.m. -- 2A Group 2 Shooting

5:12-5:15 p.m. -- 1A Group 3 Warm-up (South Basket)

5:12-5:15 p.m. -- 2A Group 4 Warm-up (North Basket)

5:16-5:23 p.m. -- 1A Group 3 Shooting

5:16-5:23 p.m. -- 2A Group 4 Shooting

5:24-5:27 p.m. -- 1A Group 5 Warm-up (South Basket)

5:24-5:27 p.m. -- 2A Group 6 Warm-up (North Basket)

5:28-5:35 p.m. -- 1A Group 5 Shooting

5:28-5:35 p.m. -- 2A Group 6 Shooting

5:36-5:39 p.m. -- 1A Group 7 Warm-up (South Basket)

5:36-5:39 p.m. -- 2A Group 8 Warm-up (North Basket)

5:40-5:47 p.m. -- 1A Group 7 Shooting

5:40-5:47 p.m. -- 2A Group 8 Shooting

5:48-5:51 p.m. -- Tiebreaker Warm-up

5:52-5:59 p.m. -- Tiebreaker Shooting

#### Class 1A and 2A Meetings Peoria Civic Center (Thursday, March 10)

6:00-6:30 p.m. -- Meeting of Elite Eight School Administrators, Team Hosts, Steering Committee (By Invitation Only), Meeting Room 134

7:00 p.m. -- Ameren Illinois Celebrates March Madness Playing in Peoria Class 1A and 2A Pre-Tournament Banquet, Peoria Marriott Pere Marquette

8:00 p.m. (Approx.) -- Meeting of Floor Officials Assigned To State Final

#### Class 1A and 2A Tournament, Carver Arena (Friday-Saturday, March 11-12)

Semifinal Session 1 (Friday)

12:00 p.m. -- Cl. 1A Game No. 1

1:45 p.m. (Approx.) -- Cl. 1A Three-Point Finals

2:00 p.m. (Approx.) -- Cl. 1A Game No. 2

Semifinal Session 2 (Friday)

6:30 p.m. -- Cl. 2A Game No. 3

8:00 p.m. (Approx.) -- Cl. 2A Three-Point Finals

8:15 p.m. (Approx.) -- Cl. 2A Game No. 4

Finals Session 3 (Saturday)

12:00 p.m. -- Game 5 - Cl. 1A Loser Game No. 1 vs. Cl. 1A Loser Game No. 2 (3<sup>rd</sup> Place Game)

1:45 p.m. (Approx.) -- Game 6 - Cl. 1A Winner Game No. 1 vs. Cl. 1A Winner Game No. 2 (Championship)

Finals Session 4 (Saturday)

6:30 p.m. -- Game 7 -- Cl. 2A Loser Game No. 3 vs. Cl. 2A Loser

Game No. 4 (3<sup>rd</sup> Place Game)

8:15 p.m. (Approx.) -- Game 8 - Cl. 2A Winner Game No. 3 vs. Cl. 2A Winner Game No. 4 (Championship)

#### Class 1A and 2A COUNTRY Financial Three-Point Shooting Finals, Peoria Civic Center (Friday, March 11)

10:00-10:45 a.m. -- Three-Point Shooting Finalists Autograph Session, March Madness Experience in Exhibit Hall, at Autograph Booth

12:00 p.m. -- Cl. 1A Semifinal Game No. 1 Begins

1:15-1:30 p.m. — CI. 1A Finalists in Three-Point Shooting warm-up on Center Court of March Madness Experience, Exhibit Hall, prior to leaving for Carver Arena

6:30 p.m. - Cl. 2A Semifinal Game No. 3 Begins

7:30-7:45 p.m. – Cl. 2A Finalists in Three-Point Shooting warm-up on Center Court of March Madness Experience, Exhibit Hall, prior to leaving for Carver Arena

### Access The Experience Field Trip Day (for individuals with disabilities) Tuesday. March 15

Site: MME in Exhibit Hall, Peoria Civic Center

9:30 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

Access The Experience Family Day/Resource Fair (for individuals with disabilities)

Tuesday, March 15

Site: MME in Exhibit Hall, Peoria Civic Center

5:00-8:00 p.m.

#### Class 3A and 4A Boys Weekend (March 17-19)

#### Class 3A and 4A March Madness Experience at Exhibit Hall, Peoria Civic Center (March 17-19)

Thursday (March 17): 6:00 p.m. -9:00 p.m. Friday (March 18): 10:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m. Saturday (March 19): 10:00 a.m. - 6:30 p.m.

# Class 3A and 4A Team Shootaround at Carver Arena, Peoria Civic Center (Thursday, March 17)

11:50-12:30 p.m. – Class 3A Game 1 Home Team (in uniform) Team Photo; Starting 5 Freeze Frame; Interviews (coach, 2 players)

12:30-1:00 p.m. — Class 3A Game 1 Home Team Shootaround on Carver Arena Floor

12:20-1:00 p.m. -- Class 3A Game 1 Visitor Team (in uniform) Team Photo; Starting 5 Freeze Frame; Interviews (coach, 2 players)

1:00-1:30 p.m. -- Class 3A Game 1 Visitor Team Shootaround on Carver Arena Floor

12:50-1:30 p.m. -- Class 3A Game 2 Home Team (in uniform) Team Photo; Starting 5 Freeze Frame; Interviews (coach, 2 players)

1:30-2:00 p.m. -- Class 3A Game 2 Home Team Shootaround on Carver Arena Floor

1:20-2:00 p.m. -- Class 3A Game 2 Visitor Team (in uniform) Team Photo; Starting 5 Freeze Frame; Interviews (coach, 2 players)

2:00-2:30 p.m. -- Class 3A Game 2 Visitor Team Shootaround on Carver Arena Floor

1:50-2:30 p.m. -- Class 4A Game 3 Home Team (in uniform) Team Photo; Starting 5 Freeze Frame; Interviews (coach, 2 players)

2:30-3:00 p.m. -- Class 4A Game 3 Home Team Shootaround on Carver Arena Floor

2:20-3:00 p.m. -- Class 4A Game 3 Visitor Team (in uniform) Team Photo; Starting 5 Freeze Frame; Interviews (coach, 2 players)

3:00-3:30 p.m. -- Class 4A Game 3 Visitor Team Shootaround on Carver Arena Floor

2:50-3:30 p.m. -- Class 4A Game 4 Home Team (in uniform) Team Photo; Starting 5 Freeze Frame; Interviews (coach, 2 players)

3:30-4:00 p.m. -- Class 4A Game 4 Home Team Shootaround on Carver Arena Floor

3:20-4:00 p.m. -- Class 4A Game 4 Visitor Team (in uniform) Team Photo; Starting 5 Freeze Frame; Interviews (coach, 2 players)

4:00-4:30 p.m. -- Class 4A Game 4 Visitor Team Shootaround on Carver Arena Floor

# Class 3A and 4A COUNTRY Financial Three-Point Shooting Preliminaries

(Thursday, March 17)

#### Required Photo Session at Carver Arena, Peoria Civic Center

3:45-4:15 p.m. – Three-Point Shooting Warm-ups on MME Center Court(s) (Optional)

4:45-4:56 p.m. -- Group Photo Session Three-Point Shooters 4:57-5:00 p.m. -- Floor Swept for COUNTRY Financial Three-Point Shooting

#### Class 3A and 4A Three-Point Shooting Preliminaries at Carver Arena, Peoria Civic Center

5:00-5:03 p.m. -- 3A Group 1 Warm-up (South Basket)

5:00-5:03 p.m. -- 4A Group 2 Warm-up (North Basket)

5:04-5:11 p.m. -- 3A Group 1 Shooting

5:04-5:11 p.m. -- 4A Group 2 Shooting

5:12-5:15 p.m. -- 3A Group 3 Warm-up (South Basket)

5:12-5:15 p.m. -- 4A Group 4 Warm-up (North Basket)

5:16-5:23 p.m. -- 3A Group 3 Shooting

5:16-5:23 p.m. -- 4A Group 4 Shooting

5:24-5:27 p.m. -- 3A Group 5 Warm-up (South Basket)

5:24-5:27 p.m. -- 4A Group 6 Warm-up (North Basket)

5:28-5:35 p.m. -- 3A Group 5 Shooting

5:28-5:35 p.m. -- 4A Group 6 Shooting

5:36-5:39 p.m. -- 3A Group 7 Warm-up (South Basket)

5:36-5:39 p.m. -- 4A Group 8 Warm-up (North Basket)

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6:00-6:30 p.m. -- Meeting of Elite Eight School Administrators, Team Hosts, Steering Committee (By Invitation Only), Meeting Room 134

7:00 p.m. – Ameren Illinois Celebrates March Madness Playing in Peoria Class 3A and 4A Pre-Tournament Banquet, Peoria Marriott Pere Marquette

8:00 p.m. (Approx.) -- Meeting of Floor Officials Assigned To State Final

# Class 3A and 4A Tournament, Carver Arena (Friday-Saturday, March 18-19)

Semifinal Session 1 (Friday)

12:00 p.m. -- Cl. 3A Game No. 1

1:45 p.m. (Approx.) - Cl. 3A Three-Point Finals

2:00 p.m. (Approx.) -- Cl. 3A Game No. 2

Semifinal Session 2 (Friday)

6:30 p.m. -- Cl. 4A Game No. 3

8:00 p.m. - Cl. 4A Three-Point Finals

8:15 p.m. (Approx.) -- Cl. 4A Game No. 4

Finals Session 3 (Saturday)

12:00 p.m. -- Game 5 - Cl. 3A Loser Game No. 1 vs. Cl. 3A Loser Game No. 2 (3rd Place Game)

1:45 p.m. (Approx.) – COUNTRY Financial Three-Point King of the Hill

2:00 p.m. (Approx.) -- Game 6 - Cl. 3A Winner Game No. 1 vs. Cl. 3A Winner Game No. 2 (Championship)

Finals Session 4 (Saturday)

6:30 p.m. -- Game 7 – Cl. 4A Loser Game No. 3 vs. Cl. 4A Loser Game No. 4 (3<sup>rd</sup> Place Game)

8:15 p.m. (Approx.) – Game 8 – Cl. 4A Winner Game No. 3 vs. Cl. 4A Winner Game No. 4 (Championship)

#### Class 3A and 4A COUNTRY Financial Three-Point Shooting Finals, Peoria Civic Center (Friday, March 18)

11:00-11:45 a.m. -- Three-Point Shooting Finalists Autograph Session, March Madness Experience in Exhibit Hall, at Autograph Booth

12:00 p.m. -- Cl. 3A Semifinal Game No. 1 Begins

1:15-1:30 p.m. – Cl. 3A Finalists in Three-Point Shooting warm-up on Center Court of March Madness Experience, Exhibit Hall, prior to leaving for Carver Arena

6:30 p.m. - Cl. 4A Semifinal Game No. 3 Begins

7:30-7:45 p.m. – Cl. 4A Finalists in Three-Point Shooting warm-up on Center Court of March Madness Experience, Exhibit Hall, prior to leaving for Carver Arena

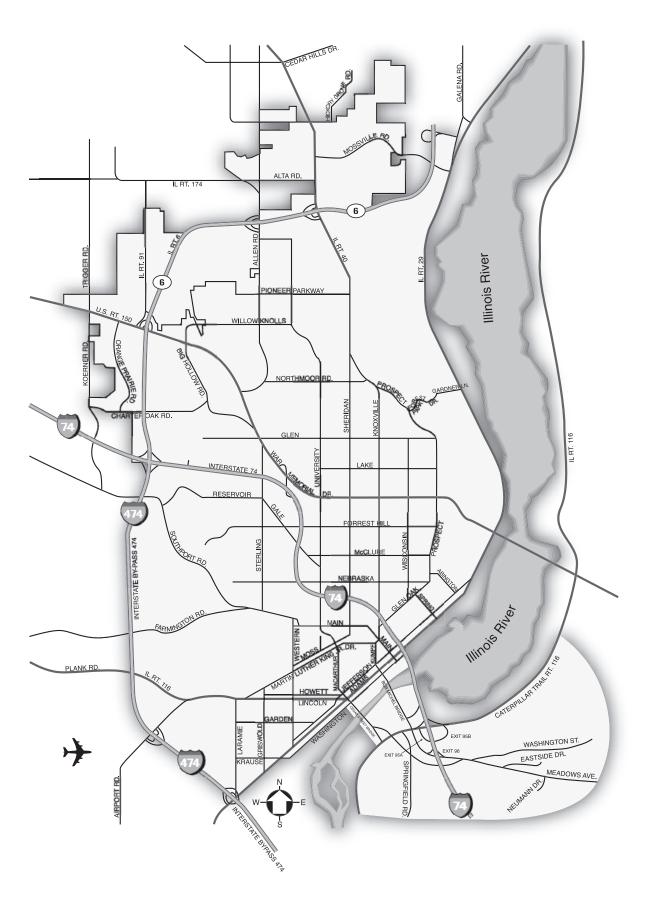
# King Of The Hill, Peoria Civic Center (Saturday, March 19)

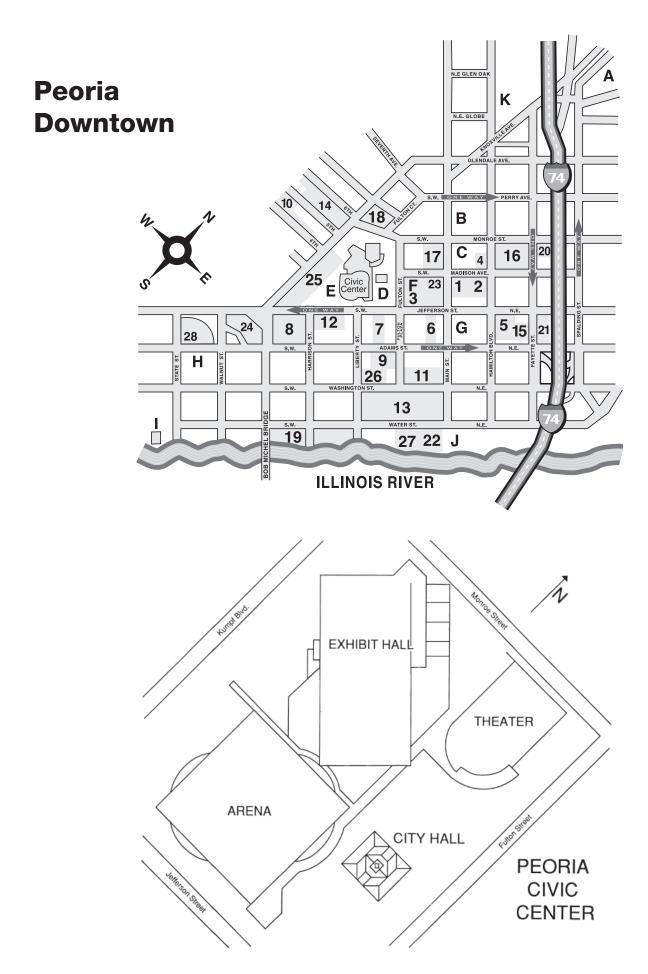
12:00 p.m. - Cl. 3A Consolation Game Begins

1:45 p.m. (Approx.) – COUNTRY Financial Three-Point King of the Hill, Carver Arena

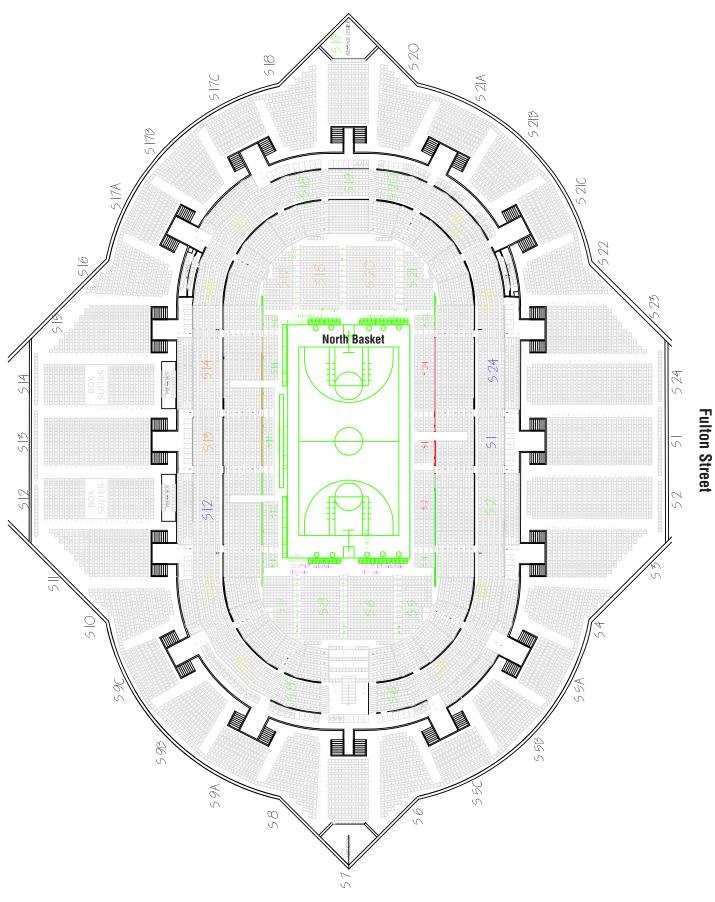
6:30 p.m. -- Class 4A Consolation Game Begins

# **Map of Peoria Area**





# **Carver Arena Seating Chart**



Jefferson Street

# State Final Student Media/Video Taping



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#### STUDENT MEDIA CREDENTIALS FOR PARTICIPATING SCHOOLS

Congratulations on qualifying for an IHSA state final in a team sport. In order to provide the best possible coverage of this event for your school newspaper, yearbook and AV club, etc. you are entitled to have up to three students receive credentials to cover this event as official media members. In the event that you have less than three students, an adult sponsor may be included on this list. To apply for student media credentials, please have your Athletic Director or an individual involved with the aforementioned programs email Matt Troha (<a href="mattended:mtroha@ihsa.org">mtroha@ihsa.org</a>) at the IHSA with the following information:

- 1) The names of individuals attending
- 2) Whether they are students or adults
- 3) If the attending individuals will serve as reporters, photographers, videographers, etc.

Student media who are registering for credentials are expected to maintain a level of professionalism while covering this event. That includes no cheering while in the press box or game coverage area. Proper attire is also required. Wearing school shirts and colors is acceptable, but students wearing face paint, costumes, carrying props, etc. will be required to change before receiving credential clearance.

The individual applying for student media credentials will receive specific information on credential pickup and media regulations at the event via email in the days leading up to the state final.

Please note that student media credentials are only available for state final events in team sports. Due to the sheer volume of schools who qualify in individual sports, our press facilities would be unable to accommodate student media from all participating schools in individual sports. Student media are also welcome to cover IHSA state final activities. Credentials are not required for these events, but please have your students check-in with state final personnel upon arrival for media coverage regulations.

#### VIDEO TAPING STATE FINALS FOR COACH FILM BREAKDOWN

Each school will be eligible to receive a pass for an individual attending the state final event to shoot game film that is for the sole purpose of being used by the coaching staff for postgame breakdown. Passes for videographers shooting highlight videos, documentaries, etc. should be included in student media application reference above. Additional passes for videotaping purposes will need to come from the allotment of state final passes given to school/head coach at or prior to the state final event.

To apply for a credential to shoot video, please have your Athletic Director email Matt Troha (<a href="mailto:mtroha@ihsa.org">mtroha@ihsa.org</a>) at the IHSA with the name of the individual who will be taping and whether they are an adult or a student.

Please contact Matt Troha (309-663-6377) at the IHSA for any questions related to this document.

#### **Internet Video Broadcasting Information**



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IHSA Tournament Managers/Hosts,

The advent of greater broadcasting technology over the past few years has brought about many new potential broadcasters and many new broadcasting platforms and mediums, especially as it pertains to broadcasting video over on the internet. It is important to remember that most internet video streams of IHSA State Series (Regionals, Sectionals, Super-Sectionals, Football Playoffs) events will require that a broadcast rights fee be paid by the broadcasting individual/company. A new internet video broadcasting fee schedule has been developed and is located below, but first please read these reminders on how to determine if a fee is necessary should you be approached about a video webcast of the State Series event you are hosting. If at any time you ever have questions on the fees or any other matters related to broadcasting or media, please call Matt Troha at the IHSA office (309-663-6377).

#### **BROADCAST RIGHTS FEE PAYMENT REQUIRED**

There is an IHSA broadcast rights fee required with the broadcast if any one of the options below is applicable...

- 1) The internet video webcast is originated and accessible to viewers on any third-party website (i.e. media website, IHIGH, UStream, High School Cube, fan site, etc.).
- 2) If the crew producing the internet video webcast is not affiliated with the high school or not composed entirely of high school students and/or high school personnel.

#### BROADCAST RIGHTS FEE PAYMENT NOT REQUIRED

There is no IHSA broadcast rights fee required if both guidelines below are met...

- 1) The internet video webcast is produced and the crew populated entirely by high school students and high school personnel as a part of a high school tv station, AV Club, etc.
- 2) The internet video webcast is originated on and accessed by viewers on the high school website, the website of the city or on the school's IHSA.tv website (www.IHSA.tv/schoolname).

#### Internet Video Broadcast Rights Fee Schedule

Prior to the 2011-12 school year, internet video webcasts fell under the same broadcast rights fee schedule as television. Because of the growing number of internet broadcasting entities, the IHSA Media Advisory Committee felt like it was in the best interest of the medium to develop more affordable broadcast rights fees for video internet broadcasts. The rights fee schedule below was adopted beginning in the fall of 2011 for streaming video:

#### **BOYS BASKETBALL**

Per Regional Game-\$50 Per Regional Tournament-\$100
Per Sectional Game-\$75 Per Super-Sectional Game-\$100

#### **GIRLS BASKETBALL**

Per Regional Game-\$50 Per Regional Tournament-\$75
Per Sectional Game-\$50 Per Sectional Tournament-\$75
Per Super-Sectional Game-\$75

#### **FOOTBALL**

Per 1<sup>st</sup> Round Playoff Game-\$50 Per 2<sup>nd</sup> Round Playoff Game-\$50 Per Quarterfinal Playoff Game-\$75 Per Semifinal Playoff Game-\$100

#### **ALL OTHER SPORTS**

Per Regional Game/Meet-\$25 (\$50 whole tournament) Per Sectional Game/Meet-\$50 (\$75 whole tournament) Per Super-Sectional Game/Meet-\$75

# INSTRUCTIONS TO AND DUTIES OF THE ANNOUNCER FOR IHSA BOYS' AND GIRLS' BASKETBALL STATE SERIES GAMES

This document is provided to IHSA Boys' and Girls' Basketball State Series Managers for their use and is created from information provided by the National Federation of State High School Associations. Managers should make sure tournament announcers are given a copy of this prior to the regional, sectional, or super-sectional tournament for their review.

In a very real sense, the public address announcer at a high school event is a "Champion of Character". The public address announcer can influence the atmosphere of a contest by what is said and how it is said. The announcer who performs professionally promotes good sportsmanship by what he/she says and how he/she acts upon saying it. The announcer, like the scorer and timer, are extensions of the officiating crew, and by nature, are neutral parties to the contest. The announcer's role does not include "cheering the home team on" or otherwise inciting the crowd. Doing so is common at other levels of athletic events, but high school athletics is different because high school sports are educationally-based activities.

#### **Announcer Responsibilities**

- 1. The announcer shall be prohibited from making an announcement:
  - a. While the clock is running
  - b. While the clock is stopped and the ball is live (such as during a free throw, throw in, etc.)
- 2. Announcements or comments shall be made during those times when there is stoppage of the clock and the ball is not live, such as time outs, between quarters, or during pre-game, half-time, or post-game.
- 3. Unless there is an emergency, the announcer shall be prohibited from interrupting the game through the use of the microphone.
- 4. The announcer is allowed to announce basic information that does not potentially affect the play in general, the players, the coaches, or the officials. The announcer's information is not official information and, if announced, could mislead fans and others.

#### **Examples of Allowable Comments**

- Player who scored (quick notification without extreme emphasis)
- Player charged with a foul
- Player attempting a free throw
- Team granted a time out
- Length of time out (30 seconds or 60 seconds)
- Player entering game
- Team rosters/starting lineup

#### **Examples of Unapproved Comments**

- Number of points player scored
- Number of fouls on player
- Number of team fouls
- Number of team times outs or number of time outs remaining
- Type of foul or violation
- Emphatic 2 or 3 point goal

# INSTRUCTIONS TO AND DUTIES OF THE SCORER FOR BASKETBALL GAMES

#### **RULES COVERAGE:**

Rule 1-17: The scorer's location at the scorer's and timer's table must be clearly marked with an "x."

Rule 2-1-3: It is recommended that the official scorer and timer be seated next to each other.

Rule 2-4-3: The referee designates the official scorebook and the official scorer.

Rule 2-11: The duties and responsibilities of the official scorer are indicated. In case of doubt, signal the floor official as soon as conditions permit to verify the official's decision.

Rule 2-11-12: The official scorer is required to wear a black and white vertically striped garment.

#### RESPONSIBILITY:

The scorer's responsibility is so great that floor officials must establish the closest cooperation and understanding with them. The scorer must be accurate.

#### **EQUIPMENT:**

Scorebook, pencils, possession arrow and signaling device with sound different from that of the timer. The scorebook must be available for inspection at the table from 10 minutes prior to game time until the referee has approved the final score.

#### **BEFORE THE GAME:**

- Ten minutes before scheduled game time, the scorer shall be supplied with each team's roster and numbers.
- Ten minutes before scheduled game starting time, the scorer shall be supplied with the starting lineup.
- Notify the referee if either list is not submitted on time or is altered after time specified.
- If there are discrepancies, notify the referee before the ball is tossed.
- 5. Have coach sign that lineup is correct.

#### DURING INTERMISSIONS:

- Either the official scorer or a delegated assistant must be at the scorer's table with the official scorebook at all times.
- Verify the lineup after all intermissions and notify either floor official if a player, who has not reported, has entered the court.

#### **DURING THE COURSE OF THE GAME:**

- The nonofficial scorers should check each entry with the official scorebook.
- 2. The scorers should:
  - a. Announce to each other and record the total running score.
  - b. Announce the name and number of the player who scores.
  - c. Verify the scoreboard score.
  - d. Compare the summary of individual scores with the total running score at the end of each half.
  - Exchange the name and number of the player committing a foul and indicate the total fouls charged to the player.
  - f. Be responsible for the alternating-possession arrow.
  - g. Record warnings reported by an official.
- In case of controversy, the record of the official scorebook is accepted unless the referee has knowledge which permits him or her to rule otherwise.

#### SCORING: (Use the following recommended symbols)

- P for personal foul, followed by proper numeral indicating number of personal fouls charged to player as P<sup>1</sup>, P<sup>2</sup>, etc., or cross out appropriate number.
- 2. T for technical foul (direct or indirect on coach).
- Successful field goal: figure 2 or 3.
- 4. Free-throw attempt: O
- 5. Successful free throw: ⊗
- 6. Two or three free throws awarded: O O O O

- 7. First of one-and-one: Q
  First made, bonus awarded: Sonus free throw made: So
- 8. Record the number of charged time-outs (who/when) for each team.
- 9. Check the scoreboard often and have the progressive team totals available at all times. Points scored in the wrong basket are never credited to a player, but are credited to the team in a footnote. Points awarded for basket interference or goaltending by the defense are credited to the shooter. When a live ball goes in the basket, the last player who touched the ball causes it to go there.

#### **NOTIFY THE NEARER OFFICIAL WHEN:**

- 1. The bonus penalty is in effect for the seventh, eighth and ninth team foul in each half. The bonus display indicates a second free throw is awarded for all common fouls (other than player-control) if the first free throw is successful. The proper bonus panel, such as (H for home and V for visitor) shall be displayed after the penalty for the sixth team foul has been administered. Another method is to activate a light or device nearest the basket of the team which is to receive the bonus.
- The tenth team foul occurs each half. Thereafter, the bonus (second free throw) is awarded for a common foul (except playercontrol) whether or not the first is successful.
- Any player is charged with his or her fifth foul (personal or technical), the second technical foul is charged to any team member, bench personnel, directly to the head coach or the third technical foul is charged to the head coach.
- Either team has been granted its allotted charged time-outs or an excess time-out.
- 5. The ball is dead or in control of offending players team if:
  - Player has not reported.
  - b. Player's number changed.
  - c. Player is illegally in game.
- The ball is dead, if there is a score dispute or doubt about an official's decision.
- 7. Any player enters while wearing an illegal number.
- The ball is dead and the clock is stopped or running, if the coach requests that a correctable error as in 2-10, or a timing, scoring or alternating-possession mistake be prevented or rectified.

#### SUBSTITUTIONS:

- A substitution may be made when the ball is dead and time is out.
   A player who has been withdrawn may not re-enter before the next opportunity to substitute after the clock has been started properly following the player's replacement.
- 2. A substitute who is entitled and ready to enter must report to the official scorer. However, substitutions between halves shall be made to the official scorer by the substitute(s) or a team representative prior to the 15-second warning. When substitutes are not properly reported, the players in the game at the conclusion of the second quarter shall begin play in the third quarter.
- Following a time-out or intermission, the substitute must report or be in a position to report prior to the warning signal.
- A substitute may enter the court only when beckoned and must do so at once, except between quarters and during a time-out.
- If a substitute reports to enter for a designated jumper or free thrower, the substitute may not enter until the next dead ball and time is out.
- 6. A substitute may not be beckoned, if multiple free throws are awarded, until the last throw is to be attempted or the final throw is successful (unless a player has been directed to leave the game by an official).
- A substitute may replace a designated starter in case of illness or injury or to attempt a technical-foul free throw.

It is not permissible for a substitute to replace a designated jumper, or a free thrower when the free throw is for a personal foul, unless such jumper or free thrower is disqualified or injured. The scorer should not signal after the free thrower or thrower has been handed the ball or the ball is at the disposal of such player or team or until the official has completed reporting a foul.

# INSTRUCTIONS TO AND DUTIES OF THE TIMER FOR BASKETBALL GAMES

#### RULES COVERAGE:

Rule 2-4-2: The referee shall designate the official timepiece and its operator.

Rule 2-12: Duties and responsibilities of the timer are indicated. An efficient timer will carefully study these sections and become thoroughly familiar with all their responsibilities. The timer shall sound a warning signal 15 seconds before the expiration of an intermission, a time-out (60- or 30-second) and the 20-second interval to replace a disqualified or injured player, or a player directed to leave the game. The timer shall also signal when the time has expired for an intermission, a charged time-out or a replacement interval.

#### **EQUIPMENT:**

Electric clock timer and one stopwatch, or a table-clock timer and one or two stopwatches. A gong, loud siren or electric air horn to signal the end of playing time. When present, a red/LED light is permitted to end a quarter or extra period; otherwise, the audible signal ends the quarter or extra period.

#### BEFORE THE GAME:

- The official timer should ascertain the game starting time and suggest that the referee and coaches synchronize their watches.
- Review the official signals for starting the clock, time-out, a foul or violation.
- 3. Notify the scorer 10 minutes prior to the starting time.

#### **TIMING REGULATIONS:**

- 1. Playing time shall be:
  - a. For teams of high school age four quarters of eight minutes each with intermissions of one minute after the first and third quarters and 10 minutes between halves. Halftime may be extended to a maximum of 15 minutes upon proper notification.
  - b. For teams younger than in (a) four quarters of six minutes each with intermissions same as for (a).
- 2. Overtime Play:
  - a. If the score is tied at the end of the second half, play shall continue without change of baskets for one or more extra periods, with a one-minute intermission before each.
  - b. The length of each extra period shall be four minutes (or half the time of a regulation quarter for non-varsity contests).
  - c. As many such extra periods as are needed to break the tie shall be played. Game ends, if, at end of any extra period, the score is not tied.
  - d. Extra periods are an extension of the fourth quarter.
- A time-out charged to a team is of either 60-seconds or 30-second duration unless both teams are ready to resume play sooner.
- 4. No time-out is charged to a team when:
  - a. The floor official grants a player's request because of displaced eyeglasses or lens.
  - A correctable error as in 2-10, or a timing, scoring or alternating possession mistake has been prevented or rectified.
- The sounding of the scorer's signal or game horn does not cause the game timepiece to be stopped.

#### START THE OFFICIAL TIMEPIECE WHEN:

- 1. A tossed ball is legally tapped when play is started by a jump.
- The ball touches a player on the court during a throw-in (if clock has been stopped).
- An official signals "start the clock." If he or she neglects to do so, the official timepiece should be started unless an official specifically signals that it should not be started.
- 4. The ball touches or is touched by a player on the court provided the ball is to remain live if the free throw is missed. In these cases, the official will give the start-the-clock signal, but if he or she neglects to do so, the official timepiece should be started when it is apparent the ball touches a player and is to remain live.

#### STOP THE OFFICIAL TIMEPIECE WHEN:

- 1. Any period ends.
- An official gives a time-out signal. The official will order time-out when:
  - A foul is called by holding hand with fingers closed at arm's length above head.
  - b. A jump/held ball is declared by giving the jump-ball signal (holding thumbs up at shoulder height away from body and motioning upward with both arms extended).
  - c. A violation occurs by giving the time-out signal (holding hand with fingers extended at arm's length above head) after which the proper violation signal is given.
  - d. There is to be a charged time-out, or an official's time-out for a technical foul, or other stoppage indicated by a floor official who holds a hand at arm's length above the head with fingers extended.

#### NEAR THE END OF PLAYING TIME:

- If a watch is being used as the official timepiece, place it so that the timer may see it and the ball. The watch must be stopped the instant the signal ending the game is sounded.
- When a timing device other than a watch is the official timepiece, the timer must assist in determining the position of the ball when time expires.
- 3. Some timers, in order to avoid misunderstanding concerning the position of the ball when time expires, have one person watch the official timepiece and count aloud 10 9 8 7, etc., while another person watches the ball and notes its position at the exact moment time expires.
- 4. If a quarter or extra period ends and:
  - a. The timer has been unable to make an official hear the signal, the timer must immediately notify the official.
  - b. The timing signal fails or is not heard by an official, the timer must be prepared to advise the referee as to whether the ball was in flight when time expired, or whether a foul occurred before or after the period had ended.
  - c. The timing signal is not heard by the officials, testimony of the timer may determine whether a score shall count or a foul shall be charged, unless the referee has information which would alter the situation.

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# Link to typeable and printable pdf form for IHSA Pass Gate: http://www.ihsa.org/documents/forms/General\_Pass\_Gate\_List.pdf



# SAMPLE FORM IHSA Pass Gate List

Illinois High School Association 2715 McGraw Dr., Bloomington, IL 61704

Phone: 309-663-6377 Fax: 309-663-7479

Sport/Activity:

The fields in this form will accept a cursor and can be filled out prior to printing.

The following are the only persons representing a member school to be admitted free to this contest. The top seven (7) categories will be admitted for the entire tournament. Rostered players will only be admitted accompanied by the coach.

Participating schools must complete this form and return it to the tournament manager prior to the start of the event.

Hos	t School:				
Lev	el:	Regional	○ Sectional	○ Super-Sectional	
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7.	Assistant C	Coach		Guest	
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	Assistant C	Coach		Guest	
8.	Manager				
9.	Scorekeep	er			
10.	Video/Cam	nera Operator			
11.	Bus Driver				
12.	Athletic Tr	ainer			
13.	All rostere	d players according	to the terms and conditions.		
		All other repre	sentatives from your sch	ool must pay to attend a	nn IHSA tournament.
		In case o	of emergency or need to o	communicate changes to	o your school:
Conta	ct Person:			Contact Person:	
Cell Pl	hone:			Cell Phone:	
Email	:			Email:	



#### Standardized Basketball Statistics



In an effort to standardize statistical information, personnel at member schools should incorporate the following when compiling individual and cumulative team basketball statistics:

In situations where a college or university Sports Information Department is responsible for statistical material, Super-Sectional managers should supply the SID with a copy of the box score for style purposes.

#### **Uniform Statistical Recording**

**Terminology:** Total Field Goal Made (FG) is all baskets made (which includes 2-point plus 3-point goals). Total Field Goal Attempted (FGA) is all shots attempted whether it is made or not. Three-Point Field Goal made is a shot made from beyond the 3-point line. Three-Point Field Goal attempted is a shot from beyond the 3-point line whether made or not. Free Throw Made (FT) is a foul shot made. Free Throw Attempted (FTA) is foul shot attempted whether it is made or not. Rebound (REB) is a missed shot retrieved by an individual whether or not the shot was taken by a teammate or an opponent. Assist (A) is a pass from a teammate that leads directly to a basket (NOTE: If player takes two dribbles before shooting, no assist is to be credited unless play is a breakaway.) Personal Foul (PF) is the number of fouls committed. Total Points (TP) are the actual number of points scored by an individual and team — by adding 2-point field goals plus the 3-point field goals and the free throws totals together. Blocked Shots (BLK) are opponent shots blocked which do not hit the rim or backboard. Steals (S) are when a player takes the ball away from the opponent before the opponent can shoot or pass the ball.

**Important:** When showing field goals and three-point field goals, the overall field goals is total 2 point and 3 point field goals made and attempted. The 3 point field goals are only those made and attempted from 3 point range. When figuring the up-to-date totals, you must list all 2 point and 3 point field goal attempts and all 2 point and 3 point field goals made in the overall column and only the 3 point made and attempted in that column. When we justify the statistics, we multiply total field goals made by two (2) points, add in one point for each 3 point field goal made and add in one point for each free throw made.

Example:	Overall							
•	2-pt. + 3-pt.	Only 3-pt.	All FT	Tot.				
Name	FG-FGA	FG-FGA	M-Att	Points				
Marty Hickman	10-20	2-4	7-10	29				
•	(2x10=20) +	2 (=22) +	7 (=29)					

#### Scoring Rules:

- a) ALL shots, whether from the field or from the foul line, unless nullified by a floor violation, foul, or elapsed time must be counted.
- b) Rebounds should be awarded when a player gains control of a missed shot, regardless of whether he catches the ball in the air or on the bounce.

#### **Important Notes:**

- a) When an offensive player tips a missed shot back at the basket, one rebound and one field goal attempted should be recorded.
- b) No individual rebound should be awarded when the ball goes out of bounds after a missed shot. That should be recorded as a team rebound for the team that receives the ball.
- c) If a shooter misses the first of a pair of free throws on a two-shot foul, the team shooting should receive a team rebound.
- d) The total number of missed shots should equal the total number of rebounds.
- e) Technical fouls on individual players are included in the personal foul category.
- f) Score by Quarters is the actual number of points made by a team in a given guarter.
- g) Shooting percentages are obtained by dividing the total number of shots in a particular category into the number of particular shots made.

#### **SAMPLE FORM**

# ILLINOIS HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

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# **Boys Basketball Up-to-Date Statistics**

(Through Super-Sectional Final)

The fields in this form will accept a cursor and can be filled out prior to printing.

Be sure to list cumulative statistics of all tournament roster players through the Super-Sectional final game. This form must be completed and faxed to the IHSA Office so that it is received by 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, March 9, 2016 (Class 1A & 2A) or Wednesday, March 16, 2016 (Class 3A & 4A). These stats will be included in the state final program for each of the teams that qualify.

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#### 2015-2016 IHSA Request To <u>Purchase</u> Additional/Replacement State Series Awards

<ol> <li>To ensure an accurate order of replacement a</li> <li>Please fax this completed form to Cheryl Low</li> <li>An invoice will be emailed to you. The awards invoice from IHSA and payment.</li> <li>Mail payment and invoice to A &amp; M Products.</li> </ol>	rery @ 30s s company	9-663-7479.				
◆ This form is to be used only, if your school reason (check one):Team Roster exceeds the number of allowed medallions per the T&C's	l is purch	nasing duplicate awa Coop Schoo Dual Campu Lost Broken	ol			
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Girls	ò	Boys				
Level of Competition:						
RegionalSectional	_	_Super-Sectional	State			
Type of Award:						
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Email Address:						
School:						
Address:						
City, ZIP Code:						
Phone Number:						
Fax Number						





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- ◆ Tournament Managers/Hosts who need to request duplicate awards due to ties at their tournament/meet must complete the form in the Online Manual for Managers and send it directly to the awards company— Do Not Use the form above.
- ◆ **Trophy Letters**: Schools who need replacement letters for trophies, please contact A & M Products direct at 815-875-2667.

#### Extra Medal Pricing for Schools:

Qty:	<u>Finish</u>	State Medallion	Reg./Sect Medal	Shipping
1 – 5	Goldtone (1 <sup>st</sup> )	\$4.45	\$3.95	\$6.50
	Nickel Silver (2 <sup>nd</sup> )	\$4.95	\$4.45	
	Bronze (3 <sup>rd</sup> )	\$4.60	\$4.15	
6 – 12	Goldtone (1 <sup>st</sup> )	\$4.20	\$3.70	\$7.00
	Nickel Silver (2 <sup>nd</sup> )	\$4.70	\$4.20	
	Bronze (3 <sup>rd</sup> )	\$4.35	\$3.85	
13 – 24	Goldtone (1 <sup>st</sup> )	\$3.95	\$3.45	\$7.50
	Nickel Silver (2 <sup>nd</sup> )	\$4.45	\$3.95	
	Bronze (3 <sup>rd</sup> )	\$4.10	\$3.65	
25 or	Goldtone (1 <sup>st</sup> )	\$3.70	\$3.20	\$8.00
more	Nickel Silver (2 <sup>nd</sup> )	\$4.20	\$3.70	
	Bronze (3 <sup>rd</sup> )	\$3.85	\$3.40	

#### Extra Plaque/Trophy Pricing for Schools (Shipping included):

Regional Champion Plaque	\$50.00
Sectional and Super-Sectional Champion Plaque	\$66.00
Third/Fourth place trophy	\$269.00
Champion/Runner-Up	\$297.00

#### **Gold figure Replacement Pricing (\$10.00 shipping per figure)**

#### Oxidized bronze finish pre 2008-09 school year, call for pricing and availability

Gold State Champion-top figure (#1)	\$51.00
Gold State Champion-side figure (#1)	\$51.00
Gold State Runner-up-top figure (#1)	\$51.00
Gold State Runner-up-side figure (#1)	\$51.00
Gold State 3rd/4th Place-top figure (#1)	\$51.00

#### Gold figures and plate replacement pricing

#### Oxidized bronze finish pre 2008-09 school year, call A&M for pricing and availability

State 3 <sup>rd</sup> /4 <sup>th</sup> Place Gold-side figure (#2)	\$33.00, plus \$10.00 shipping
Girls Soccer – Gold-side figure 3 <sup>rd</sup> /4th Place (#3)	\$27.00, plus \$10.00 shipping
Music Lyre – Gold-side figure 3rd Place (#3)	\$27.00, plus \$10.00 shipping
Badminton Gold shuttlecock and/or riser	\$27.00, plus \$10.00 shipping
Repl. Trophy Plate w/lasering names	\$30.00, plus \$10.00 shipping
Repl. Black Plate for SF Trophy w/o lasering	\$12.00, includes shipping
Bat, Tennis, Golf Club Replacement for All Figurine	\$16.00, includes shipping

Orders will be **processed upon Receipt of Full Payment**. Please allow three (3) weeks for delivery. Thank you.

