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NCHSAA BASKETBALL 23-24



End of Season Reminders

- All game results will need to reported in MaxPreps
 - Please do not assume someone else has done this
- Conference tournaments, if played, should end this Friday, February 23, 2024
- Make sure that any non-NCHSAA school or schools that do not use MaxPreps platform is entered as "Varsity Opponent" on your schedule
- 24 games are the season limit
 - Inclusive of regular season, tournament games, and conference games
- Conference tournaments are considered playoffs (Varsity Only)
- Conference tournament games will need to be indicated as such in MaxPreps
- Any conference ties will need to be broken
 - Conference determination



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During playoffs:

Lights, spotlights, smoke, horns, etc.. are not allowed during introductions or during the game.

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Conference Tournament Seeding

- Seed the tournament based on the regular season standings
- ❖ If 2 or more teams are tied, and teams played any nonconference games against each other, the team with the better record in all head-to-head games gets the higher conference seed.
- The use of non-conference or tournament meetings prior to the conference tournament is ONLY for the seeding in the conference tournament.



Playoff Berths Qualifications

- (a) Each conference will be allotted automatic playoff berths based on the number of schools fielding a team in a particular sport in each classification.
- (1) 1-5 teams = 1 Berth (Conference Champion)
- (2) 6+ teams = 2 Berths (Conference Champion and Second Place or Conference Tournament

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- (b) The highest finishing team from a given classification in a split conference will automatically qualify, regardless of overall conference finish, provided there are at least two schools from each classification in that split conference.
- (c) Any remaining, non-automatic qualifying teams in each region (East/West) will fill the remaining berths based upon their RPI rating. A team cannot qualify for a berth before all teams in their conference that finished ahead of them in the conference standings have qualified (Leap Frog Provision)



Seeding

- The NCHSAA will seed boys and girls brackets on Saturday, February 24, 2024
- Higher seed team will host 1st 4th rounds of the playoffs
- The NCHSAA will put the regional supervisor that assigns the higher seed team in DragonFly
- Schools will need to report game results in DragonFly before 11:59 p.m. after each game
- MaxPreps will pull results from DragonFly.
- The NCHSAA will make officiating assignments third round –state championships

- Financial Reports will be available through DragonFly.
 - Please direct any financial questions to Tavares Toomer (<u>taveres@nchsaa.org</u>)
- Postponed games must be rescheduled on the next possible date excluding Sunday. Both schools and the NCHSAA must be involved in the decision to postpone any playoff contest
- Conference tournaments, if played should end on the Friday night prior to the seeding date (2/23/24)



Playoff Opt Out Form

- Located on Basketball page of the NCHSAA website

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- ❖ Due to the NCHSAA Thursday, February 22, 2024
- Please send to my attentions
 - Rhonda@nchsaa.org



Playoff Dates

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- Second Round
- Third Round
- Fourth Round
- Championship Zoom Meeting
- Championship Week

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Playoff Game Times

- In all classifications, playoff games are played on the home court of the higher seeded team or a mutually agreed upon neutral site
- Game times are 7:00 p.m. for single games or 6:30 and 8:00 for doubleheaders
 - By mutual agreement, a doubleheader may be played at 6 and 7:30 p.m.
 - If travel is greater than 100 miles one way, game time shall be 6 and 7:30 with the game involving the visiting team with the greatest travel distance being played at 6:00 p.m.



Cheerleaders

 Should remain seated while the ball is in play, which includes afte the free throw shooter is handed the ball.

Cheerleaders may NOT come onto the floor during 30-second time-outs

 If on the second row of bleachers, cheerleaders may stand to cheer while the ball is in play.

Battling is prohibited

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