



Kentucky High School Athletic Association

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KHSAA STATE VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT SET FOR THIS WEEK

The 2009 KHSAA State Volleyball Tournament is slated for this Friday and Saturday, Oct. 30-31 at Regents Hall on the campus of Northern Kentucky University in Highland Heights. Gates open at 9:30 a.m. and tournament play begins at 10:30 and continues through 7:15 p.m. Quarterfinal play begins on Saturday at 9 a.m., followed by the semifinals at 2 and 3:15 p.m. and the State Championship match at 7:30 p.m.

General admission tickets will be available at the door and priced at \$7 each per session. Sessions are as follows: Session 1 – All Friday Play; Session 2 – Saturday’s quarterfinals and semifinals; Session 3 – State Championship match. An all-session general admission ticket will also be on sale for \$18. Children six and under will

be admitted free of charge. Parking is available at an on-campus structure for \$2 per day.

Fans and media may follow the latest happenings from the event via the Riherd’s/KHSAA Scoreboard (<http://scoreboard.khsaa.org/>) and Twitter (www.twitter.com/khsaaevents).

A complete State Volleyball Bracket is available at www.khsaa.org/volleyball.

STATE VOLLEYBALL SEMI-FINALS/FINAL TO BE STREAMED VIA WEB

For the second consecutive year, the semifinals and finals of the KHSAA State Volleyball Tournament will be streamed via iHigh.com. Ryan Lemond and St. Henry District coach Maureen Kaiser will call the action. The semifinals will air on a delayed basis while the State Championship match will be streamed live. The matches can be seen at

http://www.ihigh.com/KY/article_14800.html

STATE VOLLEYBALL “PINK OUT” FOR AWARENESS

A “Pink Out” will be staged during the 2009 State Volleyball Tournament for Breast Cancer Awareness. Pink backpacks will be sold to help raise money that will be donated to breast cancer awareness. In addition, for Saturday night’s championship, the teams will wear pink t-shirts during opening ceremonies, match officials will wear pink and use pink whistles and free pink pom poms will be passed out to the crowd. The theme of the event is “Pass....Pink....Cure!”

SECTIONAL SOCCER

Soccer enters round four Wednesday and Thursday with sectional play. The State Soccer Tournaments is next week, Nov. 4-5 and 7 at Toyota Stadium in Georgetown. General admission tickets are \$7 each and will be available beginning at 5 p.m. each evening. Children six and under will be admitted free. Parking will be \$5 per car.

KHSAA CHAMPIONSHIP MEDIA CREDENTIAL REQUEST FORMS NOW ONLINE

In an effort to make things more convenient for media members, the KHSAA has implemented a slight change in its credentialing process. Instead of mailing a hard copy of the credential request forms to each media outlet as was done in the past, credential forms have now been posted to the KHSAA website in both Microsoft Word and PDF formats.

Please download the form, fill it out and either fax or email it back to Marilyn Mitchell at (859) 293-5999 or mmitchell@khsaa.org. Currently the Fall Sports Championship and Commonwealth Gridiron Bowl (football) are



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available while the Winter Sports, Basketball, and Spring Sports will be posted soon. All outlets wishing to cover a KHSAA championship event **must submit a form**.

The forms may be accessed by the following link to the KHSAA website

<http://www.khsaa.org/forms/sportsinformation.html>

FOLLOW KHSAA NEWS THROUGH TWITTER

Fans and media are now able to follow the latest happenings of any KHSAA sponsored sport they choose, thanks to Twitter. The KHSAA has established accounts for each sport offered by the Association that will deliver the latest news and tournament information. **Media members** may also follow the Association through a special account set up to deliver news and releases directly to the media (www.twitter.com/khsaanews). **This account is not open to the public.** The following are KHSAA Twitter account names set up for the public to follow:

www.twitter.com/khsaaevents

www.twitter.com/khsaascoreboard

www.twitter.com/khsaabaseball

www.twitter.com/khsaabasketball

www.twitter.com/khsaaxcountry

www.twitter.com/khsaafotball

www.twitter.com/khsaagolf

www.twitter.com/khsaasoccer

www.twitter.com/khsaasoftball

www.twitter.com/khsaaswimming

www.twitter.com/khsaatennis

www.twitter.com/khsaatrack

www.twitter.com/khsaavolleyball

www.twitter.com/khsaawrestling

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UPCOMING EVENTS/MEETINGS

October 30-31	KHSAA State Volleyball Tournament, Regents Hall, Highland Heights
November 4-5, 7	KHSAA Boys' and Girls' State Soccer Championships, Toyota Stadium, Georgetown
November 14	KHSAA State Cross Country Meet, Kentucky Horse Park, Lexington
November 16	KHSAA Regular Board of Control Meeting, KHSAA Office, Lexington
December 4-5	Commonwealth Gridiron Bowl, L.T. Smith/Houchens Stadium, Bowling Green