

KENTUCKY HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION



SPORTS NEWS

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FALL SPORTS BEGIN 2004-05 SCHOOL YEAR

Golf was the first sport to begin competition on Aug. 2, kicking off the 2004-05 school year. Volleyball's first official play date is Monday, Aug. 9 while Soccer and Cross Country begin competition Aug. 16. Football rounds out the fall sports, with its season opening on Friday, Aug. 20.

NEW ATHLETIC ADMINISTRATORS WORKSHOP

For the fourth consecutive year, KHSAA staff will be conducting a New Athletic Administrators Workshop. The program is scheduled for Friday, Aug. 13 at the KHSAA Office in Lexington. The workshop will help introduce programs and procedures for those who have entered an athletic administrators' role within the last year.

Last year, over 55 individuals attended. Over the past three years, some 200 administrators have attended the one day seminar.

2004-05 PUBLICATIONS

The 2004-05 KHSAA Event Calendar is now available for purchase. The calendar includes sports specific important dates as well as Board of Control and Advisory Committee meetings and other KHSAA related information. Calendars are \$8 each by mail or \$6 if purchased at the KHSAA office. Orders can be made by contacting Marilyn Mitchell at the KHSAA office or purchased online through the KHSAA website.

Orders are now being taken for 2004-05 KHSAA Handbooks. Those may also be ordered online or by contacting Ms. Mitchell. Handbooks are \$15 each by mail or \$10 if purchased in person for the bound printed version. The three-ring binder insert version will again be available by mail for \$20 or \$30 for the binder and insert. In-person, the insert is \$15 or \$25 for the binder and insert.

Handbooks, as in the past, will be mailed the first full week of September.

The Athlete magazine, the quarterly publication of the Association, is available for a one-year subscription price of \$15. The subscription includes the popular "Year-End" championship results issue.

The 2003-04 Year-End results issue will be available in late August.

SOCCER, VOLLEYBALL AND FOOTBALL SCHEDULES

Schedules for boys' and girls' soccer, volleyball and football have been posted on the Riherd's/KHSAA scoreboard. Member schools are reminded to make sure all games have been entered through the "Member School Only" link on the KHSAA website.

VOLLEYBALL SCORING REVISION

Beginning with the 2004 playing season, National Federation rules have changed to include "rally" scoring in volleyball for all regular and post season play. Matches will consist of the best three out of five games to 25 points by two with no cap. The fifth game, if needed, will be played to 15 points by two with no cap.

The KHSAA, by state Association adoption, will play under a modified scoring format permitted by the NFHS. Varsity matches will consist of the best two out of three games to 25 points by two with no cap. The third game, if needed, will be played to 25 points by two with no cap.

SOCCER ALIGNMENT

The KHSAA Board of Control approved in November of 2003 a revised soccer alignment for the 2004 and 2005 seasons. The alignment is now consistent for boys and girls teams with regard to teams in the same district.

Following is the approved alignment:

Section 1

Sub-Section 1 (Regions 1 & 2)

Region 1

District 1-Heath, Hickman Co., Lone Oak, Paducah Tilghman, Reidland, St. Mary

District 2-Calloway Co., Christian Fellowship, Graves Co., Marshall Co., Mayfield, Murray

Region 2

District 3-Christian Co., Fort Campbell, Hopkinsville, Todd Co. Central, University Heights

District 4-Caldwell Co., Dawson Springs, Crittenden Co., Lyon Co., Trigg Co.

Sub-Section 2 (Regions 3 & 4)

Region 3

District 5-Henderson Co., Hopkins Co. Central, Madisonville-No. Hopkins, Union Co., Webster Co.

District 6-Apollo, Daviess Co., Ohio Co., Owensboro, Owensboro Catholic

Region 4

District 7-Butler Co., Franklin Simpson, Grayson Co., Muhlenberg North, Muhlenberg South, Russellville

District 8-Barren Co., Bowling Green, Glasgow, Greenwood, Warren East, Warren Central

Section 2

Sub-Section 3 (Regions 5 & 6)

Region 5

District 9-Bardstown, Bethlehem, Bullitt Central, Bullitt East, Nelson Co., North Bullitt

District 10-Central Hardin, Elizabethtown, Fort Knox, John Hardin, Meade Co., North Hardin

Region 6

District 11-Butler, Iroquois, Holy Cross (Louisville), Doss, Pleasure Ridge Park, Western, DeSales

District 12-Male, DuPont Manual, Central, St. Xavier, St. Francis, Brown, Mercy, Presentation

Sub-Section 4 (Regions 7 & 8)

Region 7

District 13-Louisville Collegiate, Waggener, Atherton, Trinity (Louisville), Sacred Heart, Assumption

District 14-Fern Creek, Whitefield Academy, Seneca, Evangel, Moore, Southern

Region 8

District 15-Ballard, Eastern, Christian Academy-Louisville, Jeffersontown, Kentucky Country Day, Walden

District 16-Carroll Co., North Oldham, Oldham Co., Shelby Co., South Oldham, Spencer Co.

Section 3

Sub-Section 5 (Regions 9 & 10)

Region 9

District 17-Boone Co., Conner, Ryle, St. Henry

District 18-Calvary Christian, Dixie Heights, Scott, Simon Kenton, Villa Madonna

Region 10

District 19- Bishop Brossart, Campbell Co., Dayton, Highlands, Newport Central Catholic

District 20-Covington Catholic, Covington Latin, Holmes, Holy Cross (Covington), Ludlow, Notre Dame

Sub-Section 6 (Regions 11 & 12)

Region 11

District 21-Menifee Co., Jackson City, Bath Co., Rowan Co.

District 22-Ashland Blazer, Greenup Co., East Carter, West Carter, Boyd Co., Russell, Rose Hill

Region 12

District 23-Grant Co., Mason Co., St. Patrick, Pendleton Co., Walton-Verona

District 24-Bourbon Co., George Rogers Clark, Harrison Co., Montgomery Co., Paris

Section 4

Sub-Section 7 (Regions 13 & 14)

Region 13

District 25-Anderson Co., Franklin Co., Frankfort, Owen Co., Western Hills, Woodford Co.

District 26-Bryan Station, Henry Clay, Sayre, Scott Co., Tates Creek

Region 14

District 27-East Jessamine, Lafayette, Lexington Catholic, Lexington Christian, Paul Dunbar, West Jessamine

District 28-Berea, Estill Co., Madison Central, Madison Southern, Model

Sub-Section 8 (Regions 15 & 16)

Region 15

District 29-Boyle Co., Campbellsville, Danville, Garrard Co., Harrodsburg, Marion Co., Mercer Co., Taylor Co.

District 30-Adair Co., Lincoln Co., Pulaski Co., Pulaski Southwestern, Russell Co., Somerset

Region 16

District 31-Corbin, Middlesboro, North Laurel, Oneida Baptist, South Laurel

District 32-Belfry, East Ridge, Perry Co. Central, Pike Co. Central, Pikeville, Shelby Valley

SOCCER PRESEASON COACHES POLL

The preseason poll as compiled by the Boys' Soccer Coaches Association has been posted on the KHSAA website.

To view see the following link:

<http://www.khsaa.org/soccer/boyspoll.pdf>

The preseason poll as compiled by the Girls' Soccer Coaches Association has been posted on the KHSAA website. To view see the following link:

<http://www.khsaa.org/soccer/girlspoll.pdf>

CROSS COUNTRY MEETS SCHEDULE

Following is a listing of high school cross country meets scheduled through Sept. 4 as published by the Kentucky Track and Cross Country Coaches Association. To view a complete season schedule listing, check out the coaches association website at www.ktccca.org.

Aug. 24 Comcast Knoxville Track Club XC Series

Aug. 28 Dayton Devils Distance Relays ; Bernard Keene Inv. at Neslon County HS; Fort Campbell Invitational; Daviess County Classic; All-Comers at Masterson Station Park, Lexington; Bell County Hokem Karem.

Aug. 30 Danville All-Comers

Sept. 2 Tomcat Invitational at Ashland Blazer; Model All-Comers; Comcast Knoxville Track Club XC

Sept. 4 Madisonville-North Hopkins Invitational; Tiger Run at Seneca Park, Louisville; Pendleton Invitational Meet; Hancock County Invitational

TENNIS ALIGNMENT

The Board of Control, at its July 2004 meeting, approved the following tennis alignment for the 2005 and 2006 championship years.

Region 1-Ballard Memorial, Calloway County, Community Christian (Paducah), Fulton City, Graves County, Heath, Lone Oak, Marshall County, Mayfield, Murray, Paducah Tilghman, Reidland, St. Mary

Region 2-Caldwell County, Christian County, Fort Campbell, Henderson County, Hopkins County Central, Hopkinsville, Lyon County, Madisonville-North Hopkins, Providence, Trigg County, Union County, University Heights, Webster County

Region 3-Apollo, Butler County, Daviess County, Frederick Fraize, Grayson County, Hancock County, McLean County, Muhlenberg North, Muhlenberg South, Ohio County, Owensboro, Owensboro Catholic

Region 4-Allen County-Scottsville, Barren County, Bowling Green, Caverna, Clinton County, Cumberland County, Franklin-Simpson, Glasgow, Greenwood, Hart County, Logan County, Metcalfe County, Monroe County, Russellville, Warren Central, Warren East

Region 5-Adair County, Bardstown, Bethlehem, Campbellsville, Central Hardin, Elizabethtown, Fort Knox, Green County, John Hardin, Larue County, Marion County, Meade County, Nelson County, North Hardin, Taylor County, Washington County

Region 6-Brown, Butler, Central, DeSales (B), Doss, DuPont Manual, Evangel Christian, Fairdale, Holy Cross (Louisville), Iroquois, Male, Pleasure Ridge Park, Portland Christian, Presentation (G), Shawnee, Southern, St. Francis, St. Xavier (B), Valley, Western

Region 7-Assumption (G), Atherton, Ballard, Christian Academy-Louisville, Eastern, Fern Creek, Jeffersontown, Kentucky Country Day, Louisville Collegiate, Mercy (G), Moore, Sacred Heart (G), Seneca, Trinity (Louisville) (B), Waggener, Walden, Whitefield Academy

Region 8-Anderson County, Bullitt Central, Bullitt East, Carroll County, Gallatin County, Frankfort, Franklin County, North Bullitt, North Oldham, Oldham County, Shelby County, South Oldham, Spencer County, Trimble County, Western Hills, Williamstown

Region 9-Beechwood, Boone County, Calvary Christian, Conner, Covington Catholic (B), Covington Latin, Dixie Heights, Holmes, Holy Cross (Covington), Lloyd Memorial, Notre Dame (G), Ryle, Scott, Simon Kenton, St. Henry District, Villa Madonna

Region 10-Augusta, Bellevue, Bourbon County, Bracken County, Campbell County, Dayton, Deming, George Rogers Clark, Harrison County, Highlands, Mason County, Montgomery County, Newport, Newport Central Catholic, Nicholas County, Paris, Pendleton County, St. Patrick

Region 11-Bryan Station, East Jessamine, Henry Clary, Lafayette, Lexington Catholic, Lexington Christian, Madison Central, Model, Paul Dunbar, Sayre, Scott County, Tates Creek, West Jessamine, Woodford County

Region 12-Berea, Boyle County, Casey County, Danville, Garrard County, Harrodsburg, Lincoln County, Madison Southern, McCreary Central, Mercer County, Pulaski County, Pulaski Southwestern, Russell County, Somerset

Region 13-Barbourville, Bell County, Clay County, Corbin, Cumberland, Harlan, Knox Central, Lynn Camp, Middlesboro, North Laurel, Oneida Baptist Institute, Pineville, South Laurel, Whitley County

Region 14-Breathitt County, Buckhorn, Fleming-Neon, Hazard, Jackson City, Jenkins, June Buchanan, Knott County Central, Lee County, Letcher, Perry County Central, Whitesburg

Region 15-Allen Central, Betsy Layne, East Ridge, Lawrence County, Magoffin County, Morgan County, Paintsville, Pike County Central, Pikeville, Prestonsburg, Sheldon Clark

Region 16-Ashland Blazer, Bath County, Boyd County, East Carter, Greenup County, Lewis County, Raceland, Rose Hill Christian, Rowan County, Russell

The team champion from the regional tournament shall advance both singles entrants, and both doubles teams to the state tournament. In addition, the top two singles finishers who were not on the winning or runner-up team shall

advance, using a playoff to determine advancement if needed. In addition, the top two doubles teams who were not on the winning or runner-up team shall advance to the state tournament, using a playoff to determine advancement if necessary.

NEXT KHSAA BOARD MEETING

The next regularly schedule meeting of the Kentucky High School Athletic Association Board of Control is scheduled for Sept. 16-17 at the KHSAA Office in Lexington. The Board will hold a special meeting on Aug. 23 in Lexington to review appeals.