



CIF/Central Coast Section
2012 BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIPS
 Participant Information Bulletin

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ATTENTION ATHLETIC DIRECTORS:

Please route this bulletin to your HEAD VARSITY BASKETBALL COACH, and make sure that you and your coach have read the [BASKETBALL](#) Section of the [CCS TOURNAMENT GUIDE](#).

cc: League Commissioners, Site Directors, Executive Committee

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MEETINGS

- **SEEDING: SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 2012 @ CCS Office**
 - 8:30 am – Boys – All Divisions (League Reps only); 9:10 am – coaches can enter
 - 1:30 pm – Girls – All Divisions (League Reps only); 2:10 pm – coaches can enter
- All League Representatives are expected to attend the Seeding Meeting and MUST bring the appropriately SIGNED and completed [Season Summary Sheet](#) forms (can be found on the [Basketball](#) page on the CCS website) for all entries from their league, which includes League Champion, other Automatic Qualifiers and teams that qualify for participation in the Tournament by having either a League record, or non-League record, of at least .500.

TEAMS THAT DO NOT SUBMIT THIS REQUIRED FORM PRIOR TO THE BEGINNING OF THE SEEDING MEETING WILL NOT PARTICIPATE IN THE CCS PLAYOFFS!

- **EVALUATION: MONDAY, MARCH 19, 2012 @ 6:00pm - CCS Office**

CHAMPIONSHIPS DATES / TIMES / SITES

IMPORTANT NOTICE REGARDING SITES AND TIMES OF PLAY: The CCS Commissioner and/or staff shall be responsible for all contracts for sites used during the CCS Play-offs. The CCS Commissioner and/or staff have sole authority to schedule or cancel sites, as well as full discretion as to the assignment or re-assignment of teams to times and sites throughout the CCS Play-offs. The CCS Commissioner and/or staff have the final authority in any disputes over sites or times of play, and the decision of the CCS Commissioner is not subject to appeal due to the immediacy of running the Tournament for the good of the whole. Neutral sites are not a policy of the CCS and should not be expected in any rounds of play. Sites will be assigned by the CCS for the good of the Tournament.

ADDITIONAL NOTE: Due to probable larger crowds and, thus, possible delays in entering the playing venues (especially at the Finals), all parents and other spectators should be encouraged to plan their arrival times accordingly

ALL DATES, TIMES, SITES: SUBJECT TO CHANGE				
	ROUND	DATE	TIME	SITE
DIVISION I	1st Round	Tues, Feb. 21	Single games: 7:00 pm; Doubleheader: 5:30: 7:30 pm	High Seed-Home Site
	2nd Round	Thurs, Feb. 23	Single games: 7:00 pm; Doubleheader: 5:30: 7:30 pm	High Seed-Home Site
	Qtr.-Finals	Sat, Feb. 25	1:00; 2:45; 4:30; 6:15 pm	Piedmont Hills HS (boys) Hartnell College (girls)
	Semi-Finals	Wed, Feb. 29	5:30 & 7:15 pm	Independence HS (boys) Christopher HS (girls)
	Finals	Sat. Mar 3	6:00 & 8:00 pm	Santa Clara University
DIVISION II	1st Round	Tues, Feb. 21	Single games: 7:00 pm; Doubleheader: 5:30: 7:30 pm	High Seed-Home Site
	2nd Round	Thurs, Feb. 23	Single games: 7:00 pm; Doubleheader: 5:30: 7:30 pm	High Seed-Home Site
	Qtr.-Finals	Sat, Feb. 25	1:00; 2:45; 4:30; 6:15 pm	Foothill College (boys) Oak Grove HS (girls)
	Semi-Finals	Tue, Feb. 28	5:30 & 7:15 pm	Foothill College (boys) Oak Grove HS (girls)
	Finals	Fri. Mar 2	6:30 & 8:30 pm	Santa Clara University
DIVISION III	1st Round	Tues, Feb. 21	Single games: 7:00 pm; Doubleheader: 5:30: 7:30 pm	High Seed-Home Site
	2nd Round	Thurs, Feb. 23	Single games: 7:00 pm; Doubleheader: 5:30: 7:30 pm	High Seed-Home Site
	Qtr.-Finals	Sat, Feb. 25	1:00; 2:45; 4:30; 6:15 pm	St. Ignatius HS (boys) Santa Clara HS (girls)
	Semi-Finals	Wed, Feb. 29	5:30 & 7:15 pm	St. Ignatius HS (boys) Sacred Heart Cath. (girls)
	Finals	Sat. Mar 3	2:00 & 4:00 pm	Santa Clara University
DIVISION IV	1st Round	Tues, Feb. 21	Single games: 7:00 pm; Doubleheader: 5:30: 7:30 pm	High Seed-Home Site
	2nd Round	Thurs, Feb. 23	Single games: 7:00 pm; Doubleheader: 5:30: 7:30 pm	High Seed-Home Site
	Qtr.-Finals	Sat, Feb. 25	1:00; 2:45; 4:30; 6:15 pm	Menlo School (boys) ND-Belmont HS (girls)
	Semi-Finals	Tue, Feb. 28	5:30 & 7:15 pm	Menlo School (boys) ND-Belmont HS (girls)
	Finals	Fri. Mar 2	3:00 & 4:45 pm	Santa Clara University
DIVISION V	1st Round	Tues, Feb. 21	Single games: 7:00 pm; Doubleheader: 5:30: 7:30 pm	High Seed-Home Site
	2nd Round	Thurs, Feb. 23	Single games: 7:00 pm; Doubleheader: 5:30: 7:30 pm	High Seed-Home Site
	Qtr.-Finals	Sat, Feb. 25	1:00; 2:45; 4:30; 6:15 pm	St. Francis CCC (boys) Pinewood School (girls)
	Semi-Finals	Wed, Feb. 29	5:30 & 7:15 pm	St. Francis CCC (boys) Pinewood School (girls)
	Finals	Sat. Mar 3	10:00 am & 12 noon	Santa Clara University

Coaches are expected to come to the seeding meeting prepared to indicate an available and playable location for a 1st round home game if they are selected as the "high-seed". If a school is not prepared to indicate an acceptable site, the opportunity to host will be awarded to the "lower-seed" .

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO ALL PARTICIPANTS AND COACHES

The CIF-Central Coast Section is well aware that many other school and non-school activities (AP tests, SAT/ACT tests, proms, plays, holidays, senior trips, religious days, etc.) may occur during CCS Play-offs. The CCS tries to avoid as many conflicts as possible; however, with so many activities available for today's student-athlete, it is not reasonable to assume that all such activities can be taken into account, and thus, CCS Play-off events will go on as originally scheduled. Participants and coaches are therefore expected to plan in advance for such possible scheduling conflicts and make those difficult choices as to which events will take precedence for that individual. Generally, although it is ultimately the personal choice of the student-athlete and/or his/her parent(s), an academic activity should take precedence over an extra-curricular event.

ADMISSION

Note: There is no pre-sale of CCS Basketball Playoff tickets at school sites.

ROUND	General Admission	Senior Citizens	Student Discount (w/ ASB card)	Children (under 12)	Family
1 ST & 2 ND	\$8	\$4	\$3	\$2	\$16
Quarterfinals	\$9	\$5	\$4	\$2	\$18
Semifinals	\$9	\$5	\$4	\$2	\$18
Finals	\$10	\$5	\$4	\$2	\$20

PROGRAM ROSTERS

In order to be included in the Tournament program, coaches must submit rosters on-line to Justin Peterson, the CCS Tournament Program printer at www.preppolo.com/section/ccs **no later than FEBRUARY 1st. PLEASE DO NOT SEND ROSTERS TO THE CCS OFFICE!**

HOME TEAM

The Home Team (higher-seeded team) shall wear white jerseys. The Home Team bench shall be to the left of the scorer's table when facing the center of the floor.

LOCKER ROOMS/TEAM MEMBERS' PERSONAL BELONGINGS

The CCS, nor the host site for any CCS playoff contest, is responsible for your team member's personal property. Teams should NOT assume that there will be "full time" supervision of locker-room facilities during Tournament play; therefore, it is incumbent upon teams to make their own arrangements for safeguarding their personnel's valuables. If you are playing at your own home site, please follow your regular procedures for security in the locker rooms for personal effects during the game. If you are a guest at any site used for CCS Playoffs, you are responsible for your team's personal effects. Please do not rely on locker rooms being secured by the host. If you do not wish to take every player's bag out to the court with you, please put all your players and coaches valuables in one or two bags and take them with you to the bench. We strongly recommend that you do not leave ANY valuables in any locker room while you are on the court. If you do so, you are doing so at your own risk. Our sites and host schools will do everything possible to secure the locker room area, but things happen beyond anyone's control. Take player's' valuables (especially electronics) to the bench with you!

TEAM BENCH

Only the players, coaches, team managers, statisticians, trainer and school administrative personnel will be allowed on the bench during the match.

FLOOR PASSES

- At 1st & 2nd-Round games, host schools are encouraged to use their own floor passes, in coordination with visiting schools.
- At the Finals, coaches, stats-persons, team managers, trainers and all other team personnel not in full uniform must wear a CCS-issued floor pass in order to have access to the team bench area on the sidelines. (CCS staff will issue the appropriate supply of floor passes to the head coach upon his/her arrival at the Finals venue.)
- **IMPORTANT!** Floor passes are NOT valid for free admission to the contest - they are only to be used for access to the team bench area during that team's contest.

GAME BALL

The official Tournament ball is **SPALDING**. For ALL Rounds, **SPALDING** basketballs will be used exclusively in all contests.

SCOREBOOK

The "Home Team" is responsible for providing the official scorer/scorebook for all contests prior to the Finals.

REPORTING RESULTS

It is the responsibility of all teams to report their results in a timely fashion to the media in their area, as well as texting the results to CCS at 408-887-3613. Contest results will be posted on the CCS website [www.cifccs.org] as soon as possible.

PRACTICE AT CHAMPIONSHIP SITE(S)

No arrangements for practice at competition sites are allowed by the CCS once the site of the Tournament has been announced by CCS. See "General Tournament Information" Section of the [CCS Tournament Guide](#) for specific policy. Schools found in violation of this rule may be barred from further participation in the Section Play-offs.

SPORTSMANSHIP

It is essential that all competition be completely within the bounds of good sportsmanship.

- Each Principal is required by the CCS Board of Managers to meet with any team from his/her school participating in the CCS Tournament to review CCS Sportsmanship Information. See the [CCS Tournament Guide](#) for REQUIRED PRE-GAME SPORTSMANSHIP MEETING INFORMATION SHEET
- Coaches and Captains will meet with the Site Director 30 minutes prior to game-time to remind them of the importance of good sportsmanship and to make certain their Administrator has reviewed this information with them in the past week.
- Administrators from both schools in each contest will attend a mandatory meeting with the Site Director 15 minutes prior to game time. The coach cannot represent the school at this meeting.
- Any player or coach who is ejected from a CCS Tournament contest for FLAGRANT MISCONDUCT or UNSPORTSMANLIKE BEHAVIOR will be disqualified from all remaining contests in that sport that season including Nor-Cal and CIF State Championships.

ROOTING SECTION

- ALL spirit-squad members must be in uniform to be admitted without charge. Spirit-squads may only perform in areas which do not obstruct play.
- **NO ARTIFICIAL NOISE-MAKERS** will be permitted inside the gymnasium at any CCS Basketball game. The improper use of any devices by supporters of a team will result in cessation of the match until the device is removed.
- Only **POSITIVE BANNERS/POSTERS** will be allowed. No reference to opponents, either directly or indirectly, shall be made, except in a positive manner.

FACULTY SUPERVISION:

Adequate student/spectator supervision **MUST** be provided by each school participating in the Tournament. School administrators/faculty who attend the contest in this regard should introduce themselves to the CCS Site Director, and tell him/her where they will be located throughout the contest in case their assistance is required. It is the responsibility of the school supervisory personnel to prevent and correct any inappropriate behavior of their schools' students and spectators.

COMMEMORATIVE T-SHIRTS & PATCHES

CCS Championships T-shirts and Patches will be available at the Basketball Seeding Meeting or may be ordered online (\$15 each) using the [T-Shirt Order Form](#) and/or [Patch Order Form](#) on the CCS Basketball webpage. While supplies last, T-shirts and patches will be on sale at Quarter-final, Semi-final, and Finals Tournament sites. No other merchandise may be sold without CCS approval.

PARTICIPANT CERTIFICATES

Participant Certificates are available on the CCS secure website which is accessible to all CCS member school Athletic Directors and Principals.

PARKING

- For all contests located at college and municipal facilities, parents and other spectators should be made aware that there may be a charge for parking; and should, therefore, allow extra time for possible delays.
- CCS member-schools hosting 1st & 2nd-Round, Quarter-final, or Semi-final contests are NOT allowed to charge for parking..

RADIO / TV LICENSING

CCS owns the broadcast rights for all CCS Play-off contests. Licensing is required. To ensure coordination of appropriate paperwork and fees, interested media must contact the CCS Commissioner well before the respective contest to be broadcast. No live TV broadcasts are allowed.

NORCAL REGIONAL TOURNAMENT presented by Farmers

Teams that advance to the CCS finals will qualify for the Northern California Regional Tournament. State CIF / Nor-Cal Regional Tournament Information Packets will be distributed at the CCS Seeding Meeting to the top four (4) seeds in each Division. The Information Packet may also be downloaded from the State CIF web-site (www.cifstate.org).