



HEADLINES



UPCOMING EVENTS

ASAA STATEWIDE SCHEDULING MEETING
February 28, 2018
Hilton Garden Inn | Anchorage

WORLD LANGUAGE STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS
March 3, 2018
South Anchorage High School

MARCH MADNESS ALASKA
ASAA MARCH MADNESS ALASKA
SELECTION SHOW
March 11, 2018 | 7:00pm
NFHS Network for FREE!

1A/2A
BASKETBALL STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS
March 14-17, 2018
Alaska Airlines Center | Anchorage

3A/4A
BASKETBALL STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS
March 22-24, 2018
Alaska Airlines Center | Anchorage

ASAA STATEWIDE SCHEDULING MEETING

February 28, 2018 | 8AM | Hilton Garden Inn

The ASAA Statewide Scheduling Meeting is **WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 2018 8:00am at the HILTON GARDEN INN**. The Hilton Garden Inn is located near the intersection of Tudor and C Street. Here is [Hilton Garden Inn Directions](#).

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MARCH MADNESS ALASKA SELECTION SHOW

Sunday, March 11 | 7:00pm
NFHS Network for FREE!!



SPORT EVENT RISK MANAGEMENT | SPORT & SPECIAL EVENT CLASSES

UAA is pleased to host AWR-167 Sport Event Risk Management from May 7-8, 2018 and MGT-412 Sport and Special Event Evacuation Training and Exercise from May 9-10, 2018 at the Alaska Airlines Center. These are **free** courses funded by FEMA and the Department of Homeland Security, coordinated by UAA and the National Center for Spectator Sports Safety and Security.

AWR-167 The Sport Event Risk Management Course: Focused upon building emergency management capabilities for multi-agency collaboration. Intact incident management teams enhance their basic concepts relative to planning, risk assessment, training, exercising plans and recovery/business continuity through scenario-based training modules. The sport venue teams will be composed of specialists from five distinct areas: law enforcement, sport venue operations, emergency management, fire/HazMat and emergency medical/health services. The expectation is for these leadership teams to return to their respective sport venues and coordinate the development of a sport event security management system.

MGT-412 The Sport & Special Event Evacuation Training & Exercise Course: This will prepare sport venue managers to enhance evacuation planning capabilities and assist emergency responders in implementing flexible and scalable evacuation activities. The highly-innovative course builds multi-agency collaboration by delivering critical evacuation planning information utilizing TOP Venue, a computerized modeling simulation and visualization training system. Participants will have the opportunity to conduct evacuation analysis of a sport venue under a wide range of conditions. Course will include plans and policies specific to respective sport venues. This course is applicable to all sport venues, regardless of venue capacity.

Deadline for registration is March 30.

If you are interested in attending this training, please complete BOTH registration flyers and email them to rcswartz@alaska.edu. You may attend one or both courses. To obtain the required FEMA SID number please see <https://cdp.dhs.gov/femasid>

LINK: [MGT-412 The Sport and Special Event Evacuation Training and Exercise Course](#)

LINK: [AWR-167 The Sport Event Risk Management Course](#)



ASAA 3A/4A WPI RELEASE SCHEDULE

The ASAA 3A/4A Winning Percentage Index (WPI) will be released on the following dates. PLEASE make sure your full girls and basketball schedules are input into ASAA365.com.

- Wednesday, March 7th
- Sunday, March 11th

The WPI will be posted on ASAA.org and ASAA365.com by 5:00pm on the days it is released.

If you have questions or missing games/results when it comes out please contact Isaiah Vreeman (isaiah@asaa.org).



ASAA COACHES CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS

All coaches representing a member school in athletic competition must be certified. To become certified coaches must complete the Alaska Coaches Education Program.

1. Fundamentals of Coaching Course
2. Alaska State Component Course
3. First Aid Certification
4. NFHS Learn Concussion Awareness Course
5. NFHS Learn Sudden Cardiac Arrest Course (NEW requirement for 2017-18)

All the classes above can be completed at NFHSLearn.com. Create your NFHS Learn Online Account to start the process. Select Alaska as your state and follow all the prompts.

For complete details on becoming a certified coach in Alaska please visit the Alaska Coaches Education Program webpage on ASAA.org.



Alaska Airlines Center • University of Alaska Anchorage

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

- Register at: gnactickets.com
- Early bird registration (through Feb. 24): \$15
- Regular registration (Feb. 25-March 1): \$18
- Seminar time schedule: 1 p.m.-4 p.m.
- Post-event networking opportunity
- Includes admission to GNAC hoops title games (5:15 p.m./7:30 p.m.)
- Limited to first 100 registrants!

ANTICIPATED PANELIST CATEGORIES

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|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| • Athletic Director/Assistant AD | • Front Office (GNAC/NCAA/ASAA) |
| • Academic Advising | • Internships |
| • Business/Marketing | • Marketing/Fan Experience |
| • Coaching | • Media/Media Relations |
| • Event Management | • NCAA Compliance |
| • Facility Management | • Sports Medicine |

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT:
Ku'ulei Siolo, GNAC Compliance/Championships Assistant
503-305-8756 • ksuolo@gnacsports.com

gnacsports.com • [#workinginsports](https://twitter.com/workinginsports)

— FOR —
**COLLEGE AND
HIGH SCHOOL
MALES &
FEMALES!**

**PLUS:
GNAC CHAMPIONSHIP
HOOP FINALS**



With 11 institutions in five states and one Canadian province, the Great Northwest Athletic Conference is one of the leading NCAA Division II conferences in the country.

WORKING IN SPORTS CAREER SEMINAR

March 3, 2018 | Alaska Airlines Center

The Great Northwest Athletic Conference (GNAC) and UAA have partnered together to offer the "Working In Sports Career Seminar" March 3, 2018.

This is intended for students looking at exploring the opportunity for careers in sports. If you are interested in attending please register at GNACTICKETS.COM.

For more information please contact Ku'ulei Siolo, GNAC Compliance/Championships Assistant at ksuolo@gnacsports.com or 503-305-8756. For the full PDF version of the flyer above to post around your school you can download that here - [GNAC Working In Sports](#)

ASAA GAME & TEAM CLASSIFIEDS

ASAA MEMBER SCHOOLS ARE ALWAYS LOOKING FOR GAMES & TEAMS TO SCHEDULE CONTESTS.

PLEASE REVIEW ALL THE REQUESTS BELOW TO SEE IF YOU CAN HELP.

KETCHIKAN BOYS SOCCER

May 2018

Ketchikan Boys Soccer, is looking for a home weekend series. Will pay part of airfare, plus provide housing and transportation. May be able to combine with Juneau game.

Contact: David Mitchel

Email: David.Mitchel@k21schools.org

POST A CLASSIFIED

To post a classified please email ASAA Associate Director Isaiah Vreeman (isaiah@asaa.org). Your classified will be placed in the next ASAA Headlines Issue.



ASAA STATE CHAMPIONSHIP BID OPENINGS

ASAA Board of Directors has opened up the bid process for the following ASAA State Championship Events. You can view the process and online forms on the [ASAA State Championship Bids webpage](#). There you will find all the areas that need to be covered in your bid.

If you are interested in submitting a bid please contact Isaiah Vreeman (isaiah@asaa.org). He will give you more information on any state championship tournament specifics and budget details. Cost and budget of the bids is one of the crucial pieces for the ASAA Board of Directors awarding bids.

SUBMIT ALL BID PROPOSALS BY APRIL 1, 2018 5PM TO ISAIAH VREEMAN VIA EMAIL/SCAN/ONLINE FORM (isaiah@asaa.org)

ASAA Board plans to award these bids at the April 22-24 meeting in Kotzebue.

Tournament Bid Openings Begin

- 2018 3A/4A Volleyball
- 2019 DI/DII Cross Country Running
- 2019 DII/DIII Football
- 2019 Tennis
- 2019 2A/Mix Six Volleyball
- 2019 DI/DII/Girls Wrestling
- 2020 DI Hockey
- 2020 DDF
- 2020 World Language
- 2020 DI/DII Track and Field
- 2020 DI/DII Soccer

ASAA STATE CHAMPIONSHIP DEADLINES

ALL SPORTS AND ACTIVITIES HAVE DEADLINES FOR THEIR STATE CHAMPIONSHIP EVENT.

PLEASE ADHERE TO ALL THE ASAA DEADLINES BELOW SO ASAA CAN PREP STATE EVENTS BEST.



ASAA 1A/2A MARCH MADNESS ALASKA

Basketball State
Championships

1A/2A Tournament | March 14-17
Alaska Airlines Center |
Anchorage

SATURDAY, MAR. 10 - 10:00 PM

- If your Conference tournament ends before this date please get qualifiers & info in as soon as possible!
- Conference Results & State Qualifiers submitted to email championships@asaa.org

SUNDAY, MAR. 11 - 2:00 PM

Basketball Team Forms

- [Roster Form](#) (with photo)
- [Team Season Record Form](#)
- [1A/2A Skills Contest Form](#)
- [Good Sport Selection Form](#)
- [Code of Conduct Form](#)

Sideline Cheer Squad Forms

- [Roster Form](#) (with photo)
- [Code of Conduct Form](#)

TUESDAY, MAR. 13 - 2:00 PM

- [Academic Award Entry Form](#)

TUES, MAR. 13 | Alaska Airlines Center

- 1A Team Practices: 9am-5pm - Court #1/#2
- 1A Skills Contest: 5:30pm - Court #1
- 1A Coaches Meeting: 5:45pm - Aux Gym

WED, MAR. 14 | Alaska Airlines Center

- 2A Team Practices: 9am-5pm - Aux Gym
- 2A Skills Contest: 5:30pm - Aux Gym
- 2A Coaches Meeting: 5:45pm - Dresser Conference Room 2nd Floor



ASAA 3A/4A MARCH MADNESS ALASKA

Basketball State
Championships

3A/4A Tournament | March 22-24
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Anchorage

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Sideline Cheer Squad Forms

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TUESDAY, MAR. 13 - 2:00 PM

- [Academic Award Entry Form](#)

WED, MAR. 21 | Alaska Airlines Center

- 3A/4A Team Practices: 9:30am-5:30pm
- 3A/4A Coaches Meeting Aux Gym: 5:45pm



WORLD LANGUAGE DECLAMATION

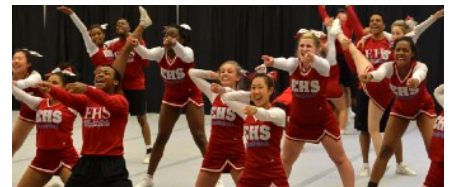
March 3, 2018
South Anchorage High School

February 5-21 - 3:00pm

- Online Registration Open - [Registration Form](#)

Championship Forms

- [Code of Conduct](#)
- [Academic Award Entry Form](#) (4+ students per gender to qualify)



CHEER STATE CHAMPIONSHIP COMPETITION

March 21, 2018
Alaska Airlines Center | Anchorage

Sunday, March 11 - 2:00pm

- [Roster Form](#) (with photo)
- [Code of Conduct](#)

Tuesday, March 13 - 2:00pm

- [Academic Award Entry Form](#) (4+ students per gender to qualify)

Wednesday, March 21 - TBA

- Mandatory Coaches Meeting at Alaska Airlines Center Aux Gym

ASAA STAFF CONTACT INFORMATION

BILLY STRICKLAND - Executive Director

Responsible for ASAA operations and staff, finances, student eligibility, and ASAA board relations. Email: billy@asaa.org

RUS SCHRECKENGHOST - Associate Director

Responsible for XCR, 2A/Mix 6 VB, Hockey, Skiing, Track & Field, and Baseball state championship events, officials and coaches certification, officials state championship selection, and ejection tracking. Email: schreck@asaa.org

ISAIAH VREEMAN - Associate Director

Responsible for all championship budgets, media relations, ASAA365.com, state championship bids, Football, Wrestling, Basketball, & Baseball state championship events, maintaining the WPI, Headlines, & updating various sport pages on ASAA.org. Email: isaiah@asaa.org

SANDI WAGNER - Associate Director

Responsible for Tennis, 3A/4A Volleyball, Softball, Cheerleading, DDF, Soccer, and assist in other state championships, NIAAA, historical data, Hall of Fame, and awards. Email: sandi@asaa.org

DOUG STEWART - Director of Marketing and Development

Responsible for all development and marketing initiatives. He works closely with ASAA sponsors to match their interests with the needs of ASAA. Email: doug@asaa.org

BRAD POTTER - Technology Director

Responsible for all ASAA websites and development, and IT management. Email: bradp@asaa.org

DEANNA MONTAGNA - Director of Office Operations

Responsible for All State Art, World Language, mailings, receptionist duties & monitoring master eligibility lists, and Play For Keeps program. Email: deanna@asaa.org

BRIAN HOSKEN - Director of Student Services

Brian is responsible for the Play for Keeps Program, grant writing and administrating. He also serves as a liaison between ASAA and other state agencies. Email: brian@asaa.org

KARI McFERON - Administrative Assistant

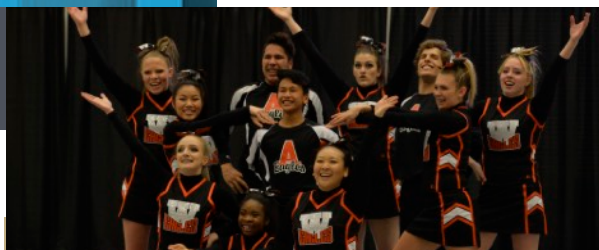
Responsible for receptionist duties, state championship preparation & eligibility monitoring, and master eligibility lists. Email: kari@asaa.org

CAM BOHMAN - Music Coordinator

Coordinates and administrates the All-State Music Festival and the State Solo and Ensemble Music Festival. Her responsibilities involve everything from overseeing the adjudication process, to the culminating performances. Works with high school music directors, adjudicators, conductors, accompanists, and students. Email: cambohman@msn.com

DENISE GREENE-WILKINSON - AASG Executive Director

Coordinates all the student government business including the fall and spring AASG Conferences. Also monitors the AASG executive meetings and budget. Email: [dgwk12@gmail.com](mailto:dgw12@gmail.com)



ASAA HEADLINES

ASAA Headlines is a monthly newsletter. It is written and prepared by Associate Director Isaiah Vreeman. The ASAA Headlines Newsletter is intended for the following audiences:

- Athletic & Activities Administrators
- Administrative Assistants
- Coaching Staffs
- Principals
- Booster Club Presidents

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