

# 2024 ASAA/FIRST NATIONAL BANK ALASKA 3A/4A VOLLEYBALL STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS November 14-16, 2024 at The Alaska Airline Center POLICIES AND PROCEDURES

#### Schedule:

Monday, November 11

6:00 PM Brackets Posted at asaa.org

Wednesday, November 13

10:00 AM - 6:00 PM Practices

6:00 PM Coaches Meeting (AAC)

Thursday, November 14

10:00 AM Play Begins

Friday, November 15

10:00 AM Play Begins

Saturday, November 16

9:00 AM Play Begins

**Rules**: 2024-25 National Federation of High School (NFHS) Volleyball rules apply.

**Match Format:** The tournament is an 8 team double elimination bracket. Matches will be the best 3 out of 5 sets. The "if match" will be one set to 30 points.

Roster: ASAA is using Big Teams for its School Activities Reporting

System (SARS). Schools will need to submit rosters and indicate which students have qualified for state through this system. This can be done by accessing the volleyball varsity roster. Enter jersey numbers and indicate the students that will be attending state. Teams may have up to 14 players on the roster and in uniform. The initial roster is due by November 3rd. The final roster is due November 10th. Following the coaches meeting, <u>NO CHANGES</u> to roster personnel may be made. If jersey numbers change, coaches must notify scorekeepers and officials.

**Forms:** Beginning this year other forms will also be accessed through Bigteams. When you are logged into your account click on Document Management, click on the General State Championship Entry Form and then start a New Submission. Also, complete the photo upload, the Code of Conduct and the Good Sport Selection forms. Complete all 4 forms by 2pm on Sunday, November 10th.

**Practice Times:** Wednesday practice times will be for one hour. Beginning Monday November 11th you may contact Sandi Wagner <a href="mailto:sandi@asaa.org">sandi@asaa.org</a> to schedule a practice time.

**Bench Area:** The bench area is for participants in uniform, managers and coaches only. The maximum number of individuals on the bench is 21 (6 on the floor, 15 on the bench). All individuals must be wearing their pass or be in uniform. Due to safety concerns only individuals 7th grade age or above may be in the team area during competition. Please clean up the bench area after your game.

## **IMPORTANT DATES**

#### SUNDAY, NOV 3 - 2:00PM

Initial Rosters due in Big Teams

#### SATURDAY, NOV 9 - 10:00PM

 Email State Qualifiers to championships@asaa.org

#### **SUNDAY, NOV 10 - 2:00PM**

- Roster Finalized in Big Teams
- Big teams Document Management forms completed
  - ❖General State Entry Form
  - ❖Photo Upload Form
  - ❖Code of Conduct Form
  - ❖Good Sport Nomination Form

## WEDNESDAY, NOV 13 - 6:00PM

 Coaches Meeting - Mandatory at Alaska Airline Center

### 2024 ASAA/First National Bank Alaska Volleyball State Championships Policies and Procedures

Water: Participants should bring their own water bottles. Water jugs will be available for filling water bottles.

**Results:** All results will be posted online as soon as possible during or following the events each day. Access will be on the Volleyball section of the asaa.org website.

**Molten Scholarship:** Molten is offering a \$500 scholarship for a senior participating in the state championship tournament. It is based on academics, citizenship and involvement in activities. The nomination form will be in the coaches packet at the coaches meeting.

Photography/Videotaping (Parents, Yearbook and School/Team Photo/Video: No flash photography. Fans, parents, coaches, school employees, etc. are not allowed to photograph outside the spectator area. Special and limited arrangements can be made for a school yearbook staff. Yearbook staff includes the yearbook teacher and students enrolled in yearbook class. These arrangements must be made before the state event begins. Only ASAA Credentialed Media are allowed to be outside the spectator area.

**Spectator Support Items | Artificial Noise Makers:** ASAA prohibits laser pointers, whistles, and any explosive devices or explosive sounds at ALL its state championship events. Once play starts there will not be any noise makers allowed.

**Event Supervision:** Each school is requested to identify an administrator or other person approved in advance by the principal who is responsible for the conduct of its coaches, participants and fans throughout the contest, as defined in the ASAA bylaws *Article 6, Section 4*. Upon arrival at the event please let ASAA staff know they are there.

**Spectator Etiquette:** All spectators are restricted to the spectators areas. The tournament/meet director and ASAA officials are empowered to remove anyone displaying unacceptable conduct from the area and may temporarily suspend the tournament, if necessary.