ADVANCE INFORMATION BULLETIN WCD III **GIRLS SOCCER PLAYOFFS**

Tuesday, November 2, 2021

5:00PM Kelso v Gig Harbor

7:00PM Auburn Riverside v Capital

Thursday, November 4, 2021

5:00PM (Game 3rd and 4th Place)

7:00PM (Game Finals)

South Sound Stadium (Field-Turf) – Lacey

GAME MANAGER

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IMMEDIATE ATTENTION AND ACTION REQUIRED

- 1. Make copies and distribute this bulletin to the Principal, Athletic Director and Head Coach
- 2. E-mail numerical TEAM ROSTER to kreimer@nthurston.k12.wa.us
- E-mail Supervisory Gate List of school representatives. 3.

TICKET PRICES

- General Admission
- Students w/ ASB (SR & JR. HI)
- Senior Citizens 62+
- Elementary U-12
- Pre-school children

**Note: Students from both schools must pay admission. No free entry for home students.

** Tickets can be purchased online through GOFAN - details should be sent from each school

GATES OPEN

ONLY the Home (west end) ticket gates will be open starting at **Tuesday 4:00 PM Thursday 4:00PM**

\$9.00 (Adults & Students w/o ASB cards)

\$6.00**

- \$6.00
- \$5.00
- Free

DIRECTIONS TO SOUTH SOUND STADIUM & BUS/VAN PARKING

South Sound Stadium Visiting Team Drop off and Pick up, Bus and Parking. **I-5 South from points north:** *From southbound I-5 take exit 109 (Martin Way) *Turn West (right) onto Martin Way *Turn North (right) at the first stoplight onto College St. *Stadium is about 1/2 mile on the left *Parking is just past the stadium at North Thurston High School

I-5 North from points south:

- Take Exit 108 from I-5 Northbound (Sleater-Kinney Rd Exit)
- Continue on Sleater-Kinney Rd to 6th Ave. NE
- Turn right on 6th Ave. NE. Stadium and parking are on the right.

Team vans will park across from the stadium in the school parking lot.

PARKING

Stadium parking lot is on the west end of South Sound Stadium at North Thurston High School.

STADIUM RE-ENTRY

Students leaving the stadium will not be allowed to re-enter. Adults will be stamped for in/out.

SUPERVISION PASSES

Participating schools will receive <u>FOUR (4) SUPERVISION PASSES</u> (see form on page 6) for School Board, Administrators, and staff personnel who are expected to help supervise their school's students.

E-MAIL THE "Soccer Pass List Form" From the WCD 3 Website http://www.wiaadistrict3.com/index.php?pid=0.0.0.9.120 TO THE GAME MANAGER NO LATER THAN Monday (11/1) and Wednesday 11/3 at NOON. <u>SUPERVISORS ENTER</u> THROUGH THE MAIN TICKET GATE ON THE HOME SIDE OF STADIUM.

Band Director and band members IN UNIFORM will be admitted free. Home and Visiting School bands -- please park band bus in **North Thurston High parking lot next to the swimming pool only,** and enter the Home grandstands from that point.

Cheerleaders IN UNIFORM will be admitted free.

There will be no halftime show. Therefore, Dance/Drill team members must purchase a ticket

<u>PASSES ACCEPTED</u>: WSCA, WCD 3, WSSAAA, Columbia Bank Sponsor. <u>NO</u> OTHER SEASON PASSES WILL BE ACCEPTED.

CONCESSIONS

We will not have concessions for this event.

PRESS / TV / RADIO PASSES

May be obtained by contacting Kevin Reimer (360-412-4890).

HALF TIME ENTERTAINMENT

Halftime is 10 minutes. There will be **<u>NO HALF TIME</u>** field shows, i.e., Band, Drill, or Cheer.

SEATING

WIAA tournament regulations state that a section of seating **must be available** for students who wish to stand for prolonged periods.(WIAA State Tournament Packet. PG. 6, Item M)

Home Team Schools (**Bottom Bracket**) will sit in the **EAST** half of the Home grandstands (see **page 6 of this packet**). **Student seating** will be in the section immediately to the east (and adjacent) to the center section of the Home grandstand. *WARNING: Viewing the game from the Student Section may be obstructed due to prolonged standing*.

Visiting Team Schools (**Top Bracket**) will sit in <u>WEST</u> half of the Home grandstands (**see page 6** of this packet). Student seating will be in the section immediately to the west (and adjacent) to the center section of the home grandstand. *WARNING: Viewing the game from the Student Section may be obstructed due to prolonged standing*.

BAND SEATING

The home team band shall share the home school student section The visiting team band shall share the visiting school student section

PARTICATION/TEAM PASSES

Visiting team, coaches, and personnel will be admitted through the Home Gate.

TEAM ROSTERS

LIMIT: 22 players

6 Support personal (coaches, managers, statistician, medical)

The number of people on the sidelines is limited to: team members in uniform, coaches, and managers, ball boy/girl, team physician or trainer. The only coaches permitted to be on the sidelines during a state playoff contest shall be limited to the coaches who have been named as soccer coaches by the school district for the regular season. All other persons without sideline authorization from game manager will be escorted to grandstand.

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SIDELINES & TEAM BENCH

Both team benches will be placed on the <u>SAME</u> sideline (North side of the stadium) and on the TRACK Surface. All Fans are restricted to the **Home Grandstand**. Benches are separated by 10 yards and off the turf. A Fourth (4th) Registered Soccer Official is placed at a table between the benches to assist in Substitution and Bench Control.

Home team (**Bottom Bracket**) will warm up on the East (scoreboard) end of the field and occupy the **WEST TEAM BENCH**.

Visiting Team (**Top Bracket**) will warm up on the West end of the field and occupy the **EAST TEAM BENCH**.

NO SHELLED SEEDS, SUGAR DRINKS (IE. GATORADE) OR FOOD OF ANY KIND ALLOWED ON THE TURF. SCHOOLS VIOLATING THIS RULE WILL BE BILLED FOR CLEANUP COSTS.

SIGNS & SCHOOL BANNERS

NO signs other than the OFFICIAL SCHOOL BANNER will be allowed.

LOCKER ROOMS

HOME SCHOOL: (**Bottom Bracket**) will use the Girls' Athletic locker room at the NTHS gym. VISITORS: (**Top Bracket**) will use the Boys' Athletic locker room at the NTHS gym.

GAME JERSEYS

HOME SCHOOL: (**Bottom Bracket**) will wear **DARK COLORED JERSEYS** VISITORS: (**Top Bracket**) will wear **LIGHT COLORED JERSEYS**

MEDICAL

There **<u>may be</u>** (cannot confirm at this time, please be prepared/recommend to bring your own trainer)one Certified Athletic Trainer available for both teams.

STUDENT CONDUCT

As games are school functions, students are expected to exercise good judgement in their conduct and dress. <u>UNACCEPTABLE CONDUCT IS CAUSE FOR EJECTION FROM THE</u> <u>PREMISES</u>. Artificial noisemakers, such as air horns, bells, whistles, etc. are prohibited, as is the throwing of confetti, and/or other objects. Megaphones are to be used by the cheer staff only.

It is important that building **administrators** provide game supervision **in the stands** by promoting a safe enjoyable event for everyone. Please remind students to wear shirts, to observe the **stadium policy** of no body or face paint, no masks, and to observe good sportsmanship. If an issue with one of your students arises we will ask you to address it.

FAN AND SPECTATORS

The tournament manager will assign each participating school a rooting section. The supervision of this section will be the responsibility of the school. Spectators are not allowed on the playing field at any time, and are required to stay behind the fenced areas at all times.

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES & SMOKING

NO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES OR SMOKING ALLOWED ON PREMISES.

PRE-GAME WARMUP

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PRE-GAME SCHEDULE

Pre-game warm up will be a minimum of 20 minutes. If time allows, teams will be given up to 30 minutes of pre-match warm up time. The following time schedule will be kept, using the stadium scoreboard clock:

- Five minutes remaining teams line up at their respective team benches
- Four minutes remaining INTERNATIONAL WALKOUT to the far side hash marks (introduction of officials)
- Three minutes remaining Team introductions, as follows:
- + Visiting team reserves, starters, and coaches
- + Home team reserves, starters, and coaches
- Two minutes remaining Teams turn to face the American flag on the West end of the field.
- The National Anthem will be sung or played before each match.
- One minute remaining teams face each other and advance to midfield to shake hands before returning to their bench

Note: The stadium scoreboard clock will be set to allow for introductions prior to kick-off

GAMES COMMITTEE

The Games Committee will include the following:

- Tournament Manager Kevin Reimer
 - WOA 4th Official TBD
- Field Supervisor TBD

The Games Committee, composed of a least three of the individuals listed above, will hear and decide on any protest and/or appeal.

TIE GAMES-STATE TOURNAMENT

The method of breaking ties will be as follows:

Two (2) golden goal (5) minute overtimes. A coin toss shall be held prior to the first overtime as per Law 8. At the end of the first overtime period, teams shall change ends. If still tied at the end of the second overtime, penalty kicks will decide the outcome. The head referee shall choose the goal at which all of the kicks from the penalty mark shall be taken. Each coach will select five (5) players, including the goalkeeper, only players who are on the field of play at the end of the match are eligible take the kicks. A coin toss shall be held with the winning team having choice of kicking first or second. Teams will alternate kickers. There is no follow up on the kick. The defending team may change goalkeepers with an eligible player prior to each penalty kick. Following the five (5) kicks, the team scoring on the greatest number of kicks shall be declared the winner. If the score remains tied, each coach shall select five (5) different players than the first five to take kicks until one team has scored a goal more than the other from the same number of kicks.

BALLS

The official tournament ball is the Baden Precision VX5EC, supplied by the Exclusive WCD ball sponsor, Baden Sports.

RESTROOMS

Restrooms are and are located under the Home Grandstand. Locker rooms are for team use only. There are no public restrooms available in the locker rooms.

OFFICIALS

Four (4) WOA certified soccer officials will be assigned to each match. Officials are selected by their association to work at this tournament and are assigned by the PCSRA. The officials will be head referee and two assistant referees along with a fourth official who acts as the timer and scorer. Official assessors may also be assigned.