

NW DISTRICT 3A VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT 2023

- I. Tournament Director: Rocky Verbeck, Director of Athletics
Marysville School District
4220 80th Street N.E.
Marysville, WA. 98270
(360) 965-0112
- II. Tournament Location: Marysville-Pilchuck High School
5611 108th Street N.E.
Marysville, WA. 98271
- III. Games Committee: The Games Committee shall consist of the tournament manager, the head official, and a participating coach, athletic director or school administrator not involved in the dispute in question. If a coach feels there has been a misinterpretation or misapplication of a rule, the coach shall notify the game officials following the incident in question, and prior to the resumption of action, that the contest is being played under protest. At that point the official(s) will suspend the contest until the decision of the Games Committee has been determined. The Games Committee will meet immediately.
The coach shall be afforded the opportunity to present rationale and justification including the specific rule(s) in question, action taken by the tournament officials, and desired outcome. The Games Committee will deliberate in closed session. The decision of the Games Committee is final.
- IV. **Dates / Times:** Play-in **5-12** seed games will be at the higher seed Thursday November 2, 7pm
Games 1-4 Tuesday Nov. 7 @ Higher Seeds, 7pm
Games 5-8 Thursday Nov. 9 @ MPHS, 5pm & 7pm
Games 9-11 Saturday Nov. 11 @ MPHS, 11am, 1pm
- V. **District Allocations:** Top **FOUR** 3A schools advance from District 1 to the 3A State Tournament.
We will **not** play the 3-4 game.
- VI. Tournament Format:

Tues. Nov. 7 Matches 1 thru 4 will be hosted at the higher seeds at 7:00pm.

Thur. Nov. 9	Match #7	5:00 pm	Court 1	L1 vs L2
	Match #8	5:00 pm	Court 2	L3 vs L4
	Match #5	7:00 pm	Court 1	W1 vs W2
	Match #6	7:00 pm	Court 2	W3 vs W4

Sat. Nov. 11	Match #9	11:00am @ MPHS Ct 1	W7 vs L6 (Winner to State)
	Match #10	11:00am @ MPHS Ct 2	W8 vs L5 (Winner to State)
	Match #11	1:00pm @ MPHS Main Court	W5 vs W6 (Championship)

VII. Admission:

- A. Ticket Prices: **GoFan.com** will be used for online ticket sales for District 1 Events.
Some tickets sold at the door.
\$8.00 Adults, Students w/o ASB
\$6.00 Students with ASB, Children, Senior Citizen, Military
- B. Passes: NW District All Classification Supervisory passes will be accepted.
- C. Cheer Squads of schools participating in the matches will be admitted in their uniforms.
- D. **ROSTER & PASS LIST**: Your roster will serve as your pass list. Your playoff roster must be entered on the WPA website by **Thursday, November 2nd**. The roster should include the names of the players (**14 maximum**), six designated school personnel, which includes coaches, managers, statisticians, etc. 1 licensed health care provider/trainer for a total of 21 maximum people on your bench. School board members & Superintendent should also be listed on your roster. **Supervisors should be using the NW District All Classification Supervisory Yellow colored pass and not be on the pass list.**

VIII. Officials:

- A. The officials association that services each of the participating schools will be responsible for selecting and assigning officials for the MPHS site. The number of officials from each association shall be assigned based upon the ratio of schools served by each association.
- B. Home sites are responsible for procuring officials for **11/2 & 11/7** matches through their association.
- C. Lines people will be assigned by the officials association. (Snohomish County)
- D. Scorekeepers will be provided by the host school at the higher seeds.(**11/2 & 11/7**) The tournament site (**MPHS**) will provide official scorekeepers. (**11/9 and 11/11**)

IX. Awards Policy:

- A. A team trophy will be presented to the first place finisher.
- B. There will be a short presentation ceremony at the conclusion of the championship game.

X. General Information:

A. Volleyballs

The **HOME** team on the bracket will be responsible for furnishing NFHS approved game balls (**3**).

B. Pre-match warm up

1. The warm up time will be 20 minutes, with 8 minutes of shared court time, followed by 6 minutes for the home team, then 6 minutes for the visiting team. (**Home team** is the bottom team)

in the bracket) Hitting or serving the ball into the opponent's court is not allowed during the shared court time. Teams are not allowed to warm-up on the sidelines or end lines while waiting for their court time.

2. On Saturday, the gym will open at 9:30am.

C. **Opening ceremonies:** For matches played on 11/9, the entire roster of all teams will be introduced.

1. Five minutes prior to the game the teams will line up on their respective end lines for introductions. The visiting team will be introduced first. Non-starters will be announced first followed by the starting line-up. The home team will then be introduced with non-starters announced first followed by the starting line-up.
2. After all teams are introduced, the announcer will lead the fans and players in the pledge of allegiance, or national anthem. The pledge of allegiance/national anthem will be played prior to the 5pm matches on 11/9 and prior to the 11am matches on 11/11.

D. Team bench: The bench area is to be restricted to the **14** players, coaches and managers.

E. Match play:

1. Matches will consist of the best 3 out of 5 games.

XI. Sportsmanship:

- A. Positive signs and school banners will be permitted.
- B. Artificial noisemakers will not be permitted in the gyms.
- C. The faculty supervisors from participating schools are to check in at the pass gate.

XII. Rules and Eligibility Policies:

- A. Each participating team must enter their playoff team roster on the WPA website, using the roster feature, by **Thursday, November 2nd**, with the 14 members who will participate in the tournament.
- B. Changes may be made anytime prior to the first match of the tournament. Thereafter, they will be permitted only for illness or injury.

XIII. Parking at MPHS:

Buses will park in the Bus turnaround accessed by the main entrance(**turn at the traffic light**). Spectators may park in the remaining three lots on campus. There is ample parking at the south and north end of the stadium and is not that far from the gym if you park close to the school. (Must enter the south and north lots via the campus east entrance one block east of the reader board entrance.)

XIV. Locker Rooms/Areas: We can provide rooms for your team to meet.

Please come dressed and ready to play. There will be 3 meeting rooms available upon request for a short amount of time. Wt. room, wrestling room and the Commons.
These are not changing rooms.

XV. Concessions will be available