

# 2022 NIAA Class 4A Southern Girls Volleyball Championship

The 2022 Nevada Interscholastic Activities Association Class 4A Southern Region Girls Volleyball Championship tournament begins Tuesday, November 1 at host sites. The quarterfinals will be held Thursday, November 3.

#### TOURNAMENT BRACKET

The tournament bracket is available on the NIAA.com website's girls volleyball tournament info and brackets page or by following the link below.

## **4A Southern Girls Volleyball Bracket**

Please see the state tournament packet for Classes 4A, 3A and 1A for state semifinals and championship rounds.

#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

- Region qualifying and tournament format
   The top three (3) teams in the Desert, Lake, Mountain and Sky Leagues, based on final
   regular-season standings, qualify for the 2022 NIAA Class 4A Southern Region Girls
   Volleyball Championship tournament. The tournament will have a single-elimination
   bracket. Each match will be the best-of-5 sets.
- 2. State semifinal qualifying
  The guarterfinal winners advance to the state semifinals at a site to be determined...
- Rules
   National Federation volleyball rules, the NIAA Handbook, the NIAA Reference Manual and this tournament information packet will govern the tournament. This information packet is a binding document for the rules and regulations of this tournament.
- 4. Official ball
  The official ball for all NIAA post-season volleyball tournaments is the Molten Soft Touch
  IV58L-3, multi-colored panel ball.
- 5. Program information (team picture and detailed roster) should be submitted as soon as possible to: Lori Lotts (<u>llotts@niaa.com</u>).

### 6. Sportsmanship

Citizenship, sportsmanship and crowd/fan etiquette policies should be followed by coaches, players and spectators as outlined in the NIAA's Citizenship Through Sports Manual. NO thundersticks, confetti, megaphones, cowbells, whistles, sirens, airhorns, objects that would impair spectator vision (such as balloons) or other such devices will be permitted at the matches. NIAA Handbook regulations with regards to behavior, ejections, etc. will be enforced.

#### 7. Home team

The higher seeded team is the home team. Please check the volleyball bracket (linked on the volleyball main page) for more information.

### 8. Warm-ups

Each team will be allowed eight (8) minutes of warm-up time. The visiting team will go first.

### 9. Tournament passes

A total of fifteen (15) player and manager passes will be provided for each team. Coaches will be given their passes upon checking in at the tournament. No players or managers will be admitted without a pass.

#### 10. Locker rooms

Girls locker rooms will be available in the gymnasium. Players should bring their own locks and towels. Teams are not to enter the locker room until after the preceding match has started. Coaches will be responsible for the conduct of their teams in the locker room.

#### 11. Athletic trainer

The NIAA has recommended a trainer be present at all tournaments.

#### 12. Ticketing

HomeTown Ticketing is the NIAA's official ticketing partner for all postseason events. All tickets will be sold online and are accessible through: https://niaa.com/tickets/index

For additional information on how to purchase tickets, please click here.

Ticket prices (per day) are:

Adults: \$12

Students (high school and younger with valid school ID): \$5

Children (8 & under): Free

NIAA Courtesy Cards will be honored for the legitimate pass holder and one guest. NIAA Lifetime Passes will be honored for the legitimate pass holder and one guest.

# **UNIVERSAL TIE-BREAKER (for determining playoff teams)**

Please see the general information section (Reference Manual) at the top of the girls volleyball main page for regular-season / region qualifying and tie-breaking information. Please feel free to call the NIAA office (775-453-1012) for further explanation.

#### **ALL-TOURNAMENT TEAMS**

The NIAA does not recognize nor permit the selection of all-tournament teams. The NIAA philosophy is league/region and state tournaments are team competitions. Recognizing a small group of individuals often creates animosity among the large group of individuals not selected for these types of awards.

The exception to this philosophy would be if a media outlet selects an all-tournament team with no affiliation to the NIAA or its tournament staff.