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- TO: High School Principal
- FROM: Mike Clark, Assistant
- SUBJECT: 2023 Girls Fast-Pitch Softball Classes 5A-6A Regional Tournament Assignments and Additional Information
- DATE: September 28, 2023

NOTE: Please review all this information carefully.

The 2023 regional tournament assignments for Class 5A-6A fast-pitch softball can be found on the Fast-Pitch page of the OSSAA.COM. **The winner of each regional tournament will advance to the state championship tournament.** Carefully check the dates and times of your assignment. If you find conflicts, immediately contact the regional tournament manager listed on your assignment bracket and through mutual agreement, work the conflicts out. Conflicts could result from football games or other school activities. Times and dates may be changed in order to avoid conflicts. We ask your complete cooperation in this matter.

ADDITIONAL FALL FAST-PITCH SOFTBALL REGIONAL INFORMATION

- 1. **UMPIRES** <u>If you wish to have input regarding umpires, call the regional tournament manager immediately</u>. In regional tournament play, two umpires are to be used in each game. The umpires should be eligible OSSAA fast-pitch softball umpires (have paid 2023-2024 school year enrollment fee, taken, and passed the current season National Federation Softball Test.) The umpires will be paid \$80 per game plus \$0.65 per mile round trip. The umpires should be selected from within a reasonable driving distance of the tournament site.
- 2. **BALLS** For each game played in a regional tournament, a team shall furnish one official top-grade fast-pitch softball with a .47 COR. The Wilson WTA9011 optic yellow, 12-inch polycore leather softball will be used exclusively throughout the play-offs. If for some reason the official Wilson softball is not available, the coaches may agree to use a different 12-inch softball. All transactions must be approved by the umpire-in-chief.
- 3. **HOME TEAM** The home team will be determined prior to each game by a coin toss.
- 4. **TIE BREAKER** The tie breaker IS NOT to be used during play-offs.
- 5. **RUN RULE** The ten-run rule will be in effect throughout the play-off series. (10 after 5 innings)
- 6. **SUITED SQUAD MEMBERS** For the OSSAA play-off fast-pitch softball tournaments, each team will be limited to **twenty-two (22) suited squad members**.
- 7. **AWARDS -** Plaques will be awarded to the champions of each regional tournament. Regional tournament plaques will be sent to the host school from Midwest Trophy.
- 8. **WEATHER** If weather conditions are threatening, please call the tournament manager before you leave home.
- 9. **SUSPENDED GAME** If darkness, rain, or other causes interfere so that a play-off tournament game is called by the umpires before it is a regulation game, or a regulation game has a tie score, the game shall be considered a suspended game. A suspended game shall continue at a later date from the point of suspension with the line-up and batting order of each team the same as they were at the time of suspension.
- 10. **RESULTS TO OSSAA** When the regional tournament is complete, regional winners should call the Activities Association and notify **Mike Clark (405) 840-1116, ext. 114 or e-mail (mclark@ossaa.com)**. It is mandatory that Regional tournament results be posted to your team page at <u>www.ossaarankings.com</u> immediately following the completion of each contest.

- 11. **ADMISSION** In all regional tournament play, tickets are \$7.00 plus \$1.35 fee online and \$10.00 at the gate for adults and students for each session. Each day of a regional tournament will be a session. **The link for the tickets will be on the homepage of OSSAA.com**. **The ticket links will open by 9 am Monday, October 2.** The host site will be sent an expense claim via email to itemize the expenses of the tournament. The OSSAA playoff pass is the only pass that will admit the holder to a play-off event. At the top it reads: "OSSAA Pass". A driver's license must be shown with all passes
- 12. STATE TOURNAMENT The 2023 Classes 4A, 5A and 6A Fast-Pitch Softball State Tournament will be played at Firelake Ball Park October 12-13, 2023. The championship will be played at OU Stadium in Norman. State tournament ticket prices are \$10 plus \$1.50 fee. Tickets are sold online only. The ticket link will open on Monday Oct. 19, at 9:00a.m. The link can be found on OSSAA.com.
- 12. **2023 FAST-PITCH SOFTBALL STATE TOURNAMENT PROGRAMS** When you qualify for the state tournament, please send your team **Picture** and **Roster** for the State Program to <u>programs@vype.com</u> as soon as **possible**. On the roster, please include players name, number, grand and position as well as any coaches or managers you would like listed in the program. Also include your Administration (Superintendent, HS Principal and Athletic Director). Feel free to call Rod Coulter at 918-232-1197 or email him at <u>programs@vype.com</u> with any questions.

CLASSES 5A THROUGH 6A – IMPORTANT INFORMATION:

IF YOUR TEAM ADVANCES TO THE STATE TOURNAMENT YOU ARE REQUIRED TO RANK FOR THE STATE TOURNAMENT SEEDING. THE RANKINGS WILL OPEN AT 8:00 A.M. ON MONDAY, OCTOBER 9th AND CLOSE AT NOON THE SAME DAY. YOU MAY NOT RANK YOUR OWN TEAM.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTION, PLEASE CALL. BEST OF LUCK TO PARTICIPATING TEAMS.

Site: Guthrie

Date: September 27, 2023

Class: 5A

Manager: High School Principal

Team A: GUTHRIE Team B: NOBLE Team C: ARDMORE

Wednesday, October 4th

Game 1 Team A plays Team C @ Noon Game 2: Team B plays Team C @ 2:00 pm Game 3: Team A plays Team B @ 4:00 pm

Thursday, October 5th

Game 4: If one team has one loss and one team has no losses, they play at 2:00 p.m. Game 5: If necessary at 4:00 pm or

Game 4: If all teams have one loss, Team B plays Team C @ 2:00 p.m.

Game 5: Winner Game 4 plays Team A @ Winner of Game 4 @ 4:00 p.m.

Admission: Students and Adults \$8.35. (\$7.00 plus \$1.35 convenience fee)

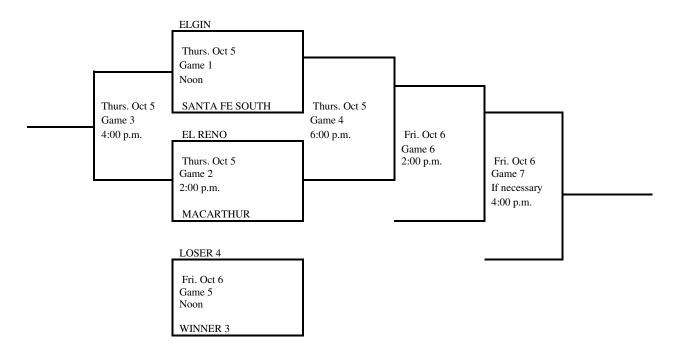
Tickets are sold **online** only. The link can be found on the homepage of OSSAA.COM. No tickets will be sold at the sites.

Site: Elgin

Date: September 27, 2023

Class: 5A

Manager: High School Principal



Admission: Students and Adults \$8.35. (\$7.00 plus \$1.35 convenience fee)

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Site: Piedmont

Date: September 27, 2023

Class: 5A

Manager: High School Principal

Team A: PIEDMONT Team B: ALTUS Team C: GUYMON

Wednesday, October 4th

Game 1 Team A plays Team C @ Noon Game 2: Team B plays Team C @ 2:00 pm Game 3: Team A plays Team B @ 4:00 pm

Thursday, October 5th

Game 4: If one team has one loss and one team has no losses, they play at Noon Game 5: If necessary at 2:00 pm

Game 4: If all teams have one loss, Team B plays Team C @ Noon

Game 5: Winner Game 4 plays Team A @ Winner of Game 4 @ 2:00 p.m.

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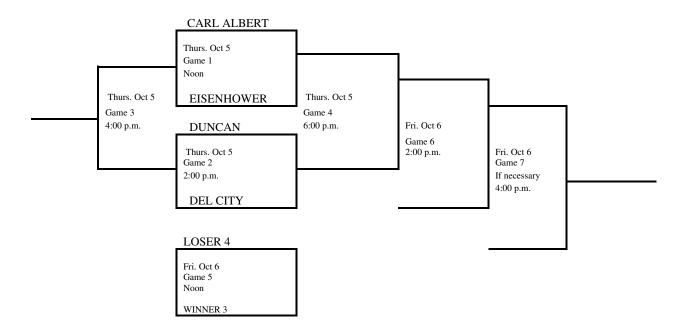
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Site: Carl Albert

Date: September 27, 2023

Class: 5A

Manager: High School Principal



Admission: Students and Adults \$8.35. (\$7.00 plus \$1.35 convenience fee)

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Site: Pryor

Date: September 27, 2023

Class: 5A

Manager: High School Principal

Team A: PRYOR Team B: COLLINSVILLE Team C: SAPULPA

Thursday, October 5th

Game 1Team A plays Team C@ NoonGame 2:Team B plays Team C@ 2:00 pmGame 3:Team A plays Team B@ 4:00 pm

Friday, October 6th

Game 4: If one team has one loss and one team has no losses, they play at Noon

Game 5: If necessary at 2:00 pm

or

Game 4: If all teams have one loss, Team B plays Team C @ Noon

Game 5: Winner Game 4 plays Team A @ Winner of Game 4 @ 2:00 p.m.

Admission: Students and Adults \$8.35. (\$7.00 plus \$1.35 convenience fee)

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Site: Coweta

Date: September 27, 2023

Class: 5A

Manager: High School Principal

Team A: COWETA Team B: GLENPOOL Team C: BISHOP KELLEY

Wednesday, October 4th

Game 1Team A plays Team C@ NoonGame 2:Team B plays Team C@ 2:00 pmGame 3:Team A plays Team B@ 4:00 pm

Thursday, October 5th

Game 4: If one team has one loss and one team has no losses, they play at Noon

Game 5: If necessary at 2:00 pm

or

Game 4: If all teams have one loss, Team B plays Team C @ Noon

Game 5: Winner Game 4 plays Team A @ Winner of Game 4 @ 2:00 p.m.

Admission: Students and Adults \$8.35. (\$7.00 plus \$1.35 convenience fee)

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Site: Tahlequah

Date: September 27, 2023

Class: 5A

Manager: High School Principal

Team A: TAHLEQUAH Team B: GROVE Team C: MCALESTER

Wednesday, October 4th

Game 1Team A plays Team C@ NoonGame 2:Team B plays Team C@ 2:00 pmGame 3:Team A plays Team B@ 4:00 pm

Thursday, October 5th

Game 4: If one team has one loss and one team has no losses, they play at Noon Game 5: If necessary at 2:00 pm

Game 4: If all teams have one loss, Team B plays Team C @ Noon

Game 5: Winner Game 4 plays Team A @ Winner of Game 4 @ 2:00 p.m.

Admission: Students and Adults \$8.35. (\$7.00 plus \$1.35 convenience fee)

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Site: Durant

Date: September 27, 2023

Class: 5A

Manager: High School Principal

Team A: DURANT Team B: CLAREMORE Team C: SHAWNEE

Thursday, October 5th

Game 1Team A plays Team C@ NoonGame 2:Team B plays Team C@ 2:00 pmGame 3:Team A plays Team B@ 4:00 pm

Friday, October 6th

Game 4: If one team has one loss and one team has no losses, they play at Noon

Game 5: If necessary at 2:00 pm

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- Game 4: If all teams have one loss, Team B plays Team C @ Noon
- Game 5: Winner Game 4 plays Team A @ Winner of Game 4 @ 2:00 p.m.

Admission: Students and Adults \$8.35. (\$7.00 plus \$1.35 convenience fee)

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