



Arizona Interscholastic Association, Inc.

2009 AIA State Badminton

TOURNAMENT GUIDE

Schedule, Rules, Regulations, Instructions

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Member Schools Participating in Badminton

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5A Conference

Metro

Carl Hayden
Cesar Chavez
Corona del Sol
Desert Vista
Millennium
Mountain Pointe
South Mountain
Trevor Browne

East Valley

Desert Ridge
Dobson
Mesa
Mountain View (Mesa)
Red Mountain
Skyline
Westwood

Fiesta

Basha
Chandler
Gilbert
Hamilton
Highland
Mesquite
Perry

Desert Valley

Alhambra
Central
Chaparral
Desert Mountain
Horizon
North Canyon
Xavier

4A Conference

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Region #1

Moon Valley
Shadow Mountain
Sunnyslope
Thunderbird
Washington

Region #2

Apollo
Greenway
Paradise Valley
Prescott

Region #3

Agua Fria
Cortez
Glendale
Independence

Region #4

McClintock
Queen Creek
Saguaro
Tempe



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Sites: **4A – Independence High School;** 6602 N. 75th Avenue; Glendale, AZ 85303
5A (Team) – Shadow Mountain High School; 2902 E. Shea Blvd; Phoenix, AZ 85028
5A (Individuals) – North Canyon High School; 1700 E. Union Hills; Phoenix, AZ 85024

10/31/09	4A First Round Team	#1 & #2 Seeded Teams Host (See Brackets) – 2 & 3:30 p.m.
11/02/09	4A Semifinals Team	Independence High School – 6:30 p.m.
11/04/09	4A Championship Team	Independence High School – 6:30 p.m.
11/06/09	4A Singles/Doubles Opening Rounds	Independence High School – 8:30 a.m.
11/07/09	4A Singles/Doubles Finals	Independence High School – 9:30 a.m.

10/31/09	5A First/Second Round Team	#1, #2, #3, & #4 Seeded Teams Host (See Brackets) – 1 & 3 p.m.
11/02/09	5A Semifinals Team	Shadow Mountain High School – 6:30 p.m.
11/04/09	5A Championship Team	Shadow Mountain High School – 6:30 p.m.
11/06/09	5A Singles/Doubles Opening Rounds	North Canyon High School – 9:00 a.m.
11/07/09	5A Singles/Doubles Finals	North Canyon High School – 9:00 a.m.



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RULES

Rules shall be those of the current edition of the “Official Rules for Badminton” published by the US Badminton Association, the AIA Constitution and Bylaws and these tournament instructions.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

There shall be umpires for the semi-final and final matches of the State Team Tournament, and a roving official on Friday, November 6 and Saturday, November 7, 2009.

All badminton players will wear tennis shoes and official school uniforms.

Shower and locker facilities will NOT be available. Towels will be available at court side as long as they are not used to stall during the match.

Bracketing will be double elimination.

Matches will be numbered without specific starting times. Play will be continuous. As soon as one match is finished, the next match will start.

Players will be defaulted if they are not ready to play 15 minutes after the match is announced. A 20 minute recovery period will be allowed.

No one will be allowed on the floor except players and designated officials. All others must be in the bleachers, seating areas or rest areas.

Warm-up time will be limited to 10 minutes for the first match played; then five minutes for each match thereafter.

It will be each player's responsibility to note match numbers called and default times allowed.

During all matches, players are to remain on the court. If an emergency arises, players are to go to the back of the court and raise their racket for assistance.

For split sets, there will be a five minute time allotment. Players may leave the court. Coaches and players may converse during the five minute time-out, but not during the match.

The 1998/99 rule changes on the (1) setting option; and (2) Coaching during break will be in effect. All participants are to report their scores promptly after each match to the head table.

For split sets, the players will report to the scorers table to record the time. Precisely five minutes later, the scorer will call the contestants back to the court. Coaches - remind your players to report to the scorer so he/she can note the time.

Determination

No badminton player will be permitted to warm up at the site of the qualifying tournament prior to going on the court for scheduled match the day of the tournament. (See AIA Constitution and Bylaws, Section 19.9.4, page 73.)

SCORE REPORTING

Host School Athletic Directors must contact the AIA immediately following the match to ensure proper posting of the AIA State Tournament Results on the brackets. Contact:

Brian Bolitho



MEDIA CREDENTIAL POLICY

Credential Policy that needs to be followed to protect the proprietary rights of the Association and to protect the student-athletes and coaches at region and state tournament events. The following link (http://aiaonline.org/news/press_center.php) is to the AIA Media Center which houses the AIA Media Credential Form and the AIA Approved Media List (those that have requested and been granted AIA media credentials). Please download the AIA Media Credential Form and should a media member need access that is not on the media list, they will need to sign off on the form. Please print out several of the Media Credential Forms so each media outlet fills out its own form. Should the media member refuse to sign off on the form, they will not be granted access to the region or state tournament event you're hosting.

At the conclusion of the event, please fax or mail those forms to the AIA so that we may follow up and credential those people the approved media list will be updated as forms are received and processed. Please download the AIA Approved Media List (which is constantly being updated) so that those members of the media that are already approved may be granted access. Please note that some members of the media might show up with Freelance Credentials. These have no pictures on them, but do allow for access to the event per the designated media outlet on the AIA Media Credential.

SPECTATOR BEHAVIOR

The National Federation of High School Associations disapproves of any form of taunting which is intended to embarrass, ridicule or demean others under any circumstances.

AIA Bylaw; Article 16.3.4 stipulates that student spectators, parents, or other non-school personnel that initiate or use profanity in cheers or chants having the intent of sounding profane, single out opposing players personally and/or heckle them by directing derogatory or profane statements or chants at them, use racist remarks or direct offensive cheers /chants at opposing individuals, teams or fans are in violation of the AIA sportsmanship rules. At all contests, including region and state tournament contests, participating school's administrators have the responsibility to control their fan behaviors, either student or adult.

Any spectator conduct that becomes unruly or interferes with the orderly progress of the game will result in the suspension of the game until offending spectator(s) are removed from the game site. Artificial noisemakers are prohibited at state playoff venues. If any artificial noisemaker is brought into a game site, the item will be confiscated.

2009 ADMISSION PRICE

State Tournament Games: \$5.00

FREE ADMISSION

Children five or under

Teams (in uniform) entering with their Coach(es)

Twenty Spiritline (in uniform) with their Sponsor(s)

All tournament workers

Media with proper credentials

AIA Lifetime Pass Holder and One Guest

AIA Complimentary Pass and One Guest

Photo ID required for AIA Pass Holder and all AIA Complimentary Passe



PROGRAMS AND SOUVENIRS

Kukulski Brothers is the official supplier for AIA Programs and Souvenirs. *Sale or distribution of AIA State Tournament related game programs, t-shirts or any other souvenirs by any individual or company other than the Kukulski Brothers at any AIA State Tournament playoff site or game is prohibited.*

Tournament merchandise will be available at as many sites as possible.

Please call David Kukulski or Dan Kukulski at (480) 921-1975 if you have any questions.

REGION RESULTS

Regional tournament directors fax regional results at the conclusion of the tournament to:

4A

Mike Siwek
Independence High School
6602 N. 75th Avenue
Glendale, AZ 85303
Phone: 623-435-6108
Fax: 623-435-6157

5A

Nancy Ellis
Dobson High School
1501 W. Guadalupe Road
Mesa, Arizona 85202
Phone: 480-472-3054
Fax: 480-472-3075

AIA (Email 4A and 5A Regional Results)

Michele Staples
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Phone: 602-385-3826

TROPHIES/MEDALS

Awards will be as noted in the AIA Constitution and Bylaws.

The presentations will be made on the floor immediately after the championship game. If you cannot be available, awards can be picked up at the AIA office.

The Tournament Site Director and coaches need to ensure that the floor remains clear for the presentation.



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GAMES COMMITTEE

4A

Jeff Feldman - Board Advisor
Mike Siwek - Tournament Director
Sarah Schlesinger
Bob McCready
Lisa Cass

Greenway
Independence
Sunnyslope
Prescott
Independence

5A

Nancy Ellis-Tournament Director
Scott Brown-Board Advisor
Nancy Meyer
Mark Hanna
Barb Anderes
Jeremy Williams

Dobson
PVUSD Athletic Director
Xavier
Mesquite
Westwood
Desert Vista

