

Interior Conference Bylaws Basketball

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Section 1 Rules

Basketball competition in the Interior Conference will follow the guidelines established by the National Federation of State High Schools Association Basketball Rule Book and all- applicable rules and regulations established by ASAA and the Interior Conference.

The home team is responsible for entering results into asaa365 within 48 hours of the completion of the contest.

Section 2 Region II Responsibilities

- A) Determine site of Interior Conference Tournament at the fall meeting.
- B) Determine date of Interior Conference Tournament at the fall meeting.
- C) Determine and order awards. Trophies and Medals standardized by Region II. The Region will seek bids for the awards to assure competitive prices and secured.

Section 3 Host School Responsibilities

- A) Provide playing facilities and officials. Assist with sleeping facilities for visiting teams.
- B) Select tournament director.
- C) Purchase awards (As determined by Region II handbook and ordered by Secretary after the fall meeting when sites are set).
- D) Make arrangements for food for visiting teams (not provide).
- E) Provide hospitality lounge for visiting coaches, sponsors, and officials.

Section 4 Tournament Director's Responsibilities

- A) Send appropriate information to all schools in the Interior Conference.
- B) Preliminary letter should be sent the first week of the season and state the tournament site, date and other pertinent information, such as availability of meals and lodging, and form requesting such information as:
 - 1) Intent to participate, with a deadline for teams to commit to participating in the tournament.
 - 2) Entire roster to be sent prior to the tournament and limited to 12 players at tournament.
 - 3) Team Photograph
 - 4) Academic information (GPA) the prior semester.
 - 5) Seeding criteria to be sent.
 - 6) Teams that leave early forfeit their tournament reimbursement. (Except for an act of God)
- C) Subsequent letters should be sent to the schools intending to participate and should provide such information as:
 - 1) Seeding
 - 2) Bracketing
 - 3) Coaches meeting date, time, and location
 - 4) Teams participating
 - 5) Admission cost
 - 6) Housing for fans
 - 7) Selection of Board of Control
 - 8) Availability of radio broadcast services
- D) Officials
 - 1) The tournament director shall be in charge of selecting up to eight officials for the tournament. Efforts will be made to get official representation from various officials' associations.
 - 2) The tournament director will appoint one of the officials as the head official.
 - 3) The head official will assign the scheduled tournament games, including the championship games.
 - 4) It is encouraged to have the head coaches of each team in the championship game help select officials for their game.

- E) Selection of the board of control
 - 1) The tournament director will select (3) administrators from participating schools to form a board of control for the tournament prior to the first contest of the tournament. Members of the B.O.C. will excuse themselves from decisions involving their own school.
- F) Tournament director will provide for the preparation and maintenance of the facility and all necessary equipment for the operation of the tournament.
- G) Assign locker rooms and sleeping areas (if appropriate) to tournament participants.
- H) Provide awards ceremony at the end of the tournament.
- I) Announce (when announcing team rosters) and sportsmanship award.
- J) Provide a tournament financial statement to the participants and the Region II secretary within 30 days of the completion of the tournament. Failure to submit this report will result in:
 - 1) Letter sent to host principal
 - 2) Letter sent to host superintendent
 - 3) Letter sent to host school board
- K) Forward the names of the teams that will advance to the State Tournament to ASAA within the required time frame.
- L) The tournament director is charged with assessing the estimated costs and revenues and spending the participating teams a bill for their share of the difference. The participating schools will each pay a fee to offset the tournament expenses that are over and above the gate. This fee cannot be more than \$400 per school. When the tournament is over, director must produce a final profit/loss statement and refund and difference between estimated loss and actual loss prior to making a profit for his school. Tournament costs that may be shared are such things as: Trophies, Officials, Direct custodial cost, and tournament director fee. Monies gained from the sale of advertisement is not considered tournament income and does not have to be figured into the tournament.
- M) Coaches Meeting
 - A coaches meeting is to be scheduled by the director prior to the first contest.

- N) The tournament director shall receive a stipend of \$400.00. This fee is to be paid from tournament revenue prior to reimbursing schools their tournament entry fee.
- O) A host school must provide the following items:
- 1) Properly marked basketball court
 - 2) Ten foot high baskets with regulation nets and breakaway rims.
 - 3) Scorekeeper stable
 - 4) Team benches with home and visitor properly designated.
 - 5) Clock and scoreboard.
 - 6) Official tournament scorebook.
 - 7) Official (properly marked NFHS) basketball, boy's and girl's.
 - 8) Seating for at least 500 spectators (unless a simple majority of participants in the tournament agree otherwise at the fall meeting prior to the tournament.
 - 9) Programs will be the responsibility of the host school; any revenue goes to the host school.
- P) Tournament Procedures
- 1) Game Times
 - a) A minimum of fifteen (15) minutes will be allowed for team warm-up before each game and minimum of three (3) minutes at half time (allowing time for performing groups).
 - 2) Passes
 - a) Players as reflected by roster plus five for: Coaches, Chaperones, Manager, Busdriver.
 - 3) Team bench
 - a) Determined by host school, but must be consistent throughout the tournament.

Section 5

Seeding

- A) Winning percentage against Interior Conference schools in the games that count for seeding purposes.
- B) If, in the event a team is unable to meet the contractual games due to circumstances beyond the school district's control, and the above teams meet at any other time that year; the game will count as the normal amount of points as if a regular season.
- C) Head to head record.
- D) Interior Conference. If two or more teams are tied, we will start with the #1 team and compare records. We will go down the order #2, #3, etc. until the tie is broken.
- E) Winning percentage against common opponents outside of the Interior Conference.
- F) Margin of victory in Head to Head.
- G) Flip of the coin. The Tournament Director is responsible for the coin flip.
- H) Each school in the Interior Conference has a responsibility to play at least one game against all conference teams during the season. This game will count as 2 games for seeding purposes unless a second game is played. Should a team forfeit a game, the team responsible for the forfeit will receive a loss on their conference record and will be seeded last in the regional tournament. Should multiple teams forfeit conference games during the season, seeding for the regional tournament would be established according to the number of games forfeited. For example, a team with 3 forfeits would be seeded last, and a team with 2 forfeits would be seeded 2nd to last.
- I) Teams will alternate years on home and away games. For example, Tok will go to Susitna Valley in 2022 and Susitna Valley will go to Tok in 2023.

Section 6

Rosters

- A) Team rosters are limited to 15 players, which must be finalized to 12 when the first game of the tournament is played.
- B) 12 uniformed players 2 managers 3 coaches.

Section 7 Tournament Bracketing

- A) A modified double elimination bracket (attached) will decide all Interior Conference Basketball Tournaments.

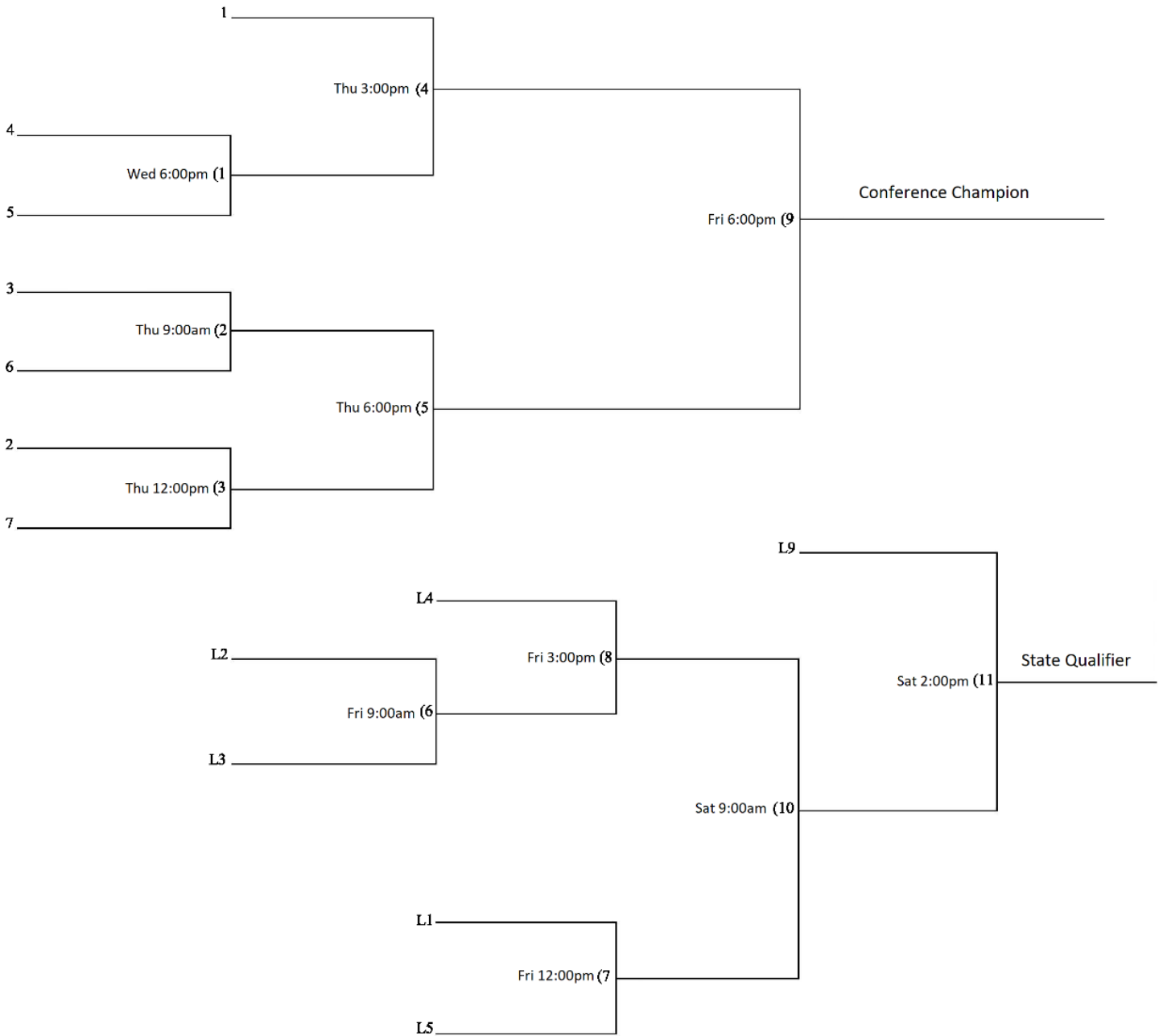
Section 8 Tournament Contest

- A) Free Throw Contest
- B) Three Point Contest
- C) Academic Awards 10 (based on previous semester gpa)
- D) All conference team 12 1 Conference Player of the Year
based on receiving the most points on ballot.

Section 9 Tournament Rotation

2022	Tok
2023	Glennallen
2024	Nenana
2025	Cordova
2026	Susitna Valley
2027	Effie Kokrine
2028	Ninilchik

Interior Conference Girls Example Bracket



Interior Conference Boys Example Bracket

