



## Oregon School Activities Association

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TO: Superintendents, Principals, and Athletic Directors

FROM: Brad Garrett, Assistant Executive Director  
Cindy Simmons, Assistant Executive Director

SUBJECT: OSAA State Championship Committee – December 9 Meeting Update

The State Championship Committee for the 2015-2018 four-year time block held its seventh meeting at the OSAA office in Wilsonville on December 9, 2013. The constitutionally mandated purpose of this Committee is to make recommendations to the OSAA Executive Board for adoption in February 2014, regarding championship formats, participation policies, and issues relative to the administration of OSAA State Championships.

Following a review of the charge and the additional questions posed by the OSAA Executive Board, the Committee received public testimony from 14 individuals. The Committee then adjourned to a closed work session to review and discuss the testimony and the written correspondence it had received.

The Committee discussed the following topics:

**2A/1A Baseball Proposal:** The Committee reviewed a proposal to expand the number of qualifiers into the 2A/1A Baseball State Championships from 16 to 21 teams. The group is not interested in expanding given the projected number of teams in Volleyball and Basketball is similar to 2A/1A Baseball and those sports have 16-team brackets.

**Tennis Participation Limitations:** The Committee received a request to allow Tennis teams to schedule 18 play dates instead of the current 16 play dates. Coaches have concerns that because of bigger leagues at the large school level the seeding of the tournament would be negatively affected due to fewer non-league matches. The Committee requests additional feedback on the proposed expansion from all schools sponsoring Tennis.

**Wrestling Dual Meet Championship:** The Committee discussed and does not support adding an additional Championship in Wrestling at this time.

The Committee has reached consensus on the following topics:

**Qualifying in Golf and Wrestling:** The Committee discussed feedback and testimony received and is currently supporting the attached alignments in Golf and Wrestling at all classification levels.

**Allocations in Teams Sports:** The Committee continues to support the team sport allocations and bracket sizes in the sports listed in the included chart. The group supports the 4A classification continuing their "play-in" model during the next time block.

**Allocations in Individual Sports:** The Committee discussed feedback and testimony received and is currently supporting the attached allocations in individual sports at all classification levels.

**Team Sports contested in Special Districts:** The Committee discussed and supports maintaining current bracket sizes in the following team sports: 3A/2A/1A Boys Soccer (16-team bracket), 3A/2A/1A Girls Soccer (12-team bracket), 2A/1A Baseball (16-team bracket), and 2A/1A Softball (16-team bracket).

Current Recommendations:

**1A Football:** The Committee **supports** aligning 1A Football in 4 Special Districts. Four teams will qualify in each Special District to a 16-team bracket. Qualifying procedures will be at the discretion of each Special District. See attached chart for proposed alignments.

**Playoff Reimbursement:** The Committee **supports** removing the Per Deim allocations for round trip mileage between 0 and 150 miles to Championship sites. The Mileage reimbursement for this range would continue to stay in place for participating teams.



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**Volleyball:** The Committee **supports** current formats in Volleyball for the next time block at all classification levels.

**6A, 5A, 4A Basketball:** The Committee **supports** current formats in Basketball for the next time block at all classification levels.

**6A, 5A Basketball:** The Committee **supports** gender-specific sites for the 6A, 5A basketball state championships. This support is based on the assumption that tournament sites will be located close enough to allow spectators the opportunity to attend both boys and girls games if a school's boys and girls team are scheduled to play within the same session.

**Cheerleading:** The Committee **supports** reformatting the Cheerleading State Championships from a one day-two session event to a one day-one session event.

**Dance and Drill:** The Committee **supports** reformatting the Dance and Drill State Championships from a four day event to a two day event. See attached tentative schedule.

**Standardized Numbered Week Calendar:** The Committee supports adopting the NFHS Standardized Calendar to set OSAA State Championship dates.

The Committee discussed adding an additional meeting. If needed, this meeting will be a closed Committee work session to finalize all recommendations that will be forwarded to the OSAA Executive Board at the February meeting.

The Committee welcomes all written proposals regarding any State Championship related subjects. Those submitting proposals need to provide data that would illustrate support from various groups including but not limited to superintendents, principals, athletic directors and coaches. All public testimony should be concise and correspond to the information being presented. Any communication from school representatives regarding Committee issues should be sent to the OSAA rather than to individual Committee members. All written communication received by the OSAA will be shared with every Committee member for review and discussion. Please send emails for the Committee to [cindys@osaa.org](mailto:cindys@osaa.org).

The next meeting of the State Championship Committee will take place on Monday, January 13, 2014 at the OSAA office in Wilsonville. The Committee meeting will begin with an opportunity for public testimony at 9am.

The Committee appreciates your support and encourages your participation in this process. Please do not hesitate to contact Cindy Simmons ([cindys@osaa.org](mailto:cindys@osaa.org)) or Brad Garrett ([bradg@osaa.org](mailto:bradg@osaa.org)) of the OSAA if you have any questions.

Scheduled State Championship Committee meeting dates: (Additional meetings may be added if necessary)

Monday, January 13, 2014	9am	OSAA Office, Wilsonville
TBA	TBA	OSAA Office, Wilsonville (Closed Work Session)

The OSAA staff will provide a Committee update, similar to this one, to all superintendents, principals, and athletic directors following each meeting. The Committee Roster, Charge to the Committee, all updates, and any additional committee information is available at <http://www.osaa.org/governance/committees>.



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### Proposed Schedule - Dance/Drill State Championship Event in 2015

FRIDAY, MARCH ?? (Note: Example based off of 2013 Divisions – All times are Approximate)

6-8:50am	Set Prop Load In / Dressing Rooms Open
7:30am	Set/Prop Parent/Captain Mtg.
8-Noon	Rehearsals
Noon-12:10pm	Coaches Mtg.
12:15-1:15pm	Grand Finale Rehearsal
1:15-1:45pm	All-State Rehearsal
1:45-3:45pm	Rehearsals
3:45-4:15pm	Arena Opens for Show Teams to refold floors and prop maintenance
4:30pm	Doors Open
5pm	First Performance
10:09pm	Last Performance
10:15pm	All-State Performance
10:25pm	Drill/Down
10:40pm	Teams Invited to the Floor for Finale
11:10pm	Awards (Including Coaches of the Year, Lifetime, and Award Presentations)

SATURDAY, MARCH ?? (Note: Example based off of 2013 Divisions – All times are Approximate)

7am	Dressing Rooms Open
8-Noon	Rehearsals
Noon-12:10pm	Coaches Mtg.
12:15-1:15 pm	Grand Finale Rehearsal
1:15-1:45pm	All-State Rehearsal
1:45-3:45pm	Rehearsals
4:30pm	Doors Open
5pm	First Performance
9:06pm	Last Performance
9:15pm	All-State Performance
9:25pm	Drill/Down
9:40pm	Teams Invited to the Floor for Finale
10:10pm	Awards (Including Coaches of the Year, Lifetime, and Award Presentations)

#### **Notes:**

Rehearsal times will be the same as 2013 (10min dance, 16min show)



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### Proposed Individual Sport Allocations as of 12/9/13

Boys and Girls Cross Country	
6A	Top 3 teams in each district meet plus any individual in Top 10 not a member of qualifying team
5A	5A- 1 (Top 3 teams), 5A-2 ( Top 3 teams), 5A-3 ( Top 2 teams), 5A-4 ( Top 2 teams), 5A-5 ( Top 2 teams) in each district meet plus any individual in Top 7 not a member of qualifying team
4A	Top 2 teams in each district meet plus any individual in Top 5 not a member of qualifying team.
3A/2A/1A	Top 2 teams in each special district meet plus any individual in Top 5 not a member of qualifying team.

Boys and Girls Swimming	
6A	District meet league champion in each event plus individuals/relays meeting established qualifying standard. Lanes will be filled to 20 participants.
5A	District meet league champion in each event plus lanes will be filled to 12 participants
4A/3A/2A/1A	Special district meet champion in each event plus lanes will be filled to 12 participants

Boys and Girls Tennis	
6A	Top 4 Doubles teams plus Top 4 Singles in each district meet
5A	Top 4 Doubles teams plus Top 4 Singles in each district /special district meet <b>Note: 5A-4 and 5A-5 combined into one Special District</b>
4A/3A/2A/1A	Top 4 Doubles teams plus Top 4 Singles in each special district meet



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<b>Wrestling</b> (See attached alignments)	
6A	Top 3 in each weight class within each district meet. 18-person bracket
5A	Top 4 in each weight class within each special district meet. 16-person bracket
4A	Top 4 in each weight class within special districts 1 – 3 with rotating 5 <sup>th</sup> qualifier between all special districts. Top 3 in each weight class within the special district 4 meet every year. 16-person bracket
3A	Top 4 in each weight class within each special district. 12-person bracket
2A/1A	Top 2 in each weight class within each special district. 8-person bracket

<b>Boys and Girls Track and Field</b>	
6A	Top 2 in each district meet within each event plus 4 additional (Qualifying Standard has priority over Wildcard entries). Qualifying standard is 5 year average of 5 <sup>th</sup> place mark.
5A	Top 2 in each district meet within each event plus 2 additional (Qualifying Standard has priority over Wildcard entries). Qualifying standard is 5 year average of 5 <sup>th</sup> place mark.
4A	Top 2 in each district meet within each event plus any time/mark meeting qualifying standards. Qualifying standard is 5 year average of 5 <sup>th</sup> place mark.
3A	Top 2 in each district meet within each event plus any time/mark meeting qualifying standards. Qualifying standard is 5 year average of 3 <sup>rd</sup> place mark.
2A	Top 2 in each district meet within each event plus any time/mark meeting qualifying standards. Qualifying standard is 5 year average of 3 <sup>rd</sup> place mark.
1A	Top 2 in each district meet within each event plus 2 additional (Qualifying Standard has priority over Wildcard entries). Qualifying standard is 5 year average of 3 <sup>rd</sup> place mark.



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### Boys and Girls Golf (See attached alignments)

6A	District tournament team champion and Top 2 district tournament individuals automatically qualify for State Championships. 2 <sup>nd</sup> - 4 <sup>th</sup> district tournament teams and 3 <sup>rd</sup> – 7 <sup>th</sup> district tournament individuals advance to sub-district event Top 2 sub-district teams and Top 5 sub-district individuals not on a qualifying team advance to State Championships
5A	Top 2 teams in each district tournament and any individual in Top 5 not a member of a qualifying team
4A Boys	Top 3 teams in special districts 1-3 and Top 2 teams in special district 4 tournament and any individual in Top 5 not a member of a qualifying team
3A/2A/1A Boys	Top 3 teams in each special district and any individual in Top 5 not a member of a qualifying team
4A/3A/2A/1A Girls	Top 3 teams in each special district and any individual in Top 5 not a member of a qualifying team

<b>6A FB 32-team bracket</b>	<b>6A VB, SOC, BBX BB, SB 32-team bracket</b>	<b>5A FB, VB, SOC, BBX, BB, SB 16-team bracket</b>	<b>4A FB, VB, SOC, BBX BB, SB 16-team bracket</b>	<b>3A FB, BB, SB 16-team bracket</b>	<b>3A VB, BBX 16-team bracket</b>	<b>2A FB 16-team bracket</b>	<b>2A VB, BBX 16-team bracket</b>	<b>1A FB 16-team bracket</b>	<b>1A VB, BBX 24-team bracket</b>
(6A-1)-4, (6A-2)-4, (6A-3)-4, (6A-4)-4, (6A-5)-4, (6A-6)-4  8 spots awarded to highest ranked non qualifying teams  League Champions host in Round 1 regardless of ranking  Qualifying teams placed on the bracket using OSAA Rankings Board Policy	(6A-1)-4, (6A-2)-4, (6A-3)-4, (6A-4)-4, (6A-5)-4, (6A-6)-4  8 spots – qualifying format is TBA  League Champions host in Round 1 regardless of ranking  Qualifying teams placed on the bracket using OSAA Rankings Board Policy	(5A-1)-4, (5A-2)-4, (5A-3)-3, (5A-4)-2, (5A-5)-2  1 spot awarded to highest ranked non qualifying team  League Champions host in Round 1 regardless of ranking  Qualifying teams placed on the bracket using OSAA Rankings Board Policy	7 League Champions + highest ranked #2 team qualify  8 additional teams qualify through 4A play- in model  League Champions host in Round 1 if ranked in the Top 16  Qualifying teams placed on the bracket using OSAA Rankings Board Policy	(3A-1)-2, (3A-2)-3, (3A-3)-3, (3A-4)-3, (3A-5)-2, (3A-6)-2  1 spots awarded to the highest ranked non- qualifying team  League Champions host in Round 1 if ranked in the Top 16  Qualifying teams placed on the bracket using OSAA Rankings Board Policy	(3A-1)-3, (3A-2)-3, (3A-3)-3, (3A-4)-2, (3A-5)-2, (3A-6)-2  1 spot awarded to the highest ranked non- qualifying team  League Champions host in Round 1 if ranked in the Top 16  Qualifying teams placed on the bracket using OSAA Rankings Board Policy	(2A-1)-2, (2A-2)-2, (2A-3)-2, (2A-4)-2, (2A-5)-2, (2A-6)-2  4 spots awarded annually at the September OSAA Executive Board Meeting  League Champions host in Round 1 if ranked in the Top 16  Qualifying teams placed on the bracket using OSAA Rankings Board Policy	(2A-1)-3, (2A-2)-3, (2A-3)-3, (2A-4)-2, (2A-5)-2, (2A-6)-3  League Champions host in Round 1 if ranked in the Top 16  Qualifying teams placed on the bracket using OSAA Rankings Board Policy	(SD -1 )-4 , (SD -2 )-4, (SD -3 )-4, (SD -4 )-4  Special District Champions host in Round 1 if ranked in the Top 16  Qualifying teams placed on the bracket using OSAA Rankings Board Policy	(1A-1)-3, (1A-2)-3, (1A-3)-3, (1A-4)-3, (1A-5)-3, (1A-6)-3, (1A-7)-3, (1A-8)-3  3's @ 2's based on established rotation.  League Champions host in Round 2 if ranked in the Top 16  Qualifying teams placed on the bracket in the Round of 16 using OSAA Rankings Board Policy

<b>6A Special Districts - Wrestling</b>					
<b>Special District 1</b>	<b>Special District 2</b>	<b>Special District 3</b>	<b>Special District 4</b>	<b>Special District 5</b>	<b>Special District 6</b>
<b>9</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>8</b>
Benson	Aloha	Barlow	Canby	Forest Grove	Grants Pass
Cleveland	Beaverton	Centennial	Lake Oswego	McKay	North Medford
Franklin	Century	Clackamas	Lakeridge	McMinnville	Roseburg
Grant	Glencoe	David Douglas	Newberg	McNary	Sheldon
Jefferson	Southridge	Gresham	Sherwood	North Salem	South Eugene
Lincoln	Sunset	Oregon City	Tigard	South Salem	South Medford
Madison	Westview	Reynolds	Tualatin	Sprague	Thurston
Roosevelt			West Linn	West Albany	Willamette
Wilson				West Salem	

<b>6A Sub-Special Districts - Boys and Girls Golf</b>		
<b>Special District 1</b>	<b>Special District 2</b>	<b>Special District 3</b>
<b>17</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>17</b>
Aloha	Barlow	Forest Grove
Beaverton	Canby	Grants Pass
Benson	Centennial	McKay
Century	Central Catholic	McMinnville
Cleveland	Clackamas	McNary
Franklin	David Douglas	North Medford
Glencoe	Gresham	North Salem
Grant	Lake Oswego	Roseburg
Jefferson	Lakeridge	Sheldon
Jesuit	Newberg	South Eugene
Lincoln	Oregon City	South Medford
Madison	Reynolds	South Salem
Roosevelt	Sherwood	Sprague
Southridge	St. Mary's Academy	Thurston
Sunset	Tigard	West Albany
Westview	Tualatin	West Salem
Wilson	West Linn	Willamette



**5A Special Districts - Wrestling**

<b>Special District 1</b>	<b>Special District 2</b>	<b>Special District 3</b>	<b>Special District 4</b>
<b>8</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>9</b>
Hillsboro	Central	Ashland	Bend
Liberty	Corvallis	Churchill	Hermiston
Milwaukie	Crescent Valley	Crater	Hood River Valley
Parkrose	Dallas	Eagle Point	Mountain View
Putnam	Lebanon	North Eugene	Pendleton
Sandy	Silverton	Springfield	Redmond
St. Helens	South Albany		Ridgeview
Wilsonville	Woodburn		Summit
			The Dalles

**5A Special Districts - Boys and Girls Golf**

<b>Special District 1</b>	<b>Special District 2</b>	<b>Special District 3</b>	<b>Special District 4</b>	<b>Special District 5</b>
<b>9</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>4</b>
Hillsboro	Central	Ashland	Bend	Hermiston
La Salle	Corvallis	Churchill	Mountain View	Hood River Valley
Liberty	Crescent Valley	Crater	Redmond	Pendleton
Milwaukie	Dallas	Eagle Point	Ridgeview	The Dalles
Parkrose	Lebanon	North Eugene	Summit	
Putnam	Silverton	Springfield		
Sandy	South Albany			
St. Helens	Woodburn			
Wilsonville				

4A Special Districts - Wrestling			
Special District 1 11	Special District 2 12	Special District 3 12	Special District 4 4
Astoria	Cascade	Brookings-Harbor	Baker
Banks	Cottage Grove	Douglas	La Grande
Corbett	Elmira	Henley	McLoughlin
Crook County	Junction City	Hidden Valley	Ontario
Estacada	Newport	Klamath Union	
Gladstone	North Marion	Marshfield	
Madras	Philomath	Mazama	
Molalla	Sisters	North Bend	
Scappoose	Stayton	North Valley	
Seaside	Sutherlin	Phoenix	
Tillamook	Sweet Home	Siuslaw	
	Yamhill-Carlton	South Umpqua	

4A Special Districts - Boys Golf			
Special District 1 11	Special District 2 12	Special District 3 12	Special District 4 4
Astoria	Cascade	Brookings-Harbor	Baker
Banks	Cottage Grove	Douglas	La Grande
Corbett	Elmira	Henley	McLoughlin
Crook County	Junction City	Hidden Valley	Ontario
Estacada	Newport	Klamath Union	
Gladstone	North Marion	Marshfield	
Madras	Philomath	Mazama	
Molalla	Sisters	North Bend	
Scappoose	Stayton	North Valley	
Seaside	Sutherlin	Phoenix	
Tillamook	Sweet Home	Siuslaw	
	Yamhill-Carlton	South Umpqua	

4A/3A/2A/1A Special Districts - Girls Golf			
Special District 1 14	Special District 2 17	Special District 3 22	Special District 4 21
Catlin Gabel	Amity	Baker / Powder Valley	Bandon
Neah-Kah-Nie	Blanchet Catholic	Burns	Brookings - Harbor
Oregon Episcopal	Cascade	Cove	Cascade Christian
Rainier / Warrenton	Cottage Grove	Crook County	Coquille
Riverdale	Creswell	Enterprise	Henley
Astoria	East Linn Christian Acad.	Grant Union	Hidden Valley
Banks	Junction City	Heppner / Lone	Illinois Valley
Scappoose	Kennedy	Horizon Christian HR	Lakeview
Seaside	Newport	La Grande	Marshfield
Estacada	Regis	La Pine	Mazama
Molalla	Salem Acad.	Long Creek	McKenzie
North Marion	Santiam Christian	Madras	North Bend
Valley Catholic	Stayton	McLoughlin	North Valley
Tillamook	Sweet Home	Nixyaawii / Pilot Rock / Weston	Oakridge
	Taft	Nyssa / Adrian	Phoenix
	Toledo	Ontario	Reedsport
	Waldport	Sisters	Siuslaw
		Stanfield / Echo	South Umpqua
		Trinity Lutheran	St. Mary's
		Union	Sutherlin
		Vale	Triad
		Wallowa	

<b>3A Wrestling Special Districts</b>		
<b>Special District 1</b>	<b>Special District 2</b>	<b>Special District 3</b>
<b>9</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>9</b>
Amity Clatskanie Colton Dayton De La Salle N Cath Gervais Rainier Riverside Warrenton	Harrisburg Jefferson La Pine Pleasant Hill Santiam Christian Scio Sheridan Taft Willamina	Cascade Christian Coquille Creswell Glide Illinois Valley Lakeview Nyssa Rogue River Vale

<b>3A/2A/1A Special Districts - Boys Golf</b>			
<b>Special District 1</b>	<b>Special District 2</b>	<b>Special District 3</b>	<b>Special District 4</b>
<b>11</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>13</b>
C.S. Lewis Catlin Gabel City Christian De La Salle N. Catholic Neah-Kah-Nie Oregon Episcopal Portland Adventist Acad. Rainier Riverdale Vernonia Westside Christian	Amity Blanchet Catholic Creswell East Linn Christian Acad. Kennedy Regis Salem Acad. Santiam Christian Taft Toledo Waldport	Burns Cove Enterprise Grant Union Hepper / Ione Horizon Christian HR Joseph LaPine Long Creek Nixyaawii / Pilot Rock / Weston Nyssa Stanfield / Echo Union / Cove Vale Wallowa	Bandon Cascade Christian Gold Beach Hosanna Christian Illinois Valley Lakeview McKenzie Mohawk Oakridge Reedsport Rogue River St. Mary's Triad

**2A/1A Wrestling Special Districts**

<b>Special District 1 7</b>	<b>Special District 2 11</b>	<b>Special District 3 9</b>	<b>Special District 4 13</b>
Knappa	Crow	Bonanza	Adrian
Monroe	Glendale	Central Linn	Burns
Neah-Kah-Nie	Lowell	Chiloquin	Crane
Nestucca	McKenzie	Culver	Elgin
Triangle Lake	Mohawk	Gilchrist	Enterprise
Vernonia	Myrtle Point	Gold Beach	Grant Union
Waldport	North Douglas / Yoncalla	Hosanna Christian	Heppner / Ione
	Oakland	North Lake	Imbler
	Oakridge	Santiam	Irrigon
	Reedsport		Joseph
	Riddle / Riddle Education Center		Pine Eagle
			Union / Cove
			Wallowa

<b>Proposed 1A Football Special Districts</b>	
<b>Special District 1</b>	
Adrian	4 Qualifiers
Burnt River	
Crane	
Dayville/Monument	
Echo	
Harper/Huntington	
Jordan Valley	
Joseph	
Pine Eagle	
Powder Valley	
Prairie City	
Wallowa	
<b>Special District 2</b>	
Butte Falls	4 Qualifiers
Camas Valley	
Chiloquin	
Days Creek	
Elkton	
Gilchrist	
Glendale	
Hosanna	
North Lake	
Powers	
Prospect	
Triad	
<b>Special District 3</b>	
Alsea	4 Qualifiers
Falls City/Kings Valley	
Mapleton	
Siletz Valley	
Triangle Lake	
Lowell	
McKenzie	
Mohawk	
North Douglas	
Yoncalla	
<b>Special District 4</b>	
Arlington	4 Qualifiers
Condon/Wheeler	
Dufur	
Ione	
Jewell	
OSD	
Portland Lutheran	
Sherman	
South Wasco	
Spray/Mitchell	