

# 2017 NSAA State Boys Tennis Championships

Thursday, October 12<sup>th</sup> - Friday, October 13<sup>th</sup>



## Media Guidelines

*All credentials must be worn and displayed at all times* and are only to be used by full-time and/ or significant part-time employees. Those employees must be in a legitimate working capacity. NSAA media credentials are not for the use of children, sponsors, friends, family, spouses, parents or other individuals not representing a legitimate media outlet. Members of the media not abiding by these guidelines will have credentials reviewed for future events.

Class	Site	Site Director
A	<b>Koch Family Tennis Center at Tranquility Park, 124<sup>th</sup> &amp; Maple, Omaha</b>	Jennifer Schwartz
B	<b>Woods Tennis Center, 401 S 33rd St, Lincoln</b>	Debra Velder

### Schedule:

#### Thursday, October 12th

**Class A - 8:30 am - Coaches Check-in at Harry & Gail Koch Family Tennis Center**

**Class A - 9:00 am - First Round Begins**

**(In the event of inclement weather, Class A Coaches should check-in at 7:30 a.m.)**

**Class B - 7:30 am - Coaches Check-in at Woods Tennis Center**

**Class B - 8:00 am - First Round Begins**

#### Friday, October 13th

**9:00 am Semifinal Matches**

**1:00 pm Championship Matches**

**1:00 pm Consolation Matches**

**Parking:** There is no charge for parking. At the Omaha site, parking is available on tier one directly south of the clubhouse. Overflow parking is available at the second and third tiers. At the Lincoln site, please view parking map below.

**Admission:** Admission is free to media and general public at both sites, however please have credentials visible.

**Check-In:** Media check-in locations: Lincoln-Woods Tennis Center Clubhouse, NSAA Headquarters Table; Omaha-Clubhouse, NSAA Headquarters Table. A championship program along with any other additional contest information will be available to media members at these locations.

**Conduct/Etiquette:** As members of the media, you are representing your media organization. Team attire (i.e. booster buttons, school team shirts, etc.) will not be permitted by members of the media. Cheering directed toward a specific school or participant will not be allowed. Our goal is to maintain equity in the competitive environment.

\*Also, please have cell phone on silent when a match is in play.

**Photographs:** Photographers are not allowed to shoot photos on the court without permission or any area deemed inappropriate by onsite staff. Your cooperation is appreciated with this matter.

**Interviews:** Any interviews are at the discretion of the coaches before or after matches. No interviews will be conducted on the courts.

**Scores and Updates:** Bracket updates will be posted on the NSAA website ([www.nsaahome.org](http://www.nsaahome.org)). Intermittent updates will also be available to NSAA Twitter followers ([@nsaaevents](https://twitter.com/nsaaevents))

**Broadcasting:** Broadcast request forms must be submitted a *minimum of three days* to the State Championship. (See attached form) Any live coverage of NSAA State Championships will be subject to Broadcast Rights fees, [as detailed in the NSAA Media Manual](#). The NSAA will not be providing lines for the Boys Tennis Championship.

**\*Live Video Broadcasting coverage of any kind is prohibited without the expressed written consent of the NSAA.**

Questions prior to the championships may be directed to: Jeff Stauss at 402-489-0386 or [jstauss@nsaahome.org](mailto:jstauss@nsaahome.org).

During the championships, direct your questions to the onsite directors listed above.

## Parking Information

Woods Tennis Center 401 South 33<sup>rd</sup> Street Lincoln, NE 68510  
33<sup>rd</sup> Street North

- ◆ Coaches and players **ONLY** park team vehicles in the Redeemer Lutheran Church lot located on the east side of 33<sup>rd</sup> Street (Red arrow and X)
- ◆ Parents and spectators please park in the main lot on the west side of 33<sup>rd</sup> St. (Blue arrows and X)
- ◆ Overflow parking is available on J St south of the baseball diamond. In addition there is overflow parking located west of the park accessible via 30<sup>th</sup> St on the west side of the baseball field and along Memorial Drive and N St throughout the park.
- ◆ Please **DO NOT PARK ON GRASS** areas or block driveways in the neighborhoods. All lots are actually closer walking distance to the tennis facility than parking in the neighborhoods. Please share this with your parents.

**2017-18 NSAA EVENT**  
**AUDIO BASED BROADCAST FORM**



I certify the following employees, who possess a 2017-18 NSAA Media Credential, are involved with the coverage of high school sports. I also certify that the listed employee(s) will need a space for live coverage of the NSAA Event (please circle below):

(circle) BOYS / GIRLS                      Sport / Activity: \_\_\_\_\_

Date(s) of Event Coverage: \_\_\_\_\_

Event Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Sports Editor/Director: \_\_\_\_\_

Media Staff Covering Event\*\* : \_\_\_\_\_

Organization/Station Call Letters/Internet Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Corporate Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Billing Address, City, Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Broadcast Type (Circle One):              Radio Station              Internet Audio

Hard Phone Line Requested (if available):    **BOYS TENNIS DOES NOT HAVE LINES AVAILABLE**

\*any fees incurred by the NSAA for phone line installation/service, including long distance fees will be charged to the respective media outlets.

List Team(s) / Class(es) / Sessions to be covered: \_\_\_\_\_

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Will you broadcast the 3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> place games should your team(s) be competing (if applicable)?    YES / NO

*State Championships: Application due three days prior to event*

Please submit via fax (402-489-0934) or email to Alicia McCoy ([amccoy@nsaahome.org](mailto:amccoy@nsaahome.org)).

***The NSAA retains the right to deny or revoke credentials.  
The selling or redistribution of images (still or video) from NSAA district or state championship events for personal or commercial gain is prohibited without the expressed permission of the NSAA.***

***\*\*Broadcasters must possess a 2017-18 NSAA Media Credential to be admitted to the contest site.  
No additional passes will be available on-site.***