

2016 NSAA State Volleyball Championships

Thursday, November 10th - Saturday, November 12th



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 the guidelines per each Championship will have credentials reviewed for future events.

Start Times: Attached is a table of the scheduled games for each day of the Championship. Brackets updated with the teams/seeds will be [posted on the NSAA website](#) prior to the Championship. (Approximately Sunday, Nov. 8th). For a full schedule of the NSAA Volleyball Championships, [Please Click Here](#).

Media Admission: Media **must show and display** NSAA issued media credentials for free admission and media access to the Championship.

Check-In: After admission, media members should proceed to the designated media workspace. Site specific information is available below. Media vest checkout, championship programs and any other additional contest information will be available in these designated media workspaces.

General Admission:

Session Tickets:

Adults \$7 - Students \$5

ACE Pass:

\$30 All-Session pass ([available online only](#))

Parking: All sites that have restricted media parking will be accessible with your NSAA media credential. Please avoid using these parking spaces if you are not attending in a media capacity. Space is limited.

Interviews: Any interviews are at the discretion of the coaches before or after games. No interviews will be conducted on the courts (due to time factor for next game) or in locker rooms. Please conduct interviews in the nearest hallway.

Broadcasting: **Broadcast request forms must be submitted to the NSAA office by 4:00 PM Monday, November 7th.** The Audio Broadcast Form is available below. Any live coverage of NSAA State Championships will be subject to Broadcast Rights fees. Requests for phone lines should be specified on the Broadcast Form. The NSAA will try to assist with all reasonable accommodation requests when possible. Any costs incurred to accommodate requests will be passed along to the respective media outlets (i.e. phone line installation)

***Video/Streaming coverage of any kind is prohibited without the expressed written consent of the NSAA.**

Television and Web Coverage: All semifinal games on Friday, November 11th, at Pinnacle Bank Arena will be available live via the NFHS Network ([nsaa.tv](#)). The championship finals on Saturday, November 12th will be aired live on NET. Score updates may be found throughout the championship on the [NSAA website](#) and via the [NSAA Events Twitter](#) account.

Photographs: Photographers will be able to shoot from gym corners or other designated areas. All media members shooting photo/video must checkout and wear a media vest. Communicate with the media managers **at each site** to check for any additional specific guidelines for that site. Cooperation with Championship Staff is appreciated.

Championship Programs: Each Championship site will have programs allotted for media distribution. We ask that you keep your program with you as you move from site to site so this resource can be used efficiently.

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

Post-Championship Interview/Photo Process: **At the finish of each Championship game, we ask that media do not run/go onto the playing court and disrupt team celebrations to avoid possible injury for all parties (Ex – Please stay on the “red” area of the Bob Devaney Sports Center playing court).** Photos of the awards ceremony may be taken from on the court but please refrain from interference with NET cameras/crew. After each game the head coach and two players will be taken for live NET interviews and a quick team photo. An area will be provided for additional interviews with requested players/coaches.

Questions prior to the Volleyball Championships may be directed to: Jeff Stauss at 402-489-0386 jstauss@nsaahome.org.

During the Volleyball Championships, direct your questions to the onsite staff.

NSAA Volleyball Championships – Site Information

Lincoln East HS:

Parking: Media members may park in the north lot. Your 2016-17 NSAA Media Credentials will grant you *free parking* in this lot. The space is limited to a first come first serve basis [Click Here for a Parking Map of Lincoln East](#).

Admittance: Media entrance will be through the North door. Please proceed to sign in upon entry located in Media work room. Vest checkout will be located here as well.

Media Workspace: There is limited floor seating for print media. The media work room is located in the southwest corner off of the gym.

Internet: Public WiFi will be available at Lincoln East.

Lincoln Northeast HS:

Parking- Restricted parking will be available for media and event staff on the Northwest side of the school. Your 2016-17 NSAA Media Credentials will grant you *free parking* in this lot. The space is limited to a first come first serve basis. [Click Here for a Parking Map of Lincoln Northeast](#).

Entrance: Media shall enter the west door, Entrance #27

Entry- Media Sign-in: Please proceed to the upper balcony for sign-in, program and additional information. Courtside vest checkout will be available on the upper balcony as well.

Internet- available through a public network.

Media Workspace-Office 75B located in the southeast corner of the gym is available as workspace.

Lincoln North Star HS:

Parking: Media members may park in the northeast section of the parking lot reserved for media at Lincoln North Star High School. Your 2016-2017 NSAA Media Credentials will grant you *free parking* in this lot. The space is limited to a first come first serve basis. [Click Here for a Parking Map of Lincoln North Star](#).

Entrance: Media entrance will be through the main entrance on the east side of the high school. Please proceed to sign in upon entrance.

Media Workspace: There is limited floor seating for print media. The media work room will be on the second floor in the wrestling room.

Internet: Public WiFi will be available at Lincoln North Star.

Lincoln Southeast HS:

Parking: Media members may park on the northeast lot. Your 2016-17 NSAA Media Credentials will grant you *free parking* in this lot. The space is limited to a first come first serve basis. [Click Here for a Parking Map of Lincoln SE.](#)

Entrance: Media entrance will be the Northeast entrance of Southeast High School. Please proceed to sign in upon entrance.

Media Workspace: There is limited floor seating for print media. The media work room will be in Room H 152.

Internet: Public WiFi will be available at Lincoln Southeast.

Lincoln Southwest HS:

Parking: Media members may park on the east side of the tennis courts at Lincoln Southwest High School. Your 2016-17 NSAA Media Credentials will grant you *free parking* in this lot. The space is limited to a first come first serve basis.

[Click Here for a Parking Map of Lincoln SW.](#)

Entrance: Media entrance will be through Door 3. Please proceed to sign in upon entrance.

Working Area: There is limited floor seating for print media. The media work room will be in Room D 103.

Internet: Public WiFi will be available at Lincoln Southwest.

Pinnacle Bank Arena:

Parking: *Media members may park in the Gate 4 parking lot to the north of Pinnacle Bank Arena.* You can access Gate 4 parking off of Pinnacle Bank Arena Drive, just north of the Arena. Your 2016-17 NSAA Media Credentials will grant you *free parking* in this lot. The space is limited to a first come first serve basis. [Click Here for a PBA Parking Map.](#)

*****Please limit parking in this lot to the matches that you are attending in a working capacity.*****

Entrance: Your NSAA Media ID will gain your access to the event. If you park in the Gate 4 lot, you can come directly through the “Marshalling Door”. Championship programs and vest checkout will be available in the media workspace.

Media Workspace: The media work room will be on the lower level on the east side of Pinnacle Bank Arena. There will be signs to help guide you.

Internet: Wireless information will be available onsite.

Bob Devaney Sports Center:

Parking: Media members may park in Lot 51 to the north of Devaney that is reserved for media and additional staff. Your 2016-17 NSAA Media Credentials will grant you *free parking* in this lot. The space is limited to a first come first serve basis. [Click Here for a Devaney Parking Map.](#)

Entrance: Media entrance will be through *lower level entrance* on the *north* side of Devaney. Championship programs and vest checkout will be available in the media workspace.

Media Workspace: The media work room will be in *Room 193* on the lower level (southwest corner).

Internet: Wireless network/password information will be available onsite.

Broadcasters- located on upper C-10 section, in the southwest corner of the Sports Center. Print media will also have work space available in this corner section.

Post-Championship interviews- NET will conduct live postgame interviews immediately at the completion of each Championship Final in room 188, which is directly across from the lower level media workspace, room 193. Any additional pre or postgame interviews are at the discretion of the coaches. Please gather in the “Catering Room” for additional interviews. Room signs will be posted. *No interviews will be conducted on the court.*

2016-17 NSAA EVENT
AUDIO BASED BROADCAST FORM



I certify the following employees, who possess a 2016-17 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): YES / NO (will provide own wireless line)

***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: _____

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

State Championships: Application due three days prior to event

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

***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 2016-17 NSAA Media Credential to be admitted to the contest site.
No additional passes will be available on-site.***