

2023 NSAA State Cross Country Championships

Friday, October 20th

Kearney Country Club – Kearney, NE



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.

Start Times: Gates Open at 11:00 a.m. General Admission--\$8.00 for adults and \$6.00 for students.

2023 State Cross Country Schedule

Girls Class B - 12:00 Noon	Girls Class D - 2:30 pm
Girls Class A - 12:30 pm	Girls Class C - 3:00 pm
Boys Class B - 1:00 pm	Boys Class D - 3:30 pm
Boys Class A - 1:30 pm	Boys Class C - 4:00 pm
CLASS B/A AWARDS - 2:00 pm	CLASS D/C AWARDS - 4:30 pm

Parking (Lot 22): Your NSAA Media Credential will serve as your parking pass. Please show a parking attendant your credential and you will be granted parking access to Lot 22. Space is limited, so arrive early to ensure a space is available.

Admission: Media must show & display NSAA issued media credentials for free admission to the Championship. Media Credentials will allow admission through the main gate. Media will then proceed to check-in.

Check-In/Media HQ: After gate admission, media should proceed to the “Media Tent” behind the course finish line. A championship program and any other additional contest information will be available in the media tent. Power will be available in the tent. WiFi is scheduled to be available as well.

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.

Interviews: Any interviews are at the discretion of the coaches before or after races.

Awards: The awards ceremonies will take place at the Kearney Country Club. Look at [page 2 of this link](#) for a map of the course and where awards are located. A schedule of awards is shown above. Medals will be presented to the top 15 runners in each race. Team trophies and medals will be presented to the top two teams in each race.

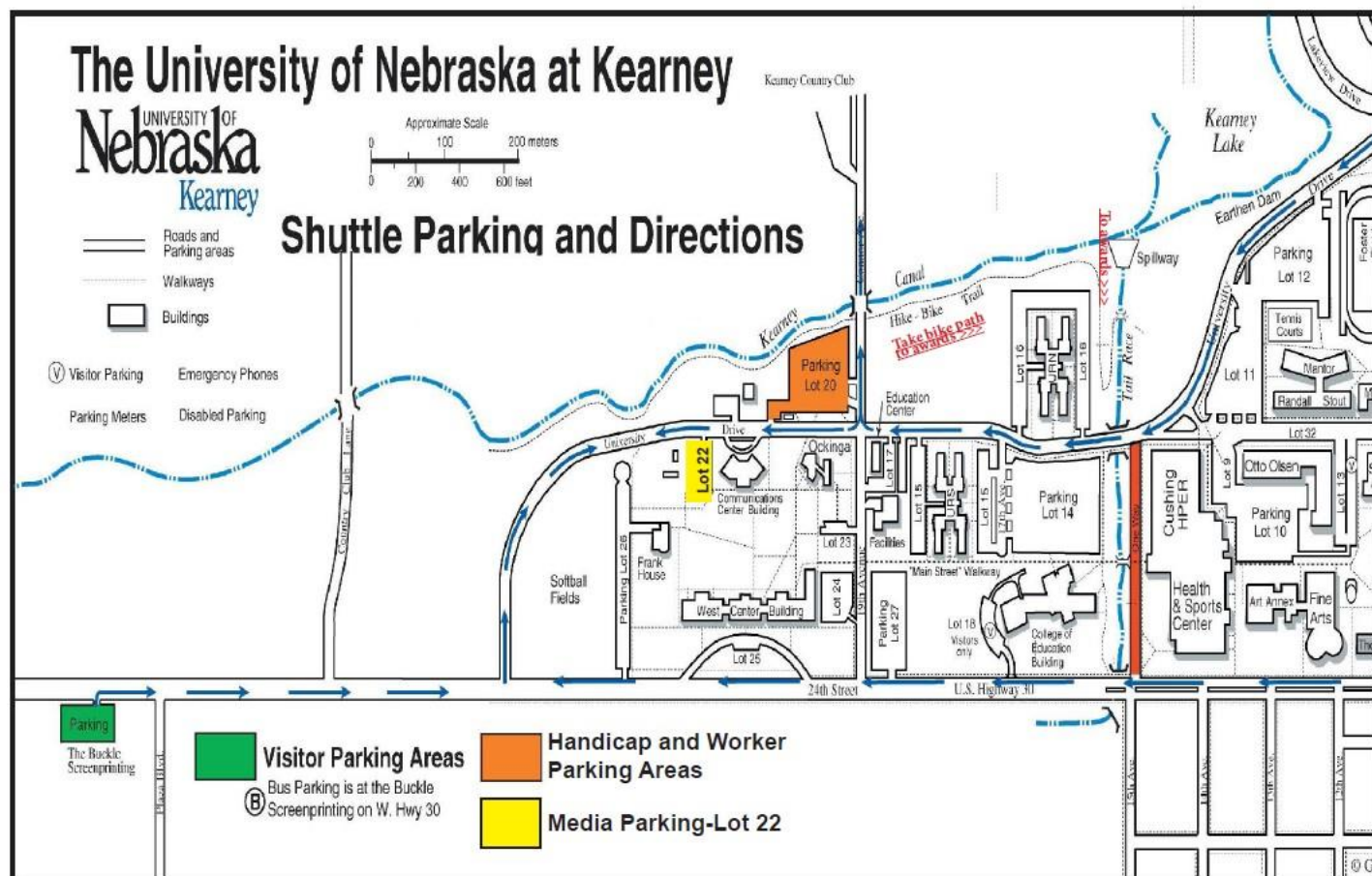
Scores and Updates: Results are updated on the NSAA website (www.nsaahome.org) throughout the championship event. The Cross Country Championship does feature a mile mat, as well as onsite electronic signage with results.

Broadcasting: Broadcast request forms must be submitted prior 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](#).

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

Questions prior to the championships may be directed to: Jeff Stauss at jstauss@nsaahome.org.

During the championships, direct your questions to the onsite director: Jon Dolliver or Jeff Stauss.



2023-24 NSAA Audio/Radio Broadcast Form



I certify the following employees, who possess a 2023-24 NSAA Media Credential, are involved with the coverage of high school sports. I also certify that the listed employee(s) will need 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

***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: _____

State Championships: Application due three days prior to event

Submit via email to Alicia McCoy (amccoy@nsaahome.org) – Please DO NOT fax forms

The NSAA retains the right to deny or revoke credentials.

The selling or redistribution of images (still or video) from NSAA state championship events for personal or commercial gain is prohibited without the expressed permission of the NSAA.

*****Broadcasters must possess a 2023-24 NSAA Media Credential to be admitted to the contest site.
No additional passes will be available on-site.***