

Michigan District State Volleyball Championship

We are excited to host our 3rd Annual State Volleyball Championship. Concordia and St. Paul - Ann Arbor will be the location of our eight team tournament. Below are several details about the games on Saturday, November 5th. Please read through everything and communicate with families those details that pertain to them and their student athlete.



- First games begin at 9:00am. Gyms will open at 8:00am. Girls will not be allowed on the floor until 8:30. 6-6-3 warm up times will be used for games 1-4. 4-4-2 warm up times will be used for games 5-10. The championship game will have at least a 6-6-3 warm up.
- Two out of three format - first two games to 25 (no cap). Third game to 15 (no cap).
- We are trusting our coaches/ADs/principals to assure that the girls that are participating on your school's team at the State Championship have played at least 50% of the games during your regular season.
- A **school administrator** is responsible for the behavior of his/her team and spectators at all times. We compete as a way to praise God! If there is a concern from the officials, the school representative will be asked to help us fix it. If they cannot, we will seek to solve it as a committee.
- We are live streaming all the games at CUAA only. St. Paul Doesn't have the set-up to live stream. <https://portal.stretchinternet.com/cuaacardinals/>
- Both teams are responsible for keeping their own score book and can have one person sitting at the scorers table. You must have someone to keep your book! Home team will serve as the official book. Home team is always the higher seed.
- Warm-up volleyballs will be provided at both sites. **Do not bring volleyballs into either gym.**
- Please be safe with your valuables. We do not have access to the locker rooms at CUAA. Girls should come dressed ready to play.
- Before each game, a prayer will be offered by the home team (higher seed).
- Line judges - we hope to have these lined up through high school volleyball volunteers. If we are not successful in doing so, we may ask for parents to assist. CUAA's volleyball team is unable to assist as they have an away game.

- No pre-game music or music at any other time during the game will be permitted by individual teams. Any music will be provided by the host committee.
- At no time will video replay of any kind be utilized in making decisions about on the court action.
- Awards will be presented after the consolation, 3rd place, and championship games.
- We are not providing tables for teams to set up for food... there isn't room available at CUAA. Most teams will also be going back and forth between locations. There will be concessions sold at both locations.
- A maximum of 3 rostered team staff members, all rostered players, and children under 10 will be admitted FREE to all activities in the gyms. All other persons must purchase admission passes as follows: Adults / Students (11+) / Seniors are all \$5. Color programs are \$3. Share this information with your parents!
- Coaches are invited to the Hospitality Rooms (at both locations) where there are refreshments and an opportunity to meet other coaches and referees.
- Remind your group personalized t-shirts/sweatshirts are being made in the CUAA gym. <https://www.fdsportswear.com/michigan-district-lcms-sports>