



SASKATCHEWAN HIGH SCHOOLS ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

2011 Annual General Meeting Resolutions

Constitution
11/01/01

BE IT RESOLVED that the following constitutional clause be amended as follows:

ANNUAL MEETING

1. An annual meeting of the Association shall be held in each year during ~~the week following the third Monday of June~~ **the four day Ministry of Learning Exam period annually.**

Rationale: This reduces the number of substitute teachers required by the school division covering the staff attending the AGM. This allows delegates to be in the classroom the last few days of the year preparing the students for final exams.

South Central District

Bylaws
11/02/01

BE IT RESOLVED that the Bylaw **SECTIONS** be reassigned to distribute the rural districts evenly, effective September 2011, as follows:

1. The province shall be divided, for the purpose of administration, into four sections as follows:

Section One:	South West, South Central, West Central and Regina.
Section Two:	South East, Qu'Appelle Valley and East Central.
Section Three:	North Central, North East, Horizon Central and Saskatoon.
Section Four:	North West, Battle West and Central Valley.

SHSAA Executive

11/02/02

BE IT RESOLVED that students with refugee or immigrant status be permitted to participate in SHSAA activities for two consecutive semesters. Schools must submit documentation supporting refugee status to the Executive Director who will determine eligibility and when the two consecutive semesters of eligibility would commence.

Rationale: Each year more and more of our communities (small and large) are seeing the arrival of refugees from an assortment of different countries. Some come during a school semester, some at the beginning. Our schools, by law, must accept students under the age of 21 for education. Most of these students do an adult 12 as there is no record of previous marks. Also, a lot of these students are given a birth date of 01/01 plus a year as there is no record of date of birth.

One of the best vehicles for learning language is being with peers and one of these settings is athletics. If these students had two semesters of eligibility granted to them, they would have a huge boost. It would provide a place for them to develop friendships in a new environment. Many of these students struggle when they hit the new schools setting as they don't know anyone and turn to groups with negative behaviour. This would give them a better option.

North Central District

LEGEND

11/07/03
11 indicates the year 2011.
04 indicates the category (Track).
01 indicates the resolution # in the category.

CATEGORIES

- 01: Constitution
- 02: Bylaws
- 03: Policies
- 04: Track
- 05: Badminton
- 06: Basketball
- 07: Wrestling
- 08: Curling
- 09: Volleyball
- 10: Football
- 11: Soccer
- 12: Cross-Country
- 13: Golf
- 14: Acknowledgement

11/02/03 BE IT RESOLVED that the following bylaw be added as follows:

Provincial Competitions

5. *All coaches, teams and individuals qualifying for provincial competitions must attend the coaches meeting if scheduled as well as the opening ceremonies. Failure to comply without proper notification or reasoning will be subject to sanctions defined as a Breach of Bylaws.*

SHSAA Executive

11/02/04 BE IT RESOLVED that the SHSAA review the sport calendar and the SHSAA playoff dates to ensure an equitable season may be realized for all SHSAA activities.

Rationale: The SHSAA should be reviewing its sport calendar on a regular basis.

East Central District

11/02/05 BE IT RESOLVED that the Classification of Schools bylaw be amended as follows:

1. For the purpose of this section, enrolment shall be taken from Saskatchewan Education enrolment figures for each school of the grade 9-11 students as of September 30th of the previous year. **Not included in these student enrolment figures would be those students who have used up their athletic eligibility prior to entering grade 12.**

Rationale: A student that is entering grade 12, having completed their high school athletic eligibility should not be included in the enrolment figures for that school, as they are not able to participate.

North West District

11/02/06 BE IT RESOLVED that the bylaw **CLASSIFICATION OF SCHOOLS** be adjusted to reflect the guiding principles of the Association as follows, effective September 2011, as follows:

CLASSIFICATION OF SCHOOLS

4. Schools with teams participating in the sports listed below shall be classified in the manner indicated based on the number of eligible students enrolled in Grades 10-12. Eligible students are those students within the period of eligibility as set out by these bylaws and do not hold a Grade 12 certificate as of September 1.

c) Boys Basketball: **5A - 251 or more male students** in Regina and Saskatoon
4A - 121 to 250 or more male students
3A - 51 to 120 male students
2A - 31 to 50 male students
1A - 1 to 30 male students

Girls Basketball: **5A - 251 or more female students** in Regina and Saskatoon
4A - 121 to 250 or more female students
3A - 51 to 120 female students
2A - 31 to 50 female students
1A - 1 to 30 female students

Rationale: This format would allow schools of equal size to compete against each other in conference, regional and provincial play. The 5A category would still have the existing eight teams advancing to the provincial tournament (Hoopla). Because the 5A category traditionally hosts Hoopla (Moose Jaw hosts every fifth year), this would still encourage the commitment of workers for those venues to host. Play-off format: Saskatoon and Regina each advance 3 teams to Hoopla. The other 2 teams qualify for the provincial championship through a regional play-off with all other rural 5A schools.

Qu'Appelle Valley District

11/02/07

BE IT RESOLVED that the following bylaw be amended as follows:

RE-CLASSIFICATION OF SCHOOLS

- 4. All 1A, 2A, and 3A basketball teams from schools that draw their enrolment from open boundaries are placed in a separate category. The SHSAA Executive will determine a playoff structure that would culminate with four teams advancing to Hoopla.

Rationale: Since 2002, private schools have occupied 34 of the possible 72 spots at Hoopla for the 1A and 2A with 25 medals going to these teams. These schools have dominated the 1A and 2A Boys categories and this domination has resulted in teams choosing not to take part in playoffs leading to Hoopla. This trend will continue as long as this imbalance goes unchecked. As the results show, there are enough good basketball teams from these schools to make a very competitive category. This proposal is intended to increase the number of teams opting to compete and therefore increase the number of boys participating in basketball.

Horizon Central District

Policies
11/03/01

BE IT RESOLVED that the official's pay scale be amended as follows:

OFFICIALS' PAY SCALE

- d) VOLLEYBALL – All Conference/Regional/Provincial Games (Best of 3)

SVA MEMBER:	1st Referee - \$20.00	2nd Referee - \$20.00	Level 3, 4 or 5
SVA MEMBER:	1st Referee - \$17.00	2nd Referee - \$17.00	Level 2
SVA MEMBER:	1st Referee - \$15.00	2nd Referee - \$15.00	Level 1A
SVA MEMBER:	1st Referee - \$13.00	2nd Referee - \$13.00	Level B or 1B
NON-MEMBER:	1st Referee - \$10.00	2nd Referee - \$10.00	

North Central District

11/03/02

BE IT RESOLVED that the official's pay scale be amended as follows:

OFFICIALS' PAY SCALE

- d) VOLLEYBALL – All Conference/Regional/Provincial Games (Best of 3)

SVA MEMBER:	1st Referee - \$18.00	2nd Referee - \$15.00
NON-MEMBER:	1st Referee - \$12.00	2nd Referee - \$10.00

Rationale: In 2010-2011 the 1st Referee rate went up \$3.00 and the 2nd Referee rate went down \$3.00. The non-member 1st Referee rate went up \$2.00 and the 2nd Referee rate went down \$2.00. This would bring back the original rate for the umpire while the ref does not change.

Qu'Appelle Valley District

11/03/03

BE IT RESOLVED that it be mandatory for SHSAA to assign a minimum of 5 officials to Provincial Volleyball competitions that take place in host sites with 2 court facilities and a minimum of 3 officials to Provincial Volleyball competitions that take place in one court facilities.

Rationale: Currently there is no minimum amount of officials required or suggested per single or double court venue. Since each court requires two officials per game, current practice could include officials moving from First Referee (stand) to Umpire (floor) and back without rest. While the game schedule includes 15minute buffers, when a match played goes to three, games will run back to back. It is unacceptable for officials to not have a meal break or a game off in a tournament.

Having a minimum of 3 or 5 officials per single or double court facility respectively will allow adequate coverage for officials to be scheduled with a game off, allowing better rest.

North Central District

11/03/04 **BE IT RESOLVED** that the official's pay scale be amended as follows:

OFFICIALS' PAY SCALE

- e) WRESTLING – Regional/Provincial Tournament
One day - \$90.00 Two days - ~~\$170.00~~ **\$180.00**

SHSAA Executive

11/03/05 **BE IT RESOLVED** that the SHSAA pay all assigned by Saskatchewan Athletics Track and Field officials at the SHSAA Provincial Track and Field Championships. Officials will be paid on the following scale as a supplement to their mileage, meals, and accommodation.

- h) TRACK – Provincial Meet

Each official will be paid \$40/session. Each session will require the following officials:

- 1 – Horizontal Jumps
- 1 – Vertical Jumps
- 1 – Throws
- 1 – Track Referee
- 1 – Track Umpire
- 2 – Starters
- 3 – Photo Finish Judges

Rationale: The invaluable work done on behalf of the SHSAA by the Sask Athletics officials is much appreciated. The Association currently pays officials in other activities (on top of the accommodations, per diems and mileage), therefore it is only right that track officials be compensated for the work they do for high school sport.

SHSAA Executive

11/03/06 **BE IT RESOLVED** that the SHSAA pay all Saskatchewan Athletics Track and Field officials at the SHSAA Provincial Track and Field Championships. Officials will be paid on the following scale as a supplement to their mileage, meals, and accommodation.

- h) TRACK – Provincial Meet

Each official will be paid \$50/session. Each session will require the following officials:

- 1 – Horizontal Jumps
- 1 – Vertical Jumps
- 1 – Throws
- 1 – Track Referee
- 1 – Track Umpire
- 2 – Starters

The sessions will be based on the following times

- All Jumps:
Friday 9:30 – 1:00 (Quad Long Jump)
Friday 1:00 – 3:30
Friday 5:30 – 8:00
Saturday 9:00 – 11:30
Saturday 11:30 – 2:30
Saturday 2:30 – 5:00

- All Throws:
Friday 10:30 – 1:00
Friday 1:00 – 3:30
Friday 3:30 – 8:00 (Quad Shot Put)
Saturday 9:00 – 11:30
Saturday 11:30 – 2:30
Saturday 2:30 – 5:00

All Track:

Friday 9:30 - 12:30
Friday 12:30 – 4:00
Friday 5:00 – 7:30
Saturday 9:00 – 12:00
Saturday 12:00 – 4:00
Saturday 4:00 – 6:00

This will work out to a total cost of \$2,100.00, with 14 districts each paying \$150.00 to cover the cost of officials.

North Central District

11/03/07 BE IT RESOLVED that the official's pay scale be amended as follows:

OFFICIALS' PAY SCALE

- 2. Authorized expenses include the following:
 - a) **Travel: ~~\$0.35~~ \$0.40 per kilometre**
 - b) **Meal Allowance: \$12.00 per meal**
 - c) **Hotel – Actual cost to a maximum of \$120.00 per night supported by a receipt.**
 - d) **Overnight stay in private home at \$25.00 per night.**
 - e) Passenger officials will be reimbursed for all activities - \$0.10/km (over 70 km. one way)

SHSAA Executive

11/03/08 BE IT RESOLVED that the official's pay scale be amended as follows:

OFFICIALS' PAY SCALE

- 2. Authorized expenses include the following:
 - a) **Travel: ~~\$0.35~~ \$0.45 per kilometre**
 - b) Meal Allowance: \$10.00 per meal
 - c) Hotel – Actual cost to a maximum of \$90.00 per night supported by a receipt.
 - d) Overnight stay in private home at \$20.00 per night.
 - e) Passenger officials will be reimbursed for all activities - \$0.10/km (over 70 km. one way)

West Central District

11/03/09 BE IT RESOLVED that the Guidelines for Interschool Competition be amended as follows:

Football	13 weeks	10 games	3 nights	1 game	CAFA*	4 / 12 min. qtr
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SHSAA Executive

11/03/10 BE IT RESOLVED that the following bylaw be amended as follows:

GUIDELINES FOR INTERSCHOOL SPORT

Volleyball	14 weeks	50 matches	1 night	6 matches 16 sets	VC*	3 games = match
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The guidelines for "limitations per day" are changed for volleyball to 16 sets per day from 6 matches.

Background: This is not an issue with any of the provincial tournament formats but during regional /conference play, the format is set up by the office which has had teams play six matches

(possibility of 18 sets) in one day. With many of the previous playoffs there have been as many as four of these six matches back to back.

This many possible sets per day not only have become more of a test of attrition but could lead to injuries through fatigue.

CVA, which this SHSAA guideline is based upon, allows six matches but cannot play more than two matches back to back. After two consecutive matches, teams must be allotted a 30 minute break minimum to recuperate prior to commencing subsequent matches.

The change to 16 sets rather than six matches will still allow teams to play the many two game matches often seen in the yearly tournaments.

South East District

Track
11/04/01

BE IT RESOLVED that the SHSAA use the following categories of competition for Track & Field:

Senior – 16 and over as of May 31st, 2011
Junior – under 16 as of May 31st, 2011
Midget – under 15 as of August 31st, 2011

Rationale: If we as an association are concerned about numbers in track and field, this resolution will make equal numbers for all categories. Each age group (Senior, Junior, and Midget) will contain a 16 month group of high school students. This will mean that every athlete that competes in all four years of eligibility will have 2 years in one age category and 1 year in the other two categories.

North Central District

11/04/02

BE IT RESOLVED that the new SHSAA Quadathlon event be included as an event that is presented with an award similar to what is presented to aggregate point winners.

Horizon Central District

Badminton
11/05/01

BE IT RESOLVED that the following policy for Badminton be amended as follows:

1. RULES

- d) Coaching breaks are allowed at the conclusion of the first ~~game set (2 mins. 90 sec.)~~ and following the conclusion of the second ~~game set (2 mins. 90 sec.)~~.

Rationale: Current policy in Canada Badminton rulebook states 90 seconds for coach's breaks between each of the first two sets. Coaches are not using the full two minutes currently..

SHSAA Executive

Basketball
11/06/01

BE IT RESOLVED that the following exceptions to the FIBA rule book be included for SHSAA sanctioned events:

1. RULES:

- a) All games will be played according to the current FIBA rules with the following exceptions:
4) SHSAA sanctioned play will be conducted using the trapezoid key.

SHSAA Executive **Saskatoon District**

11/06/02

BE IT RESOLVED that the following exceptions to the FIBA rule book be included for SHSAA sanctioned events:

1. RULES:

- a) All games will be played according to the current FIBA rules with the following exceptions:
5) SHSAA sanctioned play will be conducted using the 6.25m arc.

SHSAA Executive **Saskatoon District**

11/06/03 **BE IT RESOLVED** that the following exceptions to the FIBA rule book be included for SHSAA sanctioned events:

1. RULES:

- a) All games will be played according to the current FIBA rules with the following exceptions:
6) ***SHSAA sanctioned play will be conducted without the no-charge semi-circle.***

**SHSAA Executive
Saskatoon District**

11/06/04 **BE IT RESOLVED** that the SHSAA maintain the current floor markings for basketball (as of the 2010-2011 season) and not adopt the modifications FIBA has put in place (wide key, extended three-point line, no charge semi-circle) for a period of three years (after the next quadrennial that FIBA uses for major rule changes).

Regina District

11/06/05 **BE IT RESOLVED** that the S.H.S.A.A. office create each conference tournament using each team's season play, not geography, as the main criteria.

Rationale: Currently S.H.S.A.A. uses two models for play-offs in basketball. A geographical model is used for the first round (conference play) and a competitive model is used for the next two rounds (Regional and Hoopla). The proposed change would make the system consistent throughout the play-off run and would follow the mandate that S.H.S.A.A. was given for this sport.

East Central District

11/06/06 **BE IT RESOLVED** that the provincial championship in basketball consist of eight teams in all categories 1A – 5A.

Battle West District

11/06/07 **BE IT RESOLVED** that schools acting as host venues for Hoopla be allowed to play in their home gym.

Background: Minor officials, gate workers and volunteers want to watch their school team play. Currently, teams are scheduled away from their home gym, which means workers cannot see their school team play.

South Central District

**Wrestling
11/07/01**

BE IT RESOLVED that the following bylaw for wrestling be amended as follows:

2. DRESS

At regional and provincial wrestling competitions all participants must present themselves for competition clothed as follows:

- f) ~~Any~~ **All** wrestlers ~~wearing braces on their teeth,~~ must wear a mouth guard.

Rationale: The current bylaw states that any wrestler wearing braces must wear a mouth guard. But with all the consideration being given to head injuries and concussions, it would be beneficial to the wrestlers' well being if mouth guards were worn by everyone. Currently all wrestlers competing in an Alberta Schools Athletic Association sanctioned event must wear a mouth guard. If during competition the mouth guard comes out, it may be replaced at an appropriate time at the official's discretion.

South West District

11/07/02 **BE IT RESOLVED** that the SHSAA wrestling season start no earlier than 11 weeks prior to the provincial finals.

Regina District

11/07/03

BE IT RESOLVED that the following bylaw be amended for boys wrestling from the current 16 weight class categories to 17weight class categories.

11. WEIGHT CLASSES:

BOYS WRESTLING:

UNDER	UNDER	UNDER	UNDER	UNDER
40 41 kg	52 53 kg	66 65 kg	82 kg	110+ (Max 130 kg)
43 44	55 56	70 69	90	
46 47	58 59	75 73	98	
49 50	62	82 77	110	

Background: This is to account for the high percentage of wrestlers that are competing over four weight classes. The new weight revisions would be revised to 41, 44, 47, 50, 53, 56, 59, 62, 65, 69, 73, 77, 82, 90, 98, 110, 110+.

Rationale: Presently, 60-70% of the boy's city championship competitors were in the 62, 66, 70, and 75 kg categories. This has been consistently occurring the past few years. This revision will have little effect on the bottom 5 categories. With many high schools in the province declining in enrolment, it is a challenge to fill all of the categories for many schools. This revision will more equitably distribute the number of wrestlers through the weight categories while providing 4 more wrestlers from each of Regina, Saskatoon, and the Regional Championship the opportunity to compete at the Provincial Championship.

Saskatoon District

Curling
11/08/01

BE IT RESOLVED that in regional curling, the region that includes the provincial host team is a 6 team bonspiel.

South Central District

11/08/02

BE IT RESOLVED that the substitution policy be altered as follows:

- f) In **BOYS** and **GIRLS** competitions, the rinks may be made up of ~~a maximum of five~~ **an unlimited number of** competitors.
- g) In **MIXED** competition, the rinks may be made up of ~~a maximum of three girls and three boys~~ **an unlimited number of boys and girls**, but they may not play during any game with fewer than two boys and two girls.

SHSAA Executive

11/08/03

BE IT RESOLVED that in provincial curling, the time out policy be amended as follows:

1. RULES

- a) **EXTRA END TIME OUT** – Each team will be allowed one time out in the extra end of one-minute duration. Any unused time outs from regulation may not be carried over. **There will be an automatic two-minute time out prior to the first extra end. This time out is not charged to either team.**

SHSAA Executive

BE IT RESOLVED that teams entering 1A – 4A provincial playoff volleyball, compete at an elimination tournament during the first weekend of playoffs.

4. PROVINCIAL TOURNAMENTS:

A. Conference Tournaments:

- a) **ALL TEAMS** entered in volleyball in each classification 1A – 4A will be distributed into one of four regions.
- b) Regions with eleven or more teams will be divided into three conference tournaments with two teams advancing from each conference tournament to the regional tournament. Regions with **eight to ten** ~~or fewer~~ teams **will be divided into two conference tournaments with three teams advancing from each conference tournament to the regional tournament.** Regions with ~~ten~~ **seven** or fewer teams entered will advance directly to a regional playoff with no conference playoff conducted.

SHSAA Executive

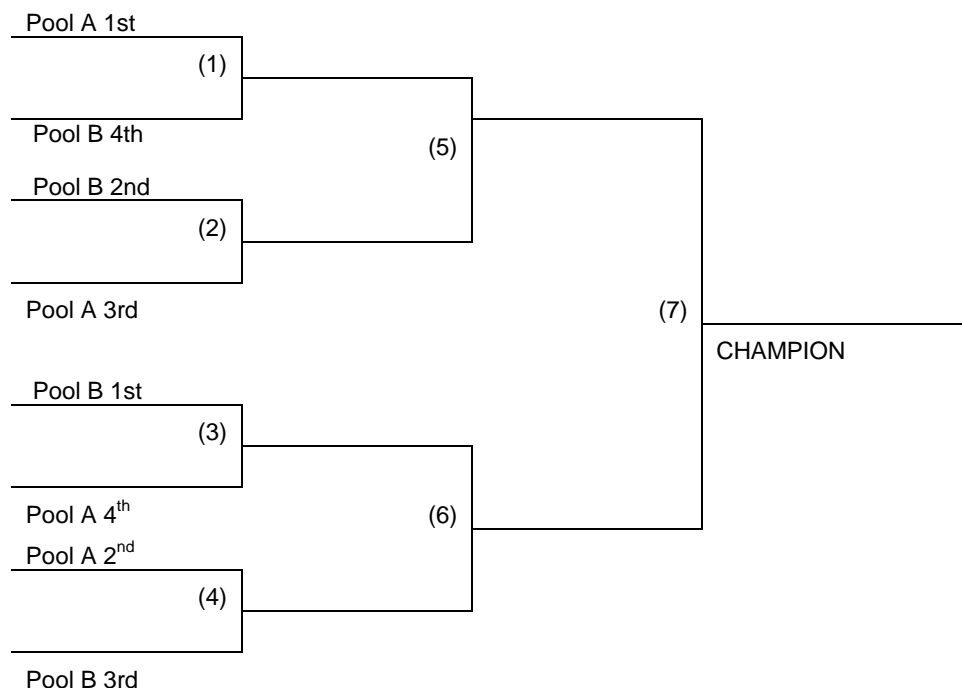
11/09/02

BE IT RESOLVED that the SHSAA provincial volleyball championship be a ten-team tournament format for 1A - 5A Boys and Girls.

TEN TEAM ROUND ROBIN – 2 POOLS – 2 COURTS

DATE	TIME	POOL	GYM #1	POOL	GYM #2
Day 1	11:00 am	Coaches Meeting			
	11:45 am	Opening Ceremonies			
	1:00 pm	B	2 vs.5	A	2 vs. 5
	2:00 pm	B	1 vs. 4	A	1 vs. 4
	3:15 pm	B	3 vs. 5	A	3 vs. 5
	4:15 pm	B	1 vs. 2	A	1 vs. 2
	5:15 pm	B	3 vs. 4	A	3 vs. 4
	6:30 pm	B	1 vs. 5	A	1 vs. 5
	7:30 pm	B	2 vs. 4	A	2 vs. 4
	Day 2	9:00 am	A	1 vs. 3	B
10:00 am		A	4 vs. 5	B	4 vs. 5
11:15 am		A	2 vs. 3	B	2 vs. 3
12:30 pm		Quarter Final (Game #1)		Quarter Final (Game #3)	
1:30 pm		Quarter Final (Game #2)		Quarter Final (Game #4)	
3:00 pm		Semi-Final (Game #5)		Semi-Final (Game #6)	
4:30 pm		BRONZE MEDAL MATCH			
5:30 pm		GOLD MEDAL MATCH			

PLAYOFF GRID



NOTE: Loser of games 5 and 6 will play in the Bronze Medal game.

SHSAA Executive

11/09/03

BE IT RESOLVED that the SHSAA provincial volleyball championship consist of ten teams (two pools of five) for the 1A - 4A categories rather than the provincial format of twelve teams adopted at the June 2010 AGM.

West Central District

11/09/04

BE IT RESOLVED that the SHSAA return to a ten-team format for the 5A Provincial Championships with the following team distributions: 2 teams from Regina, 2 teams from Saskatoon, 3 teams from the South and 3 teams from the North.

Rationale: The provincial high school 5A volleyball is divided into four regions.

In the boys' category, the teams from 2010 were as follows:

North Region (6)	Saskatoon (10)	Regina (7)	South Region (8)
John Paul	Aden Bowman	Balfour	Yorkton Regional
North Battleford	Bethlehem	Campbell	Sacred Heart
PA Carleton	Bishop Mahoney	Johnson	MJ Central
PA St. Mary	Centennial	LeBoldus	MJ Peacock
Melfort	Evan Hardy	O'Neill	MJ Vanier
Meadow Lake	Holy Cross	Thom	Estevan
	Marion Graham	Winston Knoll	Weyburn
	St. Joseph		Swift Current
	Tommy Douglas		
	Walter Murray		

In the girls' category, the teams were as follows:

North Region (6)	Saskatoon (11)	Regina (12)	South Region (8)
John Paul	Aden Bowman	Balfour	Yorkton Regional
North Battleford	Bethlehem	Campbell	Sacred Heart
PA Carleton	Bishop Mahoney	Johnson	MJ Central
PA St. Mary	Centennial	LeBoldus	MJ Peacock
Kindersley	Evan Hardy	O'Neill	Balgonie
Meadow Lake	Holy Cross	Thom	Estevan
	Marion Graham	Winston Knoll	Weyburn
	St. Joseph	Luther	Swift Current
	Tommy Douglas	Martin	
	Walter Murray	Miller	
	Bedford Road	Riffel	
		Sheldon	

In 2009, the 5A Provincial Championships had 10 teams.

3 Teams	North
3 Teams	South
2 Teams	Regina
2 Teams	Saskatoon

In 2010, the 5A Provincial Championships were expanded to 12 teams.

4 Teams	North
4 Teams	South
2 Teams	Regina
2 Teams	Saskatoon

Therefore;

- a) 4/6 teams from the North qualify. (67%)
- b) 4/8 teams from the South qualify. (50%)
- c) 2/7 teams from the Regina Boys' League qualify. (29%)
- d) 2/12 teams from the Regina Girls' League qualify. (17%)

Regina District

11/09/05

BE IT RESOLVED that the SHSAA provincial volleyball championship consist of eight teams (two pools of four) for the 1A - 5A categories with the top 3 teams from each pool making the play-offs.

Background:

The championship would be more in-line with other SHSAA activities. The championship could be hosted at **one venue**, which has many benefits.

1. All teams are together and see their competition
2. Conditions are consistent (ceiling height, serving room, net tension etc.)
3. Reduces travel (between venues)
4. Reduces the number of officials required and cost
5. Reduces the burden on host
6. Reduces the number of teams losing instructional time
7. Reduces the disruption of curriculum for host school (one instead of two)
8. Creates an even draw with guaranteed three round robin games for all teams
9. Website updates and reports would be easier and potentially done by one person.
10. The number of canteens, canteen workers, gate workers, minor officials etc. are reduced considerably
11. The championship becomes less of an endurance test.

South Central District

11/09/06

BE IT RESOLVED that the following 8 team tournament format be adopted for the 1A to 5A Boys and Girls Provincial SHSAA Volleyball Championships.

EIGHT TEAM ROUND ROBIN – 2 POOLS – 2 COURTS

DATE	TIME	POOL	GYM #1	POOL	GYM #2
Day 1	11:00 am	Coaches Meeting			
	12:00 pm	Opening Ceremonies			
	1:00 pm	A	1 vs. 4	B	1 vs. 4
	2:15 pm	A	2 vs. 3	B	2 vs. 3
	3:30 pm	A	1 vs. 3	B	1 vs. 3
	4:45 pm	A	2 vs. 4	B	2 vs. 4
	6:00 pm	A	3 vs. 4	B	3 vs. 4
	7:15 pm	A	1 vs. 2	B	1 vs. 2
Day 2	10:00 am	A	P1-A1 vs. B4	B	P2-B1 vs. A4
	11:15 am	A	P3-A2 vs. B3	B	P4-B2 vs. A3
	12:30 pm	A	Winner P2 vs. Winner P3		
	1:45 pm	A	Winner P1 vs. Winner P4		
	3:30 pm	BRONZE MEDAL MATCH			
4:30 pm	GOLD MEDAL MATCH				

Rationale: This 8 team draw is played on 2 courts, with the only travel between courts happening on Saturday after the quarter finals. The semi final games, Bronze medal game, and Gold Medal game will take place on the same court (or full court in the host gym if the host chooses).

This draw satisfies the desire to reduce “out of class” time for more students and also increases the level of competition at Provincials. All teams are guaranteed 3 round robin matches and one playoff match. This translates into no team losing out of the provincial championships on a tie breaker situation.

In 1-4A competition the provincial field will have qualified from one of four regional playoffs (2 teams advancing from each regional). The region which contains the school who is to host the Provincial Championship will only qualify one team to the provincial championship in addition to the host team.

In 5A competition, 2 representatives will be sent from each of the South, North, Regina, and Saskatoon regions. The region which contains the school who is to host the Provincial Championship will only qualify one team to the provincial championship in addition to the host team.

The tie breaking procedure to determine round robin placement follow previous SHSAA guidelines according to the handbook.

All matches will be best of 3 with the third game going to 25 points. Placing at the end of the round robin will be determined as follows:

- a) The first criteria is by matches won
- b) If two or more teams are tied at the end of the preliminary round, the following criteria will be applied, in order (VC rules):
 - a. The team having the best ratio of won/lost matches, considering matches between the tied teams, will be ranked higher;
 - b. The team having the best ratio of won/lost sets, considering matches played between the tied teams, will be ranked higher;
 - c. The team having the best ratio of won/lost sets, considering all matches of the round, will be ranked higher;
 - d. The team having the best ratio of points for/against, considering sets played between the tied teams, will be ranked higher;
 - e. The team having the best ratio of points for/against, considering all sets played during the round, will be ranked higher;
 - f. As determined by the Organizing Committee (e.g. extra game, toss of coin, etc.)

When you apply this rule to break a tie you should follow this sequence:

1. When two teams are tied, the tie breaking criteria are applied one after another until the tie has been broken.
2. When three or more teams are tied, the tie breaking criteria are applied one after another until all the tied teams have been ranked.

Note: This means that if there is a tie among teams X, Y, and Z and criteria b) is able to determine X as first, Y as second and Z as third, then no further criteria are to be used. However, if criteria b) determine X as first and there is still a tie between Y and Z, then the ranking of the remaining teams will be determined by proceeding to criteria c and so on, if necessary. Do not start at criteria a) again. Continue through the sequence of criteria using the results of teams X, Y, and Z for criteria d).

South East District

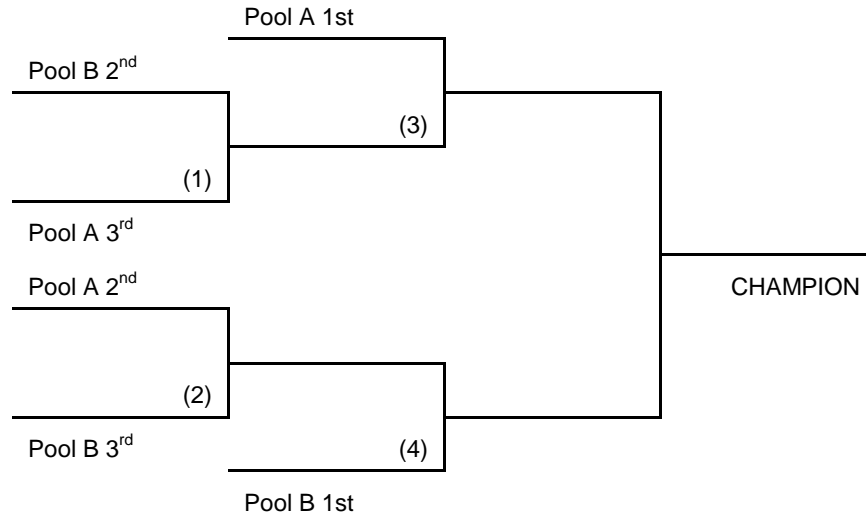
11/09/07

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TWELVE TEAM ROUND ROBIN - 2 POOLS - 2 COURTS

DATE	TIME	POOL	GYM #1	POOL	GYM #2
Day 1	9:00 am	Coaches Meeting			
	9:30 am	Opening Ceremonies			
	10:00 am	B	6 vs 4	A	6 vs 4
	11:00 am	B	2 vs 3	A	2 vs 3
	12:00 pm	B	1 vs 5	A	1 vs 5
	1:00 pm	B	2 vs 4	A	2 vs 4
	2:00 pm	B	6 vs 5	A	6 vs 5
	3:00 pm	B	1 vs 3	A	1 vs 3
	4:00 pm	B	4 vs 5	A	4 vs 5
	5:00 pm	B	1 vs 2	A	1 vs 2
6:00 pm	B	3 vs 6	A	3 vs 6	
Day 2	9:00 am	A	2 vs 5	B	2 vs 5
	10:00 am	A	3 vs 4	B	3 vs 4
	11:00 am	A	2 vs 6	B	2 vs 6
	12:00 pm	A	1 vs 4	B	1 vs 4
	1:00 pm	A	3 vs 5	B	3 vs 5
	2:00 pm	A	1 vs 6	B	1 vs 6
	3:30 pm	Quarter Final (Game #1)		Quarter Final (Game #2)	
	4:45 pm	Semi Final (Game #3)		Semi Final (Game #4)	
	6:00 pm	BRONZE MEDAL MATCH			
	7:15 pm	GOLD MEDAL MATCH			

PLAYOFF GRID



NOTE: Loser of games 3 and 4 will play in the Bronze Medal game.

**North West District
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11/09/08

BE IT RESOLVED that the provincial playoff tournament format consist of twelve teams for the 1A-5A classifications consisting of two pools of six teams. The playoff tournament schedule will follow the schedule used for the 2006 format.

Qu'Appelle Valley District

11/09/09

BE IT RESOLVED that 1A – 4A volleyball provincials playoff format be adopted as follows:

A 3 Region provincial format be used.

Placing a “Y” on the province

Each region is divided into 3 conferences.

Each conference will send its top 3 teams onto regional playoffs.

Regional tournament will be a 9 team playoff. It will be 1.5 days and need 2 courts

Each Region will send its top 3 teams onto provincials. Host region sends 4 teams, 6

teams from other two conferences which make a 10 team provincial playoff.

Playoff draws are listed below.

Rationale:

- This format satisfies the need for a 10 team provincial playoff which has a number of advantages
- Playoff format that is fair and not based on seeding (the current format relies heavily on seeding)
- Provincial Host schools still have the Friday morning to prepare and teams have travel time
- A conference that potentially has 3 medalists is fully represented
- This also increases the number of teams competing at the conference level.
- All teams earn their spot equally; not because of last year’s winners.

Central Valley District

Football
11/10/01

BE IT RESOLVED that all SHSAA football follow existing Canadian Amateur football rules for converts.

Background:

1. Presently, in six-man football, kicked converts are worth 2 points and scoring by pass or run is worth 1 point.
2. The kicking of converts creates a safety concern for 2 players in vulnerable positions. (See Luca Congi video)
3. In six-man the defense is able to rush 6 defenders vs 4 blockers. This leaves 2 players unblocked and they have a very steep attack angle.
4. Amateur football has taken out cut blocking to reduce the chances of knee injuries, while SHSAA has altered six-man rules to increase the chances.
5. The current convert rule forces coaches to kick converts in order to keep pace with points.
6. It is estimated that well over half of the converts result in contact with the holder and/or kicker

South Central District

11/10/02

BE IT RESOLVED that the SHSAA Executive investigate a way to increase the number of teams in the nine-man football category.

Rationale: The number of teams in this category is drastically dropping. Teams from the category are dropping down into six-man football. The school sizes in the province are getting smaller and the number of schools with the numbers to play nine-man is decreasing. If the current trend is not looked at, the category will disappear.

Horizon Central District

Soccer
11/11/01

BE IT RESOLVED that in soccer, teams have one one-minute time-out per 45 minute half and one one-minute timeout during extended play. If a team does not use its timeout in one half, it does not carry over to the next half.

Background: The clock is stopped when a timeout is called. If teams are ready to resume play before the one minute is up, play is resumed. Referees will blow the whistle after 45 seconds as a warning marker to call players back onto the field.

Rationale: This will allow for the development of soccer by allowing the coach to talk to his/her players.

North Central District

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11/14/01 **BE IT RESOLVED** that the SHSAA express its sincere thanks to the Central Valley District for its work in preparing for and hosting the 2011 Annual General Meeting at Saskatoon.

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