



Dear Field Hockey Coaches and Athletic Directors,

Congratulations to all teams on a great season. Below are the final seedings for the VISAA State Field Hockey tournament and important reminders prior to the games on Tuesday.

**Tuesday's Quarter-final match-ups:**

**DI:**

- #1 Norfolk Academy vs. #8 Bishop O'Connell High School
- #2 Collegiate School vs. #7 St. Paul VI Catholic High School
- #3 Trinity Episcopal School vs. #6 Catholic High School
- #4 St. Catherine's School vs. #5 St. Anne's-Belfield School

**DII:**

- #1 Walsingham Academy vs. #8 Fredericksburg Christian School
- #2 Fredericksburg Academy vs. #7 Highland School
- #3 The Covenant School vs. #6 Hampton Roads Academy
- #4 Cape Henry Collegiate vs. #5 Foxcroft School

**Tournament Dates:**

Tuesday, Nov. 7 - Quarter-finals at Higher Seed

Thursday, Nov. 9 - Semi-finals at Higher Seed

Saturday, Nov. 11 - Championships at St. Catherine's School - on their main campus, **6001 Grove Ave., Richmond, 23226**

- Division I - 11:30 a.m.
- Division II - 2:00 p.m.

**VISAA Procedures:**

- Host schools are responsible for **securing officials** and **paying for all costs incurred** (officials used for the Semi-finals will be reimbursed) when hosting the game. You must also submit the [Financial Form for Host School](#) within 14 days.
- Each team will have 1 adult (preferred) to keep track of score and substitution. The home scorer will be the main scorer that officials relay information to (cards, score, timeouts, etc.)
- All host schools must charge admission to the event and all schools need to **promote the use of [Go Fan on VISAA website](#)** to purchase online tickets in advance.
  - VISAA Quarter-final **ticket prices** are \$5 per person or \$20 for a family rate (2 adults + up to 3 children).
  - VISAA Semi-final and Championship day tickets are \$10 per person and \$30 per family.

- Games are recommended to begin at **3:00 p.m.** and **no later than 3:15 p.m.** in order to allow for daylight.
- Please follow the VISAA [OVERTIME RULES](#). It would be helpful to have a copy at the scorer's table for reference.
- Once your game is complete, please send your score to Mary Blake at ([mblake@stab.org](mailto:mblake@stab.org)).
- **Inclement Weather Policy/Procedures**
  - The VISAA Thunder and Lightning Policy requires that when thunder or flashes of lightning are observed, all participants are to seek shelter and safety within a proper shelter. No contest shall be continued until 30 minutes of clear weather occurs.
  - If games cannot occur due to dangerous weather or field conditions, the game will be played the next day. If the game may not be played due to conditions, the higher seed will advance. Schools may seek alternative regulation hockey fields in their area or play at the lower seeded field.
  - In case Championship games are delayed on Sat., Nov 11, schools involved will decide (on Nov. 11) on a mutually agreeable make-up date/time.

Best of luck to everyone!

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