

2017 3A Boys Volleyball Provincial Championships

November 23-25, 2017



Hosted by

**Strathmore High School
Strathmore, AB**

ASAA 3A Boys Volleyball Provincials – Information Package

Welcome to Strathmore High School, we hope your provincial play and time spent with us are enjoyable and successful!

Host School: Strathmore High School

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Strathmore, AB
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Division Website: <http://www.ghsd75.ca/>

School Website: <http://www.strathmorehighschool.com/>

Host Website: <http://provincials.asaa.ca>

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Tournament at a Glance:

Wed. Nov. 22	Thurs. Nov. 23	Fri. Nov. 24	Sat. Nov. 25
	Coaches/Captains Meeting & Reg. Pick Up SHS – Learning Commons/ Conference Room 9:00am	Game Play 9:00am – 8:15pm SHS/CMJHS	Game Play 9:00am – 12:45pm SHS/CMJHS
	Opening Ceremonies SHS Gymnasium 10:00 – 11:00am		Playoff Round 12:45pm – 7:45pm SHS/CMJHS
	Team Photos 11:00 – 1:00pm		Closing Ceremonies & Award Presentations 7:45pm SHS Gymnasium
Team Practices 4:00pm – 9:15pm SHS & CMJHS	Game Play 12:30 – 4:30pm SHS/CMJHS		
	Banquet 6:30pm @ SHS		

Gym Locations:



Strathmore High School (SHS)

100 Brent Boulevard
Strathmore, AB
T1P 1V2
(403) 934-3135

Crowther Memorial Junior High School (CMJHS)

190 Brent Boulevard
Strathmore, AB
T1P 1T4
(403) 934-4646

Registration Fees:

[Register by Monday, November 20 @ 12:00pm](#)

Entry Fee: **\$500**

Banquet fee: **\$25/ticket** (maximum of 16 tickets per team)

Please bring one cheque for all your fees made payable to **Strathmore High School** at the Main Office.

Practice Times: SHS and CMJHS

Those interested in utilizing the practices times at our two locations can do so by entering your preferred time on the Host Webpage marked 'Practice Times'. *Times are first come first served.*

Practice times will be available at both venues on:
Wednesday, November 22nd from 4:00pm – 9:15pm (last booking at 8:30pm)

Accommodations:

Hotel Rooms booked under the following Block Book Name: **“2017 3A Provincials”**

Block Booking for Wednesday, November 22nd to Saturday, November 25th

It will be up to the individual teams if they want to stay an extra night either before or after the event

1) Days Inn

- a. Address: 400 Ranch Market, Strathmore, AB, T1P 0B2
- b. Phone #: (403) 934-1134
- c. 24 Rooms Booked for Boys Teams – 2 Queen Beds, Non-Smoking
- d. Cutoff Date: November 14
- e. **Rate: \$113.09 + taxes**
- f. Booked under “3A Provincials”

2) Travelodge

- a. Address: 350 Ridge Rd, Strathmore, AB, T1P 1B5
- b. Phone #: (403) 901- 0000
- c. 24 Rooms Booked for Boys Teams – 2 Queen Beds, Non-Smoking
- d. **Rate: \$107.10 + taxes**
- e. Cutoff date: November 11
- f. Booked under “3A Volleyball Provincials”

3) Best Western

- a. Address: 550 AB-1, Strathmore, AB, T1P 1M6
- b. Phone #: (403) 934-5777
- c. 12 Rooms Booked for Boys Teams – 2 Queen Beds, Non-Smoking
- d. **Rate: \$104 + taxes**
- e. Cutoff Date: November 12
- f. Booked under “3A Volleyball Provincials”

Coaches & Captains Meeting

Coaches Meeting will be held Thursday, November 23, 2017 at 9:00 am at SHS in the school Library. You will be met in the front foyer and escorted to the meeting. At least one representative of the team's Coaching Staff must be present for the meeting

Captains Meeting held Thursday November 23, 2017 at 9:00 am at SHS in the school Staffroom. Athletes can enter the staffroom through the office. At least one of the Team Captains must be present for the meeting

Items to be discussed will include

- 1) ASAA Regulations and Officials
- 2) Tournament Draw & Format
- 3) Facilities (Parking, change rooms, washrooms)
- 4) Opening Ceremonies
- 5) Banquet
- 6) Officials, score keepers and linesmen
- 7) Grievance Committee & Appeal Procedures
- 8) Coaches Lounge
- 9) GIMMICS
- 10) Concession Food Choices
- 11) Questions

Opening Ceremonies

Thursday, November 23rd at SHS. Please have your team arrive no later than 9:30am. Teams are asked to wear team warm up gear. Team Photos will be taken after opening ceremonies.

9:30am – Teams arrive at SHS. Host/Hostesses from SHS will meet their assigned team in the front foyer of the school. These people will lead you during the opening ceremonies and will be available to assist you and your team during the Competition. Your team representative will provide directions to tournament events and will be on site during your matches to provide any assistance you may require. They will go out of their way to make you feel welcome while competing at SHS and CMJHS.

10:00am – Teams introduced at Opening Ceremonies; entering gymnasium
Teams will be introduced 1-12 with the exception of the host team who will enter the gym last. Dignitaries will be introduced and make a brief speech..

11:00 am – Teams will be dismissed/Team pictures.

12:00 pm – Warm up

12:30 pm – Games Begin

Banquet

Dress in Semi-Formal

Thursday November 23rd, 2015 at 6:30pm

Doors open at 6:00pm

Fee: \$25 per person (Maximum of 16 tickets sold per team)

Address Location:

Strathmore High School

100 Brent Boulevard

Strathmore, AB, T1P 1V2

(403) 934-3135

Tournament Draw:

<u>Pool A</u>	<u>Pool B</u>
1 Morinville Wolves	2 SCA Eagles
4 Strathmore Spartans	3 LCI Rams
5 St. Martin de Porres Kodiaks	6 PWA Titans
8 St. Paul Saints	7 HJ Cody Lakers
9 Louis St. Laurent Barons	10 Barrhead Griffins
12 Magrath Zeniths	11 Cochrane Cobras

Thursday November 23rd, 2017

	<u>SHS</u>	<u>CMJHS</u>
12:30 PM	11 v 6	2 v 3
1:45 PM	4 v 12	1 v 8
3:00 PM	10 v 7	5 v 9

Friday November 24th, 2017

	SHS	CMJHS
9:00 AM	1 v 12	4 v 9
10:15 AM	11 v 2	5 v 8
11:30 AM	6 v 7	3 v 10
12:45 PM	1 v 9	12 v 8
2:00 PM	2 v 6	11 v 10
3:15 PM	4 v 5	7 v 3
4:30 PM	9 v 12	10 v 6
5:45 PM	11 v 3	8 v 4
7:00 PM	2 v 7	1 v 5

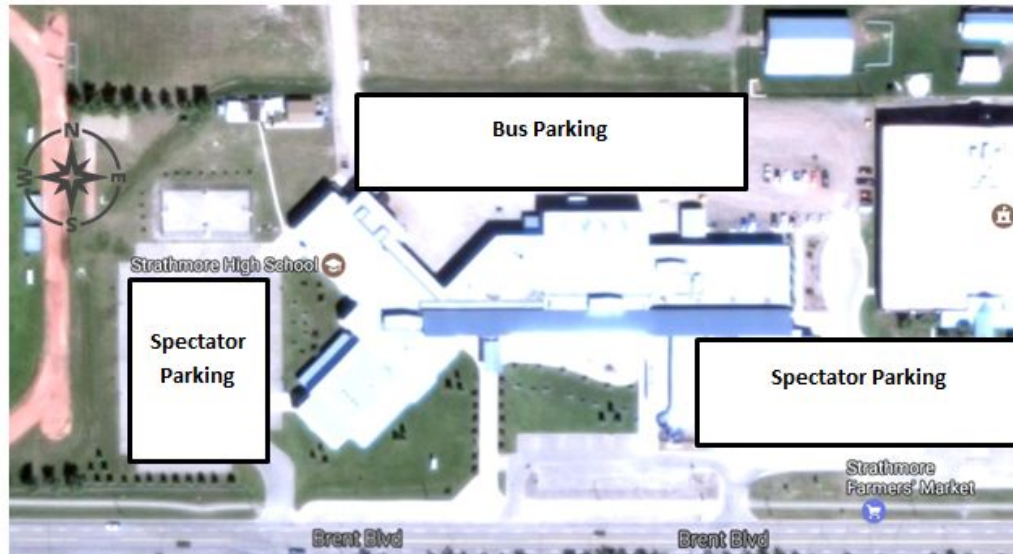
Saturday November 25th, 2017

	SHS	CMJHS
8:30 AM	8 v 9	3 v 6
9:45 AM	11 v 7	2 v 10
11:00 AM	1 v 4	12 v 5
12:15 PM	*Tie Breaker if necessary	*Tie Breaker if necessary
*If no tiebreakers are necessary, times will be adjusted ahead by 1 hour.		
1:15 PM	M1 - 2 nd in Pool B vs. 3 rd in Pool A	M2 - 2 nd in Pool A vs. 3 rd in Pool B
3:15 PM	M3 - 1 st in Pool A vs. Winner of M1	M4 - 1 st in Pool B vs. Winner of M2
5:00 PM	Bronze Medal Loser of M3 vs Loser of M4	
6:15 PM	BRONZE MEDAL PRESENTATION	
6:30 PM	Gold Medal Winner of M3 vs. Winner of M4	
7:45 PM	GOLD MEDAL PRESENTATION & CLOSING CEREMONIES	

*If teams are tied in a section, the Volleyball Canada tie break procedure. This system is used to rank teams in a section, but is not used to eliminate a team. If teams are tied for the last playoff spot, the lowest ranked team will play one game to 25 points (no cap - win by two points) against the next lowest ranked team. If the winner of this game is still tied with another team for the last playoff berth, these two teams will play one game to 25 points (no cap - win by two points) and so on, until the winning team is no longer tied for the last berth. For each of these elimination games, there will be a minimum warmup of 15 minutes [five minute warmup followed by 5-5 (serve within your five minutes)] to allow the teams an adequate warmup.

Parking at SHS

Parking is available on-site but is limited. Team buses can park on the grass just or in the lot on the north side of the school. Spectator parking is available on the west or east side of Strathmore High School. Please keep the bus lanes at the front of the school open.



Parking at CMJHS

There is parking in the Youth Centre Lot west of CMJHS. Please avoid using the East (Staff) Parking lot during school hours. We would also ask that you avoid parking in the bus lane as this is for drop off and pick up only.



Change Rooms:

Players should arrive at SHS and CMJHS in uniform. Change rooms at SHS and CMJHS will be available during the match proceeding for teams preparing to go on court. These change rooms are shared with the students at each school. Athletes are cautioned not to leave anything in the change rooms. SHS and CMJHS will not be responsible for lost or stolen items left in the change rooms. **Athletes will not be allowed to change in public. Please do so in the change rooms.**

Team Rooms:

Your team hosts will show you which room at the high school is available to you on Friday and Saturday. Please leave these rooms as you found them.

Concession:

The Cafeteria will be open and offering a variety of healthy choices on Thursday from 12:00 - 12:50.

A concession will be available at SHS throughout Friday and Saturday. A variety of healthy choices of food and beverages will be on hand. Food Item Costs will be available at the Concession Stand

Coaches & Officials Hospitality Room:

Hospitality rooms for coaches and officials will be provided at SHS and CMJHS. Many of the items in these rooms have been donated by local businesses and parents/staff.

Admission:

Day Pass: \$10

Weekend Pass: \$20

12 years old and younger: FREE

Athletes and coaches will all be given an official ID card on a lanyard to enter SHS and CMJHS gymnasiums. ***DO NOT LOSE THESE AS THEY ARE YOUR ACCREDITATION FOR TOURNAMENT ENTRY.*** All spectators will need to purchase a pass to watch the competition and must present their pass at the gate each time they enter a venue. Passes are good for both facilities for the duration of the provincial tournament.

Photography:

There will be a signup sheet available online for Thursday morning's team photo times.

During the event feel free to take your own photos however the SHS photography class will be taking action shots and these will be made available online through the following link: <http://tinyurl.com/y74um6ax>

GIMMICS:

Gimmics will be on-site to customize souvenir apparel for athletes to purchase. Gimmics will set up in the pit outside of the gym at SHS.

Streaming Games Live Online:

Links to Live Stream can be found on the Host Website.

Both SHS & CMJHS will have live streaming for all competitions.

Please advertise this to your school, athletes, parents, and relatives who are not able to make it for the tournament.

First Aid:

Please ensure you bring an individual medical kit for your team. A trained High School First Responder will be on-site to assist in any way.

Emergency Action Plan:

In the event of an emergency the tournament coordinator or first on site will contact 9-1-1. First Aid kits will be located in the PE office at each location.

When an injury occurs:

1. Initially, when coming in contact with the injured student athlete, take control and assess the situation. Exercise universal precautions related to blood/body fluids.
2. Keep in mind the following - Do not move the injured student athlete
 - a. If a student athlete cannot move by him/herself, do not move the body part for him/her
3. Instruct any bystanders to leave the injured student alone
4. Do not remove the student athlete's equipment unless emergency treatment is required e.g. CPR or artificial respiration
5. Assess the injury; evaluate the severity of the injury and decide if further assistance is required
6. If an ambulance is not needed, then decide what action is to be taken to remove the injured student athlete from the playing surface
7. If an ambulance is required: request assistance from another person by having this person call an ambulance with the all relevant information (nature of

emergency, precise location, telephone number of location) and have them report back to you with estimated time of arrival, then send them to the access entrance to wait for the ambulance.

8. Once the call has been placed, observe the injured student athlete carefully for any change in condition and try to reassure the injured student until professional help arrives
9. Do not provide the injured student athlete with food or drink, unless otherwise indicated by situation e.g. diabetes, hydration...
10. Stay calm and speak reassuringly
11. When ambulance arrives, describe incident and what has been done
12. An adult should be designated to accompany the injured student athlete to the hospital to help and document steps taken to treat the injury
13. The parent/guardian of the injured student athlete must be contacted as soon as possible after the injury
14. Complete any necessary incident/accident reports and file with appropriate school administrator

Scorekeepers and Linesmen:

Students, Junior Volleyball and Junior Varsity Volleyball players will be scheduled to fill these needs. Please treat these individuals with respect. If you have a concern with the scorekeeping or lines people address it through the Officials and/or Facility Managers. Do not direct comments to the minor officials.

Grievance Committee:

A committee has been organized to deal with discipline and grievance issues that may arise. There are two functions of this committee at provincials:

1. To deal with matters that may occur during competition.
2. To handle any other matters, associated with the tournament, outside the game, that may require dispute resolution.

The grievance committee will consist of a minimum of three members and may include but may not be limited to:

Kyle Larson, Carrie Westgaard as well as the Head Official.

Sportsmanship:

Criteria for team/individual sportsmanship awards will be included in coach's packages as well as given to the committee at the beginning of Provincials. Coaches are asked to fill out nomination papers prior to the end of the Championship. Awards will be announced throughout the tournament as well as within one week of event.

Award Presentations:

Awards ceremonies will occur immediately following the Gold and Bronze medal match at SHS. Teams are asked to line up on the sidelines facing the crowd in front of their benches after the handshake.

School Rules:

During Thursday competition and activities please be advised that classes will be in session during class time and other events will be going on in the school. Please be courteous and respectful during this time and for the duration of the tournament. Please be sure to only use your gym footwear and practice balls when in the gymnasium(s). **ABSOLUTELY NO warming up or playing with balls in the commons area or hallways of SHS and CMJHS please.**

Conduct of Players:

Players should:

- Conduct themselves in a positive nature/manner during, before and after the game
- Offer positive feedback to opponents during the game
- Shake hands before and after the game
- Be courteous, polite and friendly
- Show good sportsmanship during the game
- Show concern, respect or empathy for an opponent

Conduct of Spectators:

Teams are responsible for their own spectators. Any spectators not acting accordingly will be asked to leave the facility. Air horns and other artificial noise-makers will not be allowed. Spectators should show good sportsmanship and consistently give positive feedback to players, coaches, etc.

Discipline and Misconduct:

The following is the ASAA statement on discipline:

1. The head coach, as a representative of the school is responsible for the conduct of all persons comprising the school's team including assistant coaches, players and bench personnel.
2. For a coach to address, or permit anyone on his/her bench to address uncomplimentary remarks to any official during the progress of a provincial championship, or to indulge in conduct that might incite players or spectators against the officials, is a violation of the rules of the game and must likewise be considered conduct unworthy of a coach.
3. Behavior by any member of a team, including all bench personnel, deemed objectionable conduct as defined in the rulebook shall be immediately subject to the penalty prescribed in the rulebook for such an offense.

Alberta Schools Athletic Association Code of Ethics:

Adults who work with students in interscholastic activities should present a positive role model for them to emulate. Students who represent a school in interscholastic activities must be creditable school citizens.

The Association recognizes that the school administration is responsible for all athletic programs and the conduct of all school representatives, whatever the level and location of the competition. In recognition of this authority and responsibility, the Association presents the following general guidelines.

Fair Play and Sportsmanship:

All competitions must be conducted with a high standard of courtesy, fair play and sportsmanship. All those involved share this responsibility.

- A. Coaches - The coaches must demonstrate qualities of courtesy and good sportsmanship. These are evidenced by proper acceptance of officials' judgment, positive encouragement of player performance and bench behavior.
- B. Athletes - Athletes must demonstrate qualities of courtesy and good sportsmanship by proper acceptance of officials' judgment and by showing proper respect for opposing athletes as well as for teammates.
- C. Cheerleaders - Cheerleaders must demonstrate courtesy and good sportsmanship by the appropriateness and timeliness of the cheers they lead, respect for the other cheerleaders and athletes, and their attempts at effective crowd control.
- D. Spectators - Spectators, both student and adult, must demonstrate courtesy and

good sportsmanship by positive cheers of encouragement for their team, not against the opposing team. This is evidenced by the absence of booing and vulgarities. Spectators must also show proper acceptance of officials' judgment. Artificial noisemakers are not permitted during provincial championship tournaments/events. These noisemakers may include but are not limited to: air horns, cowbells, plastic tube horns, garbage can lids, etc. The provincial championship host shall have the authority to eject from the competition facility individuals who, following a warning, refuse to comply with this requirement.

- E. Administrators and Teachers Administrators and teachers must demonstrate courtesy and good sportsmanship by their positive examples.