

LIVINGSTONE SCHOOL

MARCH 16 – 19, 2016

2016 ASAA 1A Boys Basketball Provincial Championship Livingstone School Information Package

Location:

Games will be played at:
Matthew Halton School
645 Davidson Avenue
Pincher Creek, Alberta
48 km west of Fort Macleod on Highway 3

Game times:

Thursday, March 17, 11:00 a.m. – 5:15 p.m.
Friday, March 18, 8:30 a.m. – 10:15 p.m.
Saturday, March 19, 8:30 a.m. – 9:30 p.m.

Opening Ceremonies:

Thursday, March 17, 9:45 a.m. – Matthew Halton Gym

Complementary Pancake Breakfast & Coaches Meeting:

Thursday, March 17
Pancake Breakfast – 7:45 a.m. – 8:45 a.m.:
Pincher Creek Community Hall, 287 Canyon Drive
Coaches Meeting: 8:00 a.m., upstairs in the Community Hall / Team Captains meeting to follow

Banquet:

Thursday, March 17 – Pincher Creek Community Hall – 7:00 p.m.

Tournament Chair Persons:

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Tournament Schedule:

We will follow the ASAA Provincial Basic draw.
- See ASAAA Handbook page 78
The actual draw will come out after the provincial ranking and seeding have been completed, no later than noon on March 13, 2016.

Tournament at a Glance:

Sunday, March 13

Registration can be completed online. Go to <http://provincials.asaa.ca> then click on
Championship Host Websites→Basketball→Livingstone→Registration
(include Roster, team history, team picture, team logo, banquet tickets)

Monday, March 14

Registration: LIVINGSTONE SCHOOL (403) 628-3897
Practice times will be pre-booked and preference will be given to teams traveling
the furthest distance.

Deadline for registration including banquet tickets is **12:00 noon**.

Wednesday, March 16

Practice Times will be pre-booked based on distance traveled. The committee will work with teams to ensure that everyone is accommodated fairly for any changes in practice times. Please call Joanne Verbaas at Livingstone School: 403-628-3897.

Picture Time	Location	Practice Time	School
12:15	Matthew Halton	12:45-1:30	
1:00	Matthew Halton	1:30-2:15	
1:45	Matthew Halton	2:15-3:00	
2:30	Matthew Halton	3:00-3:45	
3:15	Matthew Halton	3:45-4:30	
4:00	Matthew Halton	4:30-5:15	
4:45	Matthew Halton	5:15-6:00	
5:30	Matthew Halton	6:00-6:45	
6:15	Matthew Halton	6:45-7:30	
7:00	Matthew Halton	7:30-8:15	
7:45	Matthew Halton	8:15-9:00	

Team pictures ½ hour prior to practice time in Matthew Halton.

Thursday, March 17

Coaches Meeting at 8:00 a.m. / Captains meeting to follow

Opening Ceremonies at 9:45 a.m.

Tournament games start at 11:00 a.m.

Banquet at 7:00 p.m. (Mandatory attendance for all team personnel).

Friday, March 18

Tournament games start at 8:30 a.m.

Saturday, March 19

Tournament games start at 8:30 a.m.

Bronze Medal presentation at 7:30 p.m.

Gold/Silver Medal Presentation at 9:30 p.m.

Registration/Team Information:

- Coaches please fill out your forms with as much information as possible for the program. The more you put in the more meaningful it will be for your athletes.
- Go to registration – fill out all forms online (this will include 5 sections – team roster, team history, team picture, team logo, and banquet ticket order).
- Please fill out roster in **NUMERICAL ORDER** from smallest to largest. If numbers are different on home/away tops, PLEASE separate numbers by using a back slash (/) and placing the light uniform number first.
 - REGISTRATION DEADLINE is **Monday, March 14, at 12:00 noon.**
- The photo and information will be used in the tournament program and will be delivered to the printers on Monday evening.

Opening Ceremonies:

The ceremonies will be held at Matthew Halton School on Thursday, March 15, at 9:45 a.m. Please have your team there by 9:30 a.m. in team uniforms or team warm-ups. Attendance is compulsory at the opening ceremonies.

Registration and Banquet fees:

Tournament Entry fee - \$460.00

Banquet fee - \$25.00 per person

Banquet tickets must be ordered in advance when you register using the online Registration form of this web page. You may combine fees to one cheque. Please make all cheques payable to
LHS Sports Booster Club.

Your official team party consists of all players, managers, coaches, and trainers. We will also have tickets available for parents to attend; however, at this time we must cap the number at 25 for each team (including parents and guests).

NOTE: Therefore when registering please give total numbers including team personnel and parents/guests.

If your team would like extras (more than the cap) we will try to accommodate you after knowing the numbers attending from other schools. Please call Joanne Verbaas at Livingstone School (403) 628-3897 or email verbaasj@lrsd.ab.ca on Tuesday, March 15, with your request for extra tickets.

Banquet:

Thursday, March 17 – 7:00 p.m. (**Mandatory attendance for all team personnel**)

At Pincher Creek Community Hall

Doors will be open at 6:30 p.m. with the banquet starting at 7:00 p.m.

Dress is semi-formal – no sweats or jeans please.

Entertainment – Big Game Night

Coaches Meeting:

The coaches meeting will be held upstairs at the Pincher Creek Community Hall on Thursday, March 17, at 8:00 a.m., with a team Captains meeting to follow. It will precede the opening ceremonies scheduled to start at 9:45. Please bring your cheques for the championship and banquet to this meeting.

Practices:

Practice times will be available on Wednesday, March 14, where each team will have a 45 minute gym time – (a 40 minute practice time with a 5 minute buffer to exit the gym and allow the next team to come in). To check practice and picture times, call Livingstone School on Monday, March 14. Practices will be arranged by furthest distance traveled.

Contact is Joanne Verbaas @ (403) 628-3897.

Picture times will take place 30 minutes prior to practice times.

Official Ball:

The official ball is the Spalding Top Flight 1000 ZX Pro– size 7

Warm up balls will be provided so please do not bring your own balls for both the games and the practices.

Accommodations:

NOTE: You are only allowed to book rooms for players and coaches so no team may book more than 5 rooms.

*** If you think you have a good chance of attending the Provincial Tournament, it is wise to book rooms ahead of time as the hotels are not willing to hold rooms.**

Heritage Inn

919 Waterton Avenue

Pincher Creek, Alberta

Phone: 1-888-888-4374 FAX: (403) 627-3936

\$109 - \$130 – restaurant attached

Ramada Inn

1132 Table Mountain Street
Pincher Creek, Alberta
Phone: (403) 627-3777 FAX: (403) 627-3780
\$139.99 – with continental breakfast

Super 8

1307 Freebairn Avenue
Pincher Creek, Alberta
Phone: (403) 627-5671 FAX: (403) 627-5408
\$103.50 – with continental breakfast

Motels in Pincher Creek: Parkway Motel, Stardust Motel

Change rooms:

Two classrooms will be available to change in marked Home and Away. Please bring your belongings with you to the gym. The change rooms in the gym will be available to use to house your belongings while you are playing. These change rooms in the gym can be used for half time meetings. When your game is finished you will go back to the classroom to change back to your street clothing. Please allow the teams that are playing before you to get their belongings out of the gym change rooms before you put yours in.

Concession:

Livingstone School will host a light concession during the tournament with drinks and healthy snacks. Many restaurants and stores are in close proximity to the school.

Coaches / Officials Hospitality Room:

A coaches and officials hospitality room will be open for the duration of the tournament. Food, refreshments, relaxation, and the internet will be available.

First Aid:

There will be a qualified First Aid Practitioner available at all times, but there will not be a trainer. The hospital is four minutes away from Matthew Halton School.

Souvenirs:

Gimmicks will be set up at the tournament to offer athletes a selection of clothing memorabilia.

Team pictures:

Team Pictures will be on Wednesday, March 16. All of the Team Pictures will be taken at the Matthew Halton School. Your picture time will be 30 minutes prior to your practice time.

Team pictures will be available for purchase.

Website:

The link to the website of the tournament can be found on the Alberta Schools' Athletic Association website at: www.asaa.ca or directly at <http://provincials.asaa.ca>

Tournament photos and game results will be updated regularly.

Live video streaming will be available during all games.

Spectator Admission:

General Admission Adults/Student - \$8.00 per day

Kids (under 12) free (if accompanied by an adult)

Tournament Passes - \$20.00

Tournament Programs \$5.00

Grievance Committee:

The purpose of the grievance committee is to deal with matters that occur during competition, typically discipline/conduct types of issues, and appeals that may arise from ejections, while the second function is to handle any other matters that arise and require dispute resolution.

This year's tournament Grievance & Sportsmanship Committee is comprised of:

Coady MacDonald – Athletic Director

Jim Proudfoot

Head of Officials

ASAA Staff Member if available

Two Coaches (selected at time of dispute)

Sportsmanship Award:

Basketball sportsmanship awards are presented to one team from the tournament. Along with the team banner and sportsmanship plaque, each team member is presented with an ASAA sportsmanship pin to commemorate their achievement. Individual pins will also be handed out for the individual acts of sportsmanship, throughout the championship.

Criteria for individual/team sportsmanship award:

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.