

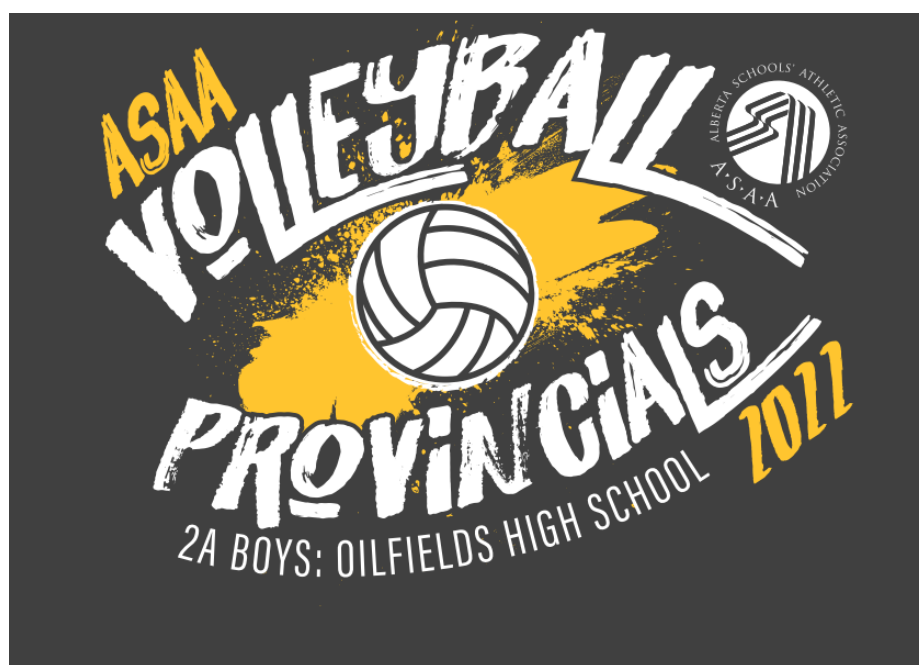


**2A Boys Volleyball
Provincial Championship
Oilfields High School
Black Diamond**



November 24 – 26, 2022

Information Package



Welcome to the ASAA 2A Boys Volleyball Provincial Championships. We hope you enjoy your weekend of great volleyball, team play, and sportsmanship.

Contact Information/Tournament Chairperson

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Venue Location:

Oilfields High School
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Black Diamond, AB T0L 0H0
Phone: 403-938-4973

C Ian McLaren School
402 – 3rd Street SW
Black Diamond, AB T0L 0H0
Phone: 403-938-7295

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

Facility Supervisor: Oilfields High School

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Tournament at a Glance

Registration Deadline: Monday, November 21st @ noon

Photo/Practice Time: Check google doc on the website.
Times will be determined by distance from Black Diamond

Print Coaches Checklist at bottom of Information Package

Wednesday, November 23rd, 2022

Team & Individual Photos

2:30 pm – 6:45 pm – Oilfields High School Drama Room

Practice Times

3:00 pm– 7:45 pm – Oilfields High School & C Ian McLaren School (practice times are 45 minutes in length)

8:15 pm– 9:15 pm – Coaches Meeting Oilfields High School Library Mezzanine

8:15 pm– 9:15 pm – Captains Meeting Oilfields High School Room 159

Thursday, November 24th, 2022

8:15 am – Teams arrive at Oilfields High School and will gather in Band Foyer

8:45 am – Opening Ceremonies

10:15 am – Games Begin at Oilfields High School

7:15 pm – Banquet at Oilfields High School

Friday, November 25th, 2022

9:00 AM – Games Begin at Oilfields High School & C Ian McLaren School

Saturday, November 26th, 2022

9:00 AM – Games Begin at Oilfields High School & C Ian McLaren School

Bronze Medal Game.....5:30 pm

Gold Medal Game.....7:00 pm

Tournament Structure: There will be two pools of six, seeded by zone according to ASAA provincial results over the last three years. All games including playoffs are a best of three. The top team in each pool will receive a bye to the semi-finals while second and third place teams in each pool will cross over and play a quarterfinal playoff.

FEES:

- Team Fee - \$585 (set by the ASAA in coordination with Alberta Volleyball)
- \$1/per athlete 'Pay it Forward' Loonie Fee
- \$32 – per person for the Banquet

Optional

- \$125 – per team for 1 - 8 x 10 team photo, all action photos and individualized ID Cards

Please bring one cheque payable to Foothills School Division or you can call the school and pay by Credit Card

Registration Information:

DEADLINE FOR REGISTRATION IS MONDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 2022 @ 12:00 pm

Information needed to complete online registration:

- Team Roster – player name, number, height, position, grade
- Team Picture – sent in JPEG format
- School Logo – in highest resolution possible
- Team history/season summary
- Team Photo & ID Cards

Opening Ceremonies:

All teams are to be in their groups dressed in team apparel and ready for opening ceremonies by 8:45 am on Thursday at Oilfields High School. Further instructions for opening ceremonies will be provided at the coaches meeting on Wednesday.

Banquet Information:

Attendance at the banquet is compulsory for all team members and coaches. Banquet tickets must be ordered online during the registration process by Monday, November 21st, 2022 at NOON. The banquet is for athletes, coaches, managers, and trainers (max. is 20 tickets per team). The banquet will have a **COME AS ANY TEAM OTHER THAN A VOLLEYBALL TEAM. PRIZES FOR 1ST PLACE**

Date: Thursday, November 24th, 2022

Time: Doors open at 6:45 pm with program starting at 7:00 pm

Location: Oilfields High School

Dress Code: COME AS ANY TEAM OTHER THAN A **VOLLEYBALL TEAM**

Banquet Fees: \$32.00/person

Hosts/Hostesses:

Hosts/Hostesses will be assigned to each team to help make your stay in Black Diamond an enjoyable one. If you have any questions or problems, they will be more than willing to assist you or find a person who can. Your hosts will also be your designated scorekeeper for the championship.

Photo Information

Photo times will be assigned by proximity to Oilfields High School with the furthest school away having the latest photo and practice time. Photos will take place, beginning at 2:30 pm followed by the first practice at 3:00 pm. Each team will be given a 30 minute time slot to have individual and team photographs taken. Teams are asked to be dressed in game uniforms for the pictures. We ask that you arrive early for your scheduled time. Photo times will be posted on the website by Tuesday, November 22nd.

Practice Times

Practice times will be assigned by proximity to Oilfields High School with the furthest school away having the latest photo and practice time. Practices will take place after photos, beginning at 3:00 pm. Each team will be given a 45 minute time slot to practice immediately after individual and team photographs have been taken. Practice times will be posted on the website by Tuesday, November 22nd.

Photography

Included in your \$125 photo payment will be all the game action photos, photo booth, awards ceremony, an 8 x 10 team photo, and ID Cards. You can add this cost to your cheque when you bring it.

Accommodations

Deerfoot Inn & Casino Calgary

Phone: (403) 236 - 7529

Rate: \$149.00 + tax for 2 queens, includes hot breakfast

Hotel has hot tub, pool & waterslide

Booking Code: **VOLLEYBALL PROVINCIALS**

High River Super 8

Contact: Front Desk @ (403) 652 - 4448

Cost – \$121 + tax for 2 queens, includes hot breakfast

24 hour cancellation. Rooms are a first come first serve basis

Hotel also has hot tub, pool & waterslide

Booking Code: **VOLLEYBALL PROVINCIALS**

High River Ramada

Contact: Front Desk @ (403) 603 - 3183

Cost – \$139.00 + tax for 2 queens, includes hot breakfast

High River Ramada also has 6 rooms with 3 double beds for \$149.00 + tax

20 rooms are blocked booked and will be released, **Thursday, September 22, 2022**

Hotel also has hot tub, pool & waterslide

Booking Code: **VOLLEYBALL PROVINCIALS**

Lakeview Inn & Suites Okotoks

Contact Front Desk @ (403) 938 - 7400

Cost 129.00 + tax includes full continental breakfast

Rooms options include double queen rooms along with Jr. Suites (queen bed & a pullout couch)

Booking Code: **VOLLEYBALL PROVINCIALS**

Okotoks Best Western

Phone: Roanne @ (403) 995 - 6262 Ext 156 to receive group rate

Cost \$132.50(for 2 queen standard room) + tax includes full continental breakfast

No rooms are being held therefore booking is on a first come first serve basis

ADDITIONAL TOURNAMENT INFORMATION

Coach's Meeting:

There will be a coaches meeting on Wednesday, November 23rd at 8:15 pm in the Oilfields High School Library Mezzanine. A virtual option option will also be provided for those unable to attend the in person meeting. Please ensure your team has at least one representative at this meeting to receive pertinent information regarding the provincial championships. Fees will also be collected at this time if not already paid online.

Captain's Meeting:

There will be a captain's meeting on Wednesday, November 23rd at 8:15 pm in Room 159. A virtual option option will also be provided for those unable to attend the in person meeting. Please ensure your team has at least one representative at this meeting to receive pertinent information regarding the provincial championships.

Social Media:

Oilfields High School is on Twitter. Check out @OHSDrillers, @ASAA or @ASAAProvs on Twitter .Be sure to use # OilfieldsProvs, #ASAA or #ASAABall when you post to your favorite Social Media format this weekend. Follow us to stay up to date with results, schedules, and more!

Live Streaming:

All matches will be streamed live on the ASAA Youtube page. Please see the tournament website for the direct link to the games being streamed.

Tournament Apparel:

Elite Sportswear - Limited #'s of Apparel will be available for purchase onsite. After the event teams will be able to fill out team orders if they weren't able to get at the championship

Change Room:

Each venue will have class rooms available for team use prior to and after each game. Please be advised that Oilfields and C Ian McLaren School are NOT responsible for lost or stolen articles. Team rooms can be used immediately prior to and following matches. Again, personal items should NOT be left in the team rooms.

Coach's & Officials Room:

Oilfields High School will have a hospitality room for coaches and officials throughout the championship. Our hospitality group has organized a variety of snacks, foods, and beverages for the Thursday, Friday, and Saturday draws. Please take the time to enjoy the hospitality rooms.

Medical & First Aid:

Athletic assistance is the responsibility of each individual team. If there is a major emergency, emergency services will be called. All coaches can find the Emergency Action Plan on the website under the Emergency Action Plan tab. Teams must bring their own medical supplies and do their own taping. First Aid Kits will be on location at both venues.

Concession:

A concession will be open at Oilfields High School throughout the competition. A variety of healthy options will be available as per ASAA guidelines.

Spectator Admission Rates & Programs:

Spectators will have the option to purchase a Day Pass or a Tournament Pass. The Day Pass will be valid at both venues only for the day of purchase. The Tournament Pass is valid at both venues for the entire weekend. Spectators must present their passes on entry to the venues.

Day Pass		Tournament Pass	
Adult	\$10.00	Adult	\$25.00
Student/Senior	\$5.00	Student/Senior	\$10.00
Under 10	Free		

A limited numbers of programs will be available for \$10 each

Parking:

Parking at Oilfields High School will be restricted to the street during school hours. The Oilfields Curling Club & Oilfields Regional Arena can be used as extra parking if needed. The Oilfields Curling Club is the preferred place of parking for team buses. Please be respectful of the marked school bus zones on the front and side of each school as this area must be kept clear of parked vehicles. Buses dropping players off may do so in the bus zone but are asked not to remain parked in the zone.



No Smoking Policy:

All schools are smoke-free facilities. Smoking by athletes, parents, and spectators is prohibited anywhere on all campus grounds.

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.

GAME RULES AND INFORMATION

Game Ball:

The official game ball is the Tachikara SVSW Gold (red, white and black) volleyball.

Practice Balls:

Teams are instructed to bring their own warm up balls that are clearly marked with their school logo or initials. Practice balls are to only be used on the court during warm-ups.

Venue Rules/Policy & Expectations:

It is incumbent upon all coaches and participants to be aware of ASAA policy. Specifically for this event: Player Eligibility (pg. 37-38); Supervision Policy (pg 51-52), Volleyball Policy (pg. 127-134). "All competitions must be conducted with a high standard of courtesy, fair play, and sportsmanship. All those involved share this responsibility." (pg. 27, ASAA Policy Handbook)

Minor Officials:

Students and Junior 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:

The grievance committee will sit to deal with matters that occur during competition, including discipline/conduct issues or appeals that may arise from ejections. They will handle any other matters that arise that require dispute resolution. Members of the committee will include the tournament chairperson, school administrator, and an experienced member of our organizing committee. We will also try to include another impartial coach and/or official in the committee. Please see the ASAA policy handbook for procedures in issuing a grievance or appeal.

Discipline & Misconduct:

Breaches of the ASAA Code of Ethics are treated seriously, and as host, [we] are required to report any breaches to the ASAA office where action may occur. A portion of the ASAA Code of Ethics states, "Any conduct, including, but not limited to ejections, fighting and drugs and alcohol use, that results in dishonor to the athlete, the team, the school or the ASAA will not be tolerated."

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.

Awards Presentations:

All “presentation games” will be held at Oilfields High School and awards will be presented immediately following. These include Championship, Finalists, 3rd Place, 4th Place, and Consolation Championship. In accord with ASAA, Team Sportsmanship Awards will be presented by the ASAA to the recipient school at a time shortly after the competition.

ASAA Spectator Code of Conduct

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.

The Executive Committee or its host/designated representative shall have the authority to direct any person to immediately leave any premises or venue hosting any ASAA sanctioned event if that person:

1. exhibits rude or abusive behavior to any other person
2. uses vulgar, obscene or abusive language and/or gestures
3. fails to promptly follow any reasonable direction given to that person by the designated representative of the ASAA

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. Sportsmanship Awards will be announced

throughout the tournament as well as within one - two weeks of the championship.

ASAA Sportsmanship Banner Selection Evaluation

Welcome Coaches and Captains!

We are super excited about this new selection process for the ASAA Sportsmanship Banner. We hope that you, as a stakeholder in this event, will be a part of this process to ensure that we are recognizing and selecting the best representatives for our SET THE BAR sportsmanship banner.

You have been provided with a rubric that has enough space to evaluate all teams in the competition. We recognize that you may not compete against every team. But we also know that you see and hear a lot during gameplay and during transition times before and after games in the locker room. Please only evaluate those teams that you feel you have seen enough to evaluate. You might even only evaluate one area of a team that you don't get to compete against and that is fine, maybe all you do is add a note in the "other" column because you witness something that should be noted by the committee when making their selection!

We hope Coaches and Captains will work together to complete the form as the value in those discussions and sharing input from different perspectives will help to get a whole perspective.

Our suggestion: keep the rubric handy! After you compete against a team or watch another set of teams play, just quickly fill it out as you go and do a quick check to make sure nothing has changed in your evaluation before submitting it to the hosts before you leave town! This isn't meant to be a huge amount of work so if you keep it on hand to fill out as you go, the evaluations will be right there in your head while you make them and you shouldn't have to think too hard to remember :-)

Please fill in this form for every team you feel like you can accurately evaluate based on your own experience or observations throughout the provincial event. You do not need to evaluate every team.

5 Point Rubric Definition:

5 - Exceptional - above and beyond

4 - Above average

3 - Average level - status quo, doing what they are supposed to be doing, what is expected, baseline **this is where most teams should be as a starting point

2 - Below Average - with some questionable actions or behaviors

1 - Bare Minimum - multiple questionable actions or behaviors

Evidence that might be included in the notes sections: positive/negative behavior of the fans, positive/negative behavior of athletes and/or adults associated (please don't give specific names just a general overview of the team), noticeable acts that are seen throughout the event both on and off the court, how officials were treated.

Checklist for Provincials

_____ Submit roster, team history, and order form online by NOON, Monday, November 21st.

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_____ Book hotel rooms by ASAP.

_____ Schedule Practice Time

_____ Confirm banquet numbers through registration sheet

_____ Bring one cheque payable to: **FOOTHILLS SCHOOL DIVISION**

_____ Check schedule for game times

REMINDERS.....

_____ Practice Times – Oilfields High School & C Ian McLaren School – Wednesday, November 23rd.

_____ Coaches & Captains Meeting – Wednesday, November 23rd – 8:15 pm at Oilfields High School

_____ Team Pictures – Wednesday, November 23rd, – 30 minutes prior to your Wednesday practice.

_____ **Provincial Championship clothing online, use the website link**

_____ Opening Ceremonies – Thursday, November 24th at 8:45 a.m. – players must be there at 8:15 am

_____ Banquet – Thursday, November 24th, 2016 – 7:15 p.m. at Oilfields High School
Each team is asked to come to the banquet as anything but a volleyball team

_____ Park at the Oilfields Arena or Oilfields Curling Club on Thursday.