SCHOOL SPORT ALBERTA

TECHNICAL PACKAGE / HOST INFORMATION



2A BOYS VOLLEYBALL PROVINCIALS
NOVEMBER 26-28, 2026
ST. MARY'S SCHOOL
TABER ALBERTA

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1. TECHNICAL PACKAGE

A. PROVINCIAL CHAMPIONSHIP OVERVIEW: 2A Boys Volleyball

DATES	**Thursday November 26 - Saturday November 28, 2026**
VENUE	**ST. MARY'S SCHOOL (Primary Gym)** 5427- 50th Street Taber, Alberta T1G 1M2 (403) 223-3165 https://smt.holyspirit.ab.ca/ **Taber Christian High School (Secondary Gym)** 7001 50th St Taber, Alberta T1G 0G4 (403) 359-3835 https://tchs.horizon.ab.ca/
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B. COACHES MEETING

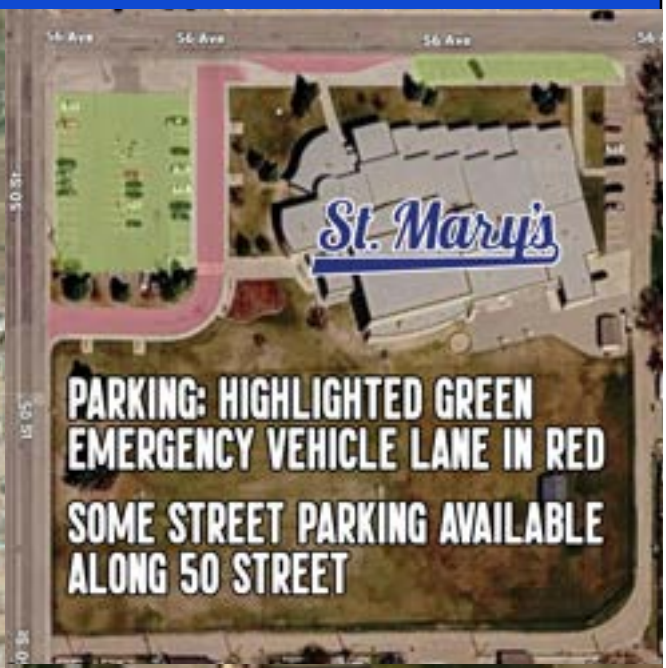
- Will take place via Zoom at 8:00 pm on Tuesday, November 24th. The link will be sent out prior to the meeting.
  **Host to update*

C. SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

- Wednesday - Check In and Practice Schedule
- Breakfast Banquet Thursday morning 8:30 at St. Mary's School
  Our local K of C will be serving pancakes, sausage, hashbrown breakfast with yogurt and fruit available. We encourage all to attend!
- Opening Ceremony: Thursday - 10:00 AM at St. Mary's School (9:30 start lining up)
- Games begin at 11:30 AM at both SMS and TCHS
- Games at SMS and TCHS Thursday
- Games all day Friday at both SMS and TCHS, playoffs in the late afternoon/evening
- Playoff Games all day Saturday at SMS

D. VENUE INFORMATION & PARKING







- Please be advised that regularly scheduled classes will be ongoing throughout the tournament. School Sport Alberta kindly asks that teams and spectators are mindful of the students attending classes during this time.

E. REGISTRATION

Steps for Registration

- Step 1: Complete the "Finalize your Roster for Provincials" by editing your team's SRS roster. SRS Help Document
  Step 2: Fill out the Provincial Championship

The deadline to register is Monday, November 23/2026 at 12:00PM.

Payment Instructions ****

- Entry Fee per team $775 plus + Loonie Scholarship Fee ($1 per player)

F. TOURNAMENT FEES

Registration Fee is $775 (registration fee) plus $1 for each athlete for the Pay it Forward SSA Scholarship program. The SSA will remit to the SSA Scholarship fund to recognize student athletes that give back to their community.

G. COACHES & OFFICIALS

A hospitality room will be available for **coaches and officials** throughout the tournament at St. Mary's School only. A variety of food & beverages will be available. The hospitality room will be in the school staff room. There will be a separate room for referee meetings and evaluations. Coaches are encouraged to talk to refs privately over issues and questions and keep the hospitality room to social discussions and encouragement.

H. POOL

2026 SSA 2A BOYS VOLLEYBALL PROVINCIALS

POOL A	POOL B	POOL C

I. GAME SCHEDULE

THURSDAY

Date	#	Time	HOME	AWAY	Category	Location
Thursday	1	11:30 AM			Pool C	TCHS
Thursday	2	11:30 AM			Pool C	SMS
Thursday	3	12:45 PM			Pool B	SMS
Thursday	4	12:45 PM			Pool B	TCHS
Thursday	5	2:00 PM			Pool A	SMS
Thursday	6	2:00 PM			Pool A	TCHS
Thursday	7	3:15 PM			Pool C	SMS
Thursday	8	3:15 PM			Pool C	TCHS
Thursday	9	4:30 PM			Pool B	SMS
Thursday	10	4:30 PM			Pool B	TCHS
Thursday	11	5:45 PM			Pool A	SMS
Thursday	12	5:45 PM			Pool A	TCHS

FRIDAY

Date	#	Time	HOME	AWAY	Category	Location
Friday	13	9:00 AM			Pool C	SMS
Friday	14	9:00 AM			Pool C	TCHS
Friday	15	10:15 AM			Pool B	SMS
Friday	16	10:15 AM			Pool B	TCHS
Friday	17	11:30 AM			Pool A	SMS
Friday	18	11:30 AM			Pool A	TCHS
Friday	19	1:00 PM	(11) 3rd Pool C	(6) 2nd Pool B	Playoffs	SMS
Friday	20	1:00 PM	(10) 2nd Pool C	(7) 3rd Pool B	Playoffs	TCHS
Friday	21	2:15 PM	(8) 1st Pool C	(9) 4th Pool B	Playoffs	SMS
Friday	22	2:15 PM	(5) 4th Pool A	(12) 4th Pool C	Playoffs	TCHS
Friday	23	3:30 PM	(3) 3rd Pool A		Quarter Final	SMS
Friday	24	3:30 PM	(2) 2nd Pool A		Quarter Final	TCHS
Friday	25	5:00 PM	(1) 1st Pool A		Quarter Final	SMS
Friday	26	5:00 PM	(4) 1st Pool B		Quarter Final	TCHS

FRIDAY PLAYOFF GAMES

Date	#	Time	HOME	AWAY	Category	Location
Friday	27	6:15 PM			Playoffs	SMS
Friday	28	6:15 PM			Playoffs	TCHS
Friday	29	7:30 PM			Playoffs	SMS
Friday	30	7:30 PM			Playoffs	TCHS

SATURDAY						
Date	#	Time	HOME	AWAY	Category	Location
Saturday	31	9:00 AM			11/12	SMS
Saturday	32	10:15 AM			9/10	SMS
SEMIFINALS						
Saturday	33	11:45 AM			Semi-Final	SMS
Saturday	34	1:15 PM			Semi-Final	SMS
SEMIFINALS						
Saturday	35	2:30 PM			7/8	SMS
Saturday	36	3:45 PM			5/6	SMS
BRONZE MEDAL MATCH						
Saturday	37	5:00 PM			Bronze Medal	SMS
GOLD MEDAL MATCH						
Saturday	38	6:30 PM			Championship	SMS

J. SATURDAY POST GAME PHOTOGRAPHY

For **Consolation (4th), Bronze (3rd), and Gold/Silver (1st &2nd) Medal matches**, players can briefly take photos on the court without interrupting the flow of following matches.
Afterwards, teams will be asked to gather in the atrium of St. Mary's for an official portrait per the request of School Sport Alberta.

K. GRIEVANCES & DISCIPLINE

- There are two key functions of the Grievance & Discipline Committee at SSA Provincial Championships. The first function is to deal with matters that occur during competition, typically discipline, conduct issues, and appeals that may arise from ejections. The second function is to handle any other matters that arise that require dispute resolution.
- 2A Boys Volleyball Grievance Committee will be made up of: AJ Bergen Henengouwen (Host Committee Chair), the Head official or designate, Josh Van Uden (SMS Principal), SSA Commissioner or staff member (only if available), two coaches that are not in conflict of interest

L. EQUIPMENT

- As per the SSA 2026-2027 Policy Handbook, the official game ball to be used for SSA Provincial Volleyball competitions shall be the Molten V5M5000.

2. HOST INFORMATION

A. ACCOMMODATIONS

Heritage Inn Taber (35 Rooms Booked)
4830 46th ave
Taber, AB T1G 2A4
(403) 223-4424
$115.00/night (includes breakfast)
Booking Code - b254173
Booking link

EconoLodge Taber (20 rooms booked)
5302 46 Avenue,
Taber AB T1G 2A8
(403) 223-8911
$129.00/night
Booking Code: St. Mary Volleyball Provincials

Days Inn Taber (20 Rooms Booked)
5700 46 Ave Taber, AB T1G 2B1
(403) 223-818
$125.00 (includes breakfast)
CODE: St. Mary Volleyball Provincials

Holiday Inn Express SE Lethbridge (20 rooms)
403-795-6878 sc@expresslodging.ca
217 - 41 Street South
Lethbridge, AB | T1J 1Z3
For Holiday Inn Express SE Block CODE IS: Y17

Best Western Plus SE Lethbridge (20 rooms)
403-795-6878 sc@expresslodging.ca
209 - 41 St South
Lethbridge, AB T1J 1Z3
For Best Western Plus Block CODE: 2ABVP

- Hotel options are located in Taber and a quick 10 minute drive to the school sites. Other options that are a reasonable distance away are found in Lethbridge (30 minutes).
- The deadline to confirm rooms is Sunday November 22nd at noon. All unused rooms will be released after that time to families and others.
- Any families wishing to book additional rooms should do so on their own.

B. FOOD & BEVERAGE

- There will be a concession serving hot food, drinks, and snacks located at St. Mary's School and Taber Christian High School. This will be available all day Thursday, Friday and Saturday.
- There are many local restaurants in Taber that we encourage you to dine at:

Boston Pizza	Firehouse Subs
Mediterranean Grill	Subway
Luigi's	Dickey's Barbecue Pit
Coulee Cafe	Coulee Cafe
Cattlemen's Chophouse	The Pin

C. SPECTATOR GUIDELINES

- Both locations will have bleacher seating to view the featured court games. Additional seating will also be available if needed.
- School is in session during Thursday and Friday at both venues, please be mindful of classes going on.
- Public washrooms are located at both venues. Spectators will not be allowed to use the team changerooms at either facility.
- Spectators are welcome to attend the opening ceremony on Thursday at 10:00 am at St. Mary's School.
- As per the SSA Policy Handbook, artificial noisemakers will not be permitted

D. TICKETING



- Spectators will be required to pay a daily admission or purchase a tournament pass. Those who purchase a tournament pass will be given a wristband upon verification for admittance
- To purchase a day pass or tournament pass visit:

https://www.asaasportsnetwork.com/asaaprovincialstickets/

Day Pass - $12 **Entire Tournament - $30**

- 12 and under are free

E. LIVE STREAMING

- All Live streaming will be done through the asaasportsnetwork.com using HUDL technology and equipment.
- Viewing packages will vary in price based on the viewers' needs and number of days streaming.
- No secondary Live Streaming is allowed or permitted at this event. Failure to comply may lead to being asked to leave the venue.

Click here to access School Sport Alberta Live Streaming

F. MERCHANDISE

Northwest Designs will be onsite and provide a wide selection of SSA 2A Boys Volleyball apparel offerings and give each athlete, parent, and fan the opportunity to customize on demand. In addition, all championship gear will be available for purchase online before and after the event.

- Thursday, November 26
- Friday, November 27
- Saturday, November 28

G. SPORTSMANSHIP

Sportsmanship Awards- Nomination by QR Code Signage

These awards should be given to individuals who exhibit outstanding displays of integrity, fair play and good sportsmanship. These awards may be given to players, coaches, parents and spectators. These individuals should be recognized for bringing positive presence to the Championship and demonstrating consistent exemplary sportsmanlike behavior. Recipients of a sportsmanship award should show exemplary behavior.

- Name, School, Jersey # (if applicable), and description of why they received the award.
- Athlete/Coaches:
- 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 at all times
- Show good sportsmanship during the game
- Show concern, respect or empathy for an opponent-display an outstanding act of sportsmanship, ethics or integrity

Spectators/Parents:

- Consistently give positive feedback to players/others
- Welcome opponents
- Positive comments before, during and after the game
- Be helpful to others (ie. willingly offer information about the game, score,scheduling, venue locations, etc. to onlookers)

SPORTSMANSHIP COMMITTEE

AJ Bergen Henengouwen, Josh Van Uden, Carolyn Siemens

H. PHOTOGRAPHY / SOCIAL MEDIA

- Photographers will be on site through the weekend to capture game/action shots. These will be uploaded to a google drive and shared with teams after the event.
- Teams are encouraged to share their weekend photos using #SSAVolleyball.
- Be sure to tag **@schoolsportalberta** and use our official hashtags: #SchoolSportAlberta or #ssaprovs for updates and highlights throughout the event—and for a chance to have your pictures reposted!

I. MEDICAL / EMERGENCY ACTION PLAN (EAP)

VENUES

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EMERGENCY PROTOCOL

SMS and TCHS will have our Emergency Protocol in place.

EMERGENCY ACTION PLAN

ST. MARY EAP
TABER CHRISTIAN HIGH SCHOOL EAP