

## 2008 GIRL'S MIDDLE SCHOOL SOCCER

**GAME TIME:** All matches will start at 4:00pm. **All teams playing Hickory Ridge, Craigmont, American Way at home your matches will start at 4:30pm.** We will play (2) 30-minute halves with a 10-minute half. During the playoffs, if the game ends in a tie we will play (2) 10-minute halves. If the game is still tied we will go to penalty kicks.

**INCLEMENT WEATHER:** The home team is responsible for calling the MIAA office no later than 12:00pm. The referee will be in charge for making the call regarding lightning safety. They will use the flash-bang method. For example, when you first see the lightning you begin to count: 1 one thousand, 2 one thousand. If you hear the thunder in 30 seconds or less, you are in danger of being struck by lightning. Divide the number of seconds by 5 and you get a fairly accurate distance in miles. For example: 30 seconds by 5 = 6 miles. You can get hit from as far as 10 miles!

**OFFICIAL'S FEES:** The referee shall be paid \$ 52.50 for a 2-man game, and 57.50 for a single referee. During the regular season, the home team that is listed on the MIAA Girl's Soccer Schedule is responsible for paying the official/officials. During the Championships, semi/final game, each team will split the referees fees. The officials will call the home school to confirm all games by noon on the day of the game.

**OFFICIAL'S ASSIGNING AGENT:** Call Mark Herrington at 683-0777 (home), 674-4478 (cell), 658-5624 (fax).

**SITES/LOCATION:** For site assignments and/or changes, please call Jackie Trenthem at 767-458 (w), 508-2603 (c).

**PHYSICALS:** Each player must have an annual physical examination, which must be completed and on file at each school before the student-athlete can participate in practice, try-outs, or compete in a contest. In addition, these records must be present at all practices, home and away games.

**PLAYING RULES:** The Tennessee Secondary School Athletic Association (TSSAA) rules will apply to all schools participating in Middle School Athletic Association, with the exception of Article I, Sections 9,10; Article II, Sections 2, 9,16; Article III, Sections, 7-10; Article IV, Sections 5, 6,8,9,10,11,15,16. If you have any questions, you can contact Shawn Matsunaga at 828-3078.

**NETS:** Both schools must furnish nets for the game. The home team is responsible for the game ball, which must be size 5.

**AGE-RULE #4:** No student-athlete shall be eligible to compete in the Middle School Athletic Association during any school year, if the student-athlete turns 15 years of age on or before August 1 of that calendar year.

**UNIFORMS:** The home team shall wear white or light color jersey. All players must wear (NOCSAE) approved shin guards that are not tampered with. Goalkeepers must wear a different color uniform.

**1) SCORING/TIEBREAKERS-Modified FIFA**

- A) Divisional winners will be determined by the following 4-point system:
  - a) Win-3 points
  - b) Ties-1 point
  - c) Loss-0 points
- B) Forfeit is scored as a 3-0 loss and the opposing team will be awarded 3-points.
- C) If teams are tied, rule (2) will be used to break the tie.

**2) TIE-BREAKERS**

- A) To determine divisional winners and seed for the championship.
  - a) Winner of head-head competition.
  - b) Highest goal differential- goals for minus goals against with a (maximum 3 goals per game).
  - c) Least total goals allowed (maximum) 3 goals per game).
  - d) Most shutouts
  - e) Most goals scored
  - f) Penalty kicks

**CITY CHAMPIONSHIP/PLAYOFF:** The top (4) teams from each division will advance to compete in the MIAA City Championships. The home field will go to the highest seeded team. October 10, 2008 will be used for makeup games.

**CITY CHAMPIONSHIP MEETING:** A meeting will be held on Monday, October 13, 2008 at 3:00pm at the MIAA office. We will determine which teams will play in the Championships and their seed. Coaches must be present with their record at the time of seeding. If a representative isn't present, the following will occur:

1. Removal of the coach for City Championships, and the coach will not be allowed to attend.
2. A school that does not attend the City Championship meeting must pay a \$500.00 fine to be included. The fine will be payable before participation in tournament play and will be awarded to any school that is removed from the tournament.

**REPORTING SCORES:** The winners of each match during the regular season are required to report the score via e-mail to Shawn Matsunaga. This will enable me to seed

everyone prior to the championship meeting, and to update the points system on a weekly basis.

**MIAA CITY CHAMPIONSHIP MEETING**

Monday, October 13,2008 @ 3:00pm. MIAA office

**QUARTER FINALS**

Home field will go to the highest seeded teams

Tuesday, October 14,2008 @ 4:00pm

**SEMI-FINALS**

Thursday, October 16,2008

**CBU- 4:00pm**

**CBU- 5:30pm**

**FINALS**

Saturday, October 18,2008

**CBU-1:00pm**

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**North**

Bellevue  
Craigmont  
Cordova  
Lester  
White Station  
Snowden

**South**

American Way  
Colonial  
Hickory Ridge  
Lanier  
Ridgeway  
Wooddale

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**Tuesday, September 9**

Snowden @ Craigmont  
Bellevue @ Lester  
White Station @ Cordova  
Wooddale @ Hickory Ridge  
Ridgeway @ Lanier  
American Way @ Colonial

Craigmont  
May #2  
Cordova  
Hickory Ridge  
Lanier  
Willow

**Thursday, September 11**

Snowden @ Bellevue  
Cordova @ Lester  
Craigmont @ White Station  
Colonial @ Lanier  
Ridgeway @ Wooddale  
American Way @ Hickory Ridge

May #1  
May #2  
Willow  
Lanier  
Wooddale  
Hickory Ridge

**Tuesday, September 16**

Cordova @ Bellevue  
Lester @ Craigmont  
Colonial @ Ridgeway  
Snowden @ White Station  
Hickory Ridge @ Lanier  
Wooddale @ American Way

May #2  
Craigmont  
May #9  
Willow  
Lanier  
American Way

**Thursday, September 18**

Craigmont @ Cordova  
Lester @ Snowden  
Bellevue @ White Station  
Colonial @ Hickory Ridge  
Lanier @ Wooddale  
Ridgeway @ American Way

Cordova  
Snowden  
Willow  
Hickory Ridge  
Wooddale  
American Way

**Tuesday, September 23**

Bellevue @ Craigmont  
Snowden @ Cordova  
White Station @ Lester  
Hickory Ridge @ Ridgeway  
Wooddale @ Colonial  
American Way @ Lanier

Craigmont  
Cordova  
May #2  
May #1  
Willow  
Lanier

**Thursday, September 25**

Bellevue @ Cordova  
Craigmont @ Lester  
White Station @ Snowden  
Ridgeway @ Colonial  
Lanier @ Hickory Ridge  
American Way @ Wooddale

Cordova  
May # 2  
Snowden  
Willow  
Hickory Ridge  
Wooddale

**Tuesday, September 30**

Cordova @ Craigmont  
Snowden @ Lester  
White Station @ Bellevue  
Hickory Ridge @ Colonial  
Wooddale @ Lanier  
American Way @ Ridgeway

Craigmont  
May #1  
May #2  
Willow  
Lanier  
May #9

**Thursday, October 2**

Craigmont @ Bellevue  
Cordova @ Snowden  
Lester @ White Station  
Ridgeway @ Hickory Ridge  
Colonial @ Wooddale  
Lanier @ American Way

May #1  
Snowden  
Willow  
Hickory Ridge  
Wooddale  
American Way

**Tuesday, October 7**

Bellevue @ Snowden  
Lester @ Cordova  
Craigmont @ White Station  
Wooddale @ Ridgeway  
Lanier @ Colonial  
Hickory Ridge @ American Way

Snowden  
Cordova  
May #1  
May #2  
Willow  
American Way

**Thursday, October 9**

Craigmont @ Snowden

Snowden

Lester @ Bellevue  
Cordova @ White Station  
Hickory Ridge @ Wooddale  
Lanier @ Ridgeway  
Colonial @ American Way

May #1  
Willow  
Wooddale  
May #2  
American Way