

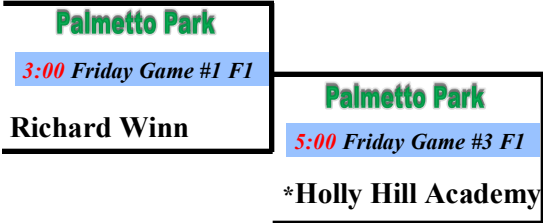
The South Carolina Independent School Association

2024 Class 1A State Softball Play-offs

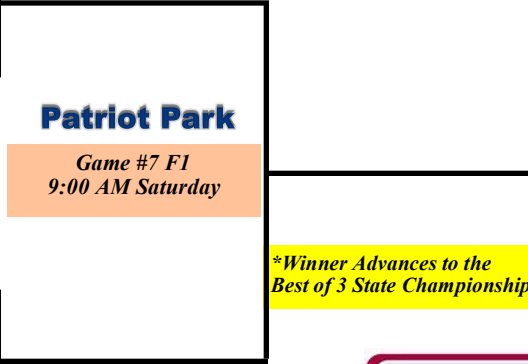
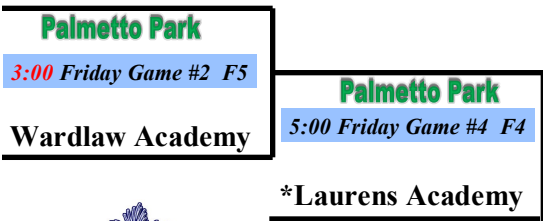


Dudley the "Official" Ball of the State Tournament

***Cross Schools**



***Jefferson Davis**



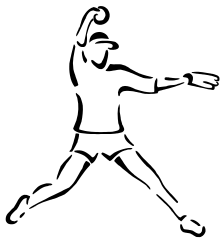
The "Best-of-Three" State Championship Series on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday (May 13, 14, & 15). Undefeated team has choice of home or away Game #1. Game #2 at other site. Game #3, if needed, neutral site.

2024 SCISA Softball Championships

Home Team Determination

- The "Higher" Seed is the Home Team.





2024 SCISA State Softball Tournament

Congratulations to all of the teams in the 2024 State Tournament. Congratulations to players, coaches, and to the fans. Playing in a State Championship Tournament is the goal of all teams. This weekend will be one of those “special moments” in the life of your school. Enjoy the moment! Regardless of the outcome of each game, we all must exhibit the best sportsmanship possible as we teach these young ladies many more lessons than just softball.

Tournament Notes...

- All speed-up rules apply: Speed-up Rules:
 - A. The pitcher and/or catcher may have a courtesy runner. The runner must be an eligible substitute. The same runner may not be used for both positions in the same inning.
 - B. After each out, the ball should go directly to the pitcher.
 - C. The Ten (10) Run/5 Inning Rule and the 15 Run/3 Inning Rule is in effect in all SCISA Games.

- International Tie-breaker is in effect in the 8th inning.
- The first game of the tournament for each team will start at the scheduled time. Thereafter, if the tournament is running ahead of schedule, teams may play early.

If weather interferes with the tournament schedule may be adjusted to complete suspended play on Saturday. Therefore the tournament may run later on Saturday and both Parks may be utilized on Saturday.

- The Home Team is indicated by the * in the brackets/or higher seed. The Home Team is the official book. **Team personnel should use the bench phone and contact the tower to update the score** after each half-inning.
- Championship Series: Upper Bracket will host on Monday, Lower Bracket on Tuesday, neutral site if needed on Wednesday. (All Classes).
- Sumter County Facility guidelines requires that all team personnel shall be in the appropriate area by rule. This means that while a team is on **defense, coaches must remain in the dugout**.
- **Bench Decorum**: Teams are encouraged to positively support their team. Teams who exhibit negative chants/cheers directed at the opponents will be: WARNED the 1st time and the Head Coach will be ejected on the next offense! **No hitting the top/roof of dugouts with bats!**
- SCISA shall provide optic yellow balls for all tournament games.
- An **Entry Fee of \$249** is required from all participating teams—may be mailed to SCISA.
- **Admission: Adults: \$10 Students: \$5**

Friday Game Times: The Parks/fields will be available one hour before the first scheduled start time. **Saturday Game Times**: The first game is scheduled for a 9:00 start. The facility will be available to the teams playing in the 9:00 games **no earlier than 8:00**.

Infield: Teams playing in their first game will be permitted a round of infield as time allows. If a team has already played that day, infield may not be available if time is an issue.

If weather suspends the tournament, play will continue Saturday with times adjusted. The tournament will be completed.

Bring coolers with water/sports drinks & ice.

CAT - a certified athletic trainer will be on duty at each park.

Coaches are duty bound to insure that their players are legally equipped and using legal equipment. Adult Coaches on 1st and/or 3rd will wear skull caps.