



2023-2026 NORTH COAST SECTION CHAMPIONSHIP SCHEDULE
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<u>PRACTICE DATES</u>	<u>2023-24</u>	<u>2024-25</u>	<u>2025-26</u>
FALL	Aug. 7	Aug. 12	Aug. 11
WINTER	Oct. 30	Nov. 4	Nov. 3
SPRING	Feb. 5	Feb. 10	Feb. 9
Start of Summer Period	June 1	June 1	June 1

<u>FALL SOCCER</u>	<u>2023-24</u>	<u>2024-25</u>	<u>2025-26</u>
Deadline for leagues to determine qualifiers	Oct. 28	Nov. 2	Nov. 1
Final date for competition other than NCS or CIF championships	Oct. 28	Nov. 2	Nov. 1
NCS postseason applications due (automatic & at-large)	Oct. 28 (10 PM)	Nov. 2 (10 PM)	Nov. 1 (10 PM)
At-Large & Seeding Meeting	Oct. 29	Nov. 3	Nov. 2
NCS Fall Soccer Championships	Nov. 1, 3, 4, 8, 10, 11	Nov. 6, 8, 9, 13, 15, 16	Nov. 5, 7, 8, 12, 14, 15

<u>GIRLS' GOLF</u>	<u>2023-24</u>	<u>2024-25</u>	<u>2025-26</u>
Deadline for leagues to determine qualifiers	Oct. 17	Oct. 22	Oct. 21
Final date for competition other than NCS or CIF Championships	Oct. 17	Oct. 22	Oct. 21
NCS postseason applications due (automatic & at-large)	Oct. 17 (8 PM)	Oct. 22 (8 PM)	Oct. 21 (9 PM)
At-Large meeting	Oct. 18	Oct. 23	Oct. 22
NCS Division 2 Championship/Individual Qualifier (pending course availability)	Oct. 23	Oct. 28	Oct. 27
NCS Division 1 Championship (pending course availability)	Oct. 30	Nov. 4	Nov. 3
Nor-Cal Golf Championships	Nov. 6	Nov. 11	Nov. 10
CIF State Championships	Nov. 15	Nov. 20	Nov. 19

<u>WATER POLO</u>	<u>2023-24</u>	<u>2024-25</u>	<u>2025-26</u>
Deadline for leagues to determine qualifiers	Oct. 28	Nov. 2	Nov. 1
Final date for competition other than NCS Championships	Oct. 28	Nov. 2	Nov. 1
NCS postseason applications due (automatic & at-large)	Oct. 28 (9 PM)	Nov. 2 (9 PM)	Nov. 1 (9 PM)
At-Large & Seeding Meeting	Oct. 29	Nov. 3	Nov. 2
NCS Water Polo Championships	Nov. 1, 2, 4, 8, 11	Nov. 6, 7, 9, 13, 16	Nov. 5, 6, 8, 12, 15
Nor-Cal Championships	Nov. 14, 16, 18	Nov. 19, 21, 23	Nov. 18, 20, 22

<u>CROSS COUNTRY</u>	<u>2023-24</u>	<u>2024-25</u>	<u>2025-26</u>
Final date for competition other than NCS or CIF Championships	Nov. 11	Nov. 16	Nov. 15
NCS entries due	Nov. 12 (11:59 PM)	Nov. 17 (11:59 PM)	Nov. 16 (11:59 PM)
NCS Championships	Nov. 18	Nov. 23	Nov. 22
CIF State Championships	Nov. 25	Nov. 30	Nov. 29

<u>GIRLS' VOLLEYBALL</u>	<u>2023-24</u>	<u>2024-25</u>	<u>2025-26</u>
Deadline for leagues to determine qualifiers	Oct. 21	Oct. 26	Oct. 25
Final date for competition other than NCS or CIF Championships	Oct. 21	Oct. 26	Oct. 25
NCS postseason applications due (automatic & at-large)	Oct. 21 (10 PM)	Oct. 26 (10 PM)	Oct. 25 (10 PM)
At-large & Seeding Meeting	Oct. 22	Oct. 27	Oct. 26
Division 1, 3, 5 NCS Championships	Oct. 24, 28, Nov. 1, 4	Oct. 29, Nov. 2, 6, 9	Oct. 28, Nov. 1, 5, 8
Division 2, 4, 6 NCS Championships	Oct. 25, 28, Nov. 1, 4	Oct. 30, Nov. 2, 6, 9	Oct. 29, Nov. 1, 5, 8
Nor-Cal Championships	Nov. 7, 8, 9, 11, 14	Nov. 12, 13, 14, 16, 19	Nov. 11, 12, 13, 15, 18
CIF State Championships	Nov. 17-18	Nov. 22-23	Nov. 21-22

GIRLS' TENNIS	<u>2023-24</u>	<u>2024-25</u>	<u>2025-26</u>
Deadline for leagues to determine qualifiers in team tennis	Nov. 4 (Team only)	Nov. 9 (Team only)	Nov. 8 (Team only)
Final date for team competition other than NCS Championships	Nov. 4 (Team only)	Nov. 9 (Team only)	Nov. 8 (Team only)
Deadline for leagues to determine qualifiers for singles/doubles	Nov. 8	Nov. 13	Nov. 12
Final date for singles/doubles competition other than NCS Championships	Nov. 8	Nov. 13	Nov. 12
NCS postseason singles/doubles applications due	Nov. 8 (9 PM)	Nov. 13 (9 PM)	Nov. 12 (9 PM)
At-large Meeting (Singles)	Nov. 9	Nov. 14	Nov. 13
Singles/Doubles Championships	Nov. 13-14	Nov. 18-19	Nov. 17-18
NCS postseason team applications due (automatic & at-large)	Nov. 4 (9 PM)	Nov. 9 (9 PM)	Nov. 8 (9 PM)
At-Large & Seeding Meeting (Team Tennis)	Nov. 5	Nov. 10	Nov. 9
Team Tennis Championships – Division 1 & 2	Nov. 7, 9, 11	Nov. 12, 14, 16	Nov. 11, 13, 15
Nor-Cal Team Tennis Championships (*play-in dates for Oak/SF)	Nov. 14*, 17-18	Nov. 19*, 22-23	Nov. 18*, 21-22
CIF State Championships	Nov. 25	Nov. 30	Nov. 29

FOOTBALL	<u>2023-24</u>	<u>2024-25</u>	<u>2025-26</u>
First date for helmet acclimation period	July 19	July 24	July 23
First date schools can play a scrimmage, provided individuals have had at least 10 days of practice	Aug. 18 or 19	Aug. 23 or 24	Aug. 22 or 23
First date schools can play a game, provided the team has had at least 14 days of practice and individuals have had at least 10 days of practice	Aug. 23	Aug. 28	Aug. 27
Deadline for leagues to determine qualifiers to NCS Championships	Nov. 4	Nov. 9	Nov. 8
Final date for games other than NCS Championships	Nov. 4	Nov. 9	Nov. 8
NCS postseason applications due (automatic & at-large)	Nov. 4 (10 PM)	Nov. 9 (10 PM)	Nov. 8 (10 PM)
At-large & Seeding Meeting	Nov. 5	Nov. 10	Nov. 9
Division 1-7, Open & 8-person first round	Nov. 10-11	Nov. 15-16	Nov. 14-15
Division 1-7 semifinals, Open & 8-person Championships	Nov. 17-18	Nov. 22-23	Nov. 21-22
Division 1-7 Championships	Nov. 24-25	Nov. 29-30	Nov. 28-29
Nor-Cal Regional Football games	Dec. 1-2	Dec. 6-7	Dec. 5-6
CIF State Bowl Games	Dec. 8-9	Dec. 13-14	Dec. 12-13

BASKETBALL	<u>2023-24</u>	<u>2024-25</u>	<u>2025-26</u>
Foundation Games	Nov. 21	Nov. 26	Nov. 25
Deadline for leagues to determine qualifiers	Feb. 10	Feb. 15	Feb. 14
Final date for competition other than NCS Championships	Feb. 10	Feb. 15	Feb. 14
NCS postseason applications due (automatic & at-large)	Feb. 10 (10 PM)	Feb. 15 (10 PM)	Feb. 14 (10 PM)
At-Large & Seeding Meeting	Feb. 11	Feb. 16	Feb. 15
Division 1-3-5 first round games	Feb. 13	Feb. 18	Feb. 17
Division 2-4-6 first round games	Feb. 14	Feb. 19	Feb. 18
Open Division first round games	Feb. 15	Feb. 20	Feb. 19
Division 1-3-5 quarterfinal games	Feb. 16	Feb. 21	Feb. 20
Division 2-4-6 quarterfinal games	Feb. 17	Feb. 22	Feb. 21
Division 1-3-5 semifinal games	Feb. 20	Feb. 25	Feb. 24
Open Division, Division 2-4-6 semifinal games	Feb. 21	Feb. 26	Feb. 25
Open Division, Division 1-6 NCS Championships	Feb. 23-24	Feb.28-Mar. 1	Feb. 27-28
Nor-Cal Championships	Feb. 27, 28, 29, Mar. 2, 5	Mar. 4, 5, 6, 8, 11	Mar. 3, 4, 5, 7, 10
CIF State Championships	Mar. 8-9	Mar. 14-15	Mar. 13-14

WINTER SOCCER	<u>2023-24</u>	<u>2024-25</u>	<u>2025-26</u>
Deadline for leagues to determine qualifiers	Feb. 10	Feb. 15	Feb. 14
Final date for competition other than NCS or CIF Championships	Feb. 10	Feb. 15	Feb. 14
NCS postseason applications due (automatic & at-large)	Feb. 10 (10 PM)	Feb. 15 (10 PM)	Feb. 14 (10 PM)
At-Large & Seeding Meeting	Feb. 11	Feb. 16	Feb. 15
Division 1 & 4 NCS Championships	Feb. 14, 17, 21, 23 or 24	Feb. 19, 22, 26, 28 or Mar. 1	Feb. 18, 21, 25, 27 or 28
Division 2 & 3 NCS Championships	Feb. 13, 16, 20, 23 or 24	Feb. 18, 21, 25, 28 or Mar. 1	Feb. 17, 20, 24, 27 or 28
Nor-Cal Championships	Feb. 27, 29, Mar. 2	Mar. 4, 6, 8	Mar. 3, 5, 7

WRESTLING	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26
Final date for competition other than league individual qualifying tournament or NCS and CIF Championships	Jan. 31	Feb. 5	Feb. 4
Deadline for leagues to determine dual team qualifiers & at-large applications due	Jan. 31 (10 PM)	Feb. 5 (10 PM)	Feb. 4 (10 PM)
Dual Team Competition (student competition)	Feb. 3	Feb. 8	Feb. 7
Deadline for leagues to determine individual qualifiers	Feb. 10	Feb. 15	Feb. 14
NCS girls' entries due	Feb. 10 (5 PM)	Feb. 15 (5 PM)	Feb. 14 (5 PM)
NCS boys' entries due	Feb. 10 (11:59 PM)	Feb. 15 (11:59 PM)	Feb. 14 (11:59 PM)
Seeding Meeting	Feb. 11	Feb. 16	Feb. 15
NCS Championships	Feb. 16-17	Feb. 21-22	Feb. 20-21
CIF State Championships	Feb. 22-24	Feb. 27-28, Mar. 1	Feb. 26-28

CO-ED BADMINTON	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26
Deadline for leagues to determine qualifiers	May 4	May 10	May 9
Final date for competition other than NCS Championships	May 4	May 10	May 9
NCS entries deadline	May 5	May 11	May 10
NCS bracket development	May 5	May 11	May 10
NCS Championships	May 11	May 17	May 16
CIF Nor-Cal Championships	May 18	May 24	May 23

BASEBALL	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26
Deadline for leagues to determine qualifiers	May 10	May 17	May 16
Final date for competition other than NCS Championships	May 10	May 17	May 16
NCS postseason applications due (automatic & at-large)	May 10 (10 PM)	May 17 (10 PM)	May 16 (10 PM)
At-Large & Seeding Meeting	May 11	May 18	May 17
Division 1, 3, 5 first round games	May 14	May 20	May 19
Division 2, 4, 6 first round games	May 15	May 21	May 20
Division 1, 3, 5 quarterfinal games	May 17	May 23	May 22
Division 2, 4 quarterfinal games, Division 6 semifinal games	May 18	May 24	May 23
Division 1, 3, 5 semifinal games	May 21	May 27	May 26
Division 2, 4 semifinal games	May 22	May 28	May 27
Division 1-6 NCS Championships	May 24-25	May 30-31	May 29-30
Nor-Cal Championships	May 28, 30, June 1	June 3, 5, 7	June 2, 4, 6

COMPETITIVE SPORT CHEER (STUNT)	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26
Deadline for leagues to determine qualifiers	April 23	April 22	April 21
Final date for competition other than NCS or CIF Championships	April 23	April 22	April 21
NCS postseason applications due (automatic & at-large)	April 23 (10 PM)	April 22 (10 PM)	April 21 (10 PM)
At-large & Seeding Meeting	April 24	April 23	April 22
NCS Championships	April 26-27	April 25-26	April 24-25
CIF State Invitational Championship	May 3-4	May 2-3	May 1-2

BOYS' GOLF	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26
Deadline for leagues to determine qualifiers	April 30	April 29	April 28
Final date for competition other than NCS or CIF Championships	April 30	April 29	April 28
NCS postseason applications due (automatic & at-large)	April 30 (8 PM)	April 29 (8 PM)	April 28 (8 PM)
At-large Meeting	May 1	April 30	April 29
NCS Division 2 Championship/Individual Qualifier (pending course availability)	May 6	May 5	May 4
NCS Division 1 Championship (pending course availability)	May 13	May 12	May 11
Nor-Cal Golf Championships	May 20	May 19	May 18
CIF State Championships	May 29	May 27	May 26

LACROSSE	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26
Deadline for leagues to determine qualifiers	April 27	May 3	May 2
Final date for competition other than NCS or CIF Championships	April 27	May 3	May 2
NCS postseason applications due (automatic & at-large)	April 27 (10 PM)	May 3 (10 PM)	May 2 (10 PM)
At-Large & Seeding Meeting	April 28	May 4	May 3
NCS Championships	April 30, May 2, 7, 9	May 6, 8, 13, 15	May 5, 7, 12, 14

SPRING SOCCER	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26
Deadline for leagues to determine qualifiers	April 27	May 3	May 2
Final date for competition other than NCS or CIF Championships	April 27	May 3	May 2
NCS postseason applications due (automatic & at-large)	April 27 (10 PM)	May 3 (10 PM)	May 2 (10 PM)
At-Large & Seeding Meeting	April 28	May 4	May 3
NCS Championships	April 30, May 2, 7, 9	May 6, 8, 13, 15	May 5, 7, 12, 14

SOFTBALL	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26
Deadline for leagues to determine qualifiers	May 10	May 17	May 16
Final date for competition other than NCS Championships	May 10	May 17	May 16
NCS postseason applications due (automatic & at-large)	May 10 (10 PM)	May 17 (10 PM)	May 16 (10 PM)
At-Large & Seeding Meeting	May 11	May 18	May 17
Division I- 6 first round games	May 14-15	May 20-21	May 19-20
Division I- 5 quarterfinal games/Division 6 semifinal games	May 17-18	May 23-24	May 22-23
Division I- 5 semifinal games	May 21-22	May 27-28	May 26-27
Division I- 6 NCS Championship games	May 24-25	May 30-31	May 29-30
Nor-Cal Championships	May 28, 30, June 1	June 3, 5, 7	June 2, 4, 6

SWIMMING & DIVING	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26
Deadline for leagues to determine qualifiers	April 27	May 3	May 2
Final date for competition other than NCS Championships	April 27	May 3	May 2
NCS entries due	April 28 (1:15 PM)	May 4 (1:15 PM)	May 3 (1:15 PM)
Seeding Meeting	April 29	May 5	May 4
*Diving Championships	May 1	May 8	May 7
*Swimming trials	May 3	May 9	May 8
Swimming Championships	May 4	May 10	May 9
CIF State Championships	May 9-11	May 15-17	May 14-16
*When the venue for the swimming and diving championship allows both activities to be held in the same location, the diving championships will be held on the same day as the swimming trials.			

BOYS' TENNIS	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26
Deadline for leagues to determine qualifiers	May 1	May 7	May 6
Final date for competition other than NCS Championships	May 1	May 7	May 6
NCS postseason singles/doubles applications due	May 1 (9 PM)	May 7 (9 PM)	May 6 (9 PM)
At-large Meeting (Singles)	May 2	May 8	May 7
Singles/Doubles Championships	May 3-4	May 9-10	May 8-9
NCS postseason team applications due (automatic & at-large)	May 1 (9 PM)	May 7 (9 PM)	May 6 (9 PM)
At-Large & Seeding Meeting (Team Tennis)	May 5	May 10	May 9
Team Tennis Championships – Division 1 & 2	May 7, 9, 11	May 13, 15, 17	May 12, 14, 16
Nor-Cal Team Tennis Championships (*play-in dates for Oak/SF)	May 14*, 17-18	May 20*, 23-24	May 19*, 22-23
CIF State Championships	May 25	May 31	May 30

TRACK AND FIELD	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26
Deadline for leagues to determine qualifiers	May 4	May 10	May 9
Final date for competition other than NCS or CIF Championships	May 4	May 10	May 9
Class A Championships	May 11	May 17	May 16
Area Meets (Redwood Empire, Bay Shore & Tri-Valley)	May 11	May 17	May 16
NCS Meet of Champions	May 17-18	May 23-24	May 22-23

CIF State Championships	May 24-25	May 30-31	May 29-30
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<u>BOYS' VOLLEYBALL</u>	<u>2023-24</u>	<u>2024-25</u>	<u>2025-26</u>
Deadline for leagues to determine qualifiers	April 27	May 3	May 2
Final date for competition other than NCS or CIF Championships	April 27	May 3	May 2
NCS postseason applications due (automatic & at-large)	April 27 (10 PM)	May 3 (10 PM)	May 2 (10 PM)
At-Large & Seeding Meeting	April 28	May 4	May 3
NCS Championships	April 30, May 2, 7, 9	May 6, 8, 13, 15	May 5, 7, 12, 14
Nor-Cal Championships	May 14, 16, 18	May 20, 22, 24	May 19, 21, 23

*2024 Mother's Day is on May 12th. For this weekend the seeding meeting will be on May 11th.

*2025 Mother's Day is on May 11th. For this weekend the seeding meeting will be on May 10th.

*2026 Mother's Day is on May 10th. For this weekend the seeding meeting will be on May 9th.