



New Mexico Activities Association 2025 State Soccer Championships

Tournament Personnel

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Tournament Schedule

Class 4A-5A First Round – At site of higher seed

Tuesday, October 28th – Girls

Wednesday, October 29th – Boys

Class A-3A, 4A, 5A Quarterfinals – At site of higher seed

Friday, October 31st – Girls

Saturday, Nov 1st – Boys

Class A-3A, 4A, 5A Semifinals – At site of higher seed

Tuesday, November 4th – Girls

Wednesday, November 5th – Boys

Girls Class A-3A, 4A, 5A Finals

Friday, November 7th

University of New Mexico

Class 4A – 1:00 PM

Class A-3A – 3:30 PM

Class 5A – 6:00 PM

Boys Class A-3A, 4A, 5A Finals

Saturday, November 8th

University of New Mexico

Class 4A – 10:00 AM

Class A-3A – 12:30 PM

Class 5A – 3:00 PM

FORMAT: The 2025 NMAA State Soccer Championships is a 12-team single elimination tournament for Class 5A and 4A, and a 8-team single elimination tournament in Class A-3A. The first round, quarterfinals and semi-finals will take place at home sites of the higher seeded team. It is the host school's responsibility to pay for the officials and any workers. The finals will be held on November 7th (Girls) and 8th (Boys).

COACHES INFORMATION: Each team is limited to twenty-two (22) uniformed squad members. Rosters may not be changed during the tournament from the original list submitted unless an injury preventing a player from continuing occurs. A doctor's note will be requested at this time. The official roster is required on MaxPreps no later than 5:00 PM on Monday, Oct. 27th. Up to two managers/statisticians will be admitted and must be present with the team and coach.

PRACTICE: No teams shall practice at the University of New Mexico Field prior to the tournament.

ADMINISTRATOR ENTRANCE: School Administrators will have to identify themselves accordingly upon arrival at the facility. A "comp book" will be available to sign to allow access to the event.

MISCONDUCT: All misconduct rules and regulations will be enforced during the entire tournament.

7.17.3 Misconduct Progression Rule

B. Post Season

Upon the commencement of the first round of post-season, all players and coaches receive a "clean slate" for the accumulation of cards. However, any pending sit-out resulting from the accumulation of cards or a direct send-off must be fulfilled in post-season (starting the quarterfinal round) if the requirement for a sit-out has not been met during the regular season or first round of the playoffs. For example, if a player receives his/her fifth yellow card or is sent off during the final regular season game, he/she will be required to sit out the first game of the post-season if the team has qualified for post-season competition. If the team earns a first round bye he/she will be required to sit out the quarterfinal game. If the player receives his/her fifth yellow card or is sent off during the first round of the state playoffs, he/she will be required to sit out the quarterfinal round of the post season. The player will sit out the first game of the next season if the team has not qualified for post-season competition.

1. If a player is ejected for "persisting in misconduct after receiving caution" (a "second yellow card" offense), the player ejected is not permitted to participate in the following contest.
2. Athletes who receive a second yellow card in post-season play will be required to sit out the next game. Also, an athlete who receives a red card must sit out the next game minimally, no matter when it is received.
3. Coaches who are ejected must sit out the next contest minimally in post season as well as regular season play.

UNIFORMS: The higher seeded team is considered the home team and will therefore wear darker colored jerseys and matching socks. The lower seed shall wear the white colored (away) jersey and white socks.

TICKETS: Here is the link to Finals Tickets: <https://gofan.co/app/school/NMAA> Please remind all spectators that the fees at the NMAA Championship games will be \$12.00 per adult and \$8.00 for seniors, military, and students.

ATHLETIC TRAINERS: Athletic trainers have been scheduled to be on-site for the Finals. Host schools should follow NMAA Bylaws for home site medical coverage.

OFFICIAL BOOK: The home team (higher seed) will maintain the official book for each state tournament game.

OFFICIAL APPAREL: Northwest Design is the officially licensed apparel vendor of all New Mexico Activities Association State Championship events. Their staff will be on site November 7th and 8th at the tournament. Orders can also be placed directly through: <https://online-apparel.com/s/nmaa-store/state-soccer-championships/>