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**First Community Bank State Basketball Championship  
Ticket Information**

**ALBUQUERQUE, N.M.** - The New Mexico Activities Association would like to provide information regarding the purchase of tickets for the 2009 First Community Bank State Basketball Championships.

The 2009 State Tournament (March 10-14) will feature non-stop basketball action at The Pit, Santa Ana Star Center and Bernalillo High School. Games at The Pit (March 10-14) and the Santa Ana Star Center (March 10-12) will begin at 8:00 am, with the last game of the evening to tip off at approximately 8:30 pm. Bernalillo High School will host Class A quarterfinals beginning at 2:00 pm on March 10 and 11.

***TOURNAMENT PASS:***

The NMAA will start selling State tournament passes for \$125 to the public starting Monday, Feb. 2 at 8:00 AM at the NMAA. Tournament passes may be purchased by calling (505) 923-3110 or coming to the NMAA offices- located at 6600 Palomas NE, Albuquerque, NM 87109.

The tournament pass permits re-entry privileges at all facilities (The Pit, Santa Ana Star Center, and Bernalillo High School) including 1<sup>st</sup> round games at home sites and guarantees the same reserved seat at The Pit for the entire tournament.

***THE PIT:***

Advanced tickets for The Pit are available at the UNM Ticket Offices, on-line at [www.unmtickets.com](http://www.unmtickets.com), by phone at (505) 925-5858 or 1-800-905-3315 and at Tickets.com outlets. Spectators can purchase tickets and remain in The Pit for the entire day. Chair back seats at The Pit will cost \$15.00 a day and general admission tickets will cost \$5 for students/seniors and \$10 for adults.

***SANTA ANA STAR CENTER / BERNALILLO HS:***

Tickets for the Santa Ana Star Center (\$5 students/seniors and \$10 adults) and Bernalillo High School (\$5 students/seniors and \$8 adults) can only be purchased at the event location on game day one hour prior to the first game.

For additional information pertaining to the sale of State Basketball Tournament tickets, please contact Robert Zayas, NMAA Director of Communications at (505) 977-5386.