

# 2024 New Mexico Activities Association State Soccer Championships



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## *Tournament Personnel*

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## *Tournament Schedule*

### **Championship Locations:**

First Round, Quarterfinals & Semifinals –Host School Sites (higher seed)

Finals –University of New Mexico

### **Championship Dates:**

#### **1<sup>st</sup> Round**

Class 4A-5A- October 29<sup>th</sup> - at site of higher seed

#### **Quarterfinals**

All Classes – November 1<sup>st</sup> or 2<sup>nd</sup> - at site of higher seed

#### **Semifinals**

Class A-3A –November 5<sup>th</sup> – at site of higher seed

Class 4A & 5A –November 6<sup>th</sup>- at site of higher seed

#### **Finals**

#### **November 8<sup>th</sup>**

Class A-3A Boys 4:00 PM- UNM

Class A-3A Girls 6:30 PM- UNM

**November 9<sup>th</sup>**

Class 4A Boys 10:00 AM- UNM

Class 4A Girls 12:30 PM- UNM

Class 5A Boys 3:00 PM- UNM

Class 5A Girls 5:30 PM- UNM

\*Times subject to change

**FORMAT:**

The 2024 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. The finals will be held on November 8<sup>th</sup> (Class A-3A) and 9<sup>th</sup> (Class 4A-5A).

**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 to continue 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. 28<sup>th</sup>.

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:**

#### **Ticket Prices:**

\$7.00 Students/Seniors/Military (No Re-Entry Privileges)

\$12.00 Adults (No Re-Entry Privileges)

Finals tickets will be available the week of the Finals on GoFan only.

<https://gofan.co/nmaa>

### **ATHLETIC TRAINERS:**

Athletic trainers have been scheduled to be on-site for the finals.

### **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 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> at the tournament.