



Meetings

By CCS Policy, all meetings are open to the public, except personnel sessions and discussions involving student records. Representatives are welcome to attend Board of Managers, Executive Committee, Realignment Committee, Sport Committees and League Commissioner's meetings. In addition, all tournament seeding and at-large selection meetings are open and the media is welcome.

Agendas of Board of Managers, and Executive Committee meetings are posted at the CCS office in accordance with the Brown Act. The CCS President will be happy to answer questions following any meeting or action of the CCS. On rare occasions, when students or school personnel activities are involved, the CCS may be unable to comment.

The CCS is intentionally a "sunshine" organization. Full disclosure is important to us and, in return, we fully expect balanced reporting of news or clearly identified editorial comments. Only in this way can we all do our jobs responsibly.

CIF Code of Conduct

- A. To emphasize the proper ideals of sportsmanship, ethical conduct and fair play.
- B. To eliminate all possibilities which tend to destroy the best values of the game.
- C. To stress the values derived from playing the game fairly.
- D. To show cordial courtesy to visiting teams and officials.
- E. To establish a happy relationship between visitors and hosts.
- F. To respect the integrity and judgment of sports officials.
- G. To achieve a thorough understanding and acceptance of the rules of the game and standards of eligibility.
- H. To encourage leadership, use of initiative and good judgment by the players on a team.
- I. To recognize that the purpose of athletics is to promote the physical, mental, moral, social and emotional well-being of the individual players.
- J. To remember that an athletic contest is only a GAME—not a matter of life and death for player, coach, school, officials, fan, community, state, or nation.

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It's a Kid's Game



In spite of the intensity of competition at CCS Playoffs, and the very serious efforts of players & coaches we ask all media to remember that our contests are high school students in an educational environment. These events are not "LIFE & DEATH" situations. They are teenagers competing among themselves.

Credentials



The CCS is happy to provide all responsible media representatives with a working press pass which will be honored at all high school contests conducted in the CCS. Only CIF State Playoffs are exceptions and those credentials may be requested from CIF.

We know that you have a job to do, and we will extend you all reasonable access and courtesy. In return, it is our expectation that your press pass will be used responsibly and in accord with our restrictions at any site.

In order to receive press passes, please write the CCS on media letterhead or e-mail requests to nblaser@cifccs.org, listing, by name, those to whom press passes should be issued. If necessary in your operation, we will issue a reasonable number of "Bearer" passes for non-staff personnel. Be sure to tell us how many of these passes you will need for the school year. Please have the Sports Editor/ Director sign the letter of request or submit the e-mail.

Misused passes will be forfeited.

Passes will be confiscated by CCS on-site personnel if visiting media are behaving in a disrespectful manner.

CCS reserves the right to refuse the issuance of passes to any media outlet.

Broadcast/Telecast Approval Policy



All CCS Playoff Events are conducted by the Section. Broadcast/Telecast MUST be approved by the CCS Commissioner prior to any event. Broadcast/Telecast rights are protected and reserved by the CCS.

Any party interested in Live (Radio only) or Delayed Broadcast/Telecast of a CCS event should contact the CCS Commissioner **WELL IN ADVANCE**. In all cases a Broadcast/Telecast Fee will be imposed.

There is a range of fees, depending upon the contest and method of distribution. The CCS reserves the right to disallow certain industry advertising and require correct titling and sponsor recognitions.

Access to Coaches & Players



Media representatives are encouraged to interview players and coaches in a pre-game and post-game setting which does not interfere with a contest or awards ceremony. Media representatives are **PROHIBITED** in team areas during a contest. Thank you for your cooperation and understanding in making sure coaches and players are able to focus on the contest while in progress.

Press Areas



Whenever possible, media representatives are welcome in press boxes, scoring tables, and other desirable locations. Some facilities have limited space, however, and space for coaching staffs and CCS staff have priority. Media is then served on a first-come, first-served basis. Any costs associated with your media operation are your responsibility and must be coordinated at the convenience and with the permission of the Site Staff. **THANKS!**

Receiving CCS Playoff Results

CCS will endeavor to update our Web site with daily results of our Playoffs as well as other information so that you may retrieve it at your convenience.



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CCS Tournament Information

Prior to every playoff, the CCS prepares an information bulletin with specific details about each CCS Tournament. Most of the information is also available early in the school year in the Playoff section of the CCS Web Site.



We hope this information will be useful to you. Specific pairings and sites for each tournament will be posted on the Web site immediately following the respective seeding meeting.



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