

NHSA Tournament (8-man Football) GENERAL INFORMATION

Here is the information to help you organize your team for the NHSA Tournament (8-man Football). We look forward to having your team participate in this year's tournament. Your families can go to our website to download the Tournament Brochure which includes a form for them to fill out and give to you. The website is nhsatournaments.com

Laguna Beach Christian Resort (LBCR) has plenty of rooms, suites, dorms, cabins and houses available for teams, cheerleaders, families and friends. There is a \$120 fee for every person staying at LBCR and that includes 4 nights (Friday, Saturday, Sunday and Monday) housing, hot breakfast (Saturday, Sunday and Monday) plus free admission to football games. (There is an additional \$50 fee for rooms that have only 1 or 2 people staying in them).

1. **Team Registration Form**-fill out and either email to us or mail to us. You will also need to include a \$300 check (or call if you are paying by credit card). This will secure your spot in tournament, but is not applied to amount owed for staying at Laguna Beach Christian Resort (LBCR).

2. **NHSA Brochure** Go to the website and download then print out the NHSA Brochure. Have each family fill out the short form on the brochure and turn it in to you. On the form it asks for the number of beds each family needs in their room. Once they turn in their form, you will know how much to collect from each family. Teams usually stay together (players and one or more coaches/chaperones in a dorm or house at LBCR.

3. We recommend you have a "team coordinator/administrator". Instead of having all your people call and do things individually, he/she will be the person to have most or all the info for your team. He/she can call or email questions and then distribute that info to your families. He/she should also collect money and track who is coming, etc. You pay us with one or two checks from your team versus each family paying us. We know you may not have a final count until you actually get to Panama City Beach in November. If families want to pay by credit card and your team does not handle credit cards, then let us know and we will handle the credit card.

4. Teams stay together in one of the dorms or houses at LBCR with two or more coaches/dads/chaperones. Each person staying on LBCR has to bring their own sheets, blankets, pillows and towels. A sleeping bag works well for players.

5. Each team has access to a fully equipped commercial kitchen (larger than regular kitchens at home) that has a dining room/meeting room attached. This allows you to have a place to prepare any meals (lunch/dinner/snacks) for your team in lieu of having to go out to eat at restaurants.

6. All room reservations go through the NHSA office not through LBCR. Your families can arrive at LBCR at various times, pick up the keys to their room when they get to PCB and get settled in whenever they arrive.

Laguna Beach Christian Resort has 2 locations, the main campus and the Cottages. Here are the links to the map of these locations:

Main Campus: <http://christiancamp.com/accommodations/main/>

The Cottages: <http://christiancamp.com/accommodations/cottages/>

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TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

Friday evening, Nov 15th at 9:00 pm (CST): Welcome Meeting in The Promise Land Auditorium for players and coaches.

Saturday, Nov 16th from 7:30 to 9:00: Hot Breakfast in Martha's Kitchen/Dining Room at main campus.
Football games will start at 11:00 and go until the last game ends.

Sunday, Nov 17th from 7:30 to 9:00 Hot Breakfast
Teams are free to enjoy Panama City Beach (beach, pools, volleyball, basketball or any of the many attractions (large mall, bowling, movie theatre) 5 minutes away.

Monday, Nov 18th 7:30 to 9:00 Hot Breakfast
11:00 until last game ends.
7:00 (approx) Awards Ceremony at The Promise Land at LBCR
Teams can leave anytime after their games on Monday or stay & leave Tuesday morning.

FOOTBALL FIELD (about 20 minutes from LBCR))
Pete Edwards Field 7300 McElvey Rd, Panama City 32408
Map below:
<https://www.google.com/maps/place/Pete+Edwards+Field/@30.1836855,-85.7638325,15z/data=!4m5!3m4!1s0x0:0x32c8d971fad14a95!8m2!3d30.1836855!4d-85.7638325>

LBCR does not allow pets. There is no smoking or alcohol allowed on campus.

I am sure you and your families will have lots of questions, but we hope we have covered a lot of them in this email. We encourage all your players, families, cheerleaders and friends to come and enjoy a great and memorable experience.

For more information, visit our website at: <http://nhsatournaments.com/>

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