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Upcoming Events

Boys Volleyball Virtual Press Conference

Oct. 30, 2025 – 10:00 am

Last Meet - Cross Country: Nov. 1, 2025

Boys Volleyball State Finals: Nov. 1, 2025

First practice for Winter Sports: Nov. 3, 2025

First practice for Winter Sports Middle School:

Nov. 3, 2025

Girls Volleyball Virtual Press Conference

Nov. 5, 2025 – 9:30 am

JOBS

**For job openings around the
SCHSL, visit www.schsl.org/jobs**

FROM THE COMMISSIONER

Greetings,

It has come to our attention that some individuals are presenting digital South Carolina High School League (SCHSL) passes that are incomplete, specifically those without a photo of the pass holder displayed on the pass.

Please be reminded that:

- All SCHSL digital passes must include the photo of the pass holder to be considered valid.
- Incomplete passes (those without a photo) are not to be accepted for entry into regular season contests.
- These incomplete passes will also not be honored at any state playoff contests.

If additional help is needed in completing the digital pass process, please contact the League office. This process ensures proper identification of pass holders and maintains the integrity of our event access procedures. We ask that you share this reminder with all staff responsible for gate entry and event management at your athletic venues.

Thank you for your continued cooperation and commitment to upholding the standards of the South Carolina High School League.

~Dr. Jerome Singleton
Commissioner, SCHSL



CONGRATULATIONS

Middle School Volleyball Regional Invitational



The SCHSL held its Middle School Volleyball Regional Invitational last Saturday, October 25, 2025.

Airport High School and Westside High School served as hosts for the Invitational. Lakeside Middle School was the Champion of the Airport site while Pickens Middle School was the winner at Westside.

Additional information on the Middle School Volleyball Regional Invitational can be found in the Future Five Stars Section on page 12.



2025-26 VOLLEYBALL REGIONAL INVITATIONAL CHAMPIONS AIRPORT SITE

LAKESIDE MIDDLE SCHOOL



2025-26 VOLLEYBALL REGIONAL INVITATIONAL CHAMPIONS WESTSIDE SITE

PICKENS MIDDLE SCHOOL

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Breast Cancer Awareness

According to the National Breast Cancer Foundation, Inc., **1 in 8** women in the United States will be diagnosed with breast cancer in her lifetime. In 2025, an estimated **316,950 women and 2,800 men** will be diagnosed with invasive breast cancer, and an additional 59,080 new cases of non-invasive breast cancer will be diagnosed.

Awareness of the facts and statistics surrounding breast cancer in the United States is key in empowering individuals to make informed decisions about their health.

The Staff at the South Carolina High School League wore pink in support of the breast cancer initiative.

For additional information visit <https://www.nationalbreastcancer.org/breast-cancer-facts/>.



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2025 Boys Volleyball State Finals



The SCHSL will hold its 2025 Boy's Volleyball State Finals, this Saturday, November 1, 2025. The Finals will be held at A. C. Flora High School: 1 Falcon Drive, Columbia, SC 29204.

Please be reminded that Richland One has a Clear Bag Policy.

Admission is \$15 per person (5 and under are admitted free). Tickets will be available at gofan.co and cash will be accepted at the door.

2025 BOYS VOLLEYBALL SCHEDULE:

Class AAAA – 11:00 am

Class AAAAA Division I – 1:00 pm

Class AAAAA Division II – 3:00 pm

Additional information can be found at <https://schsl.org/archives/17124>.

The 2025 Boys Volleyball Press Conference featuring coaches and players from the State Finals teams, will be held virtually this Thursday, October 30, 2025: 10 AM. The press conference can be viewed live on the SCHSL YouTube Channel.

State Finals Merchandise

NW Designs will be selling official championship merchandise on-site at the Boys Volleyball State Finals. Fans can also purchase merchandise via their online store, which is accessible at <https://online-apparel.com/s/schsl-store/boys-volleyball-state-championships/>.

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Football Qualifiers Due Date Approaching

In order for the timely updating of the playoff brackets for the upcoming State Finals, please be reminded, the football qualifiers deadline is **this Saturday, November 1, 2025**. The link to submit the qualifiers is below. The link is also listed on the front page of the SCHSL website, www.schsl.org.

For additional information or questions, please contact Romanda Noble-Watson, Director of Communications and Public Relations at Romanda@schsl.org.

Football Qualifier Link (Due November 1, 2025): <https://schsl.org/archives/9113>

Football Playoff Games

Please be reminded, that **all** football playoff games are entered by the League office into the Arbiter System.

For information and questions, please contact Arbiter Coordinator, Jill White at jill@schsl.org.

Fall Sports Playoff Brackets

The 2025 fall playoff brackets are now available.

Brackets can be accessed under the brackets link on the SCHSL website, www.schsl.org, or by clicking the following link: <https://schsl.org/brackets>.

For additional information on brackets, please contact Romanda Noble-Watson, Director of Communications and Public Relations at romanda@schsl.org.

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Commissioner's Chat & Beyond



Periodically, South Carolina High School League's (SCHSL) Commissioner Dr. Jerome Singleton, and members of the staff, will provide highlight key happenings within the League.

This installment of Commissioner's Chat and Beyond features SCHSL Associate Commissioner, *Amy Boozer*. [Click here](#) for the current installment of the Commissioner's Chat and Beyond.

Book Order Links

The 2025-26 NFHS Rules and Case Books for Football and Volleyball, and the Rule Books for Cheer as well as Swimming and Diving are now available.

Additionally, scorebooks for Cross-Country, Wrestling, Basketball, Track and Field, and Soccer are available for purchase from the SCHSL Shopify store at the following link: <https://sc-high-school-league.myshopify.com/collections/all>.

If your entire order is not currently in stock, a partial shipment will be sent with available items. The remaining books will be mailed once they become available.

All questions pertaining to book orders should be directed to MaeoCeisha Jenkins, Office Coordinator, at maeoceisha@schsl.org.

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*Thank
you!*



NATIONAL PRINCIPALS MONTH

October is National Principals Month.
Thank you to all the Principals in the Middle and High Schools of
the South Carolina High School League!!

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CELEBRATE MOMENTS THAT MATTER



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[Customize Link](#)

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FOR YOUR INFORMATION

The Health Spot

Winter Sports EAP Practice Week

Next week, November 3-7, 2025, will be our winter sports Emergency Action Plan (EAP) practice week. While having a comprehensive, venue-specific EAP is the necessary first step, failing to rehearse it, is in effect, planning to fail.

When a sudden cardiac arrest, spinal injury, or other medical emergencies occur, every second is critical; a practiced response minimizes chaos, cuts down activation time, and ensures that every member of your team—from the coach on the sidelines to the athlete on the court—instinctively knows their precise role.

This week is designed to turn your written protocols into muscle memory, guaranteeing that our collective response is rapid, precise, and most importantly, life-saving.

All questions related to the information contained in this section, should be directed to Tim Kinney, Director of Health, Safety, and Wellness, at tim@schsl.org.

Tools for Success

Educating Student-Athletes on Staying Healthy

The recent Health Summit was packed with valuable information to help our student-athletes stay healthy — both mentally and physically — throughout the year.

If your school was unable to attend, don't worry! We have the summit available on replay. Please take time to have your student-athletes review the information and engage in meaningful discussions about it.

The session includes excellent resources on mental health and nutrition from top professionals in the field. Let's continue working together to ensure our student-athletes are equipped with the knowledge and tools to thrive on and off the field.

[2025 Health Summit Link](#)

All questions related to the information contained in this section, should be directed to Dr. Curtrell Rhodan, Director of Educational Services, at curtrell@schsl.org.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

Officials' Whistle

Bench Bad Behavior Toolkit Now Available

The Bench Bad Behavior Toolkit has been updated just in time for the winter season.

Download today at www.benchbadbehavior.com to take advantage of the resources available to help promote positive behavior by all stakeholders at contests so that everyone can enjoy the high school sporting events that we love.



#BenchBadBehavior

All questions related to the information contained in this section, should be directed to Associate Commissioner, Sarah Hayes, at sarah@schsl.org.

Future Five Stars

Dedicated to Middle Schools in the SCHSL

Middle School Volleyball Regional Invitational

The South Carolina High School League proudly recognizes the 16 middle schools that competed in this year's Middle School Volleyball Regional Invitational — Pickens, Dacusville, Powdersville, Beech Springs, Edgewood, Abner Creek, Liberty, Boiling Springs, Camden, Crayton, Hartsville, Andrew Jackson, Irmo, Lugoff-Elgin, North Central, and Lakeside.

These student-athletes displayed outstanding sportsmanship, skill, and dedication on the court — a reflection of their hard work, coaches' leadership, and families' support.

A special thank-you to Airport High School and Westside High School for their hospitality and partnership as hosts in helping grow middle school sports across South Carolina.

All questions related to the information contained in this section, should be directed to Dr. Lenard Hudnal, Assistant Commissioner for Middle School Athletics, at Lenard@schsl.org.