



Dear Coach:

Congratulations! Your athlete has been selected for the 2023 All State Games. This email contains

- Materials to be filled out by your athlete,
- An information packet for the All State program ads
- All State Week Information / Check-In times, and
- All State Queen Information.

For your athlete to participate in the All State games, **the athlete profile is required**. Please forward the profile form to the athlete immediately; it is a good idea to sit down with your athlete to help fill out the form and set up a time frame to return it to the OCA.

The athlete profile includes all the information that the OCA needs on file before the participant will be eligible to participate. Make sure your athlete provides all current information. Four (4) signatures are required on the athlete profile: 1) the athlete's; 2) A parent or legal guardian; 3) the principal or superintendent; and 4) the examining physician. **Note: Physicals used for the 2022-23 school year will not be accepted. The OCA will only accept physicals dated after May 1, 2023.** You may use the physical form included or one from your doctor's office.

The athlete profile must be on file as soon as possible. We ask that it be sent no later than July 12, 2023. Please do not hesitate or neglect the paperwork. Failure to do so will result in replacement. Please mail the Athlete Profile to: OCA, 8080 Crystal Park Dr., Oklahoma City, OK 73139. Information can also be faxed to the OCA Office at (405) 635-9325 or emailed to lea.mouss@oklahomacoaches.org.

If the school, Booster Club, parents, or others plan to place an ad in the All State program, we have attached information for advertisement. This information will also be sent to your Athletic Director. **If you are not responsible for the ad, please give this information to the appropriate individual, whether it be the Athletic Director, Principal or parents. Program pages are due June 22, 2023. Please be aware that the All State Program is time-sensitive. We must adhere to our printing deadline.**

Again, congratulations to you and your All State athlete. If you need assistance or information, please call the OCA Office at (405) 635-9300.

Wayne Dozier
Executive Director
Oklahoma Coaches Association

OKLAHOMA COACHES ASSOCIATION POLICIES FOR ALL STATE ATHLETES

Dear All State Athlete: Please read over the following policies, sign the enclosed Athlete Profile, and return to the OCA office as soon as possible.

GENERAL:

On and off the field, the All State athlete will be under the supervision of the Oklahoma Coaches Association, and that for any infringement of the training rules or disciplinary matters, will be dismissed from the squad.

The All State athlete is not to receive any money and his/her college eligibility will not be affected in any way.

Athletes will furnish their own practice equipment and the OCA will provide the game suit.

Athletes will participate in one and only one OCA sanctioned All State activity. (*Softball, Baseball and Soccer not OCA sanctioned.*)

The award(s) presented to the participants in the All State games are dependent on the eligible participant accepting the invitation to participate and abiding by the rules and policies of the Oklahoma Coaches Association. Each athlete will receive an All State ring award **only** if they participate in his/her sporting event. If injury, illness or any other extenuating circumstances occurs prior to reporting and prohibits the athlete from participating in the **game**, the ring and all privileges will be forfeited.

Any involvement with illegal drugs, alcohol, or tobacco will be grounds for suspension from the team and forfeiture of all privileges and awards.

DRESS CODE:

All hair is to be neat and clean and must be kept out of the eyes. It is recommended that all young men be clean-shaven; however, if beards and mustaches are necessary, they must be neatly trimmed. Those not willing to comply will be replaced.

ROOM & BOARD:

The Oklahoma Coaches Association will pay the athlete's expenses, i.e. room & board. All State athletes **must stay** in the housing provided by the Oklahoma Coaches Association. There will be no exceptions. No one will be allowed to stay in the dorm and eat in the dining hall except All State athletes, All State Counselors, and those authorized by the Oklahoma Coaches Association Board of Directors.

MEDICAL:

All athletes must submit a physical for All State. (Physicals from the previous school year will not be accepted.) The physical form is included with the Athlete Profile. You may also use a physical form from your Physician. Excess medical insurance will be furnished by the Oklahoma Coaches Association for the All State athletes to provide them with protection during practice times as well as the All State games.

In case of injury, the athlete must be cleared through the Oklahoma Coaches Association's physician before he/she is turned over to an outside physician.

The Oklahoma Coaches Association will provide a team physician for the All State athletes as well as an athletic trainer for each All State team. The OCA also furnishes insurance for hospitalization and doctors. All injuries are to be referred to a team physician or trainer. If an athlete or parent (or college coach) chooses to go a physician other than the team physician, they must secure permission from the Association before the athlete leaves the site of the coaching school. No responsibility is assumed by the OCA for specialists or special treatment unless authorized and recommended by the team physician.

VIOLATIONS / INELIGIBILITY:

All State athletes will report at the designated time on the reporting date. Failure to report on time will make the athlete subject to replacement.

Any athlete suspended from his/her squad, team, or school is not eligible to play in any All State game.

Any athlete or who did not graduate or receive a diploma from his/her respective high school is not eligible to play in any All State game.

Any athlete who was not eligible under the rules of the Oklahoma Secondary Schools Activities Association as of his/her Oklahoma high school team's last game is not eligible to play in any All State game.

Any felony conviction will render any individual ineligible to participate in any All State game or be accorded any All State recognition by the Oklahoma Coaches Association.

The failure of an All State athlete to comply with the code of his/her agreement with the Oklahoma Coaches Association will be construed as a violation and the athlete will be subject to disciplinary action by the executive officers (President, Vice-President and Executive Director). Such action will be as follows:

- Immediate suspension of all activities.
- Forfeiture of all privileges, expenses, meals, awards, and other related benefits.
- Immediate notification to his/her parents and coach with reasons given.
- Athlete will be dismissed from the premises with an immediate trip home.
- A prepared press release shall be given.

All State Rings

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Please include your ring size on the front page of the Athlete Profile. If you do not know your ring size, you can visit your local jewelry store or even Walmart can size your finger.

Initially, ring sizes are taken from your nomination form and sent to the ring supplier. In case you did not list your ring size on your nomination form, please make sure that you add it to the appropriate space on the Athlete Profile.

Our ring supplier makes sure that plenty of ring sizes are available on-site for the athletes after the Games. In the case that your size isn't available, he will either order one or have your ring re-sized for you at no charge.

The All State ring is your award for being chosen to the All State Games. There is no charge for your ring.

Please be aware that the OCA must treat the All State rings in a time-sensitive manner. We order the rings throughout the year to make sure that all rings are ready for distribution at the All State Games. Our ring supplier will do everything he can to make sure that you are satisfied with your All State ring.

2023 ALL STATE GAME SCHEDULE

MONDAY, JULY 24, 2023

8:30 a.m. Golf Cherokee Hills Golf Club, 777 West Cherokee St., Catoosa, OK 74015
5:30 p.m. Swimming Mitch Park YMCA, 2901 Marilyn Williams Drive, Edmond, OK 73034

TUESDAY, JULY 25, 2023

5:30 p.m. Tennis Michael D. Case Center, TU, 600 S. College Ave., Tulsa, OK 74104
6:00 p.m. Volleyball (Large) Frank Herald Field House, Jenks High School, 401 E. B Street, Jenks, OK 74037
7:30 p.m. Volleyball (Small) Frank Herald Field House, Jenks High School, 401 E. B Street, Jenks, OK 74037

WEDNESDAY, JULY 26, 2023

7:00 p.m. Wrestling Union High School, 6636 S. Mingo Rd., Tulsa, OK 74133
7:00 p.m. Girls Basketball (Small) Chieftain Center, Sapulpa High School, 1201 E. Lincoln, Sapulpa, OK 74066
8:30 p.m. Girls Basketball (Large) Chieftain Center, Sapulpa High School, 1201 E. Lincoln, Sapulpa, OK 74066

THURSDAY, JULY 27, 2023

7:00 p.m. Boys Basketball (Small) Chieftain Center, Sapulpa High School, 1201 E. Lincoln, Sapulpa, OK 74066
8:30 p.m. Boys Basketball (Large) Chieftain Center, Sapulpa High School, 1201 E. Lincoln, Sapulpa, OK 74066

FRIDAY, JULY 28, 2023

7:00 P.M. Football Crain Family Stadium at the Hurt Complex, OBU, 2320 N. Airport Dr., Shawnee, OK 74804

*Pre-Game Festivities will begin 30-minutes prior to game time for all sports with the exception of Football. Football Pre-Game Festivities will begin 45-minutes prior to the 7:00 p.m. kick-off.

Reporting Dates, Times and Locations:

All athletes will report at the time and place indicated below. **If any athlete fails to report on time, they will be subject to replacement.** If injury, illness, or any other extenuating circumstance occurs and prohibits the athlete from participating in the game, the ring and all privileges will be forfeited and if time permits, the athlete will be replaced. Athletes who are unable to participate for any reason should notify the Oklahoma Coaches Association office as soon as possible. The Marriott Southern Hills Hotel is located at 1902 E. 71st Street South in Tulsa, OK. The Noble Complex is located at 500 W. University in Shawnee, OK.

Golf	Monday, July 24	8:00 a.m.	Cherokee Hills Golf Club
Swimming	Monday, July 24	4:00 p.m.	Mitch Park YMCA
Volleyball	Tuesday, July 25	1:00 p.m.	Marriott Southern Hills Hotel
Tennis	Tuesday, July 25	2:00 p.m.	Michael D. Case Center, TU
Football	Wednesday, July 26	9:00 a.m.	Noble Complex, OBU
Training Aides	Wednesday, July 26	9:00 a.m.	Noble Complex, OBU
Girls Basketball	Wednesday, July 26	1:00 p.m.	Marriott Southern Hills Hotel
Wrestling	Wednesday, July 26	3:00 p.m.	Marriott Southern Hills Hotel
Cheerleading	Thursday, July 27	10:00 a.m.	Noble Complex, OBU
Boys Basketball	Thursday, July 27	1:00 p.m.	Marriott Southern Hills Hotel

Football, Cheerleaders and Training Aides will be housed on the OBU campus. All other sports will report and play on the day of their All State game.

Please check www.oklahomacoaches.org for any change in dates, times, or venues.

Practice schedules will be handed out after check-in, during orientation. Practices will take place during All State Week.