

10. TOURNAMENT STRUCTURE AND FORMAT

A. APPLICATION TO HOST

1. Host Association

Any Association that desires to host a State Tournament shall submit its request to the NYSAHA Tournament Director.

2. Ice Time Availability

Sufficient ice time availability must be guaranteed by an Association when placing a bid on a Sectional, State or Regional Tournament. If ice time is not available for a Sectional and/or Playdown in any classification, the Vice President in the Section, at his discretion, shall determine team entries in the State Tournament.

3. Entry Fees

(a) The State Tournament team entry fee for all eight teams and/or nine teams, two division, Round Robin tournaments can be less than but cannot exceed the following rates:

Youth 10 or Under and Girls 12 or Under: \$500.00.

Youth 12 or Under and Girls 14, 16, and 19 or Under and Women's Senior: \$600.00.

Youth 14, 16, and 17 or Under, High School Club and Men's Senior: \$700.00.

(b) For all regular games in a one division, Round Robin State Tournament, a per game team entry fee can be charged but said fee cannot exceed the following rates:

Youth 10 or Under and Girls 12 or Under: \$142.00

Youth 12 or Under and Girls 14, 16, and 19 or Under, Women's Senior: \$171.00

Youth 14, 16, and 17 or Under, High School Club and Men's Senior: \$200.00

(c) Note: With the exception of the three team and/or seven team one division Round Robin State Tournaments, a championship game shall be played. A team entry fee cannot be charged for this championship game. (An additional day would be required just to play the championship game in a three team and/or seven team one division Round Robin tournaments.)

4. Pairings

(a) Sectional pairings for the Divisional Round Robin play of State Tournaments shall avoid two (2) teams from the same Section meeting in the first round of play in State Tournaments. However, where three (3) or more teams represent the same Section this rule does not apply.

(b) All Pre-Sectional, Sectional and State/District Championship Tournaments must use one of the game schedules listed in this Guide Book. All Pre-Sectional, Sectional and State/ District Tournaments with fewer than eight teams entered shall be a One Division Round Robin tournament. A championship game shall be

played in all State/District one division tournaments except when the tournament consists of three teams or seven teams. ~~Championship games in one division Round Robin tournaments are optional for Pre-Sectional and Sectional Tournaments. For Pre-Sectional and/or Sectional five or six team one division, Round Robin, tournaments there is, by request of the appropriate Section President, an option to play two less games on Friday, in the five team tournament and three less games on Friday in the six teams tournament by playing two more games and three more games, respectively, on Sunday afternoon. The line up and the seeding in the schedule will remain the same except for the number of games that will be played on Friday and Sunday.~~ The Team from the host Association shall be team "A" in all three team and seven team one division Round Robin Tournaments. The schedules in this Guide Book shall not/will not be changed to accommodate a team or teams that may have another activity scheduled or planned on the same days that a Pre-Sectional, Sectional or State/District tournament is scheduled. Once established, team seeding in any of the above Tournaments will not be changed to accommodate other activities of any of the participating teams.

5. Adjustment Of Tournament Size

When there are not enough teams registered, in a given tournament classification to make up an eight team State Tournament, each Section shall only be allowed to send a maximum of two teams to that tournament. The only exception to this rule is in the case of the host team not qualifying and wanting to play in the tournament. The host shall automatically become team "A" in any such tournament. The host cannot charge the teams an additional entry fee for the extra games required by them playing in the tournament.

6. Tournament Schedules

Tournament schedules for Sectional Tournaments shall be submitted to the NYSAHA Tournament Director three (3) weeks prior to the start of the tournament. For all State/Regional Tournaments, the submission date is no later than January 31 for final approval.

7. An Eight (8) team format in the State Tournament shall be adjusted to a Three (3) team or a Seven (7) team Tournament in the following manner:

1. The home team seed shall be designated team "A", and subsequent teams shall be re-designated in descending alphabetical order.

2. The seed that was the host team before it became team "A" shall be deleted.

3. **The team(s) that caused the Tournament to be adjusted from an Eight team Tournament to a Three or Seven team Tournament shall be deleted.**
4. **The positions held by the deleted teams shall be re-designated in descending alphabetical order so as to continue the re-designation process set forth in paragraph 1 above.**
5. **All Three team Tournaments shall consist of letters A, B and C and shall be in alphabetical order. All Seven team Tournaments shall also be in alphabetical order and consist of letters A, B, C, D, E, F and G.**

Examples of re-designating a planned Eight team Tournament to a Seven or Three team Tournament:

<u>Eight Team Tournament</u>		<u>Seven Team Tournament</u>	
Team A. East	1	Team A. Host Team	
Team B. North	2	Team B. East	1
Team C. West	1	Team C. North	2
Team D. Central	2 (doesn't exist)	Team D. West	1
Team E. North	1	Team E. North	1
Team F. West	2	Team F. West	2
Team G. Central	1 (Will be Host)	Team G. East	2
Team H. East	2		

<u>Three Team Tournament</u>	
Team A. Host Team	
Team B. West 1	
Team C. West 2	

B. YOUTH TIER REPRESENTATION IN STATE AND NATIONAL TOURNAMENTS

1. Youth Tier I (8 Team)

Proposed Sectional representation shall be as follows for State Tournaments:

	Squirt	PeeWee	Bantam	Midget
Central	1	1	1	1
East	2	2	2	2
North	1	1	1	1
West	2	2	2	2
At-Large*	2	2	2	2

2. Youth Tier II (8 Team)*

Proposed Sectional representation shall be as follows for State Tournaments:

	Squirt	PeeWee	Bantam	Midget
Central	2	2	2	2
East	2	2	2	2
North	2	2	2	2
West	2	2	2	2

*The host Association will fill the at-large berth if it does not otherwise qualify in the Tier I Center Tournament. In the Tier II Tournament, if the host team does not otherwise qualify in their Section as the #1 or #2 team, they will enter the tournament as the host team, and the tournament will become a nine (9) team tournament.

3. Youth Tournament Seeding

Girls State Tournaments shall be decided by the NYSAHA Tournament Director and the Section Presidents after team registration figures are finalized. In Youth Tier I State Tournaments, the host Association's team will fill the last open seed if it does not otherwise qualify for the State Tournaments. In the Tier II and Tier III Tournaments, if the host team does not otherwise qualify in their section as the #1 or #2 team, they will enter the Tournament as the host Association's team, and the Tournament would become a nine (9) team Tournament. However, if one or more of the four Sections does not register a minimum of four teams in a specific age group, then the Section could/would lose a seed in the Tournament and that seed would be given to the host Association's team so the Tournament could remain an eight team Tournament.

4. Obligation Of State Champion To Compete

The State Champion, when applicable, will represent NYSAHA in the USA Hockey National Tournament.

C. GIRLS REPRESENTATION IN STATE AND NATIONAL TOURNAMENTS

A State Tournament will be offered for Tier II if a minimum of four (4) teams exist at that level, with representation from at least two (2) Sections of the State. Only Tier I State Champions at each level will represent NYSAHA in the USA Hockey National Tournament.

D. PAIRINGS AND SCHEDULES FOR STATE TOURNAMENTS

See Appendix 1.

11. TOURNAMENT REGULATIONS

A. TOURNAMENT ORGANIZATION

1. Jurisdiction

NYSAHA Officers, in all matters pertaining to tournament play, shall have the power to adjust matters at any time in the best interest of the tournament and ice hockey.

2. Tournament Chairperson

The host Association shall appoint a Tournament Chairperson to formulate the tournament format, rules and regulations subject to the approval of the NYSAHA Tournament Director. The Tournament Chairperson cannot be the coach, assistant coach, manager or other team official of the host team.

3. Credentials Committee: A Committee shall be appointed by the host Association. The credentials required for Sectional and State Tournaments are to be made identical to the credentials required at the National Tournaments. Each player is required to sign in before his/her first game. Each team is required to furnish the Credentials Committee with a copy of its original player roster form as a match to the copy that will be sent to the Tournament Chairperson by the NYSAHA Tournament Director.
4. Assignment Of Officials
The Tournament Director will be sure that the Referee-in-Chief and his Supervisors have properly assigned referees and linesmen to each tournament game.
5. Game Officials
 - (a) It is the sole responsibility of the host Association to supply off ice officials for each game played in a Pre-Sectional, Sectional, Playdown and/or State/Regional Tournament. The off ice officials shall be of adult age (18 years or older). The required off ice officials are as follows: Scorekeeper, Game Timekeeper, Announcer and two (2) Penalty Box Attendants.
 - (b) Goal judges shall not be used for any games.
6. Player Discipline Committee
 - (a) The Player Discipline Committee shall be composed of three (3) people and be appointed prior to the first game. Its members shall be the Tournament Chairperson and two others. No two members shall come from the same Community/Association. The Referee-in-Chief or his/her appointee shall not be eligible to serve on this Committee. The Committee shall be responsible for deciding any action (suspensions) or otherwise to be taken against a player or team official receiving a match or game misconduct penalty. The Committee shall have the power to waive or increase the one game suspension imposed by Rule 404C Game Misconducts.
 - (b) The Discipline Committee is obligated to hold a hearing for a player or team official receiving one or more of the above-named penalties. This hearing shall take place as soon as possible after the conclusion of the game in which the penalty was called. However, no hearing for a game misconduct is required or allowed for a player (Midget age classification or below, including High School) who incurs five penalties in the same game or a game misconduct for a Head Coach whose team (Midget age classification and below, including High School) incurs fifteen or more penalties during one game. In both cases the player(s) and/or Head Coach will sit out the next game. These rules also apply to Women Senior in the State Tournament.

~~(c) No player or team official shall be suspended from participating in the remaining games unless he/she has appeared before the Committee and has been given the opportunity of relating his/her version of the incident.~~

No player or team official shall be suspended from participating in the remaining games unless he/she has been provided the opportunity to appear before the Committee to relate his/her version of the incident.

(d) Any discrepancy will be brought to the attention of the Tournament Chairperson, who will take it to the Discipline Committee for a ruling.

(e) All disciplinary action taken by the Discipline Committee shall be reported to:

- (i) The home Association of the team(s) involved for any further action at their discretion,
- (ii) The Player Discipline Committee of the National Championship accompanied by its recommendation if it involved the Regional winner,
- (iii) NYSAHA Tournament Director,
- (iv) NYSAHA Referee-in-Chief, and
- (v) The offender's Section President.

(f) The National Championship Player Discipline Committee shall be sole authority in determining the eligibility of the individual(s) for the National Championships.

7. Awards

(a) Each host Association will provide a patch for every player who participates. Host Associations will design their own tournament patch, which must be a minimum of 4" in diameter. This may be used as a player pass and memento of the tournament.

(b) Host Associations will provide a championship trophy for the winner, and a runner-up trophy for the second place team. Additionally, the host Association will provide individual trophies for the first place team and runner-up medals or trophies of a lesser size for the second place teams. Trophies and medals selected should be appropriate for the high level of accomplishment for which they are being awarded.

(c) NYSAHA will provide the NYSAHA Championship patch for each individual member of the winning team. This will be a standard NYSAHA designed patch which will be purchased through the NYSAHA Tournament Director. The championship patches will be mailed to the Tournament Chairperson.

(d) NYSAHA will provide a NYSAHA Championship Banner for the championship team. The banners will be mailed to the Chairpersons.

(e) Duplicate Banners may be requested from the NYSAHA Tournament Director, in writing, from the Championship Team's Association. All requests shall be on Association stationery and signed by its President. The requesting Association will be responsible for all costs to reproduce and ship the duplicate Banner.

8. With the best interests of its participants in mind, NYSAHA prohibits the sale or consumption of alcohol on the premises during the tournament competition.

B. TOURNAMENT RULES AND PROCEDURES

1. Playing Rules

All rules will apply to all classifications of State Tournaments. Any flexibility in rules with regard to State Tournaments must be decided by the Tournament Chairperson and approved by the NYSAHA Tournament Director in consultation with the Section President. The rules cannot be altered when the tournament has begun. No protests shall be permitted on the playing rules.

2. Rule Interpretation

(a) Inquiries regarding the interpretation of State tournament Rules and Regulations or Procedures must be placed through the NYSAHA Tournament Director.

(b) Inquiries regarding the interpretation of Game Rules must be directed to the Supervisor of Officials responsible in the Section in which the games are being played.

3. Rule Review

The Tournament Director will meet, if requested, or have a representative meet with each Tournament Committee and participants preceding the tournament to review rules and regulations.

4. Association Participation In Section Competition

Only one team from each age classification may represent an Association as a participant in a State Tournament. For High School Club hockey only, one team per school may participate in a NYSAHA State Tournament.

5. Section Competition For Entrants Into State Tournaments

Each section shall employ either a playdown or a Sectional Tournament to determine the participants and seeding of said participants from the section for the respective State Tournament. These playdowns or Sectional Tournaments are to end no less than ten (10) days prior to the State Tournament.

6. A copy of each team's playing roster shall be available from the Credentials Committee upon request from any of the participating teams. Any challenge of a player's eligibility shall be made before his/her team plays its first game, otherwise no protest will be accepted or allowed. Should the Credentials Committee determine

a player to be ineligible before, during or after the tournament, said player or players shall be ruled out of any remaining games, and the team using the ineligible player(s) shall forfeit any games in which the player(s) participated. Also, if it is proved that the coach and/or manager were aware of the situation, they shall be subject to suspension.

7. Tournament Rosters

The Sectional Tournament Chairperson is responsible for sending the rosters of the qualifying teams to the State Tournament Director immediately upon the completion of the Sectional Tournament. The NYSAHA Tournament Director shall supply the Sectional Tournament Chairperson with proper information to do so. The Sectional Tournament Chairperson is also responsible for notifying the NYSAHA Tournament Director, by phone, of the results of the Sectional Tournament.

8. Only those people whose names are on the USA Hockey Player Roster Form shall be allowed on or near the players bench during Pre-Sectional, Sectional, and State Tournaments.

9. Seeding And Elimination Games

(a) Whenever there are only two (2) teams vying for a berth or berths, in either a State tournament or a USA Hockey National tournament, a two (2) game home and home series shall be played to determine the seeding and/or entrant in said tournaments. A full fifteen (15) minute mini-game, (and not sudden death), shall be played right after the second game if the two teams are tied in points. If there is no winner of the mini-game, a shoot-out, as outlined in the NYSAHA Guide Book, shall take place to determine the winner. Neutral on-ice officials, assigned by the Section Referee Supervisor, are to be used for these games.

(b) A complete credentials check done either jointly or by a neutral party must be done before the start of the first game. Note: A Discipline Committee (consisting of three members) must be set up before the first game, and all matters requiring a Discipline Committee hearing must be held at the conclusion of the game in which the infraction occurred. The two game home and home series in this paragraph may be replaced by a single game if the two Associations involved agree to a single game determination, including the time and place where such single game will be played, and if the Section President approves of the single game as being fair and unbiased to both teams.

10. Method Of Determining Champion

For all State tournaments, standard Round Robin play will be used. The standings shall be determined on the basis of two (2) points for a win and one (1) point for a tie.

11. Time Of Periods For State Hockey Tournaments

(All stop time in minutes)

Class	Time of Periods 1,2,3	Time of OT	Minor Penalties	Major Penalties	Misconduct
Squirt	12	6	1 ½	5	10
PeeWee	15	10	2	5	10
Bantam	16	10	2	5	10
Midget	17	10	2	5	10
H.S. Club	17	10	2	5	10
Girls 12 & Under	12	6	1 ½	3	6
Girls 14, & 16 Under	15	10	2	5	10
Girls 19 & Under	15	10	2	5	10
Junior "A", "B" and above	20	10	2	5	10
Junior "C"	15	10	2	5	10

12. Ice Resurfacing

The ice shall be resurfaced before the start of each game for the 10 & Under Youth, and the 12 & Under Girls tournaments. It shall also be resurfaced after the second period in the semi-finals and championship games for the above-named tournaments. The ice shall be resurfaced before the start of each game and after the second period in all games involving 12 & Under (Peewee) and older Youth teams, and 14 and older girls teams. This pertains to all Pre-Sectional, Sectional and State Tournament games.

13. Uniform Colors

Unless otherwise agreed by teams and the Tournament Director, the home team shall wear light/white jerseys and the visiting team shall wear dark color jerseys in all games. If the home team in each game has not been established by the Tournament Chairperson, it shall be determined by the toss of a coin. The team traveling the furthest distance shall call.

14. Equipment

All players must conform with USA Hockey regulations.

15. Game And Rest Schedules

If a winner has not been determined after three (3) overtimes, the Tournament Director shall determine the rest periods between any subsequent overtime periods. With the exception of holidays, game schedules shall not start before Friday, nor end later than Sunday afternoon. No game shall be scheduled to start after 9:00 P.M. on any night. Teams shall not be required to play more than two (2) games per day. There shall be a minimum of four (4) hours between games played on the same day, and twelve (12) hours on games played on consecutive days. Time is measured from the end of one game to the beginning of the next.

16. Forfeits

Any team that forfeits a game in any NYSAHA sanctioned tournament, forfeits all games in that tournament. Forfeits shall be deemed 1-0 victories for the non-offending team.

17. Coaches' Communication: For games leading up to and including State tournament games, the use of head phones or other similar devices to communicate to people on the players bench is prohibited unless the conferees are both carded coaches and are listed on the USA Hockey Player Roster Form.

18. The NYSAHA Tournament Director and, by his delegation, the Tournament Chairperson, shall have the authority to exclude and/or limit the presence at or the use of any artificial noise-making devices, except for those required to control the play of the game.

19. Overtime And Ties **For Girls and Women's Senior Only**

(a) If needed, overtime will be played in the semi-final and final games only. When overtime is played, it is "Sudden Death" (the team scoring the first goal wins), and the game is over. To resolve ties, the formulas shall be applied in order, 1. a, b, c and 2. until one formula breaks the tie between all of the teams at the same time. The shoot out procedure shall be used in case of a tie after the first round. No exceptions to the above format will be permitted, except as may be specifically approved by the NYSAHA Tournament Director.

(b) If two (2) or more teams have an equal number of points, their position in the standings shall be determined by:

(i) The results of the games played, HEAD to HEAD, between the teams tied in the following order:

- (x) The points acquired in these games.
 - (y) Subtracting goals scored against from goals scored, a maximum of eight (8) goals, in these games. Their position shall be in order of greatest surplus.
 - (z) Dividing the goals scored in these games by the goals scored against, the positions being of the greatest quotient.
- (ii) If after applying the formulas of 1. a, b or c, the tie still exists, 1b and 1c shall be applied using all of the games played by the teams tied.
- i. If the above procedure does not break the tie, the teams shall use a "shoot out" procedure. This will involve each team's selecting five (5) players who will alternate taking penalty shots. A toss of the coin will determine which team will take the first shot. If after five (5) players from both teams have completed the procedure, the tie still has not been broken, it shall be repeated with five (5) different players until the standings are determined.

20. Tie Breaking Rules to Determine Standings Position For All Youth and High School Club Pre-Sectional, Sectional and State Tournaments.

If two or more teams have an equal number of points, their position in the standings shall be determined by the following tie-breaking format. If one tie-breaker establishes a position for one or more of the teams, each team is placed in the applicable position. Once a team is placed, the remaining teams shall start the tie-breaking process over again starting at step 1. a. The tie-breaker formulas are follows:

- A. The results of the games played between the teams tied in the following order**
- a. Standings-Most points.
 - b. Most wins.
 - c. Differential-Subtracting goals scored against from goals scored in these games, the positions being determined in the order of the greatest surplus.
 - d. Quotient-Dividing the goals scored in these games by the goals scored against, the position being determined in the order of the greatest quotient. A quotient involving dividing by zero (0) has a higher standing than a quotient from dividing by any other

- number other than zero. Where two or more teams have no goals against and the quotient tie-breaker is required, the team shall be ranked high to low in descending order of "goals for".
- e. Most periods won- In games played by each tied team, points will be awarded for each regulation period won (2 points) and for each regulation period tied (1 point). Position shall be in the order of highest point total.
- f. Quickest first goal-The team that scored the quickest goal in their applicable preliminary round games shall be ranked highest.

- B. If after applying the formulas of 1 a, b, c, d, e, or f the tie still exists, the results of all the games played by the teams tied in the following order:**
- a. Most wins.
 - b. Differential-Subtracting goals scored against from goals scored in these games, the positions being determined in the order of the greatest surplus.
 - c. Quotient-Dividing the goals scored in these games by the goals scored against, the position being determined in the order of the greatest quotient. A quotient involving dividing by zero (0) has a higher standing than a quotient from dividing by any other number other than zero. Where two or more teams have no goals against and the quotient tie-breaker is required, the team shall be ranked high to low in descending order of "goals for".
 - d. Most periods won- In games played by each tied team, points will be awarded for each regulation period won (2 points) and for each regulation period tied (1 point). Position shall be in the order of highest point total.
 - e. Quickest first goal-The team that scored the quickest goal in their applicable preliminary round games shall be ranked highest.

Note: The shoot out procedures will be used to break a tie after #1 and #2 have been exhausted and a tie still exists to determine who will advance to the Semi-Final games or to the Championship game. No overtime periods shall be played in the regular Round Robin games. Overtime will only be played, if needed, in the Semi-Final and/or Championship games.

- C. If a game is tied following regulation play in the Semi-Final or Championship games, one 5 minutes sudden death overtime period shall be played. At the completion of the third period, the tied teams shall receive a three (3) minutes rest period. The teams will remain on he ice. The**

teams will not change ends. If the score is tied at the end of the 5 minutes sudden death overtime period, there shall be a shoot-out. The winner of the shoot out will be credited with one additional goal in the final score.

D. Shoot-Out-When the overtime period is over and no one has scored a goal, the shoot-out procedure shall take place and shall be conducted as follows:

A shoot out is defined as a player attempting to score a goal and the opposing goalkeeper attempting to stop the shooter from scoring a goal.

The referee shall call the two captains to the referee's crease to flip a coin to determine which team takes the first shot. The winner of the coin toss will have the choice whether his/her team will shoot first or second. (The Captain of the team who traveled to farthest to the tournament site will call the coin toss).

All goalkeepers and players from both teams listed on the official game sheet shall be eligible to participate in the shoot-out.

However, any player whose penalty had not been completed when the overtime period ended or who receives a penalty during the shoot-out procedures is not eligible to be one of the players selected to participate in any portion of the shoot out procedure(s).

The shoot-out procedure shall begin with five different individual shooters from each team taking alternate shots.

The players do not need to be named beforehand.

The goalkeepers from each team may be changed after each shot.

The players of both teams will take the shots alternately until a decisive goal is scored. The remaining shots will not be taken.

If after the shoot-out, the shoot-out score is still tied, there will be a sudden death shoot-out.

Sudden Death Shoot-Out:

The sudden death shoot-out will be conducted as follows:

A sudden death shoot-out is defined as each team attempting a shot. Should one team be successful and the other team not, the successful team shall win the shoot-out.

Teams will select their shooters to participate in sudden death shoot-out, whether or not they shot in the previous round.

All goalkeepers and players from both teams listed on the official game sheet shall be eligible to participate in the shoot-out.

However, any player whose penalty had not been completed when the overtime period ended or who receives a penalty during the shoot-out procedures is not eligible to be one of the players selected to participate in any portion of the shoot out procedure(s).

Players in a sudden death shoot-out shall not be allowed to take another shot until four additional shooters have completed their attempts.

The goalkeepers from each team may be changed after each shot.

The official scorekeeper shall record all shots taken indicating the players, goalkeepers and goals scored.

21. Home Team For Championship Game

The on-site Tournament Chairperson shall flip a coin to determine the home team for the championship game. The coach from the team that has traveled the farthest distance to the tournament site shall call the flip. The winner of the flip is the home team.

EXAMPLE FOR GIRLS & WOMEN ONLY

Team A2	Team B1	Team A + 2 points	Team C2	Team A5	Team C + 0 points
Team A5	Team C2	Team A + 2 points	Team C4	Team B2	Team C + 2 points
Team A3	Team D7	Team A + 0 points	Team C5	Team D3	Team C + 2 points
		Team A + 4 points			Team C + 4 points

Team B1	Team A2	Team B + 0 points	Team D7	Team A3	Team D + 2 points
Team B2	Team C4	Team B + 0 points	Team D3	Team B2	Team D + 2 points
Team B2	Team D3	Team B + 0 points	Team D3	Team C5	Team D + 0 points
		Team B + 0 points			Team D + 4 points

These teams are tied with four points each after the round robin. They are A, C, + D. Note: Use only the games played head to head by the teams tied for 1.a, 1.b & 1.c.

1.a	A vs C	A + 2 points	C vs A	C + 0 points	D vs A	D + 2 points
	A vs D	A + 0 points	C vs D	C + 2 points	D vs C	D + 0 points
		A + 2 points		C + 2 points		D + 2 points

1.b	A5	C2	C2	A5	D7	A3
	A3	D7	C5	D3	D3	C5
	8 for 9 against -1		7 for 8 against -1		10 for 8 against +2	

Teams A & C are still tied at minus 1 goal each, therefore ALL three teams continue to 1.c.

1.c	Team A divide goals scored for (8) by goals scored against (9). 8 / 9
	Team C divide goals scored for (7) by goals scored against (8). 7 / 8
	Team D divide goals scored for (10) by goals scored against (8). 10 / 8

The tie has been broken simultaneously for all three teams tied and the order of finish is:

- 1st Place – Team D 1.250 quotient
- 2nd Place – Team A .888 quotient
- 3rd Place – Team C .875 quotient

APPENDIX 1 – PAIRINGS AND SCHEDULES FOR STATE TOURNAMENTS

PAIRINGS STATE TIER I TOURNAMENTS 2006-2007			
Division 1		Division 2	
A. North	1	E. At Large	2
B. West	2	F. Central	1
C. At Large	1	G. East	2
D. East	1	H. West	1

PAIRINGS STATE TIER I TOURNAMENTS 2007-2008			
Division 1		Division 2	
A. Central	1	E. East	1
B. West	2	F. At Large	2
C. North	1	G. West	1
D. East	2	H. At Large	1

PAIRINGS STATE TIER I TOURNAMENTS 2008-2009			
Division 1		Division 2	
A. At Large	1	E. Central	1
B. West	1	F. West	2
C. East	2	G. East	1
D. North	1	H. At Large	2