2025 OHSAA Girls Volleyball State Tournament

November 6-9, 2025

Championship matches at Irvin J. Nutter Center, Wright State University

Semifinal matches also hosted by Wittenberg University and Vandalia-Butler High School

*** Deadline is Tuesday, November 5 at noon.**
*** Read notes at the right and on page 2 before submitting.**
*** Email appilcation to Tim Stried at tstried@ohsaa.org.**

Name and Title _____

All fields below are required for processing. Form should be completed by editor or assignor. No children, coaches or parents of state qualifiers may receive media credentials. School photographers must be approved and submitted by athletic director.

Media Outlet _____

Street Address _____

City _____ **State** _____ **Zip** _____

Phone _____ **Fax** _____

Email (print clearly) _____

Requested Coverage

Which team(s) and/or division(s) does your media outlet intend to cover?

_____ _____

_____ _____

Media Type (check all that apply and see notes)

A.) Newspaper _____ *Daily, Weekly or Other* _____
B.) Radio/Internet Audio Play-by-Play Broadcast* _____
Type of Connection Requested _____
* Broadcast fees apply, see media policies and information
C.) Television/Internet Delayed Video Play-by-Play _____
D.) Television News _____
E.) Website _____
F.) Radio News _____

Names of Persons Attending (if request is approved)

No parents of state qualifiers, coaches or children permitted. School photographers contact athletic director. Photos from OHSAA state tournaments may not be sold by individual photographers.

Press Row Name _____ Full-Time ___ or Stringer ___

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Photo/TV Name _____ Full-Time ___ or Stringer ___

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ROC _____ **SYS** _____ **ECON** _____

Confirmation Email and List

Upon processing a credential application, the OHSAA will send a confirmation email to the media outlet, specifically the editor or assigner who submitted the application. A list of approved media outlets will be posted at www.ohsaa.org (click on 'News & Media' and then 'State Finals Media Credentials').

Media Policies & Information

See page 2 of this application for details concerning parking, media will call, wireless access, broadcast fees, postgame interviews, etc.

Coaches, children and parents of state tournament competitors are not permitted to receive media credentials. Media outlets found to be in violation could be subject to reduced access at future tournaments.

Broadcasts Connections

If you indicate that your media outlet needs a hard-line connection, the OHSAA will help make the arrangements, but your media outlet will be responsible for any fees.

Coverage, Media Types and Number of Credentials

The number of credentials granted depends on space, the type of coverage being provided and other factors. See Section 5 of the OHSAA Media Regulations for details.

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State Tournament Media Information: The following information was prepared to assist you with your coverage of the upcoming OHSAA volleyball state tournament. Please contact Tim Stried (tstried@ohsaa.org or 614-267-2502, ext. 124) at the OHSAA office should you have additional questions. Additional information will be posted on the OHSAA web site the week of the state tournament.

Dates and Location: Nov. 6-9
Thursday, Nov. 6 –
Division TBA state semifinal matches at Vandalia-Butler High School.
Division TBA and TBA state semifinal matches at Nutter Center, WSU (four matches total).
Friday, Nov. 7 –
Division TBA state semifinal matches at Wittenberg University.
Saturday, Nov. 8 –
Division TBA and TBA state semifinal matches at Vandalia-Butler High School.
Division TBA state semifinal matches at Wittenberg University.
Four championship matches at the Nutter Center.
Sunday, Nov. 9 –
Three championship matches at the Nutter Center.
Format and Times: The divisional order of play in 2025 is TBA.

All matches will use rally scoring and the best three out of five sets. All games are played to 25 with no cap (must win by two), with the fifth and deciding set (when necessary) played to 15 (no cap).

Your Hosts: OHSAA Senior Sports Administrator Emily Mason is the OHSAA volleyball administrator. OHSAA Media Relations Assistant Bri Rost will be on-site all three days. OHSAA Director of Media Relations Tim Stried will be on-site Saturday.

Media Credentials for the State Tournament: Media shall use the OHSAA's official volleyball credential application form and send it Tim Stried at tstried@ohsaa.org. The deadline is noon on Tuesday, Nov. 5. Credentials will be held for pickup at Gate 9 (media entrance) of the Nutter Center. All media must show photo identification to pick up their credentials. No credentials will be issued to freelance photographers or parents of state tournament competing student-athletes.

Confirmation Email and Approved List: Upon processing a credential application, the OHSAA will send a confirmation email to the media outlet. The list of those media members who have been approved for credentials will be posted on the credential information page at OHSAA.org.

Flash Photography: Flash photography of any kind is not permitted during OHSAA volleyball tournament contests.

Parking: Media who have been approved for credentials will receive a parking pass valid for all three locations. At Vandalia-Butler media parking is on the south side by the baseball field. At Wittenberg University parking is on the west side of the arena off of Lowry Avenue. At the Nutter Center media parking is on the back side, near Gate 9.

Broadcasting Availability and Rates: Live or tape-delayed audio broadcasts are available per rates found on the OHSAA Broadcast Fees chart. Tape-delayed video play-by-play coverage is also permitted per the rate card. Media outlets must submit payment before the match begins.

Postgame Interviews: There will be a press conference at each match in the postgame interview room, which is located off the north end of the arena floor on the scorer's table side. Please see a tournament staff member for assistance. Interviews are not permitted on the court.

Media Work Space: Credentialed media members may sit at press row beside the court. The media work room is located in the postgame interview area.

Statistics and Recaps: Statistics will be distributed to media in attendance and will be posted on the OHSAA web site as soon as possible following each match along with recaps of the championship matches.

Credential Policies: Coaches, parents of state tournament competing student-athletes and children are not permitted to receive media credentials. Media outlets found to be in violation could be subject to reduced access at future OHSAA state tournaments.