



## 2026 GHSA LACROSSE STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS

### Team Instructions

Please read these “Team Instructions” very carefully. Each year problems arise because the coaches/team representatives did not follow the instructions or arrive without the required paperwork. Make sure all the required paperwork is completed prior to arrival at the team check-in point. If not, your team will not be allowed to enter until it is completed. These instructions are also on the GHSA web site. The “Home Team” has been pre-determined on the bracket regardless on seeding.

#### GENERAL INFORMATION:

- OFFICIAL TEAM TRAVEL FORM – Please fill out this form out completely and turn it in at the “Team Entry Gate” at the arena. List all team players names on this form(s).
- LINE-UP/ROSTER – Your official line-up/roster information must be turned in to the official scorer no later than (30) minutes prior to your scheduled game time.
- EXCESS TEAM ENTRY FORM – List names of ‘Team Essential Personnel “(individuals who are part of your team operations) “Excess Team Travel Form” at the Team Entry Gate.
- SIDELINE ACCESS – Each team will receive (6) Sideline Credentials. These credentials are to be worn in clear view by “team essential” individuals. Other non-playing individuals without credentials are not allowed on the sideline during the games.
- GAME ADMINISTRATOR/RESOURCE OFFICER – Each school is required to have an Administrator and Resource Office on site during the game. Please provide the name and cell # of those individuals on the enclosed form and submit it to the “Game Manager” upon arrival at the venue. If not traveling with the team, they must check in at the “Team Entry Gate” and show valid photo ID.
- TICKETING – Spectator ticket fee is \$18.00 and must be purchased ONLY through GOFAN.
- UNACCOMPANIED MINORS/NON-PARTICIPANTS - Must purchase a ticket and enter through the spectator entrance and are not allowed in the team areas (bench, locker room, etc.)
- BRACKET – The team listed on the TOP of the respective bracket will be the “Home Team” and wear designated “home” uniforms. The teams listed on the BOTTOM of the respective bracket will be the “Visiting Team” and wear “visiting” team uniforms regardless of the respective seeding.
- NFHS Network – All State Championship games will be video streamed live on the NFHS Network. The subscription rate is \$10.95 to view the championship games and other across the country for (30) days.
- Halftime Intermission – The Halftime Intermission shall be 10-minutes.
- GAME BALLS – Game balls will be provided by the competing schools.
- Coaches’ Plus 1 and “team essential personnel” (trainers, doctors, etc.) not arriving with the team shall enter through the GHSA Pass Gate with proper identification and listed on the “Excess School Entry Form”.
- All required forms must be submitted by the Head Coach upon arrival at the game site.
- Game officials shall be assigned by; GWLOA (Girls) GLOA (boys)

NOTE: Please remind your student body and spectators that artificial noise makers that are similar to the sound of the official’s whistle or game clock sounding device NOT allowed in the stadium. Shoes must be worn at all times, outside food or drinks are not allowed, no drones, and all bags will be scanned prior to entrance into the stadium. Paint of any kind will NOT be allowed in the stadium.



## **2026 Finals Schedule**

**WEST FORSYTH HIGH SCHOOL STADIUM**

**Site Contact – Brett Phipps, AD (BPhipps@forsyth.k12.ga.us)**

### **Wednesday, May 13**

**5:00 PM Girls – Division 1**

**7:00 PM Girls – Division 2**

### **Thursday, May 14**

**5:00 PM - Boys Division 1**

**7:00 PM - Boys Division 2**

### **Friday, May 15**

**5:00 PM - Girls Division 3**

**7:00 PM - Boys Division 3**

GHSA Executive Director: Dr. Tim Scott

GHSA Coordinator of Lacrosse: Darrell Lane

GHSA Executive Committee Representative: Nathan Turner

GHSA Boys Lacrosse Officials Liaison: Landon Hunsucker, GLOA

GHSA Girls Lacrosse Officials Liaison: Michael Hannah, GWLOA

All games will be video streamed on NFHSNetwork.com (<http://nfhsnetwork.com>). Local radio broadcasting and media access must be cleared through GHSA Media Director Marvin James at 706-647-7473 Ex. 126 or [marvin.james@ghsa.net](mailto:marvin.james@ghsa.net).

**ZOOM CALL** – All teams advancing to the Championship games will be required to be on a group Zoom call Sunday, May 10 at 5:00 PM. Each school shall have the head coach and athletic director present during the call. The call link is:

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/86344390348?pwd=hqngapaZuf3A8b1NaYiitf8EbOagVN.1>

# GAME ADMINISTRATORS SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICERS

Please list the individual(s), and their cell phone #'s, who will be at your school's GHSA State Tournament contest.

SCHOOL: \_\_\_\_\_

## ADMINISTRATORS

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

POSITION: \_\_\_\_\_

CELL PHONE #: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

POSITION: \_\_\_\_\_

CELL PHONE #: \_\_\_\_\_

## RESOURCE OFFICERS

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

POSITION: \_\_\_\_\_

CELL PHONE #: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

POSITION: \_\_\_\_\_

CELL PHONE #: \_\_\_\_\_

The head coach is responsible for turning in this form upon arrival at the venue.

# OFFICIAL TEAM TRAVEL FORM

SCHOOL: \_\_\_\_\_ BOYS \_\_\_\_\_ GIRLS \_\_\_\_\_

Each team is allowed (30) players on the "Team Travel Form", consisting of players, managers, trainers, statisticians, etc. Coaches are admitted on their GHSA Coaches Pass. Teams wishing to admit more than the (30) names must list the names of additional "Team Essential Personnel" individuals on the "Excess Team Entry Form" at the team entry gate. Rosters must be sent to: [gdauid@scoreatl.com](mailto:gdauid@scoreatl.com) no later than Friday, May 8.

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**COACHING STAFF**

Head Coach: \_\_\_\_\_

Assistant: \_\_\_\_\_

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Assistant: \_\_\_\_\_

Athletic Trainer: \_\_\_\_\_

Athletic Trainer: \_\_\_\_\_

# EXCESS SCHOOL ENTRY FORM

NOTE: Unaccompanied minors are not allowed to sign on this form. They must go to the spectator ticket window and purchase a ticket.

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SCHOOL: \_\_\_\_\_