

Sept. 17: St. Mark's 4th-6th Grade Girls' Volleyball Invitational

Invitational Rules (Round Robin Format):

1. Teams were randomly assigned a number and plugged into the schedule. There will be no scheduled warmup time during the day except before the first matches of each session. The gym will open at **7:30AM** for any AM team to warm up. The gym will open at **12:30PM** for any PM team to warm up.
2. The **first team** listed in the schedule should provide a **scorekeeper** and the **second team** listed should provide a **line judge**.
3. Each match will be two games to 17, rally-scoring, win by two, with a cap at 19. The third game may be started, but will end at the 30 minute time limit.
4. Only games 1 and 2 of each match count towards the team's record.
5. There is a 30 minute time limit on all matches.
 - a. The 30 minute clock will run continuously, during timeouts and between games.
 - b. When the 30 minute buzzer sounds signaling the end of the match:
 - i. the match is over unless there is a live ball at the time. That point will continue until the ball is dead.
 - ii. The score will end as is. In the event of a tie, the tie will be broken with one additional point played. (No timeouts may be used once time has expired.)
6. Players may serve from the 24-foot line if they choose instead of the 30-foot line.
7. A Volley-Lite volleyball will be used.
8. Limit five serves in a row by a player. (New 2023) Serving team will rotate and next player in rotation will serve.
9. No libero will be used.
10. Team listed first is the home team and will serve first. Coin toss for third game.
11. New matches will start every 35 minutes. Please be ready to take the court.
12. Subbing: may use a rotation of more than six players, maintaining the same order.
13. Tournament Results
 - a. Win/loss record of the number of games will determine winner of tournament. If W-L record is tied, the tiebreaker below will be used.
 - b. Tie breaker
 - i. Head to head
 - ii. Points allowed
 - iii. Points scored
 - c. Ribbons will be awarded for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place.

General Items:

1. St. Mark's will supply volleyballs.
2. Locker rooms are available to change in if needed. Please do not leave anything in the locker rooms.
St. Mark's is not responsible for lost or stolen items. Please do not use the restroom for changing.
3. Players are to bring gym shoes to play in, not street shoes.
4. Concessions will be available throughout the invitational. **Please don't bring food or drink into the gym.**
5. **No admission** will be charged for spectators.

Saturday, September 16: PM Tournament

Round Robin Format

Match Time	Court A	Court B
1:00	1-2	3-4
1:35	5-6	7-1
2:10	3-2	4-5
2:45	6-7	1-3
3:20	2-4	5-7
3:55	6-1	2-5
4:30	3-7	4-6

Teams:

1. St. John's, Jefferson/St.Paul's, Helenville
2. Zion, Columbus
3. CLCA, Fort Atkinson
4. St. Paul's, Lake Mills
5. St. Paul's, Janesville
6. St. Stephen's, Beaver Dam
7. St. Paul's, Ixonia