

DISTRICT XI BASEBALL CHAMPIONSHIPS
presented by St. Luke's University Health Network

DATES, LOCATIONS, TIMES OF BASEBALL DISTRICT CHAMPIONSHIP

Monday, May 21st

Class 1A/2A/3A/4A/5A	Quarter-Finals (if needed)	4:30p
Class 6A	1 st Round (if needed)	4:30p

Tuesday, May 22nd

Class 2A/5A	Semi-Finals	Sites TBD
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Wednesday, May 23rd

Class 1A/3A/4A	Semi-Finals	Sites TBD
Class 6A	Quarter-Finals	4:30p

Friday, May 25th

Class 5A	Finals	Coca Cola Park at 4:45p
Class 2A	Finals	Coca Cola Park at 7:30p

Saturday, May 26th

Class 3A	Finals	Coca Cola Park at Noon
Class 4A	Finals	Coca Cola Park at 2:45p

Monday, May 28th (Memorial Day)

Class 1A	Finals	Pottsville at Noon (If District XI Host Site)
Class 6A	Semi-Finals	Lehigh University at Noon and 3:00PM

Wednesday, May 30th

Class 6A	Finals	Lehigh University at 4:45PM
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Rain date is always the next day with the possible exception of games at Coca-Cola Park.

Sites and times to be posted on **Saturday, May 19, 2018**, on the District XI Website.

1st round and quarter final games will be played at the home field of the top-seeded teams. The top-seeded team is then responsible for managing the game as is done for any scheduled home game. If the District XI Committee determines that the field of the home team is unsatisfactory the District XI committee will designate an alternate field to be used.

DISTRICT COMMITTEE PERSON IN CHARGE OF CHAMPIONSHIP:

<i>Scott Cooperman</i>	<i>484-765-5291-School</i>	<i>484-632-2533-Cell</i>
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WHO IS ELIGIBLE TO COMPETE:

- A. District XI league champions will automatically qualify for District XI Playoffs and will be seeded before the other teams in their respective classifications. To be recognized, a league must include at least five District XI teams.
- B. Teams that have won 50% or more of their league games or 50% or more of their total scheduled games, regardless of ranking, will also be eligible.
- C. Teams must have played 10 contests to qualify.
- D. Cut-off date for entries: ***May 17, 2018 at 11:59p.m.***

- E. Qualifiers determined by District XI Policy on qualification as seen in handbook
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| A – 6 *Sub-regional with District 2 | AAAA – 6 |
| AA – 4 | AAAAA – 4 |
| AAA – 6 | AAAAAA - 8 |

METHOD OF SEEDING:

- **District XI Power Rating System**
- League Champions will be seeded first.

TIEBREAKER: The District XI Power Rating system tiebreaking procedure will be used to break seeding ties.

FINANCES: Reimbursement and expenses will be paid in accordance with District XI Policy.

ASSIGNMENT OF OFFICIALS: The Male Officials Representative will assign in conjunction with PIAA Baseball Assignors in District XI

SPORTSMANSHIP STATEMENT: PIAA requires all registered sports' officials to enforce the sportsmanship rules for coaches and contestants. Actions meant to demean opposing contestants, teams, spectators and officials are not in the highest ideals of interscholastic education and will not be tolerated. Let all contests reflect mutual respect. Coaches will certify prior to the contest that teams are legally equipped according to the rules of that contest.

TOURNAMENT MANAGERS: As determined by District XI Baseball Chairperson.

TICKET PRICES FOR SEMI-FINALS AND FINALS:

(There will be no charge for pigtail or first round games)

Students/Sr. Citizens (62yo+)	\$3.00
Adults	\$6.00

PLEASE NOTE:

The host school is responsible for insuring a certified trainer is present at the game. District XI will have medical service on call.

The **highest seeded team** will be the home team throughout the tournament regardless of their position in the bracket

AWARDS PRESENTED FOR EACH SPORT

- Championship Trophy for winners in each classification
- 25 gold and silver medals will be awarded in each class

PLEASE NOTE

- For the semi final and final games, the sites are chosen by the District Committee and consideration is given for TV coverage in selecting the sites.
- **Home Team** provides six Official PIAA Game Balls for First Round and District XI will provide Official PIAA Game Balls for Quarter-Finals, Semi-Finals and Finals.

DATES AND LOCATION OF STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS

First Round – June 4 2017
 Quarter-Finals – June 7, 2017
 Semi-Finals - June 11, 2017
 Finals - June 14-15, 2017, Penn State University