



2011 OHSAA Soccer State Championships

November 11 and 12

Columbus Crew Stadium

- * Deadline is Thursday, November 10 at 2 p.m.
- * Read notes at the right and on page 2 before submitting.
- * Fax to the attention of Tim Stried at 614-267-1677, or scan and email this completed form to tstried@ohsaa.org

Name and Title

All fields below are required for processing. Form should be completed by editor or assignor. No freelance photographers, parents or coaches allowed. Media outlets in violation will receive reduced access.

Media Outlet

Street Address

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Fax _____

Email (print clearly) _____

Requested Game(s) Coverage

Note: Boys championship games are Friday at noon (Div. III), 3:30 (Div. II) and 7:00 (Div. I), while girls championship games are Saturday at noon (Div. III), 3:30 (Div. II) and 7:00 (Div. I).

Does your media outlet intend to cover all six games? _____

If not, which team(s) or game(s) does your media outlet intend to cover?

Boys: _____ Girls: _____

Media Type (check all that apply and see notes)

No freelance photographers, parents or coaches permitted.

Photos from OHSAA state tournaments may not be sold by individual photographers.

- A.) Newspaper _____ Daily, Weekly or Other _____
- B.) Radio/Internet Audio Play-by-Play Broadcast* ___ Phone Line Needed? ___
* Broadcast fees apply, see media policies and information
- C.) Tape-Delayed TV/Internet Video Play-by-Play* _____
- D.) Television News _____ Need Parking for Satellite Truck? _____
- E.) Website (non-broadcast) _____
- F.) Radio News _____ Phone Line Needed? _____

Names of Persons Attending (if request is approved)

Press Box _____ Full-Time ___ or Stringer ___
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 Sideline _____ Full-Time ___ or Stringer ___
 Sideline _____ Full-Time ___ or Stringer ___

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TS# _____ M ___ P ___ ROC _____
 SYS _____ ECON _____

Confirmation Email and List

Upon processing a credential application, the OHSAA will send a confirmation email to the media outlet. Please do not call or email to check the status of your request for 24 hours after sending. In addition, a list of approved media outlets will be posted at www.ohsaa.org.

Soccer State Finals Media Policies & Information

See page 2 of this application for the soccer state tournament's media policies for information regarding parking, media will call, wireless access, broadcast fees, postgame interviews, etc.

Photographs Available

Rather than sending a stringer, media outlets needing photographs from a state tournament are encouraged to contact the OHSAA's official photographer, Impact Action Sports Photography.

www.impactactionphotos.com
 (click on the media request form)
 Joe Maiorana:
photojoe2707@yahoo.com
 614-266-1674
 Ben Barnes:
barnziben@gmail.com

Coaches, school staff, freelance photographers and parents of competitors 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.

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

Dates and Location: Nov. 11 (all three boys championship games) and 12 (all three girls championship games) at Columbus Crew Stadium. The address is One Black & Gold Boulevard, Columbus, OH 43211. The stadium is located at the northeast corner of the Ohio State Fairgrounds and is visible from Interstate 71 just north of downtown Columbus. From I-71, take the Hudson Street exit. If coming from the north, proceed straight onto Silver Drive, which winds around directly to the stadium. If coming from the south, turn left onto Hudson Street, cross over I-71 and turn left onto Silver Drive, which winds around directly to the stadium.

Game Times:

Friday, 12:00 p.m.	Division III Boys
Friday, 3:30 p.m.	Division II Boys
Friday, 7:00 p.m.	Division I Boys
Saturday, 12:00 p.m.	Division III Girls
Saturday, 3:30 p.m.	Division II Girls
Saturday, 7:00 p.m.	Division I Girls

Media Credentials for the State Finals:

Media shall use the OHSAA's official soccer credential application form and fax it to Tim Stried at 614-267-1677. The deadline is 2 p.m. on Thursday, Nov. 10. Credentials will be held for pickup at Gate 8 on the northwest side of Crew Stadium. All media must show company identification (ID badge) to pick up their credentials. No credentials will be issued to school, student, parent or freelance photographers.

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

Parking: Media who have been approved for credentials will be able to park free of charge by showing their company identification (ID badge) to the parking attendants, who will check the approved credential list for confirmation.

Broadcasting Availability and Rates: Live or tape-delayed radio and audio webcasting, as well as tape-delayed television and delayed video webcasting, is available per rates found on the 2011-12 OHSAA Broadcast Fees chart.

Media Work Space, Wireless Access, Telephones: Work space for media members is available on a first-come, first-served basis in the press box, which is located in the northeast corner of Crew Stadium. Wireless access is available, as well as telephone connections for credit card, collect or toll-free calls only.

Postgame Interviews: Coaches and student-athletes are available on the field for interviews after BOTH awards ceremonies have concluded. There are no official press conferences.

Programs, Lineups, Box Scores & Recaps: Official programs, pregame starting lineups and postgame box scores will be distributed in the press box. Box scores and recaps will be posted on the OHSAA web site as soon as possible following each game. The same information will also be posted in the AP Marketplace for AP members.

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Your Hosts: Tournament Manager Dave Siess, OHSAA Assistant Commissioner Jerry Snodgrass, OHSAA Sports Information Graduate Intern Paul Seiter and Columbus Crew Director of Media Relations Dave Stephany.