

## OHIO CHRISTIAN SCHOOL ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

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## 2023-24 Junior High Basketball State Final Information Guide

Congratulations on earning a trip to this year's OCSAA State Final game. The OCSAA Junior High State Championships will be held on Saturday February 17th at Ohio Christian University located at: 1476 Lancaster Pike, Circleville, Ohio 43113. The games will be played in the Maxwell Center which is located at the back of the OCU campus. The North Region Champions (Mansfield Christian - girls and Corerstone Christian - boys) will be considered the **Home** team this year and will wear their home uniforms while the South Region Champions (Brice Christian – girls and Brice Christian – boys) will be considered the **Away** team and will wear their away uniforms.

The OCSAA will provide the game officials, warm-up balls, game balls plus gate and concession help for the State Final. The Participating schools should arrive on time with all players, coaches, team staff, team TRAINER, uniforms, and game gear present, and ready to go. Please have your "School Pass Form" filled out and ready to hand in. Only team personnel listed on the "School Pass Form" will be admitted without payment. Please bring a correctly filled out "Roster" form for pre-game and post-game announcing. Do not bring your own warm-up balls! You will find copies of all of the necessary forms and letters on the OCSAA website. You will also find information about Ohio Christian University and area hotels on the OCSAA website. Most hotels will give teams playing at OCU a discounted rate...be sure to mention that when making reservations.

All games will be broadcast FREE of charge through FACEBOOKLIVE. You will find the link on the OCSAA home page at www.ohiocsaa.org

Below is the schedule of events for the finals:

## Saturday

Gymnasium opens: 9:00am (no one will be admitted into the gym or onto the court before noon)

Girls Championship Game: 10:00am – Mansfield Christian vs. Brice Christian Boys Championship Game: 12:00pm – Cornerstone Christian vs. Brice Christian

There will be an awards ceremony immediately following each game. Parents and fans will be permitted on the gym floor after the award ceremony to take team and individual player pictures.

Admission prices are as follows (includes both games):

Adults: \$ 7.00 Students: \$ 5.00 5 and under FREE Fans are encouraged to support their respective teams in an appropriate manner. Please feel free to dress in your school's colors, paint your faces and cheer your team on to victory. If you have any questions or concerns regarding this letter or the State Finals, please contact the OCSAA at 419-543-2722.

Sincerely,

Samuel E. White, OCSAA Director

## OCSAA STATEMENT OF CONDUCT

"The Ohio Christian School Athletic Association is pleased to sponsor the following tournament contest. In keeping with the intent and value of Christian school athletics, we ask all players, coaches, and spectators to maintain exemplary Christian behavior at all times. Those not complying with this request will be approached by school, tournament, or OCSAA personnel and be asked to cooperate (those declining will be asked to leave the premises). Please help to make the game enjoyable for all. Thank you."