



## 2015 Fall Playoffs

As we near the completion of the regular season, we want to remind you of some important items--Please review the information below to ensure you have completed all responsibilities as a head coach and to make certain that you understand the CIFSDS playoffs.

As you are aware, we will be using CIFSDS Power Rankings to seed teams in the 2015 playoffs--the power rankings on the CIFSDS website will be used. The Coaches Advisory Group for each sport will meet on Saturday, November 7<sup>th</sup>, and their responsibilities will include the following:

1. Ensure accuracy of schedules, records and rankings
2. Ensure League Champions are identified (and entered)
3. Ensure head to head games are identified for consecutively ranked teams
4. Break ties in the power rankings (by vote)
5. Ensure no league matchups in the 1<sup>st</sup> round (DI-DIV).

All coaches, please note the following:

1. Read the playoff bulletin for your sport—important information regarding the playoffs is included; all bulletins are on each sport page at [cifsds.org](http://cifsds.org).
2. Submit final scores on Maxpreps or CIFSDS Home before midnight on Friday, November 6th—the system will be shut down at midnight and any additions or changes after that time will be made by the CIFSDS.
3. Talk to your conference representative and ensure he/she knows any head to head matchups with teams close to you in the power rankings, and any other criteria he/she may need in order to break a tie involving your school.
4. You no longer need to submit playoff entry; please notify CIFSDS immediately if you do not wish to participate in the CIFSDS playoffs *and/or* in the state playoffs.
5. Final brackets for each sport will be posted on the CIFSDS website at 1:00 p.m. on Saturday
  - Football coaches are not required to be present at 1:00 p.m. but may pick up Rawlings footballs between 1:00-1:30 on Saturday 11/7/15 or on Monday, 11/9/15.
  - Volleyball coaches are not required to be present at 1:00 p.m. but may pick up CIFSDS game ball between 1:00-1:30 on Saturday 11/7/15 or on Monday, 11/9/15.
  - Water polo coaches are required to be present at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, 11/7/15 at the Hall of Champions, to finalize game times and sites.

6. State playoff participants must complete and submit forms that can be found at the links below:

Football-

- [Selection Information Sheet](#)
- [Confidential Information Form](#)
- [Proposal to Host Form](#)
- Football State Roster Form (attached)
  
- [2015 CIF State Football Forms](#)

Girl's Volleyball

- [Season Summary Form](#)
- [Confidential Information Form](#)
- [Facility Specification Form](#)
- Girls Volleyball State Roster Form (attached)
  
- [2015 CIF State Volleyball Forms](#)

Please note: Only the State participants must complete the above forms.