

**Georgia District AAU Boys' Basketball
District (State) Qualifier & Super Qualifier
Tournament Packet**



**15U/9th Grade District Qualifier
May 5-6, 2018**

Tracey Wyatt Recreation Complex
2300 Godby Road
College Park, GA 30349

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Informational Section

Dear Coach(es) and/or Team Administrator(s),

Thank you for registering for this AAU licensed event, hosted by the Georgia Boys' Basketball Committee! Please review the information below.

Parents and all other fans are required to pay an admission fee. The admission fee is as follows: \$7 for ages 13 & Up, \$5 for ages 5-12, and free for ages 4 & Under. **NO REFUNDS**

The Georgia Boys' Basketball Committee will be host to the 2018 Georgia District AAU Boys' Basketball District and Super Qualifiers. The District Qualifiers are for Georgia teams only, and **ALL** teams that participate have an opportunity to qualify for AAU Nationals. The Super Qualifiers can have participants from any district, but only teams from Georgia can qualify for AAU Nationals by participating in these licensed events.

Check-in is at least thirty (30) minutes prior to each team's first scheduled game of the tournament. All players must be present to be physically checked in. Below will be the requirements for certification of athletes prior to the start of the tournaments.

8U - 17U/11th Grade

- An unexpired passport
- An unexpired driver's license
- A Department of Motor Vehicles I.D. card issued within the last three (3) years
- A military dependent I.D.
- SportsAge I.D.

11U/5th Grade, 12U/6th Grade, 13U/7th Grade, 14U/8th Grade, 15U/9th Grade, 16U/10th Grade, and 17U/11th Grade

- A photocopy of that portion of the athletes' report card for the current school year which shows his name, grade, and school.
- Confirmation of grade level from a school administrator (e.g., guidance counselor, principal, dean, etc.) on official school letterhead.

Coaches **MUST** adhere to the following dress code while on the bench during their scheduled games: collared shirt, slacks or khakis, and closed-toed shoes. Non-compliance with the coaches' dress code will disallow coaches from sitting on the bench during their scheduled game times. You are allowed up to four (4) non-athletes (coaches, bench personnel, water boys, etc.) on your bench. Each non-athlete will receive a badge, which allows them free entry into the venue and allows them to sit on the bench during their scheduled game.

Coaches **CANNOT** wear the following while on the bench during their scheduled games: hats, t-shirts, cut-off pants, jeans, shorts, sweat pants, jogging pants, or open-toes shoes.

Also, white is no longer mandatory for home jerseys; the home jersey must be a "light" color, and the guest/visitor jersey must be a "dark" color.

Additional Terms & Conditions:

- This event is licensed by the Amateur Athletic Union of the U.S., Inc.
- All participants must have a current AAU membership.
- AAU membership may not be included as part of the entry fee to the event.
- AAU membership must be obtained before the competition begins except where the event operator has a laptop available with an internet connection.
- **BE PREPARED:** Adult and Non-Athlete memberships are no longer instant and cannot be applied for at the event. Please allow up to 10 days for membership to be processed.
- Participants are encouraged to visit the AAU web site www.aausports.org to obtain their membership.
- The AAU does license events in local areas, granting a non-exclusive right to event hosts to use the AAU logo and brand under terms and conditions, including requirements as specified by AAU Code. The event operator is an independent contractor and is responsible for the management and conduct of the event and may set its own rules and operating procedures, except under no circumstances can the host waive the requirement of membership in AAU for participation in licensed events.
- By the AAU's granting of (a) license (an approval) to any event operator (Host) to conduct such event, the AAU does not accept any financial responsibility nor assure any particular quality of competition.
- The AAU of the U.S., Inc. does have supervision over District qualifying events, Regional/Super Regional events, and/or National Championship events in regard to establishing rules of competition, but does not have direct control over the event operators, pursuant and subject to the AAU Code (only).
- Each team is given a three-game guarantee.
- The AAU does provide insurance benefits to its members in specified situations, subject to the terms of its policies.
- There are no multi-team discounts for the tournament entry fee.
- All tournament fees must be paid in full by the tournament entry deadline.
- No refunds for tournament entry fee unless tournament is cancelled, and all refund requests must be put in writing and emailed to gaauboybasketball@yahoo.com.
- Tournament venues may change from the venues listed with or without advance notice; however, the Georgia Boys' Basketball Committee will make every effort to inform tournament participants of any venues changes.

**2018 Georgia AAU Boys' Basketball Age/Grade Based
District (State)/Super Qualifying Tournaments**



<u>District Qualifier Dates</u>	<u>Entry Deadline</u>	<u>Age/Grade Division</u>	<u>Location</u>
April 6-8, 2018	2 April 2018	8U, 9U, & 10U	College Park
April 13-15, 2018	9 April 2018	11U & 13U	Franklin/Heard County
April 20-22, 2018	16 April 2018	12U	Henry County
April 27-29, 2018	23 April 2018	14U	LaGrange
May 4-6, 2018	30 April 2018	15U/9 th Grade	College Park
May 18-20, 2018	14 May 2018	16U/10 th Grade & 17U/11 th Grade	Macon & Henry County
<u>Super Qualifier Dates</u>	<u>Entry Deadline</u>	<u>Grade Division</u>	<u>Location</u>
June 8-10, 2018	4 June 2018	5 th Grade, 6 th Grade, 7 th Grade & 8 th Grade	LaGrange

To register for District (State) Qualifier and Super Qualifier events, go to www.gaauboybasketball.com, and click on "Tournament Registration".

Contact: Tommy L. Anderson Sr., District Sport Director

*** Phone: (404) 713-7498 (Monday-Friday, 9am-5pm/Eastern Time)**

Email: gaauboybasketball@yahoo.com (Email is strongly encouraged.)

*** Office hours are extended during District (State) Qualifiers and Super Qualifiers.**

2018 AAU Boys' Basketball National Championship Events

Contact Information: aubasketball@aausports.org or (407) 934-7200



- 8U National Championship – Baltimore, MD | July 9-14, 2018
- 9U DI/DII National Championships – Orlando, FL | July 9-13, 2018
- 10U DI/DII National Championships – Clarksville, TN | July 6-11, 2018
- 10U DIII East Coast National Championships – Hampton, VA | July 5-8, 2018
- 10U Southeast DIII National Championships – Orlando, FL | July 5-9, 2018
- 11U DI/DII/DIII National Championships – Orlando, FL | July 9-13, 2018
- 11U/5th Grade National Championship – Orlando, FL | July 9-13, 2018
- 11U East Coast National Championship – Hampton, VA | July 5-8, 2018
- 12U DI/DII National Championships – Hampton, VA | July 18-22, 2018
- 12U/6th Grade National Championships – Hampton, VA | July 23-25, 2018
- 12U DIII East Coast National Championship – Hampton, VA | July 12-15, 2018
- 12U DIII Southeast National Championship – Orlando, FL | July 5-9, 2018
- 13U DI/DII National Championships – Greensboro, NC | July 20-24, 2018
- 13U/7th Grade National Championship – Greensboro, NC | July 20-24, 2018
- 13U DIII East Coast National Championship – Hampton, VA | July 12-15, 2018
- 13U DIII Southeast National Championship – Orlando, FL | July 5-9, 2018
- 14U DI/DII National Championships – Orlando, FL | July 5-9, 2018
- 14U/8th Grade National Championship – Orlando, FL | July 5-9, 2018
- 14U/8th Grade Super Showcase (Open) – Orlando, FL | July 25-29, 2018
- 14U/8th Grade Super Showcase (Open) – Las Vegas, NV | July 20-22, 2018

- 14U DIII E. Coast National Championship – Hampton, VA | July 27-29, 2018
- 14U DIII Southeast National Championship – Orlando, FL | July 5-9, 2018
- 15U/9th Grade DI/DII Nat'l Championships – Orlando, FL | July 18-22, 2018
- 15U/9th Grade Super Showcase (Open) – Orlando, FL | July 25-29, 2018
- 15U/9th Grade Super Showcase (Open) – Las Vegas, NV | July 20-22, 2018
- 15U/9th Grade DIII E. Coast Nationals – Hampton, VA | July 27-29, 2018
- 15U/9th Grade DIII Southeast Nationals – Orlando, FL | July 5-9, 2018
- 16U/10th Grade DI/DII Nat'l Championships – Orlando, FL | July 18-22, 2018
- 16U/10th Grade Super Showcase (Open) – Orlando, FL | July 25-29, 2018
- 16U/10th Grade Super Showcase (Open) – Las Vegas, NV | July 20-22, 2018
- 16U/10th DIII Grade E. Coast Nat'ls – Hampton, VA | June 29-July 1, 2018
- 16U/10th DIII Grade Southeast Nationals – Orlando, FL | July 5-9, 2018
- 17U/11th Grade DI/DII Nat'l Championships – Orlando, FL | July 18-22, 2018
- 17U/11th Grade Super Showcase (Open) – Orlando, FL | July 25-29, 2018
- 17U/11th Grade Super Showcase (Open) – Las Vegas, NV | July 20-22, 2018
- 17U/11th DIII Grade E. Coast Nat'ls – Hampton, VA | June 29-July 1, 2018
- 17U/11th DIII Grade Southeast Nationals – Orlando, FL | July 5-9, 2018



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The official rules will be those of the Georgia High School Association for the current year, except where modified by the AAU Boys' Basketball Rule Book and the Georgia Boys' Basketball Committee.

- The placement of teams in pools in Georgia AAU Boys' Basketball District Qualifying Tournaments is solely a subjective process and is done for the benefit of the competition as a whole. No club member, individual athlete, fan, or parent shall have a cause of action against the Sport Director – or the Executive Committee – with respect to any issue related to a team's placement in a pool.
- **Dress Code:** Coaches and bench personnel **MUST** adhere to the AAU dress code: collared shirt, khaki long pants, or slacks and closed-toed shoes; no hats, no blue jeans, no shorts, no sweat pants, no t-shirts, nor open-toed shoes. Non-compliance can disallow coaches and bench personnel from being able to sit on the bench during their scheduled games.
- **Residency/Participation:** The athlete must be a resident of the Georgia District or adjoining districts (Florida, North Carolina, South Carolina, Southeastern-AL, or Southeastern-TN) by May 1, 2018, to compete in the Georgia District as an athlete. No more than three (3) athletes from an adjoining district can participate on one Georgia District club in an AAU licensed event.
- **Roster Check-In/Verification Procedures:** There will be **MANDATORY** roster check-in prior to each team's first scheduled game, so teams should arrive at least thirty (30) minutes prior to their first scheduled game of the tournament. Each team needs to bring along with their official AAU roster current AAU cards for all athletes and non-athletes



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that are on the official AAU roster. Non-athletes must check in with a government issued ID to receive their badge. Badges must be worn at all times while on the bench and to enter the playing facility free of charge. Each team is allotted four (4) non-athletes and fifteen (15) athletes.

A. 8U - 14U: Proof of age is required; acceptable forms of age verification are as follows (only one form of age verification is required, not all):

- An unexpired passport
- An unexpired driver's license
- A Department of Motor Vehicles I.D. card issued within the last three (3) years
- A military dependent I.D.
- SportsAge I.D. → <https://www.sportsageid.com/home/aaulinkpage>
- Athletes can be no older than the age restriction of each division on August 31, 2018.

B. 11U/5th Grade - 17U/11th Grade: Proof of age is required; acceptable forms of age verification are as follows (only one form of age verification is required, not all):

- An unexpired passport
- An unexpired driver's license
- A Department of Motor Vehicles I.D. card issued within the last three (3) years
- A military dependent I.D.
- SportsAge I.D. → <https://www.sportsageid.com/home/aaulinkpage>



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C. 11U/5th Grade - 17U/11th Grade (Grade Exception Athletes): Proof of grade is required for grade exception athletes; acceptable forms of grade verification is as follows (only one form grade verification is required, not all):

- A photocopy of that portion of the athletes' report card for the current school year which shows his name, grade, and school.
- Confirmation of grade level from a school administrator (e.g., guidance counselor, principal, dean, etc.) on official school letterhead.

D. Eligibility/Competition Rules (11U/5th Grade - 17U/11th Grade Only):

- **11U/5th Grade:** An athlete who is in the 5th grade as of October 1, 2017 and who is no older than 12 on August 31, 2018 is eligible to play in the 11U/5th grade division.
- **12U/6th Grade:** An athlete who is in the 6th grade as of October 1, 2017 and who is no older than 13 on August 31, 2018 is eligible to play in the 12U/6th grade division.
- **13U/7th Grade:** An athlete who is in the 7th grade as of October 1, 2017 and who is no older than 14 on August 31, 2018 is eligible to play in the 13U/7th grade division.
- **14U/8th Grade:** An athlete who is in the 8th grade as of October 1, 2017 and who is no older than 15 on August 31, 2018 is eligible to play in the 14U/8th grade division.
- **15U/9th Grade:** An athlete who is in the 9th grade as of October 1, 2017 and who is no older than 16 on August 31, 2018 is eligible to play in the 15U/9th grade division.



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- **16U/10th Grade:** An athlete who is in the 10th grade as of October 1, 2017 and who is no older than 17 on August 31, 2018 is eligible to play in the 16U/10th grade division.
- **17U/11th Grade:** An athlete who is in the 11th grade as of October 1, 2017 and who is no older than 18 on August 31, 2018 is eligible to play in the 17U/11th grade division.
- **Home, Guest/Visitor, & Jersey Colors:** The home team shall be on the left side of the schedule in pool play/top of bracket in bracket play and shall wear **LIGHT** colored jerseys; the guest/visitor will be on the right side of the schedule/bottom of the bracket in bracket play and shall wear **BLACK/DARK**.
- **Arm sleeves, knee sleeves, lower leg sleeves and tights are permissible (NFHS, Rule 3-5-3):**
 - a. Anything worn on the arm and/or leg is a sleeve, except a knee brace, and shall meet the color restrictions.
 - b. The sleeves/tights shall be black, white, beige or the predominant color of the uniform and the same color sleeves/tights shall be worn by teammates.
 - c. All sleeves/tights shall be the same solid color and must be the same color as any headband or wristband worn.
- **Game Guarantee:** Each team is guaranteed a three (3) game minimum; the third (3rd) game could be in either pool play or in single-elimination championship bracket play.
- **Recovery Time:** The minimum recovery time between games is one (1) game.



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- **Pool Play Tie Breaker:**

1. In any situation where two (2) teams are tied, head-to-head competition between the teams will determine the winner.
2. If more than two (2) teams tie, a point differential tie-breaker will be applied. The point differentials of the teams involved in the tie are totaled. Teams are then ranked according to the sum of the point differential - with the highest number placing above the second highest point total and the third highest point total next. (The maximum that you can beat a team and still gain an advantage is 15 points.)
3. If two (2) teams are still tied after the application of the formula, go back to (1.) to break the tie.
4. If more than two (2) teams are still tied after the application of the formula, the point differentials of the team(s) not involved in the tie are added, and the results recalculated.
5. The score of all forfeits shall be 15-0.
6. If there is still a three way tie, a three way flip of the coin will determine team placement.

- **Playing Times:**

8U and 9U – Four (4) 6 minute quarters/5 minute halftime/3 minute overtime

10U, 11U, 11U/5th Grade, 12U, and 12U/6th Grade – Four (4) 7 minute quarters/5 minute halftime/3 minute overtime

13U, 13U/7th Grade, 14U, 14U/8th Grade - 17U/11th Grade – Four (4) 8 minute quarters/5 minute halftime/4 minute overtime

- **Forfeit Procedure:** Game time is forfeit time, so please be on time; however, coaches and game officials do not have the authority to declare a forfeit, due to a team not being



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on time. The Tournament Commissioner must be notified immediately with regard to a team not being on time for their scheduled game.

- **Timeouts:** Teams are allowed five (5) timeouts: three (3) Full/Two (2) 30-second. Timeouts carry over from each half and into overtime. Teams gain one (1) additional timeout per overtime period. **The game will continue until there is a winner.**
- **Fouls:** Players foul out on their fifth (5th) foul. Teams shoot 1-and-1 on the 7th, 8th, and 9th team foul; and shoot double bonus on the 10th foul and on in each half, including overtime.
- **Misbehavior/Ejections:**
 1. Any coach ejected for fighting will be removed for the remainder of the tournament.
 2. Any player recorded on the official score sheet as ejected for fighting will be prohibited from playing in their next scheduled game. Penalties up to expulsion from the tournament can be levied upon players ejected for fighting.
 3. If a coach or player is ejected from a game for unsportsmanlike conduct (not fighting), he/she will be ineligible to participate in their next scheduled game. The head coach may appeal the penalty by submitting a written request to the Sport Director in writing within two (2) hours of the conclusion of the game.
 4. If a coach or player is ejected a second time, he/she will be ineligible for participating in the remainder of the tournament.
 5. Coaches or athletes who leave the confines of the bench to engage players, coaches, or officials on the playing floor can face expulsion from the tournament.
 6. The Georgia Boys' Basketball Committee may impose suspensions or other penalties which occurs at any time and any location during the event.
 7. Coaches and athletes who engage in misbehavior are subject to additional disciplinary action from the Georgia Boys' Basketball Committee. Penalties may include suspension from AAU events in future years.



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- **Protest Procedure:** Protest must be submitted by a non-athlete listed on the official online roster for the event. All protests must be submitted in writing along with a \$100 cash deposit; the \$100 cash deposit will be refunded if the protest is upheld. Protests must be made at the start of the game that's being protested. The Tournament Commissioner must be notified immediately with regard to any and all protests. **Please Note:** Judgment calls are not circumstances that can be brought up for protest. Protests that are made with regard to an athlete's eligibility must be made the first (1st) day of competition, to be heard. Protests made after this time will be heard at the discretion of the Tournament Commissioner.
- **Equipment - Ball Size:**
 - a) **8U - 12U/6th Grade:** Use the 28.5 circumference basketball
 - b) **13U - 17U/11th Grade:** Use the 29.5 circumference basketball
- **Press Rule:**
 1. **For 8U, 9U, and 10U:** Teams ahead by 20 points or more at any point in the second half must play defense behind their three-point arc.

First offense: Warning
Second and all additional offenses: 2 shot administrative technical
 2. **For 11U and older:** Teams ahead by 30 points or more at any point in the second half must play defense behind their three-point arc.

First offense: Warning
Second and all additional offenses: 2 shot administrative technical



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- **Mercy Rule (Adopted by the Georgia Boys' Basketball Committee):**
 1. **For 8U, 9U, and 10U:** Teams ahead by 20 points or more at any point in the second half, the clock will run continuously, stopping only for timeouts and other instances deemed necessary by the game officials (referees). If the lead drops to 10 points, the clock will return to a regulation (stopped) clock.
 2. **For 11U and older:** Teams ahead by 30 points or more at any point in the second half, the clock will run continuously, stopping only for timeouts and other instances deemed necessary by the game officials (referees). If the lead drops to 20 points, the clock will return to a regulation (stopped) clock.

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Participating Teams

Pool A

Atlanta Xpress-Fuller

Georgia Stars 2022 DL

SLS Warriors

Student Athletes of Cobb

Pool B

Georgia Stars 2022 KW

Aztecs 4ALL2ENVY

ECL Basketball-Kennedy

Valdosta City Sabers

Pool C

Team Swish

Silverbacks Basketball Club

East Georgia Panthers

Atlanta Lakers

Playing times and other regulations: Four (4) 8 minute quarters/5 minute halftime/4 minute overtime.
The team on left side of schedule will be the home team (light colored jerseys), and the team on right of schedule will be the guests (dark colored jerseys).

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Saturday, 5 May 2018 - [Blue Gymnasium](#)

10:00 am	ATL Xpress	vs.	GA Stars DL
11:15 am	SLS Warriors	vs.	Student Athletes
12:30 pm	GA Stars KW	vs.	Aztecs
1:45 pm	SLS Warriors	vs.	ATL Xpress
3:00 pm	GA Stars DL	vs.	Student Athletes
4:15 pm	GA Stars KW	vs.	ECL-Kennedy
5:30 pm	ATL Xpress	vs.	Student Athletes
6:45 pm	GA Stars DL	vs.	SLS Warriors
8:00 pm	Valdosta	vs.	GA Stars KW

Playing times and other regulations: Four (4) 8 minute quarters/5 minute halftime/4 minute overtime.
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Saturday, 5 May 2018 - Red Gymnasium

10:00 am	Team Swish	vs.	Silverbacks
11:15 am	East Georgia	vs.	ATL Lakers
12:30 pm	ECL-Kennedy	vs.	Valdosta
1:45 pm	Team Swish	vs.	East Georgia
3:00 pm	Silverbacks	vs.	ATL Lakers
4:15 pm	Aztecs	vs.	Valdosta
5:30 pm	ATL Lakers	vs.	Team Swish
6:45 pm	Silverbacks	vs.	East Georgia
8:00 pm	Aztecs	vs.	ECL-Kennedy

Playing times and other regulations: Four (4) 8 minute quarters/5 minute halftime/4 minute overtime.
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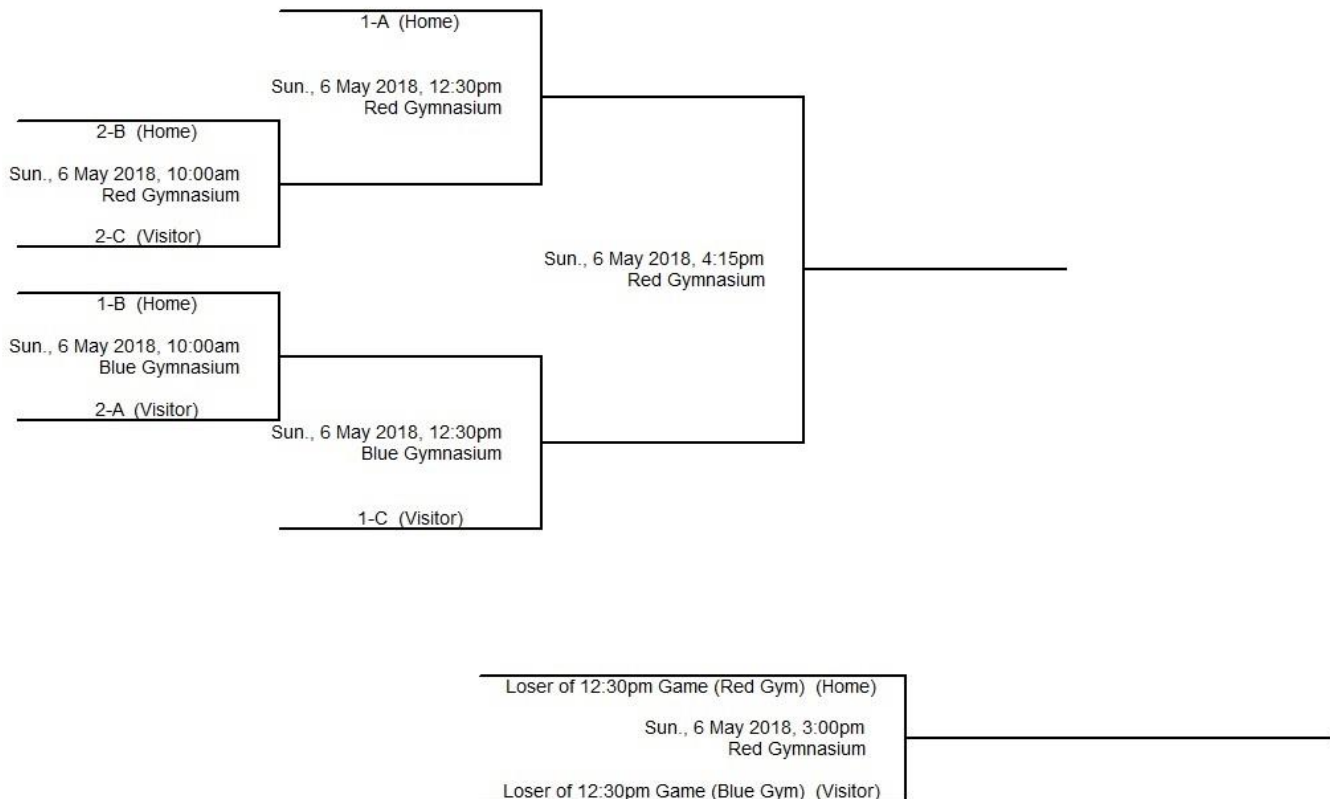
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