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**53<sup>rd</sup> ANNUAL TOPEKA INVITATIONAL TOURNAMENT**  
**January 23–25, 2014**  
**Hosted by Topeka High School**

**Participating Schools:**

Highland Park, K.C.-Washington, Lawrence High, Olathe South, Topeka High,  
Topeka West, Wichita Northwest, Wichita South

**Tournament Location:**

All games will be played at Topeka High School, 800 SW 10<sup>th</sup> Ave., Topeka, KS

**Tournament Game Times:**

Thursday, January 23 <sup>rd</sup>	3:15, 5:00, 6:45, 8:30 pm
Friday, January 24 <sup>th</sup>	3:15, 5:00, 6:45, 8:30 pm
Saturday, January 25 <sup>th</sup>	12:00, 1:45, 3:30, 5:30 pm

**Program Information:**

Your completed information sheet (attached) must be submitted to Rod Hasenbank, no later than Tuesday, January 14, 2014. We would like to add a team photograph to the programs this year, so please e-mail to: [rhasenb@topeka.k12.ks.us](mailto:rhasenb@topeka.k12.ks.us).

**Arrival Time:**

Dressing rooms will be opened one hour prior to game time. Each team will be assigned a dressing room. Teams are expected to exit locker room and take belongings at the end of each game.

**Bench, Uniform and Goal Assignments:**

The school listed on the top line in each bracket pairing will be designated as the “home team” and will wear light-colored uniforms. The “home team” bench will be to the left of the official scorer’s table from his normal position as he faces the floor, and their basket for warm-ups and the start of the game, will be the basket to the right of the scorer.

**Ticket Prices:**

\$5.00 – Adults

\$3.00 – K-12 Students

**No passes of any type will be accepted for admission to this tournament.**

**Pass Gate:**

The pass gate will be located at the southwest doors of the gym lobby at the Western St. entrance. Persons to be admitted free are:

- 12 players and 3 student managers
- Head coach and 4 assistant coaches
- Other school personnel designated on the official pass gate list from each participating school.
- Varsity yell/cheerleaders for the session in which their team is scheduled to play (Must be in uniform).
- Participating band members for the time in which their school is scheduled to play. (Lists of cheerleaders and band members must be sent to the tournament manager for use at the pass gate.)
- Performing spirit squads for their scheduled times (must be in uniform).
- **All individuals expecting to gain free admission to the tournament must enter through the pass gate. Their names must appear on a pre-submitted list. Each participating school is responsible for submitting its own list.**

**Certified Athletic Trainer:**

Ashley Zeltwanger, ATC/LAT, from St. Francis Health Center Sports Medicine, will provide athletic training services for the entire tournament.

**Valuables, Practice Balls, and Towels:**

1. Basketballs for team warm-ups will be provided by Nill Bros., but teams may bring their own basketballs if they wish.
2. Each team is responsible for the safekeeping of their valuables. Please do not leave valuables in locker or dressing rooms. We suggest that each team assign a manager or other individual to be responsible for the safekeeping of team valuables. Topeka High School will not be responsible for any lost or misplaced items.
3. Teams should provide their own towels. The host team will not provide towels.

**Timers and Scorers:**

Only those individuals officially designated by the tournament manager as scorers or timers are permitted to sit at the scorers/timers table.

**Seating Arrangements:**

1. All pep or spirit clubs are to sit in the designated area in the gym, as assigned by the tournament manager.
2. Schools will be assigned seating areas. Please inform all fans to read signs as they enter the gym so they can locate their school's assigned area.

**Band and Spirit Teams:**

School bands will be allowed to play during their school's games. They are to sit in areas designated by the tournament manager. Please notify tournament manager if your school's band plans to play during your games. The following half-time entertainment has been arranged:

January 23, 8:30 game: Topeka High Dance Team & Steppers

January 24, 8:30 game: Topeka West Westsiders

January 25, 5:30 game: Highland Park Dance Team  
Topeka High Drumline

**Hospitality Room:**

There will be a hospitality room open to coaches, administration, tournament workers, officials, security and members of the press. It will be located in the Student Cafeteria. Please extend your thanks to Wendy's for their generous contributions.

**Security:**

Uniformed officers of U.S.D. 501 School Police and Topeka Police Department will provide security throughout the tournament.

**Parking:**

Team buses may drop off students on Western St in front of the main gym doors. School busses may then park in front of the school on 10<sup>th</sup> St., in either the student or KNEA parking lot on the south side of 10<sup>th</sup> St. (across from the front of high school).

**Tobacco Use Prohibited:**

Smoking is not permitted anywhere in the buildings or on school grounds.

**Tournament All-Academic Team:**

Students-Athletes on your 12 man roster who have a cumulative GPA of 3.5 or higher qualify for the Tournament All-Academic Team. Please send a copy of their school transcript that shows their cumulative GPA with your roster and school information sheet so they can be recognized.

**Seeding & Brackets:**

Seeding of teams will occur immediately following Jan. 14<sup>th</sup> games.

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**Wendy's Restaurants:**

Wendy's Restaurants provide a great amount of financial assistance to help put on the T.I.T. and we would appreciate your support of the local Wendy's for pre- or post-game meals for your team and/or fans. Listed below are the 5 local Wendy's restaurants and phone numbers if you would like to call in advance to place orders for your team.

5 Wendy's Restaurants in Topeka

\*728 SW Topeka Blvd. – 785-232-8118

1251 SW Gage Blvd. – 785-272-5430

3250 SW Topeka Blvd. – 785-267-3288

1820 SW Wanamaker Rd. – 785-271-9097

2025 N. Topeka Blvd. – 785-233-3220

\*Closest to Topeka High & Ramada Inn

**Officials Assigned to Work Tournament Games:**

Thursday January 23	Friday January 24	Saturday January 25
3:15 Game TBA	3:15 Game TBA	12:00 Game TBA
5:00 Game TBA	5:00 Game TBA	1:45 Game TBA
6:45 Game TBA	6:45 Game TBA	3:30 Game TBA
8:30 Game TBA	8:30 Game TBA	5:30 Game TBA



# Topeka Invitational Tournament

January 23-25, 2014

Please type or print LEGIBLY, and list players in numerical order.

School: \_\_\_\_\_

	Number	Name	Height	Year
1)	_____	_____	_____	_____
2)	_____	_____	_____	_____
3)	_____	_____	_____	_____
4)	_____	_____	_____	_____
5)	_____	_____	_____	_____
6)	_____	_____	_____	_____
7)	_____	_____	_____	_____
8)	_____	_____	_____	_____
9)	_____	_____	_____	_____
10)	_____	_____	_____	_____
11)	_____	_____	_____	_____
12)	_____	_____	_____	_____

Head Coach: \_\_\_\_\_

Assistants 1) \_\_\_\_\_ 2) \_\_\_\_\_

3) \_\_\_\_\_ 4) \_\_\_\_\_

Managers: 1) \_\_\_\_\_ 2) \_\_\_\_\_

3) \_\_\_\_\_

Superintendent: \_\_\_\_\_ Principal: \_\_\_\_\_

Athletic Director: \_\_\_\_\_ Cheer Sponsor: \_\_\_\_\_

School Colors: \_\_\_\_\_ School Mascot: \_\_\_\_\_

Please return **no later than January 14, 2014**. Faxes may be sent to: 785-438-5941  
Email to Rod Hasenbank – [rhasenb@topeka.k12.ks.us](mailto:rhasenb@topeka.k12.ks.us) or Wilda Edwards –  
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