



DISTRICT II SOCCER PLAYOFFS 2026

- The District II Soccer Tournament will utilize the approved power rating system format in determining seeding for 2026.
- The Boys' Tournament will consist of the top 8 teams (power rating) in A, AA and AAA as well as any other team that has an overall record of .500 or above. In AAAA, all teams will qualify.
- The Girls' Tournament will consist of the top 8 teams (power rating) in A, AA and AAAA as well as any other team that has an overall record of .500 or above. In AAA all teams will qualify.
- If a team chooses to opt out of the tournament, they must contact Brian Durkin or Frank Majikes by no later than **Friday, October 16th**.
- All games will be played on the home field of the higher seeded team. The District II Soccer Committee will determine eligibility to host the championship game.
- There will not be a medal presentation following the championship contest. Medals will be provided to both the Champion and Second Place Team. Presentation of the championship plaque will follow the Championship game. District II will provide 24 medals to both the first and second place finishers following the match. Schools may purchase additional medals from the vendor – Honor Awards (570-562-2140).
- Officials will be assigned by District II. Three officials will work each game. The fee for officials will be **\$98 for the "R"** and **\$89 for the sides**.

- Each team will supply 2 people to run the sidelines to retrieve balls that go out of bounds. They are to wear appropriate attire which is different than the game jerseys worn by either team.
- Signs, banners must be permanently fastened. Face and Body painting are prohibited.
- Overtime – (2/15 minute periods) if necessary – penalty shots
- Each team is to bring a timing clock and a sounding device
- Each team will provide 3 game balls.
- First, Second, and Semifinal Rounds – Game Managers will be the Athletic Director of the Home Team. A game manager will be appointed by District II for all Championship Matches.
- **The only admission charge will be for the Championship games – all other games will be free admission contests. Presale Tickets will be made available on Hometown Ticketing and will be \$10 (including fees) for both students and adults. Tickets will also be available at the gate for \$10 cash (exact change). Tickets for the Championship games will NOT be released for purchase until both contestants for that game are known. In order to host the Championship game a school must be able to provide the necessary requirements to charge admission.**
- Each school's administration is responsible for crowd control and bench conduct.
- District II will provide trainers for the finals if the home team is unable to do so. The home team is responsible for providing trainers and timers for their game.
- Uniforms –
Visiting team – White colored uniforms, including socks
Home Team- Dark Colored uniform, including socks.

There will be NO awards ceremony following the championship contests. Medals will be given to the school's Athletic Director/Principal for distribution to their teams.

District II Soccer Dates

All dates are tentative – the District II Soccer Committee reserves the right to adjust playing dates as necessary. **First Round will occur ONLY if more than 8 teams qualify in the bracket.**

A Boys	1 st Round	Oct. 27 th	A Girls	Quarterfinals	Oct 28th
	Quarterfinals	Oct 30th		Semifinals	Oct 31st
	Semifinals	Nov 3rd		Finals	Nov 4th
	Finals	Nov 6th			
AA Boys	1 st Round	Oct. 27 th	AA Girls	1 st Round	Oct. 28th
	Quarterfinals	Oct. 30th		Quarterfinals	Oct 31st
	Semifinals	Nov 3rd		Semifinals	Nov 4th
	Finals	Nov 6th		Finals	Nov 7th
AAA Boys	1 st Round	Oct 27 th	AAA Girls	1 st Round	Oct. 28th
	Quarterfinals	Oct. 30th		Quarterfinals	Oct 31st
	Semifinals	Nov 3rd		Semifinals	Nov 4th
	Finals	Nov 6th		Finals	Nov 7th
AAAA Boys	Quarterfinals	Oct. 28th	AAAA Girls	Quarterfinals	Oct 29th
	Semifinals	Nov 2nd		Semifinals	Nov 3rd
	Finals	Nov 5th		Finals	Nov 6th

The District II Soccer Committee may adjust the schedule as needed. In all cases, the rain date for a postponed match is the next day. Further, if a playoff game is scheduled for a Friday, schools can mutually agree to move the game to Thursday or Saturday to accommodate football.

The First Round of the PIAA Championships is on Tuesday, November 10th as follow:

Girls

11-1 @ 2-1 A

2-1 @ 4-1 AA

4-1 @ 2-1 AAA

1-4 @ 2-1/4-1 AAAA

Boys

2-1 @ 4-1 A

4-1 @ 2-1 AA

1-2 @ 2-1 AAA

11-2 @ 2-1/4-1 AAAA

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