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**2018-19 SCIAA MIDDLE SCHOOL BASKETBALL**

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| **All scheduling questions and changes should be sent to:****MARCUS J TAYLOR** **Office: 901.416-6253****Cell: 901.502.0015****Email:** **taylormj@scsk12.org** | **Official’s Assigning Agent(s)****Greg Mathis****901.230.7846** |

**Important Dates**

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| September 12th  | SCIAA Basketball Coaches’ Meeting | 4:30 pm | SCIAA Office |
| September 24th | TMSAA First Practice Date |  |  |
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| October 3rd  | SCIAA Deadline to submit Non-League Games | 12:00am | SCIAA Office |
| October 26th & 27th | SCIAA Middle School Basketball Jamboree | 5:00pm(Fri)9:00am(Sat) | SCIAA Complex |
| October 24th  | TMSAA Deadline to File Eligibility & Schedules |  | TSSAA |
| October 29th  | First Contest Date  | TBD | Various Locations |
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| November 21st - 23rd  | SCS Thanksgiving Break |  | Districtwide  |
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| December 17th-19th  | SCS Semester Exams |  |  |
| December 20th -January 1st  | Winter Break |  |  |
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| January 2nd – 4th  | Anti-Bullying Tournament |  | SCIAA Complex |
| January 7th  | SCS Students First Day Back |  |  |
| January 9th  | SCIAA Championship Meeting | 4:00 pm | SCIAA Office |
| January 11th- 19th   | SCIAA Middle School Basketball Championship | TBA | TBA |
| January 21st  | SCS Martin Luther King Jr. Day |  |  |
| January 24th  | TMSAA West TN Sectionals Meeting | 11:00am | SCIAA Complex |
| January 26th – February 4th  | TMSAA West TN Sectionals Tournament | 11:00am | SCIAA Complex |
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| February 8th & 9th  | TMSAA Basketball Championship | TBA | Clarksville,Tn |
| February 20th  | SCIAA Middle School All-Star Game | 6:00pm | SCIAA Complex |
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*\*All dates are subject to change.*

**THE FIRST DAY OF PRACTICE**

Each student-athlete must have a completed Athlete’s Health Record (comprised of a cleared pre-participation physical examination, emergency information, informed consent, acknowledgement of risk and authorization to treat signed by parent/guardian) and the Tennessee State Concussion Law “Concussion Information & Signature Form” before he or she can participate in a try-out, practice, or game.

**BASKETBALL SCHEDULE**

TSSAA max number of games is 18.

All games must be turned in to the SCIAA and reflected on the SCIAA master schedule available at [www.sciaa.digitalsports.com](http://www.sciaa.digitalsports.com)

**The SCIAA does not reimburse schools for official’s fees for Non-league Games, Tournaments, or Junior Varsity games.**

**TICKET PRICE**

$5.00 Max

Pre-sale tickets cannot be sold by the Visiting team.

**TIME OF GAME**

Varsity girls will begin at 5:30pm. Varsity boys will begin at 6:30pm.

All games will start at the designated time unless otherwise indicated in writing through the SCIAA. To make a game change the host team must notify the SCIAA, SCS security, and the assigning official three days prior to the contest.

**INCLEMENT WEATHER**

If a scheduled game is cancelled due to schools closing, the game will be rescheduled by the SCIAA office. If schools are closed on the day of a meeting, the meeting will be rescheduled by the SCIAA office.

**SECURITY PERSONNEL**

Security personnel will be assigned to middle school games by the security assignor, **Mr. Steve Cole** (416-5300). All regular season contests, except tournaments/classics will be assigned via the SCIAA Middle School Basketball schedule.

**SCORING AND TIMING**

Home teams must provide responsible adults to be in charge of scoring and timing *at each scheduled game*.

***PLEASE NOTE***: Middle Schools not providing responsible adults for scoring and timing will ***FORFEIT*** the game and will not be reimbursed for paying the officials***!***

**ASSIGNING OFFICIALS FEES**

There is a $65.00 assigning fee per school. The SCIAA office will deduct these fees from your officials’ reimbursement at the end of the season. The officials should call the home school’s financial secretary by 12 noon on the day of the game. If they fail to do so, please call the assigning agent immediately!

PLEASE NOTE: Shelby Metro Basketball Association officials must be used for all middle school games.

The official’s assigning agent is **Greg Mathis** 901.230.7846 cell.

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| **Two Officials** |  |
| **1 game-$50.00 each** |  |
| **2 games-$70.00 each** |  |

**ELIGIBILITY LIST**

Student-athletes (Varsity, Junior Varsity) must be listed on their school’s eligibility roster sent to the TSSAA one week prior to the first contest.

**SCIAA CHAMPIONSHIPS**

The Championship meeting will be Tuesday, January 9, 2019 at the SCIAA office. The meeting will be mandatory. If the head coach cannot be in attendance, a school representative must be present. The schools with the best overall record will be awarded “home-team” distinction.

**SCIAA CHAMPIONSHIP**

For the SCIAA Championship, the tiebreaker will follow SCIAA Constitutional Bylaws; Page 11/67 SCIAA Constitution and Bylaws-103.2(SCIAA Web-site)

103.2 Tie Breaking Procedure

a. Head-to-Head competition in league play. If teams have played each other during the season, the

outcome of these games will resolve the tie.

b. If a tie remains after (a), the tiebreaker will be determined by how teams have done against the next highest seeded teams in their respective league: 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, etc.

c. If the tie remains after (a) and (b), the overall win-loss record against teams within that classification will be used to break the tie. This only includes games played in your classification with member teams of TSSAA.

d. If the tie remains after (a), (b), and (c), the best overall record will be used to break the tie. The best overall record includes games and tournaments with all teams associated with the National

Federation of State High School Associations (*NFHS*). Scheduled games must be on an Official SCIAA

Schedule to count for championship purposes.

e. If a tie remains, a coin will be tossed. A draw will be used to determine who will call the coin toss