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2019 AIA State Cross Country

TOURNAMENT GUIDE

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Schedule, Rules, Regulations, Instructions

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Division I

Section I **Site:** Cesar Chavez Park
Host School: Trevor Browne High School
Date: Thursday November 7, 2019
Tournament Director: Robert Mika **623-203-7646**
rmika@phoenixunion.org

Section II **Site:** Rose Mofford Sports Complex
Date: Wednesday November 6, 2019
Host School: Glendale High School
Tournament Director: Julie Patton **623-435-6226**
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Section III **Site:** Gilbert Crossroads Park
Date: Friday November 8, 2019
Host School: Chandler High School
Tournament Director: David Shapiro **602-918-6479**
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Division II

Section I **Site:** Rio Rico High School
Date: Wednesday November 6, 2019
Host School: Rio Rico High School
Tournament Director: Steve Schadler **520-375-8762**
sschadler@scv35.org

Section II **Site:** Rose Mofford Sports Complex
Date: Wednesday November 6, 2019
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Tournament Director: Julie Patton **623-435-6226**
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Section III **Site:** Cesar Chavez Park
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Section IV **Site:** Gilbert Crossroads Park
Date: Friday November 8, 2019
Host School: Chandler High School
Tournament Director: David Shapiro **602-918-6479**
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Division III

Section I	Site: Date: Host School: Tournament Director:	Rio Rico High School Wednesday November 6, 2019 Rio Rico High School Steve Schadler 520-375-8762 sschadler@scv35.org
Section II	Site: Date: Host School: Tournament Director:	Gilbert Crossroads Park Friday November 8, 2019 Chandler High School David Shapiro 602-918-6479 Dshapiro@aiaonline.org
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Section IV	Site: Date: Host School: Tournament Director:	Hidden Cove Golf Course Friday November 8, 2019 Holbrook High School Paul Demuth 928-524-2815 demuth@holbrook.k12.az.us

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Division One, Section One	Section Two	Section Three
Alhambra	Boulder Creek	Cibola
Basha	Chaparral	Copper Canyon
Brophy Prep	Dobson	Corona del Sol
Cesar Chavez	Liberty	Desert Ridge
Chandler	Mesa	Desert Vista
Hamilton	Mountain Ridge	Highland
Maryvale	Mountain View	Kofa
North	Pinnacle	La Joya Community
Perry	Red Mountain	Mountain Pointe
Trevor Browne	Sandra Day O'Connor	Queen Creek
Tucson	Skyline	San Luis
Xavier	Westwood	Shadow Ridge
		Tolleson
		Valley Vista
		Westview

Division Two, Section One	Section Two	Section Three	Section Four
Buena	Apollo	Agua Fria	Arcadia
Canyon del Oro	Barry Goldwater	Betty Fairfax	Campo Verde
Cholla	Cactus Shadows	Camelback	Casa Grande
Catalina Foothills	Centennial	Carl Hayden	Casteel
Cienega	Deer Valley	Central	Desert Mountain
Desert View	Flagstaff	Desert Edge	Gilbert
Empire	Glendale	Dysart	Higley
Flowing Wells	Independence	Gila Ridge	Horizon
Ironwood Ridge	Ironwood	Lake Havasu	Maricopa
Marana	Sierra Linda	Metro Tech	McClintock
Mountain View	Sunnyslope	Millennium	Mesquite
Nogales	Sunrise Mountain	North Canyon	Notre Dame
Pueblo	Washington	Raymond S. Kellis	Paradise Valley
Rincon/University	Willow Canyon	South Mountain	Tempe
Sahuaro		Verrado	Williams Field
Sunnyside			

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Division Three, Section One	Section Two	Section Three	Section Four
Amphitheater	ALA Ironwood	Buckeye	Blue Ridge
Catalina	ALA Queen Creek	Cactus	Bradshaw Mountain
Coolidge	AZ College Prep	Canyon View	Chinle
Douglas	Apache Junction	Chino Valley	Coconino
Palo Verde	Benjamin Franklin	Cortez	Ganado
Rio Rico	Combs	Estrella Foothills	Holbrook
Sabino	Coronado	Greenway	Mingus Union
Safford		Kingman	Monument Valley
Sahuarita	Florence	Kingman Academy	Page
Salpointe	Fountain Hills	Lee Williams	Payson
Tanque Verde	Gilbert Christian	Mohave	Prescott
Vista Grande	Marcos de Niza	Moon Valley	Show Low
Walden Grove	Poston Butte	North Pointe Prep	Snowflake
	Saguaro	Odyssey Institute	Tuba City
	San Tan Foothills	Paradise Honors	Window Rock
	Seton	Peoria	Winslow
	St Mary's	River Valley	
	Yuma	Shadow Mountain	
	Yuma Catholic	Thunderbird	
		Westpoint	
		Wickenburg	
		Youngker	

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Division Four, Section One	Section Two	Section Three	Section Four
Anthem Prep	ASDB	Alchesay	ALA Gilbert
Arizona Lutheran	Baboquivari	Basis—Flagstaff	Arete Prep
BASIS-Phoenix	Benson	Camp Verde	Chandler Prep
Glendale Prep	Bisbee	Dishchii Bikoh	Cicero Prep
North Phoenix Prep	Fort Thomas	Grand Canyon	Gilbert Classical
Northwest Christian	Immaculate Heart	Greyhills	Globe
North Valley Christian	Morenci	Hopi	Heritage Academy-Laveen
Parker	Patagonia	Joseph City	Horizon Honors
Phoenix Christian	Pima	Many Farms	Leading Edge
Phoenix Country Day	Pusch Ridge	Northland Prep	Lincoln Prep
San Pasqual	San Carlos	Pinon	Miami
St. John Paul II	San Manuel	Red Mesa	
Tonopah Valley	Santa Rita	Red Valley-Cove	Rancho Solano Prep
Trivium Prep	St. Augustine	Rock Pointe	Ray
Valley Lutheran	St. David	Rough Rock	Scottsdale Christian
Veritas Prep	Thatcher	Sedona Red Rock	Scottsdale Prep
	The Gregory School	Seligman	Tempe Prep
	Tohono O’Odham	St Michaels	Valley Christian
	Tombstone	Shonto Prep	
	Willcox	Valley (Sanders)	

COACHES SECTIONAL MEET INFORMATION

1. Sign up for a free coach account at www.athletic.net (If you haven't already)
 - a. Click here to go to the Athletic.net Arizona XC Homepage:
<http://www.athletic.net/CrossCountry/Arizona/>
 - b. Find and Click on the link to your school.
 - c. Click "Sign Up for a free account"
 - d. Follow instructions to sign up and activate your account.
2. Add the sectional meet to your calendar.
 - a. Click "Edit Calendar under Coach Tools
 - b. Select the date of your sectional meet.
3. Chip timing will be used and provided by Wingfoot finish at all sectional meets:
4. Awards: The top fourteen (14) individuals will receive medals. The first place finisher will receive a championship plaque.

5- Bicycles will not be allowed on the sectional courses. Coaches nor those associated with a team are to ride bicycles as it can create an unfair advantage.

6- All Athletes entered in the sectional Cross County Championship; MUST have competed and finished at least ONE race through the season.

DEADLINES FOR SECTIONAL REGISTRATION

WEDNESDAY 12:00 PM, OCTOBER 30, 2019

All changes must be done at the coaches meeting prior to race time with the Meet Director(s)

Sectional BIB Instructions for Coaches

1. Inspect your team packet to ensure you received all your bibs
 - a. Immediately notify meet management if you are missing any
 - b. Very important – this must be done before leaving the packet pickup area
2. Distribute your bibs to all competing athletes
 - a. All athletes must wear their assigned bib, as assigned on your team roster
 - b. Athletes that are not registered should not use someone else's bib
 - c. Failure to properly distribute the bibs will result in inaccurate results
3. Athletes must properly secure their bibs with the provided safety pins

SECTIONAL MEET DIRECTOR

- All athletes running at the Sectional Meet *must be* entered with **Athletic.net**.
- All sections will be set up with Chandler High School being the host school.
- Clyde Resendez will be in charge of down loading all entries for wingfootfinish.
- Remind all teams that deadline for entering individuals and teams into state is Monday, 11/11 by noon.

STATE QUALIFYING STANDARDS FROM THE SECTIONAL:

- Each Sectional race will qualify the **top 50%** of FULL (5 or more runners) teams entered on athletic.net and from their Section. Teams must be entered by the deadline date of **Wednesday October 30, 2019**. If a Section has an odd number of entered teams the number of qualifying teams will be rounded up. Example: 11 Sectional teams entered on athletic.net will qualify 6 teams for state.
- Each Sectional race will qualify the **top 25 finishers** regardless of their team's placement. Example: If all of the top 25 finishers are members of an already qualified team then no additional finishers will qualify.
- State entry deadline is Monday, November 11, 2019 at NOON.

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Site: Cave Creek Golf Course; 15202 N. 19th Avenue; Phoenix, AZ 85023; 602-866-8076
Course Distance: 3.1 miles

Saturday, November 16, 2019

State Race Day

7:00 a.m. **Walk Through (Div. I & IV)**

Packet pick-up at white pop-up

8:25 a.m. **National Anthem**

Report Schedule

Race Schedule

8:30 a.m.	Division I Boys	8:45a.m.	Division I Boys
9:00 a.m.	Division IV Girls	9:15 a.m.	Division IV Girls
9:30 a.m.	Division I Girls	9:45 a.m.	Division I Girls
9:55 a.m.	Division IV Boys	10:10 a.m.	Division IV Boys

1020 a.m. **Walk Through (Div. II & III)**
10:30 am **Awards D1**
11:00 am **Awards D4**

12:15 p.m.	Division II Boys	12:30 p.m.	Division II Boys
12:45 p.m.	Division III Girls	1:00 p.m.	Division III Girls
1:15 p.m.	Division II Girls	1:30 p.m.	Division II Girls
1:45 p.m.	Division III Boys	2:00 p.m.	Division III Boys

2:15pm **Awards D2**
2:50 pm **Awards D3**

The race schedule is based upon a rotating formula approved by the Cross Country Sports Advisory Committee.

* All times are approximate and subject to change; **BE READY FOR YOUR RACE!**

Note: The course will not be open for a walk-through until Saturday, November 16, 2019. During your walk through please do not interfere with the any of the participants competing in the race in progress!

THE COURSE IS CLOSED FOR PRACTICE ALL YEAR AND THERE ARE NO SCHEDULED MEETS DURING THE SEASON!



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State Tournament Games Committee:

Dean Visser	AIA
Dave Shapiro	AIA Site Director
Clif McKenzie	Starter
Joe Hajek	Site Preparation
Mike Elder	Athletic Director
Paul Demuth	Athletic Director

RULES

- Rules are those of the current edition of the National Federation Track and Field/ Cross Country Rules and Records, AIA Constitution and Bylaws and these tournament instructions.
- **Bicycles will not be allowed on the Cave Creek Golf Course. Nor are coaches or those associated with a team to ride bicycles at the sectional cross country meet as it can create an unfair advantage.**
- 23.9.4 Practice on Site - A practice or competition on the site of the Sectional or Post-Season Championship Tournament, except for a regularly scheduled contest, is not permitted for seven calendar days prior to the Sectional or Post Season Championship, except in the case of the host school.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

- Certified Athletic Trainers will be on site; however, each school will be responsible for the taping/wrapping of their own athletes; including the needed supplies. The ATC's will be near the finish line area.
- Water will be available at the meet site; however it is beneficial to bring your own.
- If a participant requires medical attention, the parent/guardian/coach will be notified by the tournament staff to meet in the medical area. Under no circumstance is a parent or coach to enter the restricted area unless requested, which includes the following areas: scoring, finish and chute.

TROPHIES/MEDALS

Awards will be as noted in the AIA Constitution and Bylaws. First place teams and runners-up will receive team trophies. Individual medals will be awarded to the top 21 places in each race.

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

- The Cave Creek Golf Course will be **closed** and **off limits** until 7:00 a.m. Saturday, Nov. 16, 2019, the day of the 2019 AIA State Cross Country Meet. Walk-through of the course will begin at 7:00 a.m. **The parking lot will be open to school buses and vans only.**
- Only Teams arriving in a school district bus or van will be allowed into the golf course parking area. After the bus/van is unloaded the driver must circle the parking lot from east to west and exit the parking lot. All **school buses** will need to go to Mountain Sky Middle School for race time parking. To get to Mountain Sky Middle School exit golf course parking lot and turn left (north) onto 19th Ave and go ¼ mile to Greenway Road and turn right (east) go approximately 1 ½ miles to school. Parking attendants will instruct drivers where and how they want you to park. Bus drivers can be shuttled back to Cave Creek Golf Course. Only school **passenger cars** and **vans** will be allowed to park in the golf course parking area. If the lot is full you will be directed to drop off and go to Mountain Sky Middle school and be shuttled back to the golf course.
- Individuals or teams arriving with their coach in a personal vehicle **MUST** park at Thunderbird H.S, Turf Paradise or Mountain Sky Middle school and take shuttle to the site. It is the coaches responsibility to inform meet personnel of unusual circumstances
- In order to maintain a safe and efficient environment for all the participants, fans and workers are asked to use the walking lane from the team camp area to the main part of the course. This will be barricaded and monitored by the event Staff. We ask for your cooperation as coaches and school personnel to instruct your athletes and fans not to cross the parking lot on foot in areas of high vehicle traffic.
- Team camps are restricted to the driving range that is located to the east of the parking lot.
- Course maps will not be included in coaches packets. Down load a copy of the map from www.aiaonline.org →Coaches→Cross Country→State XC Map.
- NO PETS ARE ALLOWED—unless they are service animals. Comfort animals will not be allowed into the facility at Cave Creek Golf Course.

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2019 ADMISSION PRICE

CASH ONLY!

State Meet: \$10.00 Adults
\$5.00 Students with High School ID, active military and senior citizens (62)

The admission price **includes** the shuttle to and from the Golf Course and entrance into the event..

Tickets will be sold only at the Cave Creek Golf Course walk up or the ticket concourse. E tickets are the recommended method to avoid any lines. See GoFan.co to purchase tickets.

Due to the high volume of traffic on 19th Avenue it is highly recommended to use the shuttle service provided.

FREE ADMISSION

Children five or under

Media with proper credentials

AIA Lifetime Pass Holder and One Guest

AIA Complimentary Pass and One Guest

Photo ID required for AIA Pass Holder and all AIA Complimentary Passes

PARKING/DIRECTIONS FOR FANS

Christ Church of the Valley (CCV) parking lot will be NOT be an option this year.

Thunderbird High School, Turf Paradise and Mountain Sky Middle School parking lot will be open for **FREE** public parking.

Glendale Union Buses will provide transportation to and from the Cave Creek Golf Course parking lot with a ticket stub or an event wristband.

HANDICAPPED PARKING

There are handicapped parking spaces available at Mountain Sky Middle School and Thunderbird HS. There will be busses that are wheel chair accessible traveling between these lots and the course entrance.

Mountain Sky Middle School

16225 N. 7th Avenue
Phoenix, AZ 85023

Thunderbird High School

1750 West Thunderbird Road
Phoenix AZ, 85023
Athletic Director Chris Francis

Turf Paradise

1501 W. Bell Road (entrance off of 19th avenue)
Phoenix, AZ 85023

The AIA, Mountain Sky Middle School, Thunderbird H.S, Turf Paradise or Cave Creek Golf Course is not responsible for lost or stolen articles.

STATE MEET ENTRY PROCEDURE:

Instructions for all coaches:

1. Sign up for a free coach account at www.athletic.net (if you haven't already)
 - a. Click here to go to the Athletic.net Arizona XC Homepage: <http://www.athletic.net/CrossCountry/Arizona/>
 - b. Find and click on the link to your school.
 - c. Click "Sign up for a free account"
 - d. Follow the instructions to sign up and activate your account.
2. Enter your athletes on the "Edit Athletes" page under Coach Tools.
3. Register your athletes for the **STATE** meet.
 - a. Click on the sectional meet in your calendar.
 - b. Click "Register Athletes" under Team Tools on the right-hand side.
 - c. Each qualifying team can only register up to seven (7) runner names.
 - d. Register the appropriate athletes and click "Save Registration"

All athletes running at the State Meet **must be** entered with **Athletic.net**. Logon and follow directions at www.athletic.net.

All changes must be done at the prior to race time. Fill in the form at the packet pick up tent. Bring a pen or pencil.

DEADLINES FOR STATE REGISTRATION

MONDAY 12:00 PM, NOVEMBER 11, 2019!

PROGRAMS AND SOUVENIRS

Kukulski Brothers is the official supplier for AIA Programs and Souvenirs. ***Sale or distribution of AIA State Tournament related game programs, t-shirts or any other souvenirs by any individual or company other than the Kukulski Brothers at any AIA State Tournament playoff site or game is prohibited.***

- Playoff programs, t-shirts, caps, etc. will be available at as many sites as possible.
- Parents, spectators and participants want to see their school team picture and names included in the souvenir program. Please make every effort to meet the following deadlines.
- Please call David Kukulski or Dan Kukulski at (480) 921-1975 if you have any questions regarding AIA Team Pictures, Team Rosters, Programs, Souvenirs or Digital Photography.

The Kukulski Brothers will be available for pre-sale of Shirts on Friday 11/15/2019 between the hours of 4:00PM and 6:00PM. No one is allowed onto the course other than to purchase shirts or other souvenirs.

MEDIA CREDENTIAL POLICY

AIA has a Media Policy that needs to be followed to protect the proprietary rights of the Association and to protect the student-athletes and coaches at region and state tournament events. The following link (http://aiaonline.org/news/press_center.php) is to the AIA Media Center which houses the AIA online media credential form and the AIA approved media list (those that have requested and been granted AIA media credentials). The editor/manager of an outlet already granted access to AIA media credentials must go online and order credentials for a member of the media not on the master list. Please note that some members of the media might show up with freelance credentials. These have no pictures on them, but do allow for access to the event per the designated media outlet on the AIA media credential. Additionally, all member schools were allotted a number of school-based credentials for the school year. These will allow admittance equal to a media or freelance credential.

SECTION 26

ADA COMPLIANCE NOTICE

26.1 ADA NOTICE

It is the policy of the Arizona Interscholastic Association not to discriminate on the basis of disability in admission to, access to, or operation of its programs, services and activities, or in its hiring and employment practices.

Persons with a disability may request a reasonable accommodation, such as sign language interpreter, by making a request to the office staff. Requests should be made as early as possible to allow time to arrange the accommodation.

26.2 AIA ADA COMPLIANCE OFFICER

Questions, concerns, complaints, or requests for additional information may be forwarded to the AIA ADA Compliance officer:

David Hines
Arizona Interscholastic Association, Inc.
7007 North 18th Street
Phoenix, Arizona, 85020
602-385-3810



Shoe Tag and Bib Instructions

You will be billed **\$10** for **each** shoe tag not returned today

Pay only \$5 for missing shoe tags, if you pay for them before you leave the meet

1. Inspect your team packet to ensure you received all your bibs and shoe tags
 - *Immediately notify meet management if you are missing any bibs or shoe Tags*
 - *Very important – this must be done before leaving the packet pickup area*
 - *You will be responsible for any missing shoe tags after you leave the packet pickup area*
2. Distribute your Bibs and Shoe Tags to all *competing* athletes
 - *All athletes must wear their assigned bib & shoe tag, as assigned on your team roster*
 - *Athletes that are not registered should not use someone else's shoe tag*
 - *Failure to properly distribute the bibs & shoe tags will result in inaccurate results*
3. Athletes must properly secure their shoe tag as shown below
 - *Do NOT put the shoe tag in socks, in your pocket, etc*
 - *Be sure to Double Knot tie shoes*



You are responsible for returning all of your shoe tags in numerical order before you leave the meet

4. Shoe tag Collection & Return
 - *Each school is responsible for the collection & return of all their shoe tags*
 - *Tags must be returned in Numerical Order on the zip ties, the same as you received them*
 - **KEEP THE ZIP TIES UNLOCKED – DO NOT CLOSE THE ZIP TIES**
 - *Use your team roster to ensure none of your shoe tags are missing*
 - *We suggest you use your team managers / assistant coaches to collect the shoe tags from your athletes after they cross the finishline – there will no longer be any collection corral used*
 - *Have a COACH return all of your shoe tags to EVENT MANAGEMENT at the same location you picked up your team packet – please refrain from sending an athlete to return shoe tags*
 - *Event Management will check your shoe tags with you for accuracy*



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