

**RIDGELAND TOURISM
COMMISSION
SET IT OFF CHALLENGE
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Dear Coaches,

Welcome to the 4th Annual Ridgeland Tourism Commission/Set It Off Challenge, the premier high school volleyball tournament in the state of Mississippi! For those of you who are making a return appearance at our event, we welcome you back. For those of you who are coming to the event for the first time, I think you will find that there is no better way to kick off your 2009 season.

Once again, the response to the tournament has been outstanding. We have 25 schools scheduled to participate, and 16 of those schools are bringing junior varsity teams as well. This year's field features 12 of the 16 quarterfinalists from the 2008 MHSAA State Championships, as well as 6 of 8 semifinalists, all 4 finalists, and both state champions (Southaven and OLA).

The following pages contain the tournament schedule, tournament rules, directions to the MBA facility, hotel information (for those of you who still need it), and admission prices. I would like to encourage you to pass the hotel information along to your parents as well as the admission costs. The sponsorship of the Ridgeland Tourism Commission is vital to the continued success of this tournament, and I strongly encourage you to spend your down time between matches enjoying all that Ridgeland has to offer, including the all new Renaissance at Colony Park shopping center.

The tournament format will be basically the same as in 2008. Each team will be guaranteed 2 matches on Friday as part of pool play. On Saturday, teams will be seeded and placed into a tournament, where they are guaranteed 2 more matches (although they may play as many as 3). The only slight change is that, in the interest of time, the JV matches on **Friday only** will be best 2 of 3 games to 15 (using rally scoring with a 25 point limit).

Just as a reminder, the MBA facility does not allow outside food or drinks. However, water coolers and cups will be provided on each bench during the tournament, and coaches will have access to a Hospitality Room courtesy of St. Joseph Catholic School, our host institution.

If you have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to contact me at 601-317-5991 or mmsm2008@bellsouth.net. Once again, thank you for making the 4th Annual Ridgeland Tourism Commission/Set It Off Challenge a tremendous success!



Varsity Gold Division

Team listed on the right is the home team.

POOL A

A1: Clinton
A2: Gulfport
A3: Southaven
A4: Starkville

POOL B

B1: Madison Central
B2: Olive Branch
B3: Long Beach
B4: Oxford

POOL C

C1: Northwest Rankin
C2: Hattiesburg
C3: OLA

	<u>Teams</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Court</u>	<u>Match Score</u>
8/14	A1 vs A2	1:30 pm	#1	_____
	B1 vs B2	1:30 pm	#2	_____
	C1 vs C2	1:30 pm	#3	_____
	A3 vs A4	3:30 pm	#1	_____
	B3 vs B4	3:30 pm	#2	_____
	C3 vs C1	4:30 pm	#1	_____
	Winner A1/A2 vs Winner A3/A4	5:30 pm	#1	_____
	Winner B1/B2 vs Winner B3/B4	5:30 pm	#2	_____
	C2 vs C3	6:30 pm	#1	_____
	Loser A1/A2 vs Loser A3/A4	6:30 pm	#2	_____
	Loser B1/B2 vs Loser B3/B4	6:30 pm	#3	_____

8/15 PLATINUM TOURNAMENT (TOP 3 SEEDS POOL A/B & TOP 2 SEEDS POOL C)

OPENING ROUND

Match #1

1st Place Pool A vs 2nd Place Pool C 9:00 am #4 _____

Match #2

2nd Place Pool B vs 3rd Place Pool A 10:00 am #1 _____

Match #3

1st Place Pool C vs 3rd Place Pool B 10:00 am #2 _____

Match #4

1st Place Pool B vs 2nd Place Pool A 10:00 am #3 _____



SEMIFINALS (CONSOLATION SIDE)

Match #5

Loser Match 1 vs Loser Match 2 3:00 pm #1 _____

Match #6

Loser Match 3 vs Loser Match 4 3:00 pm #2 _____

SEMIFINALS (CHAMPIONSHIP SIDE)

Match #7

Winner 1 vs Winner Match 2 3:00 pm #3 _____

Match #8

Winner Match 3 vs Winner Match 4 3:00 pm #4 _____

3rd PLACE MATCHES (BOTH SIDES)

Match #9

Loser Match 5 vs Loser Match 6 6:00 pm #1 _____

Match #10

Loser Match 7 vs Loser Match 8 6:00 pm #2 _____

FINALS (BOTH SIDES)

Match #11

Winner Match 5 vs Winner Match 6 8:00 pm #2 _____

Match #12

Winner Match 7 vs Winner Match 8 8:00 pm #1 _____

BRONZE TOURNAMENT (BOTTOM SEEDS FROM EACH POOL)

Match #1

4th Place Pool A vs 4th Place Pool B 8:00 am #3 _____

Match #2

3rd Place Pool C vs 4th Place Pool A 10:00 am #4 _____

Match #3

4th Place Pool B vs 3rd Place Pool C 2:00 pm #4 _____



Varsity Silver Division

Team listed on the right is the home team.

POOL A

A1: Ridgeland
A2: Ackerman
A3: Ripley
A4: Center Hill

POOL B

B1: St. Andrews
B2: Corinth
B3: Aberdeen
B4: Lafayette

POOL C

C1: St. Joseph
C2: Caledonia
C3: L. Cormorant

POOL D

D1: W. Lowndes
D2: McComb
D3: Senatobia

<u>Teams</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Court</u>	<u>Match Score</u>
8/14 B1 vs B2	1:30 pm	#4	_____
A1 vs A2	2:30 pm	#1	_____
C1 vs C2	2:30 pm	#3	_____
D2 vs D3	2:30 pm	#4	_____
A3 vs A4	3:30 pm	#3	_____
B3 vs B4	3:30 pm	#4	_____
D1 vs D2	4:30 pm	#2	_____
C2 vs C3	4:30 pm	#3	_____
Winner A1/A2 vs Winner A3/A4	5:30 pm	#3	_____
Winner B1/B2 vs Winner B3/B4	5:30 pm	#4	_____
Loser A1/A2 vs Loser A3/A4	6:30 pm	#4	_____
Loser B1/B2 vs Loser B3/B4	7:30 pm	#1	_____
D3 vs D1	7:30 pm	#2	_____
C3 vs C1	7:30 pm	#3	_____

8/15 PLATINUM TOURNAMENT (TOP 2 SEEDS FROM EACH POOL)

OPENING ROUND

Match #1

1st Place Pool A vs 2nd Place Pool D 8:00 am #4 _____

Match #2

1st Place Pool B vs 2nd Place Pool C 9:00 am #1 _____

Match #3

1st Place Pool C vs 2nd Place Pool B 9:00 am #2 _____

Match #4

1st Place Pool D vs 2nd Place Pool A 9:00 am #3 _____



SEMIFINALS (CONSOLATION SIDE)

Match #5

Loser Match 1 vs Loser Match 2 1:00 pm #4 _____

Match #6

Loser Match 3 vs Loser Match 4 2:00 pm #1 _____

SEMIFINALS (CHAMPIONSHIP SIDE)

Match #7

Winner 1 vs Winner Match 2 2:00 pm #2 _____

Match #8

Winner Match 3 vs Winner Match 4 2:00 pm #3 _____

3rd PLACE MATCHES (BOTH SIDES)

Match #9

Loser Match 5 vs Loser Match 6 5:00 pm #3 _____

Match #10

Loser Match 7 vs Loser Match 8 5:00 pm #4 _____

FINALS (BOTH SIDES)

Match #11

Winner Match 5 vs Winner Match 6 7:00 pm #2 _____

Match #12

Winner Match 7 vs Winner Match 8 7:00 pm #1 _____

BRONZE TOURNAMENT (BOTTOM SEEDS FROM EACH POOL)

OPENING ROUND

Match #1

3rd Place Pool A vs 4th Place Pool D 8:00 am #1 _____

Match #2

3rd Place Pool B vs 4th Place Pool C 8:00 am #2 _____

CONSOLATION

Match #3

Loser Match 1 vs Loser Match 2 1:00 pm #1 _____



SEMIFINALS

Match #4

Winner 1 vs 3rd Place Pool C

1:00 pm #2

Match #5

Winner Match 2 vs 3rd Place Pool D

1:00 pm #3

CONSOLATION

Match #6

Loser Match 4 vs Loser Match 5

5:00 pm #2

FINALS

Match #7

Winner Match 4 vs Winner Match 5

5:00 pm #1



Junior Varsity Gold Division

Team listed on the right is the home team.

POOL A

A1: Clinton
A2: Hattiesburg
A3: Gulfport
A4: Starkville

POOL B

B1: Madison Central
B2: OLA
B3: Long Beach
B4: Northwest Rankin

	<u>Teams</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Court</u>	<u>Match Score</u>
8/14	A1 vs A2	2:30 pm	#2	_____
	A3 vs A4	8:15 pm	#1	_____
	B1 vs B2	8:15 pm	#2	_____
	B3 vs B4	8:15 pm	#3	_____
	Winner A1/A2 vs Winner A3/A4	9:00 pm	#1	_____
	Winner B1/B2 vs Winner B3/B4	9:00 pm	#2	_____
	Loser A1/A2 vs Loser A3/A4	9:45 pm	#1	_____
	Loser B1/B2 vs Loser B3/B4	9:45 pm	#2	_____

8/15	QUARTERFINALS			
	<u>Match #1</u>			
	1 st Place Pool A vs 4 th Place Pool B	11:00 am	#1	_____
	<u>Match #2</u>			
	2 nd Place Pool B vs 3 rd Place Pool A	11:00 am	#2	_____
	<u>Match #3</u>			
	2 nd Place Pool A vs 3 rd Place Pool B	11:00 am	#3	_____
	<u>Match #4</u>			
	1 st Place Pool B vs 4 th Place Pool A	11:00 am	#4	_____

CONSOLATION BRACKET

	<u>Match #5</u>			
	Loser Match 1 vs Loser Match 4	4:00 pm	#1	_____
	<u>Match #6</u>			
	Loser Match 2 vs Loser Match 3	4:00 pm	#2	_____



SEMIFINALS

Match #7

Winner Match 1 vs Winner Match 2

6:00 pm

#3

Match #8

Winner Match 3 vs Winner Match 4

6:00 pm

#4

CHAMPIONSHIP

Match #9

Winner Match 7 vs Winner Match 8

8:00 pm

#3



Junior Varsity Silver Division

Team listed on the right is the home team.

POOL A

A1: Ridgeland
 A2: Caledonia
 A3: St. Andrew's
 A4: Lake Cormorant

POOL B

B1: McComb
 B2: St. Joseph
 B3: Ackerman
 B4: Center Hill

	<u>Teams</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Court</u>	<u>Match Score</u>
8/14	B1 vs B2	12:30 pm	#1	_____
	A1 vs A2	4:30 pm	#4	_____
	B3 vs B4	7:30 pm	#4	_____
	A3 vs A4	8:15 pm	#4	_____
	Winner A1/A2 vs Winner A3/A4	9:00 pm	#3	_____
	Winner B1/B2 vs Winner B3/B4	9:00 pm	#4	_____
	Loser A1/A2 vs Loser A3/A4	9:45 pm	#3	_____
	Loser B1/B2 vs Loser B3/B4	9:45 pm	#4	_____

8/15 QUARTERFINALS

Match #1

1st Place Pool A vs 4th Place Pool B 12:00 pm #1 _____

Match #2

2nd Place Pool B vs 3rd Place Pool A 12:00 pm #2 _____

Match #3

2nd Place Pool A vs 3rd Place Pool B 12:00 pm #3 _____

Match #4

1st Place Pool B vs 4th Place Pool A 12:00 pm #4 _____

CONSOLATION BRACKET

Match #5

Loser Match 1 vs Loser Match 4 4:00 pm #3 _____

Match #6

Loser Match 2 vs Loser Match 3 4:00 pm #4 _____



SEMIFINALS

Match #7

Winner Match 1 vs Winner Match 2

7:00 pm

#3

Match #8

Winner Match 3 vs Winner Match 4

7:00 pm

#4

CHAMPIONSHIP

Match #9

Winner Match 7 vs Winner Match 8

8:00 pm

#4



RIDGELAND TOURISM COMMISSION

SET IT OFF CHALLENGE RULES

1. The team listed on the right of the schedule is the home team.
2. Teams must bring their own balls for warm-up.
3. A game ball will be provided for all matches. However, competing teams may mutually agree to use their own volleyball for match play.
4. Following each match, teams will warm-up using the 2-3-2 format. In an effort to keep the tournament running smoothly, matches will not be delayed until the next scheduled match time (top/bottom of the hour) if the previous match has ended early enough to finish the allotted warm-up and begin play before the scheduled time.
5. All **Varsity** matches will be best two of three games, using rally scoring to 25. Third games (when necessary), will be rally scoring to 15, with a 25 point limit.
6. **Junior Varsity** matches on Friday **only** will be best two of three games, using rally scoring to 15, with a 25 point limit. Junior Varsity matches on Friday will revert back to the scoring in Rule 5.
7. Tiebreakers for tournament seeding:
 - a. Head to head competition
 - b. Game record (most wins, fewest losses)
 - c. Points allowed in pool play
8. The home team for each match is responsible for providing a clock operator. The visiting team is responsible for providing an official scorekeeper. Each time should provide one line judge (JV players can be used).

ADMISSION:

Two-Day Tournament Pass: (Friday and Saturday)	Adults	\$15.00
	Students	\$10.00
	(Ages 6-18)	
	Children (5-under)	FREE
Single Day Pass:	Adults	\$9.00
	Students	\$6.00
	Children	FREE



DIRECTIONS TO MBA

Coming from North Mississippi on I-55 South

1. Take the Adkins Blvd./Beasley Rd. exit.
2. Stay on the Frontage Rd. as you cross over Briarwood Drive (Chili's).
3. Turn left at the next traffic light (Canton Mart Rd., which turns into Old Canton Rd.).
4. Go straight through 4 traffic lights.
5. Turn right at the fifth traffic light onto Westbrook Rd.
6. Go approx. 1 mile, and the road dead ends into the MBA (orange building on your right).

Coming from South Mississippi on I-55 North

1. Take the Northside Dr. exit (96A) and stay in the left lane.
2. Go straight through the first traffic light as you cross Northside Dr.
3. Turn right at the next light onto Old Canton Rd. (BP gas station).
4. Go straight through 3 traffic lights.
5. Turn right at the fourth traffic light onto Westbrook Rd.
6. Go approx. 1 mile, and the road dead ends into the MBA (orange building on your right).

From Hotel Row in Ridgeland

1. Get on Ridgewood Rd. going south (towards Jackson).
2. Go approximately 5 minutes. Turn left at a traffic light onto Old Canton Rd. (Parham Bridges Park is on your right).
3. Turn right at the next traffic light (Westbrook Rd.).
4. Go approx. 1 mile, and the road dead ends into the MBA (orange building on your right).

