# RIIL Girls Basketball Cover Sheet Winter of 2023-24 

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## Sport Committee Members:

Co-Director: Marty Crowley (Cumberland Athletic Director)
RIIAAA Representatives: Cindy Blodgett (Lincoln School), Mike Traficante (Cranston).
Coaches Representatives: Tammy Drape (SRA), Gary Martinelli (Pon), Zack Pinto (MtPl),
Lindsay Lacy (Lincoln).
Officials Representative: Robbie Franklin.

## Approval Process:

- Sport Committee Approval: May, 2022
- RIIAAA E-Board Approval: June 10, 2022
- PCOA Approval: June 13, 2022


## Season Dates:

## Please note that all dates are subject to change.

- First Day of Practice: Monday, November 27, 2023
- First Day to Scrimmage: Saturday, December 2, 2023
- First Day to Schedule a Game: Friday, December 8, 2023
- Last Day of the Regular Season: Friday, February 16, 2024
- Divisional Championship Dates:
- Preliminaries:
- Quarterfinals:
- Semifinals:
- Division Championship Games at RI College: Saturday, March 2, 2024
- Open State Championship Tournament:
- Preliminaries:
- Sweet Sixteen:
- Elite Eight:
- Final Four at the Ryan Center, URI: Saturday, March 16, 2024
- State Championship Game at the Ryan Center, URI: Sunday, March 17, 2024

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| 1 Barrington | 2 North Kingstown | 3 LaSalle |
| 6 Ponaganset | 5 St. Raphael's | 4 South Kingstown |
| 7 St. Mary's Bay View | 8 Cranston West | 9 Westerly |
| 12 Classical | 11 Juanita Sanchez | 10 Scituate |
| 13 Rogers | 16 East Providence | 19 Portsmouth |

## Schedule:

- Division 1 is broken into three sub-divisions of 5 teams.
- 18 League Games, Game Cap of 22 .
- Play every team in sub-division twice (8 games).
- Crossover to play every team in the other sub-divisions once (10 games).


## Playoffs:

- Seeding all teams together 1-15 according to win percentage in all league games.
- Teams must earn $30 \%$ of their maximum point total to be eligible for the post-season.
- Single Elimination throughout the playoffs:
- Preliminaries (if needed) - Quarterfinals - Semifinals - Finals

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| 14 East Greenwich | 15 Cranston East | 17 West Warwick |
| 21 Cumberland | 20 Moses Brown | 18 Smithfield |
| 22 Chariho | 23 Tiverton | 24 Coventry |
| 27 Woonsocket | 26 Mt. Hope | 25 Shea/Tolman Coop |
| 31 Mt. St. Charles | 34 Mt. Pleasant | 37 Prout |

## Schedule:

- Division 2 is broken into three sub-divisions of 5 teams.
- 18 League Games, Game Cap of 22.
- Play every team in sub-division twice (8 games).
- Crossover to play every team in the other sub-divisions once (10 games).


## Playoffs:

- Seeding all teams together 1-15 according to win percentage in all league games.
- Teams must earn $40 \%$ of their maximum point total to be eligible for the post-season.
- Single Elimination throughout the playoffs:
- Preliminaries (if needed) - Quarterfinals - Semifinals - Finals


## Division 3 (11 teams)

Burrillville<br>Central Falls<br>Lincoln School<br>Exeter-West Greenwich<br>Lincoln HS<br>Middletown<br>Narragansett<br>North Providence<br>North Smithfield<br>Pilgrim<br>Toll Gate

## Schedule:

- 18 League Games, Game Cap of 22 .


## Playoffs:

- Seeding 1-11 according to win percentage in all league games.
- Teams must earn $40 \%$ of their maximum point total to be eligible for the post-season.
- Single Elimination throughout the playoffs:
- Preliminaries (if needed) - Quarterfinals - Semifinals - Finals

Blackstone Valley Prep<br>Block Island<br>Davies<br>Johnston<br>Hope<br>Central<br>Providence Country Day<br>Times2/St. Patrick/ Paul Cuffee Coop

## Schedule:

- 18 League Games, Game Cap of 22 .


## Playoffs:

- Seeding 1-8 according to win percentage in all league games.
- Teams must earn $40 \%$ of their maximum point total to be eligible for the post-season.
- Single Elimination throughout the playoffs:
- Preliminaries (if needed) - Quarterfinals - Semifinals - Finals


## Established tie breaker formula for Divisional Playoff Seeding:

1. If there is a tie between two teams, head-to-head competition will be the tie breaker.
2. If there are more than two teams tied for playoff qualification, pool records will be the first tie breakers. Pool records will be the win/loss record among the tied qualifying teams only. If this process leaves two teams still tied, revert back to \#1 (head-to-head competition).
3. If pool records do not break the tie among three or more teams, then matching teams' records against teams with a higher league record, starting with the highest ranked team and matching one lower team ranking a team at a time. If this process leaves two teams still tied, revert back to \#1 (head-to-head competition).
4. If \#3 does not break the tie among three or more teams, then matching teams' records against teams with a lower league record, starting with the highest ranked team and matching one lower team ranking a team at a time. If this process leaves two teams still tied, revert back to \#1 (head-to-head competition).
5. Coin toss will be used to break the tie.
