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WJAA HS BOYS BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

06–07 December 2013

*hosted by Senri & Osaka International Schools
Minoh City, Osaka, Japan*

**Canadian Academy Falcons
EJ King High School Cobras
MC Perry High School Samurai
St. Maur International School Cougars
Yokohama International School Dragons
Senri Osaka International School Sabers**



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SENRI & OSAKA INTERNATIONAL SCHOOLS

welcome all players, coaches and fans to the

2013 WJAA HS Boys Basketball Tournament

Players, coaches, fans:

*The Sabers welcome you to **SOIS** in the city of Minoh in northern Osaka. Over the years WJAA tournaments have displayed excellent competition in many sports, both varsity and junior varsity, middle school and high school, girls and boys. We anticipate that this tournament will be no different. It is an honor and pleasure to have quality teams from different parts of Japan together in one place for a weekend of friendly competition. We in the Sabers community look forward to showing you some good Osaka hospitality. Please just ask if we can help you in some way.*

Good luck to all teams. Play hard, play well, play fair.

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HS Boys Basketball

WJAA TOURNAMENT

Friday-Saturday, 06-07 December 2013

@*Senri & Osaka International Schools*

Format

- Round-robin pool play (day 1) determines seedings for single-elimination play (day 2).
- 10-minute warm-up between games; be ready courtside; hurry.

Awards

- Trophies for first, second and third place.

Rules

- [FIBA 2012](#) (but with closer three-point lines; no no-charge semicircle)
- 8-minute quarters; 5-minute half-time; 4-minute overtime
- 12-player roster limit
- WJAA mercy rule in effect at 40-point lead

Tie breakers

If two teams are tied, the first tie breaker is always the head-to-head result. If the three teams in the same pool finish round-robin play with identical 1 win–1 loss records, these tie breakers shall be used in order:

1. Largest point differential, all three games (*total points scored minus total points allowed; 40 points maximum differential per game according to mercy rule*)
2. If two teams are still tied, then head-to-head.
3. If three teams are still tied, then fewest total points allowed in all games.
4. If three teams are still tied, then most total points scored in all games.
5. If three teams are still tied, then ~~the head coaches of the three teams will play “horse”~~ “rock paper scissors” (*janken*) played by the three team captains.

Mercy rule

If one team reaches a 40-point lead, the scorekeeper will signal to stop the game and alert referees and coaches. The score at this point is recorded as the final score (for tie-break purposes). From this point, the leading team will make the changes stated below; these changes will remain in effect for the rest of the game or until the lead decreases to 25 points.

- Non-starters will substitute for all starting players.
- No pressing or trapping defenses.
- No man-to-man defenses – halfcourt zone defenses only.
- Running clock. (Clock stops only at the end of a quarter and for injuries or timeouts.)

Other information, reminders

- Off-limit areas: Virtually all areas and classrooms are used by students and staff, both Friday and Saturday, all day. Please be respectful of student learning.
- PE office off limits, too: Coaches and players, please do not enter the PE office.
- Hospitality room: E124 (green room) – 1st floor, under the gym. Drinks, snacks, bento lunches and computers for coaches and referees. No players – sorry.
- Ice machine: 1st floor, under the gym, near the PE office and weight room.
- Changing rooms, showers: 1st floor, under the gym. Coaches may shower in the more private showers in the swimming pool locker rooms.
- Warm-up area: Please use the mezzanine level above the gym or a corner of the outside field. Do not use the small gym. If outside, please avoid areas used by the Saturday School PE classes.
- Water: Please prepare your own water bottles. Water fountains are located in hallways and on the mezzanine level above the gym.
- Drink bottles: Please empty partially full plastic drink bottles (outside or in sinks) and throw them away. Please do not put partially full plastic bottles in the garbage containers or leave them in the gym.
- Drink machines: In the student lounge, opposite corner of the building from the gym.
- Garbage: Please keep the gym, sleeping rooms and hallways clean of litter.
- Internet access via school's wi-fi access: Network ID: guest Password: guest Available in most areas, though connection sometimes not strong. *Starbucks...*

Overnight sleeping rooms

- Must be vacated during the school day, Friday and Saturday, by 7:30 AM.
- Please do not enter rooms before 6:30 PM Thursday or Friday evenings.
- See separate sheet for room assignments and other sleepover information.
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WJAA Basketball Game Schedule

Round-robin pool play determines seedings for single-elimination play.

Two Pools

POOL A	POOL B
Senri Osaka (SOIS) EJ King (EJK) Yokohama (YIS)	Canadian Academy (CA) MC Perry (MCP) St. Maur (SMIS)

Friday, 06 December 2013

Game	Time	Round-robin	Home	vs	Away
1	9:00	A1 vs A2	SOIS	vs	EJK
2	10:30	B1 vs B2	CA	vs	MCP
3	12:30	A2 vs A3	EJK	vs	YIS
4	2:00	B3 vs B1	SMIS	vs	CA
5	3:45	A3 vs A1	YIS	vs	SOIS
6	5:15	B2 vs B3	MCP	vs	SMIS

Saturday, 07 December 2013

Game	Time	Elimination round	Place
7	9:00	Pool B 1 st place vs Pool A 2 nd place	
8	10:30	Pool A 1 st place vs Pool B 2 nd place	
9	12:00	Pool A 3 rd place vs Pool B 3 rd place	5 th -6 th
10	1:30	Loser game 7 vs Loser game 8	3 rd -4 th
11	3:00	Winner game 7 vs Winner game 8	1 st -2 nd

If CA is the Pool B 1st place team, the order of games 7 and 8 will be swapped so that CA plays in the 10:30 game, since CA has to travel far in the morning.

Team listed first is home team and wears light-colored uniform.

Home team sits on bench closer to scoreboard.

8-minute quarters, 5-minute halftime, 4-minute overtime.

Good luck to all teams!

WJAA Team Rosters, Photos

Canadian Academy Falcons



#	Name	Position	Gr.
13	Bryan Solvie	G	12
10	Kenro Moriuchi	G	12
18	Ray Nakagawa	F	12
6	Jesse Ohtake	G	12
15	Sedge Lucas	F	11
12	Joo Hoon Kim	F	10
8	Joesh Sethi	G	10
14	Yuki Okada	G	10
5	Henry Ang	G	11
7	Wheemin Ahn	F	11
4	Nagisa Komori	F	10
11	Kevin Chung	G	12
	Mr. Hiroki Sera	coach	13
	Mr. Kurt Lucas	coach	14

EJ King Cobras



#	Name	Position	Gr.
40	Jackson Small	C	12
21	Kershaun Lustre	F	12
14	Brandon Jones	G	12
35	Jacob Lyle	C	11
42	Joshua Lyle	F	11
23	DiJon Johnson	F	11
10	Jeremy Rasay	G	11
11	Jake Tonder	G	10
15	Rikki Kendall	G	10
33	Foster Small	F	10
5	Darren Famisan	G	10
1	Gemmar Caasi	G	9
	Mr. Scott Jarrard	coach	13
	Mr. Laird Small	coach	14

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MC Perry Samurai



#	Name	Pos.	Gr.
21	Keese Adams	C	12
23	Dequandre Bernard	F	12
10	Jon Cadavos	G	11
50	Tyler Culp	C	10
30	Jarell Davis	F	11
1	Vince Ermitano	G	10
34	Patrick Gomes	G	9
41	Christopher Kinney	G	10
24	Austin Macias	G	10
12	Darius Groves	G	10
32	RJ Buldoc	F	10
13	Martin Ziola	F	12
50	Noah Saulsberry	F	9
32	Charles Jackson	G	9
	Mr. Dewayne Piggé	coach	
	Mr. Ronnie Pride	coach	
	Mr. Jermal Cheatham	coach	

St. Maur Cougars



#	Name	Pos.	Gr.
30	Andres Suzaki	F/C	12
6	Kelvin Robbins	G	12
25	Zihao Li	G/F	11
21	Kaito Niwa	G	11
15	Bert Nunneley	G	11
11	Masa Lim	G	11
1	Thierry Boliko	G	10
8	Shashwat Dalal	G	10
13	Shimpei Hara	G/F	10
5	Sotaro Hirai	G	10
32	Tyson Robinson	F	9
23	Ravindu Cooray	G/F	
	Mr. Travis Dixon	coach	
	Mr. Yuta Yoshii	coach	

Aknowledgements, Thanks

It takes a schoolwide effort to conduct a sporting event like this.

Many people put forth much effort to help this event succeed.

We thank them all.

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- *Sabers basketball managers for their tireless efforts: Miki Chisoku, Yuka Kagao*
- *Referees – Mr. Tony Stone and Mr. Jeff Fleming – for their professional work.*
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- *SOIS business office staff for beyond-the-call-of-duty assistance: Iida-san, Nakatsuka-san, Takada-san*
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- *Saturday School staff for allowing us to use the gym.*

And finally thank you to all players and coaches.

Have a great tournament and enjoy your stay with us at SOIS.

We hope you make many new friends.



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