



Association of China and Mongolia International Schools



October 31 – November 2, 2024

Hosted by Dalian American International School



Dear Athletic Directors, Coaches, Players, Parents

It is our pleasure to welcome you all to the Gold Division ACAMIS Volleyball in Dalian. We hope to make the experience as enjoyable and as memorable as we possibly can.

This information pack will give you an overview of the 3-day competition and contains most of the information that you require.

Kind Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Paul Robinson'.

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Tournament Dates

Thursday 31st October – Saturday 2nd November 2024

Venue

The tournament will take place at Dalian American International School- South Gym.

Dalian American International School, 2 Dianchi Road, Golden Pebble Beach, Jinzhou

New District, Dalian, Liaoning Province, PR China, 116650

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Participating Teams

Dalian American International School (DAIS)- hosts

Australian International School, Hong Kong (AISHK)

British School Beijing (BSB)

International School of Nanshan (ISNS)

Wellington College International Shanghai (WCIS)

Xiamen International School (XIS)

Eligibility

Student athletes must not have turned 19 on or before September 1, 2024, and be registered as a student at the participating school.

Participation in ACAMIS Core Sports events is limited to high school students and to those who are 14 and above as of 1st September 2024 and below the maximum age limit. Any minimum age requirement exceptions require a majority endorsement of members involved in that decision as coordinated by the tournament director.

Medical

Medical personnel will be on site during the event. If a major injury or illness occurs that requires any participant to be administered medical attention beyond what a nurse can provide, an ambulance will be called to take the patient to the nearest local hospital. It is expected that one of the chaperones from the participants' school will accompany the hospital visit. Recommended hospitals are detailed below:

Facility Name	Address	Distance from DAIS
First Affiliated Hospital of Dalian Medical University, The Third Branch	VIP Department, 3 rd Floor, Outpatient Building, No.5 Long Bin Road, Development Zone, Dalian	20km Around 30 mins by car
Dalian Friendship Hospital	No.8, Sanba Square, Zhongshan District, Dalian	62.4km Around 1 hour by car
Shengjing Hospital of China Medical University	East intersection of DD port, 5 th Street and Shengming 2 nd Road, Jinzhou District, Dalian	11.4km Around 10 mins by car
Affiliated Zhongshan Hospital of Dalian University, VIP Department	VIP2 No.6 Jiefang Street (beside 1 st floor Internal inpatient department), Zhongshan District, Dalian, Liaoning	61.6km Around 50 mins by car

Transportation

DAIS will provide transportation between the school and hotel on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday. Transportation to and from the airport or train station will also be provided.

Code of Conduct

The ACAMIS Student Participation Agreement and Rules for ACAMIS Events pages should be completed by each player and their family. This should be collected by coaches and retained through the tournament (either in paper or digital copy).

Curfew

The curfew for any ACAMIS event is 10pm or per participating school requirements. Please be respectful of this when in the hotel.

Coaches' Meeting

A brief coaches meeting will take place before play begins in the Coaches Room.

Changing Facilities

Changing facilities are available at both the South and North gym locations.

Meal Provision

Breakfast on Thursday, Friday and Saturday will be provided at the hotel.

Lunches will be provided for all participants on Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Sandwiches will be provided on Thursday lunchtime (teams to eat around schedule)

Dinner will be provided on Thursday due to the late finish (please refer to timetable below)

Friday lunch timetable is also provided below.

From 1500-1800 we will host an athlete social where pizza will be provided.

Lunch Timetable:

Day	1130-1200	1300-1330	1330-1400
Thursday Lunch	Sandwiches consumed around individual team schedules. Tables will be setup		
Friday Lunch	ISNS, AISHK (Girls) XIS, DAIS (Boys)	DAIS, XIS (Girls) WCIS, BSB (Boys)	WCIS, BSB (Girls) ISNS, AISHK (Boys)
Saturday	Sandwiches will be served from 1100 onwards (option to take away after awards)		

Dinner Timetable:

Day	1600-1630	1630-1700	1730-1800
Thursday Dinner	WCIS, XIS (Girls) BSB, AISHK (Boys)	BSB, AISHK (Girls) DAIS, ISNS (Boys)	DAIS, ISNS (Girls) XIS, WCIS (Boys)
Friday	Student Social 1500-1800 (Pizza provided)		

Coach dinner:

Coach dinner will be provided at Fisherman's Taste from 1545-1745. Transportation to and from DAIS to restaurant will be provided.

Friday Social

Our Student Government will host a social for our athletes from 1500-1800 for participants in the South Gym. There will be music, KTV, games consoles set up. There will also be a room where we will show a movie. Pizza will be provided. This will be a great opportunity for players to socialize off the court.

Security

Upon meeting with teams at the airport, participating schools will be given lanyards that we ask participants wear/display when off the court, especially when entering the school. We request that all participants, other than when they are going to the Hungry Scholar Café at mealtimes to base themselves in the A5 South Gym. The only exception is use of the Dragon's Den in the elementary building (however participants are asked not to enter the main elementary school area from the Dragons Den).

Snacks and Refreshments

Fruit will be provided for the athletes throughout the competition.

Student Government and Sea Dragons Service Ambassadors will be selling refreshments throughout the competition.

Refreshments for coaches will be provided in the coach room which located in A5104.

Under no circumstances are participants permitted to order food delivery from outside vendors unless specifically endorsed by the Tournament Director for exceptional circumstances (ie allergies, dietary needs).

Drinking Water

Water will be provided via water dispensers, therefore participants must bring their own refillable water bottles, as we are trying to reduce the use of plastic.

Communication

A group wechat will be set up for all coaches and AD during the week before the tournament start date. This will be the primary mode of communication before and during the event.

WiFi Connection

WiFi connection has been created for this event:

WiFi Connection Name: CAM-Welcome

Password: Volleyball2024!!

Live Streaming

Links to the live stream will be shared in the wechat group. There are individual links to each game so each school will be given an individualized streaming schedule.

Photography

Can be accessed through the following link:

<https://alltuu.cc/r/uYzAJf/>



Tournament Format

The tournament will follow ACAMIS guidelines for hosting high school tournaments with round-robin play followed by play-offs and finals. Boys and Girls competitions will be played simultaneously. All ACAMIS rules and regulations will be followed.

Tournament Ball

The tournament ball will be the Molten 4000 (pictured below)





Schedule

Wednesday 30th October
Teams Arrive in Dalian- Transported to Hotels

Day 1: Thursday 31st October

700	Breakfast	
745	Buses to DAIS Campus	
830	Opening Ceremony	
900	Coach Meeting	
Match Schedule		
Time	Court 1 (Girls)	Court 2 (Boys)
930	XIS vs ISNS	DAIS vs BSB
1030	WCIS vs AISHK	XIS vs ISNS
1130	DAIS vs BSB	WCIS vs AISHK
1230	AISHK vs XIS	ISNS vs BSB
1330	ISNS vs BSB	DAIS vs WCIS
1430	DAIS vs WCIS	AISHK vs XIS
1530	BSB vs AISHK	DAIS vs ISNS
1630	DAIS vs ISNS	XIS vs WCIS
1730	WCIS vs XIS	BSB vs AISHK
1600-1800	Dinner Served in Hungry Scholar Café (see dinner schedule)	
1830	Buses depart for hotels	

Day 2: Friday 1st November

700	Breakfast	
745	Buses to DAIS Campus	
Match Schedule		
Time	Court 1 (Girls)	Court 2 (Boys)
830	BSB vs XIS	WCIS vs ISNS
930	DAIS vs AISHK	BSB vs XIS
1030	WCIS vs ISNS	DAIS vs AISHK
1130	DAIS vs XIS	WCIS vs BSB
1230	WCIS vs BSB	ISNS vs AISHK
1330	ISNS vs AISHK	XIS vs DAIS
1500- 1800	Student Social in South Gym (KTV, Movie, Games Console, Pizza)	
1545- 1745	Coach Dinner	
1815	Buses Depart for Hotels	

Day 3: Saturday 2nd November

7:00	Breakfast
7:45	Buses to DAIS Campus
8:30	Boys Semi-Finals
9:30	Girls Semi-Finals
10:30	5 th /6 th Place Play-Off (Boys and Girls)
11:30	3 rd /4 th Place Play-Off (Boys and Girls)
12:30	Championship Games (Boys and Girls)
13:30	Awards Presentation
14:00	Buses leave for airport, train station or hotel

Volleyball Rules

Accepted by ACAMIS Athletic Directors on March 2007; Revised/Edited January 2010
The FIVB rules <http://www.fivb.org/> (latest edition) shall be implemented for ACAMIS tournaments with the following notes.

Game Length

- Games will be played at the best of 3 sets.
- The first 2 sets will be played to 25 points (win by 2 points). In case of a 1-1 tie, a deciding third set is played to 15 points with a minimum lead of 2 points.

Timeouts & Time Between Sets

- There shall be 2 time-outs allowed per set for each team.
- The length of each time-out is 30 seconds.
- The length of time between sets is 1 minute.
- Net Height
 - The net height for women shall be 2.24m.
 - The net height for men shall be 2.43m.
- Warmup
 - All teams receive a five-minute warm-up period, 3 minutes at the net and 2 minutes for serving. (10-minute total)
 - If the schedule is tight and at the discretion of the Tournament Director, each team will have 3 minutes at the net then 2 minutes serving together. (8-minute total)

Squad Size and Substitution of Players

- A team will have a minimum squad of 7 players and a maximum of 12 players.
- A player may re-enter the game an unlimited number of times but must switch with the same player for the entire set.

Officials

- The source of the officials shall be determined by the host school whilst meeting the requirement in the Host School Guidelines above. A minimum of two court officials are required for each game.
- When possible, the host school shall use host country officiating organizations to officiate the tournament.

Tournament Scoring for Round Robin Standings

Volleyball Round Robin scoring: 1 point for a win, 0 points for a loss

Tie-Breaker for Round Robin Tournament Standings

If any stage of the tiebreaker separates all tied teams, the tie-break is complete. If, at any stage of the tiebreaker, only two teams remain tied, the head-to-head result will determine the placing.

Sequence (in order)

- Head-to-Head
- Set Difference
- The difference between total sets won and lost between tied teams.
- The difference between total sets won and lost in all matches played.
- Point Difference
- The difference between the total points scored and lost between tied teams.
- The difference between total points scored and lost in all matches played
- Coin toss