

# 2024 BIG10 BANTAM

FINAL 10/08/24

## Playoff Game Format

### 1st Round

Seed 1 Bye  
Seed 2 Bye  
Seed 6 @ Seed 3  
Seed 5 @ Seed 4

### 2nd Round

Lowest Seed @ Seed 1  
Highest Seed @ Seed 2

## Helmet Count By Division/Member Community

	<u>Member Community</u>	<u>Total</u>
1	ANTIOCH	39
2	BARRINGTON	22
3	BERWYN	17
4	BUFFALO GROVE	16
5	CARY	30
6	CRYSTAL LAKE	29
7	CENTRAL	41
8	EAST AURORA	18
9	ELK GROVE	24
10	ELMWOOD PARK	16
11	EVANSTON	23
12	GLENVIEW	20
13	GRANT	20
14	GRAYSLAKE	23
15	HUNTLEY	44
16	KANELAND	36
17	KENOSHA	42
18	LAKE VILLA	18
19	LAKE ZURICH	37
20	LIBERTYVILLE	16
21	MCHENRY	31
22	MOUNT PROSPECT	22
23	MUNDELEIN	19
24	NORTH CHICAGO	21
25	NORTH SHORE	15
26	NORTHWEST	16
27	PRAIRIE RIDGE	18
28	RIVERSIDE BROOKFIELD	16
29	ROUND LAKE	20
30	SCHAUMBURG	19
31	SOUTH ELGIN	15
32	WARREN	33
33	WAUCONDA	29
34	WAUKEGAN	21
35	WISCONSIN	24
36	WOODSTOCK	23
37	ZION	22
38	ANTIOCH U	20
39	LAKE ZURICH U	19
40	WARREN U	18

## Playoff Participation

24 of 40 Teams Qualify for Playoffs ("Qualifiers")

Tie Breakers to be used in determining the Qualifiers

### ELIMINATE 16 WORST RECORDS

### Tie Breaking Calculator

Tie Breaking for Qualifiers, Play Off Positioning and Seeding is determined as follows, in order:

- 1 Overall record
- 2 Head to Head\*
- 3 Opponent Wins
- 4 Playoff points

*\* In cases of a tie with three or more teams, all teams must have played each other.*

### Bracket/Class Ranking Calculation

### Two Tier Calculator System

Each Tier will rank all of the Qualifiers with an overall position based on the number of Qualifiers (ie..1-30)

Once each Tier Ranking is calculated, both Tiers Rankings are combined for one overall Playoff Ranking.

Tie Breaking Calculator is used for both Tiers, when needed.

### \*TCYFL Reserves the right to ALL FINAL BRACKET Determinations

#### Tier One

*Helmet Count Multiplier Calculation (Old School)*

$$(\text{Total Wins}) - (\text{Total Losses}) + (\text{Helmet Count}) = \text{Tier 1 Ranking}^*$$

*\*Highest Qualifier has a "Tier 1 Ranking" of 1, Lowest has the Lowest "Tier 1 Ranking" of 30.*

#### Tier Two

*Opponent Wins Multiplier Calculation (New School)*

$$(\text{Total Wins}) - (\text{Total Losses}) + (\text{Opponent Wins}^*) = \text{Tier 2 Ranking}^*$$

*\*BYE teams add equal to their wins*

*\*Highest Qualifier has a "Tier 2 Ranking" of 1, Lowest has the Lowest "Tier 2 Ranking" of 30.*

**Tier 1 Ranking and Tier 2 Ranking are combined for an Overall Playoff Ranking ("OPR") (ie..1 through 30)**

Tie Breaking Calculator is used in determining OPR, when necessary.

Once the OPR has been determined, the Qualifiers will be divided into Play Off Groupings of six (6) teams, in order of OPR as follows:

- 4A\*** 6 Qualifiers with the Lowest OPR
- 3A** Next 6 Lowest OPR Qualifiers
- 2A** Next 6 Lowest OPR Qualifiers
- 1A** Next 6 Lowest OPR Qualifiers

### U TEAMS CAN ONLY BE IN BOTTOM BRACKET

**\* 4A is the Highest/Best Qualifier Class When 24 Teams Qualify**

Tie Breaking Calculator is used in determining seeding with each bracket once bracketed teams have been established via the OPR.