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MEDIA RELEASE

SADDLEBACK VALLEY CHRISTIAN OUT OF CIF-SS PLAYOFFS

LOS ALAMITOS – It has been determined that Saddleback Vallery Christian High School used an ineligible player on their varsity basketball team during the regular-season that has resulted in the school no longer being qualified to participate in the CIF-SS Division 3AA Boys Basketball playoffs.

The reason for these forfeitures is outlined in CIF Southern Section Bylaw 500.2, which states:

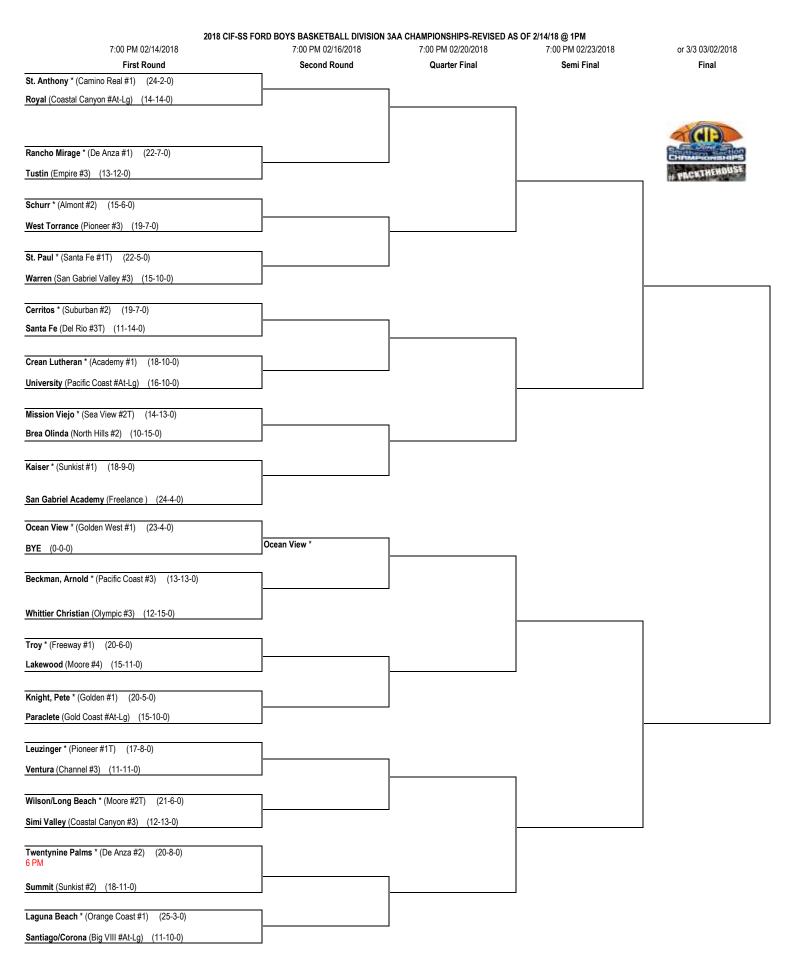
Forfeiture Status - Any athletic contest in which an ineligible student has participated either intentionally or unintentionally, must be forfeited unless provided for otherwise in the adopted playing rules of that sport. When a school must forfeit any games, a win and a tie must be counted as losses in the standings. This would apply to any practice, league, or playoff game, match, meet or sanctioned event. Report of such forfeiture must be filed with the CIF Southern Section Office and the opposing school.

The San Joaquin League reviewed the situation and voted revise their playoff submission and remove Saddleback Valley Christian as one of their automatic entries.

Due to these forfeits and the resulting effect to league placement by schools in the San Joaquin League and bracket seedings the 3AA, 3A and 5AAA brackets was adjusted to reflect these changes (please see the revised brackets attached). These changes fall under CIF-SS Bykaw 3313 which states:

All entries into the playoffs are tentative until the first round is completed. Updated results or new information may necessitate changes in any draw when necessary. No change in entries will be permitted after the first round (or "wild card" game if it applies to a league entry) has been played.

The CIF Southern Section will have no further comment on this matter and will direct all inquiries back to Saddleback Valley Christian High School.



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2018 CIF-SS FORD BOYS BASKETBALL DIVISION 3A CHAMPIONSHIPS-REVISED AS OF 2/14/18 @ 1PM 7:00 PM 02/14/2018 7:00 PM 02/16/2018 7:00 PM 02/20/2018 7:00 PM 02/23/2018 or 3/3 03/02/2018 First Round Second Round **Quarter Final** Semi Final Final Notre Dame/Riverside * (Ambassador #1) (23-3-0) Palm Springs (Desert Valley #3) (18-6-0) Cabrillo/Lompoc * (Los Padres #1) (17-5-0) Arroyo Grande (PAC 8 #3T) (16-10-0) La Habra * (Freeway #2) (19-8-0) San Juan Hills (Sea View #2T) (12-15-0) Diamond Bar * (Palomares #1T) (17-10-0) Newbury Park (Marmonte #At-Lg) (19-6-0) Temescal Canyon * (Sunbelt #1) (19-9-0) San Gabriel (Almont #3) (13-8-0) Citrus Hill * (Mountain Pass #1) (20-6-0) Citrus Valley (Citrus Belt #3) (15-12-0) La Quinta/La Quinta * (Desert Valley #1) (14-10-0) Marina (Sunset #At-Lg) (15-11-0) Adelanto * (Desert Sky #2T) (15-10-0) Murrieta Mesa (Southwestern #3) (21-8-0) Bishop Amat * (Camino Real #2) (22-5-0) Date Change: Thursday, February 15 @ 7:00 p.m. Charter Oak (Hacienda #2T) (18-7-0) Capistrano Valley Christian * (San Joaquin #2T) (18-8-0) Date Change: Thursday, February 15 @ 5:00 p.m. Godinez (Orange Coast #3) (15-13-0) San Bernardino * (Mountain Valley #1) (16-9-0) Miller, A.B. (Citrus Belt #4) (18-10-0) Paloma Valley * (Sunbelt #2) (21-6-0) Palm Desert (Desert Valley #2) (14-12-0) Buena * (Channel #2) (19-5-0) San Dimas (Valle Vista #2) (18-8-0) Blair * (Rio Hondo #2) (8-2-0) Elsinore (Sunbelt #3) (14-14-0) Torrance * (Pioneer #1T) (16-11-0) Glendora (Palomares #At-Lg) (15-11-0) Culver City * (Ocean #1) (15-7-0)

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Glendale (Pacific #At-Lg) (18-9-0)

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