

L. V. Summer Soccer League

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May 25, 2011

PLAYING SCHEDULE - MEN'S SENIOR DIVISION

All games are played at Lehigh University's Murray H. Goodman Campus per attached schedule.

MEN'S SENIOR DIVISION GROUPS

The following groups were established based on preferred playing times shown on the entry forms and also on when the entry was received ("first-come first-serve"). We appreciate your cooperation to switch starting times when requested. The Team Number was assigned by random draw for scheduling purposes.

Team		DRAW Team	
No.	6:00 PM – Group A	No.	7:15 PM – Group B
1	Pino's Pizza FC	1	SV Alumni
2	Willie's Township Friends	2	RHINOS
3	Windsor FC	3	The Big Green
4	Salvatore's Pizzeria FC	4	Push the Rock
5	Lehigh Valley Internationals	5	Q-City FC
6	Colombia	6	Portuguese American Club
7	Wilson United	7	United Nations
8	Gore FC	8	Allentown Sports Club
9	Lehigh Valley FC	9	Keystone Pride
10	I.C. Sasquatch	10	Blue Devils
11	FC Imensidade	11	Bethlehem United

PLAYING SCHEDULE AND PLAYOFFS

The detailed playing schedule for both Group A and B is attached. Please note that there are no games for your division on June 28 and July 12 because there are not enough fields available.

Standings are based on total points accumulated during round-robin play (3 - win, 1 - tie). In case of a tie in the standings, the following will be used to break the tie:

1. Head-to-head competition
2. Goal differential (GF - GA)
3. Least goals allowed
4. Most goals scored
5. Coin flip.

PLAYOFFS

The top four teams from each group qualify for the playoffs. The teams will be paired-off as shown on the attached playoff draw.

Note: The letter 'A' designates the 6:00 p.m. Group, and the letter 'B' designates the 7:15 p.m. Group. The numbers represent the standings after completion of round-robin play. For example, 'A1' is the team that finished 1st in Group A (6:00 p.m.), 'B1' is the team that finished 1st in Group B (7:15 p.m.), etc.

The playoff dates are July 19, 21, and 22, 2011. Please note that July 22 is a Friday.

For results, standings, announcements and action photos check out www.lvssl.org.

PARKING, SPEEDING & TAILGATING

Please tell your players that they should park only in the designated parking areas. Please remind the players when arriving and departing the fields to obey speed limits in and around the parking lots, there is a lot of foot traffic and we want to avoid accidents due to reckless driving. Please also remind them to clean up the field area after each game.

Tailgating at Lehigh is limited to the parking lots; no alcohol is allowed on or next to the fields. No kegs or bottles, only cans. Legal drinking age of 21 years of age is strictly enforced. Site (fields and parking lot) must be cleaned up prior to leaving. We have to vacate campus at dusk or at 9:00 PM, so plan accordingly.

GAME POSTPONEMENT

In case of inclement weather, please check the LVSSL website at www.lvssl.org for the latest announcement. We update it daily by 4:30 p.m. We will make an effort to reschedule postponed games using the available dates for the whole league. Please note that these are only a few Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays.

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY OR INJURY

In case of injury or other medical emergency, please see the Trainer on duty at Lehigh. He/she is located inside or near the traffic circle or near field #6 at Lehigh unless attending an injury. The fields are spread out but one of us, Ed or Kal, should be around the fields, and will assist with the injury. The Trainer or the league representative will call for an ambulance in case of serious injury.

Yours in soccer,

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Enclosures

LEHIGH VALLEY SUMMER SOCCER LEAGUE
Bethlehem, PA

PLAYING RULES

2011

1. FIFA Laws of Soccer are in effect unless excluded here.
2. A team may field nine (9) players including a designated goalkeeper. Roster size is 20 maximum for the Senior Divisions and 22 for the Junior Divisions. A forfeit will be declared (the score will be 1-0) if a team has fewer than seven (7) players and/or is **not ready to play at the scheduled starting time**. If a team, during a game, is reduced to fewer than six (6) players by reason of injury or send-off, the game will be forfeited. If winning, the score will revert to 0-1, if losing, the score will stand.
3. A game will consist of two 30-minute halves with a five-minute half time. In case of a tie score, one 5-minute sudden-death overtime will be played.
4. The referee is the sole judge of time and score, and has full authority on the field. **No protests will be allowed.** There will be a running clock. It will be stopped only when the referee feels that circumstances warrant more than one-minute time-out. The player receiving a caution (yellow card) or sent off (red card) is required to give his/her name to the referee who reports it back to the Directors.
5. Each team shall provide one ball for use during the game. The referee will choose the game-ball.
6. **No offside**, i.e., the offside rule will not be in effect.
7. Either team can substitute on a throw-in, on a goal kick, after a goal or injury and at half time. The referee must be notified before a substitution is made.
8. A player is ineligible for participation in the game following receipt of his/her **second yellow** card. A red-carded player is ineligible to participate in the match following that in which he/she was sent off. Ineligibility may extend to more than one game depending on the nature of the send off. The Directors determine the length of suspension. **All red card suspensions will carry over from one season to the next.**
9. **Playoff Games:** If score is tied at the end of regulation time, a maximum of four (4) sudden-death periods of 5-minute duration will be played until a goal is scored. Exception: in case of double-headers, only one 5-minute sudden death overtime period is played. There is no "rest" provision between overtime periods. If game is still tied, penalty kicks will be taken to determine the winner.
10. Use of foul language will result in an automatic caution (yellow card). The referees are asked to strictly enforce this rule! We have many family members present and your cooperation is requested.
11. Player(s) sent-off for fighting will be suspended for the remainder of the season as a minimum.
12. A player who is not registered receives a caution will automatically penalized with a one game suspension; and if the unregistered player is sent off (red card), the player's regular suspension is doubled. E.g.: instead of one game, the player sits out two games. The team may also be penalized with a forfeit and fined \$50 for using an ineligible player.
13. A player who gives a false name to the official upon receipt of a caution will be penalized with a one game suspension; and if he/she is sent off (red card) and gives a false name to the referee, the player's regular suspension is doubled. E.g.: instead of one game, the player sits out two games.

NOTE: Playing Rules 12 & 13 above are designed to eliminate unregistered players and encourage honesty at all times.

LEHIGH VALLEY SUMMER SOCCER LEAGUE
Bethlehem, PA

LEAGUE REGULATIONS

2011

1. Player eligibility:
 - a. Men's Senior Division: high school graduate or over 18 years old men or women as of June 15 of current season.
 - b. Men's Over-40 Division: adult men or women 40 years old or older as of June 1 of current season.
 - c. Men's Junior Division: junior high or high school boys excluding current season seniors.
 - d. Women's Senior Division: high school graduate or over 18 years old women as of June 15 of current season. **Note:** The Women's Rec-Group is composed of recreational caliber players while the Women's Open-Group is for competitive level players (recent high school graduates and current or recent college players).
 - e. Women's Junior Division: junior high or high school girls excluding current season seniors.
2. **Roster Changes** may be made through the regular season. No roster changes during play-offs. Any modification is \$10.00 per change. A player registered with one team may **NOT** register or play with another LVSSL team during the season. Exception: players of the Men's O-40 Division may play on Men's Sr. Div. Teams upon proper registration on both teams. Roster maximum: 20 players for Senior Division and 22 players for Junior Division teams.
3. A parent or **adult** must be present at each playing date to supervise and assume responsibility for each Junior Division Team.
4. A team that forfeits a game (1-0 loss) because it is not ready at the scheduled time or cannot field the minimum number of players (7) must pay \$20.00 to the opponent before playing its next game. If a scrimmage is played with a referee present, the forfeit fee is forgiven. If the forfeit fee is not paid, the next game will be declared a forfeit and the penalty increased to \$40.00 payable before the next game, and so on.
5. In case of double forfeit (neither opponent qualifies to begin the game), and a scrimmage is not played, each team will pay \$20.00 to the League. If not paid, the next game will be declared a forfeit and the penalty increased to \$40.00 payable before the next game, and so on. The score of the double forfeit will be 0-0 with no points for the tie and no goal will be deducted from either team's aggregate goals scored.
6. In case of inclement weather, a LVSSL representative will post a note on the league website (www.lvssl.org) regarding postponement of the games that day. Postponed games will be rescheduled, if possible. Please check the website for schedules, scores and standings regularly.
7. Standings will be determined by allotting 3 points for win, 1 point for tie, 0 points for loss.
8. In case of ties for final positions in the standings, the following criteria in the order shown will be used: (1) result of head-to-head competition, (2) highest goal differential, i.e., goals for - goals against, (3) least goals allowed, (4) most goals scored, and (5) coin toss.
9. Trophies will be awarded to division champions, play-off champions and play-off runners-up.
10. Consumption of refreshments and tailgating are limited to the parking areas at Lehigh after the games and not permitted on the sidelines during the game. Teams in violation may be barred from the league. **No underage (under 21) drinking of alcoholic beverages is allowed anywhere.**
11. Teams must vacate the premises at dusk, or by 9:00 PM. Behaviors detrimental to the league are not tolerated. Violators are subject to ejection from the league.

LVSSL - MEN'S SENIOR DIVISION SCHEDULE - 2011

Thursday, June 02, 2011					Day: 1					
Field	Group A - 6:00 PM				Score	Group B - 7:15 PM				Score
1	Pino's Pizza FC	vs.	I.C. Sasquatch			SV Alumni	vs.	Blue Devils		
2	Willie's Township Friends	vs.	Lehigh Valley FC			RHINOS	vs.	Keystone Pride		
3	Windsor FC	vs.	Gore FC			The Big Green	vs.	Allentown Sports Club		
4	Salvatore's Pizzeria FC	vs.	Wilson United			Push the Rock	vs.	United Nations		
9	Lehigh Valley Internationals	vs.	Colombia			Q-City FC	vs.	Portuguese American Club		
Bye: FC Imensidade					Bye: Bethlehem United					
Tuesday, June 07, 2011					Day: 2					
Field	Group A - 6:00 PM				Score	Group B - 7:15 PM				Score
1	Colombia	vs.	Salvatore's Pizzeria FC			Portuguese American Club	vs.	Push the Rock		
2	Wilson United	vs.	Windsor FC			United Nations	vs.	The Big Green		
3	Gore FC	vs.	Willie's Township Friends			Allentown Sports Club	vs.	RHINOS		
4	Lehigh Valley FC	vs.	Pino's Pizza FC			Keystone Pride	vs.	SV Alumni		
9	I.C. Sasquatch	vs.	FC Imensidade			Blue Devils	vs.	Bethlehem United		
Bye: Lehigh Valley Internationals					Bye: Q-City FC					
Thursday, June 09, 2011					Day: 3					
Field	Group A - 6:00 PM				Score	Group B - 7:15 PM				Score
1	Willie's Township Friends	vs.	FC Imensidade			RHINOS	vs.	Bethlehem United		
2	Windsor FC	vs.	I.C. Sasquatch			The Big Green	vs.	Blue Devils		
3	Salvatore's Pizzeria FC	vs.	Lehigh Valley FC			Push the Rock	vs.	Keystone Pride		
4	Lehigh Valley Internationals	vs.	Gore FC			Q-City FC	vs.	Allentown Sports Club		
9	Colombia	vs.	Wilson United			Portuguese American Club	vs.	United Nations		
Bye: Pino's Pizza FC					Bye: SV Alumni					
Tuesday, June 14, 2011					Day: 4					
Field	Group A - 6:00 PM				Score	Group B - 7:15 PM				Score
1	Wilson United	vs.	Lehigh Valley Internationals			United Nations	vs.	Q-City FC		
2	Gore FC	vs.	Salvatore's Pizzeria FC			Allentown Sports Club	vs.	Push the Rock		
3	Lehigh Valley FC	vs.	Windsor FC			Keystone Pride	vs.	The Big Green		
4	I.C. Sasquatch	vs.	Willie's Township Friends			Blue Devils	vs.	RHINOS		
9	FC Imensidade	vs.	Pino's Pizza FC			Bethlehem United	vs.	SV Alumni		
Bye: Colombia					Bye: Portuguese American Club					
Thursday, June 16, 2011					Day: 5					
Field	Group A - 6:00 PM				Score	Group B - 7:15 PM				Score
1	Windsor FC	vs.	Pino's Pizza FC			The Big Green	vs.	SV Alumni		
2	Salvatore's Pizzeria FC	vs.	FC Imensidade			Push the Rock	vs.	Bethlehem United		
3	Lehigh Valley Internationals	vs.	I.C. Sasquatch			Q-City FC	vs.	Blue Devils		
4	Colombia	vs.	Lehigh Valley FC			Portuguese American Club	vs.	Keystone Pride		
9	Wilson United	vs.	Gore FC			United Nations	vs.	Allentown Sports Club		
Bye: Willie's Township Friends					Bye: RHINOS					
Tuesday, June 21, 2011					Day: 6					
Field	Group A - 6:00 PM				Score	Group B - 7:15 PM				Score
1	Gore FC	vs.	Colombia			Allentown Sports Club	vs.	Portuguese American Club		
2	Lehigh Valley FC	vs.	Lehigh Valley Internationals			Keystone Pride	vs.	Q-City FC		
3	I.C. Sasquatch	vs.	Salvatore's Pizzeria FC			Blue Devils	vs.	Push the Rock		
4	FC Imensidade	vs.	Windsor FC			Bethlehem United	vs.	The Big Green		
9	Pino's Pizza FC	vs.	Willie's Township Friends			SV Alumni	vs.	RHINOS		
Bye: Wilson United					Bye: United Nations					
Thursday, June 23, 2011					Day: 7					
Field	Group A - 6:00 PM				Score	Group B - 7:15 PM				Score
1	Salvatore's Pizzeria FC	vs.	Willie's Township Friends			Push the Rock	vs.	RHINOS		
2	Lehigh Valley Internationals	vs.	Pino's Pizza FC			Q-City FC	vs.	SV Alumni		
3	Colombia	vs.	FC Imensidade			Portuguese American Club	vs.	Bethlehem United		
4	Wilson United	vs.	I.C. Sasquatch			United Nations	vs.	Blue Devils		
9	Gore FC	vs.	Lehigh Valley FC			Allentown Sports Club	vs.	Keystone Pride		
Bye: Windsor FC					Bye: The Big Green					

NO GAMES ON TUESDAY, JUNE 28 - NOT ENOUGH FIELDS AVAILABLE AT LEHIGH

LVSSL - MEN'S SENIOR DIVISION SCHEDULE - 2011

Thursday, June 30, 2011				Day: 8		
Field	Group A - 6:00 PM		Score	Group B - 7:15 PM		Score
4	Lehigh Valley FC	vs. Wilson United		Keystone Pride	vs. United Nations	
5	I.C. Sasquatch	vs. Colombia		Blue Devils	vs. Portuguese American Club	
6	FC Imensidade	vs. Lehigh Valley Internationals		Bethlehem United	vs. Q-City FC	
7	Pino's Pizza FC	vs. Salvatore's Pizzeria FC		SV Alumni	vs. Push the Rock	
8	Willie's Township Friends	vs. Windsor FC		RHINOS	vs. The Big Green	
Bye: Gore FC			Bye: Allentown Sports Club			
Tuesday, July 05, 2011				Day: 9		
Field	Group A - 6:00 PM		Score	Group B - 7:15 PM		Score
1	Lehigh Valley Internationals	vs. Windsor FC		Q-City FC	vs. The Big Green	
2	Colombia	vs. Willie's Township Friends		Portuguese American Club	vs. RHINOS	
3	Wilson United	vs. Pino's Pizza FC		United Nations	vs. SV Alumni	
4	Gore FC	vs. FC Imensidade		Allentown Sports Club	vs. Bethlehem United	
9	Lehigh Valley FC	vs. I.C. Sasquatch		Keystone Pride	vs. Blue Devils	
Bye: Salvatore's Pizzeria FC			Bye: Push the Rock			
Thursday, July 07, 2011				Day: 10		
Field	Group A - 6:00 PM		Score	Group B - 7:15 PM		Score
1	I.C. Sasquatch	vs. Gore FC		Blue Devils	vs. Allentown Sports Club	
2	FC Imensidade	vs. Wilson United		Bethlehem United	vs. United Nations	
3	Pino's Pizza FC	vs. Colombia		SV Alumni	vs. Portuguese American Club	
4	Willie's Township Friends	vs. Lehigh Valley Internationals		RHINOS	vs. Q-City FC	
9	Windsor FC	vs. Salvatore's Pizzeria FC		The Big Green	vs. Push the Rock	
Bye: Lehigh Valley FC			Bye: Keystone Pride			

NO GAMES ON TUESDAY, JULY 12 - NOT ENOUGH FIELDS AVAILABLE AT LEHIGH

Thursday, July 14, 2011				Day: 11		
Field	Group A - 6:00 PM		Score	Group B - 7:15 PM		Score
1	FC Imensidade	vs. Lehigh Valley FC		Bethlehem United	vs. Keystone Pride	
2	Pino's Pizza FC	vs. Gore FC		SV Alumni	vs. Allentown Sports Club	
3	Willie's Township Friends	vs. Wilson United		RHINOS	vs. United Nations	
4	Windsor FC	vs. Colombia		The Big Green	vs. Portuguese American Club	
9	Salvatore's Pizzeria FC	vs. Lehigh Valley Internationals		Push the Rock	vs. Q-City FC	
Bye: I.C. Sasquatch			Bye: Blue Devils			

PLAYOFFS START ON TUESDAY, JULY 19, 2011

MEN'S SENIOR DIVISION PLAYOFF SCHEDULE - 2011

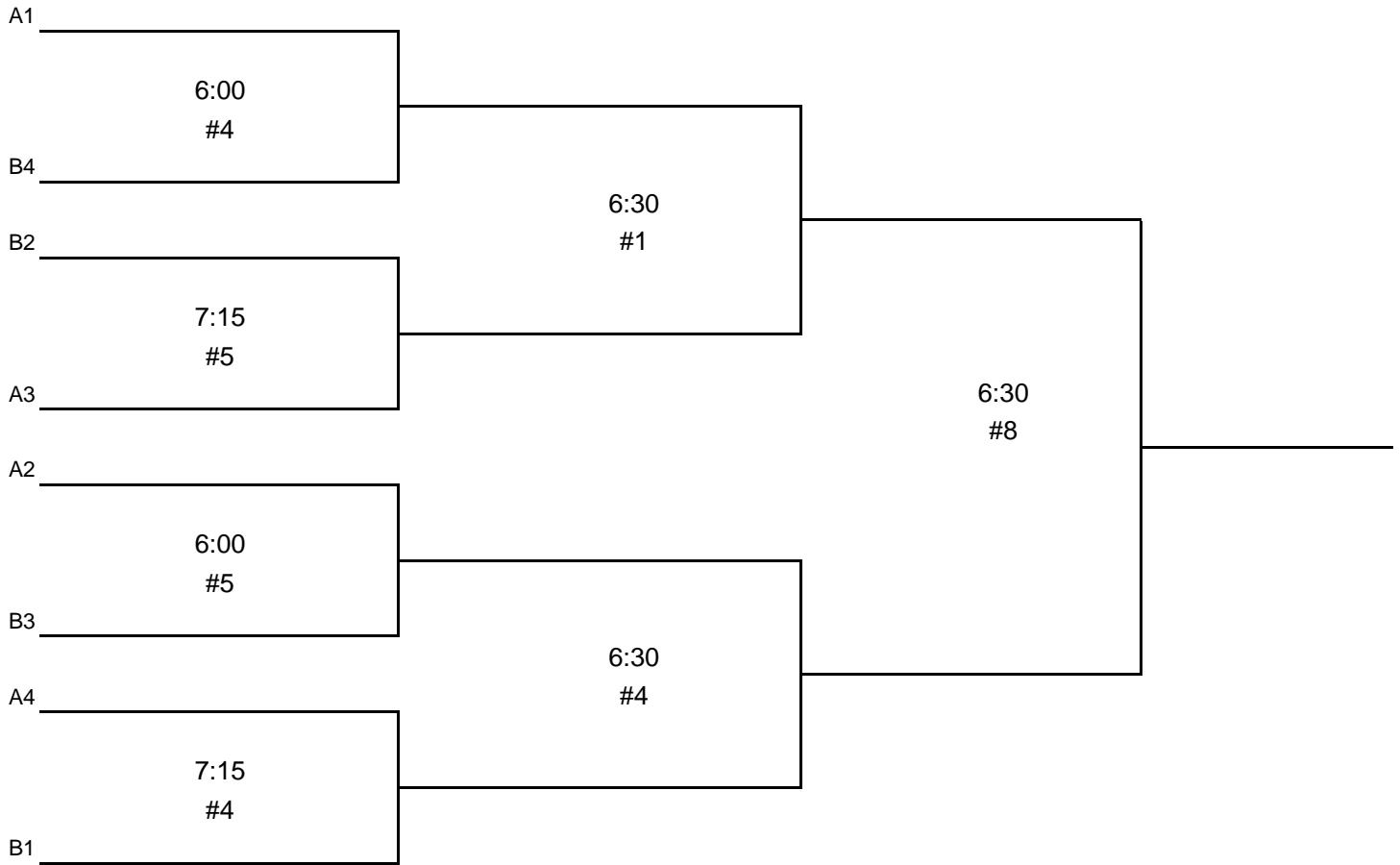
SINGLE ELIMINATION

Field assignments are subject to change.

Tuesday
19-Jul-11

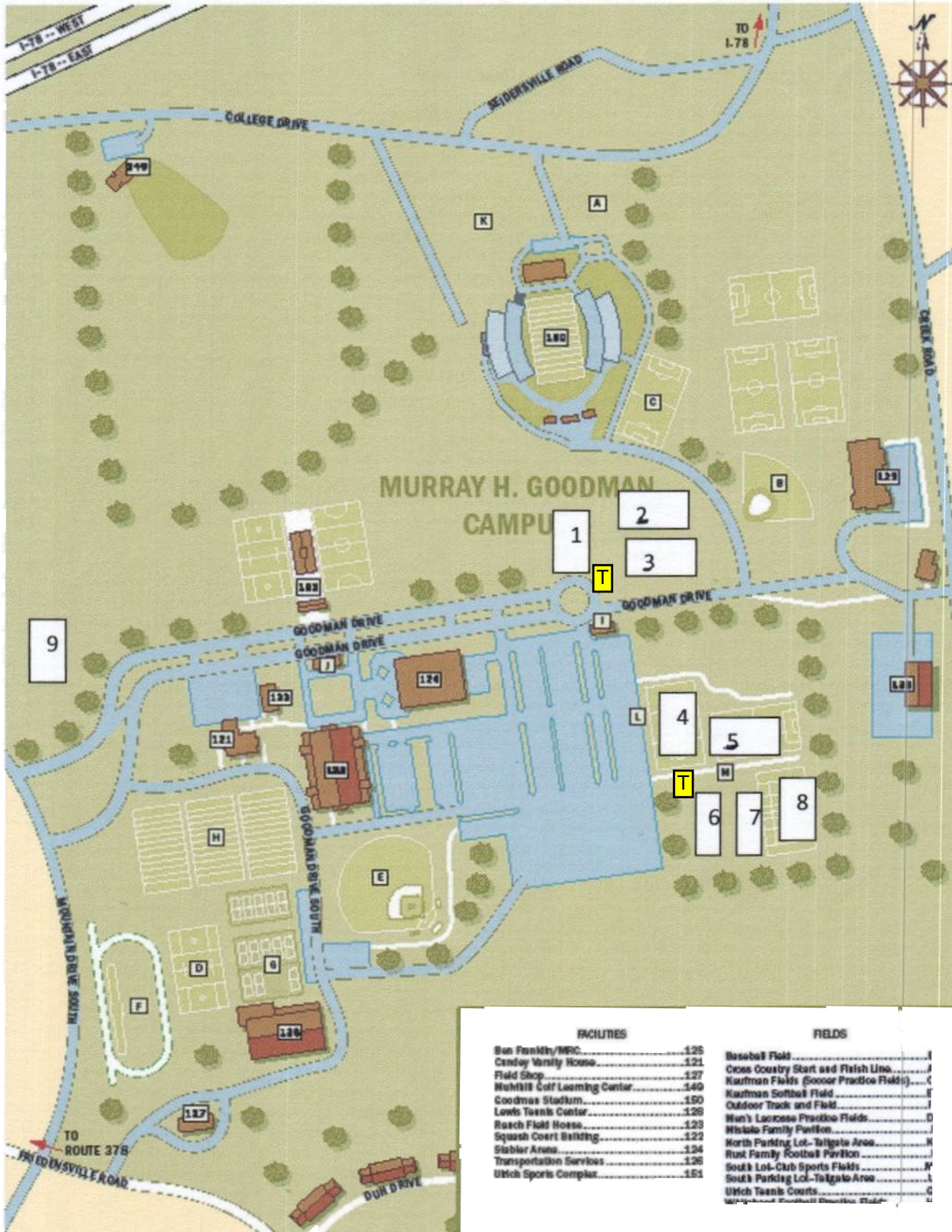
Thursday
21-Jul-11

Friday
22-Jul-11



Top 4 teams from two groups.

LVSSL 2011 FIELD LAYOUTS



LIST OF COMMENCEMENTS - 2011			
STABLER ARENA, LEHIGH UNIVERSITY			
Leave home early if you have a game on the following dates at Lehigh:			
NO.	DATE	TIME	SCHOOL
1	Monday, June 06, 2011	7:00 PM	Liberty HS
2	Tuesday, June 07, 2011	7:00 PM	Freedom HS
3	Wednesday, June 08, 2011	7:00 PM	Nazareth HS
4	Thursday, June 09, 2011	7:00 PM	Whitehall HS
5	Friday, June 10, 2011	7:00 PM	Northampton Area HS
6	Monday, June 13, 2011	7:00 PM	Parkland HS
7	Wednesday, June 15, 2011	6:45 PM	Pennridge HS
8	Thursday, June 16, 2011	7:00 PM	Quakertown HS
9	Friday, June 17, 2011	7:00 PM	Dieruff HS
10	Wednesday, June 22, 2011	6:00 PM	Easton HS