

EIVA DIVISIONAL COMPETITION REQUIREMENTS 2007-2008

- Each year, there will be TWO divisional play dates for EACH DIVISION-- one divisional play date in the Fall and one divisional play date in the Spring. This ensures that each team has the chance to play all of its divisional foes two times each year. These results will determine divisional standings. That also leaves plenty of other weekends open for EIVA teams to travel to other events around the country and/or to host open events.
- Participation in the divisional play dates is MANDATORY for all teams. The only exceptions will be for schools that are on break. This only applies in the Spring, so all teams must attend their divisional play dates in the Fall--no exceptions. If a team cannot participate in the Spring divisional play date because their school is on break, a club officer MUST notify the Divisional Representative NO LATER than TWO WEEKS prior to the date of competition.
- If a team fails to notify its Divisional Representative of its inability to participate two weeks prior to the event, all divisional matches for the team for that event will count as losses for that team.
- At each divisional play date, all teams must play every other team in its division in a best 2 out of 3 match. The Divisional Representatives will be in charge of making the schedule to ensure equitable competition. Divisional Representatives will also be in charge of collecting ALL data related to the competitions (Results must be submitted to the EIVA Commissioner no later than one week after the tournament ends. All results must be entered into the proper EIVA Results Spreadsheet before submission).
- Referee fees and facility costs (if applicable) will be divided equally among all participating teams. These fees MUST be paid to the DIVISIONAL REPRESENTATIVE before teams are allowed to compete.
- If a team fails to pay its portion of the referee fee/facility cost, all divisional matches for the team for that event will count as losses for the team AND that team will be disqualified from participation in the EIVA Championships for that year.
- Any team in a particular division is eligible to host divisional play. If a team wants to host a divisional play date, it should notify its Divisional Representative. Hosting will work on a first-come, first serve basis. Final decisions about host sites will ultimately be decided by each Divisional Representative.