Asia Christian Schools Conference

Girls Volleyball Tournament Packet
International Community School, Bangkok, Thailand
20-24 October 2026

Dear ADs,

It is our pleasure to welcome you to the annual ***ACSC Girls Volleyball Tournament, October 20-24, 2026.*** The preliminary schedule is attached, and the tournament game schedule is linked within. All games will be played at **ICS Bangkok.**

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

Thank you,
Jack Barr
International Community School Bangkok

COMMUNICATION INFO

Tournament Directors:

- Jack Barr
- Paul Gary

PARTICIPATING SCHOOLS

Dalat International School | Penang, Malaysia
Faith Academy | Manila, Philippines
Morrison Academy | Taichung, Taiwan
Yongsan International School of Seoul | Seoul, Korea
Grace International School | Chiang Mai, Thailand
International Community School-Bangkok | Bangkok, Thailand
Sekolah Pelita Harapan | Tangerang, Indonesia
International Christian School-Hong Kong | Shek Mun, Hong Kong

DEADLINES

T-shirt Order: 10 Sept
Team Picture & Rosters: 17 Sept
Meal Numbers: 20 Sept
Banquet Numbers: 1 October
Flight Schedule: 1 October

COSTS*

Opening Ceremony/Cultural Experience: $20pp
Award Banquet: $20pp
T-shirts: $15pp
Lunch: $10pp

SCHEDULE

Tuesday, October 20

Time	Event	Location
18:00	**Dinner & Welcome (coach meeting)**	**ICS HS Cafe**
19:00	Opening Cultural Event	Courtyard

Wednesday, October 21

Time	Court 1 Bleachers	Court 2 Concrete
8:30-9:30 hrs	ICSBKK vs ICSHK	DAS vs SPH
9:30-10:30 hrs	FA vs MAC	GIS vs YISS
10:30- 11:30 hrs	DAS vs ICSBKK	SPH vs ICSHK
11:30 - 12:30 hrs	GIS vs MAC	YISS vs FA
12:45 - 13:15 hrs	**LUNCH (ARC CAFE)**	**LUNCH (ARC CAFE)**
13:15 - 14:15 hrs	**Thai Craft**	**3rd Floor Open Area**
14:30 - 15:30 hrs	ICSBKK vs SPH	ICSHK vs DAS
15:30-16:30 hrs	MAC vs YISS	GIS vs FA

Thursday, October 22

Time	Court 1 Bleachers	Court 2 Concrete
8:30-9:30 hrs	GIS vs ICSBKK	SPH vs YISS
9:30-10:30 hrs	DAS vs FA	ICSHK vs MAC
10:30- 11:30 hrs	YISS vs ICSBKK	GIS vs SPH
11:30 - 12:30 hrs	FA vs ICSHK	MAC vs DAS
12:45 - 13:30 hrs	**LUNCH (ARC CAFE)**	**LUNCH (ARC CAFE)**
13:30 - 14:30 hrs	YISS vs DAS	GIS vs ICSHK
14:30-15:30 hrs	MAC vs ICSBKK	FA vs SPH
15:30-16:30	ICSHK vs YISS	GIS vs DAS
16:30-17:30	ICSBKK vs FA	SPH vs MAC

Friday, October 23

Time	Court 1 Bleachers	Court 2 Concrete
8:00 - 12:00 hrs	**SERVICE PROJECT (leave 8AM)**	**@ THAI SCHOOL / Painting Wall**
8:00 - 12:00 hrs	**Lunch @ Project**	**Return to hotel 12:00 PM**
15:00 - 17:00 hrs **Quarterfinal (5)**	(Game 1) **1 seed vs 8 seed**	(Game 2) **4 seed vs 5 seed**
18:00 - 20:00hrs **Quarterfinal (5)**	(Game 3) **2 seed vs 7 seed**	(Game 4) **3 seed vs 6 seed**

Saturday, October 24

Time	Court 1 Bleachers	Court 2 Concrete
8:00 - 9:30 **Consolidation Match (3)**	Loser of Game 1 vs Loser of Game 2 (Game 5)	Loser of Game 3 vs Loser of Game 4 (Game 6)
9:30 - 11:00 **SEMI FINAL (5)**	Winner G1 vs Winner G2 (Game 7)	Winner G3 vs Winner G4 (Game 8)
11:00 - 12:00 hrs	**Lunch**	**ICS HS Cafe**
12:00 - 13:30 **5/6 Place (5)** **7/8 Place (5)**	Winner of Game 5 vs Winner of Game 6 (Game 9: **5th/6th place**)	Loser of Game 5 vs Loser of Game 6 (Game 10: **7th/8th place**)
13:30- 15:00 **Final & 3rd (5)**	Winner of Game 7 vs Winner of Game 8 (Game 11: **Final)**	Loser of Game 7 vs Loser of Game 8 (Game 9: **Third Place)**
Following Final	Coach's Meeting	ICS ARC MP Room
17:00 - 18:00	**Closing Dinner**	**ICS HS Cafe**
18:00 - 19:00	Awards Ceremony	ICS ARC MP Room

PHONE POLICY ON CAMPUS - IMPORTANT

ICS Rule - *All sports teams are prohibited from using phones at practices, home games, away games, and during transit. Students need to ask permission to use their phones. If you permit students to use their phones, please supervise their use (schoolwork, parent communication, team communication, etc.). Consequences include warnings, game time loss, and reports to the building principal. Phones used without permission will be confiscated and/or referred to the building principal, resulting in a minimum loss of 5 days.* **ACSC Teams - Phones and electronic devices may only be used in the designated team areas while on campus: (4th-floor gym and the 3rd-floor open area)**

OPTIONAL OUTINGS

Teams can choose to go out for dinner and sightseeing. List of local night markets & malls provided in the "things to do". Here is a MAP of things around and near the school or you can scan the QR Code below. If you would like to reserve transportation, please request before **October 2.** Cost is $100/outing for a large bus.

SCAN ME

AREA MAP

FLIGHT PICK UP/DROP OFF

Bus drivers will be waiting for your team at the arrival gate with a sign. They will take you directly to your hotel. The cost is $125/trip.

Remember DTAC

For important information regarding visas and airport logistics follow the link below.

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ACCOMMODATIONS

The Journey Hotel Bang Na is located within walking distance of ICS. ICS will reserve the rooms for you, and you will pay directly to ICS. **If you want Breakfast you may arrange it at the hotel when you arrive.** You will pay the hotel directly for the breakfast.

Alternate link: Journey Hotel Bang Na (bangna@thejourneyhotel.com)

CODES OF CONDUCT

We are expecting that everyone enters into a spirit of friendly competition and sportsmanship. As Christian schools, we want to display our beliefs and values in everything we do during the tournament. If there are any issues, then please come and chat with tournament staff, and we can support you in finding a solution.

THAI CULTURE

Thailand is known as the land of smiles. People are very friendly and greet each other with a wai. Thailand is predominantly a Buddhist country and Bangkok is its capital.

CAMPUS USE

Coaches must bring an ID (Teacher ID, Government issued ID, etc.) to check in and out of school as a visitor. Teams are welcome to use the campus for Wifi and studying. Select classrooms will be open for use during normal business hours. Athletes must be supervised during the school day. **(Students must enter the full name and ID number for wifi access).**

MEALS ON CAMPUS

Lunch and Dinner will be available at the school. Teams must be finished by the scheduled time. The cafeteria staff needs to be released at the specified time. We can not hold food, or make to-go-boxes. There are also food stalls and mini marts nearby for snacks/drinks.

TRANSPORTATION

ICS will set up buses for airport transportation, service events, and if requested for optional team outings. Hotel is within walking
distance from the school, so transportation will not be provided. **(Unless Rain)**

LAUNDRY

There are two large laundromats on the road from Journey Hotel to ICS.

WIFI

If you want to use the ICS Wifi on campus, you must enter each player's/coach's ID number. The Ministry of Education requires this.

LIVE STREAMING

A link to all games will be posted on the ICS Athletics YouTube page.

WARMUP

Warm-ups will be available on the court before the game **(ten minutes) .** Plan to start your game on time and prepare accordingly. All ACSC rules and formats will apply.

OFFICIALS

We will be hiring local FIBA officials.

PARENTS

Parents are invited to tournament games, and are welcome at the opening and closing ceremonies **(but food will not be provided for them)** . Parents and visitors must exchange an ID to get on campus and follow ICS rules. Parents are not permitted to participate in the service project. ICS will not provide transportation for parents.

SERVICE PROJECT

Our Service Trip Coordinator will share this at the initial coach's meeting.

RESULTS

Tournament results can be found on the ACSC website ACSC Website and on the ACSC Twitter feed @acsconference.

CULTURAL EXPERIENCE

We will have a cultural experience at the opening ceremony.

T-SHIRTS

Tournament shirts will be $15/pp. There will be a limited supply of extra shirts on hand for purchase.

MONEY EXCHANGE

You are advised to exchange money at the airport.

HOSPITALITY ROOM

ICS will provide a classroom (ARC 23) to serve as the coach hospitality room. We will have drinks, coffee and snacks throughout the day. Players are not allowed in this area.

MEDICAL & ALLERGY

We will have nurses & hospital staff throughout the tournament. Please send a list of any major medical or allergy concerns for your group. We do not have athletic trainers at ICS, so please plan to have any taping done by your coaches or own staff. We do not have athletic tape available for teams.

VOLLEYBALL

I. Rule Book: F.I.V.B.
   A. Variations:
   1. Substitution will follow USVBA rules. 12 substitutions per set and 12 per rotation position maximum.
   2. The warm-up routine will be the following: 5 minutes for the serving team to use the court, 5 minutes for the receiving team to use the court.
   3. The libero is allowed to serve in one rotational position.
   4. The libero may rotate into a serving position immediately, without having to sit, when rotating out of another position.
   5. Each position can have a 3-player rotation for substitutions.

II. ACSC Traveling Squad:
   12 players

III. Tournament Format:

The following is the ACSC Volleyball Format.

A. A round-robin phase among all teams is played to establish seeding for the teams to enter a play-off round. The play-off round will be a single-elimination phase. Loser consolation matches for placing may be played if there is court space.
B. When two teams arrive at the championship game, there will be no "if" game (the final is the final).
C. The round-robin phase of the tournament will be best 2 out of 3 sets, with the first two sets going to 25 points. The third set is 15 points. A team must win each set by at least two points (no ceiling). If a third set is necessary, there will be a coin toss to determine serve. Teams will then switch sides at 8 points.
D. Advantage seeding for single elimination play-offs will be used.
E. The quarterfinals, semi-finals, 3rd place, and finals are standard FIVB 5 set format. All other matches are 2 out of 3.
F. There will always be a minimum of 10 minutes of warm-up before each match.
G. Ejected players/coaches may not play/coach in the following match.

IV. ACSC Pool Play Tiebreaker Procedure:

1. Head-to-head result
2. Set a differential between tied teams
3. Point differential between tied teams
4. Set a differential between all teams
5. Point differential between all teams

**Once the first tiebreaker is resolved, separating one team, and a tie still exists, revert to #1 to begin the tiebreak process to settle the remaining teams.*

V. **Tournament Awards, see also general award guidelines above:**

A. All-Tournament selections will be made by the team's coach according to the formula below: 13 Total

1^{st}-3, 2^{nd}-3, 3^{rd}-2, 4^{th}-1, 5^{th}-1, 6^{th}-1, 7^{th}-1, 8^{th}-1

B. Volleyball Special Awards, stats may be cited during the nomination process, but only statistical awards are decided solely by stats:
   a. Top Setter (vote)
   b. Top Hitter (vote)
   c. Top Blocker (vote)
   d. Top Passer (vote)
   e. Top Server (vote)
   f. MVP (vote, see guidelines above)