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Congratulations to the 2025 GHSA Baseball State Champions!

The GHSA Baseball State Championships were held May 19-22 at Coolray Field, AdventHealth Stadium and JI Clements Field.

Congratulations to the 2025 State Champions: Walton (6A, Last won 2016), Newnan (5A, Last won 1991), Blessed Trinity (4A, Last won 2015), Troup Co. (3A, First title), Rockmart (2A, First title), Gordon Lee (1AD1, Last won 2019), Lanier Co. (1AD2, Last won 1946) and Calvary Day (Private, Last won 2007) [View past champions](#).

Much appreciation goes to Don Corr (GHSA representative), event staffs, Gwinnett Stripers, Rome Emperors, Georgia Southern Univ., umpires, GHSA officials, corporate partners, TeamIP, GoFan, NFHS Network, West Georgia Sports Info Services, and fans who supported these championships.



Results

Post Game Stats

Private Calvary Day 9-7-0, Savannah Christian 1-5-2

1A Div. 2 - Lanier Co. 1-16-4, Wilcox Co. 5-6-1

1A Div. 1 – Gordon Lee, 5-7, Pepperell 2-6

2A – Rockmart 6-6, Franklin Co. 0-0

3A - Troup Co. 5-0-6, Cherokee Bluff 1-15-3

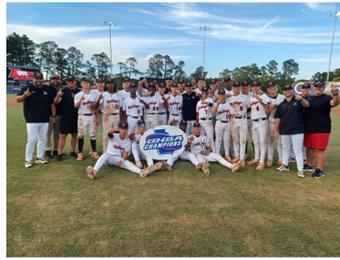
4A – Blessed Trinity 3-7-7 Cartersville 6-3-6

5A – Newnan 3-11, Houston Co. 1-1

6A - Walton 7-10, Lowndes 0-3



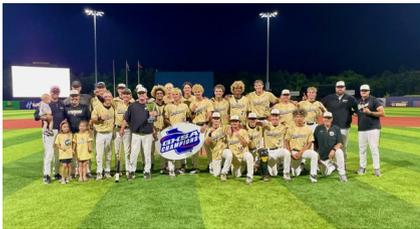
Private (A-3A) - Calvary Day



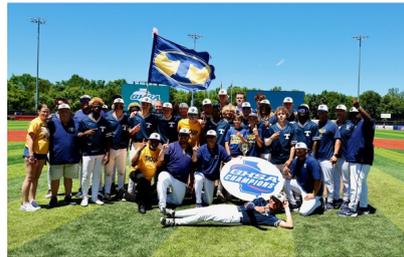
A Division II - Lanier County



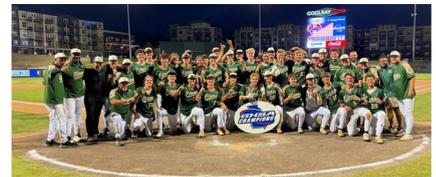
A Division I - Gordon Lee



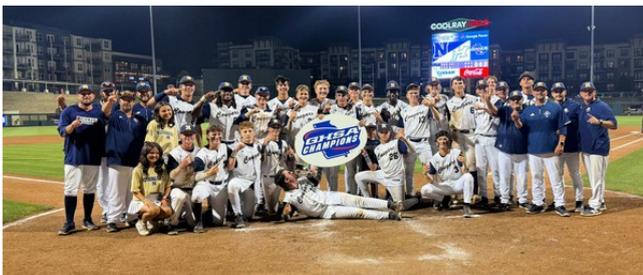
2A - Rockmart



3A - Troup County



4A - Blessed Trinity



5A - Newnan



6A - Walton

Wendy's 

ALL-BEEF LINE



NO MATTER THE SCORE YOU WIN

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Congratulations to the 2025 GHSA Lacrosse State Champions!



The 2025 GHSA Lacrosse State Championships were held May 16-17 at Denmark High School. Congratulations to state champions: Division 1 - Cambridge (Girls, Back-to-Back), Marist (Boys, First Title); Division 2 - Milton (Girls, 8th Straight), Roswell (Boys, 3-Peat); Division 3 - West Forsyth (Girls, First Title), Lambert (Boys, Last Won 2022). Thrilling OT victory by defending champ Roswell

to edge Lassiter 13-12 in back-and-forth contest.

View past state champions: [Boys](#) & [Girls](#).

Much appreciation goes to Denmark HS staff, volunteers, officials, sponsors, GoFan, NFHS Network, TeamIP and fans for supporting the lacrosse championships.



Division 1 Boys - Marist



Division 1 Girls - Cambridge



Division 2 Boys - Roswell



Division 2 Girls - Milton

Division 3 Boys - Lambert

Division 3 Girls - West Forsyth

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Congratulations to the 2025 GHSA Soccer State Champions!

Congratulations to the 2025 GHSA Soccer State Champions winning state finals on May 13-16 at Mercer University, McEachern HS and Duluth HS. Seven (7) schools won their first state soccer title. Girls Champions - Walton (6A, First State Title), Roswell (5A, Last Won 2023), Blessed Trinity (4A, Last Won 2021), Oconee Co. (3A, 3-Peat), Pike County (2A, First State Title), Model (1AD1, First

State Title), Atlanta Classical (1AD2, Last Won 2021) and Lovett (Private, 4th Straight). Boys Champions - Campbell (6A, First State Title), River Ridge (5A, Back-to-Back), Westminster (4A, Back-to-Back), Johnson Gainesville (3A, Last win 2023), Drew Charter (2A, First State Title), Armuchee (1AD1, First State Title), Lake Oconee Academy (1AD2, First State Title) and Atlanta International (Private, 3-Peat).

Much appreciation goes to the staffs at Mercer University, McEachern and Duluth, as well as officials, sponsors, Select (Official Soccer Ball), GoFan, NFHS Network and fans for supporting these outstanding events.

View pass [boys](#) and [girls](#) state champions.



Private (A-3A) Girls - Lovett



Private (A-3A) Boys - Atlanta International



A Division II Girls - Atlanta Classical



A Division II Boys - Lake Oconee Academy



A Division I Girls - Model



A Division I Boys - Armuchee



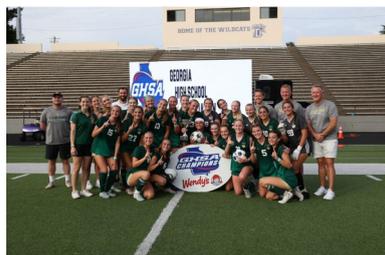
AA Girls - Pike County



AA Boys - Drew Charter



AAA Girls - Oconee County



AAA Boys - Johnson, Gainesville



AAAA Girls - Blessed Trinity



AAAA Boys - Westminster



AAAAA Girls - Roswell

AAAAA Boys - River Ridge

AAAAA Girls - Walton Ridge



AAAAA Boys - Campbell



Congratulations State Champs!

Girls Flag Football Making Headlines across Georgia!

Girls Flag Football Day press conference at Mercedes Benz Stadium presented by the Falcons to acknowledge the passing of the Georgia House of Representatives Resolution 347 to promote Girls Flag Football across the state. Lowndes, McEachern, Southeast Bulloch, Blessed Trinity, and Lithia Springs flag football players were also in attendance. Representing the Falcons were President Greg Beadle and VP of Community Relations Amanda Dinkle. Representing the NFL was Stephanie Kwok, while Aidan Mullaney stood in for the Arthur Blank Foundation. GHSAA Executive Director Dr. Tim Scott, Ernie Yarborough and Dr. Robin Hines joined the celebration as well. The AMBFF grant issued 1.8 million dollars to girls flag football teams for the 2025 season.





Congratulations to the 2025 GHSA Track and Field State Champions!

The 2025 GHSA Track & Field State Championships, presented by the Atlanta Track Club, were held May 9-10 at Hugh Mills Stadium (Albany), East Jackson, Carrollton, and Barron Stadium (Rome). Congratulations to team / individual state champions and all participants:

2025 Boys State Champions:

- 6A - Buford, First since 1982
- 5A - Langston Hughes, 3rd Straight
- 4A – Starrs Mill, First State Title
- 3A - Sandy Creek, 3rd Straight
- 2A – Kipp Atlanta, First State Title
- A Div. 1 – Bleckley Co., Last won 2019
- A Div. 2 - Mitchell County, Back-to-Back
- 1A-3A Private – Landmark Christian, Last won 2021

2025 Girls State Champions:

- 6A – Marietta, Last Won 2018
- 5A – Pope, Last Won 1996
- 4A - Westminster, 3rd Straight



3A – Monroe Area, First State Title
 2A – Carver Atlanta, First State Title
 A Div. 1 – Vidalia, Last Won 2018
 A Div. 2 – Claxton, First State Title
 1A-3A Private – GAC, Last Won 2023 (won 4 out of last 6)
 View past champions - [Boys & Girls](#).
 View full results by [MileSplitGA](#).

Much appreciation goes to state meet directors, officials, volunteers, sponsors, media, athletic trainers, fans, athletes, coaches, Perfect Timing Group, MileSplitGA, TeamIP, NFHS Network, GoFan and presenting sponsor Atlanta Track Club on supporting the challenging weather at two-days of state meets.



AAAAAA Girls - Marietta



AAAAA Girls - Pope



AAAA Girls - Westminster



AAA Girls - Monroe Area



AA Girls - Carver, Atlanta



A Division II Girls - Claxton



A Division I Girls - Vidalia



A Division I Girls - Vidalia



AAAAAA Boys - Buford



AAAAA Boys - Langston Hughes



AAAA Boys - Starr's Mill



AAA Boys - Sandy Creek



AA Boys - KIPP Atlanta Collegiate



A Division II Boys - Mitchell County



A Division I Boys - Bleckley County



Private Boys - Landmark Christian

SUMMER CAMP JUNE 25-26, 2025



REGISTER TODAY!

American Association of AdaptED Sports **2025 Wheelchair Basketball Summer Camp**

**Wednesday June 25 –
Thursday, June 26, 2025**

CAMP INSTRUCTOR



**4x Gold
Paralympic
Coach
Robb Taylor**
Auburn University

WHEELCHAIR BASKETBALL

ATHLETE CAMP

Check-in 8:30am

Camp 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

Fee \$75

Ages 9-19

Lunch, camp apparel, and
instruction included in student
athlete fee.



Congratulations to the 2025 Tennis State Champions!

The 2025 Tennis State Championships were rained out at the Rome Tennis Center on May 10th but instead were hosted by the higher seed of the tournament (and by way of coin flip for like seeds) at their home venue on May 17th and 19th. Appreciation goes to the GHSA staff, USTA officials, TeamIP, sponsors and especially the athletes, fans and coaches who overcame adversity to wrap up a wonderful spring of tennis. Congratulations to the following state champions.



2025 Boys State Champions

6A - Lambert, Back-to-Back-to-Back

5A - McIntosh

4A - Westminster, 5th straight

3A - LaGrange

2A - Pierce County

AD1 - Brantley County

AD2 - Early County

Private - GACS, Back-to-Back-to-Back

2025 Girls State Champions

6A - West Forsyth, Back-to-Back

5A - Milton

4A - Westminster, 25th state title

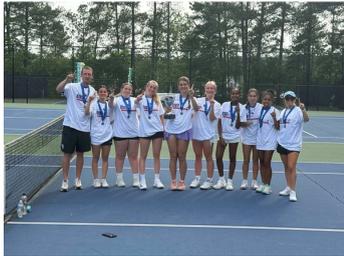
3A - Oconee County

2A - Appling County

AD1 - Brantley County, Back-to-Back

AD2 - Telfair County

Private - Atlanta International



Private Girls - Atlanta International



Private Boys - Greater Atlanta Christian



AD1 Girls - Brantley County



AD1 Boys - Brantley County



AD2 Girls - Telfair County



AD2 Boys - Early County



2A Girls - Appling County



2A Boys - Pierce County



3A Girls - Oconee County



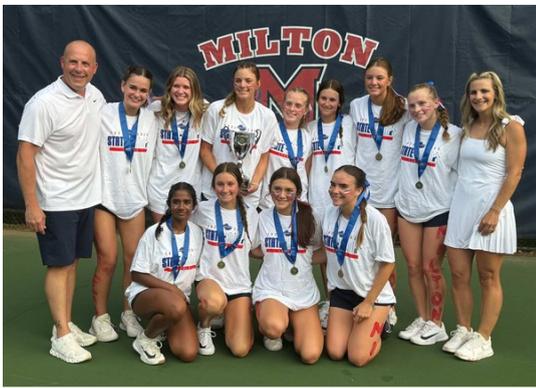
3A Boys - LaGrange



4A Girls - Westminster



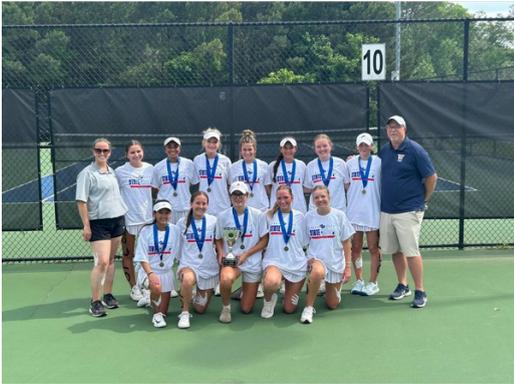
4A Boys - Westminster



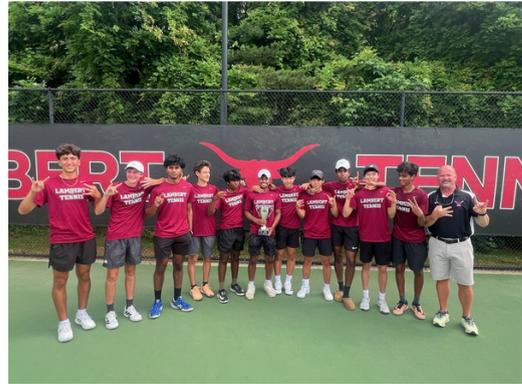
5A Girls - Milton



5A Boys - McIntosh



6A Girls - West Forsyth



6A Boys - Lambert



TENNIS STATE CHAMPIONSHIP



WHITE: TEE \$27, LS \$37, HOODIE \$70
NAVY: TEE \$32, LS \$42, HOODIE \$75
SILVER: TEE \$36, LS \$46, HOODIE \$80
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Congratulations to the 2025 GHSA Golf State Champions!

The 2025 GHSA Golf State Championships were held May 19-20 with 18 titles decided at multiple golf courses around Georgia. Much appreciation goes to Jay Russell (GHSA Golf Rep), West Georgia Sports Information Services, iWanamaker (GHSA Golf App), GHSA staff, host golf courses, host schools, officials, sponsors, TeamIP and volunteers for hosting successful events.

View Past Champions: [Boys](#) & [Girls](#)

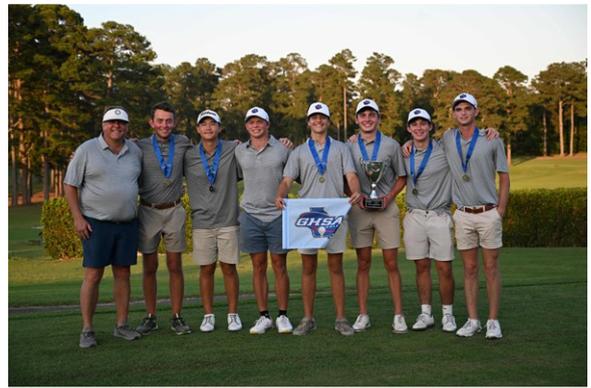
Results

[2024-2025 GHSA State Golf Results](#)





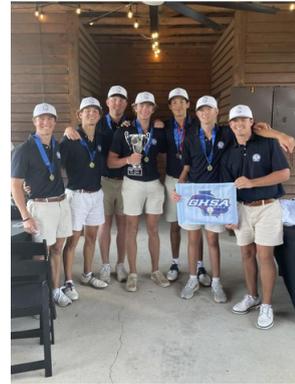
Private (A-3A) Girls - Holy Innocents



Private (A-3A) Boys - Darlington



**A Division II Girls - Lake Oconee
Academ**



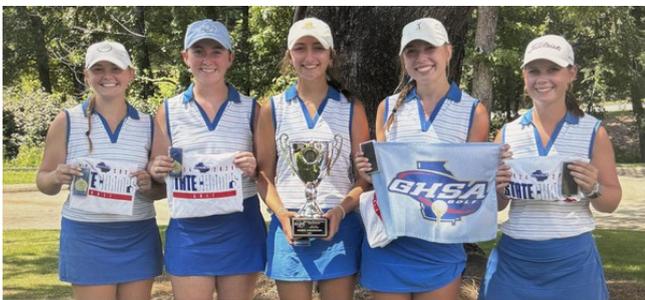
**A Division II Boys - Lake Oconee
Academy**



A Division I Girls - Gordon Lee



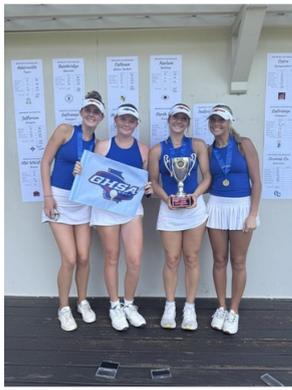
A Division I Boys - Elbert County



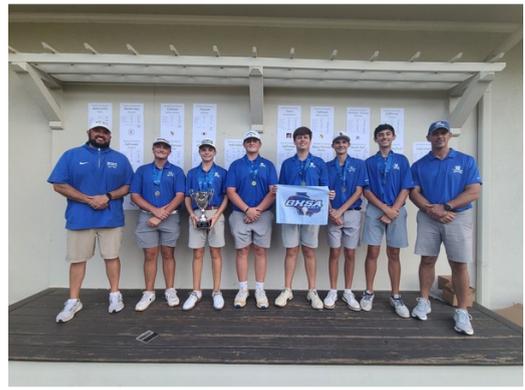
AA Girls - Pierce County



AA Boys - Columbus



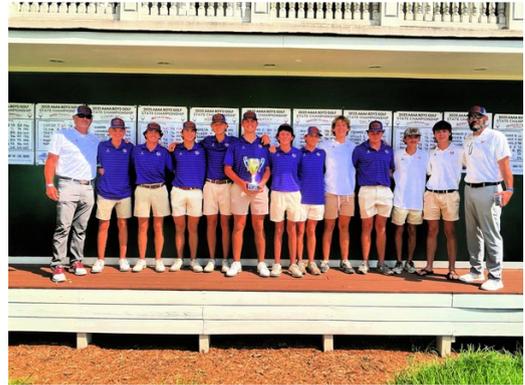
AAA Girls - Jefferson



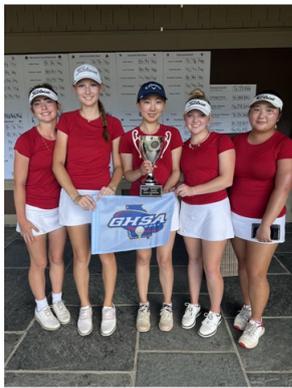
AAA Boys - West Laurens



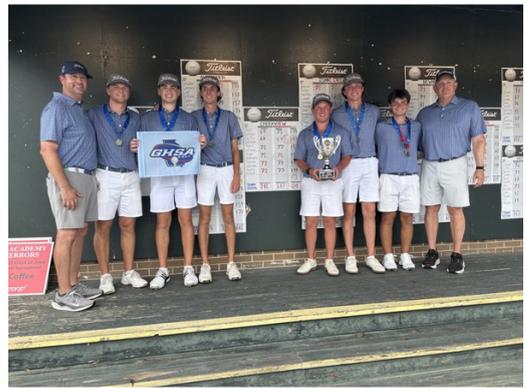
AAAA Girls - North Oconee



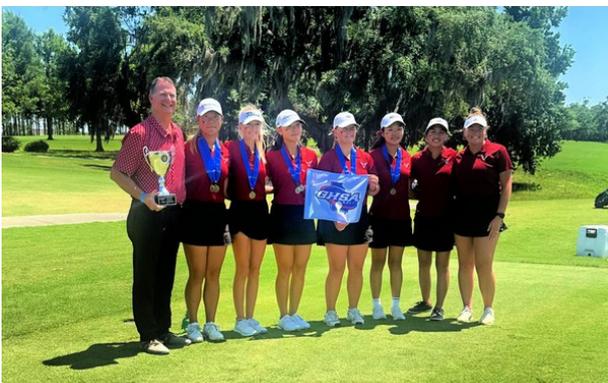
AAAA Boys - Cartersville



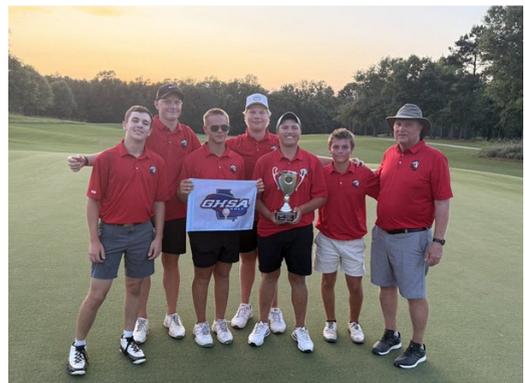
AAAAA Girls - Johns Creek



AAAAA Boys - Creekview



AAAAAA Girls - Lambert



AAAAAA Boys - Cherokee

Need State Medals?

If you finished your season as a State Champion or a State Runner-Up and are in need of extra medals. Please fill out the form below and email to Stacey Jones in the GHSA office at stacey@ghsa.net Thank you!

GEORGIA HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATION
151 SOUTH BETHEL STREET
THOMASTON, GEORGIA 30286
706-647-7473

ADDITIONAL STATE MEDALS ORDER FORM

This order form is to be used by schools that wish to order additional State Championship medals. The designated number of medals set for each event does not always accommodate the number of participants representing the school at the championship event.

<u>Number Of Medals</u>	<u>Sport/Event</u>	<u>Class</u>	<u>Place (Champion or Runner-Up)</u>	<u>Date on Medal</u>
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

Payment must be included with order (Money Order or School Check Only):

Number of Medals Ordered _____ X \$10.00 each = _____

SHIP TO:

(School)

(Attention)

(Address)

EMC Sportsmanship Award Winners Announced



Georgia's Electric Membership Corporations (EMCs) proudly sponsor the Georgia High School Association (GHSA) Cooperative Spirit Sportsmanship Award and today announce the 64 GHSA-member high schools that will receive this year's award. The award honors schools that demonstrated impeccable sportsmanship during the 2024-2025 school year.

"Congratulations to all the regional recipients of the GHSA Cooperative Spirit Sportsmanship Award for the 2024-25 school year," stated Dr. Tim Scott, Executive Director of the Georgia High

School Association (GHSA). "Being chosen by their respective regions for this honor is a testament to the exemplary conduct of these member schools. Embracing the principles of good

sportsmanship is essential in guiding our youth to become responsible and productive adults. The GHSA commends these schools for their achievement and extends gratitude to Georgia's Electric Membership Cooperatives (EMCs) for their unwavering support of this distinguished recognition program."

Since 2006, the GHSA and Georgia's EMCs have sponsored the Cooperative Spirit Sportsmanship Award which reinforces the GHSA philosophy: "Students, athletes, coaches, spectators and all others associated with high school activities programs should adhere to the fundamental values of respect, fairness, honesty and responsibility." Schools winning this award are thus honored for displaying exemplary sportsmanship during competition throughout the school year.

Student athletes, fellow students, school staff, parents and event spectators are recognized for the sportsmanship they display. The award is not only a school honor, but a community honor as well. The GHSA region secretaries select winners based upon sportsmanship demonstrated throughout the school year.

Cooperative Spirit Sportsmanship Awards are presented annually to GHSA-member high schools, with a winner in each of the 64 regions from the eight classifications, by EMC representatives during fall athletic events and school assemblies. Winners of the 2024-25 GHSA Cooperative Spirit Sportsmanship Award presented by Georgia's EMCs are:

2024-25 Region Sportsmanship Winners

Class 6A

Region-1-Lowndes HS

Region-2- Westlake HS

Region-3-McEachern High HS

Region-4-Grovetown- HS

Region-5- Etowah HS

Region-6- Denmark HS

Region-7- Brookwood HS

Region-8-Mill Creek HS

Class 5A

Region-1-Statesboro HS

Region-2- Northside, Warner Robins HS

Region-3- Dutchtown HS

Region-4- Dunwoody HS

Region-5-Kennesaw Mountain HS

Region-6-Creekview HS

Region-7- Lanier HS

Region-8-Apalachee HS

Class 4A

Region-1- Wayne County HS

Region-2-Woodland, Stockbridge HS

Region-3- Northside, Columbus HS

Region 4-Creekside HS

Region-5-Northview HS

Region-6- Blessed Trinity

Region-7-Woodland, Cartersville HS

Region-8- Madison County HS

Class 3A

Region-1- Bainbridge HS

Region-2- Whitewater High HS

Region-3-Southeast Bulloch HS

Region -4- Harlem HS

Region-5- North Clayton HS

Region-6-Greater Atlanta Christian

Region-7-Lafayette HS

Region-8- West Hall HS

Class 2A

Region 1-Jordan HS

Region-2- Callaway HS

Region-3- Savannah Arts Academy Region-4- Butler HS

Region-5- Coretta Scott King Region-6-Drew Charter HS

Region-7-Union County HS

Region-8-East Jackson HS

Class 1AD1

Region-1-Jeff Davis HS

Region-2-Washington County HS

Region-3-Savannah Country Day

Region-4-Social Circle HS

Region-5-Weber School

Region 6 -Haralson County HS

Region 7 – Dade County HS

Region 8 – Rabun County HS

Region-7- Dade County HS

Region-8- Rabun County HS

Class 1AD2

Region-1- Mitchell County HS

Region-2-Clinch County HS

Region-3-Savannah HS

Region-4-Hawkinsville HS

Region-5-Georgia Military College Prep School

Region-6-Marion County HS

Region-7-Trion HS

Region-8- Towns County HS



**SCHOOL'S OUT—
LET SUMMER
BREAK BEGIN!**

Dates to Remember

May 26 - June 1 GHSA Offices Closed (Dead Week #1)

June 30 - July 6 GHSA Offices Closed (Dead Week #2)



Marvin James

June 2025 "To thine own self, be true."

